oper route from Gagetown to St the former Conservative premier, some John, and bores in the hope of ascertain- political associates and a firm of coning how it came about that certain opin-tractors, for sheer robbery of the prov- At deal ons and statements placed before mem-bers of the Board of Trade in committee by Hon. Mr. Hazen and the Attor-is published in today's Times. It will ney-General have become something like be found to develop a sordid tale of

while property.

theft from the people, a plot, designed with care and thoroughness, to pile up precisely what was said at that meeting.

A full and impartial report of all that was said there should have been published long ago, and should now be made of the Kelly firm was told of the Lyall of the Kelly firm was told ublic without delay.

Are we to infer from the Standard's duce his price, which he did by \$8,250, "Roxbur "No sol

outcry that either the Hon. Mr. Hazen and secured the contract, Here is an or the Attorney-General said anything extract from the report of the Royal at the Board of Trade council meeting Commission: which they, or either of them, would not say in public? We trust not. These gentlemen, in their representative capcity only, and members of the Board of Trade in their representative capcity only, were dealing with matters which were essentially public, and not with the private concerns of individuals. It became widely known after the meeting, that the views expressed by the Ministers indicated sweeping changes of plans with respect to the whole Valley Railway scheme, changes vitally affecting the credit and future prospects of this city and province.

Commission:

"That before the contract for the parliament buildings was entered into, a fradulent scheme or conspiracy was formed to obtain an election fund out of extras in connection therewith; and to defer contemplated changes until after the contract was let, for the purpose of the contract was let, for the purpose; that the parties in said scheme or conspiracy mits inception were the premier, Sir Rodmond Roblin; Mr. Coldwell, the acting minister of public works, and Thomas Kelley, the senior member of Thomas Kelly & Sons."

It is shown that the province, in the carrying out of the gigantic steal, was fleeced out of \$892,098.10, and in language the purport of which may not be incompleted changes until after the contract was let, for the purpose of the the contract was let, for the purpose of creating large extras for this purpose; that the parties in said scheme or conspiracy was formed to obtain an election fund out of extras in connection therewith; and to defer contemplated changes until after the contract was let, for the purpose; the contract was let, for the purpose; the said washington. The sentry lost parties. "Charleston," is add emphatically, "no man can go by here without he say "Cambridge."

Sergt Pfis believed in handling his men firmly. Pausing before one recruit he eyed him sternly. "Now, then, pull yourself together," he barked harshly. "You're standing all wrong! Your uniform's not put on right, your buttons are dirty and you're holding your

city and province.

It has become known, also, that the views expressed at that meeting by representatives of the two governments were by no means in agreement with the views recently expressed by Premier Clarke, who still professes to be searching for a favorable crossing of the river in order that the railway may follow the east side route.

Although by seven years of boring Hon. Mr Clarke may hope to build up a reputation for doing something, he scarcely can hope to avoid a public as wasted six years out of the seven and finds itself still at sea, or else is dishonestly misleading the public as to the honestly misleading the public as to the real route and the real prospects of the Nalley railway. And, speaking of Hon. Mr. Clarke's seven years of endeavor, one is reminded that mere persistence of the the convincing report of the commission. He gave up office in time to save the ignominy of being cast out, but that is all he has saved so far as the respect of right-thinking people is concerned. The people, in the recent elections, expressed one is reminded that mere persistence of that character is not necessarily a sign of genius. The premier is no doubt the familiar with a gentleman mentioned by Dean Swift who "had been eight years hpon a project for extracting sunbeams out of cucumbers, which were to be put the project for extracting sunbeams out of cucumbers, which were to be put the project for extracting sunbeams out of cucumbers, which were to be put the project for extracting sunbeams out of cucumbers, which were to be put the project for extracting sunbeams out of cucumbers, which were to be put the project for extracting sunbeams out of cucumbers, which were to be put the project for extracting sunbeams out of cucumbers, which were to be put the project for extracting sunbeams out of cucumbers, which were to be put the project for extracting sunbeams out of cucumbers, which were to be put the project for extracting sunbeams out of cucumbers, which were to be put the project for extracting sunbeams out of cucumbers, which were to be put the project for extracting sunbeams out of cucumbers, which were to be put the project for extracting sunbeams out of cucumbers, which were to be put the project for extracting sunbeams out of cucumbers, which were to be put the project for extracting sunbeams out of cucumbers.

In phials hermetically sealed, and let out to warm the air in raw, inclement summers." The Dean's man of research was engaged in his particular pursuit for one year longer than Hon. Mr. Clarke and his associates have yet occupied, but it may be feared that they cannot count apon another year of public patience.

If Hon. Mr. Cochrane, and Hon. Mr. Hazen, and Hon. Mr. Baxter, and Mr. Hazen, and Hon. Mr. Baxter, and Mr. P. P. Gutelius are firm and fast advonutes a power of the west side route and a second with the communications with the United States government over the sinking of the Arabic. She is yet to be heard from, however, on the Lusitania murder. es now of the west side route and a Navy Island bridge, what will it avail the province or Hon. Mr. Clarke to bore for another year or so here and there along the banks of the St. John River?

The province of the west side route and a province or Hon. Mr. Clarke to bore mince matters when he expresses his opinion of the course the United States has followed relative to the war. "An are the retires is his recent re-organization of the company tself will probably be followed by the There should be general and prompt pany—and this is the next development upon which public attention must rest with the utmost vigilance. Already reports are in circulation concerning this scheme. It may be hoped that if any such construction company is organized its personnel, and the connections and backing of its personnel, will be above suspicion. We shall see.

started here for recruits and for money for the Patriotic Fund. Those who cannot go to fight at least can do something in the way of contribution to ensure proper provision for the dear ones whom the fighting men have left at home.

St. John has a whole-hearted welcome for Captain H. H. Smith, a former resident, who is in the city today after

tone of the despatches and the comments lant sons. of military writers in London are, how-

nearer and the softening ground is adding to Von Hindenburg's troubles in moving his heavy guns. The Grand moving his heavy guns. The Grand pure of reckless, eh? Carr—Reckless, nothing! Why, I couldn't break him of the habit of slowing up at crossings!—Puck. Duke meantime has several lines of retreat still available and his rear guards may be counted upon to make the Germans pay dearly for every yard they adout the aid of a typewriter. Otherwise they are one of the best equipped police organizations in the world-

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inquiry, but at the moment the public, which is aware that the Federal Minister parliament buildings in Winnipeg. Of while the American army was in camp, and the Attorney-General made a sudthese large sums wrongfully taken from Washington heard that the colored senden change of base at the meeting in question with respect both to the Valley Railway and the Transcontinental, is fully it must be assured that Thos. self. One night, therefore, when the waiting to hear from the Standard and from the council of the Board of Trade to do this all principles of right and went out, and walked up to a colored

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the virtues in a superlative degree is as amusing as the bombastic wording of certain advertisers or the frothy mouthings of cheap political spellbinders,

As a matter of fact the whole Valley ignoble part among the nations" is his phrasing of it.

that the British have been pushing for-ward. Rumor says that two cruisers of His tribute to the efficiency of Major the allied fleet have penetrated the Straits, but this is not confirmed. The St. John's pride in the work of her gal-

of military writers in London are, however, distinctly optimistic, and experts express hope of hearing of the Allies being in Constantinople by the end of September.

From Athens, whence comes much of the news relative to the campaign against Turkey, there is a report that the Porte threatens to make separate peace unless Germany declares war on Italy. This is but another sign supporting the general belief that Turkey sees that her end is near.

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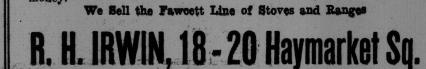
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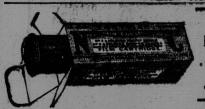
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A quiet wedding took place yesterday morning at the Bungalow, Holderville, when Ethel May Holder and Arnold W. Heans, of St. John, were united in marriage by Rev. Gordon Dickie, of St. John. The ceremony took place on the veranda of the cottage under an arch of maple leaves, trimmed with the national flag. The bride was nicely attired in a gown

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