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THE SEMI-WEEKLY TELEGRAPH, ST. JOHN, N. B., SATURDAY, MARCH, 26, 1904,

## N. B. FARMERS IN ANNUAL SESSION.

Meeting Opened at Fredericton Tuesday Afternoon; Notables Present.

TO IMPROVE HORSES.

Scheme to Bring Clydesdale Stalions Here from Argentina and Sell Them at \$100 Each -- Acadian Delegation Waits on Government About French in Schools.

Fredericton, N. B., March 22-(Spec a -The twenty-ninth annual meeting of !! Farmer's and Dairymen's Association New Brunswick opened in the Church hall at 2.30 o'clock this afternoon with President Charles F. Rogers of Woodstock in the chair. Governor Snowball, Mayor Palmer and Hon. L. P. Farris occupied seats on the platform. The number of delegates was not quite up to average, less than 100 being present at the opening.

After the preseident's opening remarks

Lieutenant Governor Snowball made a brief address is response to a call from the favorers and dairymen's convention. brief address in response to a call from the chair and expressed his pleasure it meeting with the farmers of the province the spoke of the value of fertilizers and

made some suggestions along the line which were well received. He assured the farmers of his warm interest in their wei-fare and hoped their deliberations would be productive of much good.

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Hon. Mr. Farris, who was next called upon made a brief but spirited address, which was applauded to the echo. He spoke of the great str des made by the dairy industry in New Brunswick and pointed out that there had been a marked increase last year in production of both butter and cheese. He admitted that less wheat had been grown in the province last year than in 1892, but claimed that the yield per acre was greater which was proof of better cultivation of the soil. was proof of better cultivation of the soil. He told the farmers in conclusion that the government was prepared to assist them to the extent of the means at its

Mayor Palmer cordially welcomed the delegates to the city on behalf of the citizens and was briefly replied to by

Vice-President Dickson.

The greater port of the evening session was taken up by D. W. Hamilton, who is to be principal of the Kingston consolidated school. He read a paper on "Bacteria in relation to the Farm and deals with the subject in a masterly manner He dwelt particularly on the liability of milk to contagion from bacteria and advocated the greatest cleanliness about the stable and dairy.

A vote of thanks, moved by W. W. Hubbard, and seconded by W. S. Tompkins, was presented to the speaker.

Prof. E. H. Aarto, Cornell University, who is here with Dr. Von Hagen, of New York, on mining business, delivered and prof.

The evening session opened with vocal solo by Bliss Fawcett, of Sackville. W. S. Spark, of Canterbury, England. then delivered an address on the Care and Breeding of Horses, illustrating his subject with limelight views. He announced that he was formulating a scheme by which he hoped to import pure bred Clydosdale stallions from the Argentine Republic and sell them to farmers of New Brunswick at \$100 each.

epectators, announced that he would take twenty at that figure and Mr. Spark assured him that they would be forthcoming. He explained that the Argentine Re

Professor Anderson, of Rugby, Ontario Iso spoke briefly and a solo by W. W Fawcett brought the gathering to a close. French in Public Schools.

A delegation composed of Judge Landry School Inspectors Hebert and Doucett. P. J. Veniot and Messrs. Johnson, Gogald Leger, Porier and Martin, M. P. P.'s awaited on the board of education tha afternoon and presented a report in which it was urged that it would greatly facili-tate the education of French children it they were allowed to study from French readers during the first two or three year of their school course. The report wa presented by Mr. Veniot, of Bathurst

claimed all intention of propagating the sole object of the promoters of the move ment was to better promote the educa Premier Tweedie informed the delega tion that the government would carefully consider and would in all probability ad opt a course similar to that in vogue i

A St. John delegation composed of Warden Lowell, Courty Sceretary Vincent and others had an interview with the government this afternoon in reference to the highway act now before to legislature. They urged that the speciact now in force in St. John county is not interfered with by the new act, bu expressed willingness to have statute la bor abolished. The government promise

to take the matter into consideration.

Fredericton, March 23-(Special) - . aer. was a good attendance at the convention this morning. Today's discussion was upon the selection and feeding of beel cattle, the discussion being led by Doputy Live Stock Commissioner Kethum, of Ottors and Stock Commissioner Rechum, of Ottors and Stock Commissioner Rechum. tawa. The points he advocated in the selection were width between the eyes large eyes, big mouth-which indicate good stomach capacity—long back, me-dium length of leg, loose skin and fine hair. He advised farmers to house young beef cattle early in the fall and protect them from gold and wet. An abundance of succulent food, turning or other roots or come is essential in feeding, and beams have great value. Regularity in feeding

address along the same line, and both speakers answered many questions.

At this afternoon's meeting Robert Robertson, superintendent of the maritime extension, superintendent of the maritime ex-

perimental farm, delivered a practical ad

ve result of numerous experiments in ding made by him, both at Nappan and is farm in Quebec, and unfieldetorily ans vered a number of quo (1993).

N. S. Dow, a young farmer from Wood-took, gave an interesting ta k on the Cap of Milk for Butter and Chee e, and Frof. Elechart, of Cornell, epoke bridgy on the me subject. Both speakers dwell inportance of clean indis in the stable an

M. S. Spark called attention to repor of proceedings of the convention in this operating's Telegraph, which made him say that Clydesdale stallous were to be brought from Argentine Republic and sold to the farmens of New Brunswick at \$10) each. What he had reference to Clydesdale mares and not stallions. What he had reference to we

Nominating Committee's Report.

At this evening's session fruit growing vas the principal topic for discussion, the peakers being W. A. McKinnon, of agri-cultural department, Ottawa, and Geo. H. coom, fruit inspector of Middleton (A

Interpolation is the report of the hom-inating committee which will be taken up tomorrow morning: President, Bliss Faw-cett, Sackville; vice-president, N. S. Dow, Woodstock; recording secretary, A. G. Dickson, Chiathsin; corresponding secre-tary, W. W. Hubbard, St. John; county vice-presidents: Madawaska, B. R. Vio-lette; Victoria, Win. McPhail; Carleton, Wen. F. Owene, Vork. C. T. Gilley, Sun-Wm. J. Owens; York, C. T. Gilles; Sunbury, Isaac W. Stephenson; Queens, J. W. Shea; King, E. L. McIntyre; St. John, R. R. Patchell; Albert, S. S. Ryan; Westmorland, C. F. Alward; Kent, R. Lennox; Northumberland, W. Murray; Gloucester,

Fredericton, N. B., March 24—(Special)—The farmers and dairymen's convention was brought to a close this evening, after a very successful three days' session.

The speakers this afternoon were Duncan Anderson, of Rugby (Ont.), who took the place of Mr. Hodson, who was detained at Ottawa, and A. P. Kitchin, farmer, who ably discussed Soil and Cultivation, and the latter gave an interesting talk on Farm Buildings and Ventilation.

A letter was read from George E. Baxfer, of Andover, who expressed the hope that the association would urge the government to take steps to establish an agricultural college.

agricultural college.
On motion of Mr. Hubbard, seconded by

Mr. Tompkins, a committee of five was appointed to inquire into the subject of agricultural education and report at the next annual meeting.
W. W. Hubbard advocated a system of agricultural college extension work, where by farmers could obtain special courses of tion in different subjects.

Mr. Tompkins thought something in the line of Mr. Hubbard's suggestion would be of as much practical benefit to the farmers as a college. He did not think the province could afford to keep an agricultural college at the processit time. province could afford to keep an agricultural college at the present time!

Messrs. Hubbard, Tompkins, A. H. Dickson and T. A. Peters were appointed a committee to look into the question of agricultural education.

Mr. Hubbard thought New Brunswick farmers should make an effort to supply

winter port steamers with farm produce which now had to be brought from th west. He quoted statistics that very large quantities of supplies are used each season

by steamers sailing from St. John.

Delegates from Victoria county conte ed that excessive freight rates on the C. P. R. would make it impossible for them to compete for the trade spoken of by Mr. Hubbard.

by Mr. Hubbard.

Resolutions of thanks to the dominion and local governments for providing speakers for the convention, and the city council of Fredericton for the use of the hall were unanimously adopted, after which the meeting adjourned.

John E. Sawell and Mass Jane Z. Robi-son, of McAdam Junction, came to the city yesterday and were united in mar-riage by Rev. Dr. McLeod at his residence. This morning Mesers. Tweeddale and Burgers, M. P. P.'s, accompanied by Mesers. Jenson, and Hanson, of Victoria county, waited upon the government and urged that the province acquire some of the lands now held by the New Brunswick Land Company in that county and throw

Maritime Girl Nurses Graduate. Montreal, March 22—Lady Minto presented diplomas to the graduating class of twelve nurses at the Royal Victoria Hospital yesterday afternoon. Among the twelve were five from the maritime provinces: Misses A. P. Crocker, Newcastle (N.B.); L. N. Hart, Sackville; F. McMillan, Charlottetown (P. E. I.; B. B. Purdy, Amherst, and J. A. Hervey, Shelburne (N.S.).

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TORONTO, ONT,

# NEW MILITIA BILL

The Opposition Objects to Many of Its Pro-

McDOUGALL KICKS.

Auditor General Serves Notice on the Government That He Will Ask to Be Retired if His Office is

Ottawa, March 23-(Special)-The militia

today.

E. F. Clarke, Toronto, asked for delay so that the bill might be distributed and the views of officers and others in the country obtained.

The leader of the opposition suggested that the non-contentions clauses should be taken up and passed. This did not satisfy some of the Conservatives. They wanted

what increase there would be in the expenditure by reason of the bill.

Sir Frederick Borden said that the in crease in the permanent corps would mean an increased expenditure of about 32 negrous and appropriate of about 32 negrous areas and appropriate of about 32 negrous and appropriate of about 32 negrous areas and appropriate and ap an increased expenditure of about 32 percent. The increased expenditure on the

large expenditure. There was not a demand for it. In the west very few had heard of it. The farmers were not in fevor of so large an expenditure. The bill might stand for a couple of weeks.

Col. Hughes pointed out that the militia of Winnipeg was in favor of the bill.

Sir Frederick could not say what were the opinions of Mr. McCreary's constituents but he was satisfied that all the

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as well as the pay.

It was finally agreed that the minister of militia should proceed and make an explanation of any further changes that it was intended to make in the bill and that none of the clauses would be adopted.

The minister of militia explained that he thought it advisable to add to the list of those exempt from liability to militia ser vice the following members of the king privy council of Canada, members of the senate and house of commons, members of the provincial administrations and of the

provincial legislatures, deputy minist of the dominion and of the provinces. New clauses have been framed to provide that all males of twelve years and m vards and under eighteen not disqualif by bodily or mental infirmity and being British subjects shall be liable to drill and training as cadets but that cadet corps shall not be liable to service in the militia in any emergency save in the case of a

The 24th section gives the governor in council power to dispense with the service of any officer or man in the militia. In this connection, Hon. John Haggart asked why it was that the authority wa given to the governor-in-council, as he understood things, the king alone had au Canada this authority is delegated to the

Col. Sam. Hughes would not listen t the idea of giving any such prerogative t the governor. That high official shoul have the advice of his responsible mini-ters in this as in all other matters of pul

nent that under the law this authority rests with the governor alone he wa

lant colonel, said: "I stand corrected to the overpowering authority of the member

Cel. Hughes-I am very pleased to bable to teach my honorable friend. There was some debate over a new for of oath which the bill provides for militia nen on entering the service. Sir Freder explained that he had copied the form use in the old country. It involved no m Where the permanent corps are navailable the district officer commandi in his absence the senior militia officer required to call out the local militia who

peace. The local municipal authorities are to foot the bill for the maintenance of the soldiers whilst they are on duty. the leader of opposition had a couple suggestions to offer. As the law stands d of the new bill proposes the municipal authorities may have nothing what to do with the calling out of the nitia in time of riot and yet have to ear the expense. If the district officer peace to call out the militia, the latter has nothing to do but to obey. The municipality has nothing to say in the matter and yet has to foot the accounts. The and yet has to loot the accounting authorities should have something to say in the matter before. To Mr. Borden's mind the measure should be so worded as to leave a little discretion n the hands of city, town or village coun-

il as the case may be. Lieut.-Colonel Tisdale assured Sir Fredcrick that he would find militiamen very loath to turn out for police duty. The minister promised to consider the suggesions offered for the improvement of the oil. At the same time he could not se how it was possible to strike out entirely the duty which has been laid on the houlders of militiamen in this country impleasant work for the men, still he was inable to see how it could be avoided. The opposition opposed the ban agains a Canadian being made officer commandin

## omething worse than politics operated in The bill was gone through and the house c'osed with the announcement that eigar-attes will be discussed tomorrow. Auditor G neral Threatens to Retire.

The auditor-general in the introductio to his annual report which was presented to parliament today says if parliament does not consider his former report for the amendment of the audit act so as to enable him to cope with the business of country he will ask at the end of the ession to be superannuated.

Having thus expressed himself he goes into a contract made between M. P. Davis visions

of Ottawa and the late government in 1896 and twice amended since, showing that by his efforts in dealing with this subject he was able to make a large saving to the country.

Another matter Mr. McDougall deals with is the Hillsboro bridge, P. E. I. He says that this contract entered into with M. J. Hanley has been extended to three years beyond the time limit and that the loss to the country in this way is over \$60,000. The last extension was until De-cember 31, 1904. It was to have been completed in April, 1902.

A government caucus is called for to-Not Supplied With Sufficient

> WHAT THE GOVERNMENT PAID THE LAWYERS.

E. H. McAlpine the Only One That Figures from St. John.

F. C. Wade, Dawson ... \$4,914
Chas. Russell, London (Eng) ... 1,622
A. Peters, Charlottetown ... 2,03
G. H. Pownall, Ottawa ... 1,051
Pred Peters, Victoria ... 1,337
H. Melish, Halifax ... 1,387
Malcolm MacKenzie, McLeod (N.W.T.) 1,625
MacCarthy Osler, Hoskin and Harcourt,
Toronto ... 3,000

West Doesn't Want Increase of Militia

Mr. McCreary said that this was a very

ents, but he was satisfied that all the other constituencies in the country were posed to giving a fair day's pay for a day's work, but the number was increased

Police Sent from St. John's to Placentia to Quell Disturbances of Railway Employes. Sydney, N. S., March 22-(Special)-As

a result of a grievance over wages the employes of the Reid-Newfoundland railway at Placentia (Nfld.) went out on strike a few days ago and the latest advices re ceived here report it to be still on. The strikers have formed themselves in to a union and a day or two ago con to a union and a day or two ago com-pelled the non-union men that were hired to quit work. They also held up one of the trains and a detachment of police were sent down from St. John's to maintain order and protect property. The police are still on the ground and will likely re-main until the difficulty is adjusted.

NEWFOUNDLAND STRIKERS

## THE NAIL WORKS,

North Sydney People Hope They'll Get the Industry.

North Sydney people evidently hope that the Maritime Nail Co.'s works will be re built in that town. The corresponder here of the Halifax Chronicle writes: "There seems every probability that the Maritime Nail Works' Company whose works at St. John were recently destroyed by fire, may be induced to rebuild their extensive plant at this town. Councillor Peppet one of North Sydney's landowners has been interesting himself in the matte & Ccal Co.'s works at Sydney Mines, thus mmediately offering a home market for

scale than these which previously existed at St. John. Not only will the building ecapied, would be rebuilt and the plan

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# SISTER'S SLAYER

One of the Gee Girls Treats Young Criminal to Dainties.

PRISONER SENT UP.

Preliminary Examination of George Gee Ended Tuesday, and He is Committed for Trial on April ing Session.

The examination in the case of King vs George Gee for the murder of Millie Geo f spectators.

at the high court, Judge Tuck presiding, which will be held on the fourth Tuesday

The prisoner was unconcerned during the examination, taking solace from a large quid of tobacco and expectorating when ever the magistrate was not looking. At one time during the examination of Dr. Brown the prisoner became quite ill, but capidly recovered at the end of the doc

The Gees appear to be a happy-go-lucky growd, having no apparent ill will against he prisoner, for the sister of the murder ed girl offered to treat the prisoner with oranges and candy and appeared displeased when he did not take the delicacies of

dence: John Farley, police magistrate, parish of Kent, was first called. He said he saw Geo. Gee on the morning of the 13th March, also Millie Gee, the murder ed girl. Witness took the dying declar on from Millie Gee in the presence Geo. Gee. (Objected to by Mr. Ketchum counsel for defence.) Millie Gee showe no inclination to talk only when questing ed. She seemed to have full possession of her mental faculties.

Mary Hall testified that

on Sunday morning, March 13, and wanted to telephone for a doctor as there had been a girl shot by him. This girl was Millie Gee. George Gee declared that he shot Millie Gee and wished to give himself p. She recognized the prisoner, George

Frank Doherty testified that Geo. Gee asked him for a ride from Bath to Holmes ville on Saturday, March 12. The prison rehad a rifle with him and appeared to be inking but was not drunk. The witness ecognized the prisoner as George Gee. Frank M. Brown, M. D., testified tha norning, March 13. She was conscious of deceased. The witness, Drs. Commin and Ross decided to operate on the decisar ed. Dr. Commins administered ether and the witness, assisted by Dr. Ross, perormed the operation. Dr. Brown de cribed the operation very minutely. On Tuesday morning following he called again. She was still conscious. (Millie Gee's de-claration written by Dr. Brown was cb-

jected to by Mr. Ketchum, counsel for the risoner.)

After the death of Milie Gee Drs. Brown After the death of Mile Occ Distriction and Commins performed a postmortem examination. Here Dr. Brown described the postmortem examination. Millie Gee died from the passing of a builet through the abdominal cavity. The lungs and heart were all free from disease, the brain and covering were normal in appearance.

Cross-questioned, Dr. Brown stated that e operation would not cause death. After Dr.Commins gave evidence the ex-amination was finished and the prisoner nection with the shooting.

At his residence, in Amherst, James day. Mr. Cook was ill but a short time. He was sixty-eight years of age.

of Summerside (P.E.I.), occurred Sunday. Deceased had been engaged in the egg our years of age and leaves a widow hree sons-Louis, of the Pioneer Publish lartin, of Moncton; one daughter, Mrs Edgar Clark, Summerside; four brothers -William, Thomas, Peter and Caleb, all of Freetown.

Albert Taylor, of Newcastle, died Mon day afternoon. He took ill suddenly and expired before medical aid could be sum-

D. G. Murche, of New Mills, died of pleurisy on Monday. Mr. Murchie was well known throughout Restigouche coun-

Andrew Williamson, a well-known mil wright and a clever musician, died at New-eastle last week. He was thirty-nine years old and a native of Fredericton. After an illness of some months Jame Sunday morning, aged seventy-three. He leaves a family of two sons and two

William Corbett, a well-known and re-William Corbett, a well-known and respected citizen of Woodstock, died Monday morning at the age of sixty-two. He leaves a widow, who is a daughter of the late R. A. Hay; two sons, Robert and Percy, and one daughter, Alexa. There also survive him one brother, Howard, and three sisters, Mrs. Francis Good, Mrs. Calvin Churchill and Mrs. Swith all of Calvin Churchill and Mrs. Smith, all of Lakeville. Mr. Corbett was a promine merchant in Woodstock at one time, but some years ago he retired from business. Mrs. John Walker, of Woodstock, die on Friday Morning. She leaves one daughter, Miss Barbara, and five sons, Marvin, manager of the Bank of Nova Scotia at Kentwille; John, of Boston; Charles, of the Bank of Nova Scotia at St. John, and Hans and Wallace, of Woodstock.

The death of Rev. G. E. Good, a gradu ate of Acadia, occurred recently at Innisfail, Alberta. The deceased was a member of class '75, of which the surviving members are Rev. J. H. Barass, W. G.



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Why The Restorative Succeeds.

The death of Thomas McConnell occurred at Yarmouth on Sunday. He left a wife and one child, as well as a brother

in Chelsea (Mass.), and two sisters, Mrs. James E. Crosby and Miss Alice McConnell, of Yarmouth. Miss Belle McKay died on Saturday March 19. Miss McKay was a daughter of the late James McKay, De Sable (P. E. I.), and leaves one brother, James, and three sisters, Mary and Jane, who reside with their brother on P. E. Island, and Mrs. M. W. Bateman, of Shediac. Another sister was the late Mrs. J. W. Tidd, of Scotch Settlement, Westmorland coun-

ty, with whose family she resided. The death of Mrs. Enoch Rushton oc The death of Mrs. Enoch Rushton occurred at the home of her son, J. Douglas Rushton, Moncton, on Tuesday. Her husband, the late Enoch Rushton, predeceased her only a few months. Among the surviving sons are Jeoffrey, Enoch, Chesley and Douglas, who reside in Moncton. She was eighty years of age. William Botsford Troop, ex-M. P. P.

died on Tuesday at his home in Granville Centre (N. S.), after an illness of less than a week's duration. Mr. Troop was a use of assembly for two terms previous life of a farmer. The deceased would have been eighty years of age had he lived until next month.

Olive B. Gordon, the thirteen-year-old daughter of Charles M. Gordon, died at her home, Morrison's Mill, on Monday afternoon from typhoid fever. The death occurred at the Victoria Hospital, Fredericton, on Monday, from heart failure following an attack of typhoid persons of different den fever, of Miss Helen A. Buswell, daughter all parts of Nova Scotia.

in her fifteenth year of age.

Mrs. Lizzie Pellock, wife of George Pellock, of Acton, York county, died very suddenly at her home on Sunday evening.

She was the eldest daughter of Thomas Davis, of Yoho, and had been married about three years. She leaves a husband and two small children, also her parents and a number of brothers and sisters.

his only way to get well.

I, a stranger, offer to do all this. Won't you, his friend, his neighbor, simply write? He will learn from my book a way to get well. Perhaps, as I say, the only way to get well for him. His case may be serioushopeless almost. Others physicians—others specialists may have failed. The matter is jurgent then

Will Go to Alberta. Messis, E. K. and William Parks expect o leave in the course of a few days for

from here several head of stock. Mr. Parks considers Alberta a Juntry well adapted for either ranching or farmthe territory. Within 30 miles of where Mr. Parks is located "Sandy" Jardine has a flourishing ranch.

Thousands Ask for Sabbath Law. Ottawa, March 22-(Special)-There were 1,847 petitions presented to the house to-day in favor of a Sunday observance law. There were ten from trade and labor counrils, sixty-three from trades and labor unions, 903 from churches, 371 from fraternal society lodges and 500 from the Lord's Day Alliance.

Hon. Mr. Ross, of Victoria, presented ninety-three of these, representing 29,397 persons of different denominations from



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