

Pro-German Press in Alberta Becomes the Subject of Strong Resolution in the Legislature

**T. M. Tweedie of Calgary Refers to the Lack of Action by
the Sifton Government as a Disgrace to the
Province at Large**

Adjournment of the Legislature was about to be made when Premier Sifton alluded to R. B. Bennett's speech at Calgary blaming the provincial government for not prosecuting the Edmonton paper issued in a foreign language which is said to be publishing pro-German articles.

Mr. Sifton regarded the matter somewhat lightly and said the Federal government should look to it.

Mr. Tweedie, Calgary, in a spirited speech, declared that as the matter is clearly defined under the criminal code, it is the absolute duty of the provincial attorney-general's department and of the Sifton government to take action; and if they required it they would be given every assistance by the Federal authorities.

Mr. Tweedie said the whole proceeding is a disgrace to the province of Alberta.

The house could not prorogue, but had to adjourn until 3:30 o'clock, when a resolution on the subject of this alleged treason will be introduced.

Arising out of the premier's statement in the legislature this morning, T. M. Tweedie of Calgary this afternoon moved and A. F. Ewing seconded: "That in the opinion of this house immediate steps should be taken by the government of the province through the department of the attorney-general to suppress the publication of the Alberta Herald and to prosecute those guilty of treason or sedition in connection with the publication therewith."