## TUESDAY JULY 15, 1884

THE SPEECH.

The address of His Honor the Lieut Governor will be read all over the North-west with deep interest. The various measures which are to come before the council for its consideration are tersely set forth, and are accompanied by suggestions for the especial information of those who have to deal with

round us.

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introduction toxicating liquors into the North- the valley of the Ottawa. west have made it their especial business to exaggerate the abuse of the permit system. In this they finite will result from the small might also explain to his friends how it have been ably assisted by the temperance advocates whose want of other evening. The meeting was tact in advocating temperance hastily called, and although it was legislation has always been careful- attended by a few representative by shown. With regard to brew- men there did not appear to be eries and beer His Honor is plain anything of a definite nature to which he adde t at the request of the comspoken and univocal. He says:

the establishment of breweries in meeting hoped to make successful him. the Territories has been forwarded negotiations with, but it is very to the Federal Government and I coubtful if this bank has any inhave lately reported on this subject | tention of opening an agency here. myself advocating the same in What the people want is a private thickly settled districts. This I banking concern managed by some think would be the means of put- one in sympathy with the district. ting a stop to smuggling to a great | We have been informed by extent and close up illicit distill- prominent merchant here that a

ject elsewhere we shall make no likely to select this locality comment here.

portion of the address which refers hope, in a few days, to be able to the condition of the country and make the announcement that the be forgotten that the North-west is ed. space itself and that while some parts are prospering others are appears, however, to be assured.

commendable. This is wise and the North-west Territory has spread writing up the country for an eastern daily, we hope that a liberal policy will be delight around. This is looked up. as follows:

one of security and the exaggerated reports which have been circulated are to be regretted.

members of the council appear to be going to work we are confident lager looks upon it as the admission that the present session will be attended with legislation of a sensible and wholesome character.

28th ylt we find a lengthy report spirit, firmness and eclat as if it 28th vit. we find a lengthy report spirit, firmness and eclat as if it rafts snapped like pipe at m. so strong was of a public meeting recently neld had been a centennial itself. the current and so great was the weight of at Edmonton. The representative Torontonians may well be proud driftwood against them. In the afternoon for Edmonton district Mr. Frank of their City. It is the brains of headqua ters of the company at Winnipeg. for Edmonton district Mr. Frank of their City. It is the brains of Oliver also editor of the Bulletin the Dominion, and the hope of the Capt. Smith, of the H, B. Co., thought it is reported by his paper as having, rising generation who consider it would be a good opportunity to launch the among other resolutions moved the no disgrace to be called Canatollowing:

Moved by F. Oliver, seconded by D. "That although the present form of local government under the North-west Territories Act may have been as good as could be framed owing to the h nited population of the country and the information possessed of at the time the act was passed, the change ture of Observer, in which he adversely which have taken place since then have criticizes this journal. This Rip Van been such as to render it anything but Winkle, who is doubtless no other than our lungs and resucitated him. The scow pro-

west Council should be changed so that important localities such as Ft. McLeod, people of the North-west a voice in the anagement of the affairs of the country has ceased and the position should be abolish-

While admitting that the im portant changes have taken place It will be gratifying for the frien- in the territories since the Northds of Education in the Territories west Act was framed we do not ford and Medicine Hat entitled to represent Messrs. D. Allison and N. Gallanghe ds of Education in the Territories to learn that during the present to learn that during the present session a school ord nance will be passed and that its provisions will be acceptable to the people. Public school matters are certainly in a school matter and have them under the school matters are certainly in a school matter and backward condition, but now that cannot see, as Mr. Oliver says that sented in the Council. there is to be energeti: legislatlon the time has arrived when the popul in this respect, we may expect soon lation, importance and accessibility to see the beneficial results all ar of the territories has increased to such an extent as to warrant their Upon theliquor question we think erected into a united province. that the conclusions arrived at by There is something illogical in Mr. recent v called at this office and stated that His Honor are perfectly correct. Oliver's reasoning. The whole is list was a lie. Mr. Colvin is pleased to say It has been industriously reported not greater than the sum of the lia the columns of the organ that "the Ner" place on the 1st July, came off in due form, that the permit system has been a parts, consequently if any time has wester and his salettites no doubt think that the permit system has been a parts, consequently if any time has they have scored a good game by attempting farce. We have never believed arrived at all it has arrived for to cast odium on my efforts to do the square this from what we have seen and from what we know. His Honor says in this particular feature:

North west into one province whichever party the sound because the information of the sound because the seen and been laid off across the sound the slouge. There did not appear to be very thing by all parties, but I have every continue the slouge. There did not appear to be very keen competition in any of the races, and in the sound because the sound in the sound because the sound because the information of the sound because the sound t wasimposed after consultation with terests of the various nominal dis- by such a scurrilous sheet. wasimposed after consultation with terests of the various hollinar dis-you has not as was expected, les- tricts into which the North-west friends as much as he pleases but it does not sened the number of applicants to Territory is now divided are not alter these facts. any appreciable extent; but I am in every case identical. Mr. Oliglad to be able to inform you, that ver's scheme in this respect is as far as I have been able to gath- Utopian. If the nominal districts er information, very little abuse has were to be crganized into real disbeen made of the liquor imported tricts and each possess a council, Committee, comprising the following name ! on permits; but I am sorry to say we think it would be better than it gentlemen; Mr. Gibb, Mr. Brown and Mr. that a large amount of liquor is be- is now, and when the districts being constantly smuggled into the came ripe for provincial organizacountry in the face of every exertion, the people would be in a well known persons of the town, and asked that they be addedr tion made by myself in conjunction position better to appreciate the with the Northwest Mounted Police duties and responsibilities of such to prevent it, and I am informed as tatus. Mr. Oliver's resolution the inducements are so great and looks like a declaration of war. the profits so large that illicit stills If it is not fierce it is certainly ation. are now in operation in several parts | comprehensive, and if it is not a fiourish of tomahawks from the There is no doubt whatever that north branch it is certainly a warthose who are interested in the whoop which Mr. Oliver's deterin- mined shall be heard as far east as

It is not likely that anything dehope for. The Bank of Hamilton, mittee. He persaps may especially explain we understand is the institution the to his friends why Mr. Jrmes Carroll's "Your resolution recommending | we understand is the institution the strong financial man has already The agricul ural implement man is again on Hardware Crockers, etc., and As we refer to this especial sub- opened negotiations and that he is the war path, and is fitting up his wares HardwareCrockery, etc., and field for financial operations. This It is gratifying to return to that is something to the point and we its marvelous growth. It must not arrangements have been complet-

A brief telegram to the Regina suffering. The general prosperity Leader announcing that the Government have determined to pet-The enconragement of arboriculture | mit the manufacture of malt beer and of agricultural societies are and the importation thereof into pursued. His Honor alludes to the on as a fair compromise to the man sensational and exaggerated re- who must have his beer, It is to be began early Wednesday mornin . The river ports of Indian difficulties and he hoped that this concession will have disposes of the unnecessary fears a beneficial effect on smuggling. It is at best an experiment and it "I am sure the general feeling is is entitled to a fair trial. meantime the friends of prohibition in the North-west look with alarm upon the concession as being the From the earnestness with which | thin edge of the wedge, while the man who takes his clear shining of an inalienable right.

"Muddy little York" appears In the Edmo ton Bul'etin of the a semi centennial with as much raft'in passing took the log slide of the mill on board. The ropes used in stubbing the

## EDITORIAL NOTES.

Someonewho has been asleep in the McLeod Gazette office for the last six weeks, effective or satisfactory now; and while the location and boundaries of the different proposition and boundaries of the different proposition of this journal on the lease question; "The Non'-western wants to smooth the axis factory, it is not advisable at the present time to separate them from each other and plece each one under a petty provincial government, but the time has arrived when the population, importance and accessibility of the territories has increased to such an extent of the territories has a true o

too full of prejudice to admit the truth: however, the falsehood in this case suits his case the better." 'Observer' is evidently in possession of more pre'udice than he can decent y take hold of. 11f he will look up the latest official authorities on cattle ranging in the Livited States he will if his preing in the United States he will, if his pre-judice should not blind him, see that the free range system is strongly condemned, and what wesaid in this journal on the 27th that the time has arrived when the people of that the North-west are sufficiently numerous out by the facts of actual exp rience, So a straw hat, sailing contented y down the anden'i htened to govern themselv s through far as the mission of the Non'-Wester is stream with the vain hope that he would concerned, "Observer" will find, that, unlike the Gazette, the Nor-werrer knows i's but i less, and it can afford to feel amused at the ignorance and prejudice of such jealous scribes as "Observer" and his ilk. Their unjust criticism of this journal we trust they is estimated the H. B. Co. have lost in the will continue. It is doing the Non'-wester | vicinity of \$5,000 a great deal of good.

Mr. James C lvin late enumerator for this district has been kind enough to make a statement in the columns of the "ueutral" organ of course. The late enumerator also

(1) That his first list contained only 149 (2) That forty two names of well known

(3) That the enumerator was waited upon by a sub-committee of Mr. Geldes's General

(4) That this committee presented him. with a liet of forty two names some of them (5) That Mr, Colvin appeared to be sur-(6) That he finally consented to put on

(7) That of a list of twe've names presen-

of Mr. Bleeker and oth rs, and that the specified sum by the railways. correctnes of these names was taken as a matter of course. Mr. Colvin in his candor struck off and were not put on until the sub committee made a demand upon him:

J. B. Thomas, H. S. Dannison, James
Carroll, F. Petit, M. G. McLean, J. Gilohrist, J. R. Costigan and Louis Beaupre
There are some of the twenfy-six names.

name wrs left off, surely he did not forget

### NOR'-WESTERS. EDMONTON.

The growth of vegetation in the E monton district, this season eclipses anything on

preparatory to an assault on the purse of the easily persuaded moss bank. Jno. Fraser left for Athabasca Landing to build an inland heat of four tons capacity

which Sinclair and Co. will use for trading on the Athabasca river and Slave lake. Mr. H. MePpillips, who edited and pub-lished the Herald, Winnipeg, and who finally founded the Moosejaw News, arrived in town last week. Mr. McPhillips came by way of Calgary, and was much impressed with the beauty of the country from Lone Pine northward and itr general adapt ability for agricultural purposes. He considers general farming such as is being carried on by the settlers here, the only true principle upon which farming can besuccessfully carried on in the North-west, He is

The annual June rise in the Saskatchewa per hour unt I Wednes ay morning. Drift wood, trees and loose sawlogs came down in such quantities as to compel the ferries to have aleven o'clock. Wed-In the stop running. About eleven o'clock Wednesday morning a large raft from the pine. broke in two, one half going down inside the boom tearing it out, thereby letting the logs loose and demoralizing things in general.

Booms, logs and everything went down the river with the mill hands on board who tried in vain to get them ashore. About noon the logs tied along the bank above the mill began to move, finally one started for Grand rapids at a six-mile an hour gait, and seven more follow dat regular intervals, manned by crews of from one to three men, new soow, being built for Prince Albert, and lower her around the bend to a place of

safety. While doing so the driftwood strong cu rent. Mr. W. L. Wood, who had hold of the rope was dragged into the river and only got out by dist of to ambling and catching the willows. T. Hardesty was and gragged into the river over Mr. Wood's head. The captain pulled him aboard feet foremost, a distance of fifty yards under

### MacLEUD.

and arrived at Medicine Hat the next even ing at 8, 30 hours from Winnip g, as com pared with 47 hours which is passeuger

Oats are loooking splendidly and wheat is better looking this year than it has ever

The athletic sports, advertised to take rather cool and notas pleasant as could be desired. The course had been laid off across

### GENERAL NEWS

OTTAWA, July 5 .- An order in Council has been passel providing that fines criminal cases in the North-west be paid the Lient Governor and not to the Justice of the Peace. In Keewatin similar fines are to be paid to the Lt Governor of Manitoba. Hon Mr. Chapleau will leave on Tuesday for British Columbia.

The Department of Marine and Fisherte has been divided. Wm. Smith remains Deputy Minister of Marine and John Tilton is to day Gazettel Dep ty Minister of F sh

John C. Gough, of Port Arthur has been twenty-six of the forty-two names and that appointed commission r for the preserva-

The Grit papers are making capital out o no votes which names Mr. Coivin himself had put on he consented to strike off the names of R. Hardesty and Louis Capelle, but would strike fff no more, and

(8) That subsequently a large number of names were added to the list at the request work out of regular hours shall be paid a

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