### VELL HILL.

HILL, Feb. 27.-Whitn of Wm. Mitton of married last evening O'Boyle, daughter of of Chemical road. Rev. of Riverside perform-

n, who are lumbering e scale this winter, 700,000 feet of deals Sawmill Creek, and h of March are expechaul over a million, their output almost The firm all next two mills running, tht. The Messrs. Mitn, but they are genuunderstand their irm gives employment

er of men. of Hillsboro was calvesterday to see Wm. ntinues quite fil. C., returned today-

line is still brockaded oming by team.

OVE. QUEENS CO. VE. Queens Co., Feb.

known as staggers has a horses in this localse is said to be caused eed that grows on the n as pine top. ll be held at the hall The proceeds will go. ting club. all to build the new orough, had to susabout a month ago on

of April. who has spent the ne, has returned home ents, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence White, who winter in the lumber arrived home this

and deep snow. They

mplete the bridge in

rk the first of March.

NARROW ESCAPE.

formerly of Norten, ticing in this city, had from serious injury. Sunday at noon. He ng Union street from eavy ice fell from the ling in which Dunlop's ted. Miraculously the being struck, the fallto part in mid-air and de of him. The crystal the sidewalk, and its ust have aggregated ounds. Ahead of the ind him were women and children After the Ly owds took the middle with death lurkrhanging ice. The pogilant in having houseins' rays have become rnices of ice and icicles kly, and nothing but a will keep the m the dangerous stuff.

### ONCTON.

Chosen-Serious Accident C. R. Yard.

March 4.-An adjourned zens tonight approved candidates to run as ket, independent of do-: H. Atkinson for Given and J. T. Ryan t-large, Jas. Flanagan ue for Ward One, A. H. C. Chapman for Ward le and J. P. Weir for

was representative and principle to run civic rom party politics. It that the ticket named by acclamation, as one pposition in Ward Three ounced, and prospective

of age, was badly and injured while repair-I. C. R. vard here this anc was engaged with making repairs under it was struck by a ed a short distance by and was severely al ribs were stove in al. He also received a the back of the head. on was fortunate

sold El Lantalum of ed the wreck of the the owner of the diving e for \$365.

#### TENNESSEE mething About Coffee

an in Rita, Tenn., ran ds to 135 pounds in by leaving off coffee.
Postum Food Coffee.
ck for a long time; subles and a general nervwith stomach trouble lee drinking, and when nd took on Postum Food e the change that cur-tened her quickly. She want to, have no more teel like a new pe now what I am doing. drinking Postum Food

has been cured of rhue-ing off coffee and using is mother, who was alit altogether and now times a day. She nd says she never ex-coffee any more." Mrs. son Rita, Tean.

# CITY NEWS.

Recent Events in and Around St. John

Together With Country Items from Correspondants and Exchanges.

When ordering the address of your WEEKLY SUN to be changed, send the NAME of the POST OFFICE to which the paper is going as well as that of the office to which you wish member! The NAME of the Pos Mee must be sent in all cases to asure prompt compliance with your

Bentley's Liniment cures Quinsy."

John Black of Fredericton has gone on a business trip to England. Acute Rheumatism. Bentley's Liniment instantly subdues the pain and swelling. 10 and 25 cents.

Rev. J. D. Freeman, of Fredericton has received a call from the Germain Street Baptist church to succeed Rev. sidering the matter, but has not yet

At a public meeting held in Annapolis last week it was decided to or-ganize a board of trade. A committee was appointed to frame by-laws, and the board will meet next Monday ev-

A flock of twenty-six wild geese landed on the harbor at North Sydney, C. B., on Wednesday off Barrington's Cove. This is very early for the appearance of wild geese and indi-

Sch. John Duffy, Capt. Cameron bound from Alma for this port with deals, lost fibs and was otherwise damaged off Quaco the other day. She is at Herring Cove and will probably cates an early spring.

Sch. Joseph Hay, which went ashore at Gulliver's Cove last week, was successfully floated yesterday morning by the tug Flushing and towed to Digby. The vessel is not badly injured, but she is leaking some. She will be towed to this port as soon as the weather permits.

The Windsor Tribune says that the directors of the Commercial Bank of Windsor know nothing about the report that the Canadian Bank of Commerce has been negotiating for the purchase of the Commercial Bank. The matter has never been discussed or even thought of by the directors.

James Mitchell of Newcastle, Northumberland County, died Friday, aged 75 years.He was a brother of the late Hon. Peter Mitchell, and was born the year after the great Miramichi fire. Mr. Mitchell was formerly sheriff of Northumberland and one of the best known and most highly respected men on the North Shore. He also held me appointments under the federa government.

Thos. N. Nickerson's new invention in the way of wire lobster traps has been tested and approved by actual use. They are not all of wire, for the bottom is made of wood on the same principle as that of the ordinary trap. They keep in position during storms and are not liable to be destroyed by rough weather. Orders are coming in daily and many of the fishermen will adopt them for general use this seaon -Coast Guard

The St. Croix Courier, referring to the report that the Bank of New Brunswick was to acquire the business of the St. Stephen's bank, says that President Frank Todd of the local bank states that there have been no negotiations of that nature, and that the rumor is without foundation

The Windsor Tribune says that Manager J. B. Woodworth of the Big Five Mining Co. deposited in the bank at Windsor this week a gold brick weighing 176 oz., and valued at about \$3,520. It represents February's work at the Big Five mines.

A Havelock, Kings Co., correspond ent writes that an impression is enter-tained in some quarters that the young man arrested in Sydney for swindling is a son of E. J. O'Brien of wished denied emphatically.

The Crow's Nest Pass Coal Company have ordered from the Robb Engineering Company a 250 horse power engine for their mine at Fernle, B. C. This is the second engine of this size supplied them within a few months.

Truro's practical shoemaker, Mr. Harris Lynds, writes May 12, 1900: "I find Bentley's the best Liniment and strongly recommend it."

The will of the late W. H. White of ssex divides his property equally between his five children, making also due allowance for his wife.

E. J. Outram, of St. John, says the Vancouver World, was in Vancouver Feb. 22, having been accepted in Baden-Poweli's constabulary. He will come to St. John before going to Hali-

W. H. Merritt received a telegram yesterday from Huntsville, Alabama, announcing the death of Charles Hughes, formerly of Fredericton, who moved south some little time ago for the benefit of his health. The deceasd was a son of the late Rev. Benj Hughes, and brother of the late Geo Hughes, at one time a clerk in the N B. legislature. The remains will be sent to Fredericton for burial and are expected to reach there Wednesday: ing for Halifax for embarkation.

MINERALS ON WHITE HEAD. H. Davis has returned from Gran Manan, N. B., where he had been for a few days investigating the recently discovered copper mines at Whit Head, bringing with him several sam head, oringing with him several samples of copper, quartz and asbestos, which have been sent to a noted western mineralogist for examination. Mr. Davis, who is something of a prospector and mineralogist himself, thinks the metals discovered genuine and the papers of the bast and if and the asbestos of the best, and i the vein is deep, the mine a valuable ncorporated the following spring.-Eastport Sentinel.

MONEY FOR KING'S COLLEGE. By the will of the late Senator Alnon the sum of \$200 is bequeathed to King's College. The remainder of the estate is to be divided in nine equal parts. One share is left to Thos. R. Almon, one share to children of the deceased Cotton M. Almon, one share to Mrs. W. R. Gravely, one share to the children of the late Mrs. Brewster; one share to Andrew Binney one share to George W. R. Almon, on share to Mary Almon. At her demise her share goes to the King's College library. The estate is worth about

THE DRY DOCK. Some time ago the common clerk for the City Council communicated with George Robertson and asked him to let the city know within six weeks what his plans and expectations are regarding the dry dock. Mr. Robertreplied that he would do so, and Saturday morning Mr. Wardroper re-ceived a cable from him saying "Walt er." This is taken to mean Mr. Robertson is sending a letter telling what the position of affairs is with

regard to his project. ST. PATRICK'S DAY A HOLIDAY This year St. Patrick's day is a holiday all over Canada. All business will be suspended, stores, barrooms, etc... will close and everybody will observe the day. This unusual honor to Ire land's patron saint is not due to legis-lation however; it is the edict of the calendar, for St. Patrick's day this

GOING TO AFRICA. Vancouver World, Feb. 22: E. J Outram, who has been with the third battalion at Esquimait, arrived in the city today with others, having oted on the Baden-Powell Constebulary. He left at 2 o'clock for Halifax. Mr. Outram is a native of St. John, N. B., where his father is a rominent citizen. He will stay over in St. John for a couple of days before proceeding to Halifax.

Wanted-a case of headache that Kumfort Headache Powders will not cure in ten minutes. Prices 10 cents. AN IMPORTANT DEAL.

It is understood that D. W. Hoegg & Co., of Fredericton, have made an arrangement to lease the plant of the Maritime Pure Food Co., of Woodstock, and carry on its business in connection with their own canning business at Fredericton and other

JUST CURES ASTHMA.

"The Gold Cure." If you suffer write at once for free sample and treatise to Hayes & Co., Simcoe, Ont. HOME FROM HONG KONG:

(Yarmouth Telegram.) Capt. Fred. A. Brown, a former resident of Hantsport, but who has resided in Hong Kong, China, for over wenty years, leaves in March for Nova Scotia, with his wife and family. to spend some months or a year in their native land. Capt. Brown owns a farm at Wilmot, which is occupie The captain's wife was formerly Miss Hattie Hibbert, of Yarmouth.

We are alway working to save something for our customers; but never at the expense of quality. The price cannot be a true guide to to proceed again to the front on June 24, but four days later was stricken value when quality is ignored.

Our stock of new spring goods is now about complete and the prices are right.

New Dress Goods. Wrappers, Shirt Waists, Skirts, Prints, Ginghams, etc.

Men's Pants, Top Shirts, Overalls, Jumpers, Underwear. Boys' Clothing, etc.

Wool taken in exchange at regular cash prices.

SHARP & MCMACKIN.

335 Main Street,

HOME AGAIN.

Gorps. Coombs and Armstrong Arrived Monday Evening,

Given a Rousing Reception—Thousands of People at the Depot When the Boys Arrived-Interview With Coombs.

The Lovalist City's supply of bunting was flung out on the breeze again on Monday in honor of the return of two more of her sons who have borne witness to their blood and breeding on the South African veldt, playing a not inglorious part in the drama of Britain's Empire. Flags fluttered their greetings from nearly every building and banners swung across the streets in welcome to the latest arriving contingent of St. John's fighting men.

The Halifax express bringing the boys back home was an hour and three-quarters late, and long before its arrival a crowd gathered that filled the railway station to its utmost capa-city and overflowed outside, where it speedily occupied every available point from which there was the slightest chance of catching a glimpse of the returning heroes. A number, impatient of the delay, went out on the Sussey everess and come in with the Sussex express and came in with the boys from Rothesay, but the majority waited patiently in and outside of the station, passing the time lightly and bearing the unavoidable and painful crush with the greatest of good The Artillery had arrived early, and No. 1 Company, the guard of honor, with their sleigh, swung down Mill street about half-past five and joined the waiting crowd at the

At 6.20, local time, when the news passed along the crowd that the train was in sight, cheers broke forth that increased in volume and enthusiasm when a glimpse was caught of the boys on the car platform the vast assembly surged forward and around the train in such numbers that it was with great difficulty that the soldiers could alight. Both looked in the pink of condition, showing scarcely a trace of their arduous experience in the field and long and painful sickness in various hospitals. As sooon as they alighted they were promptly surrounded by the Artillery guard of honor, who lifted Armstrong into a chair provided for the purpose, and enclosing Coombs in their midst, forced their way through the surging crowd to the sleigh which walted outside, and in which the men were placed. The band formed up in front, the guard of honor grasped the ropes at-tached to the sleigh, and with a crash of music the procession started through the cheering thousands, and, followed by hundreds of enthusiastic welcomers, proceeded up Mill street to-Union, down Prince William, up King, up Charlotte and Coburg to Carle-ton, and thence around to Wellington row, to Lt. Col. Armstrong's house Here it halted and Beverly Armstrong in hanked No. I Company and all present for the hearty reception, after which he was carried to the house amid rousing cheers. Re-forming, the procession proceeded down Wellington row to Germain, where the band was dismissed, and along to 275 Germain, where, after also expressing his plea-sure at the heary welcome accorded himself and Armstrong, Fred Coombs was carried to the house, and after some hearty cheering the crowd dis with some supper. Col. Armstrong's residence and Frank Ellis home, where Coombs stopped, were handsomely decorated for the occasion.

A Sun reporter found Fred Coombs last evening in pleasant society at the residence of Frank Ellis on Germain street and obstructed proceedings long enough to receive a brief account of that soldier's adventures since leaving St. John with the first con-

Mr. Coombs was with the Royal Canadian Regiment through all its operations up to the time of the final ssault on Cronje's laager at Paarde berg. He was a member of the gal-lant line which made that famous night attack and caused the surrender of that stubborn old veteran on the anniversary of the fateful Majuba day. He was marching forward with G Company through the blackness of that tropic night when the rattle of a piece of falling tin gave the alarm ness was split with the red light of a deadly rifle volley at less than fifty yards range, and before he could throw himself upon the ground his body was pierced, not by a gentle manly Mauser, that insinuates itself deftly through a man's anatomy and makes no fuss about it, but by a rending Martini bullet. When the wounded were gathered in by the watchful surgeons he was taken to the field hospital, thence to Kimberley, where he lay two weeks before being taken to Wynberg, where he renained until discharged on May 1st convalescent, but not yet fit to return to the front. After applying six times to the surgeon for a certificate of health, he finally received permission

from which he has been suffering un-til just lately. He was first taken to stock hospital, was transferred to England Sept. 14, arrived there Oct. 5, and lay in Netley hospital until Jan. 15 of this year.

Since that time Mr. Coombs has visited various places of interest throughout England, and had the opportunity of seeing the splendid naval display off Portsmouth at the time of the Queen's funeral. He speaks in the highest terms of the treatment accorded him by the people of England during his stay there, and referred especially to the great kindness he had received at the hands of some natives of St. John whom he met there. He has not entirely recovered from his almost fatal attack of fever, but is gaining in strength daily. The other fifteen colonials who came to Halifax on the Lusitania were from Western Canada, from Toronto to the

There was a very pleasant gathering

at the residence of Lieut. Colonel Jones, Germain street, last evening. Besides the officers of the Artillery,

there were present: Lieut. Col. Armstrong, Lieut. Col. McLean, Major Sturdee, Major Hartt, Surgeon Major Walker, Surgeon Capt. McLaren, Jas. F. Robertson, Jas. G. Taylor, W. E. Stavert, R. B. Emerson, Dr. S. S. Skinner, besides the guests of the evening, Capt. B. R. Armstrong, Capt. Fred C. Jones, and Corp. F. W.

After the Queen, Lieut. Col. Jones called on Major White to propose the health of Capts. Armstrong and Jones, which he did in an eloquent speech. In reply, Capt. Armstrong detailed some of his experiences, giving an especially vivid and touching account of his presentation to the Queen. He also spoke feelingly of the death of Corporal Withers.

Capt. Jones gave a brief account of ome events of the campaign, describing especially the obtaining of provis-

Surgeon Lieut. Col. Daniel proposed the health of Comp. Coombs, who in reply told of Paardeburg and his relalons with Conporal Withers, who, he ald; was seriously ill the night before he battle, but refused to go to the ospital, and went into the fight to die. He also spoke of General Lord Rob-erts visiting the hospital where he was lying wounded and speaking kindly to each man. Simple in demeanor and appearance, quick in observation, he was kindness itself.

Major Hartt sang the Boys of the Old Brigade, after which the toast of the Sister Corps, the 62nd Regiment, was proposed by Capt. Baxter and reponded to by Lieut. Col. McLean. The health of the host evoked a ousing response

During the evening the Artillery band serenaded the returned heroes, and Captain Armstrong made a brief ddress, thanking them for the atten-The pleasant gathering, the most notable in the history of the corps,

ame to a close at an early hour in Prior to the dinner, the annual resimental meeting of the corps was held, at which a good financial showing was made. It was decided to have a ball sometime next autumn. The regimental committee chosen consists of Surgeon Lieut. Col. Daniel, Major White and Capt. Baxter. The band committee are Major Crawford, Lieut.

Robinson and Lieut. Barker. The audit committee are Capt. F. A. Foster, Lieut. Drake and Lieut. Har-



FIRE NEAR SUSSEX.

Jones' Barn Destroyed Together With Ten Head of Cattle and a Quantity of Hayland Farming Implements.

SUSSEX, March 4.-The barn of Seth Jones, about three miles from a quantity of hay and straw were burned. The barn and contents were

CATTLE DRIVEN FROM JEMSEG. John Fersis, of the country market by an Indian guide, arrived in town Thursday from back of Jemseg with thirty-seven head of cattle. The anwere driven to the city, as was done in the olden times, and though pretty rough weather deterred at times, the trip from up river made in about four days. The route taken was the main river, accross the Bellisle, Kingston creek and the Kennebeccassis. The animals were all in good condition, being well cared for, and driven very easily. Mr. Ferris and his guide had trained dogs

with them.—Star. C. P. R. CHIEF SOLICITOR.

MEMORIAL FOUNTAIN FUND.

The ladies of the north end W. C. T. wish to gratefully acknowledge the following contributions to the me-morial fountain fund: William O'Neill, St. Martins ... J. P. Mosher, St. Martins ... R. F. Hastings, St. Martins William Murdoch .. .. ..... G. G. Murdoch..... 3347.11

#### A CRAVING. Nature Hints to Us of Food That is Needed

It is interesting to know that food alone, if of the right kind, will surely

A young lady in Corry, Pa., was serously ill as the result of two serious and from overwork, was an invalid for 5 years. She says: "It was impossible to gain strength. I had to de down most of every afternoon whether I had company, work or pleasure I wanted ever so much to enjoy. "Two months ago I began using Grape-Nuts Food and experienced a gain in strength at once, In less than a week I did not require more than an nour's rest, and now when I have eaten my dinner, of which Grape-Nuts forms the most part, I am not obliged to go to bed, but go to work or play instead. I am always hungry for Grape-Nuts, for they satisfy some craving I can scarcely define.

"A friend of mine is nursing a 5 months old baby, she is, inordinately fond of Grape-Nuts Food but found it necessary to forego the luxury of the usual amount because it increased the flow of milk so much as to cause

Name can be given by Postum Cer-eal Co., Ltd., Battle Creek, Mich.

### ARMY MATTERS.

Lord Wolseley Attacks the Military System of Great Britain.

Marquis of Lanadowne Replies that We seley During His Term of Office Had Failed to Understand His Duties-

LONDON, March 4.-The Duke Bedford, in the house of lords today, started a discussion of army matters by asking for information on the military administration and the war of-

fice.

Lord Wolseley (the former commander-in-chief of the forces) arose after the Duke of Bedford had done speaking, and, for two or three house he attacked the military system of Great Britain in a carefully written speech, which, it is understood, he has long meditated, and had phrased in consultation with his friends.
"My arguments," he said, "are not directed against individuals, but

against the military system, which I have honestly tried for five years and have found wanting, and which en-tails many great dangers not realized by the people of this realm."

Lord. Wolseley said he had worked with the Marquis of Lansdowne and

there had not been a single disagre able incident. His complaint was that the professional commander-in-chief was robbed of his chief usefulness. He had to hand over the command and the entire management of the army to a civilian secretary of state, assisted by subordinates with whom he dealt direct. The responsibility for every-thing rested with the secretary of state alone. The commander-in-chief could only bring strongly the wants of the army to the secretary. He had often done so. After that he could do no more. He added:

"Although the various needs are undisputed, not only are no steps taken to meet them but no one outside of the government is aware that their urgency has been raised. The government thought it advisable for economic reasons to postpone their provision, but yet will not take the nation into its confidence. That such important demands for men and stores have been put forward by experts, and, nevertheless, refused, I cannot assert too emphatically. It behoov parliament to devise a plan by which strong representations made and still refused should be laid before the na-tion for it to decide between the experts and the economists. In no other way can we safeguard the empire from great and unknown perils. Many an evening, at the end of a day's work, I have felt sick at heart when

I contemplated the great national risks deliberately accepted by the gov-ernment which happened to be in office. Why were they so accepted? Because it was then politically expedient to ask parliament for money." Lord Wolseley outlined the present system, which, he said, was entirely unsuited for the army, under which and two children.
it would never be efficient, and he Dexter Collins lost a he doubted much if they would ever have

greatly altering the position of future ed the nature of these changes they were not to his liking, but he had honestly given them five years' trial; and was convinced they would never singer, Miss Hall, and by a large c make an effective army. Up to 1895 he (the commander-in-chief) was responsible to the secretary of state that the army was thoroughly trained for war. Since 1895 the responsibility had been with the under secretary of state been with the under secretary of stave with four sub-divisions, each under a military head and each advising the secretary of state without reference

to the commander-in-chief.

Lord Wolseley pointed out in detail how the distribution of responsibility disorganized and impaired the war machine. It was an unworkable and impossible system. The commander-in-chief had no effective control. Neither had the heads of departments, and the work and cross references in all branches had been largely in-

The Marqu's of Lansdowne, the forwas constrained to say that Lord Wolseley during his term of office had falled to understand his duties. He might at least have warned the government that one army corps was not sufficient to crush the Boers. Lord Wolseley might have enabled the government to turn to better account the auxiliary forces of the country. He might have told the government before the South African war that Ladysmith was not a suitable military station. He might have prepared schemes for defensive and offensive schemes for defensive and offensive operations. Lord Wolseley had restricted his duties; he had not taken advantage of the opportunities at hand. The war office system might have been changed to advantage in details, but the main principle of enabling the secretary of state to get advice from his experts at first hand mistakes and failures in South Africa were not due to the system, but to the fact that it was not carried out as faithfully as it might have been. The noble lord had failed to appreciate the immense importance of the special duties assigned to him.

The Marquis of Lansdowne, upon the warquis of Lansdowne, upon the eve of his departure from the war office, had considered a military note Lord Wolseley had addressed, he believed, to Lord Salisbury upon this subject. He found to his intense surprise that Wolseley, in enumerating his duties, had omitted altogether that he was responsible for the marking he was responsible for the mobilization of the army, that the intelligence department was under his special control, or that he was charged with the preparation of plans of offence and defense.

THOMASTON, Me., March 4.-A building owned by Franklin Trussel and occupied by the Port Clyde Fish Co. was burned today. The loss was

JOPLIN, Mo., March 4.—Five men were killed and two others seriously injured in a mine accident at the Engleside mine in Spring Valley, eight miles east of Joplin, today

## NOVA SCOTIA NEWS.

SALAL DE LA COMMUNICIONE

HALIFAX, N. S., Feb. 20.-The report of the Nova Scotia mines de-partment presented to the legislature shows that the yield of gold in this province during the year was 38,000 ounces, approximately valued at \$70,-000. Gold was discovered in Nova-Scotia in 1860, and this year's yield is the largest, with one exception, since then. On one occasion the yield reached a total of 31,000 ounces.

The Sydney Morning Post that some time ago, owing to financial some time ago, owing to financial difficulties suspended publication, was sold today by the sheriff and was purchased by Joseph A. Gillies, ex.M. P., for \$4,100. The idea is that Gillies, who controls the Bras d'Or Gazette, will combine it with the property he has now purchased. It will be operated by a company.

The steamer Martello, from New

York for Hull, put in today with two blades of her propellor broken and leaking through the shaft packing. The Martello will land her cattle and discharge the cargo in the after part of the ship, so as to make it possible to effect repairs. Possibly the Martello's trouble may be caused by her having grounded at the lower bay on her way to New York.

CORNWALLIS, N. S., Feb. 19.—Last Tuesday evening the horses belonging to George Pineo of Canard and Nay-than Eaton of Canning collied in the streets of Canning. Mr. Pineo's horse was struck on the head and killed alnost instantly, while Mr. Eaton's horse

was badly injured. Mrs. Benjamin Tupper of Kingsport while about to enter a sleigh recently slipped on the ice and broke one of her

A horse belonging to James Newcombe became frightened on Friday, ran some distance and brought up on the sidewalk in front of N. W. Eaten's grocery establishment in Canning, breaking the plate glass windows of

Etiza Butler, a well known person-age in Kings Co., died in the county poor farm in Horton last week, aged Mrs. Peter Rafuse died of cancer of

the stomach on Thursday at Canning. She was a member of the Salvation Army, having joined the organization when it was first instituted in Canning, some fourteen years ago. A telephone line is to be put up be-tween Centreville and Hill's Harbor at

CORNWALLIS, N. S., Feb. 25. Whitfield Coffin of Dell Haven, head clerk and bookkeeper with the firm of Potter Bros., Canning, left on Thursday for the Klondyke.

The new house built and furnished for a summer resort at Blomidon by William Corkum recently, was burned

on Thursday.

The death of Professor Leicester, organist of St. James' church, Kent-ville, occurred at Canaan on Wednes-day. The deceased came from Eng-land six years ago for his health. He purchased a farm in Canaan, where he had since resided with his wife

week by its having stumbled SSEX, March 4.—The barn of Jones, about three miles from was burned about 9.30 tonignt.

\*\*When he accepted the office of commander-in-chief he had been told it was proposed to introduce regulations.

\*\*Booken a leg. The animal had to be shot. William Brady of Woodside was proposed to introduce regulations. WOLFVILLE, March 1 .- Mr. Gale the evangelist, arrived on Saturday last, and has been holding meetings every day in College hall. He is ably assisted by an excellent soprane from the town and the institutions, led by S. Spidell. The meetings are

Dr. Trotter, after his return from visiting the various universities, gave the students a very entertaining account of what came under his n while away. He has now resumed his

usual routine work.
Lieutenant Colonel Belcher of the 68th Kings County Battalion has been retired from active service, with permission to retain his rank. It is expected that Major E. M. Beckwith will

drove to Wolfville on Friday night last and put up at the Royal, where, after partaking of a sumptuous su per, a pleasant impremptu ment was held. Trooper Snyder of the Canadian Mounted Rifles has delivered his illus-

trated lecture on the Boer war in a number of our leading towns. He has been well received. The case of the town of Wolfville against the college students has not yet been decided.

LAWRENCETOWN, N. S., Feb. -Mr. and Mrs. Waltace Banks of Brickton are being congratulated upon the arrival of a young daughter.

John Robinson of Williamston, who had one of his feet amputated a few

months ago, lies seriously ill at his father's residence.

The Baptist church is undergoing extensive interior repairs. John L. Brown has the contract.

A. C. Stevenson, son of Andrew Stevenson of this town, and two other Nova. Septians have struck a rick. Nova Scotians have struck a rich claim in Eldorado, 18 miles from Daw-

Mrs. Norman Franks, who was s verely burned a few weeks ago by the explosion of a bottle of ammonia while extracting the cork, has so far recovered as to be able to attend to he household duties.

TO LET.

FARM TO RENT-From 1st May next, containing about 150 acres, with stock and implements, about 20 miles from the city on line of Railway. Rent moderate, For particulars, address, "W.," care of Daily Sus, St. John. 283

