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LORD DUNDONALD'S SPEECHES AND INTERVIEWS AIRED IN PARLIAMRNT.

Hon. Mr. Borden Defends the Commander of the Militia from Mr. Bourassa's Attacks—Sir Wilfrid Laurier Declares, However, That the General is an Officer of the Government, and Subject to Criticism.

OTTAWA, May 5.—At the opening of the house to-day Sir Wilfrid Laurier's bill to increase the poll tax on the Chinese was read a third time.

On motion to go into supply Mr. Bourassa brought up some of the speeches and interviews of Lord Dundonald since coming to this country. He read extracts from his speech in Hamilton from an interview in Toronto and from a speech at the Dominion Rifle Association meeting to show that major-general commanding was arrogating to himself duties which belong to the minister of the department and not to an official of the government.

At the D. A. R. meeting, for instance, he spoke of spending of millions on the militia. Now the question of expenditure was one which lay entirely with the minister who was responsible to the people and not to the irresponsible head of the department.

Sir Frederick Borden in reply said that he did not find any fault with Lord Dundonald for anything he had said in Hamilton. Lord Dundonald said that it was too late when the storm came to prepare. With that sentiment the minister agreed. To say, as Lord Dundonald had, that every battalion should be ready when the button was pushed, was also approved of by the minister. Neither did Sir Frederick quarrel with him when he said that the militia were too long living on promises and not performances, but when Mr. Bourassa said that the officer commanding was a servant of the people and an official of the government of Canada he entirely concurred.

In the past years there was a misappre-

hension on this question. Some three years ago the first minister was compelled to lay before parliament what were the duties of that officer in this country. The reason Sir Frederick said that imperial officers were appointed in some ways for the position here was that they came without any experience in the war office in dealing with the executive, they came from a narrow sphere under the command of a superior officer to a position for which they were not suited.

It ought not to be forgotten that the major-general commanding in this country was appointed by order-in-council and an officer of the Canadian government. Although an imperial officer that did not give him any independent authority in this country.

After a number of speeches on the subject, Mr. Clarke, Toronto, made an attack on Bourassa for bringing the matter up.

Sir Wilfrid Laurier did not agree with what Mr. Clarke said in this regard. The premier said that Lord Dundonald was a brave officer, conscientious and painstaking, but it should always be remembered that the general who commands the militia was always entitled to come under the consideration of parliament, whatever his merits. He was an officer of the government, whose duty it was to make his recommendations to his minister and upon that point there could be no mistake. The matter then dropped.

Nearly all day the house was taken up with a discussion of the congestion of traffic along of the Canadian Pacific in the west. The debate was monopolized by the western members.

STEAMER ASHORE.

PHILADELPHIA, Pa., May 5.—The Indian river life-saving station, which is located seven miles below the Delaware Breakwater, reports a three masted steamship ashore a half mile from the station. A wrecking tug has gone to the steamer's assistance.

BUILDING BOOM AT N. SYDNEY.

SYDNEY MINES, May 5.—The building boom that is anticipated this summer has already begun, and a number of houses are under construction, including half a dozen business blocks, which will be added to the list of commercial institutions.

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ROCK-SLIDE KILLS TWO MEN.

SYDNEY, C. B., May 5.—Two men lost their lives in a rock slide at the quarries of the Dominion Iron and Steel Company at George's river, yesterday afternoon.

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COLUMBIA SHOWS HER SUPERIORITY

Over the New Cup Defender Reliance

So far as Work in a Light Wind and a Smooth Sea is Concerned—Showed Herreshoff's Latest Production Her Heels.

GLLEN COVE, L. I., May 5.—It required just 30 minutes for the peerless cup defender Columbia to demonstrate today that in a light wind and beating to windward she is a better boat than the new Herreshoff cup yacht Reliance. Starting from a position to leeward and slightly astern of the Reliance the Columbia sailed through the new boat's lee, tacked across her bow and in the next leg of a mile and a half increased her lead to nearly a quarter of a mile. The Reliance then withdrew. When the Columbia went through her lee the Reliance kept off and voluntarily gave up the advantage of her windward position, but she was none the less decisively and emphatically out sailed. This was the first brush between the two boats. The sea was as smooth as a pond. The two boats with the Constitution had been put out for a spin in an air that was a little better than a calm. The Columbia left her moorings here shortly before 3 o'clock and stood off into the Sound.

A quarter of an hour later the Reliance got under way at New Rochelle and still later the Constitution left Glen Cove for a spin. The boats were five miles apart and moving slowly. After sailing about in that fashion for a while, the Columbia headed for Glen Cove at 4.30 o'clock and sailed in a light southwest wind.

Reliance had caught a freshening breeze and setting a big jib topsail went romping off down the Sound to head off the Columbia. Ten minutes sailing carried her to a point a little ahead of and to the windward of the Columbia.

Both boats carried instead, staysail, working jib and small topsail. Reliance was carrying a reaching jib topsail, while the Columbia wore a baby one, better fitted for windward work. Reliance held her position only a few minutes. As the breeze freshened the Columbia drew up on her rival in astonishing fashion, ran by her to leeward and in ten minutes was leading the new boat by lengths. Columbia heeled easily while the Reliance stood up much more stiffly, though carrying more canvas.

With the Columbia leading under her lee bow, Reliance kept off and fell into her wake nearly 200 yards astern. As they tacked, both boats took in their jibs and stood across the mouth of the harbour, the Columbia to windward and leading. Though Capt. Barr gave the Reliance a hard pull and then pinched her into the wind the Columbia steadily drew away from her, seeming to go faster and sail nearer to the wind. Both boats held on this tack for about eight minutes, and then Columbia came about and headed for her moorings.

Reliance followed her about in about half a minute, and then the Columbia's lead became apparent. She was a quarter of a mile ahead, Reliance followed in her wake, but the Columbia was easily dropping her seeming to carry the better wind. Half way to the moorings the Reliance tacked and started for New Rochelle meeting the Constitution, which had taken no part in their first brush.

It is clear that, despite her greater sail area, the Reliance is outclassed by the Columbia in a light wind even if the sea be smooth, though her greater sail area, made possible by her powerful hull, was expected to enable her to give a good account of herself even in the Sound zephyrs. She stood up too stiffly, while Columbia quickly went down to her sailing lines.

To day's performance raises grave doubts whether Designer Herreshoff's second attempt to build a boat to beat the Columbia is any more of a success than his first.

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POLICIES, WILL AND GOWN LOST.

TORONTO, May 5.—Two life insurance policies on the life of the late Mr. Justice Lount, his will and his gown have been lost.

TO INCREASE YOUR WEIGHT.

IF YOU are thin, weak and emaciated and want to increase your weight, you should try Dr. Chase's Nerve Food. You can feel it doing you good from day to day, as it strikes at the root of troubles and creates new rich blood. You can prove that it builds up new tissue and adds flesh if you weigh yourself each week while using it.

LOOTED BY MARKED ROBBERS.

ONE CRY, May 5.—A gang of a half dozen masked men drilled and blew the safe in the Farmers Bank here last night and secured the contents, including, it is said, a large sum of money and many valuable papers. The robbers found and gagged a citizen who appeared on the scene while they were at work.

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