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NOVA SCOTIA.

SECOND PART.

More British Officers Going to the United States.

A Leading Artillery Officer Goes to Inspect Boston Fortifications.

The Will of the Late Charles M: Almon-To Prevent Illegal Lobster Fishing.

AMHERST, March 25 .- The prompt response on the part of the Moncton fire department to the appeal for help, if needed, made by Mayor Allen, during the late conflagration, is fully appreciated and has been already recognized at an informal meeting of the fire wards and will be further recogrized at the next meeting of the town

council. Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Baxter of Tidnish last night celebrated the fifteenth anniversary of their marriage, a large number of their friends taking them by surprise and providing an enjoyable evening's entertainment. Mrs. Baxter is the youngest daughter of Robert McGlashen of Tidnish. On Monday evening ex-Warden Oxley and his wife were similarly entertained on the occasion of their silver wed-

ding anniversary. At the last meeting of the town council John Pickrem was appointed chief of the Amherst fire deparatment, in the place of Dr. Bliss, who resigned. Andrew Johnson was appointed as-

Amherst for some time has had only one policeman. The town council has appointed another, F. R. Brownell. There is now one for day and one for night duty.

HALIFAX, N. S., March 26 .- The will of Charles M. Almon, son of Senator Almon, late registrar of shipping, leaves to his nephew, Wm. Bruce Almon, son of Cotton M. Almon, a life insurance policy; to grandson and nephew, John, son of Dr. Thomas R. Almon, his watch, chain and locket. The residence is left to Dr. W. J. Almon during his life, and at his death to the testator's mother. After Mrs. Almon's death the income goes to the testator's sisters, share and share alike; in case of the death of one of them, her share is to be divided among those surviving. The testator directs that should his sister marry, enter a convent or sisterhood, she shall be paid \$2 in lieu of her share as above, but should she leave such sisterhood, her share shall revert to her again.

Information has been received that the Ottawa government intends, when the close season for lobsters commences this year, to put on five steam cutters to prevent illegal lobster fishing on these coasts. Four will patrol the Nova Scotia shore, where the poaching is carried on most extensively, and one at the Magdalen Islands. The illegal fishing last season was most destructive to the libster grounds, and was prosecuted without

let or hindrance. The exodus of British officers to the United States at this juncture continues and attracts increased attention. Captain Lebita, a distinguished artillery officer, leaves Tuesday for Boston, and Lieut. Barlow, R. A., goes tomorrow to New York. Special leave has to be granted in all such cases, and despite the rulings of international comity, it is concluded that these officers are giving the United States government any advice they are able to afford. It is said Captain Lebita will inspect Boston fortifica-tions. The report is current here also that Col. Isaacson, retired commender of the Royal Artillery in British North America, has been offered the command of a Virginia regiment. The

colonel has friends in Virginia. TRURO, N. S., March 26 .- Allan Longhead's double dwelling house on Church street, which was occupied by the owner and Sheriff McClennan, was discovered to be on fire at 5 o'dlock this morning, and before the firemen had got the fire under control the building was badly damaged. The cost of repairing it is estimated at mearly \$1,000. There is \$600 insurance on the building. The greater part of the furniture was saved.

ST. JOHN CITY.

Its Liabilities and Its Assets Compared-Amounts to be Assessed for the Current Year.

In the absence of Mayor Robertson, who was at Ottawa, Deputy Mayor Robinson presided at Thursday afternoon's meeting of the common council. The other absentees were Ald. McPherson and Millidge, who are out of town, the latter being with the

The treasury board recommended that the following amounts be assessed upon the city, along with the expenses of assessing and collecting the

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They further recommended that \$750 be assessed upon the fire insurance companies doing business to defray one moiety or half part of the cost of maintenance of the salvage

The report was adopted and its recommendations ordered to be carried was then submitted. The following extracts will be of interest: The civic balance sheet on Dec. 31, 1897.

ASSETS.

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Balance of assets over liabili-......\$ 826,270 30 SAND POINT IMPROVEMENTS. A review of the different construction accounts of the city shows large expenditures during year 1897, par-ticularly that shown as "Sand Point Harbor Improvements," being construction of such work entered upon in year 1896, expenditures for which at close of year aggregate the sum of \$357,420.42 for both years, as fol-

Expenditures to close of year 1896. \$131,280 16 Expenditures to close of year 1897.. 225,013 63 Amt. unpaid orders \$1 Dec., 1897... 1,120 63

Less revenues received during pro-gress of construction— Rentals years 1896-7....\$ 2,579 40 Proceeds of bond sales... 183,853 80 Balance over expenditures in must be given for sales of debentures (\$125,000,000) referred to in an early paragraph in this report. At close of year it was found impossible to have all bills in connection with this work regularly passed for account. Since entering on year 1898 bills to the amount of \$2,758.16 have been received and orders for payments, which exrenditures are additional to statement as given above. The city has now about completed its undertakings in the way of improvements as estimated for in this section of city properties, and the efforts as put forth by the board of common council are be-ing recognized by other cities. Today our harbor and city are pretty well acknowledged both at home and abroad and are known as, "Canada's Winter Port." In handling of trans-Atlantic trade a marked increase is discernible in the shipments at these docks, which this season have in-

creased nearly threefold over last year's workings. Ald. Daniel spoke at some length on the chamberlain's report, showing the bonded debt of the city was at the close of 1897 \$3,294,488,86, an increase of \$201,900 as compared with 1896. Debentures to the amount of \$315,000 were issued during the year, \$94,000 of which was for replacing 6 per cent. bonds with 4 per cents. The way in which the money was spent was gone fully into. Ald. Daniel said it must be gratifying to the people to find the city's credit so high. He moved that the report be referred to the auditors. In seconding the motion Ald. Ma-crae referred briefly to the act passed

water extension on the west side. The motion passed. The report of the director of public works, A. Chipman Smith, contained a comparative statement of harbor 1evenues, showing totals as follows: 1895, \$27,760.22; 1896, \$26,551.64; 1897,

by the legislature anent the proposed

The slaughter house commissioners reported the receipts of the year were \$1,483.48, including a balance of \$764.97. while the present balance is \$765.28. They say the houses are kept neat and clean, but that the existing arrangements are very incomplete, and they believe the time has come for the erection within the city limits of a public slaughter house. The number of animals killed was 13,347.

Building Inspector Mahen reports that seventy-five permits were issued for the erection of new buildings and the enlargement of old ones, of which sixty-seven were wood, one cased and eight brick, costing for the wooden structures, \$87,220, and for the others \$31,300, making a total cost of \$118,520 against \$157,140 last year. The build-

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"SAME SIDE."

England Would be Found With United States.

So Said Dr. Stockton on New Brunswick Day at the Boston Sportsmen's Show.

(Boston Journal, 23rd.)

"If war should come, then I hope and pray that the United States and Great Britain will be found on the same side and that the ironclads of the two countries will fight an enemy in common and that we shall come nearer and nearer together as we should by the ties of the highest type of civilization, the common blood and the progress of freedom."

That was one of the sentiments offered by Dr. Alfred A. Stockton, a member of the provincial parliament of New Brunswick, at the Sportsmen's show last evening in a speech at the observance of New Brunswick day. The 10,000 people present applauded enthusiastically.

The "day" was observed in the eveout.

ning. A procession was formed conThe report of Chamberlain Sandall sisting of the distinguished guests from the province and the representatives of the exhibition and of the city and state, headed by the National Guard band. They paraded through the halls, around the exhibits and on to the stage, where seats had been placed. The band played Rule Britannia, while on the march, and on 274,345 52 the stage God Save the Queen was rendered.

> His Honor Mayor Quincy presided and introduced as the first speaker 125,000 00 Hon. Abner R. McClelan, lieut. governor of the province. He is a tall man, quite old and a face not unlike Lincoln's, but his hair is grav. He responded for New Brunswick and spoke of the high regard that was felt for Boston, for Massachusetts and for this country. "He was glad," he said, "that the government of New Brunswick had an exhibit at this very successful show. He said that he was sure that people of this city and of the state were impressed now with the importance of New Brunswick as a fishing and hunting country, and he spoke for the consideration of those present when deciding on a place to spend their vacation.

The mayor then introduced Hon. H. R. Emmerson, premier of the province. The latter made a very able plea in behalf of his native land and asked that the province of New Brunswick be not confounded with Nova Scotia, as he deemed that many people in this country think that New Brunswick is a part of Nova Scotia. He spoke of the common brotherhood and ties of unity existing between Canala and the United States, and hoped that they would never be severed, but that they would be drawn closer and closer together.

Dr. Stockton spoke after the pre-\$357,420 42 mier had aroused the big crowd to the highest pitch of enthusiasm by his stirring sentiments.

Afterward Hon. L. J. Tweedie, provincial secretary, addressed the gathering. The party stayed through and saw the relay race and the heats in the 100 yard race, and also the daring high dive of Paul Tustin and the Monte Cristo sack jump of Alfred Rideout. Afterward a banquet in Talbot hall was held, but it was entirely informal.

Gov. Wolcott could not be present early in the evening, but dropped in later on and attended the banquet.

(Boston Herald, 23rd.)

"God Save the Queen," "The Red White and Blue," "Rule, Britannia," and the "Star-Spangled Banner" made a symphony at the Sportsmen's show last night, celebrating "New Bruns-wick Day." Although the programme was largely impromptu, the oere-monies grew in eclat as the day wore on and during the evening; no elaborate scheme could have been better. It was a dignified interchange of international courtesies between the the steamer are suffering terribly, havgovernors of neighboring states and a ing been without proper medical athighly agreeable meeting all around.
Lieut. Gov. A. R. McClelan of New Brunswick, the Hon. H. R. Emerson, premier of the province; L. J. Tweedie, provincial secretary, and Dr. A. A. Stockton, member of the provincial parliament, formed the nucleus of the New Brunswick party, attended by about 30 men from the province, occupied officially with the government or with the exhibit at the show. They were greeted as they assembled last evening by Mayor Quincy and Adjt.-Gen. Dalton, who conveyed the regrets of Gov. Wolcott, detained at the dinner of the New England governors. Gov. Wolcott came in later, however, and for over an hour was a deeply interested onlooker at the events in the tank. Gen. Dalton had with him Col. Robins of the governor's staff, State Secretary Olin, State Treasurer Shaw. Governor's Secretary Perkins and Representative Parsons. President Harry Dutton, Treasurer Walter L. Hill, General Manager Charles Dimick, Col., H. E. Russell, J. Otis Weatherbee, Bayard Taylor and Dr. Heber Bishop of the show management completed the ceremonial party. They made a tour of the hall to the

strains of "God Save the Queen," and were duly cheered as the New Brunswick exhibit was passed. Movement was difficult owing to the crush, but at last the party reached a group of chairs in the Indian village on the stage of the great hall, where a brief speech-making seance preceded the

regular programme.

A pretty incident, much commented on and cheered at the time, was the action of a uniformed member of the New Brunswick party. As the notes of "God Save the Queen" swept over the hall, he came to "attention," heels together, eyes front, and gravely saluted the hymn to his sovereign. Mayor Quincy opened the meeting with a neat speech of welcome, and introduced Lieut. Gov. McClelan, who expressed his thanks at the opportunity to commend not only the Sportsmen's show, but the chance it afforded to exchange greetings with citizens of sister state. To meet thus in friend- , accident."

ly competition in the wholesome, healthy affairs of the woods and streams, to mutually reassure each other in the noble cause of protection to the denizens of the forest, to shake hands also with those who, born in

New Brunswick, have adopted Boston as their home-these were rare privileges that would be a highly prized remembrance. Premier. Emmerson commented upon some local failings

in geography, which often placed New Brunswick as a part of Nova Scotia. but he trusted the show had gone far to correct these errors and to reinstate his native province in its proper dignity as a region with traditions and hopes of its own. When two peoples with a common history, kindred feelings and the spirit of neighborliness so well marked met in this healthy rivalry, there could not but be a renewing of the bonds of friendship, a recementing of ties that made the Anglo-Saxon race kin.

The speakers had much trouble in filling the unaccustomed space of the big hall, but Dr. A. A. Stockton was entirely equal to the elecutionary demands of the occasion, and he made vocal what the previous speakers had not made evident in the difficult hearing. He added a word of congratulation on the completeness of the whole exhibition as a picture of the finer side of recreation, and hoped that when they came together would be under conditions that would be mutually better and more ilustrative of the sportsman's life. He invited all who were seeking recreation and rest to come to New Brunswick, learn at first hand its beauties, drink deep of its life-giving breezes. He hoped that this and similar occasions would draw the people of the two sections nearer together, and if Providence should so will it that the dread summons to war should go forth, that the stars and stripes would be found side by side fighting for the cause of freedom and equal justice to all. The war scare allusion was uproariously

cheered. The Hon. L. J. Tweedle spoke after one event of the programme in a similar strain. All the New Brunswick speakers took pains to pay a tribute of approval to Surveyor General Dunn, who has had the exploitation of the exhibit, assisted by Commissioners Smith and White.

BOSTON, March 25.-The Cross of St. George was flung out on Mechanbuilding with the American flags this morning and a sign inside the building notified all visitors that this was Quebec day at the show. The headquarters of that province, in exhibition hall, were decorated with the English colors, and there were several distinguished guests from the Canadian province among the callers at the Quebec booth. Premier Marchand was expected, but was unavoidably detained, and the province was represented by Hon. L. J. Jones, superintendent of fisheries and game for Quebec, and D. T. Chambers, editor of the

FORTY EIGHT PERISHED.

ing Steamer Greenland.

ST. JOHN'S, N. F., March 26 .- The steamer Greenland, returning from the seal fishery, put into Bay de Verde tonight and reported a terrible disaster. On Wednesday last, when among the ice fields, while her crew were travelling about the floes in search of seals a terrible storm arose, accompanied by a blinding snow, which drifted raply and was accompanied by a severe frost. The members of the crew who were on the ice could not regain the vessel and were exposed to the terrible weather throughout the night and all the next day.

tween fifty and sixty were so badly frost-bitten that the amputation of one or more of their limbs will have t) be undergone by all of them. Yesterday the Greenland succeeded in recovering the bodies of twentyfive of the victims, but the remaining

Forty-eight men perished and

twenty-three were buried beneath the snow drifts. All of the frost-bitten men aboard dendance.

From the circumstances of the disaster it is feared that other steamers have suffered in a similar manner. The city is in a terrible state of excitement. The disaster is the worst recorded in the history of the sealing industry. Most of the victims were

married men. The Greenland is expected to arrive here tomorrow and the government is making preparations for the accommodation of the frost-bitten sufferers.

OXFORD-CAMBRIDGE BOAT RACE.

PUTNEY, Eng., March 26.-Oxford won the fifty-fifth annual boat race between orews representing Oxford and Cambridge, which was rowed today over the usual course from Putney to Mortlake, four and one-quarter miles. Oxford won the toss, and it was generally declared that this practically assured the race for her, as her crew, of course, tock advantage of the brisk wind that was blowing. The water was rough. At the Duke's Head, soon after the start, Cambridge was leading, and the light blues were a quarter of a length shead of the dark blues at Clasper's boat house. At the Crabtree, about a mile and a quarter from the start, Oxford led by three lengths. When Thorneycroft's works were reached, three miles from the start, the dark blues were leading by five lengths, and at Barnes' Bridge, three and two-third miles, her lead was forty-five seconds. The Oxford crew crossed the line twelve lengths shead. Oxford has now won thirty out of the fifty-five races rowed, and has been the winner nine years in succession.

The Cambridge crew stopped off the ship at Mortlake, thoroughly exhausted, and with their boat half full of water. crews representing Oxford and Cambridge.

DOCTORS NOT INFALLIBLE.

(Cleveland Plain Dealer.) Jones is far from believing in the infallibility of science as to prognosticating the future course of disease "Several famous doctors," he said predicted that my father-in-law would be carried off by a stroke of

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THE OHIO FLOOD.

Nearly All Roads in Central and Northern Ohio Badly Damaged.

CINCINNATI, O., March 23.-A flood is filling the banks of the Ohio river, a peculiar feature of which is that from Wheeeling to Cairo no tributary on the left bank of the river makes the slightest contribution to the great freshet. Had the in-pour of waters from streams on the left bank been equal to that of those on the right, the flood would have equalled that of 1884, perhaps surpassed it. The stage of water at Pittsburg is phenomenal. There has been a steady rain since last Saturday, during which time 2.06 inches of water has fallen, of which four-fifths of an inch has fallen in the last 24 hours. Reports from cen-Terrible Experience of the Crew of the Seal- tral points in Indiana, Troy, Urbana, tions, were over six feet in height, one Springfield, and Zanesville, Ohio, indicate a fall of from 3 1-2 to 4 1-2 other six feet five inches. As comparinches at those places, with one-half this precipitation within the last 36 ture of the French, the Italians, and southern Ohio are either crippled or totally disabled for the present. This and destroyed bridges and the like. All over Ohio and Indiana, except perhaps, in the extreme acrthern parts, railroad traffic is demoralized. The Muskingum, the Hocking, the Scioto and the two Miami rivers in Ohio seem likely to break the record from source to mouth for high stages of water and for damage and destruc-

tion. Reports from Indiana indicate that the same may be said of rivers and streams in that state. Tonight at Cincinnati with the mercury at 45, a drizzling rain is falling and the clouds are threatening. The stage of the river at 9 o'clock was 47 feet 6 inches, a rise of nine inches in the last three hours. It will be over fifty feet by daylight and without fur-

ther rain, probably will reach 55 feet. DELAWARE, Ohio, March 23 .- Torrents of water were today pouring through the business streets here. Four squares of business houses are under water and the stock is either damaged or completely ruined. The rushing waters removed buildings from their foundations, while scores of wagons and foot bridges have been carried away. It is stated tonight that the village of Waldo, north of here, has been washed out of existence, but the report cannot be confirmed, as all communication with Waldo is cut off. The loss in this place will exceed \$50,000.

A LIGHT AT SEA.

Captain Wheler of the P. and O. Peninsular reports that his second officer, Mr. Steer, raw an extraordinary celestial phenomenon on February 8 in latitude 13.22 N. longitude 45.18 E. Mr. Steer says: "At 2.52 a. m., mean-time, I observed, bearing south-half-west, an enormous ball of a dull-red color, appearing to me about one-eighth the size of the sun, falling slowly from the heavens, samething like a falling star, but without any trail behind it. It fell very much more slowly, but when at an altitude of about three degrees it burst with extraordinary brilliancy, and threw out in all directions what seemed to me fiames, which lit up the whole of the horizon in the south. The phenomenon had none of the appearance of a falling star, as regards color and size. Buring my whole experience at sea I never saw anything in the slightest degree resembling it."—Calcutta Englishman.

A GOVERNOR IN HOT WATER. A GOVERNOR IN HOT WATER.

A Wesleyan minister in Madras called his excellency the governor of Madras to account in public the other day, because he had travelled down to Coimbatore on a Sunday. The visit of Sir Arthur Havelock to the Goojelly bazaar to wittess a temple procession has similarly given offence in certain quarters. The Bombay Guardian has an article on the subject, headed "Official Insults to God," and calls Sir Arthur's visit a "public insult to the Almighty." Surely a governor who desires to know the life of the people is not to be prevented from going as a spectator either to a Hindoo procession in the Goojelly bazaar or to a Mahommedan tazia procession in Triplicane. If he had taken part in the procession, or if, in courtasy, he had saluted the idols, it would have been a grievance; but, as things go, the Guardian's indignation is surely unreasonable. The Madras native is not so much behind the times as to imagine that Sir Arthur went as a worshipper.—Madras Times.

Advertise in the WEEKLY SUN.

A BIG EMBASSY

(Boston Herald.)

The English foreign office in its dealings with African subjects has often to practice even the smaller arts of diplomacy. Thus, in sending a mission last year to arrange a treaty with Menelek II., the Emperor of Abyssinia, it was considered desirable to impress upon the mind of that potentate that the English were a strong and stalwart people. There had been several Italian missions sent to Adowa, and last year a French and a Russian mission made a visit to the Abyssinian capital. The foreign office at London considered that the English mission might show to advantage if it possessed men who not only had mental abil. ity, but also conspicuous physical characteristics. For this reason the personnel of the mission was made up hours. Nearly all roads in central and even the Russians, the impression left lish were a race of giants, an impression which we imagine that the English foreign office was desirous of having implanted

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