#### PROVINCIAL

#### LEGISLATURE.

Correspondence With Hon. C. A Duff-Miller, Agent General.

The Claim of Heirs of Robert Pugsley Referred to a Special Committee.

FREDERICTON, N. B., March 15 .-Mr. Osman made his inquiry: Is it the government's intention this session to introduce legislation which will enable the equity court to apply certain unclaimed moneys now held in trust by this court for original bondholders of the Albert Railway company, to the payment of old claims against this company for wages of employes unpaid? Mr. Osman, by way of explanation, gave a brief history of the Albert railway and of its sale under

foreclosure. Hon. Mr. Emmerson said there had been a balance of \$5,000 on deposit since June, 1893. That balance remained over after the equity suit of Thos. R. Jones v. the Albert Railway Co. That money is held by the equity court for the purpose of paying outstanding bonds. The matter referred to in the hon. member's (Osman's) inquiry is receiving the attention of the government.

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The special committee investigating the bridge charges was given permission to hold meetings during the sittings of the house.

Mr. Hazen moved, seconded by Mr. Daforest, for copies of all correspondence between the government and the Right Honorable Joseph Chamberlain with respect to reciprocal registration of colonial attorneys and barristers throughout the empire.

Mr. Burns committed the bill incorporating the Bathurst Power Co., which was agreed to with amendments, including one that the company should have the powers asked for, subject to conditions and regulations to be imposed by the lieut, governor in council, and another that the act shall not come in force until it is proclaimed by the lieut. governor in council. During consideration of this bill Mr. Emmerson announced that the government would take up this whole question at an early day and decide as to the terms and conditions upon which water power franchise would he granted to private corporations. Mr. Osman introduced a bill in relation to the Baltimore Coal Mining and

Railway Co. Hon. Mr. Emmerson announced to the house that an Ottawa despatch reported the relief of Mafeking. This was received with cheers and hearty applause, and the singing of God Save the Cueen.

Hon. Mr. Dunn committed the bill to aid in the settlement of the crown lands of the province. Answering Mr. Hazen, he explained that the bill, for the salary of Mr. Hickman, who had gone to the old country in the interest of the province. Under the bill authorized from time to time, as he shall think fit, upon the recommendation of the surveyor general, expend a sum, not in any one year to exceed five thousand dollars, for the purpose of inducing and assisting persons, whether residents of the province or coming into the prevince from abroad, to settle upon vacant crown lands. The expenditure authorized may be devoted to any or all of the following purposes: Payment of railway fares and other expenses of intending settlers to the places where they are to locate, and a guide to accompany them; the building of colonization roads from existing highways to the lands taken up by such settlers; the payment of the expenses of immigration agent; the preparation and distribution of literature, photographs or other pictures; or in such other manner as the lieutenant governor in council may deem most advisable.

The bill was agreed to. Hon. Mr. Tweedie read the following, which was received with cheers

and loud applause: "OTTAWA, March 15 .- The following telegrams were received by his

excellency today: " March 13th-Hearty congratulations to Canadian troops on active service.

"(Sgd.) 'Governor of British Honduras.'

"'Lord Tennison to the Governor General: "'ADELAIDE, March 15, 1900,-Gov-

ernor, ministers and people of South Australia beg to offer their congratulations to Canadian people on splendid conduct of their contingents in South Africa, and sympathy in sad losses. "'(Signed) TENNISON.'"

Hon. Mr. Tweedie committed the bill to consolidate and amend the school lishman, an Irishman or a Scotchman, act and acts in amendment thereof. so long as he had the essential quali-He said he would explain any new sections when they were reached. The both languages. (Applause.) bill was orneidered until six o'clock, when progress was reported, with leave to sit again, and the house adjourned.

election to the general essembly. authorizing the school trustees of district No. 2, Lancaster, St. John, to issue debentures. Progress was reported with leave to sit again.

viding the parish of St. Francis, Madawaska Co., into two separate par-ishes, which was agreed to with amendments and an amended title: Hon, Mr. McKeown committed

bill to confirm an agreement made between the City of St. John and the Imperial Dry Dock Co. of St. John. McKeown read the correspondence which Mayor Sears had sent to Pre-mier Emmerson with respect to this bill, which correspondence has already been published. The bill was agreed to with amendments.

Hon. Mr. McKeown committed the bill relating to the building of an as required. abattoir in St. John. He explained the bill should not give the common council control of the abattoir in case of workmen employed by him, as he

St. John, the properties of gentlemen living in the county might be injured thereby without their having the right to say a word against it. He thought if the abattoir be built in the county the control should be in the municipal council. This view was agreed to by Messrs. Emmerson and Dunn. Mr. McKeown said he would consider the suggestions. Mr. Purdy thought there would be no danger of the property of any one in the county being injured. He understood a site near Courtmay Bay (in the city) had been decided upcn. Mr. Shaw also suggested that the abattoir should be subject to the rules and regulations of the board of health. -Progress was reported with leave to

sit agein. Hon. Mr. Tweedle introduced the bill relating to the Maritime Sulphite Fibre Co., and a bill amending the act relating to the education of deaf and mute persons.

Mr. Burchill, on behalf of Mr. Fish (who is attending the meeting of the investigating committee), recommitted the bill relating to the town of Newcastle, which was agreed to with amendments.

Mr. Johnson gave notice of inquiry: Has the government considered the advisability of appointing an inspector of schools knowing the English and French languages, and is it the intention of the government to appoint an ir spector of schools, knowing such languages, for the districts where the population is wholly or the majority French?

the bill relating to the J. B. Snowball The bill was discussed by White,

Emmerson, Tweedie, Carvell and with leave to sit aguin. Premier Emmerson said: Tomorrow being a day that is particularly honor-

ber of citizens of this country, and inin every way honorel and esteemed, desired an opportunity of paying their and in view of the fact that our be- last sed tribute to the memory of that year in celebration of and as a mark which was done. of appreciation for the alor and sacrifices made by the sons of Erin in the defence of our rights and liberties as an empire, I think it would be well, having regard to her wishes and, I am sure, to the wishes of her people as a province to in some way show our appreciation as well of the valor as of the sacrifices which those, our fellow citizens, of that particular nationality have made on the field of battle, and I would therefore move that when this house adjourn it stand adjourned until

Monday afternoon. (Applause). that I second the motion made by the honorable premier as a tribute of the respect and appreciation which this house feels for the loyalty and devocess of the present war in Africa, and for certain exemptions from the operto say that I am in hearty accord with ation of the game law. the remarks that have been made by . The Indians in their petition give different parts of the province. the lieutenant governor in council is the leader of the government. (Ap- expression to the statement that the

plause). Dr. Pagsley-I would like to say a word in support of this motion, and it gives me a great deal of pleasure to do so. I would like to make reference to the fact that the first New Brunswicker to lay down his life for our liberty upon the soil of South Africa was the son of an Irishman belonging to my own county of Kings. (Applanse).

FREDERICTON, N. B., March 19 .-Hon. Mr. Emmerson introduced a bill amending chapter 100, Consolidated Statutes, of rates and taxes.

Answering Mr. Osman's inquiry, Hon. Mr. White said: The draw in the bridge across the Petitoodiac River, at Moncton would be opened whenever necessary for the passage of vessels during the approaching season of navigation.

Mr. Johnson made his inquiry: Is it the intention of the government to appoint an inspector knowing the English and French language in districts that are wholly or largely French? Johnson in explaining his inquiry said that while he had no reflection to make on the qualifications of any gentlemen now holding the position of school inspector, yet it was a fact known to some hon, members of this house that there were some gentlemen holding the important position of school inspector who could not make themselves understood in French districts by reason of their inability to speak that language. All that he was concerned about was that this condition of things should be remedied, and if the government saw its way clear to comply with the suggestion contained in his inquiry it would be a matter immaterial to him whether the appointee of the government was a Frenchman, an Eng. the city. fication of being able to speak the

Hon. Mr. Tweedie said the government had considered very seriously the question of school inspectors. Of sons, which was agreed to. course there was at present no vacancy on the staff, which consisted of Mr. Emmerson introduced a bill fur- six members, but the new school act en act to provide for the division of ther amending the law relating to provides for the appointment of not Hen. Mr. Dunn committed the bill and if it was considered advisable by the board of education to increase the number of inspectors at any time, the question of appointing an inspector knowing both the French and English Mr. Gagnon recommitted the bill di- languages would receive the serious attention of the board of education

Answering Mr. Flemming's inquiry, Hon, Mr. White said: The flooring of the Woodstock bridge was purchased by tender. Only one tender was received, that of J. Albert Hayden, to whom the contract was awarded. The contract price was \$12 per thousand for birch plank, the amount being estimated at 71,000 feet; and \$7 per thousand for spruce, for whatever quantity might be required. The spikes and nails for laying the floor

would be purchased by the inspector Lewis E. Brewer was the inspector which was objectionable to many had been withdrawn. Mr. Shaw thought know what rate of wages per day the the fall of 1893. The professors in that the compulsory feature of the bill and overseer of the work, and received inspector has had to pay in the case

it was erected outside the city. If had not yet received any bill for the the city had the right to have these catablishments built in the county of quainted with the inspector, Lewis E. quainted with the inspector, Lewis E. Brewer, but he was advised by the chief engineer and believed that he was a man thoroughly competent to take charge of the work. The only instructions were instructions given the inspector were contained in the following letter, writ-ten him by the chief engineer on January 31st last: "I have been instructed to notify you that you have been appointed to superintend the laying of the new flooring on the Woodstock bridge. You will please proceed with the undertaking by day's work, employing such labor as may be neces-sary, at as reasonable rates as possible. You should get such labor at from \$1 to \$1.50 per day, depending on the skilled labor required. You will please consult with Messrs. Carvell and McCain relating to securing assistance. I enclose you, under separate cover, time sheets on which you keep each month's time separate, and, also, get signatures on receipt of payment, and return to the office here. You can use your own judgment as to the date when you commence work, taking, of course, into consideration when you can work to advantage in most easily keeping traffic open. In my opinion the work had better be exscuted before the traffic over the ice breaks up. Yours very truly (Signed), A. R. Wetmore."

Hon. Mr. Emmerson said that it was row three o'clock, and doubtless hon. members were aware that the funeral of a prominent citizen was to take place at half-past three. He referred to the late Dr. Coulthard, a gentleman who, in addition to being held in After recess Mr. Burchill committed the highest esteem as a private citizen, had filled many public positions of responsibility and trust, and who had for many years attended the open-Pugsley, and progress was reported ing and closing ceremonies of this legislature as a coroner of the county. He had also been for many years chairman of the board of school trusted throughout the empire, and indeed ees of the city of Fredericton, and section throughout the world by a large num-retary of the provincial board of retary of the provincial board of health. Under these circumstances deed of all countries, citizens who are and knowing that many hon, members

loved Queen has signified her lesire to gentleman, he would suggest that the have the day particularly honored this house take recess until half-past four, On Mr. Speaker resuming the chair, Hon. Mr. Tweedie introduced a bill amending the act providing for the division of the province into counties, towns and parishes, in so far as the

same relates to the parishes of Gienthroughout the whole empire, for us elg and Regersville, Northumberland Co. Hon. Mr. Dunn recommitted the bill authorizing the school trustees of District No. 2, Lancaster, St. John Co., to

with amendments. Mr. Thompson committed the bill authorizing the trustees of School Dis-Mr. Hazen-It is with much pleasure , trict No. 2, St. Marys, York Co., to issue debentures, which was agreed to with amendments.

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Mr. Hasen presented the petition of Arthury Sacobie, Joe L. Acquin, Peter | self is a handsome stone building, tion of the sons of Ireland who have Acquin, John Paul, John Atwin, John among other things, provided in part contributed so much towards the suc- Poliches and 33 other Indians, praying ficent recreation hall built last year

> present game law bears harshly upon them, and they ask that legislation be Mr. Osman committed the bill in repromoted that will in part exempt the lation to the Baltimore Coal Mining Indians from the operation of the law and Railway Co., which was agreed to by permitting each head or provider with amendments. of a family to kill one moose or two caribou or two deer each season, and that such Indians be exempt to the extent they are allowed to kill from the operation of the law prohibiting the killing of moose and caribou in that the bill further amending the New section of the province lying to the Brunswick Der.tal Act of 1890, which west of the river St. John. The peti- was agreed to with amendments. tions further suggest that as the musk rat killed in the fall of the year is used to a considerable extent by the Indians of the St. John river for winter food, they be exempted from the provisions of the law prohibiting the taking or destroying of musk rats in the counties of Kings, Queens and Sunbury this province of the Torrence system between the 16th of June and the 10th

> of March. Hon. Mr. White introduced a bill further amending the Highways Act, tem was in force in Manitoba, British 1896; also relating to actions of ejectment commenced prior to Sept. 1st, inicn, as well as in Massachusetts and 1894; also relating to the highway road other parts of the American union, in the parish of Hillsboro between the and worked well everywhere. He did end of the Academy road (so called) not intend to press the matter to a and the Salem road.

Adjourned.

FREDERICTON, March 20.- Hon. Mr. McKeown recommitted the bill relating to the building of an abattoir in the city or county of St. John. He explained that he proposed amending the bill in accordance with recent suggestions. It was now proposed that authority be given for the erection of the abattoir within the dity of St. John. This was to meet the views of those who had held that the common council should have no authority in case the establishment was built in the county of St. John instead of in Agreed to with amendments, and an

amended title making the bill apply to the city of St. John only. Hon. Mr. Tweedie committed the bill amending the law relating to the educattion of deaf and dumb mute per-

Hon. Mr. Tweedie committed the bill amending the law to revise and codify the province into counties, towns and exceeding eight inspectors altogether, parishes, so far as the same relates to the parishes of Glenelg and Rogersville, Northumberland Co., which was agreed to.

Hon. Mr. White committed the bill amending the law providing increased fire protection for the village of Sussex.—Agreed to with amendments.

Hon. Mr. White committed the bill authorizing Kings municipality to grant exemption from taxation for a period of ten years of the buildings, plant, works and property of Price, Marshall & Co. at Norton, which was agreed to with amendments.

Mr. Pointer committed the bill incorporating the directors of the College of the Sacred Heart, Caraquet. He said this college was erected a few years ago by Rev. J. T. Allard, parish priest of Caraquet, and he made a present of it to the Eudiste Fathers, with the approbation of his lordship the Bishop of Chatham, for the benefit of the education of young men. It first opened its doors to the public in the fall of 1898. The professors in charge belong to the Eudiste order of teachers, and are fully qualified and of the education of young men. It

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The manufactured price of the machine is \$20 and positively will not be sold to any others than those who will agree to do Initing for us. To such we are giving a discount to present, as we not make the price not \$15.00, covering cot of manufacture, etc., expecting to derive a profit from the productions of the machines and labor of our employees. If at any time after you commence and wish to discontinue, we will take back machine, and refund the amount paid for same, after deducting cost of our expanse only.

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Name of Reference, Be sure to use this form when sending your remittance for the machine and outfit, which you must fill in and then tear off and return to us and also state here how much you can devote to the work; also how you wish-to be paid, weekly, monthly or as you send in the work.

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#### capable of carrying on the work undertaken by them. Their head house in Canada is situate at Halifax. Both

English and French are taught in all the branches of education, and their coming to Gloucester county would fill a long-felt want among the northern counties. There are four ecclesiastical and two lay teachers now at this colof the MAGNIFICENT HALF-TONE ENGRAVING, lege, which number will be increased as necessity requires. The college it-SAINT JOHN, NEW BRUNSWICK, CANADA three storeys in height, with a magni-

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After recess, Dr. Pugsley committed

large orders.

Not good after First of May, 1900.

sirable that steps should be taken to stand that a reply was sent last night, and it would no doubt be in the press today.

Of course it is quite understandable that there should be some delay, in view of the very many messages our dear Queen has received and replied to, not only to and from her generals and troops, but also in connection with public bodies all over the provide for the early introduction in of transfer and registration of titles. Dr. Pugsley supported the motion in a lengthy speech. The Terrence sys-Columbia and elsewhere in the dom-I have the honor to remain, sir, Your obedient servant,

would take into consideration the importance of the question. After remarks by White and Emmerson, the motion was withdrawn.

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Dr. Pugsley moved, seconded by Mr.

Resolved, that with a view to facili-

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to with amendments.

Russell, the following:

Dr. Pugsley moved, seconded by Purdy, the following: Resolved, that the papers submitted to this house by the chief commigsioner of public works in connection with the claim of Amelia Morton, and others, heirs of Robert Pugsley, deceased, be referred to a special committee of five members of the house, to enquire into the said claim, and report to this house whether in their opinion it would be equitable and just that such claim, specifying the amount thereof, should be raid, and the comnattee shall have power to summor and examine witnesses, under oath touching such claim.

After a lengthy explanation of the cleim by Dr. Pugsley, the motion was carried without division, and Mr. Steaker said he would appoint the committee tomorrow.

Speaker Hill read the following correspondence, which he had received from Honorable C. A. Duff Miller, the agent general for New Brunswick:

17 LEATHER MARKET, S. E., 28th Feb., 1900. The Hon. Geo. F. Hill, Speaker of the House

of Assembly:

Sir—I have the honor to acknowledge your cable message to the Queen from the house of assembly of New Brunswick, and at once wrote to the colonial secretary the enclosed letter, and proceeded to the colonial office to deliver same personally to him.

I was informed, however, that he was not at the office today, and would not be in the house of commons. I accordingly handed your message with my letter to Lord Ampthill, Mr. Chamberlain's secretary, who promised to have the same conveyed immediately through the proper channel to Her Majesty the Queen.

I have the honor to remain, sir,

I have the honor to remain, sir, Your most obedient servant, C. A. DUFF MILLER, Agent General for New Brunswick 17 LEATHER MARKET, S. E.,

3rd March, 1900. The Hon. Geo. F. Hill, Speaker of the House

of Assembly:

## It was voted at Public Meetings held in St. John to give a Bonus of

Fifty Cents per day for Six Months to every Soldier from New Brunswick, no matter what part of the Province he was from or which contingent he joined. THE FUND FOR THIS PURPOSE IS ABOUT \$3,000 SHORT. Arrangements have been made for the sale, for the benefit of this fund,

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C. A. DUFF MILLER,

Agent General for New Brunswick. Mr. Burchill recommitted the bill relating to the J. B. Snowball Co., Ltd., which was agreed to with amend-

Hon. Mr. Tweedie committed the bill relating to the Maritime Sulphite Fibre Co., which was agreed to with amendments. FREDERICTON, March 21.-Mr.

Purdy introduced a bill relating to civic government in the city of St. Mr. Melanson recommitted the bill

providing for the erection of an alms house and workhouse for the French inhabitants of Shediac, and the maintenance of the poor, which was agreed to with amendments.

Mr. Todd committed the bill further amending laws incorporating the town of St. Stephen. After recess the bill was further considered, and progress was reported with leave to sit again. Mr. Porter gave notice of inquiry: Is it the government's intention to erect a permanent bridge at Andover this year, the present bridge being considered dangarous.

Hon. Mr. Emmerson introduced a bill further amending the act relating to arrest, imprisonment and examination of debtors. The speaker appointed Messrs. Mott,

Thompson, Flemming, Lawson and Todd a special committee to investigate the claim of Amelia Morton and others. Hon. Mr. Emmerson suggested that

rot to press the matter this year. Dr. Pugsley said the claimants felt that their claim should be adjudicated upon, and to let the master go now would be postponing it for another year, which would be quite a hardship. He thought he could safely say the matter would not occupy the attention of the committee more than a couple of days. He suggested that the mat-ter might stand until tomorrow, so that am opportunity might be afforded of talking it over and deciding upon some course to be pursued. Hon. Mr. Emmerson said he would act on the suggestion of the hon.

member (Pugeley).

as it was late in the session the hon. member for Kings (Pugsley) ought

H. D McLEOD, Treasurer, St John, N. B. Mr. Hazen suggested that a commission be issued to the judge in equity, who could take the evidence and report to the government, and his report could be laid before the house

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Contingent Fund, in my name, one-

Name ......

half of amount enclosed.

and dealt with by the house.

Hon. Mr. Tweedie said that as one member of the government he would be perfectly satisfied to leave it to the judge in equity, but he thought a committee of the house was a proper tribunal to try it.

Hon. Mr. Tweedie recommitted the school bill, Mr. Burchill chairman. Nearly all the sections of the bill were adopted. Mr. Tweedle said as some amendments would have to be considered he would move that progress be reported. One of the amendments proposed that in districts where the schools were closed because of an epidemic, such as smallpox, the school teachers should be paid their full salaries by the districts. At present the government pay the full allowance to teachers in such cases. Progress was reported with leave to sit again.

### Children Cry for CASTORIA

THE CANADIAN VOIGNTEERS-THE PRIDE OF THE EMPIRE.

By Alfred A. Yerxa. . For the love of their dear mother-land, Mustered that hardy Spartan band, To carry the banner of Britain high, Where heroes meet to do or die.

They volunteered from East and West, The young, the bravest, and the best. The finest of that North-land soil, The heirs of wealth and the sons of toil.

Soldiers they are and will be sung, Where'er is heard the Saxon tongue, Where ever patriotism reigns Their deeds will ring in martial strains. From Southern Africa's hills and vales, Let historians tell the herote tales How Canadians did the battle wage, And brought the Lion to the cage.

Midst the thunder and chaes of a hundred guns, Canada marshalled her stalwart sons, Whose muscles of iron and nerves of steel Forced the Boer to unconditionally yield.

The foxy Lion soon taught to fear
The prairie yell and the college cheer,
Laid down his arms while he yet drew breath.
And forgot he was fighting to the death. Their names were greeted in Parliament

halls
With a cheer that rent the historic walls,
A three times three—hip, hip, hurrah!
For the gallant sons of Canada. Many have fallen—none are dead—
But live in the Temple of Memory instead,
Canada will carve each sacred name
In letters of Gold, on a shaft of Fame,