Monday, February 28th, 1910.

Two o'clock, P.M.

Prayers by the Rev. Joseph McCoy.

Pursuant to Order, the House resumed the adjourned debate on the motion—"That Mr. Speaker do now leave the Chair," for the purpose of going into the Committee of Supply.

After some time spent in debate the same was adjourned until the next sitting of the House.

Bill (No. 28) intituled "An Act to amend the Land Registry Act" was committed. Reported with amendments.

Report to be considered at next sitting.

The Hon. Dr. Young presented the Annual Report of the Public Hospital for the Insane of the Province of British Columbia for the year 1909.

The adjourned debate on the second reading of Bill (No. 19) intituled "An Act to amend the Land Act" was resumed.

Bill read a second time on the following division :--

YEAS-32.

Messieurs

Shaw,	Tisdall,	Shat ford,	Ellison,
Watson,	Wright,	McPhillips,	Taylor,
Fraser,	Callanan,	Thomson,	Macgowan,
Mackenzie,	Miller,	Schofield,	Hayward,
Braden,	Jackson,	Behnsen,	McGuire,
Manson, M.,	Bowser,	Hunter,	Mackay,
Brewster,	McBride,	Manson, W.J.,	Parson,
Manson, W.,	Cotton,	Young,	Davey.

NAYS-3.

Messieurs

Williams,

Hawthornthwaite,

Jardine.

To be committed at next sitting.

The Hon. Mr. McBride presented to Mr. Speaker a Message from His Honour the Lieuteuant-Governor, which read as follows:—

THOMAS W. PATERSON,

Lieutenant-Governor.

The Lieutenant-Governor transmits herewith a Bill intituled "An Act to ratify an Agreement bearing Date the Seventeenth Day of January, A. D. 1910, between His Majesty the King and the Canadian Northern Railway Company," and recommends the same to the Legislative Assembly.

Government House, 28th February, 1910.

Ordered, That the said Message, and the Bill accompanying the same, be referred to a Committee of the Whole House forthwith.

(IN THE COMMITTEE.)

Resolved, That the Committee rise and report to the House, recommending the introduction of a Bill (No. 40) intituled "An Act to ratify an Agreement bearing Date the Seventeenth

Day of January, A. D. 1910, between His Majesty the King and the Canadian Northern Railway Company," a draft of which is annexed to this Resolution.

Resolution and Bill reported. Bill introduced and read a first time. Second reading to-morrow afternoon.

On the motion of the Hon. the Premier, Bill (No. 41) intituled "An Act to Incorporate the Canadian Northern Pacific Railway Company" was introduced, read a first time and Ordered to be read a second time to-morrow afternoon.

The Hon. Mr. McBride presented to Mr. Speaker a Message from His Honour the Lieutenant-Governor, which read as follows:—

THOMAS W. PATERSON,
Lieutenant-Governor.

The Lieutenant-Governor transmits herewith a Bill intituled "An Act to amend the Midway and Vernon Railway Aid Act, 1902," and recommends the same to the Legislative Assembly.

Government House, 28th February, 1910.

Ordered, That the said Message, and the Bill accompanying the same, be referred to a Committee of the Whole House forthwith.

(IN THE COMMITTEE.)

Resolved, That the Committee rise and report to the House, recommending the introduction of a Bill (No. 44) intituled "An Act to amend the 'Midway and Vernon Railway Aid Act, 1902," a draft of which is annexed to this Resolution.

Resolution and Bill reported. Bill introduced and read a first time. Second reading to-morrow afternoon.

The Hon. Mr. McBride presented to Mr. Speaker a Message from His Honour the Lieutenant-Governor, which read as follows:—

THOMAS W. PATERSON,

Lieutenant-Governor.

The Lieutenant-Governor transmits herewith a Bill intituled "An Act to ratify an Agreement bearing Date the Twenty-eighth Day of February, 1910, between His Majesty the King and the Kettle River Valley Railway Company," and recommends the same to the Legislative Assembly.

Government House, 28th February, 1910.

Ordered, That the said Message, and the Bill accompanying the same, be referred to a Committee of the Whole House forthwith.

(IN THE COMMITTEE.)

Resolved, That the Committee rise and report to the House, recommending the introduction of a Bill (No. 42) intituled "An Act to ratify an Agreement bearing Date the Twenty-eighth Day of February, 1910, between His Majesty the King and the Kettle River Valley Railway Company," a draft of which is annexed to this Resolution.

Report adopted.
Bill introduced and read a first time.
Second reading to-morrow afternoon.

The Hon. Mr. Bowser presented to Mr. Speaker a Message from His Honour the Lieutenant-Governor, which read as follows:—

Thomas W. Paterson,

Lieutenant Governor.

The Lieutenant-Governor transmits herewith a Bill intituled "An Act to repeal the Commercial Travellers' Licences Act, 1907," and recommends the same to the Legislative Assembly.

Government House, 28th February, 1910.

Ordered, That the said Message, and the Bill accompanying the same, be referred to a Committee of the Whole House forthwith.

(IN THE COMMITTEE.)

Resolved, That the Committee rise and report to the House, recommending the introduction of a Bill (No. 30) intituled "An Act to repeal the 'Commercial Travellers' Licences Act, 1907,'" a draft of which is annexed to this Resolution.

Report adopted. Bill introduced and read a first time. Second reading at the next sitting.

Resolved, That the House, at its rising, do stand adjourned until eight o'clock this evening.

And then the House adjourned at 5:50 P.M.

Monday, February 28th, 1910.

EIGHT O'CLOCK, P.M.

The House proceeded to the Orders of the Day.

Pursuant to Order the House resumed the adjourned debate on the motion—"That Mr. Speaker do now leave the Chair," for the purpose of going into Committee of Supply.

Resolution agreed to.

(IN THE COMMITTEE.)

1. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$333,112.53 be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Public Debt, Interest, to 31st March, 1911.

2. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$177,796.58 be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Public Debt, Sinking Fund, to 31st March, 1911.

3. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$1,800 be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Public Debt, Premium and Exchange, to 31st March, 1911.

4. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$5,010 be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Public Debt, Discount and Commission, to 31st March, 1911.

5. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$4,000 be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Public Debt, Redemption of Debentures, to 31st March, 1911.

6. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$1,800 be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Civil Government (Salaries), Lieutenant-Governor's Office, to 31st March, 1911.

7. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$4,940 be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Civil Government (Salaries), Premier's Office, to 31st March, 1911.

8. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$12,540 be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Civil Government (Salaries), Provincial Secretary's Department, to 31st March, 1911.

9. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$30,270 be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Civil Government (Salaries), Department of Mines, to 31st March, 1911.

10. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$48,580 be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Civil Government (Salaries), Department of Finance and Agriculture, to 31st March, 1911.

11. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$51,408 be granted to His Majesty to defray the

expenses of Civil Government (Salaries), Lands Department, to 31st March, 1911.

12. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$36,460 be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Civil Government (Salaries), Public Works Department, to 31st March, 1911.

13. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$15,736 be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Civil Government (Salaries), Attorney-General's Department, to 31st March, 1911.

14. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$58,180 be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Civil Government (Salaries), Land Registry Offices, to 31st March, 1911.

15. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$14,004 be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Civil Government (Salaries), Timber Inspectors, to 31st March, 1911.

16. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$4,000 be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Civil Government (Salaries), Legislative Library, to 31st March, 1911.

17. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$18,040 be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Civil Government (Salaries), Steam-boiler Inspection, to 31st March, 1911.

18. Reso've l, That a sum not exceeding \$4,432 be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Civil Government (Salaries), Statistical Bureau, to 31st March, 1911.

19. Resolved. That a sum not exceeding \$3,520 be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Civil Government (Salaries), Surveyor of Taxes and Inspector of Revenue, to 31st March, 1911.

20. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$3,504 be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Civil Government (Salaries), Assessors throughout the Province, to 31st March,

That a sum not exceeding \$3,900 be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Civil Government (Salaries), Assessor's Office, Victoria, to 31st March, 1911.

22. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$1,428 be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Civil Government (Salaries), Administrative Staff, Cowichan Agency, to 31st March, 1911.

23. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$2,364 be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Civil Government (Salaries), Administrative Staff, Alberni Agency, to 31st March, 1911.

24. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$2,520 be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Civil Government (Salaries), Administrative Staff, Comox Agency, to 31st March, 1911.

25. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$5,424 be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Civil Government (Salaries), Administrative Staff, Nanaimo Agency, to 31st March, 1911.

26. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$17,784 be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Civil Government (Salaries), Administrative Staff, New Westminster Agency, to 31st March, 1911.

27. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$18,228 be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Civil Government (Salaries), Administrative Staff, East Kootenay Agencies, to 31st March, 1911.

28. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$30,756 be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Civil Government (Salaries), Administrative Staff, West Kootenay Agencies, to 31st March, 1911.

29. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$5,400 be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Civil Government (Salaries), Administrative Staff, Cariboo Agency, to 31st March, 1911.

30. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$24,468 be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Civil Government (Salaries), Administrative Staff, Cassiar Agencies, to 31st March, 1911.

31. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$4,332 be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Civil Government (Salaries), Administrative Staff, Kamloops Agency, to 31st March, 1911.

- 32. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$5,520 be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Civil Government (Salaries), Administrative Staff, Vernon Agency, to 31st March, 1911.
- 33. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$4,080 be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Civil Government (Salaries), Administrative Staff, Fairview Agency, to 31st March, 1911.
- 34. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$3,936 be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Civil Government (Salaries), Administrative Staff, Clinton Agency, to 31st March, 1911.
- 35. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$2,820 be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Civil Government (Salaries), Administrative Staff, Ashcroft Agency, to 31st March, 1911.
- 36. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$2,484 be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Civil Government (Salaries), Administrative Staff, Nicola Agency, to 31st March, 1911.
- 37. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$1,284 be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Civil Government (Salaries), Administrative Staff, Similkameen Agency, to 31st March, 1911.
- 38. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$15,000 be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Civil Government (Salaries), Temporary Assistance, to 31st March, 1911.

The Chairman reported the Resolutions.

Report to be considered at the next sitting of the House.

Committee to sit again at the next sitting.

TUESDAY, 1st March, 1910.

Resolved, That the House, at its rising, do stand adjourned until two o'clock to-day.

And then the House adjourned at 12:10 A.M.

Tuesday, March 1st, 1910.

Two o'clock, P.M.

Prayers by the Rev. Joseph McCoy.

The House proceeded to the Orders of the Day.

The House again resolved itself into Committee of Supply.

(IN THE COMMITTEE.)

- 39. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$32,104 be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Administration of Justice (Salaries), Supreme and County Courts, to 31st March, 1911.
- 40. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$3,200 be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Administration of Justice (Salaries), Stipendiary Magistrates, to 31st March, 1911.
- 41. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$90,000 be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Administration of Justice (Salaries), Provincial Police, to 31st March, 1911.
- 42. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$6,732 be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Administration of Justice (Salaries), Industrial School, to 31st March, 1911.
- 43. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$7,512 be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Administration of Justice (Salaries), Administrative Staff, Victoria Gaol, to 31st March, 1911.

- 44. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$8,448 be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Administration of Justice (Salaries), Administrative Staff, New Westminster Gaol, to 31st March, 1911.
- 45. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$5,700 be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Administration of Justice (Salaries), Administrative Staff, Nelson Gaol, to 31st March, 1911.
- 46. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$5,760 be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Administration of Justice (Salaries), Administrative Staff, Kamloops Gaol, to 31st March, 1911.
- 47. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$1,680 be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Administration of Justice (Salaries), Factories Act, to 31st March, 1911.
- 48. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$4,020 be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Legislation, Mr. Speaker, \$1,200; Clerk of the House, \$1,000; Law Clerk, \$500; Sergeant-at-Arms, \$400; Assistant Sergeant-at-Arms, \$200; Doorkeeper, \$200; Messenger, \$200 8 Pages (@ \$40), \$320, to 31st March, 1911.
 - 49. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$50,400 be granted to His Majesty to defray the
- expenses of Legislation, Indemnity to Members (42 @ \$1,200), to 31st March, 1911.

 50. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$7,200 be granted to His Majesty to defray the
- expenses of Legislation, Mileage, to 31st March, 1911.
- 51. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$1,000 be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Legislation, Registration of Voters, to 31st March, 1911.
- 52. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$1,000 be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Legislation, Expenses of Elections, to 31st March, 1911.
- 53. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$2,000 be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Legislation, Contingent Fund, to 31st March, 1911.
- 54. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$86,387 be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Public Institutions (Maintenance), Printing Office, Victoria, to 31st March, 1911.
- 55. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$3,500 be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Public Institutions (Maintenance), Bureau of Mines, to 31st March, 1911.
- 56. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$5,556 be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Public Institutions (Maintenance), Provincial Museum, to 31st March, 1911.
- 57. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$118,110 be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Public Institutions (Maintenance), Hospital for the Insane, New Westminster and Vernon, to 31st March, 1911.
- 58. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$15,940 be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Public Institutions (Maintenance), Provincial Home, Kamloops, to 31st March, 1911.
- 59. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$22,500 be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Public Institutions (Maintenance), Fisheries, to 31st March, 1911.
- 60. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$200,000 be granted to His Majesty to defray the
- expenses of Hospitals and Charities, Grants to Hospitals, to 31st March, 1911.
 61. Reso'ved, That a sum not exceeding \$10,000 be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Hospitals and Charities, Grants to Refuge Homes, Aid Societies, &c., to 31st March, 1911.
- 62. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$500 be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Hospitals and Charities, In aid of Resident Physician, West Coast, to 31st March, 1911.
- 63. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$500 be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Hospitals and Charities, In aid of Resident Physician, Alert Bay, to 31st March, 1911.
- 64. Resolved. That a sum not exceeding \$500 be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Hospitals and Charities, In aid of Resident Physician, Quesnel, to 31st March, 1911.
- 65. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$300 be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Hospitals and Charities, In aid of Resident Physician, 150-Mile House, to 31st March, 1911.
- 66. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$300 be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Hospitals and Charities, In aid of Resident Physician, Salt Spring Island, to 31st March, 1911.

- 67. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$200 be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Hospitals and Charities, In aid of Resident Physician, Trout Lake, to 31st March, 1911.
- 68. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$300 be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Hospitals and Charities, In aid of Resident Physician in Windermere District, to 31st March, 1911.

69. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$300 be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Hospitals and Charities, In aid of Resident Physician, Nobles, to 31st March, 1911.

- 70. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$400 be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Hospitals and Charities, In aid of Resident Physician, Telegraph Creek, to 31st March, 1911.
- 71. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$300 be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Hospitals and Charities, In aid of Resident Physician, Parksville, to 31st March, 1911.
- 72. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$500 be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Hospitals and Charities, In aid of Resident Physician, Van Anda, to 31st March, 1911.
- 73. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$500 be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Hospitals and Charities, In aid of Resident Physician, Quatsino, to 31st March, 1911.
- 74. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$500 be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Hospitals and Charities, In aid of Resident Physician, Atlin, to 31st March, 1911.
- 75. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$300 be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Hospitals and Charities, In aid of Resident Physician, Princeton, to 31st March, 1911.
- 76. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$300 be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Hospitals and Charities, In aid of Resident Physician, Lillooet, to 31st March, 1911.
- 77. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$300 be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Hospitals and Charities, In aid of Resident Physician, Clinton, to 31st March, 1911.
- 78. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$500 be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Hospitals and Charities, In aid of Resident Physician, Denman & Hornby Islands, to 31st March, 1911.
- 79. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$300 be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Hospitals and Charities, In aid of Resident Physician, Chilcotin, to 31st March, 1911.
- 80. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$300 be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Hospitals and Charities, In aid of Resident Physician, Aldermere, to 31st March, 1911.
- 81. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$300 be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Hospitals and Charities, In aid of Resident Physician, Queen Charlotte Islands, to 31st March, 1911.
- 82. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$500 be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Hospitals and Charities, In aid of Resident Physician, Bella Coola, to 31st March, 1911.
- 83. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$300 be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Hospitals and Charities, In aid of Resident Physician, Masset, to 31st March, 1911.
- 84. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$300 be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Hospitals and Charities, In aid of Resident Physician, Nakusp, to 31st March, 1911.
- 85. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$300 be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Hospitals and Charities, In aid of Resident Physician, Fraser Lake, to 31st March, 1911.
- 86. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$300 be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Hospitals and Charities, In aid of Resident Physician, Stewart (Portland Canal), to 31st March, 1911.
- 87. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$14,000 be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Hospitals and Charities, In aid of destitute poor and sick, to 31st March, 1911.
- 88. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$80,000 be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Hospitals and Charities, Assistance, building Hospitals (including \$10,000 for Isolation Hospital), to 31st March, 1911.
- 89. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$20,000 be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Hospitals and Charities, Grant to Tuberculosis Sanitarium, to 31st March, 1911.

- 90. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$26,000 be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Administration of Justice (other than Salaries), Summoning and paying Jurors and Witnesses, to 31st March, 1911.
- 91. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$14,000 be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Administration of Justice (other than Salaries), Prosecution and Interpreters, to 31st March, 1911.
- 92. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$6,500 be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Administration of Justice (other than Salaries), Expenses of Inquests, to 31st March, 1911.
- 93. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$2,000 be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Administration of Justice (other than Salaries), Rewards, to 31st March, 1911.
- 94. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$45,000 be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Administration of Justice (other than Salaries), Keep of Prisoners, to 31st March, 1911.
- 95. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$21,000 be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Administration of Justice (other than Salaries), Special Constables, to 31st March 1911.
- 96. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$45,000 be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Administration of Justice (other than Salaries), Transport of Constables and Prisoners, to 31st March, 1911.
- 97. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$2,000 be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Administration of Justice (other than Salaries), Medical Officers at Gaols (fixed allowances), to 31st March, 1911.
- 98. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$6,050 be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Administration of Justice (other than Salaries), Allowance to Sheriffs (fixed allowances), to 31st March, 1911.
- 99. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$25,000 be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Administration of Justice (other than Salaries), Constitutional litigation and general law costs, to 31st March, 1911.
- 100. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$9,000 be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Administration of Justice (other than Salaries), Miscellaneous, to 31st March, 1911.
- 101. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$15,610 be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Education, Education Office, to 31st March, 1911.
- 102. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$23,652 be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Education, Free Text-book Branch, to 31st March, 1911.
- 103. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$24,700 be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Education, Inspection of Schools, to 31st March, 1911,
- 104. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$10,700 be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Education, Provincial Normal School, to 31st March, 1911.
- 105. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$4,500 be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Education, Education of Deaf and Dumb and Blind, to 31st March, 1911.
- 106. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$10,000 be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Education, Evening Schools, to 31st March, 1911.
- 107. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$656,580 be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Education, Per capita Grant to City, Municipality and Rural School Districts, Schools in E. and N. Railway Belt, and unforeseen requirements, to 31st March, 1911.
- 108. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$2,000 be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Transport, Charges on Remittances, to 31st March, 1911.
- 109. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$45,000 be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Transport, Travelling Expenses of Officers on duty, to 31st March, 1911.
- 110. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$45,000 be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Revenue Services (Collection of Revenue), Commission, Courts of Appeal, Travelling Expenses and Miscellaneous, to 31st March, 1911.
- 111. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$10,000 be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Public Works (Works and Buildings), Repairs to Parliament Buildings, to 31st March, 1911.
- 112. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$12,000 be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Public Works (Works and Buildings), Repairs to Government Buildings throughout the Province, to 31st March, 1911.

113. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$15,000 be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Public Works (Works and Buildings), Hospital for the Insane (repairs), to 31st March, 1911.

114. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$35,000 be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Public Works (Works and Buildings), Hospital for the Insane, Coquitlam farm

houses (including drainage of land, repairs, etc.), to 31st March, 1911.

115. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$150,000 be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Public Works (Works and Buildings), Hospital for the Insane (new), to 31st March, 1911.

116. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$1,000 be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Public Works (Works and Buildings), Provincial Home, Kamloops, to 31st March,

117. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$40,000 be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Public Works (Works and Buildings), Furniture for Government Offices throughout the Province (including \$20,000 for steel fittings in Lands Department vaults), to 31st March, 1911

118. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$25,000 be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Public Works (Works and Buildings), Improvement of Government Grounds,

Victoria, to 31st March, 1911.

119. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$5,000 be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Public Works (Works and Buildings), Improvement of Government Reserves throughout the Province, to 31st March, 1911.

120. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$29,000 be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Public Works (Works and Buildings), Court House, Fernie, to 31st March, 1911.

- 121. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$20,000 be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Public Works (Works and Buildings), Court House, Grand Forks (purchase of site), to 31st March, 1911.
- 122. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$200,000 be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Public Works (Works and Buildings), Court House, Vancouver, to 31st March. 1911.
- 123. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$1,500 be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Public Works (Works and Buildings), Court House, Vancouver (repairs, alterations and care of grounds), to 31st March, 1911.

124. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$20,000 be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Public Works (Works and Buildings), Government Offices, Kaslo, to 31st March,

125. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$18,000 be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Public Works (Works and Buildings), Gaols and Lock-ups throughout the Province (maintenance and repairs), to 31st March, 1911.

126. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$265,000 be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Public Works (Works and Buildings), Public Schools throughout the Province (construction, repairs and furniture \$40,000 of which being conditional), to 31st March, 1911.

127. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$40,000 be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Public Works (Works and Buildings), Provincial Normal School, Vancouver, to 31st March, 1911.

128. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$100,000 be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Public Works (Works and Buildings), Protection of River Banks, to 31st March, 1911.

129. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$5,000 be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Public Works (Government House, Victoria), Repairs to Buildings, Furniture, Fuel, Light, Water, etc., to 31st March, 1911.

130. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$600 be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Public Works (Government House, Victoria), Gardener, to 31st March, 1911.

The Chairman reported the Resolutions. Report to be considered at the next sitting of the House. Committee to sit again at the next sitting.

On the second reading of Bill (No 40) intituled "An Act to ratify an Agreement bearing Date the Seventeenth Day of January, A. D. 1910, between His Majesty the King and the Canadian Northern Railway Company" a debate arose, which was adjourned until to-morrow.

On the second reading of Bill (No. 42) intituled "An Act to ratify an Agreement bearing Date the Twenty-eighth Day of February, 1910, between His Majesty the King and the Kettle River Valley Railway Company" a debate arose, which was adjourned until to-morrow.

Resolved, That the House, at its rising, do stand adjourned until eight o'clock this evening.

And then the House adjourned at 6:15 P.M.

Tuesday, March 1st, 1910.

EIGHT O'CLOCK, P.M.

The House proceeded to the Orders of the Day.

Pursuant to Order the House again resolved itself into Committee of Supply.

(IN THE COMMITTEE.)

- 131. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$57,255 be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Public Works (Roads, Streets, Bridges and Wharves), Alberni District, to 31st March, 1911.
- 132. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$22,000 be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Public Works (Roads, Streets, Bridges and Wharves), Atlin District, to 31st March, 1911.
- 133. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$100,000 be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Public Works (Roads, Streets, Bridges and Wharves), Cariboo District \$69,500; Cariboo Main Road, Sections 5 and 6, \$30,500, to 31st March, 1911.
- 134. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$45,000 be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Public Works (Roads, Streets, Bridges and Wharves), Chilliwhack District, to 31st March, 1911.
- 135. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$45,000 be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Public Works (Roads, Streets, Bridges and Wharves), Columbia District, to 31st March, 1911.
- 136. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$65,000 be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Public Works (Roads, Streets, Bridges and Wharves), Comox District, to 31st March, 1911.
- 137. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$22,000 be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Public Works (Roads, Streets, Bridges and Wharves), Cowichan District, to 31st March, 1911.
- 138. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$65,000 be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Public Works (Roads, Streets, Bridges and Wharves), Cranbrook District, to 31st March, 1911.
- 139. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$40,000 be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Public Works (Roads, Streets, Bridges and Wharves), Delta District, to 31st March, 1911.
- 140. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$100,000 be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Public Works (Roads, Streets, Bridges and Wharves), Dewdney District (including \$27,225 for Trunk Road), to 31st March, 1911.

141. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$45,000 be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Public Works (Roads, Streets, Bridges and Wharves), Esquimalt District, to 31st March, 1911.

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- 142. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$65,000 be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Public Works (Roads, Streets, Bridges and Wharves), Fernie District, to 31st March, 1911.
- 143. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$30,200 be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Public Works (Roads, Streets, Bridges and Wharves), Grand Forks District, to 31st March, 1911.
- 144. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$30,200 be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Public Works (Roads, Streets, Bridges and Wharves), Greenwood District, to 31st March, 1911.
- 145. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$20,000 be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Public Works (Roads, Streets, Bridges and Wharves), The Islands District, to 31st March, 1911.
- 146. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$66,950 be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Public Works (Roads, Streets, Bridges and Wharves), Kamloops District, to 31st March, 1911.
- 147. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$56,300 be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Public Works (Roads, Streets, Bridges and Wharves), Kaslo District, to 31st March, 1911.
- 148. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$70,900 be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Public Works (Roads, Streets, Bridges and Wharves), Lillooet District, \$43,900; Cariboo Main Trunk Road, Sections 3 and 4, \$25,000; Lillooet-Lytton Road \$2,000, to 31st March, 1911.
- 149. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$10,000 be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Public Works (Roads, Streets, Bridges and Wharves), Nanaimo City District, to 31st March, 1911.
- 150. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$20,000 be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Public Works (Roads, Streets, Bridges and Wharves), Newcastle District, to 31st March, 1911.
- 151. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$120,000 be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Public Works (Roads, Streets, Bridges and Wharves), Okanagan District, to 31st March, 1911.
- 152. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$56,000 be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Public Works (Roads, Streets, Bridges and Wharves), Revelstoke District, to 31st March, 1911.
- 153. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$107,500 be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Public Works (Roads, Streets, Bridges and Wharves), Richmond District, to 31st March, 1911.
- 154. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$100,800 be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Public Works (Roads, Streets, Bridges and Wharves), Similkameen District, to 31st March, 1911.
- 155. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$150,000 be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Public Works (Roads, Streets, Bridges and Wharves), Skeena District, to 31st March, 1911.
- 156. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$65,000 be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Public Works (Roads, Streets, Bridges and Wharves), Slocan District, to 31st March, 1911.
- 157. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$70,000 be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Public Works (Roads, Streets, Bridges and Wharves), Yale District, \$68,000; Lillooet-Lytton Road, \$2,000, to 31st March, 1911.
- 158. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$75,000 be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Public Works (Roads, Streets, Bridges and Wharves), Ymir District, to 31st March, 1911.
- 159. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$150,000 be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Public Works (Roads, Streets, Bridges and Wharves), Vancouver Island Trunk Road, to 31st March, 1911.

- 160. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$100,000 be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Public Works (Roads, Streets, Bridges and Wharves), Roads, Point Grey, to 31st March, 1911.
- 161. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$40,000 be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Public Works (Roads, Streets, Bridges and Wharves), Road Machinery, to 31st March, 1911.
- 162. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$25,000 be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Public Works (Roads, Streets, Bridges and Wharves), Bridge, Fraser River, Lillooet, to 31st March, 1911.
- 163. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$41,000 be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Public Works (Roads, Streets, Bridges and Wharves), Bridge, Fraser River, New Westminster, Maintenance, \$16,000; Painting, \$25,000, to 31st March, 1911.
- 164. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$250,000 be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Public Works (Roads, Streets, Bridges and Wharves), Bridge across Second Narrows, Burrard Inlet (conditional), to 31st March, 1911.
- 165. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$349,500 be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Public Works (Roads, Streets, Bridges and Wharves), Bridges throughout the Province, to 31st March, 1911.
- 166. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$80,000 be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Public Works (Roads, Streets, Bridges and Wharves), Wharves generally, to 31st March, 1911.
- 167. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$45,000 be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Public Works (Roads, Streets, Bridges and Wharves), Location of Roads, to 31st March, 1911.
- 168. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$20,000 be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Public Works (Roads, Streets, Bridges and Wharves), Roads and Improvements to Prince Rupert Water Front, to 31st March, 1911.
- 169. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$2,500 be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Public Works (Subsidies to Steamboates, Ferries and Bridges), Steamboat, Columbia River, above Revelstoke, to 31st March, 1911.
- 170. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$600 be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Public Works (Subsidies to Steamboats, Ferries and Bridges), Steamboat, Shuswap Lake, to 31st March, 1911.
- 171. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$1,250 be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Public Works (Subsidies to Steamboats, Ferries and Bridges), Steamboat, Columbia River, above Golden, to 31st March, 1911.
- 172. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$1,000 be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Public Works (Subsidies to Steamboats, Ferries and Bridges), Steamboat, Dog Lake, Similkameen, to 31st March, 1911.
- 173. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$1,000 be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Public Works (Subsidies to Steamboats, Ferries and Bridges), Ferry, Kelowna, to 31st March, 1911.
- 174. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$1,000 be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Public Works (Subsidies to Steamboats, Ferries and Bridges), Ferry, East Summerland, to 31st March, 1911.
- 175. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$720 be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Public Works (Subsidies to Steamboats, Ferries and Bridges), Ferry, Pitt River, to 31st March, 1911.
- 176. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$350 be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Public Works (Subsidies to Steamboats, Ferries and Bridges), Ferry, Goldstream, Columbia River, to 31st March, 1911.
- 177. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$600 be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Public Works (Subsidies to Steamboats, Ferries and Bridges), Ferry, Canoe River, to 31st March, 1911.
- 178. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$500 be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Public Works (Subsidies to Steamboats, Ferries and Bridges), Ferry, Fraser River at Quesnel, to 31st March, 1911.

179. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$1,800 be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Public Works (Subsidies to Steamboats, Ferries and Bridges), Ferry, Fraser River at Churn Creek (including new scow), to 31st March, 1911.

180. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$600 be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Public Works (Subsidies to Steamboats, Ferries and Bridges), Ferry, Fraser River

at Soda Creek, to 31st March, 1911.

181. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$300 be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Public Works (Subsidies to Steamboats, Ferries and Bridges), Ferry, Fraser River at 20-Mile Post, above Lillooet, to 31st March, 1911.

182. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$300 be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Public Works (Subsidies to Steamboats, Ferries and Bridges), Ferry, Fraser River

at Big Bar, to 31st March, 1911.

183. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$300 be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Public Works (Subsidies to Steamboats, Ferries and Bridges), Ferry, Fraser River at High Bar, to 31st March, 1911.

184. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$400 be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Public Works (Subsidies to Steamboats, Ferries and Bridges), Ferry, Fraser River

above Lytton, to 31st March, 1911.

185. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$600 be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Public Works (Subsidies to Steamboats, Ferries and Bridges), Ferry, Fraser River at Agassiz, to 31st March, 1911.

186. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$600 be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Public Works (Subsidies to Steamboats, Ferries and Bridges), Ferry, Fraser River

at Harrison and Chilliwhack, to 31st March, 1911.

187. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$600 be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Public Works (Subsidies to Steamboats, Ferries and Bridges), Ferry, Fraser River at Hope, to 31st March, 1911.

188. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$400 be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Public Works (Subsidies to Steamboats, Ferries and Bridges), Ferry, Fraser River

at Ruby Creek, to 31st March, 1911.

189. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$500 be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Public Works (Subsidies to Steamboats, Ferries and Bridges), Ferry, Columbia River, Spillimachene, to 31st March, 1911.

190. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$500 be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Public Works (Subsidies to Steamboats, Ferries and Bridges), Ferry, Columbia

River at Trail, to 31st March, 1911.

- 191. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$600 be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Public Works (Subsidies to Steamboats, Ferries and Bridges), Ferry, Kootenay River at Lewis, to 31st March, 1911.
- 192. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$1,000 be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Public Works (Subsidies to Steamboats, Ferries and Bridges), Ferry, Bear River, Portland Canal, to 31st March, 1911.
- 193. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$720 be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Public Works (Bridge Tenders), Bridge, Eburne, to 31st March, 1911.
- 194. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$360 be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Public Works (Bridge Tenders), Bridge, Kamloops (2), to 31st March, 1911.
- 195. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$300,000 be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Public Works (Surveys and Improvement of Lands), Surveys of Lands, to 31st March, 1911.
- 196. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$25,000 be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Public Works (Surveys and Improvement of Lands), Construction of sewers in Prince Rupert Townsite, to 31st March, 1911.
- 197. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$100,000 be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Public Works (Contingencies), Contingencies for Roads, Streets, Bridges and Wharves, to 31st March, 1911.
 - 198. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$20,000 be granted to His Majesty to defray

the expenses of Miscellaneous, Advertising, to 31st March, 1911.

199. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$25,000 be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Miscellaneous, Stationery, to 31st March, 1911.

200. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$18,000 be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Miscellaneous, Postage and Expressage, to 31st March, 1911.

201. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$9,000 be granted to His Majesty to defray

the expenses of Miscellaneous, Telegrams, to 31st March, 1911.

202. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$7,500 be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Miscellaneous, Telephone Service, to 31st March, 1911.

203. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$17,000 be granted to His Majesty to defray

the expenses of Miscellaneous, Fuel and Light, to 31st March, 1911.

204. Resolved. That a sum not exceeding \$4,500 be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Miscellaneous, Library (Legislative), to 31st March, 1911.

205. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$1,500 be granted to His Majesty to defray

the expenses of Miscellaneous, Library (Departmental), to 31st March, 1911.

206. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$1,500 be granted to His Majesty to defray

the expenses of Miscellaneous, Library (Travelling), to 31st March, 1911.

- 207. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$30,000 be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Miscellaneous, Provincial Board of Health, including salaries, to 31st March, 1911.
- 208. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$20,000 be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Miscellaneous, Game Protection, including salaries and expenses, to 31st March, 1911.

209. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$34,500 be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Miscellaneous, Log-scaling, including salaries and expenses, to 31st March, 1911.

210. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$8,000 be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Miscellaneous, Purchase of two Launches for Log-scalers, to 31st March, 1911. 211. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$12,000 be granted to His Majesty to defray

the expenses of Miscellaneous, In aid of Farmers' Institutes, to 31st March, 1911.

212. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$50,000 be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Miscellaneous, Agricultural Associations, to 31st March, 1911.

213. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$2,500 be granted to His Majesty to defray

the expenses of Miscellaneous, Fruit-Growers' Association, to 31st March, 1911.

214. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$10,000 be granted to His Majesty to defray

the expenses of Miscellaneous, Fruit Exhibitions, to 31st March, 1911.

215. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$20,000 be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Miscellaneous, Department of Agriculture, including inspection of orchards, preservation of fruit, etc., to 31st March, 1911.

216. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$2,500 be granted to His Majesty to defray

the expenses of Miscellaneous, Dairymen's Association, to 31st March, 1911.

217. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$250 be granted to His Majesty to defray the

expenses of Miscellaneous, Flockmasters' Association, to 31st March, 1911.
218. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$5,000 be granted to His Majesty to defray

- the expenses of Miscellaneous, Board of Horticulture (travelling expenses, etc.), to 31st March, 1911.
- 219. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$2,500 be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Miscellaneous, Poultry Shows, to 31st March, 1911.

220. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$2,500 be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Miscellaneous, British Columbia Stock-Breeders, to 31st March, 1911.

221. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$10,000 be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Miscellaneous, Experimental Orchards, to 31st March, 1911.

222. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$15,000 be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Miscellaneous, Refunds, to 31st March, 1911.

223. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$1,000 be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Miscellaneous, Premiums on Guarantee Bonds, to 31st March, 1911.

224. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$10,000 be granted to His Majesty to defray

the expenses of Miscellaneous, Lithographing Maps (revote), to 31st March, 1911.

225. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$25,000 be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Miscellaneous, Destruction of Wolves, Panthers, Coyotes, etc., to 31st March, 1911.

226. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$3,500 be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Miscellaneous, Coal-Miners' Examinations (allowance to Examiners and Secretaries), to 31st March, 1911.

227. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$75,000 be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Miscellaneous, Forest Protection, to 31st March, 1911.

228. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$1,500 be granted to His Majesty to defray

the expenses of Miscellaneous, In aid of Militia, to 31st March, 1911.

229. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$2,500 be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Miscellaneous, In aid of Provincial Rifle Associations, to 31st March, 1911.

250. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$200 be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Miscellaneous, Grant to Canadian Forestry Association, to 31st March, 1911.

231. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$6,000 be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Miscellaneous, Grant to City of Rossland, to 31st March, 1911.

232. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$1,000 be granted to His Majesty to defray

the expenses of Miscellaneous, Grant to City of Phœnix, to 31st March, 1911.

233. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$500 be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Miscellaneous, Society for Prevention of Cruelty to Animals, to 31st March, 1911.

234. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$1,500 be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Miscellaneous, Interest on Suitors' Fund Deposits, to 31st March, 1911.

235. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$3,500 be granted to His Majesty to defray

the expenses of Miscellaneous, Rents, to 31st March, 1911.

236. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$300 be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Miscellaneous, In aid of communication with Remote Settlements, Alert Bay to Kingcome Inlet, to 31st March, 1911.

237. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$10,000 be granted to His Majesty to defray

the expenses of Miscellaneous, Revision of Statutes (revote), to 31st March, 1911.

238. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$10,000 be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Miscellaneous, Commission to investigate timber and forestry matters, to 31st March, 1911.

239. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$30,000 be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Miscellaneous, Board of Investigation "Water Act," to 31st March, 1911.

240. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$1,000 be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Miscellaneous, Grant to Canadian Mining Institute, to 31st March, 1911.

241. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$3,000 be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Miscellaneous, Insurance Commission, to 31st March, 1911.

242. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$3,000 be granted to His Majesty to defray

the expenses of Miscellaneous, University Commission, to 31st March, 1911.

243. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$2,000 be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Miscellaneous, Civil Service Commissioners, Examiners and Registrar, under "Public Service Act," to 31st March, 1911.

244. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$2,000 be granted to His Majesty to defray

the expenses of Miscellaneous, Grant to Irrigation Convention, to 31st March, 1911.

245. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$5,000 be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Miscellaneous, Purchase of Launch for use of Boiler Inspectors, to 31st March, 1911.

246. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$2,500 be granted to His Majesty to defray

the expenses of Miscellaneous, Collecting Archives, to 31st March, 1911.

247. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$3,500 be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Miscellaneous, Inspection under the "Electrical Energy Inspection Act" (including salary and travelling expenses of Inspector), to 31st March, 1911.

248. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$2,500 be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Miscellaneous, Inspection of Tramways (including salary and expenses of

Inspector), to 31st March, 1911.

249. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$20,000 be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Miscellaneous, Contribution towards cost of sea-wall, Victoria (conditional), to 31st March, 1911.

250. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$30,000 be granted to His Majesty to defray

the expenses of Miscellaneous, not detailed in Estimates, to 31st March, 1911.

251. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$14,700 be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Miscellaneous (Superannuation), G. Cowan, 12 months @ \$20 = \$240; C. H. F. Blake, 12 months @ \$25 = \$300; H. O. Wellburn, 12 months @ \$25 = \$300; J. Sage, 12 months @ \$25 = \$300; S. B. Green, 12 months @ \$30 = \$360; A. O'Connor, 12 months @

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- \$40 = \$480; E. J. Parsons, 12 months @ \$40 = \$480; B. Marshall, 12 months @ \$40 = \$480; A. Holmes, 12 months @ \$50 = \$600; S. Drake, 12 months @ \$50 = \$600; W. Stephenson, 12 months @ \$55 = \$660; A. Stevenson, 12 months @ \$60 = \$720; C. E. Holt, 12 months @ \$65 = 780; G. Murray, 12 months @ \$65 = \$780; F. X. Martin, 12 months @ \$65 = \$780; A. Dick, 12 months @ \$75 = \$900; G. C. Tunstall, 12 months @ \$75 = \$900; J. R. Anderson, 12 months @ \$75 = \$900; J. K. Worsfold, 12 months @ \$75 = \$900; W. Gordon, 12 months @ \$80 = \$960; M. Bray, 12 months @ \$90 = \$1,080; W. S. Gore, 12 months @ \$100 = \$1,200, to 31st March, 1911.
- 252. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$15,000 be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Miscellaneous (Agent-General's Office, London), Salary of Agent-General, in-

cluding clerical assistance, rent of office, etc., 12 months, to 31st March, 1911.

253. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$35,000 be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Miscellaneous (Immigration), Miscellaneous Requirements, to 31st March, 1911.

3. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$900 be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Public Debt, Premium and Exchange (additional to \$1,800 voted), to 31st March, 1910.

5. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$66,030 be granted to His Majesty to defray the

expenses of Public Debt (Redemption of Debentures), to 31st March, 1910.

- 10. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$3,542.50 be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Civil Government (Salaries), Department of Finance and Agriculture, to 31st March, 1910.
- 12. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$2,553.33 be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Civil Government (Salaries), Public Works Department, to 31st March, 1910.
 - 14. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$900 be granted to His Majesty to defray the

expenses of Civil Government (Salaries), Land Registry Offices, to 31st March, 1910.

- 30. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$2,768.33 be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Civil Government (Salaries), Administrative Staff, Cassiar Agencies, to 31st March, 1910.
- 36. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$510 be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Civil Government (Salaries), Administrative Staff, Nicola Agency, to 31st March, 1910.
- 38. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$26,000 be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Civil Government (Salaries), Temporary Assistance (additional to \$15,000 voted), to 31st March, 1910.
- 41. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$3,000 be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Administration of Justice (Salaries), Provincial Police, to 31st March, 1910.
- 51. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$500 be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Legislation, Registration of Voters (additional to \$1,000 voted), to 31st March, 1910.
- 52. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$46,500 be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Legislation, Expenses of Elections (additional to \$1,000 voted), to 31st March,
- 53. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$1,800 be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Legislation, Contingent Fund (additional to \$2,000 voted), to 31st March, 1910.
- 54. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$14,000 be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Public Institutions (Maintenance), Printing Office, Victoria staff and maintenance, including purchase of paper for revision of Statutes (additional to \$31,000 voted), to 31st March, 1910.
- 55. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$1,500 be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Public Institutions (Maintenance), Bureau of Mines (additional to \$2,500 voted), to 31st March, 1910.
- 56. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$500 be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Public Institutions (Maintenance), Provincial Museum (additional to \$1,200 voted), to 31st March, 1910.
- 57. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$9,600 be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Public Institutions (Maintenance), Hospital for the Insane, New Westminster, staff and maintenance (additional to \$97,620,) voted to 31st March, 1910.

87. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$4,000 be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Hospitals and Charities, in aid of destitute poor and sick (additional to \$10,000 voted), to 31st March, 1910.

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90. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$1,000 be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Administration of Justice (other than Salaries), Summoning and paying Jurors

and Witnesses (additional to \$25,000 voted), to 31st March, 1910.

91. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$5,000 be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Administration of Justice (other than Salaries), Prosecution and Interpreters (additional to \$9,000 voted), to 31st March, 1910.

92. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$2,500 be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Administration of Justice (other than Salaries), Expenses of Inquests (additional

to \$4,000 voted), to 31st March, 1910.

- 94. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$5,000 be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Administration of Justice (other than salaries), Keep of Prisoners (additional to \$40,000 voted), to 31st March, 1910.
- 96. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$5,000 be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Administration of Justice (other than Salaries), Transport of Constables and Prisoners (additional to \$40,000 voted), to 31st March, 1910.
- 99. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$15,000 be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Administration of Justice (other than Salaries), Constitutional litigation and general law costs (additional to \$15,000 voted), to 31st March, 1910.
- 100. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$1,000 be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Administration of Justice (other than Salaries), Miscellaneous (additional to \$8,000 voted), to 31st March, 1910.

101. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$700 be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Education, Education office (additional to \$12,500 voted), to 31st March, 1910.

- 104. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$100 be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Education, Provincial Normal School (additional to \$7,620 voted), to 31st March, 1910.
- 108. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$10,000 be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Transport, Travelling expenses of Officers on Duty (additional to \$35,000 voted), to 31st March, 1910.
- 109. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$50,000 be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Revenue Services, Commission, Courts of Appeal, etc. (additional to \$40,000

voted), to 31st March, 1910.

- 110. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$20,000 be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Public Works (Works and Buildings), Repairs to Parliament Buildings (additional to \$3,000 voted), to 31st March, 1910.
- 111. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$10,000 be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Public Works (Works and Buildings), Repairs to Government Buildings throughout the Province (additional to \$7,725 voted), to 31st March, 1910.
- 112. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$3,000 be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Public Works (Works and Buildings), Hospital for the Insane, repairs (additional

to \$8,000 voted), to 31st March, 1910.

115. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$10,000 be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Public Works (Works and Buildings), Furniture for Government offices throughout the Province (additional to \$5,000 voted), to 31st March, 1910.

116. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$119,000 be granted to His Majesty to defray. the expenses of Public Works (Works and Buildings), Improvement of Government Grounds, Victoria, including purchase of lots adjoining Government Grounds, (additional to \$7,000 voted), to 31st March, 1910.

117. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$1,000 be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Public Works (Works and Buildings), Improvement of Government Reserves

throughout the Province (additional to \$3,000 voted), to 31st March, 1910.

118. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$10,000 be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Public Works (Works and Buildings), Court House, Fernie, re-building (additional to \$25,000 voted), to 31st March, 1910.

118A. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$6,500 be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Public Works (Works and Buildings), Court House, Kamloops, retaining wall, etc., to 31st March, 1910.

120. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$900 be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Public Works (Works and Buildings), Court House, Vancouver, repairs, alterations, etc. (additional to \$1,500 voted), to 31st March, 1910.

122. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$6,400 be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Public Works (Works and Buildings), Land Registry Office, New Westminster

(additional to \$25,000 voted), to 31st March, 1910.

125. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$13,500 be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Public Works (Works and Buildings), Gaols and Lock-ups throughout the Province, Maintenance and repairs (additional to \$8,000 voted), to 31st March, 1910.

127. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$15,000 be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Public Works (Works and Buildings), Normal School, Vancouver (additional

to \$54,000 voted), to 31st March, 1910.

127A. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$14,400 be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Public Works (Works and Buildings), Purchase of site for new Court House, Vernon, to 31st March, 1910.

128. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$16,500 be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Public Works (Government House, Victoria), Repairs to Buildings, etc., including purchase of lots adjoining grounds (additional to \$5,000 voted), to 31st March, 1910.

130. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$2,000 be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Public Works (Roads, Streets, Bridges and Wharves), Alberni District

additional to \$28,000 voted), to 31st March, 1910.

132. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$8,000 be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Public Works (Roads, Streets, Bridges and Wharves), Cariboo District (additional to \$45,000 voted), to 31st March, 1910.

133. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$8,000 be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Public Works (Roads, Streets Bridges and Wharves), Chilliwhack District

(additional to \$19,800 voted), to 31st March, 1910.

135. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$1,000 be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Public Works (Roads, Streets, Bridges and Wharves), Comox District (additional to \$33,500 voted), to 31st March, 1910.

136. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$1,300 be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Public Works (Roads, Streets, Bridges and Wharves), Cowiehan District

(additional to \$11,860 voted), to 31st March, 1910.

137. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$1,000 be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Public Works (Roads, Streets, Bridges and Wharves), Cranbrook District (additional to \$25,000 voted), to 31st March, 1910.

138. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$2,000 be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Public Works (Roads, Streets, Bridges and Wharves), Delta District (addi-

tional to \$15,850 voted), to 31st March, 1910.

139. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$500 be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Public Works (Roads, Streets, Bridges and Wharves), Dewdney District (additional to \$55,000 voted), to 31st March, 1910.

140. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$5,000 be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Public Works (Roads, Streets, Bridges and Wharves), Esquimalt District

(additional to \$25,000 voted), to 31st March, 1910.

141. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$1,000 be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Public Works (Roads, Streets. Bridges and Wharves), Fernie District (additional to \$28,000 voted), to 31st March, 1910.

142. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$3,000 be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Public Works (Roads, Streets, Bridges and Wharves), Grand Forks District

(additional to \$14,250 voted), to 31st March, 1910.

143. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$500 be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Public Works (Roads, Streets, Bridges and Wharves), Greenwood District (additional to \$10,800 voted), to 31st March, 1910.

145. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$2,000 be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Public Works (Roads, Streets, Bridges and Wharves), Kamloops District

(additional to \$35,000 voted), to 31st March, 1910.

146. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$700 be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Public Works (Roads, Streets, Bridges and Wharves), Kaslo District (additional to \$40,000 voted), to 31st March, 1910.

147. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$1,500 be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Public Works (Roads, Streets, Bridges and Wharves), Lillooet District (additional to \$37,000 voted), to 31st March, 1910.

149. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$2,000 be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Public Works (Roads, Streets, Bridges and Wharves), Newcastle District

(additional to \$13,000 voted), to 31st March, 1910.

150. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$9,500 be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Public Works (Roads, Streets, Bridges and Wharves), Okanagan District (additional to \$80,000 voted), to 31st March, 1910.

151. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$6,500 be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Public Works (Roads, Streets, Bridges and Wharves), Revelstoke District

(additional to \$35,000 voted), to 31st March, 1910.

152. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$3,000 be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Public Works (Roads, Streets, Bridges and Wharves), Richmond District (additional to \$30,000 voted), to 31st March, 1910.

154. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$20,000 be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Public Works (Roads, Streets, Bridges and Wharves), Skeena District (addi-

tional to \$75,000 voted), to 31st March, 1910.

155. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$500 be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Public Works (Roads, Streets, Bridges and Wharves), Slocan District (additional to \$40,175 voted), to 31st March, 1910.

157. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$500 be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Public Works (Roads, Streets, Bridges and Wharves), Ymir District (additional

to \$50,000 voted), to 31st March, 1910.

158. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$56,000 be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Public Works (Roads, Streets, Bridges and Wharves), Vancouver Island Trunk Road (additional to \$35,000 voted), to 31st March, 1910.

159. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$9,600 be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Public Works (Roads, Streets, Bridges and Wharves), Roads in South Van-

couver and Point Grey (additional to \$75,000 voted), to 31st March, 1910.

163. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$54,000 be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Public Works (Roads, Streets, Bridges and Wharves), Bridge, Fraser River, New Westminster (additional to \$40,000 voted), to 31st March, 1910.

164. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$198,000 be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Public Works (Roads, Streets, Bridges and Wharves), Bridges throughout

the Province (additional to \$225,000 voted), to 31st March, 1910.

166. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$20,000 be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Public Works (Roads, Streets, Bridges and Wharves), Location of Roads (additional to \$25,000 voted), to 31st March, 1910.

174. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$2,400 be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Public Works (Subsidies to Steamboats, Ferries and Bridges), Ferry, Canoe

River (additional to \$1,240 voted), to 31st March, 1910.

- 189. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$91,000 be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Public Works (Surveys and Improvement of Lands), Construction of Roads, Sewers, etc., in Prince Rupert Townsite (the Grand Trunk Pacific Railway Company have agreed to refund 75% of \$275,000 of this vote) (additional to \$200,000 voted), to 31st March, 1910.
- 191. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$70,000 be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Public Works (Contingencies), Contingencies for Roads, Streets, Bridges and Wharves (additional to \$100,000 voted), to 31st March, 1910.

The Chairman reported the Resolutions.

Report to be considered at the next sitting of the House.

Committee to sit again at the next sitting.

On the motion of Mr. Hawthornthwaite, the following Bills were introduced, read a first time and Ordered to be read a second time to-morrow:—

Bill (No. 35) intituled "An Act respecting Compensation to Workmen for Accidental Injuries suffered in the course of their Employment."

Bill (No. 45) intituled "An Act to amend the Health Act."

Bill (No. 46) intituled "An Act to Establish a General Eight-hour Day."

Resolved, That the House, at its rising, do stand adjourned until two o'clock to-morrow.

And then the House adjourned at 11:55 P.M.

Wednesday, March 2nd, 1910.

Two o'clock, P.M.

Prayers by the Rev. Joseph McCoy.

The Reports on the following Bills were adopted, and said Bills read a third time and passed:—

Bill (No. 51) intituled "An Act to Incorporate the Port Moody, Indian River and Northern Railway Company."

Bill (No. 53) intituled "An Act to Incorporate the Queen Charlotte Railway Company." Bill (No. 63) intituled "An Act to Incorporate the Island Valley Railway Company."

Bill (No. 52) intituled "An Act to revive, ratify and confirm the 'Vancouver and Nicola Valley Railway Company Act, 1908,'" was committed.

Reported with amendments.

Report to be considered at next sitting.

Mr. Hawthornthwaite asked the Hon. the Chief Commissioner of Lands the following questions:--

- 1. What is the total acreage of British Columbia?
- 2. How much of it is arable?
- 3. How much of it is under cultivation?
- 4. How much is held, untilled, by railways, land companies and other private owners?
- 5. How many acres are still open to free home-steading or purchase?
- 6. Is it the intention of the Government to survey and open up for settlement unoccupied and accessible lands in the Province?
 - 7. How many acres are tied up with timber leases?
 - 8. How many acres of coal lands are staked?

The Hon. Mr. Price Ellison replied as follows:-

- "1. Estimated at two hundred and fifty-five million four hundred thousand acres.
- "2, 3 and 4. Impossible to give figures."
- "5. No land open to homestead, but all unalienated, unreserved Crown land open to purchase and pre-emption.

"6. This is being done as fast as surveyors can be got into the districts.

"7. The acreage under timber lease, including that under pulp lease and hemlock lease, totals one million four hundred and seventy-eight thousand eight hundred and twenty-two.

"8. Impossible to give figures."

Bill ((No. 66) intituled "An Act to revive, ratify and confirm the incorporation of the Graham Island Railway Company" was again committed.

Reported with amendments.

Report to be considered at next sitting.

Bill (No. 54) intituled "An Act respecting the Salvation Army" was again committed. Reported with amendment.

Report to be considered at the next sitting.

Bill (No. 68) intituled "An Act to Incorporate the Western Union Fire Insurance Company" was committed.

Reported with amendments.

Report to be considered at next sitting.

The House again resolved itself into Committee of Supply.

(IN THE COMMITTEE)

192. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$35,000 be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Miscellaneous, Advertising (additional to \$11,000 voted), to 31st March, 1910.

193. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$4,000 be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Miscellaneous, Stationery (additional to \$20,000 voted), to 31st March, 1910.

194. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$3,500 be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Miscellaneous, Postage and Expressage (additional to \$14,000 voted), to 31st March, 1910.

195. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$2,000 be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Miscellaneous, Telegrams (additional to \$7,000 voted), to 31st March, 1910.

196. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$1,500 be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Miscellaneous, Telephone Service (additional to \$6,000 voted), to 31st March, 1910.

197. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$4,000 be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Miscellaneous, Fuel and Light (additional to \$14,000 voted), to 31st March, 1910.

199. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$1,000 be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Miscellaneous, Library—Departmental (additional to \$750 voted), to 31st March, 1910.

201. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$5,000 be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Miscellaneous, Provincial Board of Health, including salaries (additional to \$18,000 voted), to 31st March, 1910.

203. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$13,000 be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Miscellaneous, Log-scaling, including salaries and expenses (additional to

\$20,000 voted). to 31st March, 1910.

204. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$2,200 be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Miscellaneous, In aid of Farmers' Institutes (additional to \$7,000 voted), to 31st March, 1910.

208. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$1,000 be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Miscellaneous, Department of Agriculture (additional to \$10,000 voted), to 31st March, 1910.

209. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$500 be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Miscellaneous, Dairymen's Association (additional to \$500 voted), to 31st March, 1910.

209A. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$1,000 be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Miscellaneous, Stock-Breeders' Association, to 31st March, 1910.

217. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$3,000 be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Miscellaneous, Refunds (additional to \$12,000 voted), to 31st March, 1910.

220. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$10,000 be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Miscellaneous, Destruction of Wolves, Panthers and Coyotes (additional to \$15,000 voted), to 31st March, 1910.

221. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$1,250 be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Miscellaneous, Coal-Miners' Examinations (additional to \$2,500 voted), to 31st March, 1910.

222. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$9,000 be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Miscellaneous, Forest Protection (additional to \$37,000 voted), to 31st March, 1910.

226. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$500 be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Miscellaneous, Grant to City of Rossland (additional to \$3,000 voted), to 31st March, 1910.

227. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$300 be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Miscellaneous, Grant to City of Phænix (additional to \$500 voted), to 31st March, 1910.

229. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$1,000 be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Miscellaneous, Interest on Suitors' Fund Deposits (additional to \$500 voted), to 31st March, 1910.

230. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$2,000 be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Miscellaneous, Rents (additional to \$3,000 voted), to 31st March, 1910.

233. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$2,500 be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Miscellaneous, Commission to investigate timber and forestry matters (additional to \$5,000 voted), to 31st March, 1910.

235. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$8,000 be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Miscellaneous, Salary increases under "Public Service Act" (additional to \$25,000

voted), to 31st March, 1910.

235A. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$11,640 be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Miscellaneous, Grading Commissioners under "Public Service Act" (including travelling expenses), to 31st March, 1910.

travelling expenses), to 31st March, 1910.
235B. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$1,800 be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Miscellaneous, Grant to City of Ladysmith for expenses connected with epidemic of small-pox, to 31st March, 1910.

235c. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$500 be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Miscellaneous, Grant towards entertaining Japanese Training Squadron, to 31st March, 1910.

235b. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$2,500 be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Miscellaneous, Legal services drawing, revising and settling "Water Act," to 31st March, 1910.

235E. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$500 be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Miscellaneous, Grant towards entertaining members of Alpine Club of Canada, to 31st March, 1910.

235 F. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$500 be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Miscellaneous, Grant to Vancouver Island Development League towards cost of printing pamphlets, to 31st March, 1910.

2356. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$12,500 be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Miscellaneous, Compensation for conveyance of certain lands by William Hogan, to 31st March, 1910.

235H. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$3,520.75 be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Miscellaneous, Grant toward bringing members of British Association from Winnipeg to British Columbia and cost of entertaining, to 31st March, 1910.

235J. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$1,695.50 be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Miscellaneous, Grant to Dominion Educational Association, to 31st March, 1910.

235κ. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$250 be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Miscellaneous, Grant to Local Council of Women towards entertaining delegates from International Congress, to 31st March, 1910.

235L. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$1,806 be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Miscellaneous, Purchase of land damaged by Dyke "A," Ballam's Slough, to 31st March, 1910.

235M. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$755.90 be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Miscellaneous, Expenses of investigating cause of explosion at Extension Mine, to 31st March, 1910.

235n. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$6,013.15 be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Miscellaneous, Cost of printing Voters' Lists, to 31st March, 1910.

2350. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$1,049.50 be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Miscellaneous, Commission re B. C. Fruit and Produce Exchange, to 31st March, 1910.

235p. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$2,000 be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Miscellaneous, Compensation for loss in connection with application to purchase land in Francois Lake District, to 31st March, 1910.

235q. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$330 be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Miscellancous, Gratuity to widow of the late M. J. Knight, to 31st March, 1910.

235g. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$255 be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Miscellaneous, Gratuity to widow of the late R. Holloway, to 31st March, 1910.

235s. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$270 be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Miscellaneous, Gratuity to widow of the late T. R. Mayes, to 31st March, 1910.

235T. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$300 be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Miscellaneous, Gratuity to widow of the late F. L. Wilmer, to 31st March, 1910.

235u. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$225 be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Miscellaneous, Gratuity to widow of the late Jos. Wilson, to 31st March, 1910.

235v. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$480 be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Miscellaneous, Gratuity to widow of the late R. J. Skinner, to 31st March, 1910.

236. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$12,000 be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Miscellaneous, not detailed in Estimates (additional to \$30,000 voted), to 31st March, 1910.

237. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$2,557.50 be granted to His Majesty to defray the expenses of Miscellaneous, Superannuation (additional to \$7,140 voted), to 31st March, 1910.

Schedule A. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$79,671.63 be granted to His Majesty to make good certain sums expended for the Public Service for the year ended 31st March, 1909, and to indemnify the several officers and persons for making such expenditures.

The Chairman reported the Resolutions.

Report to be considered at the next sitting of the House.

Committee to sit again at the next sitting.

The Report on Bill (No. 28) intituled "An Act to amend the Land Registry Act" was adopted.

Third reading at the next sitting.

Bill (No. 20) intituled "An Act regarding the Inspection of Tramways" was committed. Reported with amendments.

Report to be considered at next sitting.

The House resumed the adjourned debate on the second reading of Bill (No. 40) intituled "An Act to ratify an Agreement bearing Date the Seventeenth Day of January, A. D. 1910, between His Majesty the King and the Canadian Northern Railway Company."

After some time spent in debate the same was adjourned until the next sitting of the

House.

Resolved, That the House, at its rising, do stand adjourned until eight o'clock this evening.

And then the House adjourned at 6:10 P.M.

Wednesday, March 2nd, 1910.

EIGHT O'CLOCK, P.M.

The Crown, represented by the Hon. the Premier, having consented, as far as such consent was necessary, to allow the Bill to proceed, Bill (No. 55) intituled "An Act respecting the Great West Permanent Loan Company" was again committed.

Reported with amendments.

Report to be considered to morrow.

Bill (No. 59) intituled "An Act to Incorporate the British Columbia Packers' Association" was committed.

Reported with amendments.

Report to be considered to-morrow.

Bill (No. 28) intituled "An Act to amend the Land Registry Act" was read a third time and passed.

The Report on Bill (No. 20) intituled "An Act regarding the Inspection of Tramways" was adopted.

Third reading to-morrow.

The House resumed the adjourned debate on the second reading of Bill (No. 32) intituled "An Act to Incorporate the City of Prince Rupert."

Bill read a second time.

To be committed to-morrow.

The following Bills were read a second time and *Ordered* to be committed to-morrow:—
Bill (No. 41) intituled "An Act to Incorporate the Canadian Northern Pacific Railway Company."

Bill (No. 21) intituled "An Act for preserving Purchasers of Stock from Losses by Forged Transfers."

Bill (No. 13) intituled "An Act to amend the 'Steam Boilers Inspection Act, 1901.'"

Bill (No. 26) intituled "An Act to amend the 'Dyking Assessments Adjustment Act, 1905."

Bill (No. 34) intituled "An Act to provide for the Inspection of Premises, Works, Wires and Appliances Generating, Transmitting or Supplying Electrical Energy."

Bill (No. 36) intituled "An Act to amend the Supreme Court Act."

Bill (No. 37) intituled "An Act to amend the County Courts Act."

Bill (No. 44) intituled "An Act to amend the 'Midway and Vernon Railway Aid Act, 1902."

Bill (No. 30) intituled "An Act to repeal the 'Commercial Travellers' Licences Act, 1907.'"

Bill (No. 33) intituled "An Act to amend the Fire Inquiry Act," was read a second time on the following division:—

YEAS—29. Messieurs McPhill

McPhillips, Taylor, Miller, Shaw, Thomson, Macgowan, Watson. Jackson, Hamvard, Behnsen. Bowser, Fraser, McGuire. Braden, McBride, Hunter, Manson, M., Cotton, Manson, W. J., Mackay, Ross, Young, Parson, Brewster, Manson, W., Shatford, Ellison, Davey, Tisdall,

Nays-3.

Messieurs

Williams, Hawthornthwaite,

To be committed to-morrow.

The Hon. Mr. McBride presented to Mr. Speaker a Message from His Honour the Lieutenant-Governor, which read as follows:—

THOMAS W. PATERSON,

Lieutenant-Governor.

Jardine,

The Lieutenant-Governor transmits herewith a Bill intituled "An Act to authorise the Repurchase by the Crown of Railway Subsidy Lands," and recommends the same to the Legislative Assembly.

Government House, 2nd March, 1910. Ordered, That the said Message, and the Bill accompanying the same, be referred to a Committee of the Whole House forthwith.

(IN THE COMMITTEE.)

Resolved, That the Committee rise and report to the House, recommending the introducduction of a Bill (No. 48) intituled "An Act to authorise the Repurchase by the Crown of Railway Subsidy Lands," a draft of which is annexed to this Resolution.

Report adopted. Bill introduced and read a first time. Second reading at the next sitting.

The Hon. Mr. Price Ellison presented to Mr. Speaker a Message from His Honour the Lieutenant-Governor, which read as follows:—

THOMAS W. PATERSON,
Lieutenant-Governor.

The Lieutenant-Governor transmits herewith a Bill intituled "An Act to amend the 'Coal-Mines Act,'" and recommends the same to the Legislative Assembly.

Government House, 2nd March, 1910.

Ordered, That the said Message, and the Bill accompanying the same, be referred to a Committee of the Whole House forthwith.

(IN THE COMMITTEE.)

Resolved, That the Committee rise and report to the House, recommending the introduction of a Bill (No. 47) intituled "An Act to amend the 'Coal-Mines Act,'" a draft of which is annexed to this Resolution.

Report adopted.
Bill introduced and read a first time.
Second reading to-morrow afternoon.

On the second reading of Bill (No. 31) intituled "An Act to consolidate and amend the Coal-Mines Regulation Act and amending Acts" a debate arose, which was adjourned until to-morrow.

Resolved, That the House, at its rising, do stand adjourned until two o'clock to-morrow.

And then the House adjourned at 11:30 P.M.

Thursday, March 3rd, 1910.

Two o'clock, P.M.

Prayers by the Rev. J. H. S. Sweet.

Mr. Ross presented the following Reports from the Private Bills Committee:—
REPORT No. 32.

Legislative Committee Room, March 3rd, 1910.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Select Standing Committee on Private Bills and Standing Orders beg leave to report as follows:—

That the time limited for the presentation of reports on Private Bills to the House be extended until the 10th instant.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

Wm. R. Ross, Chairman.

The report was received, the Rules suspended and the report adopted.

REPORT No. 30.

LEGISLATIVE COMMITTEE ROOM, March 3rd, 1910.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Select Standing Committee on Private Bills and Standing Orders beg leave to report as follows:—

That the preamble of Bill (No. 57) intituled "The Oak Bay Act, 1910," has been proved, and the Bill ordered reported with amendments.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

Wm. R. Ross, Chairman.

The report was received.

REPORT No. 31.

Legislative Committee Room, March 3rd, 1910.

Mr. Speaker:

Your Select Standing Committee on Private Bills and Standing Orders beg leave to report as follows:—

Bill (No. 56) "An Act intituled the B. C. Mainland and Coast Industrial Company, Limited, Aid Act, 1910."

Your Committee reports the preamble proved so far as the same relates to the powers requested by the applicants other than railway powers, but recommends that the Bill, so far as the same relates to the railway powers asked for, be referred to the Standing Committee on Railways.

This Committee has considered the clauses of the Bill dealing with powers exclusive of those required for railway purposes, but suggests that sections 2, 6, 10 and 14 considered by this Committee be also considered by the Railway Committee, and further amended if found necessary.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

Wm. R. Ross, Chairman.

The report was received.

On the motion of Mr. Ross, Bill (No. 56) intituled the "B. C. Mainland and Coast Industrial Company Aid Act" was referred to the Standing Committee on Railways.

The following Bills were introduced, read a first time and Ordered to be read a second time at the next sitting of the House:—

By the Hon. Mr. Taylor—Bill (No. 49) intituled "An Act respecting the Construction of Sewers in Unorganised Districts."

By the Hon. Mr. Bowser—Bill (No. 82) intituled "An Act to Validate By-law No. 204 of the City of Nelson passed on the 11th day of October, A. D. 1909."

By Mr. Macgowan—Bill (No. 84) intituled "An Act respecting Dower."

Pursuant to order, the Resolutions reported from Committee of Supply on 28th February, 1st March and 2nd March were received, read a first time and taken as read.

Resolutions read a second time and taken as read.

Resolutions read a third time and taken as read.

Resolutions agreed to.

On the motion of the Honourable the Minister of Finance, seconded by the Honourable the Premier, it was Resolved,—

That this House forthwith resolve itself into a Committee of the Whole to consider the Ways and Means for raising the Supply to be granted to His Majesty.

(In the Committee.)

Resolved, That towards making good the Supply granted to His Majesty, the following sums be granted out of the Consolidated Revenue Fund of the Province of British Columbia:—

\$ 79,671.63 for the nine months ending 31st March, 1909. 1,281,302.46 for the financial year ending 31st March, 1910. 7,738,257.11 for the financial year ending 31st March, 1911.

\$9,099,231.20

The Chairman reported the Resolution. Report received and adopted. Committee to sit again at next sitting.

The Hon. Minister of Finance presented Bill (No. 83) intituled "An Act for granting certain Sums of Money for the Public Service of the Province of British Columbia."

Ordered, That the same be forthwith referred to a Committee of the Whole.

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(IN THE COMMITTEE.)

Resolved, That the Committee rise and report to the House, recommending the introduction of a Bill (No. 83) intituled "An Act for granting certain Sums of Money for the Public Service of the Province of British Columbia," a draft of which is annexed to this Resolution.

Resolution and Bill reported and adopted.

Bill read a first time.

Second reading at the next sitting.

The Hon. Mr. Bowser presented to Mr. Speaker a Message from His Honour the Lieutenant-Governor, which read as follows:—

Thomas W. Paterson, Lieutenant-Governor.

The Lieutenant-Governor transmits herewith a Bill intituled "An Act respecting Liens of Mechanics, Wage-earners, and Others," and recommends the same to the Legislative Assembly.

Government House, 3rd March, 1910. Ordered, That the said Message, and the Bill accompanying the same, be referred to a Committee of the Whole House forthwith.

(IN THE COMMITTEE.)

Resolved, That the Committee rise and report to the House, recommending the introduction of a Bill (No. 81) intituled "An Act respecting Liens of Mechanics, Wage-earners, and Others," a draft of which is annexed to this Resolution.

Resolution and Bill reported.

Bill introduced and read a first time.

Second reading at the next sitting.

The Order for the third reading of Bill (No. 20) intituled "An Act regarding the Inspection of Tramways" was discharged and the Bill recommitted.

Bill reported with amendments.

Report to be considered at next sitting.

On the second reading of Bill (No. 39) intituled "An Act to amend the 'Labour Regulation Act, 1900,'" a debate arose, which was adjourned to the next sitting.

On the second reading of Bill (No. 38) intituled "An Act to amend the 'Inspection of Metalliferous Mines Act, 1899,'" a debate arose, which was adjourned until the next sitting.

The Hon. the Attorney-General presented the Report of the Commissioner of Fisheries for the year 1909.

Bill (No. 14) intituled "An Act to revise and consolidate the 'Companies Act, 1897,' and amending Acts" was again committed.

Progress reported.

Committee to sit again at next sitting.

Bill (No. 32) intituled "An Act to Incorporate the City of Prince Rupert" was committed.

Reported with amendments.

Report to be considered at next sitting.

Resolved, That the House, at its rising, do stand adjourned until eight o'clock this evening.

And then the House adjourned at 6 P.M.

Thursday, March 3rd, 1910.

HALF-PAST EIGHT O'CLOCK.

The Report on Bill (No. 20) intituled "An Act regarding the Inspection of Tramways" was adopted.

Bill read a third time and passed.

The Report on Bill (No. 32) intituled "An Act to Incorporate the City of Prince Rupert" was adopted.

Bill read a third time and passed.

Bill (No. 21) intituled "An Act for preserving Purchasers of Stock from Losses by Forged Transfers" was committed.

Reported without amendment.

Report adopted.

Bill read a third time and passed.

The House resumed the adjourned debate on second reading of Bill (No. 40) intituled "An Act to ratify an Agreement bearing Date the Seventeenth Day of January, A. D. 1910, between His Majesty the King and the Canadian Northern Railway Company."

The House continued to sit after midnight.

FRIDAY, 4th March, 1910.

Bill read a second time on the following division :-

YEAS-30.

Messieurs

Shaw,	Callanan,	Shat for d,	Ellison,
Watson,	Miller,	MePhillips,	Taylor,
Fraser,	Jackson,	Thomson,	Macgowan,
Mackenzie,	Cawley,	Behnsen,	Hayward,
Manson, M.,	Caven,	Hunter,	Mackay,
Jardine,	Bowser,	Manson, W. J.,	Parson,
Manson, W.,	MeBride,	Young,	Davey,
Tisdall,	Ross,		

Nays—3.

Messieurs

Williams.

Hawthernthwaite,

Brewster,

To be committed at next sitting.

Bill (No. 42) intituled "An Act to ratify an Agreement bearing Date the Twenty-eighth Day of February, 1910, between His Majesty the King and the Kettle River Valley Railway Company," was read a second time on the following division:—

Yeas-29

Shaw,	Callanan,	Ross,	Young,
Watson,	Miller,	Shat ford,	Ellison,
Fraser,	Jackson,	Thomson,	Taylor,
Manson, M.,	Cawley,	Schofield,	Macgowan,
Brewster,	Caven,	Behnsen,	Hayward,
Jardine,	Bowser,	Hunter,	Mackay,
Manson, W.,	McBride,	Manson, W. J.,	Parson,
Tisdall,			

NAYS-2.

Messieurs

Williams,

Hawthornthwaite,

To be committed at next sitting.

Resolved, That the House, at its rising, do stand adjourned until 10:30 o'clock to-day.

And then the House adjourned at 1:15 A.M.

Friday, March 4th, 1910.

HALF-PAST TEN O'CLOCK, A.M.

Bill (No. 34) intituled "An Act to provide for the Inspection of Premises, Works, Wires and Appliances Generating, Transmitting or Supplying Electrical Energy" was committed.

Reported without amendment.

Report adopted.

Bill read a third time and passed.

Bill (No. 33) intituled "An Act to amend the Fire Inquiry Act" was committed.

Reported without amendment.

Report adopted.

Bill read a third time and passed.

Bill (No. 36) intituled "An Act to amend the Supreme Court Act" was committed. Reported without amendment.

Report adopted.

Bill read a third time and passed.

Bill (No. 37) intituled "An Act to amend the County Courts Act" was committed.

Reported without amendment.

Report adopted.

Bill read a third time and passed.

Bill (No. 41) intituled "An Act to Incorporate the Canadian Northern Pacific Railway Company" was committed.

Reported with amendments.

Report to be considered at next sitting.

Bill (No. 83) intituled "An Act for granting certain Sums of Money for the Public Service of the Province of British Columbia" was read a second time.

To be committed at the next sitting.

The Order for the second reading of Bill (No. 47) intituled "An Act to amend the Coal-Mines Act" was discharged.

The Hon. Mr. Price Ellison presented to Mr. Speaker a Message from His Honour the Lieutenant-Governor, which read as follows:—

Thomas W. Paterson, Lieutenant-Governor.

The Lieutenant-Governor transmits herewith a Bill intituled "An Act to amend the 'Coal-Mines Act,'" and recommends the same to the Legislative Assembly.

Government House, 4th March, 1910.

Ordered, That the said Message, and the Bill accompanying the same, be referred to a Committee of the Whole House forthwith.

(IN THE COMMITTEE.)

Resolved, That the Committee rise and report to the House, recommending the introduction of a Bill (No. 47) intituled "An Act to amend the 'Coal-Mines Act,' a draft of which is annexed to this Resolution.

Report adopted.

Bill introduced and read a first time. Second reading at the next sitting.

The Hon. Dr. Young presented to Mr. Speaker a Message from His Honour the Lieutenant-Governor, which read as follows:—

THOMAS W. PATERSON,

Lieutenant-Governor.

The Lieutenant-Governor transmits herewith a Bill intituled "An Act to amend the 'Hospital Act, 1902," and recommends the same to the Legislative Assembly.

Government House,

4th March, 1910.

Ordered, That the said Message, and the Bill accompanying the same, be referred to a Committee of the Whole House forthwith.

(IN THE COMMITTEE.)

Resolved, That the Committee rise and report to the House, recommending the introduction of a Bill (No. 85) intituled "An Act to amend the 'Hospital Act, 1902,'" a draft of which is annexed to this Resolution.

Report adopted.

Bill introduced and read a first time.

Second reading at next sitting.

Resolved, That the House, at its rising, do stand adjourned until 2:30 o'clock P.M. to-day.

And then the House adjourned at 1:05 P.M.

Friday, March 4th, 1910.

HALF-PAST TWO O'CLOCK, P.M.

Prayers by the Rev. J. H. S. Sweet.

The Report on Bill (No. 41) intituled "An Act to Incorporate the Canadian Northern Pacific Railway Company" was adopted.

Third reading to-morrow.

Bill (No. 44) intituled "An Act to amend the 'Midway and Vernon Railway Aid Act, 1902," was committed.

Reported without amendment.

Report adopted. .

Bill read a third time and passed.

Bill (No. 30) intituled "An Act to repeal the 'Commercial Travellers' Licences Act, 1907," was committed.

Reported without amendment.

Report adopted.

Bill read a third time and passed.

Bill (No. 40) intituled "An Act to ratify an Agreement bearing Date the Seventeenth Day of January, A. D. 1910, between His Majesty the King and the Canadian Northern Railway Company" was committed.

Reported with amendments.

Report to be considered at the next sitting.

Bill (No. 42) intituled "An Act to ratify an Agreement bearing Date the Twenty-eighth Day of February, 1910, between His Majesty the King and the Kettle River Valley Railway Company" was committed.

Reported without amendment.

Report adopted.

Bill read a third time and passed.

The following Bills were read a second time and Ordered to be committed at the next sitting:—

Bill (No. 49) intituled "An Act respecting the Construction of Sewers in Unorganised

Districts.

Bill (No. 82) intituled "An Act to Validate By-law No. 204 of the City of Nelson passed on the 11th Day of October, A. D. 1909."

Bill (No. 22) intituled "An Act to amend the Bush Fire Act."

Bill (No. 23) intituled "An Act to amend the Woodman's Lien for Wages Act."

Bill (No. 48) intituled "An Act to authorise the Repurchase by the Crown of Railway Subsidy Lands" was read a second time and committed.

Reported without amendment.

Report adopted.

Bill read a third time and passed.

Biil (No. 83) intituled "An Act for granting certain Sums of Money for the Public Service of the Province of British Columbia" was committed.

Reported without amendment.

Report adopted.

Bill read a third time and passed.

Bill (No. 81) intituled "An Act respecting Liens of Mechanics, Wage-earners, and Others" was read a second time and committed.

Reported with amendments.

Report to be considered at the next sitting.

Resolved, That the House, at its rising, do stand adjourned until 10:30 A. M. on Monday next.

Mr. McPhillips presented the First Report from the Printing Committee, as follows:—

LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY ROOM, March 4th, 1910.

Mr. Speaker:

Your Select Standing Committee on Printing beg leave to report as follows:-

On motion the following were ordered to be printed:-

1. The Eighth Annual report of the Agent-General for British [Columbia in London, dated February 2nd, 1910.

2. Statement showing Special Warrants signed by His Honour the Lieutenant-Governor

between April 1st, 1909, and January 29th, 1910.

Fifth Report of the Provincial Game Warden of the Province of British Columbia.
 The Report of the Commissioner of Fisheries of British Columbia for the year 1909.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

A. E. McPhillips, Chairman.

The report was received.

Mr. Hayward presented the First Report from the Municipal Committee, as follows:—

LEGISLATIVE COMMITTEE ROOM,
March 4th, 1910.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Select Standing Committee on Municipal Matters beg leave to report as follows:—
That your Select Committee on Municipal Matters would strongly advise the formation
of a Commission composed of men familiar with the "Municipal Clauses Act" and independent

of the Commission already appointed to Revise the Statutes of British Columbia, to revise and consolidate the said Act, and if deemed necessary recommend to the Legislature, at its next Session, a new Municipal Clauses Act.

We also present for the consideration of the House, and recommend the passage of Bill (No. 27) intituled "An Act to amend the 'Municipal Clauses Act,' and Bill (No. 29) intituled

"An Act to amend the 'Municipal Elections Act."

Copies of which are annexed hereto.

W. H. HAYWARD, Chairman.

The report was received.

And then the House adjourned at 6:45 P.M.

Monday, March 7th, 1910.

HALF-PAST TEN O'CLOCK, A.M.

On the motion of the Hon. the Premier, seconded by Mr. Hawthornthwaite, a Select Committee, composed of the mover and seconder and Mr. Brewster, was appointed to prepare and report to the House a message of sympathy and condolence with the relatives and friends of those who lost their lives by the recent landslide at Rogers Pass, while engaged in the hazardous and dangerous work of keeping clear the great transcontinental highway of the Dominion.

From the Select Committee.

The Hon. the Premier presented the following report:

LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY, VICTORIA, March 7th, 1909.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee appointed to draft and report a message of condolence and sympathy with reference to the recent snowslide at Rogers Pass, and the loss of life entailed thereby, beg to report as follows:—

That this House has learned with deep sorrow of the terrible snowslide on the Canadian Pacific Railway, at Rogers Pass, in the Selkirk Mountains, by which many railway workers have unfortunately lost their lives while engaged in their duty of protecting the travelling public.

That this House desires to express its heartfelt sympathy with the families, relatives and friends of those killed or injured in the deplorable accident; and

That it is the desire of this House that a copy of this Resolution be spread on its Journals All of which is respectfully submitted.

RICHARD McBRIDE, J. H. HAWTHORNTHWAITE H. C. BREWSTER,

Received and adopted.

Mr. Macgowan presented the Seventh Report from the Railway Committee, as follows:-

LEGISLATIVE COMMITTEE ROOM,
March 7th, 1910.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your Select Standing Committee on Railways beg leave to report as follows:—The preamble not proved of—

Bill (No. 67) intituled "An Act to Incorporate the Vancouver-Westminster Terminal Railway and Dock Company."

All of which is respectfully submitted.

A. H. B. MACGOWAN,

The report was received.

Chairman.

Mr. Macgowan presented the Eighth Report from the Railway Committee, as follows:—
LEGISLATIVE COMMITTEE ROOM,

March 7th, 1910.

Mr. Speaker:

Your Select Standing Committee on Railways beg leave to report as follows:—The preamble proved of—

Bill (No. 56) B. C. Mainland and Coast Industrial Company.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

A. H. B. MACGOWAN,

The report was received.

Chairman.

The following Bills were introduced, read a first time and *Ordered* to be read a second time at the next sitting of the House:—

By the Hon. Mr. Price Ellison—Bill (No. 90) intituled "An Act to amend the Timber

Mark Act."

By the Hon. Mr. $Price\ Ellison$ —Bill (No. 86) intituled "An Act to amend the 'Timber Manufacture Act, 1906.'"

On the motion of Mr. Brewster, seconded by Mr. Jardine, it was Resolved,—

That an humble Address be presented to His Honour the Lieutenant-Governor, praying that he will cause to be transmitted to this House copies of all Orders in Council passed during the years 1907, 1908, 1909 and 1910 up to the present date, in any way relating to the alienation of the reversionary rights of the Province in Indian Reserves.

Mr. Brewster asked the Hon. the Minister of Public Works the following questions:-

- 1. What amount of money was paid E. L. Gill during last fiscal year for his services as Road Foreman?
 - 2. What amount of money was paid E. L. Gill for team-hire during the last fiscal year? The Hon. Mr. Taylor replied as follows:—
 - "1. \$534.75.
 - "2, \$439.42."

Mr. Williams asked the Hon. the Minister of Public Works the following questions:—

1. What amount of money was spent on the Vancouver Island trunk roads during the period March 31st last up to the present time?

2. How much of said amount was expended in each of the Electoral Districts through which the road passes?

The Hon. Mr. Taylor replied as follows:—

"1. \$60,681.86.

"2. \$58,181.86, Esquimalt District; \$2,500 (approximately), Cowichan District."

Bill (No. 41) intituled "An Act to Incorporate the Canadian Northern Pacific Railway Company" was read a third time and passed upon the following division:—

		YEAS—28.	
		Messieurs	
Shaw,	Tisdall,	Ross,	Ellison,
Fraser,	Miller,	Shat for d,	Taylor,
Mackenzie,	Jackson,	Thomson,	Macgowan,
Braden,	Cawley,	Schofield,	Gifford,
Manson, M.,	Caven,	Behnsen,	Hayward,
Jardine,	Bowser,	Hunter,	Mackay,
Manson, W.,	Cotton,	Young,	Parson.

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Nays-3.

Messieurs

Williams,

Hawthornthwaite,

Brewster.

The Report on Bill (No. 18) intituled "An Act respecting Liquor Licences and the Traffic in Intoxicating Liquors" was considered.

The Hon. Mr. Bowser moved to strike out subsection (1) of section 71, and insert the

following in lieu thereof :-

"(1.) Each licence shall be issued in respect of one car only, and may be issued for a named car, or for the dining-car or buffet-car or observation-car, in any regular train, and shall expire on the thirty-first day of December next following the date of its issuance."

Carried.

The Hon. Mr. Bowser moved to strike out subsection (6) of section 71, and insert the following in lieu thereof:—

"(6.) Every licence issued under this section shall be in the form following:—

"PROVINCE OF BRITISH COLUMBIA.

"'(Liquor Act, 1910.'

"Railway Liquor Licence.

" No

Date

"This is to certify that the Railway Company, having paid the licence fee of fifty dollars, is hereby licensed to sell liquor upon the dining-car (or buffet-car or observation-car, as the case may be) attached to the regular passenger train No. of said Company, while such car is actually attached to and travelling with such passenger train upon the line of railway of the said Company, for the period ending 31st December next.

"Fee, \$50.

"Superintendent Provincial Police."

Carried.

Report, as amended, adopted. Third reading at next sitting.

The Report on Bill (No. 81) intituled "An Act respecting Liens of Mechanics, Wage-earners, and Others" was adopted.

Bill read a third time and passed.

Bill (No. 13) intituled "An Act to amend the 'Steam Boilers Inspection Act, 1901," was committed.

Reported without amendment.

Report to be considered to-morrow.

Bill (No. 26) intituled "An Act to amend the 'Dyking Assessments Adjustment Act, 1905," was committed.

Reported without amendment.

Report adopted.

Bill read a third time and passed.

Bill (No. 49) intituled "An Act respecting the Construction of Sewers in Unorganised Districts" was committed.

Progress reported.

Committee to sit again at next sitting.

Resolved, That the House, at its rising, do stand adjourned until 2:30 o'clock P.M. to-day.

And then the House adjourned at 1:05 P.M.

Monday, March 7th, 1910.

HALF-PAST TWO O'CLOCK, P.M.

Prayers by the Rev. H. A. Carson.

The following Bills were introduced, read a first time and Ordered to be read a second time to-morrow:—

By the Hon. Mr. Bowser—Bill (No. 88) intituled "An Act to amend the 'New Westminster Act, 1888,' and amending Acts."

By Mr. Ross—Bill (No. 92) intituled "An Act to establish a Bi-monthly Pay-day for the

Payment of Wages in certain Cases,"

By the Hon. Mr. Bowser—Bill (No. 87) intituled "An Act to validate and amend By-law No. 83 of the City of North Vancouver to aid the North Vancouver City Ferries, Limited."

Bill (No. 18) intituled "An Act respecting Liquor Licences and the Traffic in Intoxicating Liquors" was read a third time and passed.

Bill (No. 14) intituled "An Act to revise and consolidate the 'Companies Act, 1897,' and amending Acts" was again committed.

Reported complete with amendments.

Report to be considered to-morrow.

Bill (No. 49) intituled "An Act respecting the Construction of Sewers in Unorganised Districts" was again committed.

Reported with amendments.

Report to be considered to-morrow.

Bill (No. 82) intituled "An Act to validate Bill No. 204 of the City of Nelson passed on the 11th Day of October, A. D. 1909," was again committed.

Reported with amendments.

Report to be considered to-morrow.

Bill (No. 22) intituled "An Act to amend the Bush Fire Act" was committed.

Reported without amendment.

Report to be considered to-morrow.

Bill (No. 23) intituled "An Act to amend the Woodman's Lien for Wages Act" was committed.

Reported without amendment.

Report adopted.

Bill read a third time and passed.

Bill (No. 85) intituled "An Act to amend the 'Hospital Act, 1902,'" was read a second time and committed.

Reported without amendment.

Report to be considered to-morrow.

Bill (No. 27) intituled "An Act to amend the Municipal Clauses Act" was read a second time and committed.

Progress reported.

Committee to sit again to-morrow.

Resolved, That the House, at its rising, do stand adjourned until two o'clock to-morrow.

And then the House adjourned at 5:59 o'clock, P.M.