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******* BY THE WOMEN'S CHRISTIAN TEMPER-ANCE UNION OF ST. JOHN.

[Trust the people-the wise and the ignor-ant, the good and the bad-with the gravest questions, and in the end you will educate the race.]

THE LITTLE GIRLS' HOME.

Two of the children from the Little the Amherst military band and an Girls' Home have recently been adopt-ed into comfortable homes in the coun-Christ church the burial service was try, and immediately afterwards the case of a poor little outcast was C. W. Wilson. At the grave Rev. Dr. brought to the notice of the committee Steele and Rev. D. McGregor took by Mr. Wetmore of the S. P. C. A. The necessary steps have been taken preliminary to her admission into the Home, and so the average number of inmates is constantly maintained, from eight to ten little girls finding faithful, loving care and kindness hitherto unknown to them. We therefore appeal to our citizens to aid us in our efforts to maintain this institution, which supplies a long felt need, at the same time warning them against the colicitation of impostors who have more than once, and we believe very recently, been going from house to house collecting for the Little Girls' Home.

Only an accredited member of the W. C. T. U. is authorized to collect such subscriptions, and any one who wishes to send an unsolicited donation may do so to the address of Mrs. T. G. Allan, Charlotte street; Miss Hutchings. King street east, or Mrs. W. J. Davidson, 7 Elliott Row.

A most appalling evil which is becoming alarmingly widespread is that of selling candies flavored with alcoholic liquors to children. In Brooklyn large quantities of brandy drops have been sold to school children under the guise of innocent chocolate candy. In one instance the store selling them was next to the schoolhouse. From Collingwood comes the report of a little boy becoming completely intoxicated into the hall and cellar below. No on brandy balls. Children are proone was injured. verbially fond of sweets, and these kinds of candy afford an easy and quick means of cultivating a taste for intoxicants, in those eating them. Not only are our children's minds exposed to the polluting effects of impure literature sown broadcast through the land but also to this equally great danger to their souis and bodies. Every endeavor should be made throughout the land to stamp out this nefarious traffic and remove the great dangers which threaten the pure. moral and healthy development of the

It would seem impossible to imagine that parents could be indifferent to the danger that threatens our children from this most insidious form of temptation were it not' only too manifest that such indifference and neglect prevails. How, then, shall they escape? The writer drew the attention of the public to this evil a short time ago and met with the languid reply that no stomach could contain the amount of brandy chocolates which would be required to produce intoxication, which on the grounds fitted up last year for

tween the Dominicn Atlantic Railway and the Yarmouth Steamship Co., for the purchase of the latter's franchises and property has come war more bit-AMHERST, N. S., July 6 .- The funter than ever. The D. A. R. have eral of the late Hon. A. R. Dickey made the steamship rate between was held this "fternoon and was one Yarmouth and Boston \$1.50, and of the most impressive ceremonies freight rates are out 50 per cent. They ever witnessed here, the day being one have also put the steamer Prince Edof mourning such as Amherst has never before been called upon to exward on the South Shore of Nova | Scolla route, in opposition to the Yarperience. Every train brought remouth line. presentative citizens from all parts of

the provinces. In the funeral cortege

were professional men, public officers,

held by Rev. V. E. Hairis and Rev.

part, the former paying a touching

The death occurred here last night

of John C. Watson, who for some

years was connected with the Daily

News here. Deceased was thirty

years of age and was a son of the late

James Watson, a well known literary

man of Jeddborough, Scotland. During

the last few years he has been ses-

sional clerk at Ottawa. He leaves a

wife and two children here, and a bro-

ther and sister, Andrew Watson and

Mrs. Robert Thompson, in Halifax.

Deceased was a prominent member of

L. O. L. and Acacia Lodge, A. F. &

CORNWALLIS, July 6 .- On Monday

William Harvey of Canard was mar-

Tuesday Pierson Shaw of Falmouth,

are spending their "honymcon" in St

The death of Mrs. William Lawrence

took place on Sunday morning at her

home in Falmouth. On the same day

the death occurred of the youngest

son of William Taylor of the same

SOUTHAMPTON, N. S., July 2 .-

morning Miss Loota Hoeg was severe-

tered the screen door near which she

son's field was struck by lightning.

tribute to deceased.

A. M.

John.

WOLFVILLE, July 10 .- C. R. Hamilton, a successful lawyer of New Haven, has arrived in Wolfville with his family and will occupy their beautiful immense following of the public. At residence during the hot months. The library of the late Dr. Cramp,

which is a large and valuable one, has been carefully preserved and kept in the same room since the death of its venerable owner. It is now, however, been catalogued and is to be presented to Acadia, by whom it will be kept intact in memory of a most valued president, Miss Mary Cramp and George Cramp of Montreal.

Miss Laura Sawyer, librarian at the Perkins Institute for the Blind, South Boston, is spending her vacation at the home of her father. Dr. Sawyer. Edmund Barss, son of Dr. Barss, who is a successful teacher in Connecticut, is staying for a short time in Wolfville. Prof. L. M. Wortman and the Misses Wortman have gone to St. John, to be present at the marriage of Frank Wortman, eldest son of Dr. Wortman, and Miss Rose Seely of St. John.

PARRSBORO, N. S., July 10 .- Rev. ried to Hattie Early of Kentville. On W. Driffield, the newly elected pastor of Parrsboro, arrived here on Satur-Hants Co., was married to Miss May day. His wife and children have not Sangster of the same place. They arrived yet, but are expected this week.

Rev. A. B. Higgins, who has been During a thunder storm last week, filling Rev. W. G. Lane's place for the barn of Stephen Davison of Aylesseveral months, preached his farewell ford was struck and burned to . the sermon on Sunday. A social re-union ground. Several farming implements be held in Grace Methodist is to and horse, pigs, etc., were burned. church this evening in his honor. Mr. On the same day the house of Edward Higgins has been appointed to Middleton, and enters upon his new charge Armstrong, station master at Falmouth, Hants Co., was struck. The next Sunday.

bolt entered through the roof, coming Mrs. A. S. Townshend and Mrs. Cecil down through a grate and from there Parsons and her two sons returned on Saturday from a visit to British Columbia. Mrs. Simon Gibbons, widow of James Dykins of the D. A. R., while the late rector of Parrsboro, is visitccupling cars on Tuesday at Kenting friends here and in the surroundville, crushed one of his hands badly. ing districts. It is feared that he may have to lose

S. S. Labuan arrived in West Bay on Sunday to load deals for W. M. Mc-Kay. The Labuan carries more than three and a half million feet, and has already taken one cargo from West Bay this spring.

CORNWALLIS, N. S., July 12 .- On Wednesday the marriage took place of P. Chandler of Charlottetown, P. E. I., During the electric storm of Saturday and Miss Julia Sayre, who has been a teacher in the kindergarten school in ly shocked, the lightning having enthat place for some time. The ceremony was performed at the residence stood. Her father on going into the of James Sayre in St. John, and the house found her prostrate on the floor, couple will take a trip to Cornwallis, and it was some time before she rewhere Mrs. Blenkhorn, sister of the covered from the shock. George Atbride, resides,

kinson also received a shock, his arm Rev. Earnest Daley, pastor of the being rendered powerless for several Baptist church at Sackville, N. B., is hours. A pine tree in Moses Harriin Winnipeg attending the B. Y. P. U. convention which is being held there. July 5.-The annual Good Templars' His wife is visiting her mother, Mrs. Wm. Thomas, at Canard. On Mr. Daley's departure the people of his

CHANGES IN COMMONS. Death Has Been Busy in the Ranks PAINLESSLY REMOVED of the Present Parliament

(Cor. Halifax Chronicle.) OTTAWA, July 6 .- People who have een watching the last scenes in the fifth session of the eighth parliament of Canada must have been struck by the extraordinary changes which have taken place in the commons since the members of the house made their first appearance after the general elections of 1896.

Remarkable changes have taken place on the floor of the house. Two conservative members, one of them formerly a cabinet minister, have declared themselves in favor of liberal principles. Men elected as independ ents have found it possible to give a consistent support to the administra tion. An able and highly respected first commoner has gone to his rest in the person of the late speaker, Hon. Sir James D. Edgar. Death has also claimed a minister of the crown in the person of the late Hon. C. A. Geoffrion. Two other ministers of the crown, Sir

Oliver Mowat and Sir Henri Joly de Lotbiniere, have been raised to the dignity of lieutenant governors, whilst three new councillors, Hon. David Mills, Hon. James Sutherland and Hon. M. E. Bernier, have been called to the cabinet. Thirty-four men who sat in the house

early in the present parliament are there no more. They are: FROM QUEBEC.

Fabien Boisvert, Nocolet. Philippe Auguste Choquette, Mont-

nagny. Charles Ramsay Devlin, Wright. Flavien Dupont, Bagot. William LeB, Fauvel, Bonaventure. J. B. Romauld Fiset, Rimouski. Hon. Christopher A. Geoffrion, Chambly and Vercheres.

Pierre Malcolm Guay, Levis. Hon. W. R. Ives, Sherbrooke. Hon. Sir Henri Joly de Lotbiniere,

Portneuf. Francois Langelier, Centre Quebec. Joseph Lavergne, Drummond and Athabasca.

Charles Eugene Pouliot, Temiscouata. Come Isale Rinfret, Lotbiniere.

Cleophas Beausoliel, Berthier-15. FROM ONTARIO.

Darby Bergin, Cornwall and Stormont Colin Cameron, West Malcolm

Huron. Hon. (afterwards Sir) James D. Edgar, West Ontario. Robert Henry, South Brant. James F. Lister, Lambton. William Lount, Centre Toronto. Dalton McCarthy, North Simcoe. John A. McGillivray, North Ontario. Richard Tyrwhitt, South Simcoe. Hon, John F. Wood, Brockville.

-11. FROM NOVA SCOTIA. The Sun's Grand Manan correspond-Wilbert D. Dimock, Colchester. ent writes under date of July 9th : Allan Haley, Hants.-2. FROM PRINCE EDWARD ISLAND. for the destruction of all kinds of fish outside of the three-mile limit, or Edward Hackett, West Prince, S. F. Perry, West Prince.-2.

George H. Bertram, Centre Toronto.

tempt at milking was made one win ter's morning. He dressed warmly for the job, putting on overcoat, muffler, cap and mittens. The animal looked askance as he placed the pail upright under her and occupied the milking stool. The minister soon discovered that as the cat in gloves catches not mice, so the man in mittens got no milk, so the latter articles were soon discarded. They were followed in rapid succession by his other wraps, and the ministerial coat was also flung on a heap of straw. Then he settled down to work in earnest, and just as he had obtained, by preseverance and sheer force of muscle, half a pail of

closely accompanied by stool and pail, and had every opportunity of study-Putnam's removes corns, ansightly warts, bunions, without the least pain or discon-fort. It quickly relieves fenderness and pain and allays all irritation at once; gives as and comfort to the sufferer at dist application. It is not only a remedy, but a guaranteed and absolute cure. We guar-intee it to do just what is claimed for it. Druggists are authorized to warrant this fact, and we will return money to anyone whom it fails to cure. Putnam's was the first remedy of its limited success for more than thirty years. Over one hundred imitations attest its ef-facer. Bevare of inferior and daugerous desheating substitutes, and take only Put-nam's. ing the milky way. But like "Bobs," though he was small in stature, he was mighty in battle, and it was "up guards and at them again." Haif an hour later his wife came to see what had become of her husband, and found him, the ministerial garments much be-mired, the ministerial countenance streaming with milk and perspiration, still tugging at the dry and deeply indignant cow. It might be

SUMMER STEAMSHIP SERVICE. The following is a copy of the mem-

orial sent to Ottawa :

ST. JOHN, N. B., Canada, June 25th. 1900.

To His Excellency the Right Honorable Gilbert John Ellictt Murray Kynnmond, Earl of Minto, G. C. M. G., Governor General of Canada, in Council :

in literary work. During his recent The memorial of the summer servisit to England he received much vice convention, held in the city of attention and honor in high places, St. John, in the province of New Brunswick, in the month of June, 1900, can paper that he was to be knighted, respectfully showeth :

That it is expedient and necessary for the best interests of the city of St. John and the province of New Brunswick generally that regular steamship service should be maintained throughout the year between the port cf St. John and some port or ports in Great Britain;

lightful emotion at congratulations That at the present time such serand press rotices, he met on the vice extends only through the winter train a rough looking man who remonths, and that during the summer quested the honor of shaking hands months imports from Great Britain saying he had been longing to meet for the province of New Brunswick The poet felt much gratified reach that province through the ports that his numbers had charmed this of Quebec, Montreal, Halifax, and savage breast, but was correspondinglargely through the port of Portland, ly depressed when he found his accostant knew nothing whatever of in the state of Maine, United States, of America, and other American Mr. Roberts's poetry, but was greeting him entirely as a brother "sport." ports :

That goods and articles of merchandise purchased in Great Britain and imported into Canada are entitled to and receive certain preferential concessions in the way of rebate upon duties, whether imported direct through a Canadian port or landed at an American port and thence transported in bond to Canadian territory: That if such preferences, or rebates in duty, were allowed only upon such territorial waters, has become an as- goods and merchandise directly imported through Canadian ports a

the lacteal fluid, the cow kicked, literally and figuratively. The parson landed on his back,

suggested to colleges of theology that a course of practical farming, a la Squeers, be added to their curriculum.

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was editor of the Illustrated Ameri

can. He is now in New York engaged

but the statement made in an Ameri-

Mr. Roberts does not mind telling a

joke at his own expense, and re-

counts how his poet's vanity once re-

ceived a severe blow. At college he

was a champion athlete. Shortly

after his first book had appeared, and

while he was still quivering with de-

WITH DYNAMITE.

Four or Five Boats Already Destroy-

ing the Off-Shore Fish Down

the Bay.

The use of dynamite as an agent

seems to have been incorrect.

after a time becomes, as the Scriptures graphically describes it, "raging," is only too easily acquired, and as all must admit is most difficult to master, and many a broken-hearted mother will some day awake to her sins of omission, when, leaving undone what she ought to have done, she will recall her carelessness in permitting her boys, aye and her girls too, without warning or admonition on her part, to fall into this terrible snare.

child in our care.

It is a subject for mirth on the part of many, who know not the subtlety of the tempter, but "we are not ignorant of his devices," and are assured that this is one of the most alarming of his inventions to catch the unwary youth of our country. In drawing the attention of our citizens once more to their danger, may they realize once for all A. D. their responsibilities.

Colonel Baden-Powell, the hero of Mafeking, is very abstemious, and does not use tobacco in any form.

It is worthy of note that Lord Roberts, the lion of the British army, adds strong temperance principles to his long list of virtues. As Kipling has said:

E's a little down on drink, Chaplain Bobs; But it keeps us outer chink; Don't it, Bobs? So we will not complain, Tho' 'e's water on the brain, If he leads us straight again; Blue-light Bobs.

In one of his recently published reports, Lord Roberts pays the following tribute to the work of the Army Temperance association: "There never was a more temperate army than that which marched under my command from the Modder river to Bloemfontein. Nothing but good can result from so many soldiers being brought together in an arduous campaign when they see how splendidly cur temperance men have borne up against the hardships and dangers they have had to face." If our political leaders would take such a stand as this, the war against our treacherous fee, the drink traffic, would soon end."

Tommy-Papa, a stag party, is a party of men, isn't it? Papa-Yes, my son.

Tommy-Then stagnation would be a nation where there weren't any women, wouldn't it?-Philadelphia Record.

RIOT AT BELFAST.

BELFAST, July 14 .- A riot occurred here last evening when a party of nationalists tried to demolish the Orange triumphal arch. The attempt was followed by a fight, in the course of which the women tore up paving stones and handed them to the combatants. The police charged the rioters and dispersed them. A sergeant and several constables were severely injured.

Jack-Well, whatever the summer girl may be, there is one thing that she is not. Will-What's that? Jack-She is not conta-gious. Will-How do you mean? Jackgious. Will-How do You can't catch her.

He Won.—"All right, then, we all toss for it." said Yommy. "Here goes! You holler. Heads or tails?" "Very well," replied little Emerson of Boston, "I prognosticate the falling of the obverse uppermost."—Wes-levan

was entirely outside the question. The ful gathering in every respect. The awful appetite for strong drink, which uncertain state of the morning prevented the River Philip and Economy lodges from starting, yet all afternoon carriages arrived until the number assembled was probably not less than 500.

the hand altogether.

place.

The news of Mr. Dickey's sudden death reached here jast as the teams were leaving, and a feeling of sadness threw a damper on the day's festivities. Hon. A. R. Dickey was to have been the speaker of the afternoon, and this was in large measure the attraction which had drawn together people of all ages and all panties. The meeting was called to order, the chairman being Charles Harrison of Southampton Lodge, who read the letter of acceptance Mr. Dickey had promptly addressed to the corresponding secretary of the central committee. The letter was written in the fine gentlemanly style characteristic of the man who wrote it, and concluded with the words,

"I shall certainly make it a point to be present unless something totally unforeseen occurs." A telegram was received from H. J. Logan, M. P., expressing his regrets, and replies were

also received from Rev. William Brown and Rev. F. L. Jobb, who were unavoidably detained. Rev. Jos. Sellar gave an address. At a late hour A. A.

McKinnon of Springhill arrived, was escorted to the platform, and spoke briefly in reference to the sad death of his friend, who was to have occupied the platform, but who then lay in his casket in his home in Amherst. The address was most feeling, and was the tribute of a devoted admirer of the genuine goodness and sterling integrity of one who was respected by all, irrespective of party. Mr. McKinnon expressed the hope that the deceased gentleman's successor in the political arena, whoever he might be, would take the same firm stand on the temperance question that had characterized the career of the Hon. A. R.

Dickey. A board of trustees were appointed by the different lodges represented, in whose charge will be left arrangements for next year's picnic. The date will be fixed with regard to the convenience, as far as possible, of the clergy,

members of parliament, grand lodge neeting, etc. The picnic will be held each year on the same grounds at Mapleton

HALIFAX, July 6.-The agent of marine and fisheries department, J. F. L. Parsons, yesterday received a telegram stating that Acting Chief

Officer Eldridge of the steamer Newfield, was drowned on Thursday evening off Cape Chatte, at the mouth of the St. Lawrence. Officer Eldridge belonged to Sandy Cove, Digby county. His wife is a daughter of Rev. Dr. Morse. The Newfield left Halifax Monday to repair the submarine cable between Gadbout and Anticosti. HALIFAX, N. S., July 8 .- About

three hundred members of the American Institute of Instruction are in

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church presented him with a gift of sixty dollars. Miss Jennie Holland of Canard re-

turned from a two years' visit in England on Tuesday.

Fifty newspaper men from Boston were in Cornwallis on Saturday and visited the far-famed "Look-off."

Mrs. Inglis of London, England, is visiting her sister, Mrs. William Rand of Canning. Miss Jennie Young, who is also a sister of Mrs. Rand and a resident of St. John, is visiting Canning. Miss Mary Bishop, matron .in the College hospital at Lawrence, Massachusetts, and her sister Estella, who is bookkeeper in a grocery company of that place, are both at their former home in Habitant on their vacations. More than six hundred people were present at an "Advent" service held on the "Look-off" last Sunday.

HALIFAX, N. S., July 13 .- C. Percy "Lonnell was arraigned before Stipendiary Fielding today on two warrants. On that under which he was Liberals. Cameron arrested in St. John, sworn out by Edgar, Mrs. Murray, he was discharged, Mrs. Fauvel, Murray not appearing. The case was Geoffrion, settled out of court, she probably get-Guay, ting her \$115.

Haley Haight & Co., who had him com-Pouliot. mitted to jail for frand, are now proceeding against. O'Donnell, under Perry, Jameson, the criminal code for stealing \$800. Bertram. The examination will be resumed to-McCarthy.-11. morrow. 'The magistrate agreed to Seventeen deaths in four years in a release O'Donnell on \$800 bail, but at house with 213 members shows a sur-9 o'clock tonight no bonds were forthprisingly high mortality rate. This is

coming. doubtless in great measure due to the PARRSBORO, N. S., July 14 .- Ship exacting nature of the life for men of Treasurer cleared for Sharpness on the 11th inst. with 1,118,962 feet deals and mature years. Late hours, stuffy committee rooms, little exercise, fre-185,418 feet ends, shipped by M. L. quent night journeys to and from the Tucker for W. M. Mackay. Str. Eastcapital, and long sessions spent in ry, Carr, cleared yesterday for Manhotels and boarding houses without chester with 2,098,667 feet deals and 253,690 feet ends, shipped by M. L. home comforts, are certainly more exacting upon most constitutions Tucker for W. M. Mackay.

Sch. Laconia cleared for Connah's Quay on the 13th with 515,224 feet deals and 49,748 feet ends and scantling, shipped by Capt. Nordby for George McKean.

disregard their personal business af-H. Elderkin & Co. of Port Greville will launch their new tern schooner worry of pleasing constituents, keep-Benefit. 228 tons, on the 17th inst. The ladies of the Methodist church will ing in touch with what is going forprovide a luncheon and have a sale of refreshments. conceded that the life of a member of

RECEIVERS APPOINTED.

Messrs. Russell Sage of New York, and H. H. McLean of St. John, were today appointed receivers of the Shore Line railway at the instance of the Metropolitan Trust company of New York, and on motion of Allen O. Earle, Q. C., the proceedings were taken before Judge Barker. The road, it is understood, has not been paying expenses, and the outcome of the present proceedings will probably be its sale under the hammer. While the road has been going behind, the management has seen that all local bills for running expenses, salaries, etc.,

FROM MANITOBA. Nathaniel Boyd, Macdonald. Hugh John Macdonald, Winnipeg. W. S. Jameson, Winnipeg.-3

FROM BRITISH COLUMBIA.

W. W. B. McInnes, Vancouver.-1. the ranks of the men who came to one discharge. It is also a bone of Ottawa when the present parliament contention among the fishermen. was young. Fourteen men returned Those using it claim it will do no more harm to the fisheries than any at the elections of 1896 are no more, P. E. I., and George H. Bertram of Centre Toronto, who came to parlia- our valuable fisheries by breaking up ment in the following year, have join. territorial waters and that when the ed them in the great beyond. Of the opportunity arises it will be used by seventeen, seven came from the provunscrupulous persons inside the threeince of Quebec, seven from Ontario, mile limit during foggy weather, or one from Prince Edward Island, one at other times. That the predictions from Nova Scotia and one from Manitoba. Eleven were government sup-

of dire results to the fisheries arising from this mode of killing fish will be porters and six opposition, as follows: verified remains to be seen, but that Conservatives. it is a damage to the fisheries, the re-Bergin. gulations of the fisheries department Boisvert, should be sufficient evidence. If not Dupont, destructive, why prohibit the use of Ives, Wood, explosives in territorial waters of the dominion for the purpose of killing at Tyrwhitt.-6. any time of year ?

A CRUEL STORY.

Rev. Mr. Gibson Did Not Make a Confession.

(Ottawa Journal.) A city newspaper republishes the western fake which first found publication months ago, alleging that the murders in a church in San Francisco of

Minnie Williams and Blanche Lamont, for which Theodore Durant, the organist, was hanged on Jan. 7, 1898, were committed by the pastor of the church. The story says:--"A few days ago, on his deathbed, the Rev. Mr. Gibson, who at the time

than even the methodical grind of a was pastor of Emmanuel church, where one of the murders was com But this is not all. Few members of parliament are in such affluent cirmitted, confessed that he killed both of cumstances that they can afford to the victims. He was an active and important witness at the trial of poor fairs, and when to this is added the Durant, the reason of which is now quite plain, and also in view of the fact that suspicion was strongly diward politically and with his own rected to him at the time." The story is a false and apparently sense of right and duty, it must be

wilfully malicious concoction. The report upon which it was based

came into the hands of the Journal's correspondent in Montreal, Fred. Wil-ANENT CHARLES G. D. ROBERTS liams, two months ago. He at once (Special Correspondence of the Sun.) wired San Francisco. He received the reply that the Rev. Mr. Gibson was SACKVILLE, N. B., July 12 -Since the literary editor of the Ladies' Home not dead and therefore could not have made a deathbed confession. The story Journal kindly informed the public has been formally denied in all the that Prof. Roberts was born at New San Francisco papers and is stated to Brunswick, N. S., there has been have started in a Populist paper in much discussion as to his native Wyoming, which published it with a town, as many places apparently view to seeing how far the authorities claiming Roberts living as Homer of the State of California could be disdead. The following facts are from credited. Charles Roberts first saw the light

sured fact, and there are now four or five boats using it for that pur- powerful stimulus would be given to increased direct steamship service bepose. Next to the purse seine, it is tween the ports of Great Britain and probably the most destructive mode Canadian ports; of fishing invented by the art of man,

Your petitioners therefore humbly where the fish are plentiful and in schools. Among the pollock it will pray that you will urge upon your Leath has reaped a rich harvest in kill from 500 to 600 or more fish at constitutional advisers the propriety and justice of so amending the present customs regulations that preferential concessions in the way of rebate in duties now granted upon goods and three others, W. S. Jameson of other mode of fishing, while the others imported from Great Britain be grant-Winnipeg, S. F. Perry of West Prince, contend that it must, if persevered in, ed only when imported direct through in a year or two at least, exterminate a Canadian port.

And your memorialists, as in duty the schools of fish before they get into bound, will ever pray.

> C. J. OSMAN, W. F. HATHEWAY, J. H. MCAVITY, Committee.





busy life.

parliament is not a bed of roses.

the best authority and correct :