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Trade throughout the Dominion has recently shown a big improvement over the corresponding period of last year. Business reports the number of business failures in Canada during the past week as thirty-one, against forty-two a year ago.

Dr. Daniel and Mr. Crockett tried to explain to a Montreal Conservative audience on Saturday how it was that the Liberals carried eleven of the thirty-seven New Brunswick seats in the last Federal election. No doubt the audience followed the narrative of the two survivors with a mournful interest.

### HOPETOWN

Mr. Walter Thompson, who returned from New York some time ago, is spending a few days at home. Mr. Percy LeGall, who recently made a commercial tour through the maritime provinces, is taking a rest at his home in St. George's.

Mr. Gavin McRae, who met with a serious accident in a saw mill last summer and has his right hand literally amputated, is regaining some of his old humor and the wound is about healed.

The descent to the shore here, on which considerable work has been expended, has been somewhat damaged by the recent rains and heavy seas. The Willing Workers meet on Friday evening, when the advisability of having a social on Christmas eve will be decided and there will be a practice of Handel's Oration, "Messiah Part I."

Today we have had snow fall to the uniform depth of seven inches. Groves, fields and fences are clad in white. All Nature out of doors looks so pure, so silent, we are glad. The trees in the grove seem to say "Children you were in white" when you played under our outstretched branches, now you are in colored in winter robes and we are white.

### DOUGLASTOWN

The engagement is announced of Miss Beatrice Lerah to Mr. D. Rooney. Mr. Ambrose Gault has just moved to their new home, which will now bear the name of "Charlie Castle." The many friends of Mr. Herbert Maloney will be sorry to hear that he had the misfortune of crippling his race horse that he was preparing to race with the well known race horse owned by Mr. Oliver Morris.

The engagement is announced of Mr. Duncan Morris to the widow of the late A. Thompson.

We are glad to say that Mr. H. Kennedy is quite recovered from his severe attack of typhoid.

Mr. H. A. Gaul has just arrived home from visiting friends in Montreal.

We are sorry to hear that Mr. L. McKeay, who has been sick for the past two months is now not expected to recover.

Miss Ida Morris is visiting her

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## BUDGET SHOWS

## HANDSOME SURPLUS

Hon. Mr. Fielding Announces \$20,000,000 Surplus During Year.

## A FINE SURPLUS

OTTAWA, Dec. 12.—It is understood that there will be a record surplus and no tariff changes announced in the budget, which Hon. William S. Fielding will present to parliament on Tuesday.

The government had several reasons for abstaining from tariff changes this year. The last Canadian tariff is too recent to make changes advisable, and it has been the policy of the government to keep the tariff as stable as possible for the general benefit of Canadian trade. The only change, practically, will be those expected through the Franco-Canadian treaty.

The present situation of Canada and the United States in regard to the tariff makes it inadvisable to make radical change in the tariff this year. In this connection, it is felt in government circles that the sentiment in the United States and in Canada will prevent a dislocation of trade by the United States putting Canada on the maximum list under the provision of the latest tariff of that country.

In this connection it is interesting to note that in the first two months of the new American tariff there has been, according to Canadian figures, an increase of some \$11,000,000 in the value of goods imported from the United States and an increase of \$2,750,000 in the exports of Canada to the United States, compared with the months of August and September last year.

These increases are in proportion to the recovery of trade with other countries from the depression of last year. The net result is that the new American tariff has made no difference so far in the trade relations of the two countries, though there is no telling what the result would be if Canada were placed on the maximum list by the American authorities.

In his last budget speech, the best that Mr. Fielding would predict for the current year was a revenue of \$29,000,000. The indications are that the revenue will be close to \$30,000,000.

During the year there was a large decrease in expenditure, amounting to some \$9,000,000. In consolidated account and \$12,000,000 on capital account.

Improvement of this year over last should be close to \$20,000,000. The surplus of revenue over ordinary expenditure which the finance minister will be able to offset, shadowing the deficit of twenty million dollars. This will leave only the expenditure on account of the National Transcontinental to be met out of capital account.

It is expected that the budget will last throughout the week and the naval bill will not come up for discussion until after the holiday recess.

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**PERSONAL**  
Mr. Vane McDonald who was attending the St. John Business College returned home Saturday morning. A. G. Adams & Co. is in town. Robt. McNair's former Bessinghough man but now of Vancouver, B. C. was in town this week renewing old acquaintances.

Mr. H. Stewart and Wm. Currie are in P. I. in N. B. today attending the funeral of the late Laughlin McCurdy. Mrs. Robt. McNair and Mrs. Geo. Sweet left this morning for P. I. in N. B. to attend the funeral of their uncle, the late Laughlin McCurdy. A. J. Melanson of Jacques River, was in town Friday.

Mr. Brian of St. John was in town on business this week.

Clyde Lutz was in Charlottetown on business Thursday.

Mrs. H. H. Bray who has been visiting friends in Sussex, has returned to her home here.

Gen. Ross of Shediac was in town last week.

The skating at Doherty's pond has been excellent for the last few days, and many skaters will be sorry to see the snow of today.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Balne of Sussex are visiting friends here.

**DALHOUSIE**  
The St. John's Literary and Social Club met on Friday evening. The conveners of the different committees were appointed for the ensuing quarter.

**Social**—Miss L. Hadden. Literary—Miss L. Miller. Reception—Miss Jean McNeil. Refreshments—Mrs. C. Powell. Visiting—Mrs. G. Seely. Devotional—Miss B. Montgomery. Musical—Miss Chris. Wallace. Programme—Mr. Ernest McKay. This business being over the programme was proceeded with.

The first number was an organ solo by Miss Jessie Wallace, after which Miss Hadden gave a reading entitled "The Drama Ladies." Next a solo "Life's Pathway" by Mrs. C.

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## CANADA'S DESTINY

"A Nation Within the Empire."  
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There must be few men under the British flag—in whom the imperial idea is more happily incarnated by birth, position and personality than it is in the Hon. Rodolphe Lemieux, Postmaster General of Canada, who is at present in London conferring with Mr. Sydney Buxton on matters connected with the improvement of the postal and telegraphic communications between the Dominion and the Mother-country.

By a descent from a French family which left Rouen 300 years ago to settle in Canada, Mr. Lemieux stands as a reminder of the fact—too often forgotten—that the British Empire owes its greatness not to the expansive instincts of the home nation alone, but to the same power that raised Rome from a city-State to the dominance of the world—the power of incorporating and welding into its own structure all that is best and hardest in the peoples that have come within its widening boundaries.

## Man of Grand Conception.

By position Mr. Lemieux indicates the method in which the Empire will be rendered stronger yet in years to come. A statesman of the young Canadian nation, he has come here to discuss with the Government of the Mother-country the best means of multiplying and strengthening the bonds of affection that bind the two nations together, as a prudent son might come to a wise father for friendly advice and counsel.

And, lastly, in his personality Mr. Lemieux stands as a type of the man who has made the Empire great. Forceful, alert, a man in whom grand conceptions and a rapid organization are allied to a cool, even judgement, and the gift of a charming personality, Mr. Lemieux is worthy to fulfill the high duty of helping to guide the early days of a nation that stands yet only upon the threshold of its destiny.

Among the matters that have brought him over here, he said, is the project of establishing an all-red service of fast steamers between this country and Canada and between this country and Australia. It would be a institution of great value in strengthening the ties that bind the Colonies to the Mother-country. We in Canada are enthusiastic for the scheme.

You ask me whether the sentiment that was once frequently advanced that the "ultimate destiny" of Canada was incorporation with the United States, has any hold upon public opinion in Canada. No sane man in Canada—Mr. Lemieux spoke emphatically—thinks today and few besides the most irresponsible of jingoes in the United States. We Canadians are and we intend to remain, a nation within the Empire—London Mail.

ford, Miss Montgomery gave a reading entitled Mr. Pratt.

During the social half hour the game called the "Musical Romance" was engaged in. Numbers were passed around forming the audience into groups of five.

Group eight comprised Misses M. Kerr, E. Potts, N. Robinson and Joseph N. Wallace and Mr. J. H. Croft. They were provided with a box of candy for having sent in the most complete set of answers.

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