

It fell to Mr. Powell this year to make the budget speech.

The items of decrease were: Ale, beer and porter, \$22,071; animals living, \$16,113; carriages, \$25,866; cereals and sugar, \$17,750; clothing and millinery, \$7,150; hardware and china, \$11,593; fruits (green), \$16,658; fruits (canned), \$38,681; jewelry, \$2,407; musical instruments, \$9,981; paper and materials of, \$9,981; provisions, \$1,000; butter, cheese and lard, and meat, \$107,647; sugar of all kinds, \$47,493; molasses, \$8,456; vegetables, \$9,942; wood, manufactures of, \$10,042.

It would sound like the prosperity of Canada in 1892 and 1893 as compared with Great Britain and other countries. Coming to the expenditure the estimate for the year 1893 was \$38,168,000, the actual expenditure was \$38,814,952. The income was \$38,168,000 so that the total expenditure taken from the total revenue is what had been a pleasant surprise. The government had a very tidy surplus of \$1,354,556 to be carried to capital

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| Asses on "copper wheels" per cwt. | | 10 p |
| Autumnal apples, bushels | 80 p | |
| Bacon, salted, hams, 100 lbs. | 75 p | |
| Bellows and electric light | 30 p | |
| Stamped tinware and stamped ironware | 25 p | |
| Farm wagons, demountable | 30 p | |
| All other carriages | Mixed | 35 p |
| Cattle, head | Mixed | 35 p |
| Pipe organs | Mixed | 25 p |
| Woolen goods | Mixed | 25 p |

Raw sugar up to No 16 Dutch standard is made free as in the United States. If refined sugar is reduced from 8-10ths of a cent per pound on the duty of about 30 per cent.

Duty on sugar candy is reduced to 35 per cent.

In cottons, cotton batting and sheet wadding, the duty on which is mixed, it is made 25¢ per lb.

If the duty on cotton cloth is now one cent a yard and 15 per cent., it is made 93¢ per cent.

The duty on dyed and colored cotton, which is now 2 cents a yard and 15 per cent., is reduced to 25¢ per cent. ad valorem. Cotton cloth is now sold at 30¢ per cent. All cotton articles are brought to the same rate as wool.

The duty on collars, which is now 25¢

Parboso heavily laden with coal, which left for St. John in last Friday's reverse storm. The schooner Gazelle left for St. John on Friday morning but headed for Queco for a harbour and reached St. John Sunday evening. The other two have not since been heard from. The Star is being captained by John Smith, a young man of Cape Breton, who has a son, Capt. D.-Mont, aged 17. Parboso, an Irishman, and a lad belong to Springfield. The Marie Delphine had on board besides Capt. Smith, a mate, a cook, a steward, Samuel Reimond, aged 16, and Norrie Ogilvie, aged 22, all of Parboso. The register of the Marie Delphine was transferred from Quebec City to Sackville in May 1891.

CHREMBAY AT MINUIDE:—Thursday farmers at a meeting held on—Minuidie arrived at 10 o'clock on Thursday at that place in the spring with a capital of \$2,000. One hundred shares at \$10 each were sold. The stock of the Minuidie is well suited for the purpose being great grazing and farming country.

The Sabbath services in the Methodist churches were conducted in the morning by Rev. Mr. Patterson, in the forenoon in Jellison by the Rev. Mr. Desmont and in Fort Lawrence by Rev. Mr. Flemming in the vestry in the afternoon by Rev. Mr. Desmont. At the Point de Butte church the service was under the auspices of the Women's Missionary Society. The Rev. Leonard Carter presided and Rev. Mr. Pickles was able to attend and take part in the meeting. The Rev. Mr. Desmont, of the Point de Butte, Dalps of Mount Allison who spoke especially of the missions to the French Roman Catholics, and the Rev. Mr. Desmont of Sackville who spoke particularly of the work in which he had been engaged among the Indians of British Columbia, were of great interest. His address was very interesting. Miss Olive of Mount Allison also read an excellent paper on the subject of the missions to the Indians. Mrs. W. Jones gave a reading and recitation on the same thought. The singing as usual was very good. The collection was \$10.00. The large chairs had to be carried into the aisles. Collection 25 cents.

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DOUGLAS SEARS.
Upper Sackville, Feb. 22, 1894. 3m

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