

SECOND READING OF HOME RULE BILL

(Canadian Press.)
 LONDON, Mar. 10—The House of Commons was packed yesterday and Prime Minister Asquith was loudly cheered when rising to make his statement upon the Irish situation on the second reading of the Home Rule Bill. He said those who supported the measure were convinced of its soundness, its principles and its machinery. They regarded it as an attempt at once sincere and considerate to place upon a solid foundation the fabric of Irish self government. They believed if placed upon the statute book tomorrow its practical operation would involve no injustice or oppression either to classes or individuals in Ireland. He emphasized the view that if he came forward now with suggestions which if accepted would require substantial additions and supplementary provisions, it was not because the Government was running away from it but because above all things they were anxious for a change which he believed was inevitable in the Government of Ireland if they should start

IMMIGRATION LAWS DISCUSSED IN COMMONS

(From Our Own Correspondent)
 OTTAWA, Mar. 9—Dr. Paquet moved for all correspondence in connection with the inspection of immigrants pleading for stricter inspection of the health of newcomers.
 Dr. W. J. Roche, Minister of the Interior in consenting to the production of the papers said that while our immigration law is rigid it is undoubtedly true that a number of undesirable succeed in securing access to the country. He noted that most encouragement is given to agriculturalists, farm laborers and domestic servants. The Government was anxious to secure as many as possible of these people. The Minister believed that the immigration laws are more stringent and more strictly enforced than are those of the United States. On the occasion of his trip to England he had visited Ellis Island, New York, and had discussed immigration matters with the United States Commissioner of Immigration. This official frankly admitted that Canada is getting a better class of immigrants than the United States. This was particularly true of the arrivals from southern Europe. Mr. Roche pointed out that before an immigrant reaches Canada he must pass medical examinations by the British Board of Trade and medical officers of the steamship companies before going on board a steamer and while enroute, and finally the inspection of the Dominion Government on arrival. The steamship companies he said are endeavoring to get a clean bill of health because they are responsible for the deportation of immigrants rejected on arrival. In the past the steamship companies have been criticized for not paying sufficient salaries to maintain a proper medical staff. Recently the rate had been increased and the inspection in consequence much improved. Dr. Roche remarked that it was a more difficult matter to ascertain the moral character of immigrants. All reasonable precautions were being taken in this regard. In closing he said that he was anxious to see the system of medical inspection improved and was taking as much personal interest in the matter as his time would permit.

CIVIC ELECTION HOTLY CONTESTED

(Canadian Press.)
 FREDERICTON, N. B., Mar. 10—In the closest civic elections in the history of the city, Moses Mitchell was elected mayor yesterday by a majority of twelve over W. E. Farrell. Both candidates have been in civic life for some years and a close contest was expected. The final count was 680 to 668 with only seven changed votes necessary to switch the result. It is said tonight that a recount may be demanded on behalf of Mr. Farrell.

Land for Sale

One hundred acres freehold land for sale, up-to-date house and out-buildings. New pump windmill attached. Fields are laid off square ten and twelve acres each. Used three hundred and twenty dollars for fertilizer last year.

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Don't scold your fretful, peevish child. See if tongue is coated; this is a sure sign its little stomach, liver and bowels are clogged with sour waste. When listless, pale, feverish, full of cold, breath bad, throat sore, doesn't eat, sleep or act naturally, has stomach-ache, indigestion, diarrhoea, give a teaspoonful of "California Syrup of Figs," and in a few hours all the foul waste, the sour bile and fermenting food passes out of the bowels and you have a well and playful child again. Children love this harmless "fruit laxative," and mothers can rest easy after giving it, because it never fails to make their little "insides" clean and sweet. Keep it handy, Mother! A little given today saves a sick child tomorrow, but get the genuine. Ask your druggist for a 50-cent bottle of "California Syrup of Figs," which has directions for babies, children of all ages and for grown-ups plainly on the bottle. Remember there are counterfeiters sold here, so surely look and see that yours is made by the "California Fig Syrup Company." Hand back with contempt any other fig syrup.

THE CIGARETTE TO BE BARRED

OTTAWA, Ont., Mar. 10—It was well on to eleven o'clock when Mr. Andrew Broder moved his resolution to abolish the importation, manufacture and sale of cigarettes. The member for Dundas said that he knew that the sentiment for individual liberty was strong in Canada. But the question was whether it was not time that the strong should make a sacrifice for weak. Fifty years ago he said, the first cigarettes were brought to the United States by two Cuban students. In the six months previous to December 31, last there had been used in that country 8,000,000,000 cigarettes. It might be said that this problem should be settled in the home. But it was had for the mother to lecture the boy, when the father was smoking in the corner. Mr. J. H. Burnham of Peterboro did not defend cigarettes, but feared that the words of the resolution would include pipe smoking as well. He also had a word of criticism for the women who were backing up Mr. Broder. "They would be better," he said, "if they would exercise some self control in dress." The Premier spoke frankly on the resolution. He said that he doubted the wisdom of placing such drastic legislation on the statute books. It was said that the present Legislation was not enforced. But if that were the case, he did not see how Mr. Broder could hope to get his proposition enforced. He was willing, however, to have the whole subject fully

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"PAPE'S DIAPEPSIN" IS QUICK-EST, SUREST INDIGESTION CURE KNOWN.

You don't want a slow remedy when your stomach is bad—or an uncertain one—or a harmful one—your stomach is too valuable; you mustn't injure it with drastic drugs. Pape's Diapepsin is noted for its speed in giving relief; its harmlessness; its certain unfailing action in regulating sick, sour, gassy stomach. Its millions of cures in indigestion, dyspepsia, gastritis and other stomach trouble has made it famous the world over. Keep this perfect stomach doctor in your home—keep it handy—get a large fifty-cent case from any drug store and then if anyone should eat something which doesn't agree with them; if what they eat lays like lead ferments and sours and forsores gas; causes headache, dizziness and nausea; eruptions of acid and undigested food—remember as soon as Pape's Diapepsin comes in contact with the stomach all such distress vanishes. Its promptness, certainty and ease in overcoming the worst stomach disorders is a revelation to those who try it. discussed, and he therefore moved as an amendment that a committee of fifteen be appointed to consider the matter and to take evidence. Hon. Frank Oliver and Mr. C. J. Thornton, supported Mr. Broder's resolution and then the Premier's resolution was carried.

FENIAN VETERANS IN NOVA SCOTIA

(Canadian Press)
 OTTAWA, Mar. 10—The Board feels justified in passing favorably upon such claims in the proper form made by applicants from the Nova Scotia militia regular corps which were enumerated in the previous part of the report except the tenth Pictou and Third Queen's Regulars. Such is the finding of the Board to enquire into the investigating of claims of applicants for the Fenian Raid volunteer bounty in Nova Scotia. As the whole male population in the province, between 16 and 45, enlisted in 124 regiments, it is seen why the Fenian Veterans were so numerous in that province.

HOUSEHOLD HINTS.

Rub the ends of the ribs of the umbrella with vaseline where they are fastened. This prevents rust.
 Baked apples are delicious with their cores filled with orange marmalade or chopped nuts and sugar.
 Make kitchen aprons with a flat seam, stitched on both sides, so that there is no right or wrong, and time will be saved both in washing and in looking for the right side of the apron.
 If possible, all market packages should be opened out on the back porch or in the laundry, as there are sometimes roaches that find their way into the kitchen by means of the grocers' packages.

Useful New Invention Enable Anyone to Play Piano or Organ Without Lessons.

A Detroit musician has invented a wonderful new system which enables any person or little child to learn to play the piano or organ in one evening. Even though you know absolutely nothing about music or have never touched a piano or organ, you can now learn to play in an hour or two. People who do not know one note from another are able to play their favorite music with this method without any assistance whatever from anyone.

This new system which is called the Numerical Method, is sold in Canada by the Numerical Method Music Co., of Canada, and as they are desirous of at once making it known in every locality, they are making the following special free trial and half-price offer to our readers. You are not asked to send any money until you have tried and are satisfied with the new method. The Numerical Company is willing to send it to you on one week's free trial, and you will not have to pay them one cent unless you desire to keep it. There are no express charges to be paid, as everything will be sent by mail. Simply write a letter or post card to the Numerical Method Music Co., of Canada, 169B Curry Hall, Windsor, Ontario, saying "Please send me the Numerical Method on seven days' free trial." If you are satisfied after trying it, the Method and fifty different pieces of sheet music will cost you only \$5, although the regular prices of these is \$10. You should not delay writing, as the Numerical Company will not continue this special half-price offer indefinitely. Later on the Method and fifty pieces of music will be sold at the regular price.

NOTICE OF ANNUAL MEETING

The General Annual Meeting of the Shareholders of the Charlottetown Condensed Milk Company, Limited, will be held in the Board of Trade Rooms, Market Building, Queen Street, in Charlottetown, on Wednesday, the 18th day of March, 1914, at 3 o'clock p. m., for the election of Directors and the transaction of general business. Dated this 10th day of March, 1914. SIMON W. CRABBE, President.

AUCTION SALE BY BENJ. CARTER & CO.

We are instructed by Louis D. Carson to sell on his farm Brookfield, Lot 32, on THURSDAY, March 12, 1914, commencing at 1 o'clock, p. m., sharp, the following Stock, Crop and Implements: STOCK—1 General Purpose Horse, 1 Cart Horse, 5 Milch Cows, 2 Heifers, 1 Bull, 1 Brood Sow. CROP—4 tons Hay, a quantity Straw, 150 bushels Seed Oats (white), 100 bushels Blue Potatoes, 50 bushels Early Potatoes, a quantity of Turnips. IMPLEMENTS—1 Plough, 1 Spring Harrow, 1 Spike Harrow, 1 Scuffler and Moulder combined, 1 Seeder, 1 Buggy, 1 Driving Wagon, 1 Truck Wagon, Cart, 1 Wood Sleigh, 1 Pung Sleigh, 1 Cutter, 1 Robe, 2 sets Driving Harness, 1 set Double Harness, 1 set Work Harness, 1 Cart Saddle and Breaching, Hay Fork and Rope, and lots of other articles not enumerated. TERMS—All sums of \$5.00 and under, Cash; over \$5.00 twelve months credit. BENJ. CARTER & CO., 1548-3-7 m sat mon wed 3i Auctioneers

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