

DOMINION PARLIAMENT.

Mr. Foster presented a message from the Governor-General transmitting the supplementary estimates for 1920.

THE BUDGET.

Mr. Foster said that in rising to present his second budget he felt he might fairly congratulate the House and country upon the satisfactory statement he had to lay before them.

Table with 2 columns: Item, Amount. Includes Customs revenue, Excise, and Miscellaneous.

The estimates next year sum up \$36,035,445. Estimating a probable increase of \$664,569, there would be a probable expenditure of \$36,700,000.

TARIFF CHANGES.

Acid, acetic, pyroliqueous and vinegar, 15 cents per gallon, and for each degree of strength in excess of proof strength one cent additional.

Acid phosphates, 3 cents per pound. Precious stones, polished but not set, 10 per cent. And rubies, sapphires and diamonds—3 1/2 per cent.

papers, ground papers and satir, 9 cents; single print bronzes and colored bronzes, 6 cents; embossed bronzes, 8 cents; colored borders, 6 cents; bronzes borders, 14 cents.

Union collar cloth paper, 25 per cent. Garden, field and other seeds, when in bulk or large parcels, 15 per cent.

Stencils, 25 per cent. Spirituous or alcoholic liquors, methyl alcohol, gin, rum, whiskey, \$1.75 per gallon.

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toilet pins, for use in the manufacture of such articles in their own factories only. Crucible cast steel wire, when imported by manufacturers of wire rope, pianos, card clothing and needles.

Ribs of brass, iron or steel runners, rings, caps, notches, ferrules, mounts and sticks or shanks, for use in the manufacture of such articles in their own factories only.

Steel of No. 13 gauge and thinner, but not thinner than No. 30 gauge, when imported by manufacturers of buckle clasps and icecreepers.

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DESTITUTE DAKOTA.

A Warning to Canadian Settlers.

The following circular has been received with a request for its publication: "The Governor of South Dakota accompanied a deputation from that State which visited St. Paul last Wednesday, for the purpose of securing aid for the destitute farmers of the State.

Temperance Items.

A lady and gentleman of Hartford, Conn., last week presented the National W. C. T. U. with the handsome sum of \$5,000, in valuable bonds, to be used for the cause as Miss Willard and Miss Pugh may direct.

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The Fashion Has Become Took.

The horse girls who last summer took up the fashion of wearing men's shirts, collars and ties, and decorated the lapels of their little jackets with boutonnières, man fashion, ran the pace none too soon, says the New York Sun.

Just a Little Outspoken.

Mrs. Plummer—Take Mr. Gooleigh and slip into the billiard room. There's a small anti-Lenten wait going on.

A Logical Inference.

Jack Happy—Have a cigar, Billy? Billy Golucky—No. I've given up smoking.

The Secret of Her Power.

Any one who has been at Drury Lane Theatre, in London, and seen a whole audience spring to their feet and join in singing "God Save the Queen!" as if they meant it, can understand what has made Great Britain the power she is in the world.

First girl, in street car—That man opposite has been looking at you for the last ten minutes.

The Gananoque Council found fault with the Chief of Police of the town for, as they alleged, not doing his duty.

The Duke of Portland has been disappointed again. It is a girl, and the precedent of a century, during which no direct heir has been born to the house, remains unbroken.

They can't do anything until I get there," as the condemned man said when on the way to his execution.

CAREFULLY CAUGHT.

A Parrot That Went Back On Its Owner.

"Now, then, the bird will go safely, will she?" she asked of the clerk in the office who gave her a receipt for Poll's shipment.

Falling 10,000 Feet.

Sailing upward ten thousand feet in a balloon, stepping out and falling to the earth as gently as falls the snowflake, is considered a remarkable feat.

Close View of the Ballet Girl.

Her face is heavily coated with white powder, and thickly overlaid, in places with rouge. Her eyelashes are gummy with black paint, a line of which runs along the edge of the eyelids and trails off into the corners, making the eye exquisitely almond shaped in appearance if you are fifty feet away.

Catarrh is a common disease, so common that snuffing and "hawking" reach you at every turn.

Your foot slips in its nasty discharge, in the omnibus or in church, and its stench disgusts at the lecture or concert.

Sleeping with the Baby

"Grindstone," exclaimed KilJordan, in a tone of severe rebuke, as he leaned wearily over the aisle of the car, "why don't you get up and give that lady a seat? I would do it myself, only I've been doing the work of two men at the office for a whole week."

A Badge of Distinction.

"I suppose you think I wear this high collar from dutish motives," inquired Longnecks of his prospective employer.

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Bermuda Bottled. "You must go to Bermuda. If you do not I will not be responsible for the consequences."

SCOTT'S EMULSION OF PURE NORWEGIAN COD LIVER OIL. I have CURED with it; and the advantage is that the most sensitive stomach can take it.

CONSUMPTION SURELY CURED. TO THE EDITOR:—Please inform your readers that I have a positive remedy for the above named disease.

I CURE FITS! THOUSANDS OF BOTTLES GIVEN AWAY YEARLY. When I say Cure I do not mean merely to stop them for a time, and then have them return again.