SEMI-WEEKLY SUN, ST. JOHN N.B., JANUARY 31, 199012

PROVINCIAL NEWS

CAMPOBELLO, Charlotte Co., Jan 18.—A Christmas tree was held in the public hall on Monday evening for the benefit of the scholans of St. Anne's Sunday school. After the distribution of the presents, a sale of cake, pies, coffee and light refreshments followed, for the purpose of raising a soldiers' fund. The affair was carried out pleasandly and successful-

A masquerade ball was the feature of Tuesday evening. Many pleasing and comical costumes were to be seen Ernest H. Phinney, aged 11 years and 6 months, son of the late Calvin Phinney, died on Saturday, Jan. 14th. The funeral was on Monday afternoon, and was conducted by Rev. A D. Paul, Baptist, of West Isles.

On Sunday, Jan. 15th; the death of Mrs. Susan Mitchell, wife of Captain Daniel Mitchell, occurred. Mrs. Mitchell had been in poor health for some She is survived by a family of mine children. She had attained the age of 44 years and 12 days. The entire community join in sympathy to the bereaved husband and children. One day last week Mrs. Multholland,

a lady about 80 years of age, had the misfortune to fall, fracturing one of her legs in two places. Surgical aid was quickly rendered, but the old lady's health continued to be worse, and on Monday, 16th instant, she died. Her daughter, Mrs. P. B. Donaghue, of St. Andrews, was with her at the time of her death. Mrs. Mulholland was a native of Ireland, and came to this country about sixty years ago. The wharf and storehouse of James

A. Calder, which were recently burned, are being rebuilt. RICHIBUCTO, Jan. 23. - Ferd J.

Robidoux of Shedlac, who opened a law office here a few weeks ago under the style of Russell & Robidoux, has closed it up and gone into partnership with Geo. V. McInerney, M. P.

Collector B. E. Johnson's haby girl, aged nine months, died on Sunday, and wes buried this afternoon.

ST. MARYS, York Co., Jan. 21.-Miss Atkinson of Upper St. Marys is spending a few days in Maugerville. Mrs. John T. Gibson of Marysville was yesterday the guest of the Robin-Miss Annie Johnson of Maine sons. is spending a portion of the winter with her mother, Mrs. Asa Johnson, who has quite recovered from her recent illness. Mr. Nichols, who has rented the Robinson mill, expects to commence repairs about the first of March.

March. SACKVILLE, N. B., Jan. 24.-Mrs. Ham-mond, wife of Prof. John Hammond, prin-cipal of Mt. Allison Art School, died this morning at 6.30 o'clock. The remains will be taken to Montrcal, leaving Thursday. Mrs. Hammond, who was about sixty-five, had been in failing health more than a year. Her death was caused by heart trouble, with complications. While always living very quietly, the deceased had won, by her beautiful, kindly disposition, many triends, who will sincerely mourn her death. CAMPBELLTON, N. B., Jan. 24.-The small-pox situation in this town has not

CAMPBELLTON, N. B., Jan. 21.—The small-pos situation in this town has not changed since last report, further than that

the judge had no power to order the marched in procession to the grave oral examination of the councillors He leaves a widow, five sons and two and the non-resident voters of Dore daughters chester, who, the applicant alleges, The people of this place are getting were put on the assessment list by out a out of about a million feet or were put on the assessment list by candidates or their agents, and who had no qualification. The counsel for the councillors proposed to let the rule nisi issue without examination of the witnesses, but this was opposed by the counsel for the applicant. The judge ruled to hear the witnesses The master will probably occupy several days. several days.

ST. MARTINS, N. B., Jan. 24.- The recent heavy rains have very much interfered with the luminout much interfered with the lumber industry From several of the camps the teams have ceased work entirely. Snow is being anxiously looked for. Thirfield lodge, I. O. G. T., paid a fraternal visit to St. Martins division Tuesday evening. A pleasant and pro-

fitable evening was enjoyed. Tuesday evening Mr. and Mrs. A. McDonough celebrated their tenth wedding anniversary. A large number of invited quests enjoyed an exceedingly pleasant evening. Mrs. Mc-Donough was the recipient of many beautiful presents.

Miss Moran of St. John is visiting her grandmother, Mrs. Silas Vaughan. FREDERICTON, N. B., Jan. 25.-At meeting of the local lodge A. O. U.W. held last evening, 35 was voted to the fund of the Fredericton branch of Red Cross society. Court Millecte, I. O. F., at their regular meeting last evening voted \$10 for the same purpose. Several timber berths were sold at the crown land office yesterday, all going to the applicants at the upset prices. John E. Moore bought three berths on Canaan River, aggregating 15 1-2 square miles; John Dewer & Sons bid in a two-mile berth on Magaguadavic River, and a two-mile berth on the southern side of the Resti-

gouche River went to the estate of J. P. Mowatt. At Post Office square there was sold today under foreclosure of mortgage

the 15 acre block of land, with house and store thereon located at Millville, and belonging to the estate of Henry F. Smith. Harvey Lawrence was the purchaser at \$900. The Burns anniversary was fittingly celebrated in this city by a concert

and recitations was rendered to a large and appreciative audience. The affair was under the auspices of the ladies' aid society.

In the county of York-William S. rompkins, to be a justice of the peace. the estate of Dennis Lynch, late of.

the city of Fredericton, deceased. 'The patriotic concert to be given in the Opera House on Monday evening next bids fair to be a grand success. A splendid programme has been prepared and a crowded house is sure to

greet the performers. There is great rejoicing in Frederic- ready paid out \$1,000. ton over British successes in South

STREET MICH DISTORT Revised Every Monday for the ide's father, C. Anderson,

the bride's father. Rev. M. Addison of Alma. Rev. M. Dunan of Lower Cape is Alm. Dunan of Lower Cape is Contriactor H. O. Barbour expects to have the new church here ready for dedication in March.

that and the members of that order here

HOPEWELL HILL, Jan. 25. Alex. Rogers is shipping pressed hay to St. John and Halifax, that to St. John to be forwarded to the West Indies by str. Tiber,

Abram Woodworth left on Tuesday for Salisbury, Mass., where he will reside for a time. Valentine Smith of this place has sold his timber land at Memel for a large figure.

Chas. L. Peck's steam grist mill has been kept running lively for the past three months. Mr. Peck is getting his saw mill into shape for the

season's work. Mrs. Smithers and her daughter, Miss Malsie Smithers, are visiting at the rectory, Riverside.

Mrs. Reid, mother of Mrs. (Gov.) McClelan, who was seized with an at-tack of paralysis some days ago, has shown some signs of improvement and hopes are entertained of her recovery. Dr. W. J. Lewis of Hillsboro and Dr. L. Chapman held a consultation to-

There are several cases of whooping cough among the juveniles hereabout. Mr. and Mrs. G. M. Russell entertained a number of friends this evening at their home.

MILLTOWN, Charlotte Co., N. B., Jan. 25. --. The Union services wing the week of prayer, still being held by the five foll ministers of the two Milltowns. Rev. W. J. Kirby of the Methodist church here took 12 on trial for membership on Wednesday night as a result of the services,

The flag is flying at half mast over given in the "Auld Kirk" tonight. A the public school buildings, in respect to the memory of Mrs. E. H. Balkam, socretary of the board of trustees Balkam was highly respected by Mrs. this community. Last summer, while gathering flowers in her garden for His honor the lieutenant governor the sick, she had a slight sun stroke, has made the following appointments: and never fully recovered from the same. She was the oldest member of the W. C./T. U. and a member of the Albert-J. Gregory, to be a judge of Congregational church. A son-in-law probates pro hac vice, in reference to of the deceased is living in South Af-

rica. On account of diphtheria, the schools at the Union have been closed. The blckel mines have been closed till the first of April. There is a great rush of business

this winter hauling lumber for laths and box wood. One lath mill has al-

-lieven Weekly Sun. A mdol II COUNTRY MARKET 10 AL 3 Pork has sturned firmer in the last comple of weeks. Eggs were in fatter supply last week, and a little easier. Fresh killed poul-try brought high prices, with frozen stock ranging down in price, according to qual-ity. Meats and regetables generally are unchanged.

THE MARKETS.

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Seal oil is higher, also olive oil. Cotton-seed oil and all vegetable oils have lately advanced and the market is strong. ter A" 0 201/4 " 0 211/4 "High Grade Sartia" and per doz 0 18 (henery), per doz..... 0 23 Mutton, per lb.....
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PROVISIONS.

GRAIN, ETC.

Oats are a little higher than a week ago. Beans are higher and the market very strong. Hay also is neld very firm.

FLOUR, ETC.

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This list is entirely without change thi

Cats, car lots 0 36 Beans (Canadian), h. p..... 1 85 Beans, prime 1 89

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week. Buckwheat meal, gray Buckwheat meal yellow

Black, hewing 0 45 Blight, chewing 0 45 Smoking...... 0 45

GROCERIES.

FISH. There are now some large and fat New foundland frozen herring on the market at \$1.25 per 100. Receipts of fresh fish of any kind are very small. Pickled bay herring have lately turned firmer. Dry fish are

 steady.
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 Large dry cod
 000 ** 375

 Medium cod
 360 ** 375

 Small cod
 265 ** 275

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 460 ** 500

 Bloaters, per box....
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 Annual Service of Kingston

Deanery Choral Union.

We will close out the balance of our Sleigh Robes at Cost. We carry the largest stock of Horse Furnishing Goods in the lower

ARCOST

Provinces, which we offer at the lowest prices.

H. HORTON & SON. 11 Market Square, St. John, N. B.

were chanted antiphonally, with organ and full orchestra, Non Nobis Dominie, to Turie. In convertends, to an old melody, and Lundate Domi-num, to Higgins. The blessing, prayers and responses were intoned by Revs. Messrs. Dicker, Schofield and others, and the full Choral Union. Only the crecd was said and the lessons read, all other parts being choral. The anthem was J. Barnby's Easter Anthem. Awake Up. My Glory, and was given with spirit throughout.

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The hymn before the sermon was by Rev. J. W. Hewett, What Time the Evening Shadows Fall.

The sermon was by the Rev. Mr. Dicker, rector of St. Paul's church, St. John. He took for his text II. Corinthians 1:10. 11: "In whom we trust that He will vet deliver us: ye also helping together by prayer for us." and thereon founded a strong patriotic address, passing from the spiritual to the natural, and so interweaving them and by apt illustrations from the history of Israel in the desert, mediaeval times, and modern events, so enlivening them as to bring out in the strongest manner the simple but sublime truth that trust in God and united praverful hearts are the sure foundations for confident success in all operations where His glory and man's interests are concerned; and that occasional reverses and disasters are but evidences of the weakness of man's trust and helpful prayer, never of His
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 unwillingness to deliver. His reference to the men who have gone and are going out from among us to sustain the honor of the nation and help the oppressed, touched a cherd in every heart and lrought a tear to many an eye. In closing, the speaker made the personal application of his theme to his hearers, without which no gospel discourse has any warrant, and which, when pertinently presented, commends the truth to every

man's conscience. (The lessons were read by Rev Messrs, Newnham and Daniel.) The offertory hymn was Jesus Shak

Reign, set to Dr. P. Arme's well known tune, in Hymns Ancient and Modern; and the recessional was Love Divine, All Love Excelling, followed by one verse of God Save the Queen. The service was good throughout. and, though not above criticism in some respects, was such as to give ground for the expectation that in every section whence the members came, the music of the church-the people's service-will be strengthened. widened and beautified. Tea was served in the hall, and proved to be as bountiful and excellent in every respect as the mid-day feast. The Choral Union, through Rev. Scovil Neales, returned their thanks to the rectors and parishioners of Hampton and Norton for their hearty hospitality; also to the leader and members of Harrison's orchestra, who annually give their services without charge; and as the trains came in from west and east, the members and friends took their departure, looking forward to another and still better meeting next year.

the public health regulations are being en the public nearth regulations are being on forced with greater vigor every day, but as yet no medical officer has been appointed to vaccinate persons and fumigate baggage coming from Quebec province by rail. In Mountain Brook four additional cases are said to exist, making twelve in all in

Balmoral one case is said to exist. Dr. Lunam examined the case reported to be at lidehead and pronounced that it was not small-pox.

The results following the use of the vac-The results following the use of the vac-cine points which the provincial board of health first applied, have not been satisfac-tory, and in a large proportion of cases in which they were used there has had to be re-vaccination. With very few exceptions, the schools throughout the county of Res-tigouche are closed. tigouche are closed.

tigouche are closed. Dr. Beaudry of the Quebec board is doing excellent work in Bonaventure county. Dr. McNichol of Hatfurst, who is attend-ing the cases at New Mills, reports that only two of them are bad. The only bad case reported at the hospital here is that of, Bourdeaux, who has the disease in its confluent form. Vaccination is progressing wridty and cranacoments are pending for tapidity, and atrangements are pending to have every house in town visited by a doc-tor, as that is considered the best means to enforce general vaccination. ST. STEPHEN, Jan. 24.—The town elec-tions passed off quietly here today. F. M. Murchie was elected mayor without opposi-tion.

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L. A. Mills was unopposed for assessor. In Mills was unopposed for assessor. In Milltown, Frank C. Murchie, for mayor, Edwd. Farnham, Harrison McAllis-ter, A. S. McKenzie, Jas. Cronin, J. S. T. Maxwell and Arthur H. Hiltz, for council-iors; J. S. Andrews, Horace Whitney and Force Smith for assassers were all chosen Isaac Smith, for assessors, were all chosen without opposition. Mayor Murchie and the St. Stephen board

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of health met this afternoon and took steps to secure general vaccination against a pessible introduction here of small-pox. FREDERICTON, Jan. 24.-Dr. Coulthard, secretary of the provincial board of health, was notified today of four new cases of dune, Gloucester county. The marriage of Mies Lizzle Doherty, daughter of the late James Doherty, to Thos. Rowan of Lincoln, was solemized in St. Dunstan's church by His Lordshup Bishop Casey at 6 o'clock this morning. Notwithstanding the early hour, a large congregation was present to witness the ceremony. The bride was attended by her rister. Miss Sarah Doherty, and Arthur Rowan, brother of the groom, acted as groomsman. The happy couple cmbarked on the 6.30 C. P. R. train on a trip to Bangor and other Maine towns. Charles Brewer, a well known resident of Keswick, died Tuesday, seed 78. He leaves four sons and one daughter. A letter received by J. C. Risteen from California Tueslay speaks in the most dis-courging terms of the health of his son. Frank H., the well known court steno-grapher. All hope has been abandoned of his being able to get back home alive. The axes has been leaves for Kingston on Monday to take a staff course at the Royal Military College. Mockey team was organized here Tues-idy night, with Raiph Clark, formerly of stock Tuesday from Sergt, Gray of E field tattery. He speaks in figh terms of the trip as far as Halifax, und estimates that his chance for three stripes is excellent. The boys, he claims, will do all honor to Woodstock it they come in action. He says the guns they shipped on the Laurentian were beauties. Wheeler Leighton, who stank word to his friends in Woodstock that the schance for three stripes is excellent. The boys, he claims, will do all honor to Woodstock it they come in action. He says the guns they shipped on the Laurentian were beauties. Wheeler Leighton, who same from Boston to go with the boys, sends word to his friends in Woodstock that the acnected to have five o'clock tea with Paul Kruger.

The expected to have here of share Paul Kruger. Matters are very quiet here after the election and the departure of the quota. Woodstock people feel most kindly to the St. John citizens who turned out so largely to welcome and send off Capt. Good and his men. It is even yet the talk of the town.

DORCHESTER, N. B., Jan. 25 .-Hearing today continued through the. evening before Judge Hanington on application pro que warranto against. Carnwath and West, candidates for Hlopewell, Albert Co. C. A. Peck, Q. C., and M. G. Teed, Q. C., for applicant Murray, and Hon. A. S. White and W. B. Chandler, Q. C., for councillors. White and Chandler made

Africa. WHITE'S COVE, Queens Co., Jan. winter's cut of cordwood about all on the bank.

daughters.

for the Star line steamers. Special prayer was made at the

Mill Cove Baptist church by Evangelist Anderson for our soldiers at Ladysmith. The meeting closed with singing God Save the Queen. Wm. B. Farris received word on Sun-

day that his sister Mins David Hamm of Hammtown, Washademoak, was them a visit on Monday.

Richard Gunter, an aged and respected resident of Robertson's Point, very low.

J. E. Austin, traveller for the St. John Sun, will this week do the parishes of Brunswick and Johnston. Andrew Smith, a brother-in-law of Stephen McIntosh of this place, is reported ill at his home, Cumberland Bay, with blood poisoning. Drs. Armstrong and Earle are in attendance. At the Mill Brook, Mill Cove, on Sunday, Miss Maggie Kennedy and Woodford Farris were baptimed. Mr.

Anderson continues the work this week. Mrs. Theophilus Sharp of Waterborough and Mrs. Thos. Hamm are in

poor health, as is also Miss Rebecco Curry of Jemseg. George Orchard, son of John Orch-

ard of this place, who had one of his legs broken in a lumber camp at Cupsuptic, Maine, some time ago, came home on Monday.

Warren Molaskey left this morning for Portland, Me., where he has secured employment. Mrs. J. E. Austin is visiting friends at Belleisle Creek, Kings Co.

Rev. F. W. S. Young, evangelist, is visiting the Narrows Baptist church. Rev. N. P Gross of Newcastle, Queens

Co., gave an interesting lecture at Upper Jemseg on Monday evening to a large audience.

BOIESTOWN, Northumberland Co., Jan. 24.-Councillor Campbell has returned from a flying visit to Halifax to witness the departure of the first part of the second contingent for South

Africa. At the session of the county council just terminated, the Boiestown representative succeeded in getting passed a resolution directing the highway commissioner to expend twothirds of the road tax in building a sidewalk in this highway district. This is a much needed reform. The coun-

cil also enacted that a license fee or \$200 be exacted from all pedlars doing business in the county. E. J. Parker, councillor for Derby.

who has charge of G. J. Vaughan's lumber interests in this place, has returned from Newcastle.

Wm. D. Richards has been quite ill but is now greatly improved in health. Mrs. Herbert Gunter has recovered

from a long and serious illness. WATERSIDE, Albert Co., Jan. 25.-The funeral of Isaac Porter of Brook ton, who was frozen to death Saturday night, took place here this forenoon Deceased was returning from New Ireland to his home, when he was overcome by the storm and laid down un der an old tree, where he was found the following Monday, dead. Mr. Porter belonged to Waterside L. O. L.,

U. R., K. of P., was organized in Finnen haddies Border lodge room, by Col. W. C. 24 .- Chas, and W. B. Farris have their Hazen Grimmer of the first regiment, with a membership of 24 and the following officers: Captain, Dr. W. H. The home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Laughlin; 1st lieut., R. W. Witlock; Molaskey of White's Point was glad- 2nd lieut., Allan McDonald; recorder, dened this week by the advent of twin Harrison McAllister; treasurer, B. H. Kerr; sentinel, Fred A. Ross; guard, H. E. White is getting out cordwood Frank C. Murchie. Cheese

On Tuesday

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 post office to receive the free-will ofclose of Sunday evening's service in ferings of the public towards the Canadian contingent fund.

ANDOVER, Victoria Co., N. B., Jan. 25 .- The remains of Ernest Gibson, Standard, granulated 4 45 who was accidentally killed while working on a special train near Magaguadavic, were brought home yesterday and were accompanied by five of very ill, and that her husband had the Brotherhood of R. T. His mother Java. per lb., green 0 24 Jamaica, per lb 0 24 been stricken with paralysis. He paid and sisters and brothers have the sympathy of all. The funeral took place today. The floral tributes were Molasses-
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 Barbados
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 New Orleans
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 very beautiful, including a broken wheel and basket from the B. of R. T., and a wreath from Cantilever

Lodge, No. 407. FREDERICTON, Jan. 26.-An accident oc

Liverpool, ex vessel 0 45 Liverpool, per sack, ex store 0 50 Liverpoel butter sair. per bag, factory filled...... 0 90 FREDERICTON, Jan. 26.—An accident oc-curred at the mills today, which resulted very seriously. Two young sons of Daniel Ryan and a man named Wilson, halling from Nova Scotia, were blasting rock on E. L. Dun's farm and had made several at-tempts to set off a certain blast but with-out success. In their efforts to ignite it they became careless and without a mo-ment's warning the powder exploded. Wil-son was knocked down and had his arm and hand badly mangled. A piece of flying rock struck one of the Ryan's on the head and inflicted a severe cut. The other boy was knocked off his feet. A physician was summoned from the city and attended the wounded men. Spices-Nutmegs, per lb..... 0 50 Cassia, per lb, ground.... 0 18 Cloves, whole.... 0 12 Cloves, ground.... 0 18 Ginger, ground.... 0 18 Pepper, ground Congou, per lf., finest 0 22 Congou, per lb, common ... 0 lis Congou, per lb, common ... 0 lis Oolong, per lb. 0 20

summoned from the city and attended the wounded men. The New Brunswick Telephone company have decided to erect a line next summer between St. John and St. Stephen. Jas. Earnes, M. P. P. of Buctouche, is in the city today completing arrangements for the line between here and Chatham. The poles and other material are now being distribut-ed along the line. The erection of the poles, however, will not begin until the snow icaves the ground. steady.

ed along the line, the begin until the snow leaves the ground. Dr. H. W. Gregory, who for several years has been practicing medicine at Prince Wil-liam, is soon to remove to this city. It is rumored that A. J. Gregory, the well known barrister of this city, will be a can-didate for mayoralty honors at the next American clear pork 15 50 P. E. Island mess..... 11 00 P. E. Island prime mess.... 11 00

civic election.

BLAIR LOSING HIS GRIP.

(Montreal Gazette.)

The Carleton, N. B., election, where J. Kidd Flemming was returned, was, like the Manitoba contest, run on federal political lines, and the liberals lest. Mr. Blair seems to be slipping his grip, as well as Mr. Sifton.

PARCELS CARRIED FREE.

ST. GEORGE, N. B., Jan. 24, 1900.

Sir-I see by today's Sun that the Elder-Dempster Co. have kindly offered to take parcels, for Canadian soldiers in the field, from their office in Montreal to Cape Town, free of charge. Will they do the same from St. John? and if so, who will take charge of them in St. John? This information through your columns will oblige, yours truly,

In reply to the Sun's enquiry respecting such parcels, Troop & Son have replied that parcels will be carried free on the s. s. Milwaukee, sailing from Halifax. The parcels from New Brunswick should be sent to Troop & Son here. They must be of reasonable size, securely packed for shipment, and plainly addressed. The Milwaukee had only arrived at New Orleans Jan. 22nd, and will not be able to reach Halifax in time to sail on the date first announced.

by Rev. Mr. Dicker All Visitors Most Hospitably Entertained,

Brasils 0 10 Filberts 0 10

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Rates are nominal, as there is

ing at present.

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HAMPTON, Kings Co., Jan. 26.-* 0 00 The Kingston Deanery Choral Union held their annual service in the Epis-Molasses is higher and a good article is copal church at the Station yesterday decidedly scarce. There is no other change afternoon at 3.30 o'clock. Prepara-0 13 tions to receive the union with the heartiest hospitality had been in pro-0 19 gress for some days by the local members, and whilst the church edi-" 1 90 " 0 01¼ fice was the natural and only appropriate place for the service proper 4 50 the humbler, but not less important end necessary duty of providing for the comfort and sustenance of the physical being was most satisfactorily carried out in Smith's hall, where dinner and tea were served to all comers who presented evidence of belaging to the union. At 10 o'clock there was a rehearsal of the united " 0 00 choirs under the direction of Dean Hanington, the rector of Norton, who has drilled the local unions during the year and brought their performance to such a degree of precision that it nceded only to listen to the work at this rehearsal to augur a most satisfactory issue when the full service should be held. About two hours were spent in these preliminaries, when an adjournment was had to the hall, where seven tables were spread with 0 20 such cheer as appealed most strongly to the quickened appetites of those " 0 16 " 0 15 who are both travellers and singers. Large as the accommodation was, it was found necessary to perform this service in relays, and happily for 0 74 those who came first, there was a bountiful supply, and for those who came last there was no lack. Not Quotations are unchanged. The market only was the meal excellent as to quality and supply, but it was ex-14 50 eedingly well served. By 3 o'clock the church, save that portion reserved for the singers, was

crowded to the doors, all available sitting and standing room being occupied, and the vestibule and outside platform and steps filled with waiting watchers for a chance to squeeze inside. The singers entered through the vestry, and when Harrison's orchestra, the organist, Mr. Hammel Warneford; the director, Dean Hanington, and the clergy, in their vestments, had taken their respective pla-ces, the building was literally packed. The union, as represented, was comrosed, as nearly as could be ascertained, of the following: Hampton and Norton-Rectors (Rev.

Messrs. Schofield and Hanington), with Rev. E. A. Warneford and 52 members.

Upham-Rector (Rev. Mr. Bate) and 6 members. Kingston-7 members.

Rothesay and Quispamsis-Recto (Rev. Mr. Daniel) and 20 members. Saint John-Rector (Rev. Mr. Dicker) and 30 members.

Sussex and Apohaqui-Rector (Rev. Scovil Neales) and 30 members. Greenwich-Rector (Rev. Mr. Cody)

and 7 members. And Revs. Messrs. Newnham, St. Stephen; C. Warneford, Johnston, and Cresswell of Springfield, making a

The service opened with a prelude by Harrison's orchestra, Spring Song, by Mendellsohn, followed at once by the processional hymn, by Rev. Sir H. W. Baker, Bart., From Highest Heavthe Eternal Son. The psalms

A BEAUTIFUL POEM

By Mrs. Chapman of London, Formerly Miss Frances Sutherland of Toronto.

A NATION'S PRAYER.

A nation bends, Oh God! to Thee in prayer Imploring Thee her gallant sons to spare— Her soldier host—sent forth from England's shore

To face unflinching the fell blast of war! The hope of many hearts, the young, the brave, Let Thy enfolding arm protect and save

When they the deadly storm of battle meet With steady tramp and onward pressing

feet! Grant wisdom to our leaders, and on all Let Thy sustaining influence softly fall. Thou, the Almighty! give them of Thy might To win the victory of truth and right! Before our just and honest cause be won Before our just and nonest cause be won We know that husband, rather, brother, son May rest unwatched by loving hearts, afar Where rolls all pitiless, the tide of war! They die for Queen, and realm, forgive each

Open the golden gates, and pass our lost

ones in. -Frances Chapman. Jan. 1st, 1900.

The above beautiful poem is being sold all over England at 2d. per copy, for the benefit of the Transvaal Fund. It is Mrs. Chapman's contribution to the cause.

This fact and the poem are of special interest to Canadians for Mrs. Chapman, now of London, was formerly Miss Frances Sutherland of Toronto, a gifted artist, and sister of J. N. Sutherland of the C. P. R. Miss Sutherland won so high a reputation as an artist that her paintings for seven successive years were accepted and hung in the Royal Academy, London. 意 花 6

THE TAGAS REBELLION.

LONDON, Jan. 26 .- The British expedition against the rebellious Tagas, under Mat Salleh, in British North Borneo, has been entirely successful. Captain Harrington, with 100 Sikhs, after two days fighting, Jan. 8 and 9, against a thousand rebels, captured two forts and two villages, blew up the rebels' magazine and killed or wounded sixty Tagas. The British total of 12 clergymen and about 152 had four men wounded. The remaining villages of the disturbed district.

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