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ative in London and also as a citizen

It is to be regretted in connection with the discussion concerning the safety of the Bay of Fundy that the position of the board of trade should be misrepresented by the Standard, and that the pression of their opinion about what the board should do in ignorance of the fact that the board is taking the very action which is necessary. The Standard was told by Mr. J. M. Robinson, president of the board of trade, that some ten days or more since he had asked the marine or more since he It is to be regretted in connection with of Canada, has by his service and his or more since he had asked the marine department to supply the board with a statement of the sailings to and from St. John, and the percentage of loss, and man will be able to make the high commissionership mean as much to the people of the old land, from the standpoint that the information is now being compiled, and when it is receeived the board will be in a position to give an authoritative answer to the slanders concerning the Bay of Fundy. A representative of the Standard knew this, having received the information direct from the ceived the ceived the ceived the information direct from the ceived the ceiv Montreal especially will mourn the passceived the information direct from the president of the board of trade. The citizens may therefore rest in the assurance that the interests of the port are not being neglected, and the members of the city council need not lose any sleep over the inactivity of the board of trade. When the latter is in a position to speak with authority, right up to date, it will take action.

The Fickle Sex

The Child—My best friend is Clara and my worst enemy is Dorothy.

Mother—Why, I thought it was just the other way.

Child—Oh, that was last week.

Her Preference

"Yes, I enjoyed the voyage," said Mrs. Twickembury. "but, on the whole I wickembury. "but, on the whole I will be cherished as that of a man who did much through a large whole I will be cherished as that of a man who did much through a large whole I will be cherished as that of a man who did much through a large whole I will be cherished as that of a man who did much through a large whole I will be cherished as the way. to speak with authority, right up to date, it will take action.

In the meantime, what is the Hon. J.

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D. Hazen, the minister of marine, and and the Empire, and his name will foralso the representative of St. John, doever be associated with that gigantic ing in this matter? If it has not yet oc-curred to him that he ought to rise in his place in parliament and denounce the slanders that have been uttered con- ment of this country. cerning the Bay of Fundy, some of his friends who are giving interviews to the Standard might fairly suggest to him that there is no time like the present to

MR. BORDEN'S SPEECH.

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The speech of Premier Borden in the debate on the address was singularly ineffective, and must have been very disappointing to Conservatives through out the country, however loudly he may have been cheered by a servite following in the Commons. Especially weak was that portion of his speech which dealt with the navy. To appreciate the fact it is only arcessary to remember Mr. Borden's attitude before the contribution policy was brought down last year. He had asserted that his government would bring down a naval policy, and if parliament refused to adopt it he would go to the people. Clearly that public blanks this fine cases how you are and rejected by the senate. It was claimed by Mr. Borden that there was an emergency which call ad for the most prompt action on the part of Canada. Now, a year later, he coolly tells the country that he will not go to the people. Clearly there was not and is not an emergency, and Mr. Borden and is not an emergency, and Mr. Borden and its colleagues are simply marking time in the hope that something will develop which may enable them to pass when such use does not conflict in any way with the work of the schools. In Amherst the teachers of the schools welcomed the opportunity afford and his staff, to meet and become better acquainted with the parts of the haltonialists and at the same time have a campaign cry with which to go to the country when it is deemed. The universal testimony from centres in the country when it is deemed expedient to pursue that course. The best that Mr. Borden's supporters in the country when it is deemed expedient to pursue that course. The best that Mr. Borden's supporters in the country when it is deemed expedient to pursue that course. The best that Mr. Borden's supporters in the country when it is deemed expedient to pursue that course. The best that Mr. Borden's supporters in the country when it is deemed expedient to pursue that course. The best that Mr. Borden's supporters in the country when it is deemed expedient to pursue

country can do in the meantime is to avoid discussion of his naval policy, and hope with him that something may turn up to brighten their prospects.

With regard to the increased cost of living and the increase at the same time of unemployment, Mr. Borden has nothing to offer. Evidently he proposes to stand by his friends, the protected interests, and maintain the tariff at all hazards. It becomes all the more necessary for the Liberals to fight for a downward revision of the tariff, and downward revision of the tariff, and such other measures as would give re-lief to the consumers of the country, shore of Nova Scotia and of the best and restore the prosperity which pre- farming district of that province, as vailed throughout the Liberal regime. well as those who are interested in the

LORD STRATHCONA

The office of high commissioner for been published broad-cast in relation to Canada in London in recent years gain-ed most of its interest for the people the navigation of the Bay of Fundy. from the picturesque figure of the high Mr. A. K. MacLean, M. P., in an commissioner. Lord Strathcona has long hour's speech in parliament yesterday been regarded with a degree of affection by the Canadian people, because his wonderful and romantic career appealed to the imagination and his unbounded generosity appealed to the heart. The generosity appealed to the heart. story of his life, that is told in brief in the press today, will be told in fuller revision of the tariff. He also made if measure no doubt in a biography, which will necessarily have to deal with some of the most important events in Canadian history, in which Mr. Donald Smith, or Sir Donald Smith, or Lord

Strathcona, played an important part. It is a far cry from a Hudson Bay post on the bleak shores of Labrador to the King's drawing room, and the mere the period during which Sir Wilfri story of the life of this man who now, Laurier was premier. Since 1911, how full of years and honors, has gone to ever, under an unwise administration his rest, should be an inspiration to the there has been a more rapid increase young Canadians of today. If Sir Dou- the cost of living and an increase in un ald Smith and those associated with him employment, and the conditions have made enormous fortunes during the early become such that the people will at the constructive period in the Canadian first opportunity return Sir Wilfrid west, they also made possible the rapid Laurier to power, and secure an admin expansion and growth of Canada; and istration that will restore the prosperous Lord Strathcona, as Canada's represent-

development of harbors at L'Etang and St. Croix are interested with St. John

BIRTHDAYS OF NOTABILITIES

WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 21.

The Hon. Jules Allard, minister of ands and forests in the Quebec government, who is fifty-five years of age today, was born and brought up at St. Francois du Lac, P. Q. He is a lawyer by profession but has long taken a considerable interest in public.

"My friend Chamberton turns four novels a year." "A literary celebrity, eh?" "Say rather, a literary celerity."

of sentiment, as it has meant during the ast decade. In Canada, the city of keep finding bits o'wood and things in it."

Tough Luck

Our idea of tough luck is that of the chap who wore a pair of old tattered gloves for two months before Christmes and then had to go out and buy himself a pair after all.—Detroit "Journal."

It surely cannot be true that the principals and teachers in the St. John schools are opposed to a wider use of the school buildings. They must have been misrepresented by someone of their number who takes the narrow view. The

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RECENT DEATHS

brothers, Hazen of St. John, and Ray at home, and one sister, Cora, also at

The death of William G. Hamlyn, formerly of Lancaster Heights, St. John, Sasessment Act, 1909."

"Sec. 32. The Assessors shall ascertain, as nearly as possible, the particulars of the real estate, the personal property, and the income of any person, who has not brought in a statement in accordance with their notice and as required by this law, and shall make an estimate thereof at the true value and amount, to the best of their information and belief; and such estimate shall be conclusive upon all persons who have not filed their statements in due time, unless they can show a reasonable excuse for the omission."

The death of William G. Hamlyn, formerly of Lancaster Heights, St. John, occurred at his home, Stoneham (Mass.), last evening, after a lingering illness. He is survived by his wife, his mother, Mrs. William Hamlyn, and a sister, Mrs. William Hamlyn, and a sister, Mrs. Heights. Interment will be in Stoneham Friday.

Hiram S. Sharp died at his home in Apohaqui on January 19. He leaves his wife, four daughters, two brothers and three sisters. Mrs. William Bell of this city is a sister.

Alexander Edward MacLeod of Parrsboro died in the hospital in Vancouver the bonded warehouse at the Intercolusion." all persons who have not filed their statements in due time, unless they can show a reasonable excuse for the omission."

"Sec. 48. No person shall have an abatement unless he has filed with the Assessors the statement under oath within the time required; nor shall the Common Council, in any such case, sustain an appeal from the judgment of the Assessors, unless they shall be satisfied that there was good cause why the statement was not filed in due time as herein provided.

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At the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Estey, Nashwaaksis, on Monday their daughter, Rita B., died, aged twenty-one years.

Word has been received telling of the death of Andrew Mowatt in Hebron Sanatorium, near Portland, Me. He was a dominion immigration agent at McAdam before the Adam. Mr. Mowatt had conducted the City Camp Hotel at McAdam before less the wife, who had to undergo an operation recently in the Chipman Memorial Hospital in St. Stephen, he is survived by two boys and two girls. It is understood that his body will be brought to Woodstock for interment.

At Lakeville Corner on Monday Fred Mertlon Briggs died, aged twenty-six wears. Besides his father and mother, his wife and two children survive. Two

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