HOPEWELL HILL, March 12 .- Th HOPEWELL HILL, March 12.— The Haptist quarterly meeting and Sunday school convention closed its session with a big meeting in the Baptist Church last night, which was addressed by Rev. Mr. Robinson of Sackville and Rev. Mr. McNeiil of Petitcodiac. The choir sang several selections, Mrs. J. Alton Tingley gave a solo, and Rev. Messrs. Davidson and McNeill sang a duet. At the close of the meeting votes of thanks were extended to the residents of the village for their hospitality, and to the choir for their services. Rev. Isalah Wallace, the evengelist, will remain for some days on this field, and next week intends going to Surrey to assist Rev. Mr. Addison in holding services there.

W. C. B. Robbins of Boston, secretary and manager of the Suncook Valley Lumber Co., was in this county

lev Lumber Co., was in this county test week in the interests of his firm. Mr. Robbins, who is a typical young American, with a knowledge of his business, speaks in the highest terms of the lumber manufactured by Mr. Hicks. the well known operator at Hopewell Cape, in this county.

It is said the New England Adamant Co., which recently purchased the Govanz plaster property at Cherio.

vang plaster property at Chemical Road, will begin operating right away. The company paid about \$800 for the property.

The ice in the Shepody Bay is rapid-

CHIPMAN, March 11.-Harry King, wife and family returned from St. John yesterday. E. E. Crandall goes to St., John today on business and to see his sick mother, expecting to return on Friday in company with Rev. E. T. Miller of Hebron, Yarmouth Co., who is to supply the pulpits on the Baptist circuit on Sunday. circuit on Sunday.

Last evening some two dozen people

made up a surprise party and swooped down on Mrs. Emery Brandscomb about eight o'clock, and did not leave until after midnight. A very pleasant evening was scott.

FREDERICTON, N. B., March 13.-John Kilburn returned this morning from the scene of his lumbering opera tions at the headwaters of the St John river. He reports four feet of show still in the woods. If the wea-ther holds fine for a few days all the logs will be in the brooks and driving

In the pages of the last issue of Blackwood's Magazine will be found a trenchant attack upon the government's sobeme of national strategy. The writer, who relis his identity under the nom de plume of "Staff Officer," declares that while the admiralty scouts the idea of assuming the defensive, and insists on the offensive at all costs, the war office has batched a scheme to give the nation:

MAUGERVILLE, Sunbury Co., Mar. I.—The sad news of the death of Miss Helena Duffy, which occurred at Higham, Mass., on Tuesday, was a great shock to her many friends in this place, where she was born and remained until her avocation as school teacher, and afterwards a professional nurse called her away. She was the youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Duffy, who now reside in Fredericton. The deceased was held in the highest.

Harry McMacken a few days ago broke one of his legs while wrestling. Dr. B. S. Thorne set the injured limb. There is considerable sickness here at present. The family of John Price,

where he has been working some years

in the mission field.

Miss Agnes Trueman of Truemanville, N. S., has completed the course
at the Commercial College, and reat the Commercial College, and reAmerican Bridge Co., which was start-

turns home Thursday.

CAMPOBELLO, Charlotte Co., March 12.—On Saturday evening Mrs. Mary Vennell, the oldest resident of the Island, passed peacefully to rest, in the 99th year of her age. Mrs. Vennell came from England to this country more than fifty years ago, accompanied by her husband, two sons and two daughters, all of whom are dead except one son, James Vennell, a resident of the island. The remains were interred in the Episcopal cemetery here:

American Bridge Co., which was started to the company's contracts here, and work on two bridges under construction for the city was stopped today.

CHICAGO, March 12.—The strike of the sheet metal workers was endorsed today by the advisory board of the bilding trades council. This is said to mean that a general strike, including members of thirty building crafts, will be called on every contract where non-union men and members of rival metal workers' unions are employed.

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Annually—A Definite Social Standing Established.

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FREDERICTON, March 18.— Smallpox has broken out at Kingsclear and the authorities are becoming alarmed. Doctors Fisher and Mullin of the County Board of Health visited the infected district yesterday and found all characteristics of the disease. The houses were immediately quarantined and guards placed to prevent the spread of the disease. Some cases reported are of a virulent type. The authorities report great difficulty in obtaining competent nurses, So far affecen cases have been reported.

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NATIONAL STRATEGY. A Staff Officer's Opinion of the British Was

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Duffy, who now reside in Fredericton.
The deceased was held in the highest
esteem by all her acquaintances. The
heart-broken family have the sincers
sympathy of their many friends here.
Mrs. Jas. S. Raymond is suffering
from another severe attack of rheumatism.
Farmers who are slow about getting

Farmers who are slow about getting their lee are in a fix, for it is fast wearing away.

The marriage of Miss Ella Miles, youngest daughter of the late Fred W. Miles of this place, and Budd Day of Sheffield is announced to take place on St. Patrick's day.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred J. Foster, who, with their son, have been spending the winter with Mr. Foster's brother and sister, have returned to their home in Moorhead, Minn.

HAVELOCK, N. B., March 11.—The old folks' concert was repeated by request last Friday. A good audience was present. The committee have now about \$40 with which to buy lumber for the interior of the public hall.

Harry McMacken a faw days are

Boston Girl Receives Check for \$1,000 for Best Essay on "Dorothy Dodd" Shoe.

A Boston girl, Miss May Newman, is the at present. The family of John Price, J. P., have all been ill. Squire Price is still very low. A. E. Killain of Moncton was here last night to see his brother, W. W. Killain, who has been sick all winter. Colby Nicholson is very ill.

D. A. Jonah of Petitcodiac has sold his beautiful residence to George Mc-Ann. Mr. and Mrs. Heber Folkins of the Sussex Mercantile Co. have gone to Eigin to reside, much to the regret of many friends here. Addison Seely has returned from a trip to Sydney.

SACKVILLE, N. B., March II.—The town council established yesterday are

SACKVILLE, N. B., March 11.—The town council established yesterday are talking of buying out the Water and Sewerage and Telephone and Electric Light companies.

The heavy freshet Saturday caused the dam at Ogden's mill to rise. The dain has suffered a good deal of damage, and all the water has escaped from the pond.

The fund for the new pipe organ of the Main street Baptist church now allouints to about \$300.

Mrs. Harmon Humphrey gives a large "at home" today. Mrs. Paisley entertained a number of her friends Wednesday last.

Mr. and Mrs. Percy Alexander arrived Tuesday, the guests of Rev. Geo. Steel. Mr. Alexander was formerly a teacher in the Mt. Allison Academy, and is now on his return to Japan, where he has been working some years in the mission field.

LABOR TROUBLES.

#### LABOR TROUBLES.

Rev. W. H. Street is seriously ill with pneumonia. Dr. Bennett of Lubec. Me., is in attendance.

"Troubles is to dis life," said Uncie Eben, "whut de bones is to a shad. If you hasn' de energy to git rid of 'em, you doesn' deserve de enjoyment."—Washington Star. Laurier gives notice of an act to re-strict Chinese immigration.

By Eugene Field. once knew all the birds that came And nestled in our orchard trees: for every flower I had a name— My friends were wood chucks, toads and

knew the spot upon the hill
Where checkerberries could be found;
knew the rushes near the mill,
Whare pickerel lay that weighed a pound!
knew the wood—the very tree—
Where lived the poaching, saucy crow,
and all the woods and crows knew me—
But that was very long ago.

And, pining for the loys of youth,
I tread the old familiar spot,
Only to learn the solemn truth—
I have forgotten, am forgot.
Yet here's this youngster at my knee
Knows all the things I used to know;
To think I once was wise as he—
But that was very long ago.

I know it's folly to complain
Of whatsoe'er the Pates decree;
Yet, were not wishes all in vain,
I tell you what my wish should be:
I'd wish to be a boy again,
Back with the friends I used to know;
For I was, oh! so happy then—
For that was very long ago. A VERONICA MUTINEER

furns King's Evidence and Describ-LIVERPOOL, March 13.-The trial Otto Mosnon, Henri Flohr, Gustav Ran an William Smith, the latter an American Otto Mosnon, Henri Fjohr, Gustav Ran and William Smith, the latter an American, charged with having committed seven murders on the St. John bark Veronica last December, was begun here on Thursday. The steamship Brunswick picked up the four men and a negro cook at sea and landed them here about six weeks ago. The negro cook made a statement, in which he charged the four men had mutnied at sea and killed the captain and six members of the crew. They afterwards set fire to the bark and left her in an open boat. The cook's life was spared because the mutineers wanted him to do their cooking.

The charge against Flohr was withdrawn, and the crown decided to put him on the stand. He said that while the yessel was on a voyage from the Mississippi to Montevideo the prisoners conspired to murder certain members of the crew. Ran was leader. The mutineers were armed with revolvers and belaying pins. Captain Shaw of the bark was shot by Ran and lay in his cabin for two days in a pool of blood. He was then shot again, and his body, together with those of four of the crew who had been murdered, was thrown overboard. An attempt was made to kill the cook, but his life was spared on condition that he did as he was told. Besides the captain, the first and second officers were also murdered.

The men were remanded.

#### YORK COUNTY'S LIVING PROOF

THAT DODD'S KIDNEY PILLS WILL CURE GRAVEL

Thomas Harrison Tells of His Sufferings and of His Speedy and Permanent Cure.

ST. MARY'S FERRY, York Co., N. B., Mar. 13.—(Special.)—York County has a living proof of the efficacy of Dodd's Kidney Pills to bring back health, when all other means have failed, in the person of Thomas Harrison of St. Mary's Ferry. "I began to suffer with a savere role in the saver with a severe pain in my back, follow-ed by a very lethargic feeling," Mr. Harrison says in speaking of his cure. "This continued for some time, graduto call in a physician, who termed my disease appendicitis. Still I could get no relief, and very shortly I commenced to urinate blood.

"My attention had been called to Dodd's Kidney Pills, but I was skeptical of patent medicines, and it was some time before I made up my mind to try them.

"The first box gave me relief and greater relief followed when I passed a stone that had formed in the bladder. By the time I had finished the third box I was cured. I have had no return of my trouble either, for if I feel any symptoms of its return I get another box of Dodd's Kidney Pilis another box of Dodd's Kidney Pilis and in that way keep myself clear of that terrible disease."

Mr. Harrison is only one of many here who have benefited from the use of Dodd's Kidney Pills, and the generally accepted conclusion is "If the disease comes from the Kidneys, Dodd's Kidney Pills will cure it."

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Beef tongue, per ib

Beef, roast, per ib.

Lamb, per ib

Mutton, per ib.

Yeal, per ib.

Pork, per ib. frash

Pork, salt, per ib.

Sausagas, per ib. Pork, sait, per lb...

Sauzages, per lb...

Bam, per lb...

Bacon, per lb...

Pacon, per lb...

Butter (fairy), rolls...

Butter (tubs)

Lard, per lb...

Eggs. case

Eggs. case

Eggs. tenery, per doz...

Ovicus, per lb...

Carrots, per peck...

Carrots, per peck...

Savash, per lb...

Turnips, per peck...

Fowl, per pair

Turkey, per lb...

Turkey, per lb...

Chickens

Ducks, per pet...

Ducks, per pet...

GROCERIES. Monassed—Porto Rico, new..... 0 31 " 0 34
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COUNTRY MARKETS. Mutton per lb

veal, per lb

Pork, fresh, per lb

Shoulders, per lb

Ham per, lb

Roll butter, per lb

Turkey, per lb

Eggs, case, per doz

Fowl, per pair

Chickens

A Woman Who Violently Assailed the

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Negro Now in Jail Charged With Musder of Patrolman Jordan is a Native of the Provinces. (Bangor Commercial.)

dan, is, according to the Commercial's Woodstock, N. B., correspondent, a native of that town. Albert, upon his place was in Maine.

The following is from the Commercial Woodstock correspondent: "People here are much interested in charged with shooting a police officer in Bangor. This is Albert's birthplace. He was born in the upper part of the

to learn blacksmithing, and was in the employ of John Arnold, one of the best known blacksmiths of the town. He was quick tempered and ready to do his share of fighting, but does not em to have been regarded as excepionally vicious.

"His name is remembered here also in connection with a fatal accident Sampson led the first conference on which beful 'be first wife of R. B. Jones of Woodstack. Albert was driving the ful Sunday School Work. Others join-

"Naturally people are relating all they know about the unfortunate young negro, and many who well remember him say he was a quiet and good natured bay at all evaluations."

J. W. Spurden led the analysis of Local Sunday schools as he saw them. The field secretary spoke on how these needs can be met. He showed that they are not impossibilities. good natured boy. At all events there was nothing to specially indicate that his career was likely to lead him into the position he now occupies."

The members of the church and con- superintendents of Sunday schools. gregation of the Roman Catholic Church held a memorial service in their chapel Sunday at 2 p. m. in memory of their late beloved pastor, Rev.

M. J. Coughlan. The church and altar were tastefully decorated for the occasion. It was expected that Fr. Coughlan, brother of the deceased, would be present to participate, but owing to the bad roads he was unable the attend. Fr. Porvier the resident.

Maggie Powers.

The Division of Sons of Temperance

W. E. Skillen, A. W. Fownes, James Rourke and C. F. Black. WANTED-A case of Headache that The burial of Mrs. Wm. Yeomans, a respected citizen of advanced years, took place on Monday afternoon and was largely attended. Deceased was 74

WANTED—A case of Headache that KUMFORT Powders will not cure in from ten to twenty minutes.

FOR A HORSE SHOW.

Mrs. (Capt.) David Smith of Fredericton has been spending a week in her native town.

The aid town. The aid society of the Presbyterian

The aid society of the Presbyterian Church gave an excellent concert on Thursday evening in the Masonic hall. The chair was taken by W. E. Skillen, who introduced as the first on the programme, Rev. Donald Stuart, who sang a solo entitled Loch Lomond; reading by W. L. McDiarmid; "An Unpublished Chapter of Sky Pilot" by Ralph ed Chapter of Sky Pilot," by Ralph Connors; gramophone selections; address, Rev. D. Stuart. The humorous

ST. JOSEPH'S

MARGARET SHEPHERD DEAD. To Be En Fete on the 17th of March. MEMRAMCOOK, March 11.-Special church of Rome.

NEW YORK, March 14.—Information this way. Abundant literature is circulated that the various states take in \$15,0000 in this register in a celebration of their patronal feast day, March 17th.

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The preparations are being made by the members of St. Patrick's Literary and

ALBERT BORN IN WOODSTOCK. | born son of Erin, and will, therefore, be able to speak from experience. At 1 p. m. the members of St. Patrick's Society, together with a number of invited guests, will repair to the college dining hall and partake of their customary sumptuous banquet. William H. Albert, the negro in In the evening at 7.30, in Lefebvre Bangor jail, awaiting trial on the Hall, our amateurs will present The charge of murdering Patrolman Jor- Irish Agent. This play is simple in construction, but with sufficient of the dramatic element to afford each actor an opportunity of displaying whatever arrest, denied that he was born in the true Thespian spirit he may possess. provinces, and claimed that his birth- In this case, as in most others, the course of true love runs anything but smoothly. There is an eviction, an abduction, a rescue, and a climax, the last being of the "if they didn't live he case against William H. Albert, happy that you and I may" order. The staging is excellent, and it may be stated that J. Ponton, the well known He was born in the upper part of the town, where there is quite a colony of colored people, and which in the common talk is known as Nigger Hill. Albert's father and mother lived here, and he had several brothers and sisters.

The family substantial market of Montreal, will be here to look after the costuming and make-ups of the actors. It is worth noting that the so-called Irish brogue and offensive caricatures do not appear in this play. St. Joseph's Irish students have always done their share in discountengaging and shellighing theatrical furnisher of Montreal, will The family subsequently moved to in discountenancing and abolishing St. John. It is tully ten years since these insults offered to their race. The william Albert went away from Wood-stock. When a young man here, he be furnished by the St. Joseph's Colwith Albert went away from Wood-stock. When a young man here, he worked a good deal about several liv-ery stables, as many of the young ne-groes do now. At one time he started ard, W. McManus and P. J. Gallagher.

YORK CO. S. S. WORK. Fredericton City Sunday School Association held its semi-annual convention in the Kirk on the 12th. Samuel MacFarlane, president, being sick, Rev. F. C. Hartley, as vice president, occupied the chair in the afternoon. C. A. Sampson led the first conference on Some Duties and Methods of Successof Woodstock. Albert was driving the vehicle with Mrs. Jones in it, when the horse became uncontrollable and ran away. Mrs. Jones was violently thrown out and sustained injuries, resulting in her death.

> J. W. Spurden led the opening devo-tions in the evening, Miss Everett pre-siding at the piano. The following of-ficers were elected: President, Samuel MacFarlane; vice presidents, A. O'-Blenis; secretary-treasurer, Havelock Coy; other members of executive, the

to attend. Fr. Porrier, the resident clergyman, officiated. A deep solemnity pervaded the large audience, as all hearts bowed in sympathy and thus lovingly remembered their dead. Suitable music was rendered by the choir under the capable leadership of Miss

A SUCCESSFUL SUNDAY SCHOOL.

The Division of Sons of Temperance celebrated their 47th anniversary on Tuesday evening by a choice entertainment and supper.

Much interest is being awakened over municipal affairs and it looks now as though there would be rather a lively contest. The candidates are:

J. P. Mosher, F. M.Cochrane, M. Kelly, W. E. Skillen, A. W. Fownes, James

horse show in this city in August next, The proposition was put before the

arrangement of government grants, there will be no industrial exhibition here this year. dress, Rev. D. Stuart. The humorous side of missionary life in the west; solo by E. A. Titus, "The Storm Fiend," reading by S. V. Skillen, "The Irish Philosopher;" dialogue, "The Gun Town Woman's Association." The national anthem closed the entertainment. The proceeds, amounting to \$14, are in aid of the S. S. library.

Messrs. Came and Frink outlined the plans which are for a horse show to be held in some large covered space in the city next August, along the lines of such attractions held in Montreal, Toronto and American cities. They asked the government to grant them assistance to the amount of \$500 or guarantee them against loss up to Messrs. Came and Frink outlined the

guarantee them against loss up to that sum. It is the intention to give about \$1,000 in prizes. The government promised to consid-



CANADA'S

PARLIAN Opposition Leader Scot Government in Debat

Address.

Sir Wilfrid Laurier Promised ations at a Later Date and a Feeble Reply.

Conservative Leader in Quet By John Charlton, the Liber wart-Notes from the Press and the Floor.

(Special to the Sun.) OTTAWA, March 13.-Today commons was entirely devoted debate on the address in reply speech from the throne. Col. Thompson of Haldimand w mover and Mr. Demers of St and Iberville the seconder. Mr. Desjardins, member-el Terrebonne, was introduced. Col. Thompson claimed the ing back over the past years. death of brave Canadians in the tle-fields of South Africa was or spot, but he felt happy to congression. Britain over the termination
Boer war. The peaceful and
union of the English and French
In Canada might have its effect
divided races of the new section
the empire Col. Theorem. the empire. Col. Thompson on the coronation ceremonies as happy recovery of King Edwar contrasted the treatment accord Canadian contingent at the jul 1897 and that meted out to th nation quota. The colonial conhe declared, was highly satis He scouted the idea of any as for the defence of the empire representation in the imperia The proposal that Canada shot 10,000 men for special service jected as dangerous to the d commercial progress. The gov of the Alaskan boundary con Even should its work result in definite, the door would be for future negotiation. Col. son wanted to see immigration ed to the races which has proved such valuable settlers against paupers being freely and claimed this to be the the government. He con the government on its attitu the transportation question distribution bill would aim ing injustices without im ones. The government h

the efforts of Providence

Canada a policy which

in great prosperity.

Mr. Demers spoke in Fr R. L. BORDE on fising to reply, congra Wafrid Laurier on the ben received by his trip to the expressed on behalf of tive party the hope that permanent. He congr mover and seconder ,alt gretted that the govern wredited with so much liven very poor second He referred feelingly the late members, Merrs well, Christie and Hors ted that no mention ha the address to the pro between Canada and New Zealand, althomentioned last year. premier to explain w den, referring to the ence, regretted that three motions had b the representatives had not taken the in the meeting had been ren of results. The ferential trade with important to this ignored. That had dvantage that con deavored to secure pressed himself far sire to obtain cor and Mr. Fisher er 1901. Mr. Fielding ernment was short ing that which had rant humbug, Mr. Canadian represent strumental in sur of business trans ence. It would be tives stood on the eral party had ti against all propo preference. He a o explain the vei Canada's repres the preference as also suggested th tended to put in raise the duties ish goods in ret the mother land ed against Germ ted under Brit many discrim and he wanted edy in her han use her tariff proper consid terests. Mr. Bo ment of the regard to the hoped to see the Canadia long. He sug ment should authorities wi French shore Toundland coul able course in question and the Clayton Lansdowne h Canada's inte ada had allo away from l ernment was phase the Were the thr satisfactory ventured to

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