### KING GEORGE'S SON WAS JAMES ORD.

### American Glaimants of Mrs Fitzherbert's Millions.

Story from Jersey City Disputes the Claim of St. Andrews, that King's Son Died There.

YORK, Nov. 17-That the British legation at Washington held abroad. I know myself that at least the tuition of James Ord, the reputed son of King George IV and his lawful wife, Mrs. Fitzherbert; that British officers visited Georgetown University. where he was trained, and that the plance to the English king is the gist of a statement made yesterday by Rev. John W. Fox. S. J., president of St. Peter's College, Jersey City.

Father Fox was at Georgetown Uni-Astronomer, Father Curley, who knew James Ord. Father Fox said: Father Curley died at the age of 94. I recall distinctly his speaking of the Ord mystery, of the lineage of a voung student sity. He told that in his days the lat-Royal birth. Father Curley told particularly that the bills contracted by young Ord were met by the British legation and that in his time British those who are most fiercely opopsed to officers frequently visited the institu- his party and policy that make

"I met James Ord in 1889. I did not Brien, in a letter written two-years ago, broach the subject, but when he gave interpreted the tenants' terms as 181-2 me his name I recalled Father Curley's years purchase of second term rents, was a kingly bearing about him. In James Ord, the Western Union Superintendent at Chicago, is a direct des-cendent of the Ords and believes himself to be a great grandson of King George, and heir to the estate of Mrs. the agreement. The other provisions Fitzherbert said to be \$6,000,000.

#### NORTH END MILL HAND'S NARROW ESCAPE.

Quite a serious accident took place

cut from his body and it was first tions; Cork college finishes it with nine. thought he was seriously injured. There used to be a rivalry between Dr. McIntyre was summoned and after a casual examination expressed the opinion that no bones were broken but decided to make a further was summoned and after a casual examination expressed the University college, Dublin. The content is over. Belfast is now competing decided to make a further was summoned and after the furt

#### COUNTY COURT CHAMBERS.

Before his honor Judge Forbes Saturday morning the case of R. Max-well McCarthy v. Charles E. Col-well was heard. The action was brought to recover \$100, being brought to recover \$100, being ities it is impossible for a country, a commission on the sale of 1,000 however good the government, or barrels of fish by the plaintiff in Halifax acting as Colwell's agent. It was admitted that the sale was made and that the defendant filled the order. The ly priticized the present management plaintiff testified he sold the fish for of Irish railways as calculated rather Mr. Colwell and at his request. Over the telephone he said he would want a did not want to pay it.

he was pressing Colwell to pay his advantage of proximity to his market. salt bill to Paterson, Downing Co., The public, he showed, had no redress, with whom plaintiff was employed and told Colwell to sell his fish and pay the oill. He also said he would do all he could to help Colwell. He remembered that Colwell refused to pay a commis-sion both before and after the sale. The defendant testified he notified the plaintiff not to sell unless he did

t without any commission.

W. H. Thorne stated that he told
Mr. McCarthy that Colwell wanted \$4.25 net for his fish and could allow

His Honor said he would reserve judgment. He complimented the law-yers on the way they tried the case saying it could not have been done better if leading counsel were employ-ed. Barnhill, Ewing and Sanford for the plaintiff. W. H. Harrison for the

### HALIFAX POSTAL CLERK **CAUGHT STEALING LETTERS**

HALIFAX, N. S., Nov. 17-A pos office clerk named Henry Burns, was arrested this morning charged with stealing letters from the post office. It is alleged one of the staff set to watch caught Burns in the act early this morning, a decoy letter being used. Burns pleaded not guilty in court
this morning and the case was continued until tomorrow. The accused has been about ten months in the post of-

BOSTON, Nov. 17-It was learned Hawley, of Brooklyn, N. Y., was myshave failed to recover the goods.

Dr. Chase's Ointment 3,638 tons. Roscommon and

#### IRISH NEWS AND GOSSIP.

(Special to the Star.)
DUBLIN, Nov. 18.—A very remarkable statement was made by Mr. Samu-els, K. C., at the inaugural meeting of the Law Students' Debating Society. He said, "The whole of the land of Ire-and Kilkenny with 533, show an inland outside a few large towns is being rapidly transferred from one class of its inhabitants to another; a peasant proprietary was rapidly being created. In that process twenty-five million dol-lars of money—and I hope it will be more—is being rapidly transferred from the imperial treasury to the pockets of the landlords, who are being bought out, and the result of that is that millions of money is being invested ten millions of dollars of the money received by landowners has been transferred to England, to the Argentine, to America-anywhere but to Ireland. Why? Is money not capable of findoriginal Ord bore a striking resem- ing investment in Ireland? The interest upon all that money will become

something like an absentee rental."
The discussion was on the comparaand Mr. Samuels, in vague way, intendversity for many years and was inti-ed that this statement should be used Honorable Chichester Fortescue, who mately acquainted with the Jesuit merely as an argument in favor of Promerely as an argument in favor of Pro-tection. He suggested that if there was protection to foster Irish industries Irish landlords would invest their cap-

terms of the Land Conference is to attack Mr. Redmond, who was a party to those terms. It is a little curious that it is not Mr. Redmond himself but officers frequently visited the limited tion to enquire for young Ord. The two eldest sons of this Ord attended Georgetown University when 'Father Consent the terms that would be fair to landlord and tenant. William O'interpreted the tenants' terms as 181-2 Although bent with age, there and though Mr. O'Brien has since apparently changed his views this interpretation stands. The landlords' terms demanded and generausly conceded were their net income from second term rents. This was the essence of on the point were merely supplemental.

It has been over and over again been exerting at this powers. At last shown that 18 years purchase with the a happy thought struck him. It has been over and over again bonus invested in a four per cent. security, would give a landlord his full her one evening, "that long before I net income, and thereby substantially saw you Fate had directed me to you."
fulfil the terms of the conference. "Indeed!" she desponded, so sincerely

The autumn meeting of the Royal University has just been held, and the at an early hour Friday at Stet-son and Cutler's mill, by which a young man named McMenimin had a which were announced bring the record narrow escape from death.

It is regarded as a record that marks
The accident took place soon after a fresh advance in the position of the mill started in the morning. Louis Catholic colleges. Perhaps the signifi-Menimin, who is about 19 years of cance of the results to the person McMenimin, who is about 19 years of age was attending to the boards on the outside run by which the manufactured boards are taken from the mill to the yard, when some part of his clothing caught and he was wound up in the shaft.

To release him, his clothing had to be cut from his body and it was first.

Catholic colleges. Perhaps the significance of the results to the person interested in the question of higher education, could not be better expressed than by the amazing contract achieved by the college at the bottom. University foliege, Dublin, heads the list with seventy six distinctions: Cork college fluides it with him. ete college, St. Stephen's Garden, and St. Mary's college, Eccles street.

The inaugural meeting of the Solici-

tors Apprentices' Debating Society was devoted to a practical subject of vital Hayden) in his address said that "without proper internal transit facil-ities it is impossible for a country, highway of that industrial prosperity on but Mr. Colwell said he cheap through rates, which gave an advantage to the foreigner and actu-Inter-railway competition, where competition was possible, was evaded by an agreement as to rates, and the canals which might compete in the carriage of heavy and bulky goods, had been for the most part judiciously bought up or starved out by the railway companies. The auditor strongly recommended state purchase and state management of Irish railways. He showed that this was the original inntion so far back as 1837, when the introduction of railways into Ireland was first considered. It was never inor Ireland that what was practically a monopoly of the inland transit of either country should pass into private hands. But before anything was done the value of railway property in England had grown so enormous that the government was afraid to undertake a purchase which would have involved a cost greater than the National Debt. The auditor said among other things:- "A state railway department unlike most government departments could scarcely be very badly managed, as railways are so prominent and their workings under such public scrutiny that any defects could be easily perceived and powerful pressure brought

The proposal to erect a monument on the battle field of Fontenoy to the soldiers of the Irish Brigade who fell swered: there is taking shape. A meeting will be held at the Mansion House in the near future in furtherance of the project. The suggestion is that a Celtic last night that diamonds worth \$10,000 and other valuable family heir
looms, the property of Mrs. M. D. S. where the famous charge was deliverteriously stolen from an express com-pany shortly after being shipped from Irish nationality has too few evidences while its characteristic shape this city on Sept. 22. The police of this now on the continent. This Fontency city and of New York together with monument will be a reminder of it in the detectives of the express company a part of Europe that is full of the footsteps of the exiles.

to bear on the government to make

A slight increase in the mineral products of Ireland during the year 1904, as compared with those of the preceding year, is shown in some cases by the statistics lately issued by the home ofrepresent an increase of nearly 3.000 tons. Of this amount Kilkenny, with 75,156 tons, increased its output by

however, show a considerable falling off. The output of slate amounted to

crease in every case, and these are the only Irish counties which are engaged in the production of slate. As regards copper ore, the mines of Allibies and Crookhaven, in County Cork, and of Cronbane and Tigroney, in Wicklow, were together responsible for 568 tons of dressed copper ore, an increase of 77 tons. In the case of iron ore, which is confined to County Antrim, there is a decrease of 51,110 tons. There is also a falling off in the case of limestone. The figures for 1903 and 1904 are 477,709 tons and 469,724 tons respectively.

The Nelson centenary has revived the and 469,724 tons respectively.

tenor, who was the first to render the celebrated song, "The Death of Nelon April 22nd, 1811. John Braham's daughter, for upwards of a generation was a very prominent figure in Castle circles in Dublin. She married in 1863 as her fourth husband the Right was for seven and twenty years Whig member from Louth, and was chief secretary for Ireland and president of the board of trade in various Whig cabinets. He was, on losing his seat in the house of commons at the general elec-tion in 1874, made Baron Carlingford, and subsequently on the death of his elder brother, succeeded to the peerage of Clement. Mr. Braham married first a Mr. Waldegrave, then Mr Waldegrave's near relative, Earl Waldegrave, popular in Ireland, where she was known as Frances Countess Waldegrave, and was remarkable for the splendor of her toilettes.

WHERE THE ASTROLOGER WAS

A brown-eyed blonde young woman had charmed with her large fortune a young man of the well-known impoverished swell type. He found it difficult been exerting all his powers. At last

"Indeed!" she desponded, so sincerely that his heart beat faster, and her face blushed at the compliment.

"Yes; and it came about in a markable way. Just for fun one day I consulted an astrologer, and she told me that I would never care for any woman until I had met one who was then only a school-girl, a beautiful, golden-haired creature, with wonderful but I found that the words of the seer were true, for I never cared for any woman until I saw you."

Then he stopped, embarrassed and palpitating, thinking she would fall into his arms. "Are you sure your astrological friend spoke of a golden-haired schoolgirl? she asked.

"How could I ever forget?" he responded.
"You couldn't possibly," she twitter ed; "only when I was a schoolgirl I wasn't golden-haired. I've been using blondine for the last year, don't you know. And then a heavy weight seemed to

STUDIED FROM NATURE.

fall on him as he staggered away.

'Thanks," said the tragedian; "many thanks for your good opinion. I always study from Nature—from Nature, sir. In my acting you see reflected Nature herself. "Try this cigar," said an admirer of

Nature, reverently. "Now, where did you study that expression of intense surprise that you assume in the second "From Nature, sir-from Nature. To secure that expression I asked an in-timate friend to lend me five pounds.

He refused. This caused me no surprise. I tried several more. 'Finally I asked one who was willing to oblige me, and as he handed me the note I studied in a glass the expres of my own face. I saw there surprise.

but it was not what I wanted. It was allowed with suspicion that the note might be a bad one. I was in despair." "Well?" said the other, breathless "Then on idea struck me. I resolved upon a desperate course. I returned the five pounds to my friend the next day, and on his astonished countenance

I saw the expression I was in search

"It was a benefit performance," he lace Hopper, Miss Edna May and two and disease. or three other actresses.

ation at the young women before him. as I did."
Then, with a haif sigh, he laid a piece Mr. Luc of silver down and turned away.
"'Won't you have something for

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An admirable food, with all its natural qualities intact. This excellent Cocoa maintains the

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and Boonomical.

### AS TO GROP REPORTS.

#### The "Perfectly Accurate" System of Securing Reports in New Brunswick.

To the Editor of the Sun: Sir.-It is somewhat amusing to anyone who knows of the difficulties of getting crop reports to see the statement made that the system of gather ing crop reports in New Brunswick is the best in vogue in Canada, as it is "perfectly accurate," while the other provinces have simply estimates, The system in force in New Bruns

wick is certainly a somewhat ingenious device, but it lacks both system and accuracy, while that in force in On-tario follows a definite system from year to year, and whether it is accur ate or not, the comparison of each year with the preceding one's is fair.

these secretaries are con ing there are a large number of new correspondents each year who in the absence of any definite rules as to collection of statistics are very apt to take a different plan and have different opinions from their predecessor.

considerable number of these secretaries do not answer at all and an average has to be made up by the departfurther, the fact that no remuneration is offered these men for their trouble in gathering statistics and let us ask ourthen Vernon Harcourt, and finally Chi-chester Fotescue. She was highly ly to personally interview and we will probably conclude that the report is the opinion of the secretary rather than any actual data he has gathered. If he were opinion might have some comparative value as to the yields in different seasons, but where the secretary may be a different man the report loses even this value. One virtue of the compilation is that it only costs the province a few hundred dollars, but that it is "perfeetly accurate" or "better than that of other provinces" is a claim like nany others put forth by the present

riculture to give it strength with the electorate, it is leaning upon a prop that exists only in its own imagination, for the people quite understand the mockery of the government's agricultural policy and notice its wasted op-

As to crop reports, what is needed in Canada today is action by the dominion authorities, which would give us a yearly statement of crops, live stock, etc., upon a uniform system throughout the dominion from year to year, a work which would be of incalculable benefit not only to our farmers, but to all our commercial interests.

St. John Co.

# Cause of Fevers

THE SUREST WAY TO PREVENT DISEASE IS TO KEEP THE LIVER ACTIVE WITH

### DR CHASE'S KIDNEY-LIVER PILLS.

Too frequently an external cause for fever is looked for, when the real source of trouble is from within the body itself.

To begin with, the liver becomes torpid, sluggish and inactive, and poisonous bile is left in the blood to corrupt the whole system. The result is the overworking of the kidneys and the clogging up of the organs of ex-

Food which should be digested is left to ferment and decay in the intestines, and inflammations and fevers are set

In such a condition the body is regular hotbed of disease, and is most susceptible to any ailment of an infectious or contagious nature.

The best insurance against disease is the use of Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills to keep the liver active. This great medicine has a direct and specific action on the liver, and is wonderfully prompt and effective in awakening and invigorating this important filtering organ.

A healthy liver means pure blood A theatrical manager told this story good digestion and the proper work-esterday: sures the onward passage of the food said, "and at a table in the lobby souvenir programmes were being sold by organs, and so removes all chance of Miss Lillian Russell, Miss Ethel Barrypoisonous waste matter remaining in more, Miss Anna Held, Miss Edna Wal-

Mr. Alex. M. Finn, Inkerman, N. B., writes: "I have used Dr. Chase's Kid-"A stunning table it was, undoubted it. A young bluejacket paused before it. He stood quite still for some minimal the kidneys and liver and stomach the kidneys and liver and stomach the kidneys and liver and stomach the kidneys and it is now loading grindstones at stomach the kidneys and can testify that they did and is now loading grindstones at Stonehaven for Boston. She is a two

Mr. Luc Dugas, Theriault, Glouce ter Co., N. B., writes: "I am sixty-eight years of age and used to suffer your money?' one of the women called. a great deal with very severe pains "The gallant sailor smiled and anin the back from deranged kidneys. Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills have "T've had more than my money's cured me, and I have given a good many to friends, who have also been much benefited by their use." Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills, one pill a dose, 25 cents a box, at all deal-

ers, or Edmanson, Bates & Co., Tor-MONCTON SHOOTING CASE POSTPONED

MONCTON, N. B., Nov. 17-There was nothing new in the Howarth-Blackwood shooting case today. Owing to the absence of the prosecuting attorney the case was adjourned till Monday.

A few years ago there was a man in bevonshire who had six or seven very corpulent daughters. When asked how many children he had, his answer was generally something of this kind: "I have three boys and about thirteen hundredweight of girls."

### **CANADIAN NEWS**

Lord's Day Alliance Work in P. E. Island.

Horse Stealing Case at Bathurst-To Improve Departmental Reports

> —Jas. Paton Nominated Mayor of Ch'town.

The plan in New Brunswick is to send circulars to each secretary of school trustees in the province. As CHARLOTTETOWN, P. E. I., Nov 17.—The provincial executive board of in session yesterday, President Neil McLaughlin in the chair. There were also present Rev. J. G. Shearer, general secretary for the dominion; R G. Strathie, provincial secretary;

Then again it is well known that a Rev. Dr. Morrison, Rev. James Simpson, Rev. G. White, Rev. W. H. Sedgewick, A. W. Sterns, W. T. Huggan, J. T. Mellish, Senator Robertson, Monment of those who do answer. Take tauge, and others. The secretary re ported that two new branches had been organized during the year at Malpeque and at New London, North. The treasurer reported receipts of \$169, and disbursements of \$132. The general secretary reported on the work throughout the dominion. There are now 600 actual data he has gathered. If he were local societies, with an enrolled mem-the same man from year to year his bership of 300. The monthly organ, the Lord's Day Advocate, has a circulation of 85,000, and a new secretary for the four western provinces is being appointed. Application is being made to parliament for the enactment of a dominion Lord's Day Act. Petitions are to be circulated shortly asking for this legislation, and the local board have arranged for the thorough canvass of all the electors of Prince Edward Isadministration for political effect.

If the present government is dependland. Steps were taken to increase the

number of branches on the Island. A committee from the Local Council of Women has arranged for a public meeting here next Tuesday for the purpose of organizing a provincial branch for this Island of the Canadian Association for the Prevention of Tuberculosis. The secretary general, Dr.

Moore. Ottawa, will be present, A largely signed requisition has been presented to Coun. James Paton of the dry goods firm of Paton & Co. asking him to run for mayor next February. Mr. Paton has been chairman of the street committee and many improvements in the streets, including permanent pavements, have been secured during his regime. He has accepted the nomination and will likely be opposed

by Dr. Kelly, the present mayor. St. Helen's Island to the city of Mont-

now done by the ordinary blue book. For instance, each deputy might give a lecture or write a special report which would be published setting forth in a more entertaining way than is now done, officially, the special features of the work of his department. Earl Grey has promised to give his sanction and approval to something of this kind. For instance if there is to be a lecture he

ed of what the meeting was called for and what is contemplated. Gibbons, K. C., last night wired his cceptance of his appointment as chairman of the Canadian waterways

commission in succession to Judge BATHURST, N. B., Nov. 17 .- Thos. and Albert Pitre of Tetagouche were arrested on Wednesday night on warrants sworn out by Henry White, pro-prietor of the White House, on suspiclon of stealing his team from the door of the White House on the night of Oct. 9th last. The horse and wagon were found sixteen days afterwards in a portage road. The horse died two days after from the effects. It is thought the right parties have been captured. The authorities are silent about the matter. The prisoners were brought before J. E. O'Brien, J. P.,

yesterday and remanded. F. J. Comeau's new schooner Lu-lella, 99 tons, was launched at Stonetopmast schooner, carrying 275 tons of coal. She sails tomorrow.

#### YARMOUTH BANK WILL PAY CLAIMS IN FULL

In the county court Thursday W. E. refractory "drunk" to custody. Stavert, liquidator of the Bank of Yarmouth, said that the institution was not insolvent. He had already paid depositors seventy-five cents on the dol-lar and will pay twenty-five cents more for you.". and if the court of Nova Scotia so decides, depositors will not only be paid in full, but will get the interest on

their money.
In explaining his contention that the oank was not insolvent he said that as the corporation had its capital and the double liability of its shareholders with which to meet the claims of depositors it was not insolvent if by drawing from these two sources it was able to pay

business and generally isn't.-Nath'l C. Fowler, Jr., Boston.

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# SURPRISE SOAP KIMBERLEY PRISONERS

LIVE VERY HIGH

Tells of Police Protection in Sonth Africa.

(Natal Times.)

Superintendent Moore of the Maritz- But Amendment of Pension Scheme burg police resumed his duties today, after spending a few pleasant holiday ing weeks in touring South Africa. He declares that he has had a pleasar time, while in the meantime he has not failed to keep his eyes open for the police work of the various centres at which he stayed en route.

Talking to a Times of Natal representative on Thursday, he mentioned that though his tour had been almost entirely of a holiday nature, he yet made a point of looking as closely as adopted in the principal South African towns of dealing with their large native populations. He went into the matter, in passing through Pretoria, Kimberley, Bloemfontein, Kingwilliamstown and Capetown, and in the ties still struggling with the question. The East London location impressed him as being the best he had seen in addition to their indemnity thorities declared that this was respon-OTTAWA, Ont., Nov. 17.—The dominion government, in addition to selling the system being to give each native the more perfect checking of absentreal, has leased Lafontaine Park to the city for a nominal sum, the understand- the inhabitants the desire to return to house, so that the increase in indemniing being that it be maintained for the home-kraal was practically non- ties was not as great as people park purposes, and that the govern- existent and as a consequence, the thought, But whether it was or not ment can use it for military parades. labor supply was steady, and the labor- it was in no sense a party measure,

The dominion government will pay ers consistent and of good conduct. the trustees of the Sparks estate \$80. Supt. Moore believed that such a 000 for their claim to the Rideau canal system would work admirably in the isters, Mr. Fisher said he thought the OTTAWA, Ont., Noy. 17.—There was the East London location were by no not thoroughly understand the situation meeting of the deputy ministers of means of the good class which came tion. It has been frequent in the histhe different departments, with Col. to Maritzburg for employment. Once tory of Canada that men who have Hanbury Williams in the governor gen- established in a kafir location, he be- devoted long years to public service, eral's office yesterday. It was suggest- lieved that the average native servant sacrificing their own business intered sometime ago that something might in Maritzburg would be content to ests and making no money for thembe done in the way of bringing the work of each department before the sake the little kraal in the wilderness. on retiring to private life absolutely to public in a more popular way than is He found wherever he went that the depend upon their friends and relacharges to contamination with the un-

were able to evade the police. At Cape Town this was particularly the case. A native location had been built and a quarter infested with Jews will attend. The matter was talked over today, and before anything furover today, and before anything fur-ther is done the premier will be advis-ants of the location were able to procure East London the natives were kept far LONDON, Ont., Nov. 17.—George C. enough away from the towns to prevent liquor being carried in.

The introduction of the subject of the prison reform commission by our representative, and the fact that Supt. Moore had been here when witnesses were called, gave rise to an interesting remark on the part of the superintendent regarding the treatment of fied. In explanation of this he went native prisoners throughout South Africa. He had not made special quiries into the matter, but so far as ties the general impression was that the native criminals did not regard punishment as of a restraint in which they fed on the fat of the land, and from which they came out healthy and strong. "At Kimberley, for instance," said

Supt. Moore, "where, by-the-by, they have a pretty lively little jail, the native prisoners feed like kings compared with my police boys. In the morning the convicts get mealie-paap with sugar for the morning meal, a loaf of bread, and more mealle-meal later on, and meat twice a week. My boys get ration of mealie-meal and salt." He was fairly confident that the na tive prisoner confronted the prospect of imprisonment with something near equanimity, and particularly so when the food was so good. He recalled a recent incident where a Maritzburg native constable was gently urging a argument which made the task of conducting a mere honorary duty was, "Come and see the nice, new, con

Supt. Moore is a brother of Manager Moore of the Royal Bank at Amherst, N. S., and a native of Prince Edward

HEALTHY AND VIGOROUS.

Mr. John Shelton, the well-known oridge builder, of 101 Sherwood St., Ottawa, states: "I have used Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills for kidney and liver derangements brought on by exposure, and find them better than The man who can't use advertising in his business has no business to be in cleansed my system and made me feel served upwards of twenty-one years as healthy and vigorous, and better in captain, three as major, and possesses every way."

# FEDERAL POLITICS

Former Prince Edward Island Man Hon. Mr. Fisher Defends Increase of Indemnity.

Will be Considered—Mr. Borden Going on Stump.

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HAMILTON, Ont., Nov. 17 .- Hon. Sydney Fisher addressed the electors of Wentworth last night in support of W. O. Seely, liberal candidate. Dealing with the question of the recent in-crease in indemnity, Mr. Fisher pointfore the country of two things which accompany the increase in the indemwith mileage. It was a well-known fact that members for many years, although they had passes, were paid in his travels through South Africa. The cents per mile for every mile between location being a mile and a half away their homes and Ottawa. This milefrom the town, the natives were kept age amounted in some instances to as clear of the more dangerous kind of much as \$400 or \$500, and would aver-European influence, and the local au- age \$200 per year to each member. This had now been taken away. In sible for the good order among the the second place, a deduction of \$15 Abantu. He found the location laid per day hereafter would be made for out something after the style of a na- absences, as against \$8 under the old adult a piece of ground upon which to ees. This would operate, by preventing Supt. Moore believed that such a In reference to pensions to retired mincase of Maritzburg. The natives in electors throughout the country did inspectors of the native population at-tributed the evil ways of their black it was on behalf of such men that the bill in question had been passed. This scrupulous class of Europeans who sold was new legislation which the govern-bad drink at an enormous profit, and ment had tried to work out in a just and fair way in the interests of the public service. But if at the next session or the session afterwards an amendment could be proposed which would make it more just and fair, he ventured to say as a member of the government such amendment would be considered and accepted. STOUFFVILLE, Nov. 17 .- Hon. W.

Paterson, minister of customs, was the chief speaker at a meeting held here last night in the interest of Hon. Mr. Aylesworth. In the course of his address he defended the increased indemnity, declaring that this was not a steal or grab, as alleged in some quarters, but, on the contrary, was justiinto details as to the growing length of sessions, the cost of living, sacrifice of business and home life which members were forced to make. He pointed out also that under the law providing the increase no mileage is allowed members, and a fine is imposed for every day over fifteen days they are away from the house. As to pen-sions to ex-ministers, Mr. Paterson said that the present ministers instead of raising their own salaries (and he believed thoroughly the country would have approved of that), decided to provide a pension system for the benefit of men who had devoted their lives to the public service and sacrificed their business or profession for that service. There might be and there were differences of opinion as to the bill, which also had been supported by conservative members, but just like any other statute, parliament could, if it so decreed, amend it.

TORONTO, Nov. 17 .- Mr. Borden, leader of the conservative party, left Ottawa for Toronto last night, will address three meetings before the by-elections take place on Wednesday next. On Saturday night Mr. Borden will speak at Stoney Creek in Wentworth, and on Monday night he will address a conservative meeting in Dundas, in the same constituency. On Tuesday night Mr. Borden will hold his only meeting in North York, when he will address the electors of Aurora in behalf of Mr. McCallum.

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Archibald Sturrock, formerly locomo tive engineer to the Great Northern Railway, has just entered his ninetleth year. Mr. Sturrock joined the Great Northern Railway in 1850, and practically revolutionized the narrow-gauge system. Mr. Sturrock is now the oldest locomotive engineer in the world. He is also the oldest Volunteer field officer in Great Britain, served upwards of twenty-one years as