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THE ST. JOHN VALLEY RAILWAY.

The project to construct a railway down the valley of the St. John river has been before the people of New Brunswick for some years now.

Various schemes, chiefly of the "wildcat" genus, have been put forward from time to time for the construction of this road, all of which have died a sudden death as soon as the occasion which called them into existence had passed.

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THE LUCK OF GREAT BRITAIN.

The luck of Great Britain's diplomats is traditional. Time and again—a contemporary points out—has England appeared to blunder into a course which has brought her allies territory and prestige.

The latest triumph is to be found in the treaty made by France and Germany over Morocco. Although not even mentioned in the pact it now turns out the unsuspected, but real beneficiary is Great Britain.

There is a clause which provides that no fortress shall arise at Tangiers or Ceuta to dispute with England the Mediterranean gateway.

For years it has been feared by Britain that some European power would come into possession of the African Pillar of Hercules.

The new agreement assures England that Morocco will never be in strong hands, and makes certain that a rival will not arise to dispute the supremacy of the key to the Mediterranean.

England has scored all round on the subject. In the original agreement between France and England which led to the Moroccan imbroglio, France waived her objections to the occupation of Egypt by the British, and England in return endorsed the pretensions of France in Morocco.

England has secured a quit claim

deed, from France to Egypt, but the republic through German intervention falls to come into possession of Morocco, thus securing England in her dominant position as mistress of the Straits of Gibraltar.

The turbulent organs of the provincial opposition at St. John are exceedingly "wrathful" over the effect which the straightforward answer of Premier Hazen to the advocates of prohibition had upon the general public.

It is satisfactory to learn that the contract for construction work on the hydro-electric development of Grand Falls has been given out and that the intention of the company is to proceed vigorously with the work.

SCOTT ACT TICKET ADVOCATES MEET

Rev. Dr. McLeod, L. W. Johnston, W. J. Osborne and R. T. Baird Gave Addresses at Church Hall.

A public meeting in the interest of the Scott Act ticket was held at the Church Hall last evening.

The chair was taken by Mr. Thos. Collier, who, after making a few preliminary remarks, called upon the chief speaker of the evening, Rev. Dr. McLeod. The Doctor was in good form and delivered a rousing speech, which called forth much applause.

The contest now on was not a contest of men, therefore personal considerations should not be allowed to enter into the campaign, but those who voted for the Scott Act should not fail to vote for those candidates who had pledged themselves publicly to carry out the enforcement of all laws and including the Canada Temperance Act.

A dog poisoner was not a good citizen and could not get a set of men to represent him at the City Council and prevent the law taking its course.

The Doctor closed his address with a strong appeal to the voters to cast their ballots for those men who had pledged themselves publicly to faithfully administer the affairs of the city and to the enforcement of all laws.

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HOW THE PEOPLE'S MONEY IS SPENT

(Continued from Page 6) quiry and was led to believe that the previous owner had parted with it because he had no use for it, having other property.

Mr. Crockett—It was all said and done. Mr. Pugsley—He says not. He says there is ballast of stone and gravel, and probably a million feet of crib-work, not new, of course, but a million feet must have cost a considerable sum.

Mr. Crockett—How much is it intended to spend? Mr. Pugsley—\$3,000 at present. Shippegan Harbor—Improvements in Shippegan Gully, \$3,500.

Mr. Crockett—There was an expenditure of \$5,691 on this account last year. Among the items I see Loggie, W. S., rope, \$21.89; spruce, \$17; shingles, \$13.75; hardware, \$75.94; a total of \$132.47. Is that the honor member for Northumberland?

Mr. Daniel—Is Mr. Loggie a part of it? Mr. Pugsley—Yes, the company was incorporated twenty years ago.

THE ONTARIO BANK.

Shareholders Liable to a Call to Meet the Deficit of \$600,000.

Toronto, March 1.—Ontario Bank shareholders are being notified by the liquidators that they are liable to a call to meet the deficit, about \$600,000. The exact amount is not known, but it is estimated that the call will be somewhere in the neighborhood of \$5 cents on the dollar.

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Advertisement for Royal Worcester Crown Derby and Shute & Co. 686 Queen St.

Advertisement for Fowler's, 'A Word to the Wise is Sufficient'. Sale prices for cash only.

Advertisement for Yerrax's Sweet Oranges, '30 and 35 cts. Peck'. Lists various fruit products.

Advertisement for Canadian Pacific, 'Special Low Rates Daily During March and April'.

Advertisement for 'For Chapped Hands' by Hunt & MacDonald, Dispensing Chemists.

Advertisement for Graphophones and Records by Barrett's, 'Call and See our Complete Line of Disc and Cylinder'.

Advertisement for Anderson & Walker, 'New Spring Suitings'.

Advertisement for D. J. Shea, 'The Plumber Who Expresses Himself'. Includes illustration of a plumber.

Advertisement for Still Going On, 'Our great slaughter Transfer Sale still bring the crowds'.

Advertisement for Lucy & Company, Ltd., 'The Question is: Why Haven't you got a Monitor Generator'.

Advertisement for The Monitor M'fg Co., Ltd., 'The Monitor Generator is acknowledged to be the best and most up-to-date Generator'.