

MR. THOMPSON'S SPEECH, CONTINUED.

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1897 this country spread over an extensive area of 3,000,000 square miles... The population of the Dominion in 1870 was 1,000,000...

What we have been accomplishing with additional protection to the people and the protection to the people...

Now, sir, I have said so much upon financial questions and the hour is so late...

STEWART'S MOUNTAIN. - A correspondent writes: - On the evening of the 8th inst. the ladies of Stewart's Mountain...

EASTPORT'S FIRE.

Loss Over Half a Million of Dollars. One Hundred Families Homeless and Many People Sleep in the Streets.

Sixty-two Dwellings, One hundred and Thirty Stores and Offices, Eight Factories, Four Hotels, Two Banks and Seventeen Wharves Burned.

EASTPORT, Oct. 16. - The fire which broke out at 2 p. m. Thursday, raged furiously for ten hours, defying all fire control or arrest...

It was the driest season for forty years. The wells were all dry. The wind was from the southwest. The principal business street...

ON THE EAST SIDE OF WATER STREET. The fire jumped an open space of 260 feet, burned J. K. Corneil's residence and one of his barns...

ABOUT ONE HUNDRED FAMILIES ARE HOMELESS. Many factory hands lived in boarding-houses which are burned out. Every tenement house was crowded before the fire...

THE NEW BRUNSWICK. Arrives safely in Boston Harbor - Death of a Passenger from Consumption. BOSTON, Oct. 17. - The International Line steamer New Brunswick arrived at New York...

TERRIBLE DISASTER!

Sabine Pass Washed Away by the Sea. Over One Hundred Persons Drowned. Every House But One Destroyed.

NEW ORLEANS, Oct. 15. - A special despatch says the relief boat Lamar has returned to New Orleans with the bodies of 100 persons who were drowned...

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QUEBEC ELECTIONS.

A List of the Members Returned and Their Majorities. (Special to THE SUN.)

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THE INMAN LINE.

To Pass into the Hands of Philadelphians. (Special to THE SUN.)

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