THE WEEKLY SUN. ST. JOHN. N. B.

LOCAL MATTERS.

EXAMINATION of candidates and probationer of the New Brunswick and P. E. I. Methodist conference will be held in Charlottetown May 10th, Moncton May 11th, and Fredericton May 13th. REV. J. W. McLEOD, Presby tarian mission ary to Trinidad, is dead. Deceased was native of Colchester, N. S., and had been i

the mission field about six years. JAS, E. RATTBAY of Andover, N. B., was severely injured in Aroostook county, Maine, a few days ago, by a lot of logs rolling upon him from a brow.

KINGSCLAR. - Geo. Kelley, for many years connected with the lumber and towboat business on the St. John, died at his residence in Kingsclear on Monday last. Deceased was father-in-law of H. G. Wiater of H. M. Custome. - Fion Reporter. METHODIST. - A lot of land has been secured

at Corn Hill, Petitcodiac circuit, for a church, the erection of which will probably be commenced forthwith. A unanimous invitation has been given the Rev. I. N. Parker to return another year. This will be his sixth year on that ground, in two separate terms of course.

FATAL ACCIDENTS.-Archie Jordan of Caledonis, N.S., was drowned in Liscombe river, Guyeboro Co., N. S, on the 22ad ult., while steam driving.

killed at Acadia mines, Londonderry, on the

Saturday morning BECOMFIELD, KINGS Co. - A correspondert writes : The Rev. L. G. Stevens of Portland, sition. There is no change in THE SUN'S St. John, delivered a temperance lecture here position on this matter. The change is in on the 27th ult. under the auspices of Leading Star Division, S. of T. He was listened to with the greatest of interest and gave an able discourse on the timperance question. The resicourse on the temperance question. The rest-dent clergymen of the place were present with one exception and took seats on the platform. The hall was crowded to its utmost, a number being present from Hampton. It is seldom we have the pleasure of listaning to a man who can handle his subject in such an able manner as Mr. Stevens did, and we hope that we may have the pleasure of hearing him again at no distant day. Rev. S. Howard and Rev. G. L. Geod also addressed the meeting.

he shore. GONDOLA POINT. - The quarterly election of officers of Garfield Lodge, I. O. G. T., No. 163, Gondola Point, took place on Monday officers for the ensuing term : Chester Gesner, W. C. T.; Annie Kirkpstrick. W. V. T.;

W. C. T.; Annie Kirkpatrick. W. V. T.; THE Providence, Rhode Island, Journal sizes up Grit tactics pretty accurately when it remarks: "It is a question whether the helf-breeds of the Canadian Northwest have more occasion to dread their enemies than their friends. Each new discussion and vote at Ottawa makres it "It is a question and vote at Ottawa makres i READERS OF THE SUN will regrat to hear

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with a concert which did credit to both schol-ars and teacher. The Free Baptist church and the temperance hall are about to be repaired and painted. Mrs. Lydia McLeod, widow of the lata Robert McLeod, died Apvil 13th, aged 82 years, leaving some \$7,000 or \$8,000 of personal pro-perty to be divided as follows: Mrs. Henry Jones \$300, Mrs. Abie Trites \$300, Mary Tritas and Amelia Trites, nicces of the deceas-ed, \$100 each. Amelia Pugaley, Nettie Pugaley, Isabel Pugaley, Augusta Pug-sley and May Pugaley, daughters of Robert Pugaley and also nieces of the deceased, \$200 each; Charles Abaum, stap son of Andrew Phelps, \$1,500, Mrs. Geo. Morton \$50, Alberta Morton \$50, and the remainder to be divided equally between Mrs. Henry Frezs, Mary Morton and Josie Morton, also nieces of de-ceased, and daughters of Geo. Morton, who re-presented for a number of years the late firm roads are in good condition, the country market has been poorly supplied during the week. A large amount of produce has arrived at Indiantown from along the river, but very little of it reaches the country market, as the farmers find a ready sale and good prices from the dczens of St. John and Portland merchants who daily flock to Indiantown for that purpose. It has now got to be an slmost univerpose. It has now got to be an slmott univer-sal custom among merchants having teams, to go to Indiantown and buy up the choices: of all produce, and as a result only a small quan-tity of second choice produce reaches the mar-ket. The supply of butchers' beef and veal on hand is large and of fine quality. Butter of an inferior quality is still plenty, at the quoted prices, while a few choice packages but sell rapidly at the prices given. Potatoes have come in in larger quantities during the week than for some time past, but the prices show no perceptible decline. The only green stuff on hand is radiabes and lattuce. "Bob" veal is stillow the market and nine quarters were

presented for a number of years the late f James Robertson & Co., of your city.

TP-RIVER.

They were seated on the after deck of the steamer Acadia, and her eyes were on the hills of Pequick, which already showed some traces

"Oreada ?" she said inquiringly, She might have been mistaken for an Oread

herself, she was so diminutive. "Oh, yes, they haunt all the hille, but not so uckwheat, rough, \$1.70 per cwt.; grey do., of the river. Drowning Accident.

We were looking over the rail and hardly had the word been spoken when a little rose-bud face flashed out of the water and an arm about the size of one's little finger waved one of the funniest little hands imaginable in the

It appears John Woods and his son left their

and throwing a kiss to the little girl, she plunged deep down in the water and was seen heavy wagon with a double team to cross Nere-pis creek to do some work. Mr. Woods had many times before forded this creek, which is about 15 yards from shore to shore, and therefore anticipated no difficulty. The water was much higher than usual and the current very strong.

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"I'm going away out to sea, beyond the path of the ships that men build; beyond the reach of the storms that vex us here; where About 5 30 o'clock the news was conveyed to Mr. Woods' family that he and his son had been drowned while crossing the creek. They had, it is thought, got about half way across summer lasts forever and where the sea is al-ways still. And to the evergreen islands of and the horses and wagon went into a hole. Father and son were swept into the creek and that wonderful sea, my little sister, you with ometimes come, and so, until we meet there drowned, the horses swimming down the stream for a short distance and pat safely into ood bye." "Hullo !"

The sister of the naiade was a good deal The news of the accident quickly spread tartled, for it was the man that has guarded and large parties were soon at the scene grap-pling for the bodies. All efforts to secure them, the Narrows for so many thousands of years that spoke, and his voice was both harsh and

"Is everything quiet at Pisarinco and Mus-

phills for the boats. All thorts to secure them, however, were fruitless, until yesterday morn-ing, when Edward Slack found John Woods' body about three-quarters of a mile from where he had started to ford the creek. Coroner S. A. Dibblee was notified but after uash and Kennebeccasis island?" quasa and mennebeccasts Island?" We knew why the question was asked, for the old man was placed there by the great Gloscap to guard the Indians of Kennebeccasis island against the raids of the Indians of the hearing the circumstances, did not deem an in quest necessary. John Woods was a well known and wealthy bay. And when we told him how the Indian farmer of Westfield, K. C. He was about 60 years old and leaves a widow and six children. He magnied Miss Magee, daughter of William Magee, New Ireland, Parish of Hampstead had degenerated and died, his iron features grew harder, if such a thing were possible. suppose Gloccap has forgotten me," he said, "and here, with nothing to do, most likely I will have to stay forever." He kept talking Queens Co. The funeral will take place on [Sunday at 10 till the steamer got into Grand Bay. And then the little girl told how she had read in books about Oreads and Naiades, and some-thing about Prometheus, and about the Cul-prit Fay that lived near the Hudson river, and The body of the boy had not been found up to yesterday afternoon, notwithstanding that every effort was being put forth by large num-bers of the neighbors. how because of mortal love she went through great tribulation, but, said she, "To this day I have never seen a naiad, nor have I heard a

of early buds and leaves.

frequently as they did when I was younger. Then on any bright day they were seen in their green skirts and hoods that in color and form closely resembled the tulip, clambering over the rocks or frolicking among the terns. Just then they hauled on the plank and closed the gangway and the engine gave a groan, and the Acadia swung cff from the wharf and a moment later was in the middle

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ef the funness little hands imaginable in the air, as if to attract attention. "I'm going out to the island and may be across the bay to Digby." Then she tossed her hair over her shoulders ouse at five o'clock in the afternoon in a

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The investigation of the charges made against White and Jamieson, members of parliament, in connection with colonization companies, has not brought to light any facts of importance not previously admitted. No specific allegations of corrupt proceedings were made in Edgar's charge, but the thing sought to be proved was that in the assignment of shares certain special favors were shown to White and Jamieson, in consideration of which they undertook to use for the benefit of the company the influence with the government which their seats in

> Brunswick. But the influence of the Blair government will be an element in that elecion which the Liberal Conservative party will be obliged to overcome. This is a truth which we tried to impress on the supporters

AN IMPORTANT MEASURE FOR FARMERS.

So that if the other members of the com-Perhaps the most important subject for pany expected to derive any benefit from egislation to be brought before the Dominthe supposed influence of these members ion parliament at this session, is that relatover the government, they made a mistake. ing to agriculture. The objection raised by Mr. Mills that the subject of agriculture is I: was certainly shown that Jamieson and White did at the beginning receive their purely of provincial concern is not a sound susres on easier terms than the other memone. One province is deeply in the fisheries, bers of the company, but it is claimed that another in mines and minerals, others in the lumber industry, in manufactures, and in commerce. But in all the provinces the agricultural interest is of great importance. the Dominion government can originate and carry cut a scheme which will add no more than one per cent. to the produce of Can-adian farms the gain would be many times. the cost of the experiment outlined in the is not half so much desired as a protext for at-report published by the department of sgri- tacking political rivals." report published by the department of sgriculture. It is proposed to undertake work that the provinces, and especially the smaller provinces, cannot perform. The main purpose intended, as we understand it, is to

this was in return for actual services in transacting the business of the company at O laws, and a change was subsequently made by which the advantage first given was modified. This statement made by the parties ought, if true, to clear the accused persons. If the government refused to favor the company in any way, and the evidence gues to show that, the charges fail as against the government. But it does not clear the two accused representatives if it can be carry on a series of experiments and in-

or the purchase of farms, were given to the Globe said, was "one-half Conserva-Grit partisans. When the Dominion by-elections took place all this patronage was tive." Such were the pretensions of the local government party. made to do service amongst the candidates But it is the local government party and of the Liberal Conservative party. The Humph of Mr. Blair in 1883, was, theretheir friends outside who now claim the refore, a gain to the opposition party in Dosult as a signal overthrow of the Liberal

politics. Conservatives. This is exactly what THE The late election is another such triumph. It Sun said would happen. We have always so regarded by the opposition at Ottawa. The Ottawa Free Press, Mr. Blake's organ at the capital, says with great plainness:— The provincial governments are but the out-works of the great citadel at Ottawa. The Libersls hold Ontario, New Brunswick and maintained that the coalition was a coalition only in name and that the support accorded to it by Liberal Conservatives was obtained on false pretences. The action of the Abersis hold Ontailo, New Brunswick and Nova Scotia, but the key of the outworks lies in Quebec. Mr. Mercier will capture that key at the coming provincial general elections; and with the provincial governments hostile in the four great provinces of confederation, Sir John Macdonald is politically doomed. The Toronto Globe takes a like view of the government in the matter of appointments and patronage alone would prove our contention correct. And the boast of the Grit press over the result of the elections is

1. Any person who takes a paper regularly from the Post Office-whe situation. The Hamilton Times says the ther directed to his address or anothelection was an "overwhelming defeat for the Conservative party of the province." er, or whether he has subscribed or The Halifax Chronicle expresses the same

ides in much stronger terms. The Char-2. It any person orders his paper lottetown Patriot, edited by ex-Minister Laird, says: "Thirty-four Liberals to seven discontinued he must pay all arrear Tories is a return which shows pretty ages, or the publisher may continue decisively that reform principles have taken a firm hold in that province." to send it until payment is made and The admittedly grit Nova Scotia govern-ment claims the election as the fore-runner of collect the whole amount, whether it a similar success in that province.² The Prince Edward Island opposition says that

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the Liberal Conservative government of that island must now go. The upper province opposition press only asks now that the Qaebee administration should be overthrown in order that "hostile" local governments should be established in all the provinces. The fact that a majority of the members of the present New Brunswick assembly olaim to be supporters of the Dominion gov-ernment goes to show that the feeling in the province is in favor of the Dominion government. But it does not change the fact that the local administration is, as Mr. Blake's Ottawa organ says, "hostile to the Dominion government." It is not at all ikely that this hostility will result in the triumph of the Blake-Rellite party at the polls in the next Dominion election in New the house gave them. It was not, however, shown, so far as can be found in the rather fall report of the evidence published in the Outario papers, that any special favors were at any time extended to the company by of the Dominion government, but many of them, beguiled by the honied words of the enemy, failed to realize it. the government. The government seems to h .ve refused some apparently not unreason-

ters and parcels by post has been inaugurated in England, which, if correctly described, might be adopted in Canada to the benefit of the public and possibly to the pecuniary advantage of the post office department. Truth save : "For an unregist ared "parcel lost in the po

another proof.

It is well known that the Liberal Conser

vative party did not unite against the local

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is known that outside of St. John and the

five South Eastern counties in the province,

not a representative has been elect-

ed who does not profess to be

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This proves that the Dominion government

is extremely popular in New Brunswick.

Nevertheless the local government is, as the

Oltawa Free Press triumphantly declares,

hostile to the Dominion administration

The power and patronage of the local gov-

erament has been unfairly, and in some cases

corruptly, used against the Dominion gov-

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take place in this respect, and therefore the

return of Mr. Blair and his friends to power

s a distinct advantage to the Canadian oppo-

INSURANCE FOR LETTERS .- According t

London Truth a system of insurance for let

the friends of the local government.

compensation will be given to the extent of 21, and for a registered letter to the extent of £2. Both registered letters and parcels however, also be be insured to the value of £5 evening, April 26th. The following are the for a fee of 1d and to the value of £10 for a fee of 2d.'

new discussion and vote at Ottawa makes it more apparent that justice for the half-breeds

W. J. ROBINSON of Monoton, one of the a practical and scientific farmer, and a gentledefeated government candidates in West- man, Mr. Slipp has long been held in high estimorland is a model modest man. His own mation, and THE SUN extends its sympathics

vesl is still on the market and nine quarters were confiscated by the deputy clerk this week. The quotations are: Country bef, 4 to 7; butchers' beef, 6 to 8; mutton, 8 to 12 per lb; pork, 6 to 6 to 8; butter, 18 to 25; poll do, 26 to 28; lard, 12 to 18 per lb; gggs, 13 to 14; chickens, 70 to 80 per pair; tukeys, 15 to 18 per 1b; smoked hams,9 to 10 per 1b; smoked shoulders,7 to 8 per hams,9 to 10 per 10; smoked shoulders,7 to 8 per 1b; lettuce, \$1 per doz. heads; radishes, \$1 per dcz bunches; carrots,\$1 to \$1 25 pr barrel; beets. 90 to \$1 per barrel; turnips, per barrel; 60 to 70; parsnips, \$1.50 per barrel; potatoes, early rose, per barrel,\$1 15 to \$1.25; kidneys, \$1 70 to \$1.80; other varieties, \$1.40 to \$1.50; buckwheat rough \$1 70 per our do

The Country Market.

James Power, laborer, of Wallace, N.S., was

\$1.90 per cwt. The news reached this city Friday of

Killed at Acadia mines, Londonderry, on the S0th ult., by being jammed between the cage and timbers of the elevator. He leaves a wid-ow and five small children. Nallie McKenzle, daughter of Murdoch Mc-Kenzle, of Glassville, Carlston county, while endeavoring to put out a fire near her father's barn on Friday, was so badly burned that she didd Saturday moreing. sad drowning accident near Welsford, which occurred the previous afternoon, in which John Woods (brother of Hon. Frank Woods) and his nine-year-old son, Adam, lost their lives.

shown that they took pay for attempting to influence the government to show favors. Supposing they knew they could do nothing more than private persons, they wronged their partners by pretending to be able to do more, and by accepting remuneration on that ground. So that the charge against White and Jamieson is not concerned with the action of the government, but with the contract under which these men first obtained their shares. The explanation that the return made for the shares was in honest work such as all colonization companies are obliged to hire a man to do is a plausible one, and the question to be settled is whether it is true or not. Those who know the two members best can best decide this point. No member of the company or official connected with the transaction gave evidence contradicting

the statements of the defendants. John White is an excitable, noisy, generous-hearted north of Ireland man, who has reached some prominence as one of the more aggressive members of the Orange order in Ontario. Jamieson is best known through Canada by his connection with temperance legislation in the house of commons. He succeeds Mr. Foster as the promoter of unofficial temperance legislation in parliament.

The Hamilton Spectator makes some salutary remarks in connection with these charges. There may be an impression in some quarters that members of parliament have special power to procure to speculative enterprises favors from the government Where such a belief exists dishonest members may use it for their financial advan tage. Persons may be beguiled into supposing that it will pay them to make a present in some shape to their representatives at Ottawa or Fredericton, whereas if the truth were known no return would be expected for the gift. Taking all these things into consideration, we by no means regret that a pretty close scrutiny is going on both in Dominion and local matters. Strong supporters of Sir John Macdonald and Mr. Bisir should not get excited and angry over these enquiries. The people have a right to know what their ipaid ser-

THAT COALITION GOVERNMENT

When Mr. Blair succeeded to the premier ship of New Brunswick the Canadian press

opposing Sir John Macdonald claimed a all the appointments made by the provincial government in St. John not one Liberal Concounties. It was so in regard to appointments for the province generally. Contracts for printing, for writing handbooks, for supplying provincial institutions.

vestigations, and not as been thought by some, to establish model farms, The work which it is desired shall be underfarms. taken is thus summarized by William Saun-

taken is thus summarized by William Saun-ders who was appointed to inquire into the methods employed in the United States and foreign countries: Conduct researches to verify experiments designed to test the relative value for all purposes of different breads of stock; and their adaptability to the varying climatic and other conditions which prevail in the various provinces. varions provinces. Examine into scientific and economic ques-tions involved in the production of butter

and cheese. "Idi Test the merits, hardness and adaptability of new and untried varieties of wheat and other cereals, and of field crops, grasses, fruits, plants and trees, and disseminate ditions, such surplus products as are con-sidered to be specially worthy of introduc-

Analyze fertilizers, whether natural or artificial and conduct experiments with such fertilizers in order to test their comparative value as applied to crops of different kinds. Examine into the composition and digesti-bility of foods for domestic animals. Conduct experiments in the planting o trees for timber and for shelter. Examine into the diseases to which cultivated plants and trees are subject, and also into the ravages of destructive insects, and ascertain and test the most useful preventives and remedies to be used in each

case. Investigate the diseases to which domes tic animals are subject. Ascertain the purity and vitality of agri-

cultural seeds. Contural seeds. Conduct any other experiments bearing upon the agricultural industry of Canada. These are all valuable services. They are generally of a class not provided for by the provincial authorities. It would be a mis-take to relegate them to the provincial gov-ernments, for only the richest province could meet the expense. Moreover as most of the objects to be gained by these investigations are to the advantage of one province as well as another, it would be a needless extravagance for each province to incur an outlay which would be sufficient for the whole Do which would be sufficient for the whole Do-minion. We see no better way by which the desired purpose can be attained than by the establishment of the central and ubordin-ate experimental stations arggested. It may be found, when the measure is brought down, that there are defects in the details of the scheme, but the principle is one which cut-side the circle of professional political objectors cannot fail of general endorsement.

THE FACTS OF THE CASE.

The Telegraph and Transcript state that THE SUN complains of the Grit papers through Canada, which represent the New great party victory. It was a party victory Brunswick government's success at the late in an important sense, for it placed at the elections as a victory for Mr. Blake's party. disposal of the opposition party the power and patronage of the provincial government for use in Dominion elections. The Liberal Conservative canvassers learned this fact at the by-elections last year. The people of St. John can see it in the fact that among tradicted by the St. John Globe, whose government in St. John not one Liberal Con-servative was chosen. The probate office, the recordership, the lunatic asylum, the alms house, the slaughter house, the adjudi-cation of disputed claims, post mortem ex-aminations, law reporting, the inspection of schools, were in every case placed in the hands of opponents of the Macdonald govern-ment, and in nearly every case given to violent partmans. It was so in the other counties. It was so in the other editor was one of the government candidates. declared that the Conservative party through

paper, the Transcript, says Mr. Robinson's declaration day effort was "the speech of the day." Robinson endorses Robinson on every ossible occasion.

A CORRESPONDENT of THE SUN asks: to their head of Holsteins the yearling bull Would it not be right for the Bank of New "B, B," purchased from B, B. Lord & Son. Brunswick to distribute at least a portion of its reserved profits among the owners of the stock which helped to earn it?

Our despatches report a serious conflict a Chicago between strikers and the police, in which several persons were severely younded. One man was beaten to death by he mob.

THE first sod of the Halifax graving dock was turned on Saturday afternoon by Mayor Mackintosh.

Kings County Items. CHOOL EXAMINATION - BELIGIOUS NOTES -DONATION - BRIEFS.

(FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.)

SPRINGFIELD, May 3.-A bear killed three heep for William Case of Midland, this spring.

Jas. Folkins has opened out a small store near Midland.

On the 22nd ult., the school under the careful and excellent training of Miss Emma M. Knollin, held its public examination in the schoolhouse at Bull Moove Hill, district No. 4, Springfield. The pupils were examined in reading, writing, speling, geography, British history, grammar, chemistry, agriculture, arithmetic, composition, etc., and acquitted themselves cleverly, reflecting much credit upon the teacher. After treess excellent sing-ing, recitations and dialogues were given. There were upwards of thirty visitors present. After the disposing of a treat, provided by the teacher, speeches were delivered by F. A. Wightman, the trustees, and a number of others. All expressed themselves well pleased with the work, and congratulated the teacher, wishing her every success. The schoolroem was tastefully decorated with greening, maps, and drawings. Knollin, held its public examination in the

wishing her every success. The schoolroem was tastefully decorated with greening, maps, and drawings. As a result of the special services hild in the Belleisle Creek Methodist church on Sabbath, 25th ult, the minister, Rev. Wm. Magge, gave the right hand of fellowship to serven young per-sons and admitted them into the church. At a meeting held on Tuesday, 27th ult, four more were added to the church, and on Wed-nesday night two more were added. On Saturday evening 1st inst, quite a num-ber of young persons assembled in the Bille-isle Creek Methodist church to pay some token of respect to F. A. Wightman for his services in conducting special meetings at that place. S. H. Northrup, chairman, presented Mr. Wightman with the sum of \$18 in appreci-ation of his services. Mr. Wightmau very pleas-antly fand feelingly thanked those present. Sabbath, 2nd inst., was a fine day. Mr. Wightman breached an excellent sermon in the Methodist church at Belleisle Creek from Luke viii, 35. He is a fine speaker—a promising young man. The Sabbath school of the same church re-opened on the same day for the summer's work. So, also, did the Sabbath school in the Midland F. C. Baptist church. Rev. A. B. Macdonald (Baptist) has been holding special services in the new Baptist church at Springfield corner. The ordinance of baptism was administered yetcrday. E, L. Perkins of Norton is still quite ill.

Played Sick and Died.

ROCKLAND, Me., May 1.-Three little children at South Hope Wednesday obtained some pills of Rev. M. M. Stevenson, and, playing they were sick, swallowed several. One of the girls, aged six years, a daughter [of P. P. the province were not as a party opposing the local government, which government, as are supposed to have contained strychnine.

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to his family in the sorrow which must follow his very serious liness. In stock raising and intelligent agriculture, Mr. Slipp has always taken a very deep interest, and his death, when it occurs, will be a serious loss to the surround-STOCK NOTES .- E. Pige & Son have added

irville, New York, M. G. Cole sold a three year old colt this week for \$145. C. C. Black has bought from R. H. Pope, Ceokshire, Qualiec, two fine Hereford beffers, two years old, imported from England last summer and fine specimens of the breed. With the bull

old, imported from England last summer and fine specimens of the breed. With the bull Ledbury which is one year old and a fine animal, imported by the Iowa Here-ferd Catt'e Company, Mr. Black has a good foundation for a berd. J. S. Lowe also recent-ly imported two fine Polled Angus cows from Mr. Pope. The Cumberland Stock Imp. Co. have also imported from the same gentleman a fine Clydeedale stallion 'Coin Campbell' which was imported from Sootland when one year old. His stock is fine and bring very high prices in Canada. - Sackville Post. prices in Canada. - Sackville Post. RICHIBUCTO.-The following is the result of

the Easter meeting in the Episcopal church : The meeting opened with prayer, the rector in the chair; W. A. Black, secretary. Minutes read from last Easter meeting and approved. Mr. Hudson read over the accounts, which were found correct. The election of officers

were found correct. The election of officers resulted as follows: O. Smith, church warden by parishioners; Wm. Hudson, church warden by the rector and parishioners; vestrymen-Wm, Eddy, J. H. Abbott, Thos. G. Dickson, David Palmer, John M. Wathen, R. Hutch-ison, Dr. R. L. Botsford, Allen Haines, J. C. Brown, John Stevenson, T. W. Bliss, C. J. Sayre; vestry clerk-W. A. Black; Robert Cochrane, sexton; Miss Hudson, organist; T. W. Bliss and Wm. Wheten, deseates to the synod; W. A. Black and John Stevenson, sub-stitutes; J. H. Abbott and John Stevenson, auditors. A committee was appointed to cor-respond with the Diocesan Church society for the purpose of getting back the allowance that was withdrawn some time ago.

FIRE AT SALISBURY.-The barn and dwelling of Chas, Gammon, at North River, parish of Salisbury, was destroyed by fire on Sunday at midday. The fire caught in the harn while the family were at dinner; origin not known, more effectually. The Easter election in All Saints church The fire spread so rapidly that before assist-ance had arrived it spread to the house, close by, which was also destroyed. Mr. Gammon lost a horse, three calves, mover, rake, wagons, harness, grain, and nearly all his household effects; loss, \$1,500. No insurance. Rev. J. M. Parker also lost a horse, which was in the barn, and while trying to save his property was quite badly burned about the hands. DIED IN CALIFORNIA .- J. S. Fingler of this

city received news yesterday of the death of his mole, E. M. Flaglor, on the 23rd ult. at cataract. San Francisco. Mr. Flaglor who was in his 69th year, leaves a widow to (mourn her loss. He was buried from the residence of his stepson, M. T. Brewer. The deceased kept a hotel in St. John for a long time and left this city about three years ago. He was a member of the Free Baptist church.

THE SUB-COMMITTEE of the University New Brunswick to whom was referred the subject of admitting women to the university have agreed upon a report in favor of that progressive step. New Brunswick is steadily marching on. - Halifax Herald.

ONE THOUSAND YARDS RACE .- In the 1,000 yards race at Madison Square Garden, New York, on Saturday, Meyers easily defeated George, the Englishman, in two minutes, twenty-three and three-fifths seconds. He defeated his opponent by forty-eight seconds. BASE BALL-New York won its third consecutive victory over the Bostons on Saturday by a score of seven to four.

THE Salvation Army has opened as thriving a business as usual. Petitcodiac. THE WATEB at Indiantown has fa'len very H. E. Freeze has been instructing the young rapidly the past few days.

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(Bangor Whig, 29th.) Wm. Snow, of this city, who has been in the

Grand Falls.

ELECTION.

Penobequis.

have never seen a halad, hor have I heard a man of rock speak, except in my dreams.' Never in the memory of the oldest naviga-tors of the St. John, has the water been so high at this season as at present. Every wharf bet ween the city and Fredericton is submerged, and in many piaces it reaches to the very doors of the houses along its banks. The bridge at Nerepis seemed to float on the tide, and about Woodman's Point and at Belyes's, where nearly all of the islands were under water, one could hardly realize that he was other than in the bay. It is extremely rare that at this season so little now is visible, and among the farmers an early spring is anticipated. The Acadis, on her, return from Fredericton made the dis-tance, including many stoppages, in seven and a half hours, and it is believed, will eventually rank in speed next to the David Weston. With the improvements which she has undergone during the past win-tar she is one of the most comfortable boats salling from St. John, and while she remains woods this winter for Morison & Hunting, arrived here on the train yesterday noon, bringing the news of a sad drowning accident which occurred at Ragged Lake Monday. A crew of ourteen men had been engaged in booming some logs in the lake which were owned, by. Motison & Hunting. They finished this work at two o'clock and started for the camp. The Motion & Hunting. They inished this work at two o'clock and started for the camp. The distance was much shorter across the ice, but eleven of the crew, knowing that it was unsafe to cross, started along the shore. The other three, all province men, were repeatedly warn-ed of their danger, but decided to try the ex-periment and so struck boldly out upon the ice. They had proceeded but a short distance Two of them easily broke their way to the boom, a distance of over one hundred feet, but the third, a man named George Rockwell, evisailing from St. John, and while she remains under the command of Capt. Easterbrooks, and Mr. Carvell continues in charge of the calinary department, her popularity with the travelling public is assured. the third, a man named George Rockwell, evi-dently lost his presence of mind and could only cry to his companions on the shore to save him. This they were unable to do, although making the utmost exertions, and he sank after remaining above the water ten or twelve minutes. He never rose afterwards. The men immediately commenced trying to recover his body, but it i not thought that they will be successful. Rockwell was about twenty-five years of age and had been in the employ of Morison & Hunting three years, He was a steady and inductrious man and a general favorite with his employers and follow

Sussex.

(FROM OUR OWN COBBESPONDENT.)

SUSSEX, April 28.-Mr. Tweeddale, who was at one time the business manager for Bent & Son, merchants of this place, and more recently in the employ of Geo. H. White & Co., left this place today to take up his residence in the general favorite with his employers and fellow workmen. He purchased a farm this spriog at his home in Lower Southampton. N. B., United States. How much he was respected will be quite fully shown by the following adwith his savings, and was soon to settle upon it with his wife and child. The latter are in dresses presented to him on the day of his departure. The addresses were accompanied by a very handsomely filled purse: -

the place above mentioned and were notified yesterday of their loss. From the choir and members of the Methodist

church. Dear Brother—As you are about to leave us to make your home with new friends and among other surreundings, we feal that we can-not suffer you to go without first expressing in some small degree the high spareciation we have of your many good qualities, and our sense of the loss we sustain by your leaving us. We who are members of the choir and have joined our voices with yours so many times in praise to God, and we who have worked with you in the babtath school, and all of us who have grasped your band and feit that you were a brother, indeed in the family of those who love God and own him as their Father, feel sorrow that you are no longer to work A PROTEST TO BE INTERED IN THE VICTORIA (SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE OF THE SUN) GRAND FALLS. April 27 .- The smoke of the battle has cleared away and the people's candidate is seen to be defeated by a small majority. The time was too short to organize properly. However, a protest will be filed and the people will make themselves heard who love God and own him as their Father, feel sorrow that you are no longer to work with and among us. We feel that our church in losing you will suffer heavy lose; and in all our social gatherings and church work, where you were ever so prominently active, we will miss you sadly. [Our prayer will go up to God that he may ever guide your staps in the way of holiness, and that though we may never meet again in this world, we comfort ourselves that by God's grace we will meet above, where we can enjoy unending intercourse, and with The Easter election in All Saints church took place on Monday last, and F. W. Brown was elected venior warden, Mr. Dickson, junior warden, Mr. Watson, clerk, and F. W. Brown, delegate to the synod: An old resident of this county, John May (brother-in-law to Hon. John Costigan), died last week. He leaves a widow and two sons. Sugar-making is over, and the season was an we can enjoy uneading intercourse, and with our volces in songe of praise to God who has redeemed us by His love. (Signed largely by the choir and members of the church b average one. The river is at an exceptionally high pitch, and words fail to picture the grandeur of the

the church.)

cataract. The Grand Falls hotel is doing a better business than for years past. Mr. Maybery caters to please the public. The hotel is a good feeder to the railroad, and Mr. Cram under-itands how to run the trains in the interest of both industries. Railroad sleepers are being shipped every day in immense quantities. The weather is as warm as in June; bright The weather is as warm as in June; bright and sunny. The mission church will be re-opened soon. It has been closed all winter. The building requires many repairs. The church to which the building belongs, should look after it or sell it to some one who will do so.

nicely and will be around again in a few Sussex, N. B., April 26th, 1886. [This address is signed by the high Sheriff, the Stipendiary Magistrate, the leading Bar-The steam saw mill of E. T. Freeze is doing risters and merchants of the place, etc.] Mr. Tweeddale made a feeling and approin singing during the winter. The class closed priate reply.

The citizens' address was as follows:-The citizens' address was as follows:--Dear Mr. Tweeddsle--We, among whom you have resided for the last four years, hear with regret that you are to leave us. Since you came among us we have been taught to value you, not only as a good citizen, but as a warm friend. In your intercourse with us you have ever shown so genial a spirit, so ready a dispo-sition to oblige, so temperate, honest and man-ly a life that you have won the esteem of all and the warm friend-ship and regard of those who know you best. In the new sphere of life to which you are called, you carry our best wishes for your welfare; we doubt not that those sterling qualities you have shown here will win you friends and success in your new home. You may rely confidently on this, that if our good works in which you took so prominent a part. Wishing you every success. We are your friends. Susser, N. B., April 26th, 1886.

(FROM AN OCCASIONAL CORRESPONDENT.) One of our prominent merchants, Silas M. Freeze, of Freeze Bros., had one of his legs adly hurt at the mill a few days ago. He was attended by Dr. Baxter of Sussex, is doing

