This was shown by many new phases of ox crockedness and much ingenionaness in Illustrating the opposition of forces and Having exceeded the limit of human pa ence in their devious ways the knight of the goad opened up his heavy artillery. A well directed volley of grape shee in the shape of sundry small oaths brings the off leader to "attention" as quickly as the sharp command of the drill sergeant. The refractory wheelers were fairly annihilate by a volley of bombs which, bursting eveloped them in a sea of profamity. A the whole team by way of a wind up ca every animal to lean forward and ponderous wagon begins to move. We look on in admiration, not unmixed with two at this wonderful exhibition of the ion between mind and matter and the marvellous control of the former over the latter. True, there a trifle of speech thrown in but what is this other th evidence or proof of the working of the intellect. While we'are turning the matter over in our mind a hard featured looking gentleman steps out of the Tithing. der; "You must come with me," he said. Teamster-" What for, old hunks?" Saint-"For swearing; its agin the rules didn't you know it; you're a terrible

Teamster (amazed and indignant)-"For ns swearin' now come along where you'll get good wholesome advice and the law of God and the Prophet emplained."

Teamster—(looking pugnacious)—"Nary time, I won't. What do I kare for your hievin prophet, de'ye suppose."
Saint — "We'll see; come over here, alathins, Tom and Abedingo! The presence of these muscular saints was wonderfully persuasive. He is quiet-y led away, and we follow. In a large nek room we find a portly-looking man perrounded by writing tables and many leather-bound volumes. "What's the trouble, Brother Jonest" said he, looking

Brother Jones - "This man violated the city ordinances in swearing. It's awful; I never heard the like. Besides, he spoke disrespectfully of the prophet."

Teamster—"I didn't swear, by (fearful eath); I was only drivin' my cattle. But if I did swear I want to know who's a

Judge-" I'll soon let you know, young man. I'm sorry a man of your energy and wonderful talent don't turn his attention to the things of the Lord. In this, the City ats, we can have no unclean or profanity. You've heard of that Prophet of the Lord, Joseph Smith, I hope."

I fine you two and a half dollars for swear ing on the public streets; one dollar for slandering the Prophet; one for swearing before the Court, and, that we may have wan change, a half dollar for sundry trans gressions not before enumerated. I want five dollars; you've had the worth of it in

was paid and we departed. I could see that the teamster longed to get out of the City, that he might get his money's worth

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

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Chathaza, March 6h, "77 4h29

General Business.

NOTICE 6 5th APRIL, 1877,

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Miramichi Advance.

CHATHAM, THURSDAY, APRIL 19, 1877. Holding on Against Principle and

Bight The rebuke given to the leader of the late Government by the House of Comuntry with fair credit, until develop-The entity of the Crown was preserved Teamster—(readily)—"Yes, I've heard my father say he was a — thief and scoundrel."

JAMES GRAY,

George Street.

will find all the utenans they require to thim but to the Crown. A Ministry might pass away, one Government succeed another, but the entity of the the thin structions to enquire ceed another, but the entity of the Crown was never affected. Hence it Crown was never affected. Hence it followed that as the money was in the We observe that the Times does not Crown, so, no matter whether Sir John
Macdonald or Mr. Mackenzie held the

We observe that the Lines does not even thank the News for meddling in the matter. The latter ought to learn member of Parliament, and also in the matter. The latter ought to learn from the fact the lessen that its record this was a case which should be referred to the case of Baron Rothschild; believed that this was a case which should be referred to the case of Baron Rothschild; believed that the case of Baron Rothschild; bel reins of power, neither of them, except as the servant of the Crown, possessed either the money or the confidences.

I rom the fact the lessen that its record as the screen that its was a case which should be referred as the screen to a committee, and pointed out that in the Rothschild case the receipt had been signed by the firm of which the Baron was a member. Looking at the matter in this light, the

their ignorance, with a view of benefit-R. HOCKEN.

Wilmot's visit, must wait a week or two, so that he may avail himself of the means of investigation at hand.

Government Engineer. The Moncton Times says :-The MIRAMICHI ADVANCE seems The MIRAMICHI ADVANCE seems to think that we did injustice to the Local Government in stating that Mr. Austin, M. P. P., "could not be induced to forego moving his resolution for an enquiry" into the affairs of the Southern Railway Company. The ADVANCE does not state, though its language implies, that no attempt was made to dissuade Mr. Austin from his purpose, but even if there was tempt was made to dissuade Mr. Austin from his purpose, but even if there was not, it is still true that Mr. Austin's relation to the Government and to the Attorney General, would naturally induce him to abandon his motion, when resisted by the Government, and therefore it was right to say that he could not be induced to foreso his enquire. &c.

The "Times" and the Attack on the

forego his enquiry, &c. We challenged the Times on the facts of the charge made, and endeavoredsuccessfully, we think-to show that late Government by the House of Commons for retaining the control of Secret Service money after that Government nor any operating the confidence of Parliament was deserved, and it is almost amusing to read the utterances of the journals which defend Sir John.

They say, in effect, that because he led any experience to, for they knew that the says and the interest of the says and the interest of the same of the statement as a matter of course, as it had long of the confidence of the custom to give advertising and principle of the custom to give advertising and the interest of course, as it had long done to remember that custom to give advertising and the custom to give advertising and the interest of course, as it had long deen the visit of a statement as a matter of course, as it had long deen the custom to give advertising and the interest of our statement as a matter of course, as it had long deen the custom to give advertising and the interest of course, as it had long defends the custom to gi They say, in effect, that because he led a party successfully for a number of House was to be prorogued before the years and carried on the business of the notice matured. Nothing more was ments of party corruption drove him until, by a coup de main, Mr. Austin from power, he ought, nevertheless, to sprung the same resolution upon the be allowed any liberty he might choose House as an amendment to going into to take with public funds entrusted to him on account of him on him on account of his official position, mentary estimates. The Times will, we even after he was turned out for cor- think, admit that there would be a wide ruption in office. Hon. Mr. Holton difference between Mr. Austin being met that kind of doctrine in a very induced "to forego moving his resoluterse and logical way last week in the tion"and being induced to withdraw it, Parliamentary Committee on Accounts. which latter it evidently means when He said the money was in the keeping it lets itself down by saying "that he of the Crown; it was not in the keeping | could not be induced to forego his enof Sir John Macdonald, and only in the keeping of the Ministry of the day in so stands that the resolution was seconded far as they represented the Crown.— by a leading member of the Opposition Mr. Casey, a Government supporter, -simply because its mover had not let who rose to a question of privilege :-The entity of the Crown was preserved throughout all the confidences received by Sir John Macdonald, and which he held so sacred that he would not even held so sacred that he would not even held so sacred that he would not even ANGLERS AND OTHER SPORTSMEN
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delicate matter for him to ask the consent of the seconder to a withdrawal. We therefore hold that the article

whitewash Mr. Anglin and condone his violation of the law in connection with the Post Office Printing.

Threstigation Meeded.

We decline to discuss the fishery or other questions with the News and other journals which descend to personalities and mere assertion for the purpose of sustaining themselves and their friends

idea that because the Seal had not been used above that he was unfit to sit as a judge in any case where there was the slightest difference of political opinion. He (Sir John) did not hesitate to declare in advance what his opinion was. Let the facts declare whether there was an agreement or not; the hon gentleman had shown that he was unfit to sit as a judge in any case where there was the slightest difference of political opinion. He (Sir John) did not hesitate to declare in advance what his opinion was. Let the facts declare whether there was an agreement or not; the hon gentleman had shown that he was unfit to sit as a judge in any case where there was an agreement or not; the hon gentleman had shown that he was non that he was infit to sit as a judge in any case where there was an agreement or not; the hon gentleman had shown that he was non that he was pint to sit as a judge in any case where there was an agreement or not; the hon gentleman had shown that he was non that he was infit to sit as a judge in any case where there was an agreement or not; the hon gentleman had shown that he was non that he was infit to sit as a judge in any case where there was an agreement or not; the hon gentleman had shown that he was non that he was in the shown that he was noft to sit as a judge in any case where there was an agreement or not; the hon gentleman had shown that he was noft to sit as a judge in any case where there was the slightest difference of political opinion. He (Sir John) and the political opinion and the effect of allowing the Seal to be unused as the shown that he was a judge in any case where there was an greement or not; the hon gentleman had avowed his defermence of political opin whitewash Mr. Anglin and condone his idea that because the Seal had not been sustaining themselves and their friends in false positions and the infliction of Legislature were not law because the one numbers twening of the eminent that he was justified in throwing filth at every one around him? What was the hon, gentleman's conduct in the House? injuries upon people who have neither drains affairs.

Legislature were not law because the hon. gentleman's conduct in the House? He must persume greatly on the creduility asked them to meddle in their affairs nor attached any particular importance to their opinions. So far as we are concerned we feel that those who have ried since Confederation were to be prowhat had been the practice even in election cases.

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Mr. Mason—Pacific Scandal!

Hon. Mr. Mackenzie—I did not allude to the Pacific Scandal.

Mr. Mason—Pyou might have.

Seal affixed to them, the convictions, fines and forfeitures secured through Magistrates' Courts were to be largely set trates' Courts were to be largely set the set the usual fate of the private character of men and which those who delight and indulge in dare not the proprietors of summer resorts and anticipate a busy summer.

A novelty for Charlottetown has been started lately, a House Agency and Emp controlled fishery matters in the County for some time past have acted upon an always inexpusely misspanian significant forms of the county for some time past have acted upon an entire marriage licences had the worthless almost inexcusable misapprehension of Seal affixed to them, the convictions, fines facts, and while the work of establishing and forfeitures secured through Magisting the people, may call down upon us aside and a criminals' year of jubilee to ill-will, slander and other unworthy be proclaimed on the issue of the Seal treatment at the hands of those who have placed themselves in the way of exposure and consequent loss of power of the Nova Scotia public brought work public harm, we shall not home to them "in all its over-shadowbe deterred from the performance of our duty, as we understand it. We propose to use all the knowledge we are possessed of upon the subject, and all we can acquire in the future, as well as all the influence we can command both as the command bot

will appear, to any fair-minded person, very reprehensible. The same paper Opposition"—that powerful prompter statement. He said as he could not make our esteemed and worthy representative at heard of one that got "half the seas over," Richibucto, April 9th, 1877.

sire to know what is coming out of Mr.

The House of Commons Denomina-

Some statistician at Ottawa classifies the members of the House of Commons denominationally in the manner follow-Roman Catholics

Presbyterians,

Episcopalians, Methodists, Baptists, Congregationalists, The balance he classifies as Unitarian

and Infidels.

Official Literature announced in reterence to the matter graph a few days ago, and we have Nothing passed which could be construed ness of its Miramichi and Bathurst po-licy we believe it would give us more investigation and less literature.

Mackenzie Castigates Sir John. After the motion of Mr. Bowell, in reference to the Anglin printing matter, had been voted down-as stated by us last week-it was brought up again by He moved that the attention of the House

his seat.

He stated that a similar practice had

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on Monday last, and will, probably, afford the gentlemen who have exposed the condition of affairs there an opportunity of establishing all the fact stated. Mr. Wilmot is also, we understand, instructed to make some enquiries in reference to the Bass and Gaspereaux questions. He is accompanied by the Inspector, who has authorized the publication, in a local paper, of a statement, intended to account for the fact that the ovarepresented to the Department, as being in the Hatching House, are not there. The motion the position of the fact that the ovarepresented to the Department, as being in the Hatching House, are not there. The motion that same "prominent member of the matter while it is under investigation will appear, to any fair-minded person, will appear, to any fair-minded person, on the coutrary, of Rich sons of Monday last to a little matter which the Mr. Mackensie) could only haracterize by the strongest Anglo-Saxon how attached to our county, so that we may no longer be a bye-word and reproach, they will have accomplished a work that the will entitle matter which the Mr. Mackensie) could only on wattached to our county, so that we may no longer the stigms on wattached to our county, so that we may no longer the stigms on wattached to our county, so that the and remove the stigms on wattached to our county, so that the many on longer the angles and remove the stigms on wattached to our county, so that term and now attached to our county, so that term and now attached to our county, so that term and now attached to our county, so that term and now attached to our county, so that term and now attached to our county, so that term and now attached to our county, so that term and now attached to our county, so that term and now attached to our county, so that term and now attached to our county, so that term and now attached to our county, so that term and now attached to our county, so that term and now attached to our county, so that term and now attached to our county, so that term and now attached the ou

makes a number of statements which it of puzzled players in the performance of a statement on oath he would be prepared Fredericton (who deserves the thanks and on his homeward journey. He was cutprofesses to base on information obtained from Mr. Wilmot. We are assured
however, that they are wholly unauthorized by that gentleman, who, we hope, will now see the necessity of into a discussion which we desired to making his enquiries thorough in their carry on with a paper that really aims to be respectable.

Speaker's position, with the work referred to, in order to make up the salary of a bire to know what is coming out of Mr.

Speaker's position, with the work referred to, in order to make up the salary of a Minister of the Crown. It was stated that being refused a seat in the Cabinet, he had parations to put up Lobsters in tins. it is that one at Ullock's Point, they are demanded the Speakership. The state. He and Mr. O'Leary ship all the Sal- waiting until the Department or the Inment, he said, was absolutely and utterly mon they get, fresh in ice to American spector recommends a seven inch mesh, or antrue. He never asked the slightest markets; the total number shipped during some other change, just as the fisherm favor of this or any other Government. the season is about fifteen thousand Sal- are about commencing operations, Of late He had never intimated to Mr. Mackenzie or any member of the Government, mon. Mr. Bell, from London, G. B., also we observe that to be about the time the Department comes down with its reguladirectly, any desire to become a member of the Cabinet. Mr. Mackenzie told him there was difficulty in inviting him to enter the Government. He was asked by

stating that the Inspector wrote the letter, signed "Anti S.," in the Teletraced the letter of "An Old Fisherman" into the semblance of a contract or agree-in that paper of Monday last to the same ment. The Postmaster General was not

ment Act. The transaction was perfectly open. No attempt at concealment was made. He knew that the Dominion had The Anglin Printing Matter-Mr. not lost one dollar by changing the work. The same rates were paid as before. He denied that the work had been given him because he was a member of Parliament, and said he believed he would have obtained better prices than were given had he

EASTERN AFFAIRS are assuming

rave aspect, but war is not yet declared Nova Scotia Legislature was pro ogued Thursday last. The Session was evoted mainly to political faction fight-

ANOTHER GREAT FIRE has taken lace, involving the loss of several lives. The Grand Southern Hotel, St. Louis, was consumed by it-loss over a mil-

DRILL FOR 1877.-In the House of Commons, on Tuesday of last week, the while the roots are loose in the soft ground, place where it is always the strongest and Minister of Militia said the Government to tear up, wholly, clover, and trample the the hardest to break up. intended to drill 20,000 men this year

cluding Hon. Mr. Burpee (who denies ing reforms initiated and passed, foremost would not mind it. Restigouche, Mr. Currier of Ottawa, vides for better, and better paid teachers badly, does not belong to Black Rever, as

Correspondence.

A Sansible Letter from Richibucto

RICHIBUCTO, April 17th, 1877. house, The hon. gentleman's career as a political reformer was tolerably well known, and his career as a political intriguer was still better known. (Cheers.) His success

mr. Mackenzie to help him in overcoming the difficulty, but he declined. He promised, however, to give him his cordial supports of far as it was possible to support any government. There were questions on which they differed, but he was willing to accord the new administration a hearty support. One day sometime after the for-There is a feeling abroad, that it is support. One day sometime after the forhigh time the Fisheries Department mation of the Government, he met Mr. D. gave us less of its annoymous and other letters to newspapers in defence of its who said he had been looking over the letters to newspapers in defence of its who said he had been looking over the letters to newspapers in defence of its who said he had been looking over the letters to newspapers in defence of its who said he had been looking over the letters to newspapers in defence of its who said he had been looking over the letters to newspapers in defence of its who said he had been looking over the letters to newspapers in defence of its who said he had been looking over the letters to newspapers in defence of its who said he had been looking over the letters to newspapers in defence of its who said he had been looking over the letters to newspapers in defence of its letters to newspapers in defe policy in this County, and more practi- affairs of this Department and found that sion and Merchants of whom there are Agent—they will do splendidly for bunts cal attention to the demands of our growing fishery interests. The public have been surfeited with letters in the News the 'Freeman' office. He accepted that accepted that the 'Freeman' office. He accepted that accepted the accepted that accepted the accepted that a

MAC. Our Princy Edward Island Letter.

P. E. I., Apl. 11th, '77. DEAR ADVANCE .- As the condition of the body much depends upon that of the dead loss to them." How thoughtful he stomach, so the state of pleasure and busi- is for the fishermen. ness travel, and the collection of news is greatly affected by "Old Probabilitie's"

THEFRESHETS--SPRING AND ITS ATTENDANTS.

March came in and went out with little of the Leonine aspect attributed to it and April has fully sustained its reputation as a manufacturer of May flowers, by showers.

The snow has all disappeared except a few banks along the country roads, and mud is THE FRESHETS -- SPRING AND ITS ATTENDANTS. been gradual, but heavy, breaking milldams in some instances. Souris, Georgetown, and Cascumpec harbors are clear of ice and vessels are "entering" and "clearing" there while Summerside and Charlottetown, are broken up, and caught at lottetown, are broken up, and caught at the mouths, but the rivers leading into high, as T. F. Keary, of Chatham and a them are clear, and in a week the whole will be open and the Steam Navigation Co's Boats running by the middle of this I was on Fox Island Monday last and it month, a very early date. Through the was all clear of ice between Fox and Por country cattle are in the fields, looking tage Islands, and that morning a large body half frozen. It is rather strange that our of ice came out of Burnt Church Bay. It otherwise "canny" farmers will persist in will be the middle of next week before it

THE Subscriber will, on or about the 16th APRIL, open a

Tailoring Establishment in the shop formerly occupied by a Mr. Analow, and ward by the Hon. Wm. Multhead, near Letton's Seafes, water Street, Chattam. Gentlemen wanting Clothes made to order for SPRING & SUMMER will do well to wait until the above time, as then they will have a splendid assortment of the will wash Mr. Anglin and condone his to select from.

Looking at the matter in this light, the offence of Sir John Macdonald in taking the money from the custody of the Crown when he had ceased to be its Minister or adviser was an offence of the most flagrant character, and was deserving of the severest consure that the most flagrant character, and was deserving of the severest consure that the offence of Sir John Macdonald said it was at last forced upon the Government whipper-in to make this motion, and asked why it was not made before, and wound up his speech by saying he could not see how the question could be referred to committee when not made before, and wound up his speech by saying he could not see how the question could be referred to committee when not make this motion, and asked why it was not made before, and wound up his speech to make this motion, and asked why it was at last forced upon the Government whipper-in to make this motion, and asked why it was at last forced upon the Government whipper-in to make this motion, and asked why it was the sound passed upon it to save feed there must be some great lack in the Fall provision.

They have been very much exercised in Nova Soctia political circles concerning the the who that the same was not made before, and wond up his speech by saying he could not see how the question could be referred to committee when now that resolution had been with the same was no primar face case. He charged that there was no primar face case. He charged that there was no primar face case. He charged that there was no primar face case. He charged that there was no primar face case. He charged that there was no prima memorable for the able "Bills" and sweep- Methodist Parson to get a dip-a Baptist other Provincial improvements taking place.

It is probable the proposed Insane Asylum

them on us in any quantity. has been given up, for the present at least. and the old one will be enlarged, as some of its present occupants have to be accom-

modated in the celler, and three or four insane people are in the Jail awaiting room

has been, and is dull, except for a few large firms and more especially is this felt in the west. Kings and Queens, being of in this town, I desire to say that I have pending chiefly upon its fisheries and its To the Editor of the Miramichi Advance.

Sir.—I have often wondered why so merchants giving long credits for fish payments, felt last year's failure in the fishing many newspaper publishers allow in their severely, and as its inhabitants do a "little to attend to my legitimate business (there SIR.—I have often wondered why so many newspaper publishers allow in their columns anonymous correspondence containing insinuations and abusive attacks where one would give a handsome return.

ments, felt last year's failure in the first is nothing illegitimate business (there is nothing illegitimate about me,) and if I have not succeeded in doing so to the satisfaction of a few candy-shop and street.

could be made to answer for the back part of the smelt nets. When the Inspec Agent told him that by having the back part of the smelt nets a larger size that would let out all the small fish he exclaim ed:- "Strange, I never thought of that before: yes, we can allow the fishermen to do this and their old nets will not be a

The fishermen down here did not expect that the Advocate would lend itself . those who desire to force oppressive and

A GONE GLOSE

More Itams from Bay do Vin.

Bay du Vin. April 17th, 1877. DEAR ADVANCE: -The wild goose are the absurd practice of turning cettle out runs down past Grand Down Island, th

tender shoots of those they do not eat. If they do it to save feed there must be some Rae, of Black River, got their horse in the ice on Black River while going down it POLITICAL.

This session of our Legislature will be right. It was not very pleasant for a right. this morning. The horse was got out all

Mr. Donald Ullock who got his foot cut more efficient schools, and Inspectors, with stated in a late number of the Apyance a Superintendent and a compulsory clause. | but to Bay du Vin. He is still very poor-There are no Salmon, no Herring cano o Alewives, as yet, but we will soon have

> A GOOD WILL An Indignant Richibuctonian

RICHTBUCTO, April 14th. "77. To the Editor of the Miramichi Advance. SIR. -It having been circulated here by two or more conspicuous persons that I corresponded with the ADVANCE regarding not been a contributor to the columns of corner loafers and busy-bodies I have managed to pay my way without any aid from the proceeds of petty gambling enter-prises and the hard earnings of way-laid mariners. I will not descend to notice anonymous correspondents; if any one is inclined to write about me let him come

Truly yours,