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THE SEMI-WEEKLY SUN. ST. JOHN, N. B., AUGUST 29, 1900.

THE CUMBERLAND NOMINATION.

The Liberal conservatives of Cumberland have taken steps to restore their county to the position it has usually held in parliament. In old time Joseph Howe and Sir William Young were invited from Halifax to sit for Cumberland. For a third of a century the county was represented in the legislature or parliament by Sir Charles Tupper. Since confederation Cumberland has given one premier to Nova Scotia and, besides Sir Charles Tupper, a cabinet minister to the dominion.

MR. TARTE STILL AT IT.

In the course of a debate in the house last session Mr. Tarte declared that he still wrote for the papers, and admitted that articles appearing in La Patrie were from his pen. Before the minister of public works went to Paris the first editorial column of La Patrie frequently contained an article dated from Ottawa, but written in editorial form. Since Mr. Tarte's return this custom has been renewed.

AN OFFICIAL STATEMENT GIVES THE FOLLOWING RECORD OF CASUALTIES AMONG THE BRITISH FORCES IN AFRICA DOWN TO AUGUST 14TH:

Table with columns: Officers, Men, Killed in action, Died of wounds, Missing and prisoners, Prisoners died in captivity, Died of disease, Accidental deaths, Sent home as invalids.

ANOTHER DRUMMOND RAILWAY DEALER HAS BEEN HEARD FROM.

Mr. Mitchell, formerly of the Drummond railway, was on Saturday driven over the route of the Shediac and Schemogue railway. He was much impressed with the practicability and future of the proposed road, and will probably enter into a contract for the same and make arrangements to commence building the road at once.

told General Hutton that if he did not hold his tongue he would be sent about his business in short order. General Hutton went on and got the second contingent ready. He did not pay the least attention to the warning, but continued as occasion offered to speak of the Canadian militia as an element in the strength of the empire.

THE PLAINTEXT PRESS.

Men in public life sometimes sue newspapers for libel. It is not so often that a newspaper editor and proprietor enters a libel action against a governing body. Editor Mills of Truro has, however, set the new fashion, or perhaps it would be fairer to say that he assisted in the new dispensation.

MILLTOWN NEWS.

MILLTOWN, N. B., Aug. 24.—After a very pleasant month spent with her uncle, W. W. Graham, Miss Graham has returned to her home in Brookfield, N. S. Rev. Hervey Marr of Woodstock was visiting his half brother, Rev. Mr. Murray, this week.

FREDERICTON.

FREDERICTON, N. B., Aug. 27.—Fredericton is getting her share of the hot wave. For the past two days the heat was intense. The thermometer yesterday registered 95 in the shade; today it is not quite so hot, the glass standing at about 85.

NO SUMMER VACATION.

No better time for entering than just now. Your summer vacation is always cool. Our rooms are perfectly ventilated, and the large classes of ladies and gentlemen now in attendance find study just as pleasant as at any other season.

SEND FOR CATALOGUE. S. Kerr & Son.

A rather foolish statement is made that Sir Charles Tupper and Mr. Foster are on the hunt for jokers and safer seats than the ones they hold. The fact is that Sir Charles has announced his intention to run for Cape Breton if the party there shall select him. Mr. Foster has not sought another constituency, though another has sought him.

SALVATION ARMY.

The Salvation Army people have been fortunate in obtaining that large building on St. James street, known as the Sallores' Home, which is so well fitted for the work the army intends carrying on there.

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YOURS SINCERELY,

A BEGGAR WHO IS NOT "ABSENT MINDED."

TERRIFIC STORM AT NOME.

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 24.—A terrific storm raged at Nome Aug. 23. There was a heavy loss of life. The water front is lined with wreckage, and stranded vessels of all descriptions.

NEWFOUNDLAND.

ST. JOHN'S, N. F., Aug. 24.—As part of the new colonial defence scheme, it is proposed that the British government will keep a British warship at St. John's all the year round, owing to the valuable strategic position of the city on the Atlantic seaboard.

A SIGN OF TRANQUILITY.

The premier's departure from England will be taken as a sign that for the present, at any rate, he sees no prospect for a much larger scale, than heretofore, of the disturbances of the island.

PICTURES OF F. M. LORD ROBERTS, GEN'L LORD KITCHENER, MAJOR-GENERAL BADEN-POWELL.

The Sun has secured magnificent portraits, 15x24 inches, of F. M. Lord Roberts and General Lord Kitchener, printed in fifteen colors, and Major-General Baden-Powell in khaki, on coated calendered paper suitable for framing.

SUSSEX.

SUSSEX, Aug. 27.—Rev. Sidney Welton of New York, who is spending a few days with Mr. and Mrs. John G. Smith, preached in Church Avenue Baptist church last evening. His sermon went to show that he had lost none of his old time eloquence.

DEATH OF HAMILTON McLEOD AND MRS. CLARA KEITH.

Death of Hamilton McLeod and Mrs. Clara Keith. Miss Clara Keith, daughter of W. Keith, died yesterday at her father's home, Corn Hill.

LONDON, AUG. 27.—The British admiralty, according to the Daily Mail, is buying large quantities of American coal for the use of the fleet in home waters and the Mediterranean.

MANUFACTURING HISTORY.

the Editor of the Sun.—Sir—In your issue of the 18th instant a government and official list is furnished of the persons formerly members of the St. John Volunteer Battalion (now 62nd), entitled to medals for service during the Fenian troubles of 1867.

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Remember! Office must be assured prompt request. THE SUN is published weekly, and a full list of all the papers published in the Maritime Provinces is on hand. Please make a list.

Steamers Crew Saturday for the... Capt. W. W. G. a half interest in the Yukon of Fairbairn.

The L. C. R. party, was largely very pleasant at... Sch. Etta E. Taylor, of St. Andrew's, Barbados, for the

The dominion order in council pilotage for the (West Bay line) a horse owned which was destroyed by the den's request, den.

Fred E. Sayre property of the Lean, Queens includes the m etc. The price \$37,000.

Letters of advice of the late C. have been Mrs. Clara L. is valued at \$3,000. Personal property, proctor.

The death of road, parish of of Nathan L. 89 years of age two sons and a funeral took place on the 26th inst.

Mrs. Patrick O'Neil, undertaker, received the afternoon of the band, which of that morning land, Me. Mr. for several weeks.

Mrs. Margaret for many years bridgeport, Mass. an illness of Thompson was William Thompson, 83 years of age.

Dr. J. F. W. of the Y. M. C. in Brooklyn here has been to the young stum. The as to have an account of some which they in has made the short sojourn.

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