

provision respecting the solemnization of marriages.

(76) An act respecting the admission of barristers as solicitors, and respecting the call of solicitors to the bar.

(77) An act respecting certain duties of Coroners.

(78) An act respecting Deputy Police Magistrates in certain cities.

(79) An act to provide for the final settlement of the Common School fund.

(80) An act respecting the City of Ottawa.

(81) An act to consolidate certain debts of the Town of Harriston, and for other purposes.

(82) An act to confirm an agreement between the City of Ottawa and the Ottawa City Passenger Railway Company and the Ottawa Electric Street Railway Company (limited).

(83) An act to incorporate the Georgian Bay Ship Canal & Power Aqueduct Company.

(84) An act to amend the act to regulate travelling on public highways and bridges.

(85) An act to make further provision respecting voters' lists.

(86) An act to facilitate the local administration of justice in certain cases.

(87) An act to amend the act providing against frauds in the supplying of milk to cheese or butter manufactories.

(88) An act respecting benefit societies.

(89) An act respecting High Court sittings in the County of York.

(90) An act to make further provision respecting mortgages of real estate.

(91) The assessment amendment act, 1894.

(92) An act respecting the Toronto Railway Company.

(93) An act respecting ditches and watercourses.

(94) An act to consolidate and amend the drainage laws.

(95) An act to amend the act respecting the fees of certain public officers.

(96) The municipal amendment act, 1894.

(97) An act to amend the act for protecting the public interests in rivers, streams and creeks.

(98) An act respecting the City of London.

(99) An act to legalize and confirm the survey made by Walter S. Davidson, Ontario land surveyor, of a road allowance between the seventh and eighth concessions of the Township of Sombra.

(100) An act respecting aid to certain railways.

(101) An act relating to mines and mining lands.

(102) An act respecting registration of manhood suffrage and other voters in cities.

(103) An act respecting the representation of certain cities in the Legislative Assembly.

(104) An act respecting the election of licensees of timber limits to the Legislative Assembly.

(105) An act respecting elections in the outer districts of the Province.

(106) An act respecting the Clerk of the Peace in the County of Carleton.

#### THE ROYAL ASSENT.

To these bills the royal assent was announced by the Clerk of the Legislative Assembly in the following words:—

"In her Majesty's name, his Honor the Lieutenant-Governor doth assent to these bills."

#### THE SPEECH FROM THE THRONE.

His Honor then delivered the following speech:—

"Mr. Speaker and gentlemen of the Legislative Assembly:—I desire to express my appreciation of the earnestness and diligence with which you have applied yourselves to the work of the unusually long session now being brought to a close.

"The measures which you have passed are very important and useful, and will greatly assist in the administration of public affairs.

"The important act respecting Councils of Conciliation and of Arbitration for settling industrial disputes will, I am glad to believe, tend to prevent those conflicts between capital and labor which often result in the serious disturbance of business, and loss to all parties concerned.

"It is gratifying to know that, owing to your wise and liberal provision for the proper representation of the Province at the World's Columbian Exposition, its progress and resources were exhibited to great advantage, securing for the Province in many departments a position of enviable prominence. We may confidently hope that material results of a very substantial character will accrue to the Province.

"The various provisions of the acts respecting the registration of manhood suffrage voters in cities, and for the prompt punishment of persons guilty of personation at elections for the Legislative Assembly, will, I trust, be found effectual in improving and purifying the voters' lists, simplifying the enrolment of all duly qualified electors, and facilitating the suppression of corrupt practices.

"The readjustment of the representation

of the Cities of Toronto, Ottawa, Hamilton and Kingston in the Legislative Assembly will, I trust, prove satisfactory.

"I notice with pleasure that you have established a Provincial park at Rondeau, in the western portion of the Province. I do not doubt that the future will furnish abundant evidence that the establishment of this and other parks evinced forethought and prudence.

"The act respecting mines and mining lands, and the acts for improving the administration of justice in the Districts of Nipissing and Rainy River, for facilitating the local administration of justice, and for enabling Boards of Trade in cities to appoint general arbitrators, will commend themselves to the public as measures of practical utility.

"The acts consolidating and amending the drainage laws, mortgages and sales of personal property, the acts amending the Division Courts act, the municipal and assessment laws, are further measures of public importance.

"I thank you for the liberal appropriations which you have made for the public service. The supplies which you have granted will be expended with care and in the public interest."

#### FINAL WORDS.

The Provincial Secretary then said:—

"Mr. Speaker and gentlemen of the Legislative Assembly,—It is his Honor's will and pleasure that this Legislative Assembly be prorogued, and this Legislative Assembly is, accordingly, prorogued."

This brought the proceedings to a



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