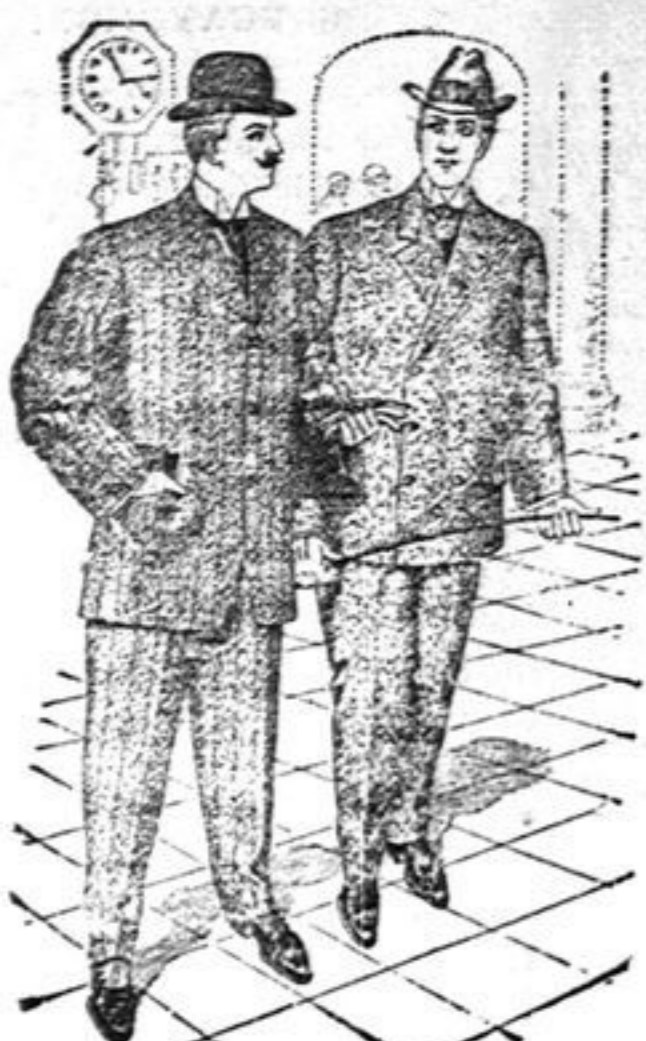


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The Dominion Budget

Numerous and Complicated Tariff Changes But No Reduction in Taxation—And No Fulfillment of Liberal Promises

Increase in Expenditure Brings Increased Taxation and More Debt—\$83,000,000 of Expenditure Last Year, an Increase of \$5,000,000—But Mr. Fielding Wants \$105,000,000 Next Year

\$38,000,000 For The G. T. P. Will Be Required in 21 Months—Ministers Promised Not to Exceed \$13,000,000 in Any Year—But Like Other Promises, It is Broken

Ottawa, Dec. 1, 1906. The budget of this year was awaited with unusual interest because it was expected to contain a revised tariff. In 1907 Mr. Fielding brought down his first tariff, and the measure as it passed the House, greatly mutilated, has continued with certain modifica-



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ship in sight of this harbor and yesterday Captain Fielding virtually abandoned his cruise. He introduced his tariff by explaining that it would appear that the Free Trade port was no nearer than in 1907.

PREFERENCE AND INTERMEDIATE. Mr. Fielding has added to his general tariff, preference tariff and surtax tariff a new one, which is supposed to be a kind of offer to foreign countries willing to make tariff concessions in return. At present it is only ornamental, for Mr. Fielding states it will not go into operation for a considerable time, and will always be complicated by British favored nation treaties. The preference tariff to Great Britain and certain colonies is continued, but is no longer to be a level reduction of one-third. In the revised tariff each item stands by itself and the preference is sometimes more and sometimes less than before. On a cursory examination the preference appears generally to be increased on articles which Great Britain does not sell to Canada, and decreased on many of those which we buy from the Mother Country.

NO DECREASE OF TAXES. The tariff changes fill about twenty newspaper columns. Hundreds of articles will be taxed a little higher, and perhaps nearly as many a little lower. The average rate of taxation seems to have been increased. Though Mr. Fielding claims a surplus of \$13,000,000 and a total surplus of \$70,000,000 during his term of office, he has neither at this time or in any previous session made any important additions to the free list. Previous Ministers of Finance have invariably remitted taxation when they found themselves with a large surplus. As Mr. Foster stated in his reply to the Budget speech he had himself in one year swept away sugar duties, which, if retained, would have given him nearly twenty millions additional during the time he remained in office. Mr. Fielding has been on his own showing, in a splendid position to remit taxes that are purely for revenue. He has chosen rather to boast of a surplus year after year. While the taxes which he collected last year exceed the amount collected by Mr. Foster in 1896 by more than \$32,000,000 the surplus is only \$13,000,000.

SURPLUS LARGELY FICTITIOUS. It is fair to Mr. Fielding to say that this surplus is not altogether real. It does not mean that the total income of the Government was last year \$13,000,000 more than the outlay. On the contrary the outlay was \$818,000 more than the total receipts. The debt of the Dominion was \$818,000 larger at the end of June, 1906 than it was at the end of June, 1905. It was \$6,175,000 more than at the end of June, 1904, though the Minister of Finance claims surpluses of more than \$20,000,000 in those two years. The list of capital expenditure, which the Govern-

Fielding brings in an estimate that the G. T. P. will cost \$10,000,000 during the short current fiscal year and no less than \$28,360,000 in the course of the twelve months following. Evidently there will be an increase of \$25,000,000 in the debt in 1907-8 even though Mr. Fielding's alleged surpluses should continue. If the reader is surprised that the Government is to spend \$28,000,000 a year after promising to spend only \$13,000,000 at the most in this enterprise, he should consider that on contracts for construction so far made the price per mile is found to be about double the estimate which the Government made to the House in defending the contract.

SHORT BUDGET DEBATE.

The Budget debate was completed on Friday. Mr. Foster and Mr. Cocksbutt were the only Opposition speakers, the latter discussing the trade question and pointing out that Mr. Fielding's four tariffs, general, intermediate, preferential and surtax, with several partial or supplementary tariffs would be found exceedingly confusing and troublesome to business men. Further discussion on the details of the tariff bill will take place in committee.

THE BOUNTIES GO ON.

Before the Liberals took office they had a special aversion to bounties on iron, steel and other products. Sir Richard Cartwright gave repeated and emphatic notice that bounty laws would be repealed at once when his party came into power. But in its tenth year of office the Laurier Government paid \$2,400,000 in bounties, and next year the bill will be much larger if production continues at the same rate.

Under the acts in force in 1896, the bounties would have disappeared before this time by the sliding scale. Mr. Fielding gave them a longer term but even that period would have expired next spring. This year the rate of bounty is only 35 percent of what it was at the highest. But in this year's budget Mr. Fielding has backed up for a fresh start. He announces that he will begin again in January by restoring the bounty which prevailed before the last reduction which was 55 percent. Of the highest rate, and will continue bounty payments four years more. A further addition will be made to bounties or products of native ore. For the next four years we may expect payments of four to six million dollars a year under these extensions and increases.

ORANGES AND SUGAR.

It is not quite correct to say that no additions have been made to the free list. The duty is removed from oranges and lemons. Mr. Fielding estimates the loss of revenue by this change at \$190,000 a year. He also remits \$145,000 in duties on rice. To make this loss he adds 7 1/2 cents per hundred pounds to the duty on sugar which he says will give him back the \$300,000.

SALARIES OF PUBLIC SCHOOL AND L.C.I. TEACHERS

INCREASES MADE BY THE BOARD OF EDUCATION WILL NEED \$1,392,03 MORE THAN UNDER OLD SCHEDULE.

Mr. R. Speir, secretary of the Board of Education, has prepared a schedule showing the salaries paid to teachers in 1906, the salaries which would have been paid in 1907 under the old system, and the salaries which will be paid in 1907 under the new system. In this order the salaries are herewith given.

PUBLIC SCHOOLS.

G. E. Broderick, Principal, \$1,200, no change.
D. McDougall, \$850, no change.
D. McFadyen, \$669.75, \$730.25, \$750.
Miss Fanning, \$500, \$500, \$600.
Miss Thomas, \$450, \$450, \$500.
Misses Wray, Twamley, Waller, Weldon, Laidlaw and Fee, \$425, \$425, \$500.
Miss Scott, 163 days, \$346.37; resigned Nov. 1, initial salary paid to successor for balance of term.
Miss McKay, 121 days, \$242, resigned June 30.
Miss Jackson, 79 days, \$198.25, \$359.87, \$400, advanced \$25 on September 1.
Miss McLaughlin, \$359.87, \$384.87, \$450, advanced \$25 September 1.
Miss Andrews, \$359.87, \$384.87, \$425, advanced \$25 September 1.
Miss Foster, 72 days, \$126, resigned Easter.
Miss Lambert, 133 days, \$241.50, \$375, \$416, advanced Easter 1906.
Miss Graham, \$350, \$375, \$425.
Miss Richardson, 37 days, \$350, \$400.
New teacher, under old system, \$350, under new, \$400.
Total 1906, \$9,972.09; would have been paid in 1907 under old schedule, \$10,059.47; to be paid under new schedule, \$11,291. Difference in two latter, \$1,231.58.

COLLEGIATE INSTITUTE.

J. C. Harstone, Principal, \$1,600, no change.
James Colling, 121 days, \$726;
Miss McCutcheon 75 days, \$342; substitutes 22 days, \$132; successor, Mr. J. F. McDonald, \$1,200.
G. A. Cornish, \$1,132, \$1,200, \$1,250.
H. S. Rosevear, \$1,119.75, \$1,169.75, \$1,250.

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Mrs. Louisa McKenzie, of Mount Carleton, Montreal, Canada, writes:
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R. H. Walks, \$1069.75, \$1,119.75, \$1,200.
Miss Willson, \$1,000, \$1,000, \$1,050.
Miss McNabb, \$800, \$900, resigned. Her successor \$900, first year.

Total 1906, \$7,921.59; would have been paid in 1907 under old schedule, \$8,189.50; to be paid under new schedule, \$8,350, difference of two latter, \$160.50.
Total increase for 1907 by adoption of new schedule, \$1,392.03.

MANILLA. The "Peak Sisters," presented at the Oddfellow's Hall last Friday night was a decided success. The audience filled the hall to the doors many having to stand during the entire play. The performance was good, each sister rendering her part admirably. Topsy's manoeuvres and singing throughout were humorous, and brought roars of laughter from the audience. A pleasing feature of the evening and one worthy of comment was a drill by the 23 sisters at the beginning and close of the play, which was most beautifully and ably performed, and deserves much praise for the actors. Proceeds amounted to nearly \$48, in aid of the Manilla Library Fund.

PRESENTATION AT DUNSFORD. On Wednesday evening, November 28, a large number of the members of the congregation of St. John's church of England, Dunsford, assembled at the residence of Mr. John Burgess, when a presentation was made on behalf of the congregation, of a gold chain and locket, and brooch set with garnets. The address was read by Mr. J. B. Kennedy, and the presentation made by Mr. W. B. Kennedy. A pleasant social time was spent, music on the violin being furnished by Messrs. John and George Vouts, accompanied on the piano by Miss Burgess. Refreshments were also served.

Mr. R. Charley Mintern, of Toronto, is visiting under the parental roof. Rev. Arthur Coome, of Prince Edward Co., came home last Monday to see his aged and infirm mother, who we are sorry to say, is not improving much.
Mr. Daniel DeLury came home from Orillia recently to spend the winter with his family.
Miss Katie McPhail, of Sonya, enjoyed the harbourscape at St. John's the guest of Dr. and Mrs. McPhail.
While engaged digging a well for Mr. Thomas Short, last week, Mr. Edward Acton had a very narrow escape from being buried alive by the well caving in. Fortunately he escaped unharmed, this being the third harrowing escape he has had.
Rev. Mr. Tucker, of Oshawa, is to preach in the Methodist church here next Sunday evening. Mr. Tucker preached on this circuit seven years ago. His many friends will be pleased to see and hear him preach here again. A thank offering will be taken up at the close of the service.

Mrs. Arthur Steeper, of Toronto, was called home to attend her mother, Mrs. D. King, last week, who is quite ill.
Mr. Humphrey occupied the Methodist pulpit last Sunday in the ab-

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