

whistle at McFarlane's foundry, which quickly brought almost the whole vil-lage to the scene. A bucket brigade was hastilv formed, and after strenuous efforts the fire was extinguished without Auditor Wilfred B Jonah submitted and penses loan of 1897, making a total of \$6,502,113. From this is to be deducted \$1,520,000,000 and \$1,630 in refunder or in all \$4,084,311 which leavers \$2,447,692 as the sum added to the public debt. The average rate of interest paid on the graps debt was \$310 per cent as compared a tate agencies. These gentlemen will be arrival of the vessel. It is grated to the net rate of interest paid fell from \$2,76 per cent to \$2,66 per cent in 1897. Mr. Courtenay has prepared a state ton. Since that time expenditures over trans receipts by \$188,227,757. Galy in the second to capital. Mr Courtney suggests that the larger time with railway and canal construe to the set one of \$20,000,000 which fail due between 19:3 and 19:0 be kept in mind. The number of officials under the old. nected with these waters. penses loan of 1897, making a total of the work that his department has in battle. It is true the animal is hunted very elaborate report-the best it is gen-The otter is a fish eater and devours a great number of them daily. At the same time he is often glad to pick up a stray frog or snake, and if he should be hardly driven he does not hesitate to devour a muskrat should one fall in his way. He also robs the nests of wild ducks and will eat their eggs or young ones. Bat trout are his favorite food and it is wonderful with what celerity he can its reaching the upper flats. The stock in the cellar was considerably damaged by smoke and water. The damage is setimated at \$200, covered by insureraliv admitted ev er submitte county auditor in Albert-of which the following is a synopsis:--Total asse Apportionment on parishes: lopewell Hillsborg PEACE PROPOSALS. 2,95% 97 4,364 45 998 85 2,154 80 1,312 28 lgin arvey.... overdal

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 Woodstock. The Czar Issues His Disarmament Alma-Ontingencies... School fund.... Poor and parlah... boro and parlah... boro- Contingencies... Kaliways Boor and parlah... boro- Contingencies... School fund.... Raliways Foor and parlah... Contingencies... School fund.... Baliways Foor and parlah.... Contingencies... School fund. Bali Circular. WOODSTOCK, Jan 16-A big bon fire is blazing at the foot of Main street, cele-LONDON, Jan 16-The St. Petersburg brating the election of Josiah R. Murphy, correspondent of the Times, who conas mayor of Woodstock for the ensning firms Friday's statement by the Vienna year, His opponent was Robt, B. Jones food with great gusto. Bis far is very valuable. Being of a postry brown color approaching black, of a good texture and carrying the back tints well round to the belly, the fur cuts correspondent of the Standard as to the and the vote, when the poll closed, was issuance of a circular from St. Peters-Marphy 369, Jones 256. There were 10 candidates for the six seats in the counburg to the powers, embodying a programme to be considered at the pro-posed conference on the limitation of armaments, asserts that the suggested bases of discussion are given with great detail. He cites, for example, the pro-hibition of employment of new invenroor and parish Contingencies.... School fund..... Ballways Poor avd parish... Contingencies... Contingencies... Poor and parish... tingencies. cil, and the result was the election of Graham, Gallagher, Henderson, Watts, Carr and A. E. Jones. The vote stood as well, and all parts are equally valuable. Being one of the most cunning of animals it is exceedingly difficult to trap, the hunter who succeeds in capturing one being skilful indeed. The most cer-The number of officials under the old superannuation set dropped from 3,680 in 1896 to 3,417 in 1897. The contingent lollows:-hibition of employment of new inven-tions, of the use of explosives, submarine vessels, and the practice of ramming liability on the treasury so far as the old superannuation act is concered, is growtain way to catch the animal is to find a 328 (2) 328 (2) 328 (2) place along the river bank where he comes out to play on the ice. It should be such a spot, generally found at the mouth of a spring brock, where the otter has to squees: up from the deep water between the earth of the bank and the 1 792 92 1 25,156 47 315,156 47 be and there will be planty of evi-Elgin—Contingencies..... School fand..... Poor and parish..... experanuation act is concered, is grow-ing less each year. The attention of Dr Borden was called today to a statement published in this morning's Citizen, and no doubt tele-graphed to other Conservative newspa-pers outs ide the city in reference to the military stores and supplies sent to Yukon via St Michaels. It was said that the stores and supplies were stranded vessels. The programme also proposes he says, a discussion of the avoidance of Three of the new councillors sat st day. RECEIPTS. Received to the test of the test of te last year's board, and all but Mr. Watts have been councillors before. war by recourse to arbitration werever DROWNED AT CANSO: Police Force for Havana. Total income Yukon vis St Michaels. It was said that the stores and supplies were stranded far down the Yukon, and that the coun-try was going to pay dearly for the food of the railitis this winter in Tukon. "I am surprised," said Dr Borden, "that before publishing such a statement the writer would not have called at the denost ment and snorthing is the fact. this, and there will be plenty of evi-dences to show you that it is an otter's EXPENDITURE. HAVANA, Jan. 16-General Mescal and \$3,291 8 4 077 8 2,855 45 4 861 00 Three Men Go Down to Death In Captain McCallagh examined today play hole, you are almost certain of your game if you observe the following the Breakers. three hundred applicants for positions imple directions:on the police force here. About 80 patrol. Total expenditure... Balance cash on hand "that b efore publishing such a statement the writer would not have called at the depart ment and ascertained the facts If he had done so he would have been informed that three out of the four vea-sele of maining all the military supplies had reached Dawson on the 29th Sep-tember, he reported by Mr Oglivie, the commissioner, and that the remaining was reported by Mr Oglivie as likely to arrive in the course of a day or two."
On the 24th of October, the surgeon of the forse writes from Fort Selkirk as follows: "Two weeks ago the last of our winter goods reached here, which completed all that was egent via St. Michaels, except or e very somfortably situated. We are all liwing fa quarters now with all the com-tore of life which is a very great change from, what we have had to go through during, the summer. The force as a which is rery hesithy and all are busy which will be formished sometime dur-ing th e winter."
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Was the winter. men have been accepted so far, and of this number some 30 men are Spaniards. CANSO, Jan 16 - Wm Manuel, Edward Manuel and Samuel O'Brien, fishermen, Total Mescal is acting fairly towards the Spanish candidates. were drowned in the breakers at the COUNTY FINANCES Beaman Washed Overboard.
Livmmroot, Jan 16-The British istemer Rosemore, which arrived here on Jan 14th from Baltimore, reports the year exceed Eight. For the year istemer Rosemore, which arrived here on Jan 14th from Baltimore, reports the second of her deckload, had rais and other was walked overboard.
Free of Ince.
Catare, Me, Jan. 16-The St. Crotx river is free of ice to the head of navigation.
Doctors now agree that consumption is curable.
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The first is, fresh air; the sector and the case of the ca The report says all the parishes have tating his leg, and you would find in-failed to meet current liabilities for the stead of a prize worth \$20 or more that Galch, Darabbie's Island, off Canso, this morning, by the upsetting of a dory. Wm Manuel leaves a widow and four children: the others were anmarried. Bryan Gets a Good Reception. DENVER, Col. Jan 16-Col W J. Bryan and his wife arrived in Denver today. They were met by a reception commitee and escorted to the residence of Hon Thomas M Patterson. Later a public reception to Col Bryan was given by the Denver Bi-Metallic Leegue and hundreds of people embraced the opportunity to grasp the hand of the silver champion.

Scott's Emulsion of cod-liver to some \$200 was discovered and rectioil with hypophosphites. anditor. To be cured, you must not Adjourned. lose in weight, and, if thin,

you must gain. Nothing equals Scott's Emulsion to keep you in good flesh.

sos. and \$1.00, all druggists. SCOTT & BOWNE, Chemists Toronte

This is the only successful way to trap the ot er, and, as it is difficult to find a suitable place, so it is that but compar-atively few ofters are captured. Preferring live fish to anything else, they shun all kinds of baited traps and fied by the auditor. A vote of thanks was tendered the

Adjourned. Will Reduce the Royalty. OTTAWA, Jan 16-5 C Gates, who is here from Dowron City, says that Ogli-vie has recommended a reduction in. royalty to 24 or 3 per cent on the Det output. they shun all kinds of baited traps and it is cally a waste of time to bait them in this way. There is no animal that shows its presence in the water so very plainly as des the other. He appears to have a mania for coasting. Choosing a steep bank, he will go up to the top of it and then deliberately slide to the bottom, leaving a trail as though a log seven inches at the top end had been dragged



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pense for Dr Wakeham, of the interior, has gone V) Washington Treatment Conservatives are starting a Red Rose league here. Science-and Apparatus indorsed by physicians. James Gallagher, of Clarence street, will be sent ON TRIAL, WITHOUT ADVANCE PAYMENT. If not all we claim, return then at our express. PAYMENT. If not all we claim, return them at location.

The Emperor Trains Monkeys. DISCOURAGED, men who suffer from the effects of disease, overwork, worry, from follies or en cesses, from unnatural drains, weakness or lack o development of any portion of the body, failures of vital forces, unliness for marriage-all such men should "come to the fountain head" for a scientific method of marvellous power to vitalias, PEKIN, Jan 16-The palace '/eports describing illfeeling between the dowag-

er empress and the emperor. On several occasions recently the emperor, it is develop, restore and sustain. On request we will send description, with testimonials, in plain claimed, disobeyed the dowager empress. The chief amovement of the deception.) Address emperor at present, the palace reports also say, is training goats and monkeys.

Atlantic. With fair sailing and ordinary weather the Lake Huron should have been here by this time. The delay however, gives no cause for alarm as the vessel is perfectly seaworthy. She has now been over 20 days from. Batoun, if in the meantime everything is being done to make the arrival of the strangers as pleasant as possible, and provision is being made for any contingency which may arise from disease, but it is scarcely thought that at this season of the year advantage will have to be taken of it. YORK COUNTY COUNCIL

FREDERICTON, Jan. 16.-York county council meet in semi-annual session in the morning. Most of the souncillors

"I Jacy add to this," said the minister cfrm litta, "that 150 men of the force are stationed at Fort Selkirk and 50 at ers from way Canadian firms who may feel composent to supply the army or navy with food prednats.

are stationed at Fort Selkirk and 50 at Day son. Deputy Smart; of the interior and Im-migration Agent White left today for Halifax.

Earthquake in Spain.

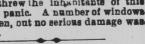
SANTANDER, Spain, Jan 16-A strong sart quake shock, at 1 o'clock this morning, threw the inhabitants of this city into a panic. A number of windows.

were broken, out no serious damage was

Rheumatism, with its sharp twinges aches and pains. Do you know the cause? Acid in the blood has secumulated in your joints. The cure is sound in Hood's Marsa-parilis, which neutralises this acid. Thon-sands write that they have been completely cured of rheumatism by Hood's Sarasparilla.

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Man was made to mov.m and some men seem to think they paust put in all their time at it.



How it Hurts!

Meet in Semi Annual Session . To ..

