

of More than Ordinary Interest, Recorded in a Short Readable Form-Notes of The News.

There were 52 deaths registered at th Board of Heasth during month of Novem Eifranch sem nt Association was held Tues-

Yesterday the Montreal sugar refinery advanced grades of sugars 10 cents a hundred pounds. elected: President, Mrs. E. S. Fiske; vice-presidents, Mrs. J. L. Calhoun and Miss E. Peters; secretary, Mrs. S. M. Hunter;

The inland revenue receipts here for November were \$23,020.91, a slight decrease compared with those of November, 1899.

The president of the King's Daughters gratefully acknowledges the generous con-tribution of \$50 to the work of the order from Mr. Joseph Allison.

Mr. T. J. Durick, for a number of years with Mr. George Hoben. the North End druggist, has started in business for him-self at the corner of Elm and Main streets.

Two of the stained glass windows for St. Dunstan's church, Frederiction, are being placed in position. One is the gift of Very Rev. Mgr. Connolly, V. G., this

The council of the board of trade yesterday afternoon elected these additional

day evening when the following officers were elected: President, Mrs. E. S. Fiske; vice-

treasurer, Miss Mabel Peters. The association will take up the work of social and V. Ellis civic reform.

John Ferrie, an employe of the Coldbrook rolling mills, had one of his legs broken Tuesday. He is at the hospital.
The bank clearings for the week end ing the 6th inst., were \$747,906; corresponding week last year, \$804,809.
The Leinster street B. Y. P. U. has elected: President, H. D. Creed; vice-president, Charles Marshall; secretary: treasurer, W. Rising; pianist, Miss L. Wilson, with the structure of the structure of the sector o

From the Massey Harris company's British mails to hand Tuesday is quoted the following extract from Corporal Coombs, now in hospital at Netley, to the firm's London branch maneger: "Although still very weak I am making satisfactory pro-gress towards recovery. My temperature has been down for the past week, and I am feeling much better in every way. There is just a chance of my getting out of this place by Ohristmas provided no complications set in."

The Vendome Hotel at Hampton, of which the late Mr. Scribner was proprietor, has been sold to Mr. Samuel G. Mc-Curdy, of Parrsboro, N. S. The new pro-prietor will re-open the hotel in a couple

The news is received of the death

coupled with the names of ex-Mayor Wins-low and Aldermen Watt and Burr, who each responded; Alderman Burr reciting the Isle of Scott. Manager Anderson, of the Bank of Nova Scotia, sang "Casey," in good voice. The Ladies brought Dr. Yaughan, Fred. Tweedie, J. McIntosh and C. A. C. Bruge to their fort. L.B.

Wolfville, N. S., News,

The recital proved a great success. The poard of governors of the seminary are

to be complimented in the selection of such a talented staff of teachers, and the

eminary deservedly feels proud of them The college boys, who were summon

efore the police magistrate a short time igo to answer the charge of a violation of a certain by-law, were each fined \$2, with costs. The case is now in the

county court. Mrs. Kempton yesterday received the

MALLES FRIDA L.

Sumbury county. W. M. McLaughlin presented specimens of peacock copper and copperite ore from Washington. Ernest O. Thompson prosented a section of a tree, hellowed by a woodpecker.
The following ladies were elected associate members: Miss Racine, Miss Boyer and Miss Mary S. Mourow.
Charles F. R. Rowe read a very interesting paper on Our Fresh Water Fish. The speaker described the characteristics of the various fishes found near St. John. G. U. Hay read a letter by Prof. W. F. Ganong on the advisability of laying aside a tract in the vicinity of the Nictor lakes as a provincial natural park. Mr. Hay also read a short but valuable paper on Fungi, the species enumerated being collected by Mr. Hay and the Misses Van Horn.
A committee appointed to take some A committee appointed to take some for Next Year. Horn. A committee appointed to take some steps with regard to Prof. Ganong's sug-getions is composed of Dr. Matthew, G-U. Hay, W. F. Hatheway and Senator J. PROMINENT MAN DEAD.

# lames McAllister, of Moncton, Passed Away Yesterday. Moncton, Dec. 4.—(Special)—James Mc-Allister, one of Moncton's best known and most highly respected eitizen, pass-ed away this afternoon at his home in Botsford street, after a tedious illness of over a year. Mr. McAllister has been a resident of Moncton for 55 years. He was horn at Miramichi and removed from was born at Miramichi and removed from there to Salisbury shortly after coming to Moncton, where he has lived ever since. He came here to take the post-tion of cashier in the Old Westmorland Bank, which position he occupied for even years or more. He has taken an active interest in affairs of the city and was a most trust-worthy and prominent citizen. He was chairman of the school board for about ten years and was one of the most active

members of the Presbyterian church, be ing an elder for many years. The new brick church built some years ago was largely due to his personal efforts and liberal contributions.

Deceased was connected with a number years represented several stan surance companies. He was about 80 years of ege, and leaves a widow. Mrs. Dr. Baxter and Mrs. E. M. Estey ar

ing--Proposition From Halifax to Discuss Arrangement of Dates

West River mills, the whole being finish-ed in hard oil, giving a very handsome effect. A new platform has also been erected over which is a planted arch rest-ing on columns on either side. Both audi-torium and vestry are heated with hot air. The work was done under the direc-tion of W. A. West, contractor, in a very satisfactory manner, the plans being the work of W. E. Reid, architect. H. W. Hatfield did the decorating. At the opening services, which were largely at-At a meeting yesterday afternoon of the directors of the Exhibition Association Sec-retary Everett submitted the statement of the receipts and expenditures of the 1900 ex-hibition, showing a deficit of \$2,599.77. The report was received and means were con-sidered for providing for the debt. It was decided for the executive to endeavor to have stock subscribed for the purpose. A proposal to reduce the run of the next exhibition to one week was discussed, but it was not favored. A litter from President Longley of the Nova Scotia exhibition regarding arrange-ment of dates in order that there might be no clash between the two fairs in future was willing to come to St. John to discuss the matter. The meeting passed a resolution ex-pressing a desire to hear the president from Nova Scotia. The report of the manager and secretary Mr. C. A. Everett, says: Gates and Amusement Receipts. opening services, which were largely at-tended, the collections amounted to \$268.90 in cash, and pledged subscriptions M. M. Tingley has returned from Restigouche county, where he has been super intending the construction of crib work on the Charlo River. Miss Janie Peck is visiting her brother, J. W. Peck, at Karsdale, N. S. Elizabeth Cleveland has returned from

a visit to Petitcodiac At St. John's church of England on Sunday evening Mrs. M. B. Dixon, of Riverside, formerly of St. John, sang a solo, Peace, Perfect Peace, which was splendidly rendered. Mrs. Dixon has a voice of great sweetness and flexibility. Mrs. Merril Robinson is seriously il

Gates and Amusement Receipts. The superintendent of gates and tickets has received and deposited in the Bank of Montreal to the credit of our treasurer the Icllowing amounts: General admissions.....\$8,975 10 with heart trouble. Dr. Chapman is i The Baptist church social was held this

Amusements and grand stand .. .. ..... .. .. 2,082 45 -\$11,057 55 Secretary's Office.

A large three masted schooneer is to be built at Harvey Bank this winter.
M. G. Teed has sold his hay here to J. A. McQueen of Point de Bute.
'Norman Barkhouse was married on Saturday night to Miss Lille B. Ham-ilton, daughter of the late Capt. T. R. Hamilton of this niese Rev F. D. The secretary has received the following

. .. ..\$1,500 00 On 1899 accounts 34 00 Entrance and space .... 645 00 Privileges .... 1,362 17 Sundries ..... 209 62

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Public Grants

All these items give a total of \$23,160.34.

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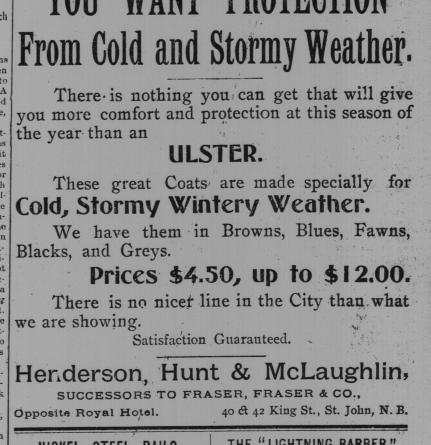
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 alton, daughter of the late Capt. T. R. Hamilton, of this place. Rev. F. D. Davidson performed the ceremony.
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 \$14,808 34
 Lottie Jones, daughter of Abner Jones. On their arming the hanne complete the second se On their arrival here the happy coupl

spent



THE "LIGHTNING BARBER." NICKEL STEEL RAILS. James Pitt, a Former St. John Knight of the Razor, is Heard of in Boston. Establishment of Plant in The Boston Globe publishes the follow-Canada to Make Them. Canada to Make Ihem. BLAST FURNACES Being Erected to Make 600 Tons of Metal a Day--Will be a Bes-semer Steel Plant of 400 Tons and a Rail and Plate Mill of 1,000 Tons a Day. ing of James Pitt, a former well known

one man and ran 100 yards all in one ute and 44 seconds. A second medal accredits Mr. Pitt the Duluth, Minn., Dec. 4-The Algoma feat of shaving 12 men in 32 minutes in a contest with Albert Lloyd, a Boston barcommercial Company has started the deber, who finished in 35 minutes. 'This con-test took place in Bacon hall, Somerville, and will remove to the Sault, Canadian side, the parts of the plant that are suitside, the parts of the plant that are suit able for rebuilding. The company will erect at the Sault at once a Bessemer steel plant of four hundred tons a day, to be twiter increased to one thousand tons, and a rail and plate mill of one thousand tons a day. The contracts have been lef for the buildings and work has begun there-on. It is proposed to roll rails of nicket treel, and this will be the first plant in the worid to carry on such work. There is a bonust from the Canadian government James S. Pitt was born in New Brunswick in '65, and is about 35 years of age. He proudly claims the great William as an ancestor. He opened his present shop about 15 years ago. Mr. Pitt numbers among his regular patrons the **cream** of the city in its business and social life, learning and politics. He is widely known by all members of He is widely known by all members of his craft. The sporting editors of near-ly all the Boston papers have held Mr. Pitt's forfeit money in years past. Mr. Pitt still claims the championship, and defies his craft to produce a man able to wrest from him the cherished title so zealously defended for the past 14 years. There is little leisure for this agile bar-ber in business hours, but even that little is utilized by Mr. Pitt giving vent to his inventive genues, and he has already sold inventive genius, and he has already sold patents of several successful devices, and of his inventions he is equally as proud as he is of those medals won by his skill and deftness.

members of the council: Messus. John H. Thomson, Capt. E. C. Etkin, Thomas Gorman, H. B. Schofield, R. T. Hayes, stand is an excellent one for a good ho-tel and this it is Mr. McCurdy's intention to conduct. He is a mative of Parrsboro, H. A. Drury.

Mr. O. L. Davenport, of Northamptor, Carleton Co., has received notice fro **1** Returning, he built the Parrsboro race the directors of the Paris exposition, that track. He is genual, and has the he has been awarded a grand prize and diploma for his exhibit of New Bruns

wick wheat. Cut this advertisement out and send with 10 cents to the Victoria Candy and Fruit store, corner of Duke and Sydney streets, St. John, N. B., and receive a with 10 cents to the Victoria Candy and Fruit store, corner of Duke and Sydney streets, St. John, N. B., and receive a package of Downing's famous lemenade tablets. For making jellies, lemon cake pies and lemonade they have no equal. discussion were Rev. L. A. Hoyt, Rev A. G. H. Dicker and Rev. W. O. Ray

Prominent merchants of Advocate, N. S., are working for the establishment of mond. At the close of the meeting a reso lution expressive of the association's sym a good steamship line between St. John and Basin of Minas ports. The scheme pathy for Rev. Mr. McKim in his illu looks to the purchase or building of a large boat. St. John capital has been inwas passed and it was decided to send a copy of the resolution to Mr. McKim vited to assist in the project.

Janusville, Wiss, of Rev. A. C. Kemp-ton, rautor of the Baptist church there. Mr. Kempton was about 30 years of age, born in Freeport, N. S., and the second son of the late Rev. J. F. Kempton. He The following have been cleeted stewarls of Per.Jand Methodist church: F. S. Thomas, William M. Kingston, Captain McLean, R. McConnell, E. P. Shaw, S. A. McLean, R. McConnell, E. P. Shaw, S. A. Kirk and Herb Breen. F. S. Thomas was unanimously re-elected recording stew-ard. The church quarterly board has passed a strong resolution asking for jail con of the late Rev. J. F. Kempton. He grainated from Acadia College in 1891. For a short time in the summer of 1893 he supplied the pulpt of the Main street Baptist church. Later he was called to Ean Claire, Wis., and two years ago re-moved to Janesville. Mr. Kempton leaves a wife and one child. His brother, Rev. A. J. Kempton, formerly pastor of the Carcol III. Another brother is in the reform.

At the annual meeting of the stockhold-ers of the Freder cton Boom Company Tuesday morning, at the office of the secre-tary. Mr. H. J. O ive, the only changes in the directorate were the election of Mr. George B. Dunn in the place of his father, the late Mr. E. G. Dunn, and of Mr. A. H. F. Randolph in place of the late Mr. Charles F. Woodman. Carroll, Ill. Another brother is in the forestry department of the United States coveniment service. His mother and sis-ter reside at Wolfville, N. S.

# LOCAL GOVERNMENT RUMORS.

## Premier Tweedie Refutes the Story That Changes Are to Be Made.

C. A. C. Bruce to their feet. Hon. J. B. Burchill responded eloquently to Our Local Representatives, claiming credit for the unanimity with which he and his colleagues Chatham, Dec. 6 - (Special) - Premi Tweedie entertained the members of the Chatham Curling Club at a supper at the had always worked for the interests of Northumberland. Mr. Anderson sang Scots Wha' Hae, and Hon. J. B. Burchill Old Cabin Home, and Auld Lang Syne, sung by all, ended the evening. Adams House last evening. Forty-four members of the club partook of the bountiful spread. The tables were prettily decorated and the supper was beyond re

Premier Tweedie sat at the head of one berge Hilderband occupied the seat at table, with W. B. Snowball, president of the club, on his right, and ex-Mayor W. C. Winslow on his left. Vice-President George Hilderband occupied the seat at the other end of the table, with D. G. Wolfville, N. S., Dec. 5-The Teachers recital of Acadia Seminary, the first of a series of four, was held in College Hall in the 3rd instant. The large number resent was a proof of the high order of present was a proof of the high order of similar ententainments in the past, and the audience was fully repaid for their presence on this occasion. This was the inst time three of the teachers—Miss Drew, contrafto; Miss Brown, elocution-st, and Mr. Max Weil, violinist--appeared before a Wolfville audience. Miss Drew's singing was much liked. The selection from "Faust" was exceptionally fine. Miss Brown's reading of La Esmaralda was loudly applauded. Mr. Weil won the right opinion of all who heard him. The recital proved a great success. The the other end of the table, with D. G. Smith and Postmaster Wilson at his right and left.<sup>4</sup> R. A. Lawlor, former president of the club, sat at the head of the other table; on his right Hon. J. B. Burchill, and on his left John McDonald. George

and on his left John McDonald. George Watt occupied the seat at the other end of the table, with Robert Muray and A. S. Ullock on his right and left. The toast of the Queen was proposed by the premier and fittingly acknowledged by the guests. Mr. Tweedie next proposed The Chatham Curling Club, which was re sponded to by Messrs. Snowball, Lawlor Hildebrand, Watt, Burr, Johnston, Wilson Murray. Heckbert, Hickey and Connors. Our Host was proposed by W. B. Snow-ball, and responded to by Mr. Tweedie, who stated that it had long been his inten-tion to give a supper to the curlers, as he who stated that it had long been his inten-tion to give a supper to the curlers, as he believed that social meetings tended to bring out the better feeling of the indi-viduals who attended them and the inter change of courtesies made men know eac other and appreciate each other's better

In reference to rumored changes in th In reference to rumored changes in the provincial government which relegated him to the county court bench, and made Mr J. B. Burchill provincial secretary, he stated that there was nothing in them as stated that there was nothing in them as he would not accept a county court judge ship or even a seat on the supreme court, bench. He was too young and active t be shelved. In the future if defeat came to him he could go back to the practice of his profession. his pr

The Mayor and Town Council was ing.

aughters of deceased. **PROFESSOR ROBERTSON** 

Returned From Manitoba, Northwest Ternade to us on this account.

ritories and British Columbia.

Ottawa, Dec. 4 .- Prof. Robertson return ed today from an extended trip through Manitoba, the Northwest Territories and British Columbia. The creameries in the Northwest managed by the dominion have had a successful season. The output of butter from 20 creameries during the summer was 636,915 pounds, being 28 per cent. greater than in 1899. The value of butter the year: at the creameries was somewhat higher than the average price at the creameries in than the average price at the creameries in Ontario and Quebec, whereas formerly but-ter was almost unsaleable in the summer season at many points in the territories. The average price in 1899 and 1900 has been over 20 cents per pound at the cream-eries. Hundreds of families have moved Engine, boiler, masonry into districts where these creameries are located and from the beginning have found neans of getting ready money for their Freight, carriage .. .. roducts. Swedes. Icelanders and other colonists Light and fuel.... .. from northern Europe are getting on re-markably well at mixed farming. Three creameries in Alberta are being run all winter and are turning out about a ton and a half of butter per week. The min-Salaries and wages .. Attractions ..... Prizes and judges ....

and a half of butter per week. The min-ing population in Kootenay has increased greatly and they take farm products from British Columbia and Northwest Territor-ics and Manitoba at good prices. Butter, beef, bacon, hams, eggs, condensed milk and evaporated cream have been going in there has the select 

and evaporated cream have been going in there by the carload. It is reported here tonight that Arch-bishop Duhammel, of Ottawa, is to be created a cardinal in the place of the late Cardinal Taschereau.

Dr. Gates' Resignation.

The board of home missions for the Bap-ists of New Brunswick held its regular onthly meeting yesterday afternoon here The following resolution was passed: "That, whereas Brother G. O. Gates, D. D., the efficient secretary of the home partment.. .. ..... ission board for the Baptists of New Brunswick, has found it necessary, in view of his early removal from this city and added.

induced to resign his positions as officer and member of this board; "Therefore resolved, That this board exress its appreciation of his invaluable services that, in spite of great pressure of other work were cheerfully rendered, and express also its hope that for many years to come he will be continued to be used of God in the work of the Divine King-

The meeting appointed Rev. B. N. Nobles, The meeting appointed Rev. D. N. Rolnes, the new pastor of Carleton Baptist church. to succeed Rev. Dr. Gates on the board and as secretary. Rev. Dr. Gates' congregation has asked

him to consent to accept a year's leave of absence, instead of resigning to go to Windsor, but he has declined. His resig-nation will be dealt with Friday evening.

## Sussex Water Supply.

Sussex, Dec. 4 .-- A civil engineer is here today examining the borings recently made for water on O'Connell's hill and will give his opinion as to whether the scheme of building a reservoir and supplying the town with water is practicable or not. Sussex must do something in the very near future as regards a water supad news of the death of her son, Rev. A. C. Kempton, B. A. pastor of the First Baptist church of Janesville, Wis. E. B. Bishop & Son have sold their rocery business to Mr. Lewis Messenger, of Canard, N. S. ply as fever is becoming very prevalant. George W. Fowler is being congratu-lated today on a new arrival in his P. R. Halifax express was in collision last

were serenaded in good shape by th The I. C. and C. P. railways agreed to MEss Stella Smith, daughter of R

evening at the residence of Councillor W. A. West, an enjoyable time being

The I. C. and C. P. railways agreed to attack exhibition tickets to their speechal pas-senger tickets on trains carrying passengers to the exhibition. Statements of the number sold and the amounts received, therefor have not been received from the railway depart-ments. The tickets issued by them and re-ceived at our gates call for about \$1,380. I entertain the hope that the sales of such tickets reached \$2,000. No payment has been made to us on this account. Chesley Smith, was united in marriage recently at Haverhill, Mass., to Georg Dinsmore, of that city.

The marriage also occurred recently o Rufus P. Milton, of the tirm of B & R. Milton, Curryville, and Miss Mary Price of Hillsboro.

CAUGHT AT MCADAM.

3,000 00 Alleged Defaulter Arrested on Montreal Train from St. John. \$7,000 0

## The Bangor News has the following spec-

ial from Vanceboro: Vanceboro, Me., Dec. 3.-H. W. Rey-nolds, the aileged defaulter of the North The following is a classified statement Lubec postoffice in Washington county, was arrested at McAdam at a late hour tonight by Deputy Sheriff George W. Ross, of Vanceboro. Reynolds was on the train bound for Montreal and had a ticket for that point. He tried to hide from the offi-\$1 770 E 792 95 cers in the toilet room of the passenger 920 88 car. Sheriff Ross had been on the watch <sup>300 49</sup> for the man ever since it was announced hat he had skipped from North Lubec, and the arrest adds one more to the list of successful captures, which he has made during the past year.

744 58 573 14 Reynolds has been missing from Lubec 377 45 5,320 58 4,646 54 6,077 14 6,077 14 found a shortage of \$850, of which \$820 was from the money order denartment. It .. .... 424,187 15 324,187 15 325,768 11 325,768 11 325,768 11 326,768 11 326,768 11 326,768 11 327,76 stated are rrties, which b, but which their cost. exhibitions.

Included in the accounts as stated are charges for the following properties, which were purchased for this occasion, but which retain a value but little below their cost. They will be useful at future exhibitions. Engine, boiler, smockstack and cost of placing and repairing boiler .... \$1,510 00 CARLETON COUNTY. Plumbing work and materials .... Plumbing work and materials .... Tanks, cases, tables and fittings for Natural History exhibits ... Stage and scating for Amusement Hall.

150 00 295 00 The Suicide of John Flanagan at River de Chute-Death of Alex. Gillmore. 440 00

Bristol, Carleton county, Dec. 3-Mr. John Flanagan, formerly of Simonds, Car-leton county, and who recently bought a farm at River de Chute, committed suicide at the residence of a Mr. Bishop, there, on Monday morning. He had been in a mel-70 00 \$2,465 00 Other items of permanent work might be ancholy mood for some days, and on the morning of his rash act, he went down to the shore and remained two or three hours. On coming up to the house he re-marked that "the water looked so cold and dark that he concluded not to go into it." This remark was noticed at the time, but a few minutes later seeing a large bread

smashed up and a couple of passengers were slightly shaken up, although not severely injured. The engine was thrown off the track and the express delayed. A lespatch from Montreal says: "The C

Mammoth Y. M. C. A. Meeting.

night at St. Phillipe, Que., with a freight

is a bonus from the Canadian government amounting to \$3 a ton on pig iron made from native ore and of \$3 a ton on steel, that will be earned by the company on its product for a brief period. This boun-ty is reduced after April, 1902 to \$2.70 on each intern, and is thereafter gradually diminished, until 1907, when it expires. diminished, until 1907, when it experts. The company has commenced the erec-tion of blast furnaces that will make six hundred, tons of metal daily, and the bounty on the combined iron and steel output will be very large. The same com-pany has just bought two steamers, suit-able for the inside runs between the Sault and Georgian Bay points, on one side, and the Sault and Lake Superior earth dord hord be other. One of

sone, and the Sault and Lake Superior north shore points on the other. One of these has been purchased at Duluth and the other at Detroit. It is also building at Clydg and Sunderland yards eight three functions and for the standard set of the three thousand ton steel ore freighters, which will be brought to the lakes in May ore for the Sault steel mills and for the

cargoes of these freight ships will be in ned at the company's mines at Michi-piccten, Lake Superior. These mines have Next! ust closed down after their first season's

work, with an output of sixty-two thou and times. They are making preparation

and the same and ship next year thirty-five hundred tons daily, which will give a total output for the year of between five mil-lion and six million tons. This company has just contracted with the Lake Shore Iron Works of Marquette for, six hundred tons of castings for its water power canal on the Michigan side of the Sault river, which canal is now wixty-four per cent. completed.-[Boston Transcript.

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Nova Scotia, Cape Breton and P. E. Island Candidates Selected.

Halifax, Dec. 5-(Specjal)-This was omniation day in Nova Scotia, Cape Breon and P. E. Island. In Halifax, M. E. Keefe, Liberal, and A. B. Crosby, Tory, were nominated. In Pictou, E. M. McDonald, Liberal, and C. E. Tanner, Tory, went by acela-

ination by agreement. In Cape Breton there will be a straight fight. D. D. McKenzie and Neil J. Gil-hes, of Glace Bay, Liberals, and Colin McKinnon and Henry McDonald, of Glace Bay, Tories, were nominated. At a joint meeting held at Sydney tonight, Premier Murray refuted the absurd charges about grown lands made by J. A. Gillies, M. P. and telegraphed abroad. The Tories will

likely lose their deposits. In P. E. Island the Liberals nominated candidates in every constituency. The Tories funked in two.

## . The Late James McAllister.

Moncton, Dec. 6-(Special)-The remain Monoton, Dec. 6—(Special)—The remains of the late James McAllister were in-terred in Monoton Rural cemetery this afternoon, being followed to their last resting place by a large number of citi-zens. Public service was held in St. John's church with which deceased had been so long identified as its most active worker. The altar was draped as a mark of respect. Pastor Robinson was assisted in the service by Rev. Messrs. Brown, Crisp and Fischer. The floral of-ferings were numerous and pretty. The

rocery business to Mr. Lewis Messenger, of Canand, N. S. Dr. Kierstead supplied the pulpit of Moncton Baotist church on Sunday. Dr. King Asbell and company have opened there new grocery store near the I. C. R. About six inches of snow fell last night. The storm still continues at time of writ-ing.

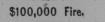
TORY MISREPRESENTATION.

### Hon. Mr. Tarte Says His Speech at St Mary's Was Distorted.

Ottawa, Dec. 5-(Special)-The following telegram was received from Hon. Mr. Tarte today: "The report of my speech in St. Mary's as published in Tory newspapers, is just as much a fabrication as the bogus Globe was. I never said or hinted that the French Canadians should hinted that the French Canadians should unite against the Anglo-Saxons. I said that unfortunately our opponents were cotinuing the kind of warfare that they had conducted against us during the last campaign. I added that if the Liberal party in Ontario was as strongly organized as we are here the appeal to passion and prejudices would not have the same effect as they have

as they have. "Referring to the difficulties that are existing between the French-Canadians and some of the Irish bishops in the United States, I said that the duty of the 2,000,000 French-Canadiams in this coun-try was to help their brethren of the other side of the line in their endeavors to maintain their language and their rights. The Tory reporters have distorted that part of my speech and made me say that the French-Canadians should unite against the Anglo-Saxons of this country. I have no doubt that my speech was dis-torted, as it has been, in view of the byelections that are going on in British Columbia just now. (Sgd.) "J. ISRAEL TARTE."

The distorted report was as follows: Montreal, Dec. 4-Addressing a meeting n the interest of Dr. Lacombe, Liberal candidate for the provincial legislature, St. Mary's division, this city, last night, Hon. J. Israel Tarte called upon French-Canadians of the dominion to or-ganize and crush the Anglo-Saxons, who were insulting French-Canadians. He mentioned the names of Sir Charles Tup-per and Hugh Graham of the Montreal star as the chief agencies in that par ticular.



Little Rock, Ark., Dec. 6-The town of Nashville, Ark., had a \$100.000 fire tonight, which originated in the Opera House, lo-cated in a block of frame buildings.

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HEAD-ON COLLISION At St. Phillipe the Cause of Delay of the

Atlantic Express. The Atlantic express, due here yesterday

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The Atlantic express, due here yesterday about noon, was about six hours late owing to an accident on the C. P. R. line at St. Phillipe, Que. A passenger on the train stated that the express was lying at St. Phillipe awaiting orders and a freight train came along and there was a head-on collision. The engines were badly smashed up and a couple of passengers

but a few mnutes later seeing a large bread knife lying upon the table, he picked it up and going to the door drew the knife across his throat, inflicting a deadly wound. Mr. Bishop, who was near at hand, came up soon after and saw Flanagan standing against the side of the house bleeding bad-ly. Flanagan said "I did it myself," and then asked if anything could be done to help him. But before a doctor could be summoned the unfortunate man was dead.

