Mr. Fielding closed his exposition some what abruptly and went off in a glowing description of the activity, hopefulness and prosperity of the Canadian people. He told how about all the empire had land, New South Wales, West Indies, British India, until it included the all and closed amid applause of his supporters, most of whom, however, appeared to be disappointed that Hon. Mr. Fielding had nothing more to offer.

Mr. Foster, who was suffering from a bad cold, was present in the afternoon, but did not appear in the evening. Sir Charles Hibbert Tupper, in his behalf, moved the adjournment of the debate and the House adjourned.

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When the house met on Wednesday, Mr. Foster was still absent, in conse sequence of his indisposition. Sir Chas. Hibbert Tupper, in the absence of the opposition Leader, asked that the budget debate be adjourned. Sir Richard Cartwright who, in the absence of Sir Wilfrid Laurier, was leading the house, cheerfully assented. Sir Wilfrid and Hon. Mr. Tarte were also ill, and were not able to leave their residences. Replying to a question, Mr. Bergeron was informed that the government knew nothing of any document presented to the Pope or propagand's concerning the Manitoba schools. Hon. Mr. Blair Stated that A. H. Harris was not independent of the Intercolonial general manager, but was directed to act with Mr. Pottinger. Mr. Harris could fix Donald, of King's, P. E. I., was inform-

therefore on refined would be from eight | months leave of absence from January | expedient to provide that section s cents to twenty-four, according to qual- last. Mr. Campbell, of Kent, brought ity. The finance minister would not up the charge that the government had August in the present year, one thou in connection with a reduction of the tariff. Mr. Blair confirmed this statement, and Mr. Fraser, of Guysboro, pitched into the tories for trying to raise received the preferential tariff of last a race issue. Incidentally he paid a year with acclaims, and how Chamber- high tribute to the colored porters and lain and the Queen had joined in the encomiums. Only one thing now was ment on agricultural implements, endwanting and that he hoped yet to see, ing with a motion that good faith on the part of the government with the western now about to include Great Britain, Ire- farmers requires that the agricultura implements should be made free. The discussion was continued by Dr. Roche whole of her Majesty's dominions. The and Mr. Taylor, supporting the motion, finance minister spoke three hours in and by Mr. Craig, who said that the ministers had broken all their free laid Guiana. (d)-Any other British colon pledges, but he would not condemn them or possession the customs tariff of which for that, for he was glad they had not on the whole, is as favorable to Canada a

> to the rescue of the government with an amendment, against which he knew that the protectionists would vote. He moved that the duty on agricultural implements be reduced to ten per cent.
> Mr. Davin said he could vote for Mr. if there was any better chance for it to carry than his own. Dr. Sproule suping moved the adjournment of the devoting for the adjournment and Mr.

The house then adjourned to yesterday. TARIFF RESOLUTIONS.

six of "the customs tariff, I897," and to substitute the following section therefor rates without first obtaining the consent to in schedule C to this act is prohibited; and any such goods imported shall thereby ed in reply to a question that Hon. Mr. be destroyed or otherwise dealt with as Blair had received a petition from the the minister of customs may direct; and Britain and Ireland, or of any British inhabitants of Neufrage point asking any person importing any such prohibited colony or possession entitled to the benefit inhabitants of Neutrage point asking any person importing any such prohibited goods, or causing them to be imported, had been sent to Hon. Mr. Tarte. The solicitor-general stated that Judge exceeding two hundred dollars. That it is Weatherbee of Nova Scotia, had a five teen of the customs tarift. 1897, shall be The reduction shall be one-fourth of the

undertake to say what amount of in- dismissed colored porters on the I. C. R. eight hundred and ninety-eight, and that creased revenue the sugar schedule Mr. Campbell has a large colored vote the following section shall be substituted would give him. At present New South in his constituency, and proceeded to therefor. 17.—Articles which are the the following section shall be substituted therefor. 17.—Articles which are the growth, product or manufacture of any of the following countries may be imported direct to Canada from any of such countries, be entered for duty or taken out of warehouse for consumption in Canada at the reduced rate of duty provided in the British preferential tariff, set forth in schedule D to this act: (a)—The United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland. (c)—The British colonies commonly called the British West Indies, including the following. The Bahamas Jamasia, Turks. Wales and British Guians would be show by a letter from the superinten-entitled to the preferential tariff. Hon. dent of dining cars that the colored the following countries may be imported dent of dining cars that the colored the following countries may be imported porters had not been dismissed except direct to Canada from any of such counfollowing: The Bahamas, Jamacia, Turks Island, and the Caloos Islands, the Lee ward Islands (Antigua, St. Christopher Nevis, Dominica, Montserrat and the

Virgin Islands), the Windward Islands), Granada, St. Vincent and St. Lucia), Bar badoes, Trindad and Tobago, British the British preferential tariff herein re kept their word. Mr. Richardson, of ferred to is to such colony or possession Manitoba, government supporter, came provided, however, that manufacture articles to be admitted under such pre ferential tariff shall be bona fide the manufactures of a country or countries entitled to the benefits of such tariff, and that such benefits shall not extend to the importation of articles into the productio Richardson's motion, and would do so which there was not entered a substantia portion of the labor of such countries Any question that may arise as to any ported Mr. Davin's motion, and gave article being entitled to such benefits sha further illustration of the breaches of be decided by the minister of customs faith in tariff matters. Hon. Mr. Field-whose decision shall be final. 2.—The minister of customs, with the approval of bate, but Mr. Clancy protested against the governor-in-council, shall determine this attempt to get clear of the vote. what British colonies or possessions shall

The motion was carried by forty-six to be entitled to the benefits of the pre-The motion was carried by forty-six to be entitled to the benefits of the prefourteen. Sir Charles Hibbert Tupper ferential tariff under clause D of this J. B. Macdonald & Co. ——3: ection. 3 -The minister of customs Richardson and Mr. Douglas against. may, with the approval of the governor-in ouncil, make such regulations as may be deemed necessary for carrying out the intention of this section. That it is to be expedient to provide that schedule D to "the customs tariff, 1897 shall be repealed on and after the first day of August in the present year, one thousand eight hundred"

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MARY ELLEN HICKS, South Bay, Out. 6.—The importation into Canada of any present year, one thousand eight hundred goods enumerated, described or referred and ninety-eight, and that the following schedule shall be substituted therefor Schedule D. British preferential tariff. most of their money buy from become forfeited to the crown, and may On articles, the growth, product or manuduty mentioned in schedule A and the

that such refined sugar has been manu

factured wholly from raw sugar produce

tariff, 1897," and to substitute the following therefor: 435—All sugar above num

concrete, testing not more than seventy-five degrees by the polariscope, forty cents per one hundred pounds, and for each addi-

tenths of a degree or less not to be subject to duty, and fractions of more than five-tenths to be duitable as a degree. The

schedule B. to the customs tariff of 189

626-Tobacco unmanufactured, for exci

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warehouse for manufacture in any cig

pound. (B)-On all foreign raw

bacco, stemmed, taken out of wareho for manufacture in any cigar or toba manufactory, fourteen cents per pour Provided that the weight upon wh

such duty shall be computed shall be wreference to the standard mentioned

paragraph (C) of section 246 of the Inla Revenue act.

refined sugars of whatever kinds, grades andards, testing not more than eighty-

duty to be levied, collected and paid shall be three-fourths of the duty mentioned in schedule A. Provided, however, that this reduction shall not apply to any of the shall in all cases be subject to the duties medicines and articles containing alcohol, cigars and cigarettes. Provided, further, that the reduction shall not apply to refined sugar when avidence.

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dollar and eight cents per one hundred pounds, and for each additional degree, Fails.

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POST-MISTRESS IN TOILS.

Indigestion and Dyspepsia Had Made Her Prisoner—Two Years of Distress Turned to a Joy Song Because South American Nervine Cured Her Suffer-ings.

tenths to be duitable as a degree. The usual packages in which it is imported to be free. That it is expedient to provide that items 445 and 446 of schedule A to "The customs tariff, 1897," shall be repealed on and after the first day of July in the present year, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight. That it is expedient to provide that on and after the first day of July in the present year, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight, the following items shall be added to schedule B. to the customs tariff of 1897.

CH'TOWN PRICES, A	PRIL 1	2.
Beef (quarter) per lb\$	0.04 to \$	0.061
Beef (small) per lb		0.10
Butter, (fresh)		0.20
Butter (tub),	0.16 to	0 17
Cheese, (lb)		0.14
Celery, per burch	0.05 to	0.00
Chickens	0.25 to	0.30
Cabbage, per head	0.03 to	0.06
Calf skins (trimmed)	0.07 to	0.08
Eggs, per doz	0.20 to	0.22
Flour, per cwt	0.00 to	2.2
Fowls, per pair	0.35 to	0.40
Geese.	0.40 to	0.78
Ham, per lb	0.12 to	0.14
Hay, per 100 lbs	0.35 to	0.40
Hides	0.6 to	0.7
Lard	0.10 to	0.19
Lamb skins	0.30 to	0.60
Mutton, per lb	0.06 to	0.08
Mutton, carcass	0.05 to	0.00
Mangles	012 to	0.14
Oatmeal (black oats)per cwt	0.00 to	2.00
Oatmeal (white oats)per owt	0.00 to	2 00
Oats	0.28 to	0.2
Pork carcass,	0.41 to	0.4
Potatoes	0.22 to	0.2
Sheep pelts	0.70 to	0.90
Straw(per load)	1.25 to	2.50
m	0.10 4-	0.16

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LOCAL AND OTHER ITEMS. LOCAL AND OTHER ITEMS

On the 10th of April, at the Charlotte town Hospital, Mrs. Rose McQuaid, widow of the late John McQuaid, tailor of Charlottetown, aged 72 years. R. I. P.

CATCH COLD.

BRIGHT'S DISEASE BEATEN.

sleep bad and appetite poor. He commen-bed taking Doan's Kidney Pills and is now sompletely cured.

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A NERVOUS WOMAN

seed General Montgomery Moore in comnand of the British troops in Canada.

Is an altercation in Montreal on Saturday, an old man named Clifford was killed. A lacrosse player named O'Meara is a bath room of his father's residence. under arrest charged with the murder.

THE house of Alexander McDonald

It's an easy thing to do, but it's just as THE house of Alexander McDonald at Basy to get cured if you take Norway Mill River, Cape Breton, was burned last Sunday night. Two children aged sevent and three were burned to death.

THE steamer Northumberland left here Mrs. John Hook, 3 Edward Street, St. Thomas, Ont., writes:—"Doan's Kidney Pills cured my son of incipient Bright's Disease. He had terrible backaches and night sweats, and always felt tired and worn. His nerves were unstrung, his sleep had and appetite poor. He commenesterday morning to go on the Summer side-Point du Chene route. She reached Point du Chene but could not get to Sum nerside on account of ice.

THE steamer Stanley has ceased running between this port and Pictou until further orders. She returned to this port Satur day evening where she has since remained. The Princess is now running regularly be-Pioneers passing through a tween here and Picton. way so their friends may

our low prices on Men and is regarded as a master stroke. A MAN mamed White was struck by

train on the New England railroad at West Midway, Mass., on Saturday night

ted home some of these days, having made his pile. His weath is supposed to be

James' Prespyterian Church in this city.
When the firemen reached the scene they us. J. B Macdonald & Co. 3i "I was completely run down and had a bad cough due to bronchitis. I was very nervous, but since taking Hood's Sarsaparilla I have more appetite and feel a great deal better. I have also used Hood's Pills and find them very excellent." Mrs. M. Garland, 675 Crawford St. Toronto, Out.

entertainment will be given in the new St. Mary's Hall, Indian River. A feature of the entertainment will be an adress on education by Rev. Dr. Morrison.

> ERNEST HIGGINS, known as Midget Higgins, champion boy skater of Canada, died at St. John, on Sunday last from

W. P. COLWILL, the renowned Crockery A New Brunswicker, named Hamlin, and Glassware man, has removed his busiwho had lived for some years at Victoris, ness to the store on upper Queen Street, B. C., was recently frozen to death in the formerly occupied by Miller Bros, where Sunday night. Two children, aged seven | Crockery and Glassware, which he sells at rock-bottom prices. There is nothing in his line that he is not prepared to supply of the best quality and at a price that must be satisfactory. Call and see him if you want any bargains in his line.

Lot 7, together with his farm implements and about twenty tons of hay, was destroyed by fire one night last week. Two young men, named Morril and Cali cut were arrested on the charge of having committed the deed. They were brough to Summerside on Saturday last, having been previously tried fefore local J. P's. joicing on account of the great victory in June term of the Supreme Court. It apthe Soudan is universal in Great Britain, pears they confessed to one of the magisting the way to our Store with assured. Lord Salisbury's coup in China had burned, and to having committed oth rates that this was the third barn they er depredations. Mr. Wright's loss is estimated at about \$800. No insurance.

> According to a late despatch from Si Flavie, Quebec, Antoine Roi, of that place last and instantly killed. He was 45 is a most unlucky man. Not long ago he years of age, and a New Brunswicker by lost his position on the railway. Eight days ago his niece, Miss Lavoie, an orphan who lived with him succumbed to consump-A man named David R. McKay of New Glasgow, who has been in the Klondike gold fields for the last two years, is expec- after only a few days illness. To these misfortunes may be added the illness of his son, Adelard, who is suffering from a dangerous affection of the throat. Mad-ame Roi, who has suffered terribly from ABOUT half past seven o'clock Monday this succession of shocks, is in a very criti-

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Nobby, pretty, stylish and oheap, in pretty lawns, browns, other colors and black.

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Of every description will be on our counters. At presen we have two very special lines at 45c. a yard. Pretty silk and wool fancy dress goods in all shades and pretty silk stripe plaids. Should sell at 65c. We have a big stock. Qut they go for 45c. a yard.

New Silks, Black and Colored, just received. New Blouses, new Kid Gloves, new Corsets, new Belt Buckles, new Ribbons. Everything the very latest, and dozens of cases of New Goods arriving and opening every day. We invite all ladies to visit our store and examine our New

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Every lady wants a pair of new Kid Gloves in the spring, and we have some rare values We are selling a genuine 90c Kid Glove for 69c, 120 undressed Kid, black and colored, with 4 pretty pearl buttons to match, 89 cents. Also all the newest shades in red, ox blood, velvet and green, in 2 button Glove for \$1 10.

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nature happened in Montreal the other day. A mother who is quite blind took a kettle of boiling water from the stove and went to pour it into the wash tub, as she thought; but emptied it into the cradle instead, where her six months old baby was lying. The child was severely scalded and was taken to the hospital for treatment.

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We are making prices that com-pel you to buy from us or lose money.

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2nd, A. D., 1898, WILLIAM E. BENTLEY, Assignee of Mortgag

Great Clearance Sale Ldaies