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A Large Question.

From the public treasury Clifford Sifton draws \$117 a week now. But this does not last forever. When Mr. Sifton ceases to be a member of parliament his income from the taxpayer will drop to \$68 per week, and will continue as long as he lives.—Mail.

Why pitch upon Mr. Sifton? Why single him out for special mention? He has certainly done as much for his country as Sir Adolph Caron, Sir Hibbard Tupper, Sir John Carling, Mr. Foster, or Mr. Haggart. This pension question is a big one, and it troubles and benefits a good many persons.

Order In Everything.

The city engineer, a young man of promise, is to be commended for the course he has adopted with regard to the streets. He is primarily in charge of them, and his department is responsible for their care and condition. Yet it has happened that not until now has the engineer asserted his position and insisted that all excavations be made under his direction. Then and only then can he be held to account for the manner in which the work is done.

It is true that in all these years the engineer has been the consulting authority for waterworks extension. The gas company was expected to report to him the street delving which it undertook, for no matter who made the cuttings the city became liable for an accident which occurred in connection with them.

Mr. Craig is right in assuming that the order of proceedings which is correct for every excavation, so that he may prescribe its boundaries, oversee its progress, and be satisfied with its completion.

There is no reason why the public business cannot be highly organized, that every official should have his duties and his powers defined, and that as a result there should be both harmony and efficiency in the public service.

The system at which Mr. Craig is aiming, following so soon after the reclassification of duties in the treasury department, augurs well for the good of the city's business.

New Assessment Act.

In some places the municipal assessment for the year has been completed and it is making a commotion. In Toronto, for instance, the court of revision and the assessment department are being haunted by those who object to the assessment of their incomes.

A great many new tax payers are in prospective, because the new law only exempts the young man, not a householder, to the extent of \$400. All he earns over that sum is taxable, and in a city like Toronto there are thousands of them.

It is a question whether there will be more taxes under the new law. It was designed to be fair and to afford more revenue, and if it does not lead to this result it will be a disappointment. It may be that in Kingston there will be a loss. Some of the large taxpayers are being spared taxation to a remarkable extent, and it is doubtful whether the amount they are saved will be made up by the smaller taxpayers, and especially by those who have now been added to the assessment roll for the first time.

The business tax appears to be a success. It is a substitute for the personal tax which was always objected to. It was hard to collect. It was harder still to accurately define. Now a man's stock is not taken into account, but the premises in which the stock is kept. Its valuation, for the purpose of taxation, is fixed, and the business tax is the percentage authorized in the act, the figures varying according to occupations.

The poll or statute labour tax goes, and it is a good thing for the collector. But it will be more than made up by the gains from income and on all sums over \$400 in each case.

Editorial Notes.

A lot of artificial stone walks are going down and a lot of civil debt is going up.

An ingenuous woman ordered a tramp off, and because he did not move fast enough she shot him dead. Now she is fighting a charge of manslaughter.

Balfour is keeping the politicians guessing. Now he is going to resign and now he is not. Is the country ready for an election if he sent the trotters off?

Lawson advises no young man to invest his small savings in stocks. He cannot afford to gamble with his limited possessions, and Wall Street

Spirit of the Press.

One View Of It.
Hamilton Spectator.
A salary of \$7,000 a year might make some leaders of the opposition content to remain in opposition.

Wild With Delight.
Toronto Telegram.
The weather man is acting as if he didn't care what he did since being sentenced to Ottawa for life.

After The Boys.
Montreal Herald.
Toronto alderman is advising all young men to get married so they can what?—pay taxes. There's a left handed invitation for you.

Party Can't See It.
Hamilton Herald.
There should be no objection to the payment of a salary to the leader of the opposition. But the salary ought to be paid by his party.

Fat Jobs.
Toronto World.
Examiners in the senate will get \$7,000 apiece from the grateful country as long as they live. Verily, politics is beginning to pay.

Ungrateful Man.
Brockville Recorder.
K. L. Borden is very unkind to some of his newspaper supporters. He has introduced a bill making it a criminal offence to circulate campaign lies in print.

Strange Ruling.
Toronto News.
A Kansas judge has decided that a woman has the right to search her husband's pockets for loose change. Some husbands should apply for an order for discovery of his wife's pockets.

Baseball On Monday.
National League. At New York, 4; Cincinnati, 3. At Brooklyn, 8; St. Louis, 7. At Philadelphia, 6; Chicago, 7. At Boston, 5; Pittsburgh, 1.
American League. At Columbus, Boston, 7; Detroit, 1. At Cleveland, 7; Washington, 1. At Chicago, 2; Philadelphia, 1. At St. Louis, 5; New York, 16.
Eastern League. At Baltimore, 5; Rochester, 2. At Providence, 7; Toronto, 2. At Jersey City, 2; Montreal, 1.

Answers His Accusers.

Senator Chauncey M. Depew, before sailing from France for New York, said: "On my arrival in New York, I shall answer every charge against me in connection with the Equitable matter. My conscience is perfectly clear. I have done nothing wrong and do not fear to face the music made by my enemies."

George Prossert, walking delegate of the National Teamsters' Union, was shot dead at Staten Island by non-union men.

A parliamentary committee will investigate Rider Haggard's plan for locating Salvation Army colonies in Canada.

Colgate's Monad violet toilet soap, 15c. Colgate's Cashmere bouquet soap, 10c, and 20c. McLeod's Drug Store.

Gaynor and Greene, the alleged United States embezzlers, will not appeal again to the privy council.

A famine of napkins will tie up many industries in the central southern provinces of Russia.

Poca-Cola for headache at Wade's Soda Fountain.

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The Mail is on the fence. It is doing what it can to justify the salary grab. The only fault it finds is that the amount is too large. Mr. Borden does not say so.

Hon. Mr. Monteth is going to reorganize the fairs. They can stand it. Some of them have become rank enough. They are not really fairs but rendezvous for fakirs.

Sir Mackenzie Bowell has been in political life for about forty years. And he has been in the thick of the fight all along. He deserves a rest. Long may he enjoy it.

T. C. Platt, senator, political boss and man of wealth, at seventy-two admits regretfully that life has not been altogether satisfactory. "It could have been better," he remarks. Is his the wail of the average politician?

The controller of the Equitable refused to give the chairman some information he desired regarding the company's side lines and was dismissed. It's time for a change when an underling undertakes to hold up the boss.

The license inspector accepted office with the announcement, in many places, that he would give the license holder a solemn talk and that there would be no violations of the law. And there are complaints. Are they not justified?

Chauncey Depew is a man of nerve as well as eloquence. At a time when he is under the searchlight, and some disclosures have been made to his discredit, in the Equitable's affair, a pamphlet has been issued with gems from his political speeches. He is out for another term as senator, and if public opinion does not change he will stay out.

The body of John Paul Jones—or the alleged remains of the naval hero—have arrived at Annapolis. It has cost about \$100,000 to find the relic and convey it to America. A year hence it will be interred in the permanent place that is now being erected. And all the while there is a grave misgiving that the body is not Jones'. No wonder there is a subdued feeling in naval circles.

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