dry summer. The only flood they knew of in Prince County was one of bank notes, and it occurred just before the election. The Leader tried hard to make it appear that the Province is progression, and said he would never forgive anyone who decried its credit. Although we were going behind he (Mr. Gordon) was not going to say that our credit was bad. Not

salary below what he can live on. On ferries this year we estimate an expenditure of \$25,039. This service must be maintained in an efficient condition, and every care would be taken to maintain the same that the

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He spoke about four hours in all, and gave the Government a severe castigation. His speech is so long and so important that, for want of space, we must hold it over till next week. After some further debate committee was reached, with Mr. Rogers in the chair. Some progress was made and the House adjourned till Saturday. On Saturday the House sat only for a short time, considering business of a private nature.

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and said he would never forgive anyone who decried its credit. Although we see going behind he (Mr. Gordon) was not going to say that our credit was bad. Not long ago gentlemen now in the (lovernment introduced the following resolutions) and the same that the control of his fraviers of the province. That is the opinion of this House the comment of this fraviers of the province of its revenue, is detrimental to the best interest of this province. What stronger words could he use than these? This reduces the following the comment, and this the indebtedness of this province. What stronger words could he use than these? This reduces the comment of the commissioner of Public Works, the hon, member for West River, the host interest of the present government. How can they sit in the government when their element on assuming power restoned the country? Some years ago, hot words are detrimental to the best interest of the country? Some years ago, hot words are detrimental to the best interest of the ountry? Some years ago, hot words are detrimental to the best interest of the ountry? Some years ago, hot of the country? Some years ago, hot of the country? Some years ago, hot of the province when the present of the country? Some years ago, hot of the province when the present of the government is said to be a dictator, and the Government is said to be a done and the said to be a doctated and the said to be a doctated and the said to be a doctated the said to be a doctated the said to be a some man institution. If this is so, the Leader could put a song to the extraction and the said to be a doctated to a said to be a country distribution. The present time is opportune. The Leader has the province when the present time is opportune. The cou cheapened. In conclusion he quoted from Sir Richard Cartwright's speech at Ingersoll, in which he spoke stronlgy against anything being done for the Maritime Provinces. The late Alex, sucKenzie had also said that this Pro-

> he failed to see what hope there was for the recognition of our claims in the unfortunate event of the Liberals com-Mr. Bell followed, speaking at length on the different items of expenditure, and severely criticising the Government's management, in many public matters. He was followed by Mr. Shaw who spoke till six c'clock when the House adjourned till next day. Of Friday Mr. Shaw resumed the debate and spoke till well on in the afternoon. He spoke about four hours in all, and gave the Government a severe castiga-

vince had no further claim upon the Dominion. In yiew of these statements

At Charlottetown, April 20th, after a short illness, Leon Doiron, aged 78 years. May his soul rest in peace.

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ST. JOHN, N. B., is going to have a great exhibition this year, opening on September 22nd., and closing on October 2nd. It is to be regretted the date of opening conflicts with that of the Charlottetown ex-

A VERY severe squall of wind and rain struck this city on Monday evening about half-past seven o'clock, which blew down some chimneys, toppled over some trees, threw down some fences and made the gravel fly like snow,

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At the Railway House, April 16, T. Reid, West Point; Miss McDougall, Murray River; W. McPhee, Montague; R. McIsaa; Bear River; W. Alward, Morrell; R. Power, Kensington; C. Burtt, do; J. Mark, do.

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LOCAL AND OTHER ITEMS.

THE rush for wall paper is to Carter's of that place. Mr. Bernard McLean was

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Its a "shoer" thing to please. Hon. Dr. Montague has returned the site on which said adoideau would be om England and taken his seat in Parlia-

ALL the foreign mails between here and expense. the mainland are now carried by th

LONDON advices of the 20th say that Si red Canington has been appointed to com and the campaign against the Matabeles. THE steamer St. Lawrence left for

Summerside yesterday afternoon to begin work on the Summnrside-Point du Chene OTTAWA advices of the 21st, say the upplementary estimates for 1896 will contain an appropriation of \$250,000 for the

Island branch railways. THE London Daily News says that Presi dent Kruger claims an indemnity of £1,500,000 from the British South Africa ompany for the recent raid of Dr. James nto the Transvaal.

AT Moncton, N.B., on Sunday last, six year old lad named Elliott took a piece of raw turnip, which his mother was pre paring for dinner, and commenced to eat t. He swallowed too large a piece; i stuck in his throat and choked him

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As will be seen by advertisement in this issue, the St. Dunstan's College Dramatic society will present the drama of "Fitz gerald," the Irish Outlaw, at the Opera House, on Tuesday next, 28th inst. An evening of rare enjoymen may be expected and a large attendance is anticipated.

On Monday night last the dwelling Gillespie, Loyalist Road, Lot 31, about 9 miles from this city, was destroyed by fire. The loss includes all his household furniture, a quantity of seed grain, and a sum saved to pay a debt on his land. The fire originated in the boiler house attached to he rear of the dwelling,

THE second dinner of the Legislative session was held at Government House on Wednesday evening last, when His Honor the Leiutenant Governor and Mrs. Howlan entertained members of the Legislature and of the press in that princely fashion so characteristic of them. The present occupants of Government House dispense the ospitalities thereof in a manner unsurpassed in the history of that historic

THE work of taking down the tower of St. Dunstans Cathedral is now in progress, The clock and bell were first removed, and on Monday afternoon the spire was taken down, This, including the cross, was about 40 feet in length. A rope was fast-ened to it, about fifteen feet from the top, then the timbers were sawed off at the base where it was attached to the tower, When all was in readiness purchase was applied to the rope and the spire toppled ompletely over and came to the ground ross downward. It struck close by the base of the tower" and stuck into the ground a couple of feet or so, it then fell ver across the street towards the palace gate on Dorchester street. There was a arge number of spectators and a rush was made for pieces of the cross as mementoe The old cathedral has been in use about 53

On Monday evening last, Hon. David Laird delivered his great lecture on the "Destiny of Canada" in St. Patrick's Hall, under the auspices of Branch No. 216 C. M. B. A. The audience, though not as large as it might have been, was nost appreciative and generously and deservedly applauded the many splendid passages of the lecture. The stage was nicely decorated with flags, pictures of the Queen and Governor-General and appropriat mottoes. The President of the Branch ocsupied the chair and introduced the leccurer. His Lordship Bishop McDonald occupied a seat on the platform. The lec-ture was a splendid exposition of the retry. Canada's wealth of mine, forest and sea; climatic influences, the excellence her constitution, as well as the grand position which she must necessarily occupy in the future were graphically described and eloquently portrayed. The learned lecturer enumerated annexation to the United States; Imperial Federation; ou present position or national independence as the possible future political con dition of Canada. Annexation he regard ed as the least desirable and least probable; Imperial Federation he regarded as a splendid theory; but not practicable. Our present, he regards as likely to be our political position for about a hundred years to come. At the end of the next century he thinks we should have a population of twenty-five millions. That, perhaps, a rather low estimate. Then, the mother country being willing, Canada might start national housekeeping. It is seldom that an audience is favoured with a lecture so scellent in every particular. It has to be neard to be fully appreciated. It contain compact form a great amount of infor nation of the most important character well calculated to increase our love o our country and its institutions. Indee t should be delivered in every portion of our Province, so as to arouse our young cople to a proper appreciation of the rand heritage they enjoy. A vote of noved by James Byrne Esq., seconded in ppropriate language by Rev. Dr. Mor rison, and supported in patriotic speeches by P. Blake and A. McNeill Esqs. The

hon. gentleman in feeling terms.

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OR BILIOUSNESS, CONSTIPATION,

self-help coss Marsh, King's County, was held in

the school house of that place on the 4th inst., for the purpose of considering the advisability of building a dyke or aboideau at McLellan's bridge, in order to prevent health is frail, strength gone. the tide from overflowing the marsh lands Doctors call your case anappointed chairman and the undersigned cretary. The ut lity of such a work was discussed and it was unanimously agreed upon that sters be taken to have said work carried out. The following Commissioners pointed viz., Bernard McLean, John Mc. your strength back-your Eachern and Aloysius McLeon. It was doctor will tell you that. also decided that the government be asked o send an engineer to estimate cost etc. It was also the opinion of the meeting, that built, being a public road and both bridge oil out of the body than to

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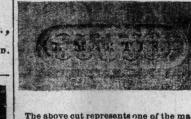
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