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ST. JOHN STAR.

MONTREAL Jan. 28.—The Canadian percent of the to keep informed that the dominion goverament has approved of a resolution goverament has approved of a resoluti that Sir Wilfrid's speeches are for the occasion only; that his assurances of sympathy are as many and broad as the claims upon them, and that has Saskatchewan musket is only a piece of oratorical effect. The promises of the liberal premier are of the kind on stantial, can be built. If Mr. Redmond knows this, he is not informing anybody else. It would not be in his interest to do so. But a large number of the British people, to whose ears these assurances of Sir Wilfrid are now brought, would be likely to suppos that the premier of Canada was a man reliance might be put. So the authority of his name would be likely to cartainly is not a help to the councillors of King Edward. His action in the

do. The people of Canada have reaso to know just what that means. THE GARDEN OF THE GULF.

Redmond affair is about as bad a

If Prince Edward Island can only succeed in continuing for another year or so in its present lawless condition it will bear a reputation which would have made Texas in the palmy days of feuds and highway robbery retire gracefully but reluctantly into the

In this little province, the garden of the guilt, "where, among the bluebery fields poets blossom forth," it might be expected that a peaceable and law abiding population would be found. Vain expectation. Within the past twelve months "the" island has been is pold and sirry of the scene of more lawless acts than perhaps any other district of equal area in Canada.

There may be something in the atmosphere which tends to produce a feeling of hilarity, Perhaps, like the Helvetians of whom Caesar speaks, the young men may feel that their districtories are too confined and that, being unable to escape from the splend to escape from the spl landers abroad have spurred a few of

the more ambitious to the task of making names for themselves in their own

fact remains that within a very few andale, Alberton, and Kensington, have tried to shoot others. In all the in stances the results were not fatal This is not particularly the fault of the ones who did the shooting. Their intentions were presumably good, for a man who draws a revolver and fires at another in a drunken row is not always anxious to do nothing more than create a false report.

cent sporting events took place in or near bar-rooms, and this in a province where the sale of liquor is absolutely prohibited. During Tammany rule in New York it was well known where the boodia went. Who gets the rake-off in Prince Edward Island?

Halifax Board of Trade stands alone in wishing to transfer the I. C. R. to the C. P. R. It is a case of splendid issolation.—Telegraph.

The Halifax board has probably been on this subject, hence its conversion to this principle.

Hon. Mr. Biair's political opponents as well as his friends hope for his speedy restoration to health, and learn with regret that he is still unable to give his attention to public business.

Pastor of Tabernacle Church Back in His Pulpit—Memorial Service Next Sunday— A Testimonial.

Rev. H. H. Roach returned on Saturday hom a week's well earned rest in Noca Ravila, and resumed yesterday the pulpit of the Tabernacie Baptist church, which he had not occupied since Nov. 13. A very large congregation attended at both services. In the marming Rev. Mr. Roach preached an abbe seemon from John xv., 718, on the theses, "Abiding in Christ," illustrating mainly his remarks by reference to some of his experiences during the epidemic. In opening, he expressed his great pleasure at being among kis own people again, his great gratifications is welcoming so large a number, and his samarance that the work, necessarily dropped daring the past two months, would now by exprised on more vigorously than ever.

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At the evening service he announced that pext Sunday a memorial service would be held for those of the congregation who had succumbed to affacis of, the dread disease which had robbed the church of eight of its attendants. Those belonging to the Tabernacle congregation who have died of small-pox are Mrs. Beyes, wife of Deacon Beyas; Bertram and Lleweign, sone of Deacon Parker; Wm. Alward, Mrs. H. E. Alward, Guy Fawcett and the two children of Heary Blair.

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LEWISTON, Idaho, Jan. 24.—A. special from Elk City announces the arrival there of Allen Stonebreaker, carrying the mail from the Hunder Mountain and bringing the latest news from that district. He left the camp Jar. 19, and at that time supplies were nearing complete exhaustion. There were 75 men in the camp and unless supplies are taken in immediately the most of them will be compelled to leave at once. The last few sacks of flour sold from \$20 to \$50 per sack: A new district, five by four and one-half miles in extent has been located and the locations are selling from \$1,000 up.

carnival which is booked to take place at Vic orla rink on the evening of Friday, February 7th.

While the Polymorphian skating carnivals have always been good in the past, the scheme this year is to distance all previous records. A lot of new features are in hand, and the club members swear they will wake up the city as never before

VICTORIA RINK TONIGHT.

There will be a band at the rink every night this week.
Tonight, in addition to the band, there will be a one mile race between Hudson Breen and Leonard Daly, to start about 9 o'clock. The ice is in great condition, and as a deep soild bed has been formed, there is no danger of even a few days of mild weather, should it come, spoiling the skating. Mr. Armstrong struck the right thing when he put an asphalt bottom in the skating area of Victoria rink.

MANUAL TRAINING.

This evening at eight o'clock in the High School room Prof. Robertson of Ottawa will lecture on Manual Training as a Part of Modern Education, Prof. Robertson understands his subject in all its bearings. The subject appeals to teachers and to parents. Iudge Trueman, chairman of the St. fohn school board, will take the chair, and it is expected that all the teachers at the city will be present.

BERLIN, Jan. 26.—The Prince Wales, who is to represent King Ed-ward at the celebration of the birth of Emperor William tomorrow, visited the Prussian princes, Count Von Bue-low, the imperial chancellor, the vari-ous ambassadors and other distin-guished personages this morning.

HERE BEFORE.

St. John Visited Four Times By Smallpox.

The Epidemic of 1871 Found the Board of Health With 86 Cents to Its Credit.

got to work. The city was divided into districts and a house to house system of visitation adopted as in the recent epidemic. At a cost of 31,600 to
the municipality 5,379 persons were vaccinated and the outcome showed it was
money well expended.

Altogether there were 205 cases with
71 deaths. Not many of the cases were
in the uptown, Lower Cove or Indiantown districts, but each of the places
was visited by the disease. In Erin
street and vicinity the disease raged
most prevalent. Of the 205 persons attacked 138 had never been vaccinated.
Sixty-nine, or just fifty per cent. of
these died. Two of the 67 persons who
had been vaccinated at some time or
other, died, but one of the fatalities
was a doubtful successful vaccination,
so the death rate among the victims
more or less protected was almost pil.
During January and Februáry there
were 18 in May, not surprising, owing
to it being the moving month of the
year. Five cases in June and four in
July terminated the career of the epidemic.
Dividing the disease into types, there

In the last half century St. John has experienced four epidemics of smallpox, not epidemics in the true sense of the word, as accepted by the medical profession, yet the disease was on each visife was prevalent enough to be researded as epidemic by most people. In 1859-80 smallpox struck the city with considerable vigor, but, while some of those attacked still survive; little history or statistics are obtainable of the extent of its ravages. Again, in 1871, the inhabitants were attacked and over 1890 cases, with 71 deaths, followed before the epidemic was suppressed. Then there was another siege in 1879, which was the last until 1901. At other intervals during the period mentioned the disease made its appearance in a few separate cases, the last occasion being in 1835, when an epidemic in the true sense of its meaning raged in the province of Quebec, especially in the city of Montreal, where over 3000 people succumbed to its ravages. Then it will be seen that St. John was free from smallpox for 16 years prior to the present outbreak.

The epidemic of 1871 was similar to the one just subsided in three respects, it was originated by a sailor, flourished of the Haymarket Square districts, and was arrested by vaccination. In that occasion the disease obtained a stronger foothold and threatened to wipe out a good proportion of the inhabitants because the health authorities then did not establish a general vaccination as promptly as was done in the 1901 outbreak. In 1871 the first victim who developed smallpox died and was buried without two attending physicians diagnosing the disease. In this way an epidemic firmly implanted, itself, and the accapied from an infected steamer at Portland, Maine, and come to St. John. He did not take all until three weeks after his arrival the relation of the epidemic here was due to the fact that he had escaped from an infected steamer Morovian. Smallpox and surface and owing to this elapse of time doubt arose respecting the nature of his disease, but, subsequently, it was agreed tha July ferminated the career of the epidemic.

Dividing the disease into types, there were 11 cases of the true hemorrhagic and 14 of petchial, which is a milder form of the same type. All the victims died. Out of 95 cases of confluent there were 28 deaths, a mortality of 40 per cent; 54 cases of discrete, with 3 deaths, and 31 varioloid victims, all of whom recovered.

For the facts of this article the Star is indebted to Dr. Allison, who is an ardent advocate of vaccination after his personal experience with over 200 cases. attent activates of vaccination after his personal experience with over 200 cases.

If one hundred people of the community have smallpox and the balance of the inhabitants are successfully vaccinated, it would be a farce to quarantine or isolate the victims so far as the protected people are concerned, he says. Successful vaccination has been a positive and absolute immunity in his experience.

Events and incidents of the epidemic are still fresh in the physician's memory. Feeling ran high, he says, especially between the people and the General Public Hospital commissioners, the public demanding that the institution be converted into a small-pox hospital. The board of health also had its troubles in these days, but pursued the plans it adopted at the outset. Again Dr. Allison relates how families undertook by isolatism to escape infection. One family of which most members still survive in this city, shut themselves from the outside, yet the disease sought out the only unvaccinated person in the househeld.

Two years later Dr. Allison was deputed to handle as epidemic in Dalhousie, N. B.

dinancially, for its funds amounted to \$8 cents, a balance in one of the banks. To meet the exigencies of the occasion \$1.50 meet the exigencies of the occasion \$1.50 meet the active portion of the board, were obliged to pledge their personal credit to the amount of two or three thousand dollars. In these days the city did not pride having among its possessions an epidemic hospital and an institution called the Houe for the Fallen was secured for the occupation of smallpox victims. The same house which is situated near the Courtenay Bay cotton mill is used as a tenement. Its capacity was limited to about 20 patients, so only victims from districts not largely infected and those who could not be treated at home were taken to the hospital. In March a general vaccination was established and the extension of the disease was rapidly arrested after the vaccinators

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WINNIPEG, Jan. 26.—The Lisgar ection is fixed for February 20th; omination a week earlier.

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to arouse Kelly, and hearing voices inside the ambulance, he got on the seat alongside Kelly and drove to the Webster Avenue Police Station. There Kelly was aroused, and it was then learned that the ambulance was from "I want to shake hands with you, sir. I hope you understand that no offence was intended in what I said, sir. You are a politician. So am I. You understand, of course, how we politicians have to do those things sometimes."

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right hand easily into his trousers pocket.

"I have no wish to shake hands with you," he said to Mr. Sulzer, and turned away. Mr. Sulzer first grew pale, then red, and his hand trembled. Then, summoning the smile again, he made a bee line for the door. Mr. Parker started up as if to follow him. Mr. Gillig asked him where he was going.

"There are many things I wish to say to that man," said Mr. Parker, "which it would not be proper for me to say to thim while we are both guests of the club. I want to talk to him on the street for a few minutes."

Mr. Gillig at length persuaded the Englishman that Mr. Sulzer was not worth talking to in any place, and Mr. Parker gave up that idea of a pursuit. But he did say that in a long experience of attending public banquets he had never witnessed quite such a performance as Mr. Sulzer's political assault on a foreign guest. MONTREAL, Jan. 26.—George Hen-rich Duggan, the well-known yachts-man, has been appointed consulting engineer of the Domindon Steel Co., with headquarters at Sydney.

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