

Undertaking will render sufficient power available to meet all demands upon the Niagara Falls system for some time to come.

In view of the difficulty of obtaining coal, my Government has been carefully considering sources of fuel supply within the Province, and has set aside territory known to contain peat deposits, the intention being to make investigations and experiments with the object of rendering these resources available for fuel purposes.

The Department of Highways has commenced to take over existing main roads with a view to Provincial maintenance as portion of the general plan of highway improvements to be carried out after the war.

Medical Education Report.

The inquiry instituted into the state of medical education in this Province has been completed, and the report of the Commissioner will be submitted to you.

The Public Accounts, showing that the finances of the Province are in a healthy state, will be laid before you. Estimates of contemplated expenditures for the current and coming fiscal years will be brought down at an early date for your consideration.

Measures will be submitted to you to provide for taking the votes of soldiers on service overseas; respecting the public health; relating to public service; to amend the Northern Ontario Development Act; to amend the Trades and Labor Act; and for other purposes.

In conclusion, I desire to express the hope that your deliberations will be characterized by the spirit of patriotism and service so necessary to our country in a time like the present, and my confidence that, under the guidance of Providence, your decisions will contribute to the welfare and security of our people.

House Adjourns Early.

The House adjourned at 3.20 p.m., to meet again at three o'clock this afternoon, when the business of the session will be tackled in earnest. The Address in reply to the Speech from the Throne will be moved and seconded by private members on the Government side and the debate will be continued by the Premier and the Opposition Leader.