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## How the News Came.

Nataturally the ppeentu of the St. Jobbe
boye figting in Sount Atrioe are loonly the moot intereteted people in the gre Atrile non going on, eapecillict that end c op. Io soouring the town for photograpb of some of theee brave lade this week niquae opiniopse exprected by mothers an athers as to the wir outlook, alloo some sent tathers and dependent sioters. One daur old mother who feared be boy wne languiebing in a boopiaa Gualiy that if such was the pase, be was out hambs may, for at least a abort thile, 22
mich time, acoording to her critical indge ment of the situation, the heaviest figbin tome-made suggeotion abe reaumed the knitting contentedly.
re me in a teetle fathe thick of the fray on Sundayy lavt and many like ao not my Jim mas among the betat them. He asid be'd make hio old tath to proud Iam to know he's thero", bnt ben irflotiog a moment the mitie-biort old man continued in a broken voioc "perhapo me poor boy'o arready dead on for herg a brave lad."
The posting of the Cansidien ocounalty li: on Wedneedny atruck a blom bome to tho hoarts of the pooplo of the Dominion and lote of the enemy. For the firat time no conotry Chinde wies put on a looting witb the Mother Land in thin rogard, and oome apprebiontion of the tencion on the Brition publio when mitiog for motuary ataina by the propple beve- The mhole toma wise
Nlive to the war and its phaoes on the dliye to the mar and itp phaces on thant
cuateful doy in the middle ot the meek, and antelul dey in the ever ainee. Tbe wounding of lour St. John boyp and the killing of a saburb
unite filled the hearte of towoupoople with eelings of sorrow and pride ; pride, beonnse our omn lode trom lojal St. John were the common oususes of the Empire.

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In the report of the Auditor General it Mr. F. W. Blizard rectived fome atten tion and the sharp eyed puardinn of the dominion finanoes wrote a lltiter to the
 absence was $s$ xtended. The cirrumatance lllom:
"I L beg to inform you that I bave reecived
ander On Council dated Maroh 31, 1899, authorizing leave of sbreace with pay to Mr. Froderick W. Blizsurd, a railmy mail derk of the Now Brunsmick devivion, from
optember 27, to Julp 1, 1899.
"Ap you are aware, Mr. Blizzard ha he autbority of provione Ordera in Coun cil, ainoe September 13, 1897. There Tha, Fundentend, an inierval ot eight or sumod mork, but it neemas to me that no withatunding thin sbort break in hie absenoe
row sotual iervico, the order in Counoll rom actaul iervico, the order in Coninoi athe preerent instanco io-comitary to th of seotion 49 , ohapter 17, B. S. C., whioh provides ue followi:-
"In case of illnens or for any otber reew nor in Oouboil may grant to any (ffluar, bief clerk, olerk or other omployee, leave of a iberence for
"In my opinion Mr. Blizzarde loeve of September 1898 .
Thio does not present the mbole ot the ane. mil derk runing or the truin be my mail derk, running on the traio bee mae so much and he roosived no much to bin tripe there me an scoident an


ARTHUR HAYDON.
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A Sundey sehool sttendanoe "thermom $\operatorname{and}^{\text {nit }}$ it homething quite nemer in St. Jobed tor a traditionally conservative eant ond baptiat oburch to mako arrt uve of one. The "thermometer" shout twelve feet high and proportioantion
vide, oloeely fitting in between the lloor and coiling and io tull view of all tha soborom 100 to 400 , the gloses tubing being re resented by a wide elite lape and the merrury by a movable black tape. The the superintendent ase the "temperature" of
the school, sometimes warm, other timea the school, sometimes marm, other timea
warmer, and perhaps a stormy Sabbath warmer,
makes the gianot "thermometer take on rigid appeot. Records of ench meek
 alrendy evident of the inaugeration or simple but interesting devioe. Thit
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}ceiving a good deal of attention from polititienag at the present time. The ressono
lor this oudden intereet is osid to be the ior thio oudden interest io suid to be the
wish for a reorgaiz tion of the provin cial mor s reorgeniz. tion of the provin- The shofll , that has alread taken plase is simply an indication of wh may to expeetod to follom. It is eppenly atcted by thoose who obould
be in a position to know that Mr. Emmer. be in a position to know that Mr. Emme
son accoepted the cflice of attorney gener


WM. HUNTER.
$\qquad$ and when in thite eity bo morked with tha water simply as a atoppiug tone to the suprome to the general pudblice, when the choioco i made from the leandere of the bar. Then not propose to remoin in polition but in dieposed to socept the chairm nnstip of a oorx mincion to codily the lown of Nem Brunmick. Thin is a plan that hao been he accomplisbed now wben thero io a man wb Wonte the offise. The onlary of ou.h
position is istimated at different figures Somie place it at $\$ 3,000$ a year, some 84000 and some not so bigh. If thi
should be so and the chairman got so muct - year until the work is completed the ouggeation might well be made that tis government should agree upon a lump aum Mesars Emmerion and White get the oredit of being the etrongeot mon in the
governament. With them out of it room governament. With them out of it roo
would no doubt be made for Mr. Pugaley Who, needleses to asy, io quite the fqual o either in point of ability.
In connection with the rumor of the tirement of Judge Vanwart, Meserr Wwedie and Puggiey's hurrid journey
O :tawe is mentioned. If the Esoter Extension olaime were the reason to the journey Mr. Pugaley's proesen
would not be connidercd neoessary as ho
 Since then the short announcemant' has been made that Judge Vanmart does no
intend to ratire. Thio io interesting in th light of all the facts. Whetber the judg Boverament to their way of thinking ro mains to be osen. The recent deliveracice of Ali bonoro, Judge Barker was parhapa The hadent blow that Judge Vanwart hay
reocived. The latter was sued lor omall account by a photographer from $z$ omall court to that of the oounts courr jujgo and from therof Judge Vaneme permitted thie is a myatery. The debt ma a junt one anla abould have been raid ano the effort to pootpone or evade the aettle
ment beonuace a iudge mae concerraed, mel mith no or mipathy at the hande ot Juilge Burker when he delivered judgment. Thin in but one of many thinge that th
 bring againat him. It in an open ssecre
that he hao been in foancial d.ffioulties fo rome time, and the manoner in whici loveral ontates were bandlod ohbowed a careloenneses that has not morked to hio
adrinatage. Perionally thiere are fom peat yone who would tike to mee him lone the honorable poition bo holde but politicimel

If the propramme apoken of in carried
ut there will bo a obance for Mr. Carvell of Carleton and a more an botantial place the goverament for Mr. M.Keown. So, akking into conaideration Mr. Emmerron's
partillity to the judgeobip, Mr. White't widh to retire from politics and
his protpeot of a fat job, Mr. Pagaley's his protpect of a fat iob, Mr. Pagaley'e
ambition to be attorney general and mbition to be attorney general
the neeenity of providing for Meases.
 Ju g ge Van
no dittunt.
ANOPREREBAY BOAT LEAVES. Another big teemer load of hay left this city on Thursday afternoon aboard the
"Mariposa," and as soon as the bulky
"Mes "Mariposa," and ae soon as the bulky
o-aft owngg frcm her mooringe, another
 "Maripos" took amay several thousana
ons of hay and fodder for the "pationt Yons of hay and lodder for the "patient
heroes" on South Atrican fielde and was
all meighed down with it. well weighted down with it.
guged in exportiog baled hasy on long
woyages, can be taken from the report recived conoerning the condition mhen hay recoently oent to South Atrice. Late despatotes sasy the, Hon. Mr. Fibbreport from Soutup; Alrices, ayying the bay of the firt cargo from Canada sent on the
ateamer "Montauk,", mas most exocluent. It will be rememberted that a portion of thio hay was rebaled into Lonry bales. It is
osblod that the War Ofico authoritios have approved of these bales. The Lowry bale orlindrioal in form, and the Lowry proene
comprosese the hay so compaotly thrt one ton of hay oun be atowed in about 75 oubio coet. Ordinary baled hay oocupie. It will be remembered that tat the time
the engagement was made for this shipment Of bay the action of the goverament. wac challenged bocause all the hay mes not for-
ardedflin Canadina prosed balea. The ginto of the gevernmetit who bad the matter in charge contended that the ooirree puraued by them mould ensble a much arger oargo of Canadinn hay being purof the anme turning out in good condition a port of deatination.
nto Mary of Braucele stroet. A Bruaselo street Mury who io proopesn Keep her within the bounds of her marriage
Oows. She resented this a week aro and owb. She resented this a woek ago and
nome hours later walked off with a compana ion to do the town. She took the casb ramer with her and when opposite the ano house pitched it over tho fence.
Now this did not amount to much itelif because the drawer was empty anve lor a tem papers but the next morning (Sunday) when the usual crond
gathered at the gas hoose corner he sir of depreasion and thirst that they uanally wear was more apparrent than
ever. They knew what they wanted but it akees money to buy some thinge and the Tho thirst of two sharathing amful. "General Buller" and "Orab" was beoom ing unbearable when they apied the onah box under the fonoe.. Viviones of what night bo in that dramer floatod belore each of them but noither forgot hit dignity or
preosence of mind. So by mutual conuent these tho pleadera moved to inppoet the drawor. It weo lockeol What is to be
done. Their hopes were llated and the done. Thair hopes were Jlasted and the the gre house mana to ksep neeure. Some practional joker carried the nowe to
Braveele otrreet thet "Buller" and "C. Braseele strees that "Buller" and "Crab" has appropristod the canh drawer and the
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