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JAMES McISAAC.

"Messrs. Hepler, Wise and Gross have made good use of their time in visiting the settlements at Beaver Lake, Egg Lake, St. Albert and other points. They return to South Dakota but not for long. All have taken up homesteads in the Egg Lake dis trict and confess to having had their eyes opened as to the fertility of this northern country. The fact of seeing green corn, ripe tomatoes, grain and grasses of all descriptions in abundance is a relief to them, having come from a timberless and alkaline waste parched with continued drought. They will probably bring 15 families back with them, we say probably because some of them will in all probability not be able to

The Ottawa Citizen, commenting upon a statement of the San Francisco Call to the effect that 1837. When Daniel Webster advocated a duty of 40 cents in order to keep their output out of the States, denies that these mines are in the same condition as fiftyseven years ago. "The absurdity of the statement," the Citizen says "is evident from the fact that their output, even within the past twenty years, has more than doubled. And it is quite evident that Messrs. Whitney & Co. were of a different opinion as to the value of the mines, even with a protective duty on, when they paid the large sum they did in 1893 for the bulk of the working coal properties in the Province. That the investment was a good one is proved by the directors' report, made last December which Dominion company."

markets compels transportation citizen; a most obliging and courhalf across the continent. They teous official and a most genial ought not to have this market, ex-cept by becoming a part of this he was a generous, large-hearted nation, and the surest way of man, whose death we feel sure, of American citizenship along Province who has had to do with with the profits of it." Mr. him either personally or in his offi-Laurier is not unaware of these cial capacity. He was born in Liverfacts. He had ample evidence on pool in 1840, his father being Mr. on terms which would be virtual poser, John L. Hatton, of London. plates the base surrender demand-ed by the New York paper quoted, in Montreal and at St. Hyacinthe,

or he is deceiving his own party. in the Province of Quebec. Short-Anything so shocking and terlong time as the loss of life gueille, Que, as an apprentice. He throughout northern Minnesota, caused by the forest fires. The reports from Hinckley are estimated from that time until November, financial statement submitted, reports from Hinckley are especially lamentable, but it is likely the whole truth is not yet known, as telegraphic communica- way between River du Loup and July 1st 1892 to July 1st 1894 tion is destroyed and newspaper squared ausaescan. From November the amount of money received was representatives have been unable by wear a mount of the same mouth in 1881, \$245,671.48. Of this sum \$155, to reach the scene of the calamity An eye-witness, who escaped from November 1881, to May 1887, he went to the Supreme Council, and the place, descripes the district around as a corpse strewn waste. The towns of Pine City, Mission Creek and Pokegama have also been laid in ashes, and many families in these places have shared the fate of the hundreds who the death of the latter in 1887, perished at Hinckley. Minnesota is not the only state that has suffered, for Wisconsin and Michigan tims to the furious conflagration. Although the protracted drought is made to bear all the responsibility for this heartrending visitation, surely there is reason for an investigation looking to future prevention of experiences which gineers. He was married in 1866 longed till 3 o'clock Friday mornare of regular occurrence in the northwestern states. The fate of Hinckley may at last arrest official attention, which has so long ignored a truly terrible danger.—

Sister of Alexander Cart Leaves a widow, two sons and two leaves a widow, two sons and two tender. daughters to whom we tender our sympathy in their sad be-

No arguments are needed to prove the superiority of Canadian coal for steaming in all warships on the Pacific. Recent discussion has practically settled the ques-But a report which comes from Port Townsend is of sufficient interest in itself to attract fresh interest around the subject. monitor, Monterey, has been experiencing something worse than annoyance with Seattle coal, which being of soft composition, is of course inferior for steaming purposes. The report of the Monterey's officers state that the vessel having a powerful forced draught the Seattle coal before igniting was carried from the Seattle coal before igniting was carried from the furnace cover into the smokestack, which The United States coast defence

THE HERALD became almost redhot, sufficient to crack and peel the paint. The upper deck is of solid steel three inches thick, covered by heavy planking. The deck became so Catholic Mutual Benefit Association of Canada opened in St. John following is a translation, was Editor & Proprietor. edge of the boilers charmed so that N. B., on Tuesday the 4th inst., sent to the Pope : they had to be removed and re- and closed on Friday the 7th. can possibly use the fuel, and even of the Rocky Mountains in the then it will not make or hold west. This admirable Catholic steam as well as the British Col- Society has now upwards of ten umbia coal. It has been long thousand members and two hunanticipated that the United States dred and thirty-eight branches in warships on the Pacific wil! be Canada, embracing all classes and compelled to use Canadian steam-conditions of men; bishops and

ing coal.—Empire.

has reduced the elevator rate at farmers, etc., all united by the Fort William from one and a bonds of fraternal charity. quarter cents to three quarters of a cent a bushel, at twenty days of the local branches assembled at gates and their lady friends, together storage. The rate for lumber the Mechanic's Institute at nine from the Lake of the Woods o'clock on Tuesday morning. region to Winnipeg, which was Thence they marched, escorted by formerly fifteen cents per hundred bands of music to the Cathedral pounds, has been reduced to ten to attend solewn High Mass. ents a hundred; points further west in proportion. This reduc-William. Commenting on these E. Corbett directed the cerefacts the Hamilton Spectator says:

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selves the season's sales of coal by the selves the friends of the Manitoba the convention was called to order by the Grand President, Mr. O. K. Fraser, of Brockville, Ont. The The Montreal Gazette reprints It is our sad duty to record to-the following from the Waterville day the death of Joseph L Unsthe following from the Waterville day the death of Joseph L. Chis (N. Y.) Daily Times, and intimates that it is either foolish or dishonest for Mr. Laurier to go on honest for Mr. Laurier to go on talking about reciprocity in the delegates to St. John. He delegates to St. John. He considered it a most pleasing duty to do so, and expressed the hope that their visit there would be tably entertained at the residence of that their visit there would be the property of the clearings were larged in the reach the river but the property of the clearings. Revenue, on Douglas Avenue. trusted that the result of their face of such declarations. "This though not in vigorous health of late, Mr Unsworth had been concentry is the most natural mar—late, Mr Unsworth had been confined to his house but a little over benefit St. John, but also the can reach it by short south lines a week previous to his death. Mr Dominion. He referred in fitting Branches, and to the citizens of St. John benefit St. John, but also the Dominion. He referred in fitting Branches, and to the citizens of St. John benefit S romantic scenery of the place. In ors. conclusion he thanked the delegates for their kind attention compelling annexation is by keeping them out of the market until they will take the responsibilities way of the market until they will take the responsibilities but by everyone throughout the categories and once more welcomed them to st. John. The Grand, President the Convention, and Bro. I imothy of the delegation o thanks for the hearty welcome. Mr. Carleton, on behalf of the local branches, welcomed the the matter before the last general delection and since, that no reciprocity would be granted except sister of the celebrated music comas those from the shadows of the annexation. He either contem- He emigrated to Canada when a Rockies" in the west. He said that everything that was possible had been done for the pleasure of the delegates and hoped they ly after leaving school in 1855, would carry away pleasant rehe entered the service of the Grand Trunk Railway at Lonmembrances of this city. continued in the employ of that the regular business of the con-

The roll was then called and Causacscan. From November the amount of money received was he was a master mechanic on the 321.29 was paid out to familie same line at River du Loup. From of deceased members; \$78,020.44 was mechanical superintendent of the Prince Edward Island Rail- serve fund. Since the formation ter schooner Effic M. Murray picked way, besides being acting Super- of the Grand Council in Canada intendent during the protracted fourteen years ago---394 members illness of the former Chief the have died, and the total amount late James Coleman, Esq. On paid beneficiaries was \$723,000.

The convention met each day at Mr Unsworth was appointed 9 o'clock, and attended to business, Chief Superintendent, which posmorning, afternoon and evening, ition he filled with honor to him- with intermission for meals only sessed more than ordinary ability, committe of the whole. The elecregarding railroading and ma- tion of officers for the ensuing two chinery; and was a member of the years, took place on Thursday Canadian Society of Civil En-evening, and the session was proto Mary Jane Lomas, daughter of Adam Lomas, Esq. Woolen manufacturer of Sherbrooke, Que., and led, and the convention adjourned were too exhausted to put the lit. When the Gloucester schooner Nereid, Captain D. S. McLean, was seventy miles off Bay Bulls, they came across a small, handline sister of Alexander Galt Lomas, sine die.

On Wednesday forenoon, the convention was honored by a visit from His Grace Archbishop O'Brien, His Lordship, Bishop Sweeney, and Rev. Dr. Murphy of Halifax. The visitors received an ovation. His Grace expressed his pleasure at being invited to visit the convention, and hoped their deliberations would redowned to the master, Captain Eli McKay, the most of the good of the association. He knew they would carry away with them pleasing impressions of wed to a neighboring vessel to wisit the most of from His Grace Archbishop THE late Councillor Robertson, whose death, under most heartrendering circumstances, we record ovation. His Grace expressed his n another column, was an energetic and successful business man, and the convention, and hoped their the morning of the 17th ult, after the was one of the most widely known deliberations would redowned to crew were all engaged in fishing, and most popular of our citizens. He took a lively interest in public

THE ninth biennial convention St. John, N. B., Sept. 4

To this the following reply was received on Thursday Rome, Italy, Sept. 6, 1894.

The Most Holy Father grants' his apostolic benediction most lovingly to the Grand Council of the Catholic Mutual priests, judges and lawyers, doctors, members of Parliament, The Canadian Pacific railway journalists, merchants, mechanics, M. CARDINAL ROMPOLLA.

with members of the local branches and their ladies were given an excursion up the river on the steamer David Weston. The weather was charming and the outing was much enjoyed. The city cornet band furnished delightful music, thus There were about four hundred men in the procession exclusive of adding much to the pleasure of the ion, which means much to the the bands. The streets through afternoon. The French representacompany, is in response to de- which they passed were lined with lives entertained the party with the Rainy River district. At Mr. mands in Manitoba for cheaper rates for grain storage and lumber carriage. The rate for storage High Mass, coram Episcopo, was at Puluth is half a cent a bushel, at Puluth is half a cent a bushel, celebrated by Rev. T. Casey, assist-but there are said to be other charges which bring the rate higher than that charged at Fort deacon, respectively, while Rev. The corporation of the party sang Auld Lang Syne and higher than that charged at Fort deacon, respectively, while Rev. Corporation of the party sang Auld Lang Syne and they fled to save their corporations are the corporation of the party sang Auld Lang Syne and four children were the party sang Auld Lang Syne and flames, and they fled to save their corporations. companiment.

On Thursday afternoon, a number President called upon Mayor of the ladies accompanying the visit-Robertson who heartily welcomed ing delegates, and some of their city

terms to the labors of the Bishop John generally, for the hospitality of St. John, and he touched on the and courtesy extended to the visit-

Brother James Berry of the St. replied; and on behalf of the dele-gates tendered their most sincere Globe. Mr. O'Brien is head of the firm of T. O'Brien & Co., Booksellers, etc., St. John.

> The delegates from this Province were Rev. A E Burke, Alberton, Rev D J G McDonald, Summer-

The chief Marshal of the proer Mr. Thos. Kickbam, formerly of

The St. John Globe says a more distinguished gathering has never been convened in that city.

The next convention will be held in the city of Ottawa, two years hence.

Tales from the Sea.

Advices from Newfoundland show that Gloucester vessels have been very unfortunate in losing men in the dense fogs which have prevailed. up Lewis Devine and Joseph Atwood. They belong to the Gloucester schooner Bessie D Devine, of which

Captain A. Devine is skipper. The infortunate men had been adrift in their dory six days and nights and were terribly exhausted. For two days in the fog they rowed around seeking their vessel or any other. They then started to row for the putting out a drag at night, and in the other four days they rowed 125 miles and were in sight of land though not in reach of it, as it was blowing a half gale off shore and they were too exhausted to pull against

they came across a small, handline dory, with a solitary occupant, hatless, coatless, no oil clothes. One broken paddle and a leaky dory, two days and two nights drifting fiftyfive miles from his vessel, exposed

after forty-eight hours' exposure he parts of the province the growing On the opening day of the convention a cablegram of which the following is a translation, was were lost from the Gloucester schoon- Quebec, there are general fears er Dora A. Lawson. On August rot and the Early Rose has already 26th all hands were out setting their suffered to a considerable extent. placed by solid coment. The coal There were delegates present To His Holiness Prope Leo, Rome, Italy:
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trawls when a Spanish barque passed that when a Spanish barque passed that from Prince Edward Island in the sociation of Canada, now in session in this oity of St John, N B, bowing humbly below to possibly use the finel and even of the Bocky Mountains in the level time. It subsequently appeared that they gave the Spaniard what fish they had in their dory and were paid in acreage in the United States under gin. Another dony crew near by, potatoes has increased from 2,605, noticing that the other two men ap-

peared to have some trouble, advis-ed them to go aboard and they would total yield is placed only at 147,000-To Mgr. John Sweeny, Bishop of St John, ed them to go aboard and they would set their gear. This offer was de-clined. Some time later the dory was missed, and though the weather ed to 183,000,000 bushels. Canada was fine, with smooth, water, and a last year sent a large quantity of dory could be seen for two miles if potatoes to the United States, the afloat, nothing could be seen of them, and there does not seem to be exports having gone principally them, and there does not seem to be any doubt that they capsized. It is year Nova Scotia and New Bruns conjectured they filled their water wick promises less than average ar with Spanish gin, and drinking yield, while the crop of Prince E1from it, became incapable and thus

### Fires in the West.

Particulars have recently reached Manitoba has every reason to Winnipeg of the destructive fires in lives. While running down the Corduroy road along Grassy River, these days. The Canadian Pacific railway has materially reduced the freight rates on lumber, and has knocked a cent a bushel off leevator charges on grain. Frost has not injured the crop. And Sir John Thompson, by sending to Manitoba a large supply of penitentiary made binder twine, has burst the corner in twine which was arranged by Sir Oliver Mowat's Central prison factory and the other twine makers in the combine. The Canadian Pacific Railway and the Dominion Government have both proved themselves the friends of the Manitoba railway and the Dominion Government have both proved themselves the friends of the Manitoba railway and the Dominion Government have both proved themselves the friends of the Manitoba railway and the Dominion Government have both proved themselves the friends of the Manitoba of t

and many others. At one time the town of Fort Francis was threatened and in imminent danger, but citizens friends were given a sail down the fought off the fire and after a des-harbor to Mahogany Island. In perate battle with the flames saved escaping only with the clothing they wore. There was no insurance on any of the houses burned, and being shelterless without means to begin with, their circumstances are most ercment to afford reitef to the suffer

cession was a Prince Edward Island- award, the imperial acts and orders instructed by Sir C. H. Tupper not to have anything to do with the vessel, under circumstances; there beirg no offence, and it is not at all improbable that an action will be brought by owners of the Wanderer, gainst the commander of the Britsh gun boat for damages for unwarranted interference, as in the Newfoundland case of Baird ve. Walker, where the British admiral was held responsible for acting without statutory authority. In the Wanderer's case the United States crusier apparently took advantage of an aggreement made between the imperial and United States govern ments, permitting the sealing up of arms and ammunition on sealing vessels in order to rebut a presum tion of guilty intent. The Canadian government objected to this arrangement as likely to lead to the embarand not the mere possession of fire arms was prohibited. The very thing the Canadian government

best wishes for its success, and he and his hat blew off. The wind unfavorable reports are also receivbest wishes for its success, and he and his hat blew off. The wind unfavorable reports are also receiv-sincerely hoped it would prosper. increased, and it poured rain, and ed. In the central and eastern Quality ward Island, although in fairly good condition, will not be excessive Toronto Times, Aug. 31.

### Manitoba's Wheat Crop

proud of it's magnificent crop this year. There will be close on to twenty million bushels of wheat, Order nearly five millions more than last year, and every particle has been Changeth. saved without the slightest damage from frost or wet. The great bulk of it will grade No. 1 hard. Of seventyfive cars received recently from all points by the Ogilives, seventy-two graded No. 1 hard. Fifteen million means at the present low prices

Accident.

The most shocking accident that has ever happened on the Prince Edward Island Railway was that which occurred at Kensington, on Thursday last, by which Charles E. Robertson, C. C., lost his life. Mr. Robertson, in company with about sixty others, left this sitty others, left this sitty others, left this sitty others. city about ten o'clock, on board a special train, to attend the races at Summerside. During the trip Mr. Bobertson was the life of the company, baving as was his wont a joke or plea distressing. William Young, of Rat Portage, left there Friday night by speak to some friends. Meantime the steamer for the burned district. He is commissioned by the Ontario gov-toget on. He appears to have been about the last, and attempted to board ercment to afford relief to the sufferers.

Sharp Yankee Trick.

An Ottawa despatch of the 4th inst., says great surprise is felt there at the recent arrest in Behring, sea leave to the last, and attempted to board the train by the front platform of the rear car. He grasped the railing; but missed his footing and fell between the car and the platform, holding on as long as possible to the railing. He finally dropped, escaping the forward wheels of the car; but the two wheels of the hindmost truck passed over both last, and attempted to board the train by the front platform of the rear car. He grasped the railing; but missed his footing and fell between the car and the platform of the rear car. He grasped the railing; but missed his footing and fell between the car and the platform, holding on as long as possible to the railing. He finally dropped, escaping the forward wheels of the car, but the two wheels of the car, but the two wheels of the residual to the car and the platform, holding on the car and the platform, as long as long as possible to the railing. He finally dropped, escaping the forward wheels of the car, but the car and the platform of the car and the platform, holding on the car and the platform, as long as long as possible to the railing. He finally dropped, escaping the forward wheels of the car, but the car and the platform of the car at the recent arrest in Behring sea Rev D J G McDonald, Summer-at the recent arrest in Behring sea legs, close to the body. The accident side, and Mr. James McIsaac, Ch' of the British Columbia sealing was witnessed by about a dozen men on of the British Columbia sealing schooner Wanderer. It appears that the vessel had complied with all the regulations imposed by the Paris award, the imperial acts and orders in council and proper period, August 1st, when she could legally hunt in Behring sea. The Wanderer proceeded thereto seal with spears acceeded thereto seal with spears according to law. She was arrested by a United States cruiser on the by a United States cruiser on the discovered that both legs were terribly charge that there was found in her mangled, especially the left one. rocession one shot gun and amuni- unfortunate man was quite conscious procession one shot gun and amunition. The vessel was brought to Victoria and handed over to a British gun boat. The result has been that the vessel's business for this season has been totally destroyed and a great loss incurred by the owners. As soon as particulars of the charge reached the marine department, Collector Milne, at Victoria, was instructed by Sir C. H. Tupper not the horse anything to do with the happened till the leg was amputated. About half an hour afterwards he died. The train remained at Kensington till about 1 o'clock and then proceeded to The remains of the deceased were brought to the city by the mail special

on Thursday evening, arriving about 7.20. The station was crowded and immense throngs lined the streets, leading thereto. The casket containing the remains were carried to the hearse of Mark Wright & Co., and conveyed to the home of the decreased as Keet the home of the deceased on East Euston Street, followed by an immense crowd of friends and acquaintances. The funeral took place on Saturday afternoon, to the People's Cemetery, and was very largely attended. The police, City Councilors and oficials, the Firemen and Salvage corps walked in procession. The casket was borne on the Salvage Corps waggon, which was elegantly decorated with flowers. The Pall-bearers were: H. M. Davison, Percy Pope, W. D. McKay, Charles Lyons, Donald Nicholson and Charles McGrayor, Most of the stores were

Sir Charles H. Tupper received a

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machinery, the rap of hammer, and the ras, of saw fills the air; busy workmen are turning out the fine ber 31st every year.

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