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Provincial Political Situation.

As our readers are aware, the Liberal Conservative conference takes place in this city on Wednesday next. We hope the conference will be attended by the leading members of the party from all sections of the Province, and that such a plan of campaign will be agreed upon as well, in the general opinion of those opposed to the Peters Government, lead to its utter defeat at the polls, when the next appeal is polls, when the next appeal is welope and send it to us. We lished, and they had to be acceptions, when the electorate. In the are, of course, bound to state that ed as they were or not at all. long." During the conversation Mr. articles on the "Provincial Political Situation," which we have been publishing for the past few weeks, we have not been endeavoring to construct a platform for the party, or suggesting a coarse of action for the conference. We have simply been pointing out to have not paid, and paid promptly. They have our sincerest thanks. But, were we to publish the party or suggesting a coarse of action for the conference. We have not paid, we would week a company to the party of the conference. We have simply been pointing out to have not paid, we would were to be cut at all. Manitoba was the only exception among the present provinces, and it came freshly made out of virgin to came from the party of the conference of the company to the party of the company to the party of the party have simply been pointing out to who have not paid, we would were to be cut up on the same formed to work the mine, with a electors certain elements that, give our readers a won great surthe electors, certain elements that, give our readers a won great sur- scale. we should have, not two or in our opinion, should have a prise. Why are they waiting? three, but eight or ten additional place in any election campaign We are now in the second month provinces, which would be a stuinaugurated for the purpose of of 1897, and their subscriptions hurling the Government from for 1896, and in many cases for pire. power, and rescuing the Province from the deplorable financial condition to which it has been re
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bother with; are they waiting duced by our present local rulers. till they amount to something We have pointed out and we here worth while? Don't have any repeat that the propositions we scruples on this head, friends, we repeat that the propositions we have laid down, under ordinary circumstances necessary to success in a political conflict, are in the present situation indispensable to the opponents of the local Government. It may be said that the mal-administration of public affairs; the recklessness and extravagance of the Government, are so palpable that all is wanted as an opportunity for the public conscience to assert itself, in order conscience to assert itself, in order to ensure the defeat of those who and pay in advance for newspahave misgoverned us. It is true, pers from abroad, containing there is a public conscience that lengthy accounts of murders, will, under certain conditions, suicides, elopments, divorces manifest itself and proclaim what and other useless and sensais right in contradistinction to tional trash. For this kind is right in contradistinction to what is wrong. But, in order that this public conscience may assert itself, it is necessary that it shall be left free and untrammelled. Now, this is a condition of things the present Government are bound shall not exist, if they can help it. They know that if the electors are left free they themselves are doomed; they error the themselves are doomed; they are particular on the part of the was incorporated and others, with the result that something like \$50,000 has already been into with the Crown Point, the Tiger, and the Tiger, and the various properties, and something like \$50,000 has already been into with the Crown Point, the Tiger, and the Uncle Sam mines, and operated by a company which was incorporated to let the subscriptions to these particular not to let the subscriptions on the part of the known as the War Eagle and Development Company. The foregoing are the latest sensations in mining circles. It is true that the ownership of the company before the interest the latest sensations in mining circles. It is true that the ownership of the company before the know their political sins call these people. He may toil on and Blackstock syndicate is disputed by loudly for vengeance; they know moil on, year after year; but must London capitalists calling themselves that a free electorate will quickly not expect to be treated in the consign them to oblivion. Their same way as the publishers of senconsign them to oblivion. Their whole policy, in consequence, is to obscure the real issues before the public; to mislead the electors; to throw political dust in the eyes of the people. In their choice of weapons to accomplish their political ends the Government are most unscrupulous.

Their whole policy, in consequence, is sational and trashy newspapers. He may be paid some time; perhaps never. This is a condition of things that, to a great extent, obtains in this Province. There is another class of delinquent subscribers whom we would wish particularly to interest in what. their political ends the Government are most unscrupulous. They will not appeal to the reasoning faculties of their constitut.

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and these members are confirmed in their seats. Or the other the North-West has been discussthe North-West has been discussed the North-West has been di

hand, it is said, the petitions against Hon. Mr. Blair, and against Ellis, Tucker and Dom-wille, Government supporters, following very sensible observations on the subject;—"If the have been kept alive by extension the petitions on the subject;—"If the convenience and advantage of the peritions available for the purpose of developing our present claim, and any others we may acquire. The provincial directs of the peritions of the petitions of the peritions of the petitions of the peritions of the peritions of the peritions of the peritions of the petitions of the peritions of the peritions of the peritions of the peritions of the petitions of the petitions of the peritions of th obtained either by consent or de-sire of counsel for respondents.

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with large buttons, new doncet collars, full backs and slashed backs, twenty different styles. There is no possibility

ing the present arrangement for It is some time now since we doubtless be continued. But men \$1,250,000. The London companies and anything about the payment said anything about the payment are already looking forward and the New York company who en speculating as to the changes that deavoured to buy the War Eagle property on which we do not desire to men believe that the district in The capitalization of our aggregate inject on which we do not desire to speak, and we would not refer to it at all, were we not forced thereto by the conduct of some subscribers. Naturally, it should be quite unnecessary to reiterate to speak at the expense of Legislatures and Governments for each. Canada quite unnecessary to reiterate to the speak at the expense of Legislatures and give unnecessary to reiterate to the speak at the expense of Legislatures and give unnecessary to reiterate to the speak at the expense of Legislatures and the ex

Worth its Weight in Gold. other properties, claim that they have an unexpired contract with the present owners, made prior to that of the the Testimony of Frank S. Emerick, of Alvinston, Ont.—Says South American Kidney Cure Sayed His Life—It Relieves in Six Hours.

ent owners, made prior to that of the Gooderham syndicate, and that they intend to insist on their rights under

that contract. They also state that ager of the British-Canadian Gold

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News of the Mines. (Extracts from the Mail and Empire's nining news.)

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Prowse Bros, are trying to make them easy by giving

The Rossland War Eagle Company,

Fields Company, in an interview with

very successful stockholders' meeting

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# pendous blunder."-Mail and Em- of London, England, formed for the purpose of purchasing and operating the War Eagle mine, of Rossland and Gooderham syndicate, and that they intend to insist on their rights under Reefers

FOR YOUNG AND OLD.

Don't let the golden opportunity go by. If you do don't and others, with the result that some-

The Farmers Boys and Won-

Canadian Relief Fund for India.

His Honor the Lieutenaut-Governor is in receipt of the following despatch from the Governor-General:—

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READY-TO-WEAR For Men & Boys & Youths.

If ever times were hard such tremendous bargains in

Ulsters worth \$5.50 for \$3.95, Ulsters \$7.50 for \$5.00, gains for the people,

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tending toward a bi-metallic agree-(Signed) SIR FRANCIS MACLEAN, Chief Justice of Bengal, and Chaiaman of Relief Com ntly the Lieutenant Govern

OTTAWA, Feb. 1. His Honor the Lieutenant Govenorr of P. E. Island.

with very interesting and gratifying intelligence of the practical steps taken for seuring satisfactory collections from the cople of Prince Edward Island for the figures in Ludia.

Mrs. F. Brawly of Tottenham, Ont., states: "I suffered almost continually for 12 years with rheumatism, the effects of which I will carry to my grave, and while the joints at my elbows and wrists are yet stiff I am entirely freed from pain in the use of South American Rheumatic Cure. It has indeed proved a wonderful cure in my case. I have spent thousands of dolars in doctors' bills and medicines without avail. Five bottles of this wonderworker has cured all pain. I am better in health generally than I have been for ten years."

train were apparently in good order and condition at the time of the accident. Both verdicts were made from the same evidence, though by a different set of jurors.

The London cable correspondent of the Montreal Star says: I have official authority to state that the Queen has, through the Rt. Hop. Jos. Chamberlain, secretary of State for the colonies, invited the Hop W. Laurier, premier of Canada, and the

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orgetown on Jany. 26th., the follow-

Moved by Rev. S. T. Phelan, seconded by H. J. McPhee:

Whereas it has plassed Almighty God in His infinite wisdom to remove by death Mr. Duncan McLean father, and Mr. Daniel McDonald the uncle, of our esteemed brothers Rev. J. C. and Mr. Gregory McLean.

Gregory McLean.

Resolved, that we the members of this branch deeply deplors their death and extend to our worthy brothers our sumed here makes it unsuitable for

extend to our worthy brothers our sumed here makes it unsuitable for heartfelt sympathy in their sad afflic discussion, even if the colonists were Nomination Day, February tion and earnestly pray that God may agreed among themselves.

Further resolved, that this expression Ulsters worth \$9.00 for \$6.75, of our condolence and sympathy be re- By the Board of School Trustees of Charthe Rossland Miner, says :- "Since the and hundreds of other bar- corded in the minute book of this Branch and a copy be forwarded to our bereaved brothers also to the Herald, Watchman and Canadian.

NEWS OF THE WEEK,

A despatch to the London Time from Odessa commenting upon military and naval preparations on the part of Russia, says that the Black Sea Fleet, consisting of seven ironclads, as well as cruisers, gunboats, torpedo boats and torpedo destroyers is continuously kept under steam and

The Gloucester fishing schoone ames G, Blaine arrived at Boston Sunday morning from the Georges with her flag at half-mast for the loss of Captain McDonald and one of the crew named Skinner. Captain Mc-Donald was a native of Judique, C. B., and was thirty years of age and single. Skinner belonged to Rort Hastings, N. S., and was twenty-five

central Committee Indian Famine Fund earnestly solicit your cordial co-operation. Highest possible scope for private benevolence outside of State Relief system. Area and number affected enormous; distress rapidly increasing. Feel sure the unavoidable privations of millions of industrious poor will arouse the profound sympathy of all classes. "All Nations" Committee make urgent appeal to you to organize Relief Fund. Will be deeply

ions, will be publicly and Germany were fast and inevitably Itching, Burning Skin Diseases

The coroner's inquests on the victims of the Palmer's Road railway wreck was concluded at Moncton on Friday. The jury in the case of Arthur Edgecombe, said: "We the jury find no fall railway the control of the said: "We the jury find no fall railway the control of the said: "We the jury find no fall railway the control of the said: "We the jury find no fall railway the sa GEO. E. HUGHES.

IN pursuance of an act of the General Assembly of this island, made and passed in the 50th year of the reign of Her present Majosty Queen Victoria, intituled "Charlottetown Water Works Act. 1887." I do hereby give Public Notice that an Election for a Water Commissioner for the City of Charlottetown, in the piace of Henry Smith, Esq., retired, will be held on

WEDNESDAY.

10th Day of February,

A. D. 1897,

3rd, A. D. 1897.

W. E. DAWSON Mayor of the City of Ch'to

jury find no fault nor neglect on the part of the Intercolonial Railway authand evidence as to the condition of said car, we cannot exonerate for want WILL CARRY THE SCARS TO HER GRAVE, of precaution in the leading of said freight." The other jury in the case

of Bulah Patriquin, said: "We ent Thousands for Health, But Did of Bulah Fatriquin, said: "We Not Obtain This Greatest of All attach no blame to the railway. It spears to be that the road, track and suffered Infensely for 12 years. train were apparently in good order

> Laurier, premier of Canada, and the other colonial premiers, to visit London this summer as state guests, with their suites, and attend the diamond jubilee celebration on June 20th. The Canadian government is also being asked to send detachments of the permanent clocal forces to England, including, if possible, a party of the Northwest mounted police, to take part in a military pageant of the whole part in a military pageant of the whole empire. Mr Chamberlain will make

From the time, TWELVE at noon, until the hour of FOUR o'clock in the afternoon of the same day.

For Qualification of electors see Act 50 Vic., intituled "Charlottetown Water Works Act, 1887," also 51 Vic. cap. 12, Sections 24 to 29. TEACHER WANTED.

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cial correspondent

Backles Willson, who is of the country, and while at Ottawa are pec ing and accurate, as th tract from a recently pr shows:-"Since the Ne istry has come into pov cry from a certain section al party, from Cape Bre apply the 'axe' to the e Civil Service: a cry 'boodle'; and to lend demands the office-seeke selves come to Ottawa t istry. Here they are-s or here they forgather at the twenty-four hourstype, fat, thin, shabby, s d, but all with that s the eye which betokens of office. under such and retaining such p ditions as that, 'to the the spoils,' it is, as one of assured me, desperate h keep the machinery of vice running smoothy ar and at the same time sat followers. At the hotel ! to a giant of a man-h stood 6ft, 6in, in his boo who had come across from Rossland, British Co had served in the North-V Police, and had afterward as a notary public in But U S. When the Rossland struck over the border, the brought back our expolic had come to request of I judgeship. I hope he may and grammar he is not r fellow, and would manifes to this gentleman was a Irishman, from Frederic Brunswick, who wished to train conductor on the go railway. "I've been to Po bedad Pottinger sent me to and Scureiber sent me to Blair sends me to Laurier, a wou'csee me at all. So I st added ruefully, 'l'll have to the post-mastership of Frede if I don't get that, me and sons 'll turn round and vote everlasting kingdom come.

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