of hoop poles, belonging to Thomas Lewis of Young's Cove Road, were destroyed, also about \$75 worth of cordwood belonging to Robert Phillips, of Cole's Island.

Captain Joslen is very busy at present inspecting wharves and bridges. The drive of West Bros. is out. The

FREDERICTON.

Fredericton, N. B., May 4.-(Special)-George Herbert Lamb has been appointed police magistrate for the town of St. An-

has been appointed a provincial constable. Upwards of 100 separate rafts of bank logs were landed at Springhill today, being the biggest day's run this season. Most of them came from points below Woodstock. About half of the total quantity were cut under contract for the Scott

Lumber Company.

The demand for bank logs is unusually slack at Springhill just now and \$9.50 per thousand is the highest price being paid

from the head waters today that their drives on Wild Cat stream and Black River were making satisfactory progress. The river at this point has fallen a few

inches since yesterday morning. None of the logs from the Tobique bearing Estey's and Murchie's marks have been running into the booms since Monday night.

Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Tinker, a young English gentleman, and Mrs. Tinker, are among the guests at the Queen. They are accompanied by B. J. Grant of St. John, West, and their object is to look over some farm properties in this locality

with a view of purchasing.

The Hanford Brown property, a farm of 500 acres, situated at Maugerville, was sold under a mortgage at public auction in front of the post office by Auctioneer Stockford at noon today. It was bid in by Walter Limerick at \$3,125. time employed by the American Lumber Company, Tracadie, left last night for western Ontario, where he has a position.

Stanley is to have a system of water works. At a meeting of a number of ent people of that enterprising village held a few evenings ago it was decided to undertake the work and to start it at are very busy preparing their boats and the earliest possible moment. This sys-schooners to start out as soon as the harthe earliest possible moment. This system will be for fire protection purposes as well as for domestic use. The water supply will be obtained from a beautiful spring on the hill at the back of the village and the pipes will only have to be laid for a few hundred feet. As the spring is at least 200 feet above the village level there will be ample pressure for both domestic and fire purposes. Several of the interested citizens of Stanley have estimated that the cost would be about \$4,000 or \$5,000.

St. Martins railway is heard in the village away and this is the reason they are rentagain. A working train and crew of men ing. started out on Monday morning and are proceeding with repairs towards Hampton, where they hope to reach in a few days. Quite a number of men have been at work on the line since before the snow went off putting in new sleepers and making general require.

ent time.

A. W. Fownes has completed his cut of the logs at the Patterson place. He utilized the rotary water mill to saw the logs. St. Martins, N. B., May 2—Five young ladies were baptized by Rev. C. W. Townsend, pastor of the Baptist church, on Sunday afternoon and in the evening received the right hand of fellowship.

Rev. Mr. Ormist, Presbyterian, of Montreal, began his ministerial labors here Sunday morning.

ing here for some time, left here on Mon-day for Nova Scotia, where he has pur-chased a farm. A well authenticated report says that when he returns he will be

Mrs. Eveline Toole, who was here attending the funeral of her father, Mr. Brown, returned to her home this morn-

here most acceptably for the last two years, left on Monday morning for a well deserved brief vacation. F. M. Anderson is away on a short visit to Woodstock.

At a meeting of the agricultural society held in the temperance hall on Monaay evening it was decided to hold the annual exhibition on the seminary grounds or Wednesday, Oct. 5. Should the weather prove unfavorable then the exhibition will take place on the first fine day following.

CHATHAM.

Chatham, May 3-The first meeting of

Band. Mayor Murdock thanked the mem-

bers of the band and presented them with a sum of money, from the council.

Ald. MacLachlan moved that the assessment be \$28,600, made up as follows: Interest, \$7,800; sinking fund, \$1,900; schools, \$8,700; fire, \$1,500; water maintenance, \$1,500; streets, \$3,000; light, \$1,600; contingencies, \$2,500; board of health,

Ald. Morris reported five Scott Act fines amounting to \$265. Ald. Bentley asked why the fines were

Ald. Watt said it was difficult to get second offence and at present the Scott Act was only run for revenue.

Ald. Bentley protested against the being run for revenue. It was not withe people wanted, and it would be bet

In Kings county our agents

Joshua B. Allaby, Salt Springs; Jame ford; John H. Urquhart, Springfield;

Ald. Maher thought Ald. Bentley should

Ald. Maher thought Aid. Bentley should have raised this objection before the assessment passed, as the Scott Act fines were depended upon for public salaries.

Ald. Snowball and Ald. Watt agreed that the police could be paid without the Scott Act fines; that the law should be girlly referred, and that all who yielated.

Miss Lavinia Decker died yesterday at the home of Joseph Milton, after a few days illness of pneumonia. The deceased was about fifty-five years of age and was well liked by all. The funeral will take place tomorrow.

George C. Moore, an old resident of rigidly enforced, and that all who violated it should be treated alike. Fire, light and water bills were ordered

Finance-MacLachlan, Snowball, Maher, Light, water and sewerage—Snowball, Fraser, MacLachlan, Morris, Watt, Bent-

Fire-Bentley, MacLachlan, Maher, Galivan. Morris. By-laws-Maher, Watt, Bentley, Galli-

Public works-Watt, Fraser, Bentley, Snowball, Maher, Gallivan.
Police—All members of council; Morris,

The sad death of Rev. Sister Carroll, daughter of James P. Doyle, of Jacquet, occurred early yesterday morning at the Hotel Dieu after a lingering illness. And leceased was known to the world as Miss The first salmon catch of the season in the St. John river was made last night by Thomas Craig of Douglas, who landed two beauties, weighing 8 to 10 pounds respectively.

Hegekiah Fox of Waterville Southann.

Hezekiah Fox of Waterville, Southampton, lost his dwelling house by fire on Monday last. The fire is thought to have started by a spark from the flue. Very little furniture was saved.

Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Tinker, a young English contleman, and Mrs. Tinker, are

between \$8 and \$10, appropriated.

W. H. MacLachlan has sold out his grocery stock to Harry Flieger, of Escuminac, who intends to continue the busi-

Gordon McLean, who has been for some

CARAQUET.

Caraquet, N. B., May 3-Our fisherme hor is cleared of ice.

We are sorry to learn of Wm. Frumg & Co.'s loss at Lameque on Friday. They had their warehouse burned where they had stowed away all their sails for boats and schooners. The loss must be about

Philip Arsenault's mill from Tracadie is now sawing the scantling for the new addition of the convent. The contract for building stone work has been awarded to Nazaire Dugar, of Upper Caraquet. We are sorry to learn that Jos. T. St. MARTINS.

St. Martins, May 4 The whistle of the stand Mrs. Blanchard's health is falling

MONCTON.

Moncton, May 3-A shipment of about 250 pounds of copper ore taken from the Maritime Copper Company's property at ing general repairs.

The energetic president and secretary of the road are doing all in their power to have the line in good shape for the tourist travel to St. Martins this summer.

Travelers report the middle road to St. Martins in bad condition owing to the frost coming out. The upper road is reported much better for travel at the present time.

Maritime Copper Company's property at Goose River, St. John county, to the world's fair was made from Moncton tonight. The ore is being shipped by the dominion government and will be exhibited among Canada's mineral products.

Harry Ashton, whose resignation as mechanical superintendent of the I. C. R. took effect May 1, left last night for Montreal. It is said that Mr. Ashton went to real. It is said that Mr. Ashton went to Montreal to try and find out from his friends the cause of his dismissal. In the meantime Mr. Ashton's family remain in

W. Sims Lee, of Halifax, has been appointed city auditor at a salary of \$500 a year. There were two or three local applicants for the position.

R. J. Wilkins, who took charge of the American Hotel on the first of April last, is making some decided changes in his house and the result will be a decided im-

provement in the place.

Mrs. Taylor, mother of Dr. T. A. Taylor. had the misfortune to fall downstairs the other day in her home and fracture her arm. Her daughter, Mrs. S. C. Goggin, of Petitcodiac, has been here for a few

days attending her. Titus England, an I. C. R. fireman, had work about his engine on Sunday last.

Prince Albert Lodge, I. O. O. F., will celebrate the 85th anniversary of their order in their lodge room tomorrow night.

Miss Magee, of St. Andrews (N. B.) the newly appointed matron of the Mayor.

newly appointed matron of the Moneto hospital, arrived here last night and er tered upon her duties today. Miss Gran has gone to Montreal. Moneton, N. B., May 5.-G. R. Joughins

the new mechanical superintendent, has authority over all government railways as he Intercolonial, as former superintend ment of P. E. I railway under general suervision of Moncton.

J. T. Starkey has been appointed fore-man of the I. C. R. machine shop, vice A. B. McHaffle, promoted. Herb. G. Steeves has been appointed private secre-ary to G. R. Joughins. Mr. Laflanchville, the file clerk mechanical offices. Walte Appleton is acting chief clerk for Mr. Joughins. Waldo Steeves has been ap-pointed secretary; Thes. Henderson su-

HOPEWELL HILL.

Hopewell Hill, May 2 .- James Stuart, ery highly respected resident of River died vesterday after several wee daughter, Mrs.Daniel Clevel

Crawford, Kingston, N. B.

to have license than to run the act for The widow and family have the sympathy of all in their bereavement. Miss Lavinia Decker died yesterday at

> George C. Moore, an old resident of Mountville, has been quite ill. Dr. Carnwath of Riverside, was called to seen him

> Mrs. Harriet Hamilton an elderly lady of this village, is very ill with heart trouble. Dr. Carnwath is in attendance. Miss Selena Locke, who has been in poor health for some time, left yesterday for her home in Newfoundland. Her brother came here to accompany her home Capt. John Pye, customs officer at Hope vell Cape, is in quite a serious conditio

ng one of his feet last winter. Hopewell, Hill, May 4. The funeral of the late Miss Lavinia Decker took place this afternoon from the residence of Jos ed by Rev. J. K. King, pastor of the Methodist church, being largely attended. The burial was at the new cemetery here. Mount Pleasant lodge, I. O. G. T., of

Russell, treasurer; Myra Robinson, chap-lain; Joanna West, M.; Lottie Russell, D.

D. Cassidy's boot and shoe store was entered sometime Saturday night by an unknown party and the contents of the till, between \$8 and \$10. Clark Govang, who has been visiting re

tives at Chemical Road during the winter left teday to take a position Mrs. Chas. N. O'Regan went to Elgin

this week on account of the dangerous ill ness of her brother, Ensley Sheens. INDIAN ISLAND.

Indian Island, May 2-Charles W. Hen Mrs. George Cline, of Leonardville, Deer Island, who has been visiting her mother, Mrs. J. H. Hurley, returned to her home

Mr. and Mrs. James Leonard, of East ort (Me.), visited Mrs. John C. Dixon, or A new wire fence has been placed around the cemetery at this place. The work was

one by D. L. Martin, of Deer Island (N Robert Moses, who has been visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Chaffey, left for Lubec (Me.) on Friday morning.

Our school teacher, Miss Aggie J. Cummings, is confined to her home at Cummings Cove, Deer Island, with a severe

Halbert C. Dixon left here for Eastpor (Me.), where he will be employed in L. D. Clark & Son's sardine factory.

A few herring were taken at Doctors Cove, Deer Island, last week. They sold as high as \$15 a hogshead.

The first trawls were run in the rive last week. Quite a few codfish were taken but haddock were reported very scarce. Mrs. Albert Henry and children, Emma St. John, and Messrs. Burgess and Sons and Lawrence, of Cambridge (Mass.), spent sons expect to have their drive on Little a few days with Mr. and Mrs. John C. River at their mill, on the mouth, the

HARVEY STATION.

break up in a day or two. The frost is well out of the ground, and ploughing is a good business from the start Harvey Station, May 3-The ice still re being done on some farms.

Miss Maud Hunter, of Malden (Mass.) who has been visiting relatives and friends here for the past month, returned to Mal-

den yesterday.

Harry Watt, of Woodstock, who has filled the position of night station agent here during the winter, went to Maga-quadeuic last evening. He is to succeed Mr. Crawford as station agent at that

P. Kinsella, of St. John, has been here during the past week, placing some mounments in the cemetery. He returned hom

The York woolen mills, which were shut

HAMPTON.

Hampton, N. B., May 5-Isiah J. Baiz ey, who formerly conducted a shoe-mak hop in Hampton and who moved to th United States about four years ago, has returned to his former home and will purue his trade at the old stand.

Miss Nellie McMichael, of St. John, is spending a few days with her aupt, Mrs. Philip Palmer.

Dr. Thomas Walker, of St. John, wa in Hampton today.

A meeting of the Lawn Tennis Club was held on Monday evening, when the following officers and committees were Chosen: George Wilson, president; Harry H. Scovil, vice-president; Dr. F. H. Wet-more, sec.-treas.; E. Allen Schofield, Jas. M. Scovil and Geo. M. Wilson, executiv committee. The ladies' committee are Mrs. F. M. Humphrey, Mrs. R. A. March Mrs. George M. Wilson, Mrs. E. A. Schefield, Mrs. Frank Young, Miss Margare Evans. Men are now at work putting the grounds in good shape and the club loof forward to an enjoyable summer.

WASHADEMOAK.

Washademoak, April 27-The ice her ran out some time ago. The boat has n

Walkerville, Ont. Montreal, Que. St. John, N.B. Winnipeg, Hans

ding, Wickham; J. Titus Barnes, Sussex; Byron McLeod, Penobsquis; Central Norton; Fred Alward, Havelock; J. Henry Deforrest, Water-

mill will start about May 2. The popular photographer of this place is going to move to St. John and will open a studio at Haymarket Square. Charles Secord and sister, Mrs. Mary Murray, of Long Creek, were visiting their neice, Mrs. Ruth Perry, last week. George Mace, blacksmith, is about to ve his shop to Washademoak siding. Invitations are out for the wedding of Miss Nettie Secord, of Long Creck, and Mr. Archie Crealock, of Goshen. H. B. Hetherington's drive is expected

PENOBSQUIS

Penobsquis, May 5.—The funeral of the ate Caleb McCready took place today from the noon train from Salisbury. The ser vice at the church and grave was con ber of relatives was present from St. John Norton, Apchaqui, Petitcodiac, Sackville and Salisbury. The procession was very large and showed the respect of his friends and neighbors who had known him all his

S. Y. Morton and family left today for

Rev. Mr. Beatty is holding special services in the Free Baptist church.

Judge McLecd, of St. John, was here today attending the funeral of his uncle,

WILSONS BEACH.

Wilson's Beach, May 2-Mrs. Andrew Small and family, of Brockton (Mass.), are visiting Mrs. Small's mother, Mrs. Susan Brown. Mrs. Small has been seriously ill with rheumatism since her arrival. but it is considerabley improved at pres-

A number of substantial houses have been built in our village during the past two years and several more are to be added to the number during the present ummer. Quite a building boom seems to have struck and a good many are making improvements and extensions to their dwellings. The water front is receiving its share of attention and improvement by additional wharfage.

Alva Brown is building a large store owned by David Greene. A quantity of material for work on the reakwater has lately been brought here and no doubt work will soon be begun on that much needed structure.

Capt. Stephen Mitchell has temporarily accepted a position as mate on the Calvin Austin, and left home some time since to assume his duties in that connection. Simon Brown intends taking his schoon er Clara Benner to Belliveau's Cove (N. S.), for some repairs. Schooner Hustler lately discharged a load of salt at Jackson's wharf for H.

Jackson.

GRAND FALLS. Grand Falls, May 4.-Dr. Berton A Puddington has moved his office to the newly erected Burgess building on Broadway, over the Peoples Bank of Halifax. The logs are now running freely in the St. John, and Messrs. Burgess and Sons

River at their mill, on the mouth, the first of next week. It is currently reported that another bank will open a branch here early in July. There is undoubtedly ample business for another bank, which will prov

own most of last week, and Father Dugal Drummond, attended to the wants of the parish during his absence.

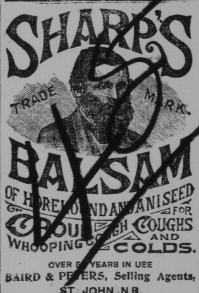
BLOOMFIELD STATION

Bloomfield Station, Kings Co., N. B., May 4-A barn, the property of George W. White, Guthrie Road, Central Norton, was destroyed by fire Tuesday afternoon. At the time of the fire there were in the arn a horse, seven head of cattle, hrashing machine and numerous other at cicles, all of which were burned. Loss about \$1,000; uninsured.

The fire is supposed to have caught from spark which fell on the roof of the barn. Much sympathy is expressed for Mr. White in his loss.

Fires set by the engines of passing trains are doing considerable damage in this vicinity. Three stacks of hay were destroyed in this manner last Monday. Several young men are leaving here this week for Beresford, Gloucester county where they will work for the summer i the mill of M. J. Collicutt. At a recent meeting of the Christian Endeavor Society, the following officers were elected: W. E. S. Wetmore, presilent; Bessie Pickles, vice-president, and Emma Innes, secretary

Will Stage Pilgrim's Progress. London, May 4-Charles Frohman has



ing between two and three o'clock on the west side of Cole's Island. Considerable damage was done. About \$405 worth

Minister of Militia Says Government Will Establish Field Battery Here.

WANT NORE PROJECTION.

British Columbia Lumber Dealers Want to Shut Out Americans --Thos. Mackie Says There's a Combine in Canadian Northwest, and There's No Need of a Duty.

Ottawa, May 4—(Special)—The afternoon itting of the house was devoted to a disussion of the duty on lumber. The Britsh Columbia men have wanted more protection so as to be able to get the north-west trade and the northwest men have opposed this. Rough lumber is now on the free list but the United States duty

is \$2 per thousand.

Thos. MacKie, a prominent lumberman and that there was no need for increased duty. There was a combine in the Canadian west and before it existed there was no importations from the United States.

Mr. Fielding said that the government would consider the matter. After passing a few private bills in the evening the house adjourned on account of the death of Mr. McCreary. Mr. Sinclair (Guysboro) has given notice

of a question asking if the government

is going to appoint a commercial agent to Newfoundland. He is in favor of looking after trade between Canada and th ancient colony.

St. John Drill Hall. In the house today Sir Frederick Borden said that plans were forwarded from Ottawa to the district officer commandin at St. John for a drill hall, on Februar 12. These plans were prepared in Novem ber. There was no drill half anywhere else built from these plans. Provision was made for a field battery.

to establish a field battery at St. Jo. The third regiment C. A. at St. John con sisted of four companies. It was not the intention of the department to increase or decrease these. The 62nd regiment con isted of eight companies and it was no the intention to increase or decrease these There was a bearer company now author ized at St. John. There was also an arm The plans will afford all necessary accommodation. No instructions were given

for accommodation for units of activ militia having headquarters in St. John The dominion government has decided to build a new wing to the western departmental block, off the inland revenue department, to accommodate the technical staff making experiments, etc. It will cost

PURE-BRED STOCK SALE

Clydesdale Stallions Realized Fair Prices. But Demand for Cattle Was Very Slow.

• Fredericton, May 3—(Special)—The auction sale of pure bred Clydesdale horses and Shorthorn cattle on the exhibition grounds here this afternoon was not as successful as anticipated, probably on ac count of insufficient advertising. The weather was very favorable and there was a very good attendance, among those present being noticed: Governor Snowball, Hon. L. P. Farris, Ora P. King, M. P. P. John A. Campbell, M. P. P., Hugh Mc-

Monagle, Judge Ebbett and several other rom outside the city.

Eight Clydesdale stallions belonging Graham Brothers, of Claremont (Ont. were sold at very fair prices, but the d mand for the cattle was very slow, only seven out of the twenty-five head being sold. D. J. Stockford officiated as auctioneer. Following is the result of the

Merry McQueen, 4186, foaled May, 1901 Sold to Samuel Betts, of Doaktown, for

1901-Sold to William Ross, of St. Marys York county, for \$302. Foreign Gentry, 4094, fooled May 15, 1901—Sold to F. C. Ebbett, of Gagetown, for \$385. Bonnie McQueen, 4292, foaled 1901-Sole o John V. Johnson, of Nashwaaksis, York Lord Roberts, 4617, foaled May 2, 1901 Sold to A. L. Treadwell, of Maugerville,

old to Hugh McMonagle, of Sussex, fo Reckoner Jr., 4165, foaied July 15, 1902 Sold to Norman Hanson, of Nashwaak York county, for \$121.

First Stanley, 4616, foaled July 3, 1902-

Cattle. Roan Ceasar, 51893, two-year-old bull ored by Andrew Kerr, of Ashburn (Ont. -Sold to John M. Harper, of Jacksonville, Carleton county, for \$105. Pilgrim's Prite, 51983, two-year-old bull-gred by Mr. Kerr—Sold to Robert Carr, h, for \$96.

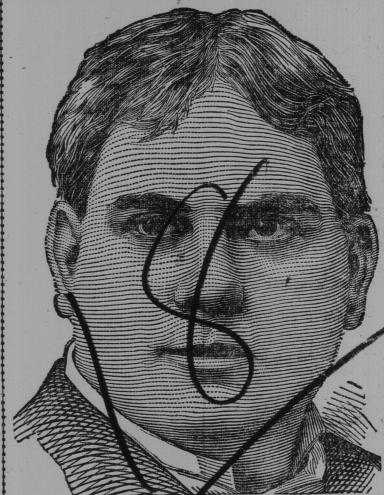
Gate, 5139, yearing bull, below, of Myrtle (Ont.)—Sold to add Innes, of Tobique River, for \$88. Argyle, 47817, two-year-old bull, bred by Robinson, of Ashburn (Ont.)—Sold to R. Robinson, of Ashburn (Oht.)—Sold Por, Dundas, of Hoyt Station, for \$86.

Royal Diamond, 51923, yearling bull, bred by Young Bros., of Whitby (Oht.)—Sold to Wallace Burpec, of Nashwaaksis, York ounty, for \$61. Reveller, 51920, yearling bull, bred by Young Bros., of Whitby (Ont.)—Sold to J. A. McDonald, of Blissfield, Northum-

Gloster Hero, 51954, bull calf, bred by James Cook, of Myrtle (Ont.)—Sold to A. W. Smith, of Marysville, for \$16. Several Shorthorn heifers were offered and brought bids as high as \$51, but Man-ager Bright would not let them go at that gigure.

SYSTEMIC CATARRH SO LITTLE UNDERS UNDERSTOOD

Claims Many Thousands. A Tragedian's Thanks to Peru-na.



FAMOUS TRACEDIAN. In speaking of Peruna, Rober

n-|a hot dressing room to a draughty "To sum it up, Peruna has done me

woop upon more good than any tonic I have ever dwater. It taken."—Robert Downing. Dr. Hartman was the first physician safeguard against me arial influences.
"You may notice that persons in poor in the United States to accurately describe systemic catarrh. His remedy

health always find the heat most intolerable; this I avoid by using Peruna. I Peruna, the only systemic catarrh remedy yet devised, is now known all over the circling world. A forson being ather is hot, yet I have felt the heat used it once can never be persuaded to "The cooling action of Peruns on the be without it when in need of such mucous membrane makes it invaluable remedy.

to actors and singers, as it does away with that tendency to sudden hoarseness latest book entitled "Summer Catarrh." so apt to overtake one on emerging from Address Dr. Hartman, Columbus, O.

Lauchlin McKay of Barton, and

Chesley Thomas of Brighton,

Among Them-John D. Veits

Died at Banff, N. W. T., Recently.

Digby, May 3.—Several sudden deaths

of Digby county people occurred last night. Laughlin McKay, who resided with his

son, John F. McKay, died suddenly while

sitting in his chair, aged 93 years. He was born in Prince Edward Island, but came

to this province via St. John about 75 years ago. He was a well-known ship

placksmith years ago. He was postmaster

at Barton ever since there was a mail service there until July, 1902. He was the a oldest justice of the peace in this county.

He is survived by five sons and five daugh-

died at Brighton, the next village, aged 81 years. His wife and family died several

years ago. He is survived by several

brothers, among whom is John V. Thomas,

About the same time Mrs. Frances, wife

of the late Jacob Cornwell, died at the

home of her grandson, E. D. Wescott,

Waterford, aged 84 years, having been

ill less than a week. Her husband and

only daughter died many years ago. She is survived by four grandchildren. She was a member of the Waterord Baptist's

A telegram received here this morning

nnounces the death of John Douglass W.

Viets, which occurred in Banff (N. W. T.) last night, aged 26 years. The deceased was a son of J. N. Viets, customs collec-

tor at this port and leaves besides his

parents five brothers and two sisters, among

whom is Robert Viets, a barrister in Glace

sides being agent in the company's marine

department in Digby, was station agent in

Middleton. Later he entered the employ

of the C. P. R. and was rapidly promoted.

At the time of his death was manager of the C. P. R.'s business in Banff, includ-

ing their large mining interests in that

his large circle of acquaintances. The body

will be brought to Digby. .

ocality. He was a general favorite among

a prominent citizen of Bear River.

PEOPLE PASS AWAY.

SUSSEX TO VOTE ON AGED DIGBY COUNTY INCORPORATION AGAIN.

It is Thought People Will Decide in Favor of Scheme on the 18th Instant.

ing, the famous tragedian, say

"I find Peruna a preventa

less this summer than ever.

all sudden summer ills tha

one in changing climates

is the finest traveling

Firewardens' Annual Report Shows Healthy State of Affairs-Some New Officers Reelected, But Most of the Old Ones

Sussex, N. B., May 3-(Special)-The question of incorporation of the town of Sussex will be brought before the electors again on the 18th inst. and from present

in favor of it. The annual meeting of residents of the fire ward was held tonight and was largely attended. A quorum of the board of wardens were present and submitted their annual report which showed a respectable

balance on the right side. George Coggon, J. A. Humphrey, A. Morrison, J. M. McIntyre and J. A. Me-Arthur were elected wardens for the ensuing year, the three former belonged to the old board. H. H. Parlee and E. Charters were elected auditors and Dr. J. J. Daley was appointed chief of the

RUSSIANS FEAR FOR FATE OF PORT ARTHUR.

fire department.

(Continued from page 1.) "They are too careful to com such a blunder as to expose their flank to the Russians stationed at Fen Wang Cheng. I think they will fortify their position at the Yalu and may land troops Bay (C. B.) The deceased had been years ago an employe on the D. A. R. and beat Tanus Han and hold the seashore, but Liao Tung, where they might be taken on either flank by General Kuropatkin from Liao Yang and General Stoessel from

Japan to Float \$50,000,000 Loan. London, May 5-Further inquiries show issued next week. It will take the form of seven year interest bonds and the price probably will be 93½, the security being the first charge upon the Japanese customs. The loan will be issued simultaneously in New York and London, the only deal was in the price by determined is redetail remaining to be determined is regarding the amount which will be allotted to each city. It is anticipated that London will get \$35,000,000 and New York \$15,000,000. M. Takahashi, the Japanese financial agent in London, says the money. will not be sent to Japan, but will be employed in paying the balance of trade. He

LABOR AGITATOR, DEAD

Ossining, N. Y., May 4—Sam Parks, the New York labor leader, who was sent to Sing Sing prison some months ago after his conviction on a charge of extortion, adds that in his opinion no other loan will be required by Japan before the conclusion of the war.

died in the prison today. He had consumption at the time of his conviction and had failed rapidly since he was sent to sumption at the time of his conviction and had failed rapidly since he was sent to

The new bridge over the Zambesi, at Victoria Falls, will cross the river 420 feet above the water, being the highest bridge in the world. Tamarisk timber 4,000 years old has been found in perfectly sound condition in ancient Egyptian temples.

Sing Sing:



all salt ure, clean, crystals, and nothing but