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(From Thursday's Daily Sun.)

THANKSGIVING DAY. (Psalm 107.)

O give thanks unto the Lord, for he is good; for his mercy endureth for They that go down to the sea in ships, that do business in great wat-

These see the works of the Lord, and his wonders in the deep.

For he commandeth, and raiseth the stormy wind, which lifteth up the

They mount up to the heaven, they go down again to the depths; their soul is melted because of trouble. They reel to and fro, and stagger

like a drunken man, and are at their

desired haven. for his goodness, and for his wonder-Let them exalt him also in the congregation of the people, and praise him in the assembly of the elders.

He turneth rivers into a wilderness,

and the water springs into dry ground;
A fruitful land into barrenness, for wickedness of them that dwell turneth the wilderness into a

standing water, and dry ground into Doth glorify its humble birth And there he maketh the hungry to dwell, that they may prepare a city for habitation:

And sow the fields and plant vineyards, which may yield fruits of in-He blesseth them also, so that the

are multiplied greatly; and suffereth not their cattle to decrease. Materially Canada has good reason

to celebrate this Thanksgiving Day. The country, everywhere and in every today with the most satisfactory department is prosperous as never before. The sky and the earth have been kindly and barns and granaries from kindly and barns and granaries from guns, the Dreadnought fired her ten coast to coast are bursting with their and twelve inch guns, first singly, then store; the wheels of industry are re- in pairs and finally all eight of volving at a rate unprecedented; the nation's trade is at flood and is rising full service charge of 265 pounds of rapidly; work is plentiful everywhere and wages were never so high.

But material things are not all; nor are they the greatest. It is not wealth structure and only slight damage to that exalteth a nation. The foundation of national greatness is national ture. Admiralty officials are most character; and if the foundation be pleased with the outcome of the trials rotten, the beauty and richness of the superstructure shall not avail to keep WOODSTOCK WILL HOLD

And some sad light has been thrown on our national character during the past prosperous year, particularly during the last few weeks. Revelations of political corruption and of business immorality in high places have come with shocking force and frequency. Men of good repute and of high position in both political parties have been so involved that, were the public conscience sensitive and true, they must have become outcast, But what have we day evening in the Town Hall. The C.

It is true that Canadians have much to be thankful for; but for nothing should they bow their heads in more hearty thanksgiving today than for drawing the popular Hobo train meets the high and blessed assurance that "His mercy endureth forever."

(From Thursday's Daily Sun.) ROBERT BURNS.

If Robert Burns could have known that one hundred and ten years after he died, men in a country he possibly never heard of, certainly never thought of except as a savage wilderness, would be building monuments in

his honor, his death-bed would no have been so desolate. But the fame he so avidly craved, came too lateas it so often does and though it has grown world-wide and will never cease to grow while human hearts can be ouched by love and beauty, how sad a thing it is that Burns' own reward

as so pitifully meagre. One short winter of feasting and adulation—and that prompted more by the desire of Edinburgh society to ionize so strange a freak as a peasant poet, than by any genuine appre ciation of his genius-that was all Burns reaped materially from his great gift. From his youth on his father's unfertile farm to his death at the early age of thirty-seven, the rest of his life was one unremitting grind of toil and bitter penury. But the world has reason to give thanks today that his soul was not bound by his body's sordid shackles; that through all the clouds it was able to see sunshine and to sing.

A stranger contrast than is provided by the daily life and the poetry of Robert Burns, history has never shown. The one was low, the other lofty; one was weak, foolish, wicked. almost contemptible, the other is strong, noble, beautiful. And yet the enigma is not insoluble. Every man bears the answer in his own breast. Every man knows what it is to be able to see the good, and still to follow after the evil. Burns' vision was clearer than the most, but also his human nature was stronger than the most, so that he oscillated continually between the extremes of righteousness and wrong, between the heights where the light is not of this earth and the uttermost depths. But the soul of the man was swee

and true, and always tremblingly sen sitive to all that was beautiand pure. And frail body of him-the eyes that lusted and the lips that lured and the hands that wrought his own ruin—is dust and ashes this hundred years. We can afford to forget that now. The harsh discords of his human life have melted into the exquisite and immortal harmony of his songs-those we have and rejoice in, the other we can leave with his Judge, to whom Burns, more than most men, has the right to say, with Omar of old:

"Oh, Thou, who didst with pitfall and Beset the path I was to wander in:

Thou wilt not with predestined evil. sh and then impute my fall to

It is for the poet that the monumen s being unveiled in Fredericton today, the poet of the common things, under whose genius the field mouse and the mountain daisy took on immortality. and before whose manly soul the trap-Then they cry unto the Lord in their pings and gauds of humanity fell away trouble, and he bringeth them out of so that, under the purple of a king or their distresses.

He maketh the storm a calm, so us the "man for a that." The Scots us the "man for a that." Then they are glad because they be of New Brunswick have done well to quiet: so he bringeth them unto their so honor this greatest Scot-though they have no exclusive right in him, for he is greater than any countryeven than Scotland. The best appreciation of him has come not from his own people but from the English Wordsworth:

Fresh as the flower whose modes He sang, his genius "glinted" forth, Rose like a star, that, touching earth,

With matchless beams.

DREADNOUGHT'S TRIAL TRIP A GREAT SUCCESS

PORTSMOUTH, Eng., Oct. 18.-The British battleship Dreadnought car ried out her gun trials in the open sea sults. Officers of the highest rank and experienced in ordnance matters were present. After the tests of the lighter composing her broadside, simultane ously. Each gun was loaded with the cordite and an 850 pound projectile. The vessel stood the strain of the enor mous broadside splendidly. There was not the slightest disturbance to her

(Special to the Sun.)

WOODSTOCK, N. B., Oct. 18.-Tw housand people attended the Grand Hospital benefit supper tonight in the Armory. The proceeds are estimated

The Board of Trade has arranged for and the telephone companies are under fire and the citizens in general eem keyed up in an abnormal degree of frenzy. Certainly the telephone vice has lately been unsatisfactory and the action of the railway in withwith disapproval.

ST. PETERSBURG. Oct. 17.-The Monarchists' congress now in session at Kiev, discussing the election law yesterday, placed itself on record as posed to any parliament and in fafor of a return to a regime of unlim-



NEBRASKA WOMAN MAKES LIVING AS THE VILLAGE BLACKSMITH



Philip P. Wilcox, a stender little woman, weighing scarcely over one hundred pounds, is the village blacksmith
of College View, Neb. She learned her

Toad shops of Ottawa, Kan., because
they wanted him to work on Saturday,
the day he observes as Sunday.

One day a farmer led up a mettlesomewhat unusual trade from her hus- some young horse to be shod. Mr.

Having taken up the work at first of the animal, but its owner shook for pleasure, Mrs. Wilcox found her head. health steadily improved with the exercise, and decided to keep the little "I'd rather Mrs. Wilcox would do this blacksmith in the country, though she some way. Maybe it's the way she dmits this is one part of the work | talks to them." which is a little distasteful to her her marriage, and now holds a teach-

er's certificate. shall not teach this winter, though," she said. "There is more ears threateningly at Mr. Wilcox's apmoney in blacksmithing. If some of proach. those poor, overworked teachers would

Seventh Day Adventists, Mr. Wilcox get out of the work."

Officers Not Watchful Says

Mass. Commissioners

EASY FOR DISHONEST MEN

Mr. Pierre Jau Tells Financial Men's

Convention of Extensive Defal-

cations—Suggests Improvements

ST. LOUIS, Mo., Oct. 17 .- One new

was given up to the meeting of the

pic Theatre. At the same time the

visitors, is about four thousand.

Memorial Hall

the association.

sident of the section.

Company of St. Louis.

LINCOLN, Neb., Oct. 17.-Mrs. having resigned his place in the rail-

Wilcox went forward to take charge "If you don't mind, Phil," he said, Wilcox blacksmith shop open one sum- job. The colt seems to have a weakner while her husband was away ness for her. He nearly kicked the working in the railroad shops. Her shop down when a man tried to shoe success was so marked that she has him in Lincoln a few weeks ago, but kept at the work ever since. She can when Mrs. Wilcox did it before he a horse as well as any other acted like a lamb. She charms the

Mrs. Wilcox stroked the horse for a Mrs. Wilcox was a teacher before moment on the nose, and, talking gently to him all the time, began the work, the animal offering no resistance whatever, though he had laid back his

Noting the look of surprise cause try this business once they would by the ease with which she wielded a never go back to the schoolroom again. heavy hammer, Mrs. Wilcox smiled. I'm bringing up my girls the same "It's not so much strength," she way. The eldest is an expert bicycle said, "though of course I'm a hundred repairer now, and the younger two are per cent stronger than I was when I also good at the business. The oldest began this work. It's more in knowgirl has a bank account that she earned from bicycle repairing."

Mr. and Mrs. Wilcox are staunch

proportionately similar and when you consider that perhaps town Thursday. two out of three of the minor embez- Mrs. Hiram I zlements never reach the surety comnanies but are made good by relathe United States every day in the enjoyable thimble party Friday even-

"Small as many of these irregularities or embezzlements may be, the frequency with which they occur and the long period which some of them cover create a situation which deserves, and is receiving, the careful attention of bank directors and officers all over the Ernest Weldon, who we country. In the first place, let us remember that no man can embezzle without the opportunity, and while it is possible to devise a system which shall be embezzlement proof, it is nev-ertheless the duty of those in charge only to their depositors and stockhold-

lished?
"First—By establishing a thorough system of accounting. It is evident that in order to devise such a system one must be familiar with the business done by the bank or trust company and with the local or special conditions under which it is done.

case of bank embezzlement every day "A proper system of accounting will in the year was the average estimate prevent more embezzlements than a proper system of auditing will disof defalcations made by Pierre Jay, close, and if will save many a naturally honest man from yielding under commissioner of banking of Massachusetts, addressing the convention of the American Banking Association here yesterday. The commissioner declared that there was no way to pre"Second—The best accounting sys-

vent dishonest bank clerks from tem obtainable having been installed, stealing enormous sums, but that an the entries made under it should be accounting system in each financial in- audited as frequently as possible. The stitution would check the thefts. So system of auditing however, as well as great has stealing become among bank the system of accounting, should be employes, the commissioner said, that devised by some one really expert in it deserved the consideration of the such work.

"In thinking the matter over it has This is the thirty-second annual occurred to me that it would be perneeting of the association. Yesterday feetly feasible for a number of banks in a city, a district or a state, nationtrust companies section, in the Olym- al banks, savings banks and trust companies combining together if desirable savings bank section met in Schuyler to form a mutual auditing association, Hundreds of prominent bankers, re- the year and conduct audits of the which should employ accountants by presenting every state and territory, members of the association, assessas well as United States dependencies, them only the actual cost of the

them only the actual cost of the audhere as delegates and officers of its. the association. The total attendance, "If an experienced bank auditor were notinging delegates and unaccredited placed at the head of such an associaisitors, is about four thousand. tion, and a thorough auditing system.

This was the eleventh annual as- were instituted the work could be done embly of the trust company section, as well as if done by certified public and was called to order by Clark Wil- accountants and at about one-third liams, vice president of the Columbia the cost. I do not mean by this Prust Company of New York, and pre- minimize in any way the value of ex-The Rev. Wm. aminations and audits made by expert McKittrick delivered the invocation, accountants.

which was followed by the address of "While proper systems of accounting welcome, made by Festus J. Wade, and auditing will never altogether prepresident of the Mercantile Trust vent defalcations, they will at least accounting the state of the mercantile trust vent defalcations, they will be the state of the state o Tompany of St. Louis.

Mr. Jay said in part:

"The president of a large surety loose systems, and they will, I believe, company recently told me that his serve to detect most irregularities in their early stages.

"But however serious such defalcations of the last 21 "But however serious such defalcations of the last as a powerful deterrent on those who might otherwise take advantage of loose systems, and they will, I believe, serve to detect most irregularities in most of her sails as well as both

are eight or ten other surety commay be, they are not to be compared
panies issuing fidelity bonds to bank in disastrous results with the making lorne's deck. The vessel is being reemployes, which are probably having of excessive or unsound loans and infitted and will sail in a few days.

its by trusted officers of banks of which Chicago, Philadelphia and Boston have each had such flagran cases during the past few months, and which has caused the failure of nearly bank which has gone down in ormal times.' sident Clark Williams of New

York said: "Some good may come from the catastrophe of the Real Estate Trust Company failure at Philadelphia and the Stensland Bank at Chicago, if only in the practical lessons we may learn of lasting benefit. Nothing could more onstrate the wisdom of the policy in advocating adequate state

"It seems to have been so lacking in this particular case that the trust companies of Pennsylvania are con sidering the advisability of calling a general convention to demand relief from the present unsatisfactory con-

"With the insurance investigations as a background and with the knowledge of the circumstances surrounding the failures at Chicago and Philadelphia, there has come an awakening of public sentiment, which demands in no uncertain terms a keener appreciation of responsibility by our financial insti-

A committee of three was appointed to act jointly in conjunction with the executive committee in bringing about some feasible and proper plan for safe-guarding the issuance of municipal securities, and Mr. Babcock stated the method devised will be reported during the deliberations of the convention. The report of the committee on bette protection for municipal securities was delivered by Chairman H. P. McIntos president of the Gaurdian Savings and Trust Company, Cleveland, Ohio.

At the afternoon session of the trust company section Festus J. Wade. president of the Mercantile Trust Company of St. Louis, was elected president, and Philip S. Babcock, vice-president of the Colonial Trust Company of New York, vice-president. Ralph W. Cutler of Hartford, Conn., was chosen a member of the executive com-

The Tennis Club dance will be held in the Town hall, at the last of this

The milk dealers have combined and Geo. P. Searle, Keating Bros., Geo. E. Fisher, M. D. Monde, Gordon Bros. have raised the price of milk to \$1 per pint per month, or \$2 per quart home in Tracadie, Friday, after a visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs.

Edwards Howard Noble of Hardwicke, was in town last week.

Mrs. G. Mahoney of Tracadle is the guest of the Mises Jardine.

Mrs. John W. Miller and Mrs. Lewis of Newcastle were in town Friday.

The Society of the Conformity of the Holy Rosary was organized last Sunday, and its first meeting held in the pro-cathedral on that day.

Miss Lillie Sinclair has returned from

visit to Halifax Mr. and Mrs. Charles Rebolli, who have been the guests of Miss Lena Donohue, left on Thursday for their home in Worcester, Mass.

Mrs. Hiram Malthy has returned from Bathurst. W. F. Cassidy is having a new plate panies, but are made good by tives and friends, or are charged to profit and loss, I think I am safe in estimating that a new case of bank of embezzlement is being discovered in to glass front added to his store.

> Miss Willisten of Newcastle, who has been visiting Miss Tweedie at Elm-hurst, returned home Friday. Montreal left for Tabusintas on Thurs-Ernest Weldon, who went west with

the harvesters, returned home Monday morning.
Miss Hattle Gunning left Monday for Moncton to enter the hospital there. W. L. T. Weldon and Arthur Johnston have returned from the Charlottetown exhibition.

Frank L. Young of St. John was in tunities for embezzlement to the minimum. How can this best be accomplished?

W. and Mrs. John Rogers arrived in town Monday to attend the funeral of Mr. Hocken.

> Miss Lily Minehan has returned from a pleasant visit with Halifax and Prof. Gerald Prime of St. John were in town Thursday. Miss Eliza Noble of Hardwicke re-

turned to the Halifax Ladies' College last week to resume her musical Mrs. J. D. McNutt of Newcastle was

in town recently. John G. Brown of Vancouver is visiting his sister, Mrs. W. A. Loggie. Mr. and Mrs. Harry Staples of Proidence, R. L., and Mrs. McLean last week.

Miss Ryan was appointed teacher of the newly formed grade four class, and entered on her duties on Friday. Wm. Skidd brought in a moose head from Bay du Vin last week. A. H. Wetmore, superintendent of the Metropolitan Life, was in town

Mrs. Tweedie and Mrs. Ernest Hutchison have returned from St. John.
R. A. Snowball returned Saturday from a trip to Tabusintac Mrs. S. T. Wilson and Miss Lellie

Lawson are guests of Mrs. D. Lawson. Dr. Stansby and Mitchell Porter took trip out to the Beaver Brook region on Saturday, and yesterday they returned with a moose head measuring 58 inches between points. A number of young boys were before Magistrate Connors for killing chick-ens belonging to James Vanston, the

butcher, but the evidence in this case was not strong enough to convict them and they were let go. The schooner Lorne, Capt. Martin, returned to Chatham yesterday, having weathered the big gale off Miscou. The Lorne left here with a cargo of

SHIPPING NEWS.

PORT OF ST. JOHN.

Oct. 17-Str. London City, 1509, Funeaux, from London via Halifax, W heaux, from London via Hallax, Thomson and Co, general, Coastwise—Sch Golden Rule, Gough, from St Martins, and clear Eddle James, 78, D'Etremont, fr fishing cruise, and cleared; Helen M. 2, Mills, from Advocate Harbor; R I S. 74. Baird, from Parrsboro; Samue titia, 10, Shannon, from Grand Harbor Cleared.

Coastwise — Schs Annie Pearl, Star-key, for River Hebert; Hattie McKay, Card, for Five Islands; Swallow Ells, for St. Martins; Beulah Benton Guthrie, for Sandy Cove; barge No Wadman for Parrsboro. Bailed.

Str St Croix, Thompson, for Bosto via Maine ports, W G Lee. Sch Harold B Cousins, Williams, fo Philadelphia, John E Moore,

Shipping Notes. LONDON, Oct. 15.—Steamer Venus, (Br), Edmunds, from Gulfport via Norfolk, struck the pier in entering Barrow and received some damage to

Steamer Serbury (Br), Eno, from Baltimore for Copenhagen, before re-ported spoken in tow, was towed into with loss of propeller GLOUCESTER, Mass., Oct. 13. -

in from sea toward Inswich Bay this morning and then tacked, working to westward. Her mainmast was gor and foresail had been carried away as the mizzensail was bent on the fore-mast. The vessel is evidently trying

BOSTON, Oct 15-The vessel reportais, is now thought might be schr Earl D (Br), from French Cross, NS, Sept 27 for Boston, with wood, as wreck age and a trunk containing her papers have been found near Jonesport. Cap-tain Greaves lived here, with wife and

CHRISTIANIA, Oct. 7.-Ship Avanti (Nor), which stranded at Pensacola n the late hurricane, was fully loaded with timber for Buenos Ayres, and was awaiting spring tide to put to sea. CHARLOTTETOWN, PEI, Oct Schr Eventide (Br) is ashore at Pas-Schr Western Light (Br), which left Saturday for Merigonish in ballast, is

missing. On Saturday a vessel with all

sails gone was seen drifting near Northwestern light and may have been the Western Light. SHELBURNE, NS, Oct 15-A cable gram received here today announces the total wreck of the schr E A Post (Br) off the coast of Costa Rica.

Willemstad telegraphs that steame Oranje Nassau (Dutch), in consequence of a heavy gale, dragged ashore and became a total wreck (before report-

Ship Eskasoni (Br) form Manila for Royal Roads, before reported arrived at Hong Kong Oct 12 in tow, has fore and main ton and main topmasts sprung and decks damaged. Claim of \$10,000 for towing will be settled by arbitration. Bark Avonia, Porter, from Parrs-

oro, NS, Sept 3, has arrived at Holy-

VINEYARD HAVEN, Mass, Oct 16-Sch M H Read, from Stockton Springs rived here this morning full of water Reports last night vessel sprung a leak and the pumps failed to keep her free. She was towed to wharf

be discharged and an effort made to ocate and stop leak. Sch Edith McIntyre, Pinkham, from Stockton Springs for Vineyard Haven for orders, ran ashore on Hedge Fenshoal at 3 a m and was floated at a m by the tugs Mercury and Orion and towed here; vessel remains tight. Bark Antioch, Leland, from Baltimore for Boston, to load for Africa, which returned here yesterday from

Nantucket Shoals, will be towed Boston by tug Mercury. sail from Halifax at 12 o'clock night for Bermuda, West Indies, etc. The Thomson line str Bellona, Cap Grund, with a cargo of fruit from rived at Sydney Sunday evening

Ship Savona, now on the way from Havre to Newfoundland, goes from the latter place to Ship Harbor, NS, to load deals for Alfred Dickie. A London cable says: The salvage committee of the underwriters have asked Lord Sratheona to convey to the Canadian government their high preciation of the services the str Lady Laurier rendered to the str Hestia when wrecked last April.

The British str Peruviana, Mason, from Penarth for Boston, pu nto Queenstown today and reported having two men dead and four men sick on board. The deaths are alleged to have been due to ptomaine poison ing, but the vessel will be detained Str Nordfarer loads deals at Cap

E or E C I at 45c. October. Str Lord Inveagh, now on passage to St John, gets 42s 6d for deals to CE or ECI.

PORT OF ST. JOHN. Arrived.

Oct. 18-Stmr. St John City, from

London via Halifax, Wm Thomson and

Stmr Calvin Austin, Pike, from Boston via Maine ports. W. G. Lee. Domestic Ports. HALIFAX, NS, Oct 18—Sid, strs Halifax, Ellis, for Boston; Kathinka,

Thorsen, for Jamaica. SCILLY, Oct 18-Passed, str Bremona, from Montreal and Quebec for

ndon and Leith. KINSALE, Oct, 18—Passed, str Leuc tra, from St John, NB, for Liverpool ISLE OF WIGHT, Oct 17-Passed oark Luna, from Chicoutimi for Grims

MALIN HEAD, Oct. 18-Passed, st Bray Head, from Montreal and Quebec for Belfast. LIVERPOOL, Oct 18-Ard, strs Man chester Shipper, from Montreal

BELLE ISLE, NF, Oct 18-Str Vir ginian, from Liverpool for Montreal, BARRY, Oct 17-Ard, str Atlanten,

LIVERPOOL, Oct 17-Ard, str Dane, from Halifax and St Johns, MANCHESTER, Oct. 17 - Ard, str ontiae, from Hopewell Cape. PRESTON, Oct 17 - Ard, str Raum,

rachois, from Canada; Soborg, from Cape Tormentine. QUEENSTOWN, Oct 18-Sld, str Majestic, from Liverpool for New York. SCILLY, Ost 18—Passed, strs Mack. posed) Montreal, from Montreal and Quebec for London and Antwerp. SCILLY, Oct 18-Passed, str (supnaw, from Philadelphia for London; entrose, from Montreal for London

LONDON, Oct 18-Ard, str Hungarian, from Montreal.

LIVERPOOL, Oct 18—Sid, strs Manxman, for Montreal; Tunisian, for Mont-· 西川市市 (中の10日1日日

Foreign Ports.

CARTHAGENA, Oct 15-Ard, str Faff, from Labrador via Genoa. CHATHAM, Mass., Oct. 18.—Fresh east wind, clear at sunset. Passed south, Idaho, from Boston for Hull, Eng. via New York.

GLOUCESTER, Mass., Oct. 18-Sch Francis A Rice, from Weymouth, N S, for Providence. SALEM, Mass., Oct. 18-Ard, schs Ann Louise Lockwood, from Sack-ville, N B, for Philadelphia; Alice Maud, from St John, N B, for New

BOOTHBAY HARBOR, Me., Oct. 18 -Ard, sch Gazelle, from Annapolis, N

NEW YORK, Oct. 18-Cld, sch Dara, C. for Port Greville, N S. HAVRE, Oct. 17-Ard, str St. John City, from St John, N B, and Halifax for Loadon PORTLAND, Me., Oct. 18-Ard, sch

Rewa, from St John, N B, for Boston; from Stevens, ville, NB, for Vineyard Haven; Lotus, Granville, from Saint John NB, for and E Givan, from do for do. CITY ISLAND, Oct. 18 - Bound south, str Ragnarok, from Hillsboro, NB; schs Helen Hontague, from Saint John, NB; St Anthony, from Windsor, NS; Lavonia, from St John, N B.

Passed, sch Zeta, from Cheverie, N S, for New York. Wind, northeast, fresh. BOSTON, Oct. 18—Ard, str Silvia, from Hamburg: Sylvania, from Liver-pool; Prince George, from Yarmouth,

Schs Riviera, from Bridgewater, N S; Neva, from Digby, N S; Howard, from Port Clyde, N S; Irene, from River Hebert, NS; Silver Spray, from Rockport, Me; Portland Packet, from Beverly.

Cleared, schs Emma R Harvey, for Apple River, N S. Sailed, strs Cymric, for Liverpool; Idaho, for Hull, Eng. via New York; Monominee, for Antwerp via Philadel-phia; Boston, for Yarmouth, N S. NORFOLK, Va. Oct 18—Ard, str

Hestia, from Glasgow via St John, Schoner Sails Again VINEYARD HAVEN, Mass, Oct 18 ch Laura L Sprague, from Randolph, Me, for New York, which re-turned here yesterday with Captain Wixen stricken with paralysis, sailed today for destination in charge of Cap-

Storm Signals. BOSTON, Oct 18-The weather bus reau issued the following northes storm warning at four p m: Storm coast as far north as Cape Cod: the storm central is east of Florida and apparently moving north to northeast,

and will be very severe at sea.

FINANGIAL RETURNS FOR FISCAL YEAR

(Special to the Sun.) OTTAWA, Oct. 17 .- The work of compiling the returns for the last fiscal year has been completed. The revenue for the year amounted to exactly \$80,-189,360. In his budget speech the fin-ance minister estimated that the re-venue would be seventy-nine millions, so the year turned out \$1,139,360 better than he had predicted.

The total expenditure on consolidated account was \$67,240,641, \$740,641 more than Mr. Fielding estimated it would be. The surplus on consolidated account was \$12,898,719, which is \$398,719 better than the budget estimate. The expenditure on capital account totalled \$15,952,216, which is \$452,216 more than the estimate.

The addition to the net debt was \$818,811, or \$18,811 more than the calculation. It will be seen that the budget calculations were made with time of its delivery.

WHY CHEST COLDS ARE DANGEROUS

They lead to pleurisy and pneumonia. Follow the advice of W. H. Powles, of Powles' Corner, Ont., who says: used to be subject to attacks and al-though I used everything, nothing re-lieved quickly till I discovered Nervi-line. I have used it for picurisy and sore chest and found it just the proper thing. For Lumbago or Neuralgia it's quick as lightning. I cheerfully recommend Nerviline." Strongest, cleanest, most pain destroying liniment on earth is Polson's Nerviline, 25c. bottles sold everywhere.

DEATHS

DALEY .- At Portland, Me., on Sunday, Oct. 14th, Mrs. Honora Daley, widow of Denis Daley, leaving three daughters to mourn their loss.
MURPHY.—Suddenly, in this city, on October 15th, John, eldest son of James and Sarah Murphy, in the thirty-fourth year of his age, leaving a father, mother, one sister and one brother to mourn their sad loss. -(Charlottetown papers please copy.)
McDEVITT.-Suddenly, in this city, on
October 15th, Robert A., son of the late John and Isabella McDevitt, in

the 40th year of his age.
MULLIN-Suddenly, at his residence, 4 Wentworth street. John Mullin. RYAN.-At Kelly's Cross, P. E. Ison October 16th, Annie, wife of Peter Ryan, leaving a husband, three daughters and two sons to mourn. McDERMOTT .- At Main River. B., James Edward, infant son of Thomas McDermott.

Premier

(Special to t MONTREAL, Oc Tweedie, of New Brun Windsor Hotel this n pressed himself as w result of the rec the provincial premie He said that as a r rence New Brunsy extra \$130,000 a year, prejudice to their rig British North America to get eighty cents pe opopulation of the p 400,000. It is now about extra amount will be proving education, ros general the public Vhat do you think British Columbia at i "I think," he replied premiers treated Britis generously. What P

ference

claim other grants. allow us to fix the an the period for which allowed." Mr. Tweedle repudiat provinces were n federal governmen far as his own province they had legal claims nt. He gave severa one instance, the Do t took over their and held them till 188 erested in fly fishing

roposition that Britis stitled to an extra fin

tion, and he wanted w

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ifferent persons. Whether Mr. Fieldin constituency is still in