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A ROYAL BEREAVEMENT. Tidings of the death of Prince Henry

of Battenburg will be heard with sorrow in Canada, not only so much on his own account as because of the grief that has come to our beloved sovereign. Princess Beatrice has been the nearest companion of the Queen for several years, and Her Majesty was strongly attached to the husband of her youngest daughter. In her old age the Queen forms few new attrachments, and there will be mone to fill Here are the figures: the place of the pleasant young German whose untimely death she mourns. The British people will sympathize with the widow, who only the other day saw her husband go from her in the service of the country. For Prince Henry himself, who desired to do orthy of his soldier ancestry and described as a fine manly fellow, a to be as useful to the people among whom his lot was cast as one in his place could be. A royal marriage narrowed the range of possibility for him. In the end he broke from his surroundings, and made an effort to go out into the world of action and win some honor on his individual merits Death by disease, far from home and friends, on the dreary and desolate West African coast, has been the fate of many a soldier before Prince Henry of Battenburg. The palace and the cottage know the same sorrow, and are entitled to the same sympathy.

HON. MR. FELLOWS

The death of Hon. James I. Fellows removes a whole souled, kindly man, who in days of affluence never forgot the friends of earlier times. Mr. Fellows was enterprising and public spirited. He devised good things for he was not then able to carry out all that he contemplated. After he left us he sent from his London home many substantial reminders of his continued interest in our public and charitable institutions. As agent general for this province at London Mr. Fellows had few official duties. But he went out of his way on every possible occasion to perform any public service to New Brunswick that occurred or was suggested to him.

THEIR FIGHTING CAPACITY. Some of the colonels in the United States who discuss the prospects of a war with Great Britain assume that the British Empire would not be able to raise and equip a military force so large as the United States could provide in an emergency. The facts are all against the colonels. The resources of the British Empire both in men and money are certainly greater than those of any other nation, though of course the continental powers have much larger permanent armies. In the event of a war with the United States Great Britain would start out with a standing army of 155,000 regulars, without including 77,000 British soldiers and 141,000 natives comprising the standing army of India. The United States would begin with a regular force of 25,000 men. Great Britain would begin with an army reserve, organized militia.

British Islands alone, numbering 450,-000. In addition-there is the militia of 109.000. Great Britain has at this mo-00 are battle ships and first class cruisers. The United States fleet comprises 70 vessels, whereof 15 are first class cruisers and battle ships. The British navy is manned by 77,000 men, that of the United States by 12,000.

tain has never had occasion to make such a general call on her citizens, but perhaps it is safe to say that such call would not be less effective than one made by President Cleveland. In the civil war bounties as high as one chousand dollars or more were paid for men who enlisted. The rush to arms was general, but this gentle stimulant was required to bring all the recruits that were needed. Perhaps the response would be more enthusiastic now, but we see no reason for supposing that more volunteers would offer in the States than in Great

Britain and the colonies. Something has been said on the question of the cost of war. On this point Harper's Weekly points out that the United States pays more for a war than any other country. The pay does not stop when the war is over. The end of the war is the beginning of the greater expense. Thirty years after the close of the civil war the annual payment for pensions is \$140,-000;000, or more than one-third of the total revenue. The Mexican war pension list is still large, though nearly half a century has gone by. There are pensioners and widows of the war of 1812, and a few widows of the war of independence. It appears therefore that for at least half a century the late war will be a charge on the people of the United States, additional to all the pensions occasioned by new and greater wars threatened by the colonels.

We are told of the great cost of the war equipment of Great Britain. It will surprise our readers when they are informed that the army, navy and pension charges of Great Britain are much less than the same three items of expediture in the United States.

Breat Britain. United States.

The British army and navy pension are included in appropriations for the States pays as much as Great Britain. to this generous ambition, many kind In return for the outlay Great Bri- knight's toes hardly called for a sumwords will be spoken. He has been tain has an army equal at least to six armies like that of the United favorite with all his friends, who tried | States, and a navy more than equal to make himself agreeable and sought to six United States navies. With these figures before us it seems rea- a ruffian. But some allowance must sonable to conclude that war would be a much more expensive luxury to Charles Tupper has come back. The the United States than to Britain, The Toronto Mail suggests that Sir Richluxury of a war is one in which the wise people of both countries will not be anxious to indulge. But the colonels must not suppose the argument of

THE COLONIES AND FOREIGNERS.

The secretary of state for the colonies spoke like a true Briton last week. There is no tone of apology or complaint in his references to the attitude of foreign nations toward Great Britain. In noble words, Mr. Chamberlain speaks the sentiments of the empire when he regrets that hostile expressions have come from quarters where friendship was looked for, but rejoices that the hostile feeling St. John when he lived here, though has found expression. Great Britain understands now if ever she required to be taught, that she must depend upon herself. Statesmen who control the empire, but represent only a small fragment of it, are learning a lesson that they should have mastered long ago. They are beginning to com-prehend that it is not good policy to fast of coffee and a roll. It was ever prefer foreign to colonial interests. They are discovering that it is not meet to take the children's bread and in his coffee. cast it to the dogs. Imperial statesmen have made it their boast in the past that they have shown no more of its glories. Those who aim at a res consideration for the commercial and toration of the vigor of the Puritan industrial welfare of their fellow citi- should begin by restoring "pie" zens in the colonies than for the strangers in foreign lands. A Canadian, a hemisphere where the Monroe Australian, or South African producer trine and the pie should reign sup has been on the same footing in the British market as a subject of a foreign power, however unfriendly that power might be. Britain alone, as Mr. Chamberlain says, holds her possessions throughout the world in trust for other nations, and admits foreigners to British markets as freely as British citizens. Lord Salisbury very truly said some years ago that this might be noble, but it was not business. If it bought the favor of foreign countries at the risk of a loss of a va of colonial confidence, it would be open to grave question as imperial policy. But in spite of it all, the empire stands isolated and friendless among the nations for which she has sacri-

nanry and volunteer force, in the ficed so much; and in spite of it all KINGS COUNTY COUNCIL. the colonies, with one accord, are found offering sympathy and help in the colonies. The United States would the hour of need. It is not surprising begin with an organized militia of that Mr. Chamberlain suggests a reconsideration of imperial relationships. ment 490 war craft, of which at least Many will join him in giving thanks ed that the nations which have been given lof this co an equal share with the coionies of British favor should have done this nation the great service of making public their unfriendliness. Now let Mr. Chamberlain and his fellow minist-Of course we may be told that at ers take such steps as they may to bring the call to arms half a million, or a still more closely together the colonies whole million men in the United States and the mother land, and so build up will volunteer for service. Great Bri- a nation which no single power, nor all the powers together, can match in arms, and which in war or in peace, need depend on no foreign land for

GO ON WITH THE BUSINESS.

food or clothing.

Possibly Mr. Casey is supported by his grit associates in the house when he contends that parliament at the present session should deal only with the school question. He is certainly not correct in speaking of this as a special session. Long ago it was announced that the session would be the regular one for the year. It begins only a month earlier than the usual present session should deal only with only a month earlier than the usual time, and there is no reason why it should not transact all the annual business. Without doubt the session will occupy more than thirty days. even if it deals with nothing but the Manitoba question. The members and senators will therefore be entitled to their whole indemnity and the country will have to pay about the usual legislation expenses. The amount paid to members, senators and the sessional officers will be over \$400,000. The cost of Hansard and other expenses cost of Hansard and other expenses he could not promise to collect enough will bring the outlay of the session up to cover his salary and expenses. He to about half a million. We see no reason why the people should be asked to pay all this now and then pay it all over again next summer to complete the work that might be done \$300 before prorogation. It would be all Dhe motion setting the salary at \$400 right for Mr. Casey if the business were left over. In case of his re-elec- whose petitions for relief from taxation tion-and he has a safe seat-he would were favorably considered. of the postponement. But the people who would have to pay the half mill-ion would not so easily see the advantage.

We expect the budget to be brought down and the estimates prepared as at er having been asked for by Coun. other sessions. It will perhaps be in McMonagle, that officer said in his the power of the opposition to ob- judgment the county was not bound struct proceedings and make it impossible to vote supply for the next fiscal | year. If that happens the responsibility for the waste of money will be placed where it belongs.

ed by the crowd that he trod on the mons to the police court. As the lad is a civil fellow and could not help being pushed Sir Richard need not have taken hold of him and called him be made for the knight since Sir ard may have taken the reporter for a Nova Scotian.

Not long ago a writer in the St. prudence applies only to Great Bri- John Globe, discussing the selection of Coun. Holder, that the acting Scott a candidate in the place of Mr. Weldon said: "I think we should not lay too much stress upon character at the sacrifice of capacity." Since then people not in the inner circle have been wondering who that writer's candidate might be.

BREAKFAST IN THE OLD DAYS.

(From Harper's Weekly.) In old days a hungry man could ge more things to eat at a New England breakfast table than are today served at many a banquet. Hungry men have declined in number and influence, and European travel has had a depleting effect upon that fine old institution-breakfast. No man but the "Auto-crat" ever talked much at that meal for the viands were too tempting—great beef-steaks, hot rolls, buckwheat cakes, omelettes, potatoes, coffee, and even, at Mr. Emerson's, pie. Then re-turned travellers began to bring back narrated that an Italian gentleman thought that he had eaten a very hearty breakfast when he put cream So pie was first banished, and the

other heavy articles gradually followed it into exile, and breakfast is shorn tal breakfast" should be banished from

CHOATE FOUND HIS EQUAL. Joseph H. Choate seldom meets a successful antagonist in repartee, but he met its metch while trying a case in the Surcogate's court not long ago. An old woman vas being questioned about how a certain estator had looked when a certain incident

At the Budapest millennial exhibi-tion next year there will be shother steel tower like the Eiffel tower. but 1,625 feet high, instead of 975.

(Continued from page three.) \$1,000 over last year, to cover cost of new roof on the court house, etc.

It was moved by Coun. Nase, secondd by Coun. Maynes, that in opinion this council the municipality

council memoralize the local govern-ment to amend the provincial act in After a short debate the res was lost by a vote of 14 to 15 as fol

Yeas-Couns. Hatfield, Freeze, F. Fowler, Keith, Myers, Mace, McMonagle, H. J. Fowler, Mains, Dann, Helms, Gorham, Crandall, Mace—14.

Nays—Moore, Upham, Kelly, Flewelling, Fenwick, D. J. Fowler, Saundan, McCall, Machan, McCall, McC ders, Palmer, Holder, Belyea, McCully, Titus, J. M. Campbell, H. Montgomery Campbell, Freeze—15.

The following additional bills were

passed: Dr. W. A. Fairweather, viewng body, \$4; Dr. Thorne, examinin unatic, \$2; Wm. Langstroth, repairs to court house, \$6,76; A. & W. Hicks,

salary be \$400.

Coun. Nase moved in amendment, seconded by Coun. McMonagle, that the inspector's salary be \$300.
This opened up a pretty lively discussion, in which Couns. Moore, Mc-Monagle, Palmer, Fowler and others

took part. Inspector Weyman was heard on motion. He explained that the work occupied a great part of his time, and he held that he should be sufficiently remunerated for his absence from his farm, on which he could make a living. He would like to get a salary of 500, but would not refuse the offer of \$400. Replying to the warden he said disbursements last year. He collected \$2,112 in 1895, and his disbursements, ncluding his salary, were \$1,769. The amendment fixing the salary a

was lost, 13 to 16. was then adopted. Scribner was among those

get an extra sessional allowance out by Coun. Mase, that Mr. Weyman be of the postponement. But the people notified that the council would not pay

to be settled by the courts and not The opinion of the secretary-treasur

to pay the counsel fees of the Scott act inspector where there were no Scott act funds to draw upon. Certainly there was no warrant for tak-Replying to some remarks by Coun, Nase and McMonagle, Warden King respective services. Even if we add the interest charge of the national solution of the proving to show that he was not the interest charge of the national solution of of the national s

any matter coming before the board As a lawyer he felt impelled to warn the board against passing a resolu-Coun. H. Montgomery Campbell op-

posed tying the hands of any county officer as this resolution proposed. Coun. Palmer took the same view of The resolution was lost, 11 to 15.

Adjourned till 7 p. m. EVENING SESSION.

The buildings committee were authorized to make the best possible terms of the court house for the ensuing

act inspector be required to make up his accounts for 1896, showing all the his ac receipts and expenditures from 1st January, 1896, to Dec. 31st, 1896, and file the same with the auditor during the first weak of January, 1897.

The mover explained that this was intended to give time for the official

auditing of Mr. Weyman's accounts pefore the meeting of council.—Adopt-Dr. W. H. White's bill for services,

etc., in connection with the board of health, was passed at \$20, and Geo. Hi Wallace's bill of \$17.85 re the Chapman-Keith perjury case was stood over till July for fuller information about the attorney general's instructions to Mr. Wallace. After some discussion Geo. H. Wallace's bill of \$5.25 for firewood for the Sussex lockup, a county building, was rejected, 13 to 9. The following bills swere passed:

THE RED CROSS SOCIETY

Relief Committees Start to Investgate Affairs in Armenia.

Washington, Jan. 22.—The following

official notice was issued from the headquarters of the American Na headquarters of the American National Red Cross society today:
Washington, Jan. 22.—In accordance with its understanding with the National Armenian association of New York and the American relief committees of Boston and Worcester, the American National Red Cross starts today for Turkey, to investigate on the spot and determine whether or not it will be able to distribute relief among the sufferents of Armenia in different sections of

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ST. JOHN COUNTY COUNCIL

The Business Put Through in About One Hour.

Report of the Finance and Accounts Committee-The Fairville Fire Department

The regular meeting of the St. John county council was held on the 21st instant, Warden Baxter presiding. In cent through illness. L. A. Currey oc cupied that post. The business to come before the council was light and only occupied one hour. Those present be-sides the warden, were: Couns. Mc-Carthy, Purdy, Smith, McLauchlan, Wilson, Blizard, McRobbie, Christie, McGoldrick, Catherwood, Evans, Mc-

After the reading of the minutes, the finance and accounts committee reported as follows, recommending the payment of the following bills:

Leod, Fownes, McDonough, Balcon

and Dunn.

found by the secretary to be correct.

The following accounts to be paid to the board of examiners for survey- of the 15th inst., contains a warning ors of lumber for seven examinations which every person in Canada in need held under 50 Vic., chap. 29: C. F. Clinch, \$6; W. II. Rourke, \$4; S. K. and shows the care and pains the Dr. Wilson, \$4; the secretary, \$14. These amounts to be charged to the board of examiners' fund.

nauper lunatics for the quarter ing Dec. 31st, 1895, \$170.35.

The committee further recommend that the bill committee be requested to memorialize the local government praying that a bill authorizing the maintenance of pauper lunatics to be paid out of the contingent fund instead of as at present, charged to the city and the several parishes, may be

introduced and become law. In the matter of the petition of C. Doherty of the parish of Lancaster. nent, the committee after careful con sideration, recommend that the prayer of the petition be not complied with.

The committee recommend that the

cretary be requested to call for tenders for county printing, and that each ender must be accompanied by a certified check for one hundred dollars as security for the proper fulfilment of the contract, and that the warden and chairman of the committee on finance and accounts, with the secretary, committee to receive such tenders and accept any tender they may deem proper, with full power to act.

The report was adopted. The special committee on the salary f the chief inspector of licenses reof the ported that they are yet unable to make a recommendation and that further consideration be referred to the finance committee with instructions to report at the next meeting of the coun-II.-Adopted

Registrar McLellan sent a communiation of the council showing a balance of \$121 in the receipts of the office over the expenses. Dr. Gilmore's bill of \$5 was ordered

to be paid. The bill of High Constable Stockford of \$4 for services in connection with the Langford McFrederick inquest was referred to the finance committee, with

power to act.

Coun.Catherwood referred to the fact that some repairs had been made in connection with the Lancaster fire department and asked that the firewards be made a loan of \$200.—Referred to a special committee.

Coun. Blizard moved that the buildings committee be authorized to pur-chase for the chairs in the supreme court room one and a half or two

dozen cushions.—Carried. Coun. Fownes moved that the resolution passed at a previous meeting relating to the distribution of public and school lands in Quaco be rescinded and that the moneys now to the cre-dit of the account be divided among the schools in the parish of St. Martins in proportion to the number of scholars in each school, except the Middletown school, and that the proportion of that school be placed to he credit of the road board .- Carried. Coun. Catherwood moved that bill be prepared authorizing the municipal council to appoint two out of the three councillors for the parish to

Lancaster ferry commission.—Carried.
Coun. Christie moved for the preparation of a bill to provide for the better enforcement of the law regarding the survey and exportation of

The municipal council asked for with them and the city council of St.

John with reference to the prevention of tuberculous diseases slaughter houses.—Carried. The warden appointed Coun. Lee, Fownes, Catherwood and Dunn.
The usual allowance was ordered to

AN IMPORTANT CASE.

be paid to the high constable;

A Victoria County (Ont.) Peddler Before the Courts.

Detected in Selling a Pink Colored Pill Which He Represented to Be Dr. Williams' Pink Pills—The Court Grants a Perretual Injunction Restraining Him From Offering an Imitation of This Great Medicine—Some Facts the Public Will Do Well to Bear in Mind.

In the High Count of Justice yeserday morning, before Mr. Justice Meredith, the case of Fulford v. Mc-Gahey was heard. It consisted of a motion for an injunction to restrain Fred McGahey from selling a pill which he claimed to be Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People. Mr. Douglas E. Armour appeared for the plaintiffs and stated that the defendant had been peddling these goods about Victoria County, claiming them to be Dr. Wil-liams' genuine Pink Pills. It was impossible, however, on the face of it, that they could be genuine, as he sold them greatly below what they cost at wholesale price. The defendant had given consent, Mr. Armour said, that the motion should be changed to one fence was offered, and his Lordshir

Williams Medicine Company takes to protect the public from imposition, and to preserve the reputation of their

more than usual merit that is worth imitation. Ordinary medicines are not subject to that kind of treatment, as there is not sufficient demand for such

nedicine worth while People have achieved a reputation for sterling merit unparalleled in the hisof the dominion the remarkable cures wrought by the use of this great medcine have given it a name and a fame which has made the sale of Pink Pills

imply wonderful. It is because of this great merit, and he consequent enormous demand for the medicine, that it is being imitated by unscrupulous persons in various parts of the country. The imitation s cheap, usually worthless, and is only pushed because the imitator can make much more money by its sale than he can by the sale of the genuine Pink Pills. Hence the pains he takes to sell the imitation.

The Dr. Williams' Medicine Com

pany annually spends thousands of dollars endeavoring to impress upon the public that the genuine Pink Pills can only be purchased in one form— namely, in packages enclosed in a wrapper (or label), which bears the trade mark, "Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People." No one can buy them in any other form, not even if they offered many times their weight in gold for them. And yet in the face of these continuous warnings there are people confiding enough to permit unscrupulous dealer to convince them that he can supply them with the genuine Pink Pills in loose form by the dozen or hundred, or ounce, or who prenteds to be able to do this is telling an untruth. Bear this in mind and refuse all pills that do not bear the full trade mark, no matter if they

the dealer says. Please bear in mind also that the ula from which Dr. Williams' Pink Pills is compounded is a secret known only to the company, and any one who claims he can supply you with some other pill "just as good" is guilty of presentation, for he does not the ingredients of the genuine Pink Pills and is only trying to sell you some other pill, because he makes more money on its sale.

are colored pink, and no matter what

The Dr. Williams' Medicine Company is determined to spare no expany and themselves against these unscrupulous imitators, and will always be thankful to receive information concerning any one who offers to sell an imitation of Pink Pills purporting it to mitation of Pink Pills, or "the Pills, Such pany's detective, and the name of the person giving the information will not be made public, while any expense entailed in sending us the information will be promptly refunded.

Pale People and take nothing else.

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria. **PROVI**

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York County Coun ness-The N

General News from

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St. Stephen, Jan. was re-elected m ition. Howard M. C. H. Grimmer. c ward without opr ges and J. T. Wh Kings ward with Dukes ward co and Hugh Love ward M. Stewart. 68: Stewart, 63; Boyd, who was a ber of the last through the ove friends. The asses T. K. McGeachy Mayor Murchie

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Sussex, Jan. 21 meeting of the British and Fore held in the Pre evening. After tional exercises, travelling agent esting address, of the doings of over, at the c exhibited some of the Holy Lan culties experience only abroad but the portraits of suffered and wo lent addresses ered by Rev. dist, and Rev. Mi The latter mo

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