

provided for the construction of the bridges necessary. When the matter was submitted to the authorities at Otta-iva, Dr. Pugsley's answer was that the Dominion subsidy-of \$6,400 a mile would only be forthcoming for a railroad to be operated as a part of the Intercolonial system and constructed under the specifications submitted by himself. From this it was clearly intended to postpone construc-tion of the railway for another year at least. Mr. Hazen was absent in England and Mr. Flemming was acting Pre-way improvement has not yet been made public, but it is probable that it will take the line of granting aid to the

was absent in England and Mr. Flemming was acting Pre-mier when this decision on the part of the Minister of Public Works was handed down. Instead of surrender ing, Mr. Flemming wrote to Dr. Pugsley suggesting a con-ference between the two Governments for the purpose of reaching some agreement that would secure the construc-tion of the railway. This conference was held in St. John a few days later and the result amounced that an greement had been reached satisfactory to all parties

John a few days later and the result announced that an agreement had been reached satisfactory to all parties. The local Government in turn accepted Intercolonial grades. The Local Government in turn accepted Intercolonial operation. An agreement was also reached regarding the bridges, but on the latter question Dr. Pugsley frankly stated that he would have to obtain the consent of Dis colleagues before he could give the necessary guarantee of assistance. Whether this consent was ever secured or not is not a matter of record, as the elections were called on and took precedence over all other matters. ever before.

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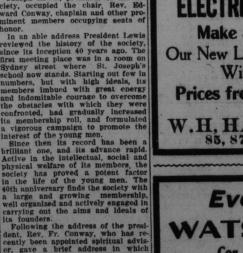


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