History of Methodism Around Carleton Co.

BY REV. DR. WILSON.

terms of the Thames and the Tiber, the Rhine and the Rhone, the Danube and at the cause so continued to decline the Don, and our neighbors grow wild for years that the membership was over the mighty Mississippi and the reduced to about one half of what he picturesque Hudson, New Brunswickers had left. "Satan," wrote one of that can tell of their Saint John, larger time, raised up some to disturb the than many of them, and inferior to none in the majectic sweep of its waters, or the attractiveness of the regions through which it passes. From hope the faithful few labored on enits rise far away in the wilderness till it reaches the swelling tides of the Bay sowed in tears would reap in joy. of Fundy it is indeed "a thing of beauty." No finer scenery is anywhere to found than along its course, and year by year increasing numbers their way hither from the Upper Provinces and the United States and enjoy delightful quiet and refreshment during the summer holidays. "We have," says an American tourist, "admired rivers in many lands. We have sailed on the Nile and the Sagus, and on historic Rhine and the magnificent Dan-ube, but the tide of our admiration rose waters of the noble Saint John of the

The county of Carleton, through which the river passes, is rich in agricultural resources and almost every acre of it is fit for farming purposes. It has a number of thriving little towns where everything indicates comfort, and where poverty is unknown. The shiretown, Woodstock, has a population of three thousand, for whose bene-fit churches and schools abound, and whose business establishments and private residences will compare favorably with those of larger and more pretentious places. Owing to its proximity to the American boundary Woodstock has been the theatre of some exciting scenes, especially at the time of the socalled Aroostook war, and of the Trent affair. It was the rendezvous for the troops gathered to guard the frontier or repel the invader, and from the readiness with which the call to arms was responded to by the men of Carleton, as well as by their soldierly appearance and spirit they would have given a good account of themselves had there been any necessity to have done;

other places, Methodism was not in- one-seventh of the whole. These are troduced by conference authority or by not hived together in a few places, but any recognized representative of the are widely distributed over six circuits church, but by a man who earnestly in which are between twenty-five and desired to do good as the opportunity | thirty places in which regular Sabbath was afforded him. His name was services are held and connected with James Killen, an Irishman by birth, which are Sunday schools with an atand for some time a member of the tendance of nearly one thousand. But their fellow-citizens in the legislature, wisely decided to separate himself from After remaining two years on the Mir amichi, he, accompanied by his wife, who was an Irish lady and had crossed the Atlantic with him, removed to Carleton county, and made his home in the neighborhood of Woodstock until was a good and useful man, an accep preacher, and an earnest and denow the Richmond circuit he found of Irish Methodists, of whom sks and others are the descendants, ad at the time of his decease ministered for twenty-three years in holy

ing been reported to the Rev. William Temple, that gentleman visited Wood-stock and neighboring villages in 1821, later another visit was made by the Rev. John B. Strong, through whose influence a young preacher was sent out, but whose sad death by drownther delay in supplying the place. In me several visits were made by Revs. Enoch Wood, Sampson Busby and Arthur McNutt, and immediately after the district meeting of 1882 the last named was appointed to the cirof country from Woodstock to Tobique on both sides of the river, together

Mr. McNutt met with more generous treatment than had been given to Messrs. Earley and Grandine in Kings and York. The people had become ashamed of such things. No ecclesiastic bigot laid a complaint or over zealous magistrate issued a warrant for his arrest, and he was not interfered with. Indeed so anxious were the people to induce him to come that the ction of a church was entered upon before his appointment was made. His forts were much appreciated, his services well attended, his visits looked forward to with pleasure, and at end of his year he was able to report the formation of several congregations and a membership of seventy. was an indefatigable laborer, stood well with the public, had special gifts with power, and at the close of his years' term the membership had nearly trebled in number. Strange to say, however, as in the commercial, so in the religious realm what are termed cease occurred only a few weeks ago. seasons of prosperity and depression follow each other with singular regularity. The question here considered is not whether there is any necessity for in the business world, the fact is sta- profession, had few equals and perthe general correctness of which no doubt can be entertained for many important positions, and his work a moment. With such experiences in we are all too familiar, when

While Europeans speak in glowing mourn." This was painfully true of Woodstock for after Mr. Joll's removpeace of the society, progress was impeded, and for years little apparent couraged to believe that those who

> the Rev. George Johnson took charge, in 1840, things began to improve All churches believe in revivals, while the methods made use of to bring them about may differ. The best methods for one time or place may not be the best for other times and places, as experience has proved again and again. At that time and place the protracted meeting appears to have been the best to meet the needs of the case. During the third year of his pastorate he held which he was assisted by "the brethren Flynn and Williams, who labored ardently and by the visits of Messrs, Killen and Stokoe, and by other official members of the society. The revival created the most intense interest. Many became seriously concerned for the salvation of their souls and at every service for more than fifty evenings, many came forward to prayed for. Frequently it was with difficulty the seekers could be prevailed upon to leave the place of prayer sometimes even far into the night. The extended to all ages and professed faith in the Saviour. About it there was no fanaticism or wild fire; passions or to produce enthusiastic illusions, and everything was done quietly and in order." The results vere gratifying, the fruits remain. While the people of Carleton county

are largely Baptist, considerably more than one-half of the entire population belonging to the several bodies bearing that name, the Methodists have attained a good position and claim about are presented. The doctrines we have roundings, perhaps its greatest honor taught have commended themselves to lies in the fact of having sent forth the conscience, and the usages observed a young man to bless his race and who have met with very generous approval, won for himself a name and fame and from the first, persons of intelli- more than local. Possessed of gifts things being equal this is a decided is a something to be thankful for. Quite a number of this class have been nore or less, closely associated with

the Methodism of Carleton county. The Connell family came to this pro vince from the United States and settled in the neighborhood of Woodstock Charles, father of the Hon. Charles, who was then only twelve years of age, later on went to Fredericton to learn the business of a tanner and home at Northampton, where he acquired considerable wealth. His wife William Palmer, an Englishman, who resided d Wood- at Woodstock, and by whom he had a sent a report of the same to the M., who for several years represented and sent a report of the same of the first and is described in the house of assembly, high estimation in which he was held by the methodist people he was matter rested for the time. Seven years peroid as, "a man highly respected for called to the General Superintendency the soundness of his views on matters of provincial legislation, an upright was sent and intelligent magistrate, had a good promote the general good." He was an gather around the name of honored member of the Methodis church, a class leader, Sabbath school superintendent, a trustee of Conventional property, and a generous given to every good cause, and when on Nov. 28, 1846, he joined the "great majority," the remark was made. "I fear we shall

never look upon his like again." Charles was born at Northampton, about 1812, was married, in 1835, to Ann Fisher, elected to the legislature in 1846, appointed to the Legislative Council in 1849, which position he retained until 1860, when he resigned, was re-elected the next year and continued in the house of assembly until 1867, when he was sent to Ottawa, and again in 1872. He filled many other positions of trust and responsibility, and eventu ally rested from his labors in 1873. His brother, George, practiced law in Woodstock from 1840 to 1879, when he retired. He married Mary Ann, daughter of the late Edwin Fisher, of this city, and granddaughter of David and Maria Grace Fisher. The name of this last named lady Barlow, and she had the honor of being one of the members of the first Metho dist society, organized by the Rev. Mr. Bishop, in 1791, and of which the leade many years was Mrs. Cynthia

Another friend and supporter was Lewis Peter Fisher, K. C., whose Away above the ordinary in natural gifts and endowments, with a well stored mind, a ready utterance, and great force of character, he early in e re-actions either in the church or his career forged to the front in his own haps no superior. He was called was ever done wisely and well. As a Methodist he believed in the great material hardships pressed heavily truths of the gospel and supported the upon the unemployed, and spiritual institutions of the church in the ways eath caused, "the ways of Zion to open to him. He was especially inter-

ested in the young. For many years bath school, than for such work few were better fitted, and from which he retired under regrettable circumstances Outsiders have not had a very correct idea of the true inwardness of the case and for their benfit it is thus stated. provinces and of Western Canada there ere many differences, traceable to the origin of the one being British, the other American. Following the example of the state the latter preferred a book of discipline—a written constitution—while the former rested on principle and was guided by usage and precedent, and was not hampered by speci-fic rules and restrictive regulations in matters of minor moment. Up to that time large liberty had been allowed in intendents, and the best available man was eligible whether he was or was not a member of the church. In the west only church members had been DODD'S KIDNEY PILLS CURED eligible, and when the several Methodist bodies united this became the law good was done. But hoping against of the church. Like many other good member as we understood the terr then, and the minister in charge took And they did, for immediately after the ground that in order to retain the superintendency the law must be liter did not deem his duty to do, and con sequently resigned. Looking at the matter from the standpoint of the present there does not seem any good reanew order of things, as little disturbance as possible is made with that order, and as every executive officer has some discretionary power, it might safely have been exercised in such a case as this. This was Mr. Fisher's view, as the following extract from his of "the Sabbath school of which I was for so many years the superintendent. necessary and unfortunate seporation, one great sorrow of the years of my life, and where the responsibility rests the future may demonstrate."

Passing over many of the men of the ney Pills." past it is fitting a few words should be said concerning Col. Baird because of his official position as an officer in the militia. In that capacity he was brought into prominence in connection with the visits of their royal highnesse the Princes Alfred and Arthur, but more especially during the excitement produced by the "Trent affair" and the threatened Fenian invasion. Though nothing grew out of the latter it was the occasion of a good deal of unrest, and meant much to those upon whom devolved the responsibility of making the necessary preparations. On all such occasions or under such circommended by his superiors. But after these things may be forgotten he will be remembered as having sent out from his home a daughter to fill the "the mistress of the manse," in the wife of the Rev. Thomas Marshall, of this city. In other parts of the county our friends have had a fair share of the

eeds, and the manner in which they well as for its beautiful natural surgence and good social standing have above the ordinary, and favored with been connected with our people. Other a good education, he had the necessary equipment to ensure success in advantage to a new enterprise, and whatever department of the world's work to which he might devote his attention. As.

"There is a Providence that shapes our ends,

Rough hew them as we will." That Providence manifested itself in his case in this way. The Rev. Arthur McNutt invited him to a Methodist class meeting, which he gladly accepted, and then began a process cordwainer, after which he made his his life, and eventually led him into the Methodist ministry. For a number of years he labored in these province was Mary Palmer, daughter of Charles with great acc ance and marked red to the Canada Conference, and large family; the eldest was Jeremiah was placed at the head of the Ladies' of the Methodist church in which position he was found when the angels. understanding and was enabled to ad- Few men have left behind them more minister substantial justice so as to pleasant memories than those which

SAMUEL DWIGHT RICE, D. D. One of the advantages of the Itinerant system is seen in the fact that while under other systems, pulpits are frequently unprovided for and congregations go shepherdless, for threequarters of a century the Woodstock church has never been left without a pastor as appears from the following

1832-33-Arthur McNutt. 1833-35-Samuel Joll. 1835-36-Henry Daniel.

1836-37-Michael Pickles 1837-38-Michael Pickles, S. McMas-1838-40-Richardson Douglas

1840-41-George Johnson, R. A. Ches-1841-42-George Johnson, - Flyn

1842-43-George Johnson, Wm. Leg-1843-45-Frederick Smallwood 1845-47-Wm. Temple, C. Lockhart, 1847-49—Joseph F. Bent, 1849-51—John Allison.

1851-53-Arthur McNutt 1853-54-Wm. Temple 1854-56-William Allen, Wm. Alcorn. 1856-57—John Prince, John Cassidy. 1857-58—John Prince, W. C. Brown, obt. Wasson. 1858-59—John Prince, R. Wasson, T. 1859-60-Robert A. Temple, D. D. Currie, Robert Wasson. 1860-61-R. A. Temple, D. D. Currie, 1861-62-R. A. Temple, D. D. Currie, J. F. Huestis, J. J. Cotter. 1862-63-William Wilson, Joseph G.

Angevin. 1863-64-William Wilson 1864-67—George S. Milligan, M. A. 1867-68—Alex. W. Nicholson, Wm. H.

1869-70-John McMurray. 1870-72-John S. Addy.

1874-75 Joseph Seller, M. A. 1875-76-James Taylor 1876-79-Charles H. Palsley, M. A. 1879-82-Wesley W. Colpitts. 1882-85-George M. Campbell.

1888-89-Job Shenton 1889-92-William Dobson. 1892-95-Robert S. Crisp. 1895-98-Douglas Cha 1898-1901—Hedley D. Mare

1901-02-John C. Berrie.

1909-06-George A. Ross. (To be continued.,

Was Not A Faith Cure

ADAMS' BRIGHT'S DISEASE.

day She is Strong and Well. COLLINGWOOD, Ont., Nov. 24. special.)-Mrs, Thomas Adams, who oved here about two years ago from Burk's Falls, is one of the many Can-adians who once had Bright's Disease and are now strong and well. Like all the others she was cured by Dodd's Kidney Pills.

"I was eight months an invalid," says Mrs. Adams, "and no one can tell what I suffered. My Doctor said had Bright's Disease and Sciatica, but I got no relief from anything he gave ne. At last a friend of my husband induced me to give Dodd's Kidney Pills a trial. I had no faith in them, for I thought I never would get better, but after taking three boxes of them I was health ever since I used Dodd's Kid-

THE SPORTSMEN'S SHOW AT BOSTON.

Of immense importance to New

having a creditable exhibit of the sporting resources of the province in the Mechanics Building at Boston the last week in December and first week in January by the New England Forest, Fish and Game Association, when by far the best exhibition ever held in America will attract thousands of enthusiastic sportsmen from all parts of the country. most unmistakable New Brunswick atmosphere from the fact that one of the duction of some of the finest biograph fishing ever displayed before the admiring eyes of lovers of the great life out Irish conference. Charges having been preferred against him which were subsequently proved to be groundless, he withdrew, but instead of doing what many under similar circumstances have done, turning his back upon his former. of doors. It is pretty certain that nowoods and Nepisiguit River for the in order at the next meeting of our hunting and fishing grounds will bring legislature for some one to ask how many under similar circumstances have dates, the same is true of a church and its doctrines, and usages which prove themselves to be felt in proportion their desirability to human and remained a Methodist. Satisfied, and the same interest of the distinction in a variety of callings, as which where the same times those with whom he asso cates the same is true of a church the same is the cost and where the same is the cos Manager Follett free hand to put on assistant clerk of the assembly the finest exhibition ever held on this who has been repeatedly fined for the side of the water, and with his well known administrative ability and wide rains of direction of many other propo sitions of this character, he has ac terprise. This exhibition will be unique in many respects, and of special value as it is an out and out sportsman's show and nothing else. It is cut little figure, but all that has to do with the preservation of forestry, fish and game interests will be given the prominence deserved by a matter of such vital concern to the entire east. Every inch of the great Mechanics Building will be used and floor space is now at a premium with the charge at a dollar per foot, while the cost of opening the show will approximate eventy-five thousand dollars. Easily one thousand dollars has already been spent on the films and development the pictures that exploit the advantages of this province. The government in onjunction with the I. C. R. is man festing commendable enthusiasm in canvassing the situation with a view to putting in an exhibit that will not suffer comparison with the magnificent States, and if present plans find full fruition, the New Brunswick visitor came to take him to the home above. | will feel the same pardonable pride in the display that has been his heritage in other big exhibitions when this gov ernment has carried away the blue ribbon. C. E. Beane, who is well known in the province, is the tion's representative, and is meeting with the same hearty co-operation tha here in connection with the business of the Maine Central official organ, Mr Beane has made many warm friends here and comes among us as one of our as much at home in St. John as though he had lived here all his life. local tourist association is entering into the matter with its usual enthusiasm for anything that promises the betterment of provincial affairs within its scope of work and is aiding the New England Association in every possible way. It is devoutly to be hoped that nothing will interfere with the successful culmination of plans concerning this section of country, and appearances are much in favor of perfect realization of the ardent hopes express ed by so many of our most influential bodies. The matter will I decided in the near future

> The Celebrated English Cocoa.

The matter will be definitely

The Most Nutritious

THE PRINCE'S VISIT TO FREDERICTON

And the Manner in Which He Was Entertained.

Rev. John J. Colter Makes Some Interesting Statements — Function Was Detrimental to Fredericton.

To the Editor of the Sun: Sir,-The excitement in connection with the visit of Prince Louis of Battenberg having died away, it might the methods used to do him honor. His reception oy the city was all that could be desired. Anyone who wished, without respect to creed or color, had the privilege of shaking

hands with him.

What about that tendered him by the government of our province? was certainly very exclusive, only a small portion of the taxpayers having been invited, and a part of these could not conscientiously attend. Ministers women who are opposed to the drinking habits of society, would be ill at ease at a function where liquors various kinds were dispensed so free-ly that, as a result, there were somesurprising and disgraceful cases of drunkenness

This was all the more culpable on

account of the place where it occurred. Fredericton is a Scott Act town a majority of the citizens have repeatedly expressed their determination by the ballot that they would not legalize abe to do my work. I have had good the sale of intoxicating drink. And yet a few men are boldly and defiantly violating this law, and by doing so are not only desolating homes and de-stroying the bodies and souls of their fellow men, but they have made the streets of our city unsafe at night. A clergyman and several ladies were brutally assaulted by those who were debauched by their infamous work. The government by that act have encouraged the lawless element in the ommunity. The premier who there, and was complimented for his such large numbers, "be ambitious drinking will not interfere with your promotion, the best, the most successthat students come here from parts of the province where no liquor is sold

> and eternity. Oh! for men in public life like Sir Leonard Tilley and ex-Governor Mc-Clelan, who could receive their guests without placing any temptation before them, and whose receptions were never disgraced either by intoxicating liquors or drunkenness. It would be

and form habits of drunkenness

bid fair to ruin them both for time

JOHN J. COLTER. Fredericton, N. B., Nov. 22nd.

MIDDLETOWN, Ct., Nov. 22.-Judge Alberto T. Roraback of North Cannaan told the lawyers and jurymen at his session of the superior court to pray for rain. The water commissioners, owing to the drought, had shut off the water in one of the districts and a large property owner had brought a motion for an injunction to restrain them from doing this. The judge and then asked the court to pray for rain, for he thought that God relieve the present distress, just as He the rock when the children of Israel were thirsting in the wilderness.

BE READY FOR CROUP

TIME-TESTED MEDICINE,

DR. CHASE'S SYRUP LINSEED AND TURPENTINE.

It is not a question of whether you ive medicine, or simply be satisfied to and made for himself a fine farm and to hand out to you?

Syrup of Linseed and Turpentine at

insist on getting what you ask for. seed and Turpentine in the house, for when the choking spasm comes on there is little time to send for doctor It seems scarcely necessary to dwell

n the merits of Dr. Chase's Syrup of

Linseed and Turpentine as a cure for

croup, bronchitis, whooping cough, etc. Most of us have known it from childhood up. It is almost as familia. as Dr. Chase's Receipt Book. Mr. W. C. Archibald, Glenelg, Guyso Co., N. S., writes: "I can say that have both used and sold Dr. Chase's emedies in my own family. I have nd Dr. Chase's Syrup of Linseed and Turpentine the best remedy for coughs and colds. In the store I have ore call for Dr. Chase's Remedie

readily taken by children. Because brings quick relief to the sufferer fro thma, bronchitis, whooping cough and all the most serious diseases of the throat and lungs, it is invaluable as a household medicine, 25 cents a

than for all the other medicines

FOR WASHING LINEN You will do the best work by using a PURE HARD SOAP like "SURPRISE" It makes towels and all such material white, clean and sweet, without any harm from harshness.

SULLIVAN **DEFEATED GARDINER**

Latter Was Nearly Gone When Gong Sounded.

Sullivan Had Decidedly the Better of 20 Fierce Rounds, Especially of the Last 10.

SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., Nov. 25 .- After 20 rounds of exciting fighting, Mike last night defeated Jimmy Gardiner, of Lowell, Mass. Referee Jack Welch gave the decision while Gardiner was being carried, weak and tottering, to his corner. The decision was a popular one, not only on its merits, but because graceful dancing, might have said to it brought joy to the shortenders, who the young men who were present in generally obtained odds of 2 to 1.

The fight was a skillful boxing match, and hard punching and well directed privileged. efforts. Gardiner made the more fanciful showing, particularly in the earlier in Wentworth. The majority of Smith, And this was done in face of the fact part of the match, but Sullivan never never missed an opportunity to gain a point. It was in the second ten rounds of the bout that the actual fighting was done. Long range blows were delivered by each contestant, and the infighting ed guilty, and gave his excuse was at times fierce. Sullivan fought consistently. He found that he could reach Gardiner's face, and his left glove soon had the Lowell man's face streaming with blood from a bruised nose and

> Up to the eighteenth round it was then Sullivan's superior strength and livan, who weighed about eight pounds him again for some side wager, but he must not weigh in excess of 136 pounds. Welsh's decision, however, was a just one, as under the conditions

RECENT DEATHS.

mentioned I was clearly beaten."

MRS. GORDON A. CALKIN.

The death of Mrs. Calkin, wife of the granted the injunction temporarily, late Gordon A. Calkin of Welsford took again today. There are Chinese theaplace at the residence of her daughter, Mrs. Leander Woodworth, on Saturdid when He made water spring from day morning. She was 81 years of age. day morning. She was \$1 years of age. Ellis announced today that he is out The funeral takes place today at the for a third term. The other candidates Reformed Presbyterian church, Wels-

Mrs. Calkin was Miss Caldwell of Horton, and leaves two children, Mrs. so spoken of. Leander Woodworth, with whom she had resided some years, and J. G. Cal- the rails which they have pur kin, of the N. S. Carriage Co., Kent- from the Sydney steel mills have turnville. Two sisters survive. Mrs. Somerville, of Berwick, and Miss Kate Cald-AND INSIST ON HAVING THE well, of Lakeville .- Acadian Orchard-

ALEXANDER SWAN, SR.

ander Swan, sr., one of the oldest and best known residents of this parish, died at his home at Tweedside on Sunday last in his 87th year. He has been but able to be around until a few days ago. He was a native of the north of will need a treatment for coughs, colds | England and came here about fifty-five and croup in your home, but the ques- years ago. He went into the woods on tion is, will you select the most effect- the shores of the Big Oromocto Lake take whatever your druggist happens comfortable home, which he has lived so long to enjoy. He took little part in that you can depend on Dr. Chase's intelligence and of very genial dispo-It is only necessary to remember this His wife and five sons survive. Three Should you have children who are side. Robert and William reside in

> Bank of Bridgeburg, a village on the opposite Buffalo early today. A gang on them. of six to eight men, after fasteni the doors of nearby houses with ropes, then secured a heavy timber and pro-ceeded to batter in the front door of revolvers and shotguns. With his face way. streaming with blood from shattered nou glass and splinters of wood, caused by the fusilade from the street, Young kept the robbers back. Finally alarmed by a shot from up the street, the

GENERAL NEWS

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SURPRISE SOAP

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TORONTO, Nov. 24,-Crown Attorney Curry has dropped the more general investigation of combines for a while, and intends now to continue and close the plumbers' case before proceeding with others. In fact, he would not have delayed this trial had he not thought it prudent to seize evidence to be found in Jenkins & Hardy's office at an opportune time. There is said to be a close combine which controls the manufacture and sale of rubber from its raw state until it is finally handed to the consumer. The organization controls prices by forcing salesmen of manufacturing houses to make affidavits that they have not sold be-

The question has been raised as to what extent responsibility can attach to lawyers who have given advice as to the framing of agreements, so as to keep within the statutes while dealing with acts of violation of the crimtually that a barrister under such circumstances was liable to prosecution and punishment by the bar. In Canada up to the present relations of lawyer and client have always been

It is probable a recount will be held conservative, is down to eight. Alexander J. Campbell, alias James Campbell, was arraigned before Judge Morgan yesterday on the charge of passing several worthless checks is-"Drink|" He put up a plea for his wife and family, and promised to do better. Unfortunately, this was not Campbell's first offense, as Detective MacKie, who brought the man back record, which showed he had been sentenced to the penitentiary in 1901 for two years, and again in 1903 for

Morgan remanded him for a we A Chinese theatre is contemplated in Toronto. Last night two Celestials, one of whom was represented to be a new arrival from Vancouver, called on Manager James Cowan at the Grand Opera House to get a few particulars as to what should be done toward couver man is said to be very wealthy, and very much desirous of establishing a playhouse here for the edification of the 1,500 or 2,000 Chinese said to be resident here. Montreal's big Chinese population could also be catered to by made an appointment to call on him tres in Vancouver, New York and San

Francisco. OTTAWA, Ont., Nov. 24.-Mayor in the field are Ald. Black, Ald. Champagne, Mr. Taillon of the Bank Nationale. Mr. Lemieux, barrister, is al-

The Grand Trunk people say that ed out highly satisfactory. HAMILTON, Ont., Nov. 24.-Repre-

of United Brethren in Christ were in session yesterday with representatives of the Congregational Church Union HARVEY STATION, Nov. 24-Alex- of Ontario and Quebec, in the First Congregational church, with a view to throwing in their lot with the Congregationalists, instead of remaining under the general conference of the

United States. United Brethren in Canada. Union is expected to be accomplished when the natter is in the near future laid before all the church people concerned.

VANCOUVER, B. C., Nov. 24-Among the problems the Dominion government Time and experience have proven public affairs but was a man of much is called upon to consider is the alleged that you can depend on Dr. Chase's intelligence and of very genial dispopiracy by Seattle and Tacoma concerns, sition and of sterling character and which are declared to be poaching on integrity and had many warm friends. Canadian halibut grounds at Hecate when the critical time comes, and to of his sons-Henry, James T., and not so long ago conceded to be Cana-Straits, which Washington authorities Alexander Swan, jr.,-reside at Tweed- dian waters. It is said that craft be longing to the concerns in question are subject to croup, you had better keep British Columbia. John Swan, sr., of so powerfully engined that they can show the government cruiser Kestrel a show the government cruiser Kestrel a clean pair of heels, and that, more-BUFFALO, N. Y., Nov. 24-A bold over, their owners keep so well informattempt was made to rob the Traders ed of the movements of the cruise? that they are always able to warn their

MONTREAL, Nov. 24.—The Dominion Coal Company has completed arrangements for the construction of three new large colliers for the St. Lawrence route. the bank, Ralph C. Young, an 18 year One of the steamers will be of the type old boy, was the only person in the of the Christian Knudsen, the largest bank when the robbers opened their coal steamer ever seen on the St. Lawattack. Armed with a revolver he rence, while the others will be after went to an upper window and opened the model of the steamer Hermodes. fire upon the thieves. They replied with They will be built at Drammen, Nor-Vice President Wenklyn aninces the company's shipments to the St. Lawrence route this season, which is just being completed, will total 1,120,000 tons, against 1,116,000 tons

WINDSOR, Ont., Nov. 25.—W. A. officers from the department at To-Millard, division court bailiff here, is ronto. Much surprise is expressed that messing, and is said to be short about Millard is in such financial difficulty, five thousand dollars in his accounts and there is much speculation as to as balliff. The exact amount of the what has been done with the money. shortage will not be known, however, Millard is aged about 60.