aforesaid shrubbery to the front of the house | Under these circumstances, it does seem he came very unexpectedly upon a couple that the time has arrived when the thoughtwho were strolling under the bare trees fulness of congregations should make pro-and over the fallen leaves, with an air of vision for the future of their Pastors' famiof these was a lady—a sparkling-faced lies, and we know of no better form than brunette, closely wrapped up, and leaning investing in paid up, er partially heavily on the arm of her companion paid up, Life Policies in reliable This companion was Barry.

overcast, and his mouth much more grimly token of Providential favor and new evi-

doing so before; but there is no doubt now out the land. that I must speak to him."

He carried out his intention that very night. As Barry was sitting in his own room, lazily smoking a cigar, and trying to make up his mind to the exertion of going TRIBUNE's article in favor of the Governout to Colonel Randolph's, Semple walked in upon him, and began at once.

"Phil," he said, "I have heard some put the following query:— "Phil," he said, "I have heard some gossip about you lately; but I did not pay much attentien to it until I saw you this afternoon with Miss Le Grand. Now, I think it right to tell you that sharp eyes are on you, and that you had better take are on you were the only bridges and the fellowing deer the take and oulcast from the lath. That this evil will be removed, eventure that this evil will be removed, eventure that this evil will be removed, eventure that the solution, and on the weight of the maternal arm, may have led me to think maternal arm, may have led me to think that these were the only bridges and that do not doubt, and, as has been maternal arm, may have led me to think that the severy day more charitable towards each that the beat on Jally, I do not doubt, and, as has been maternal arm, may have led me to think the think the one of the maternal arm, may have led me to feel the hardness of the maternal arm, may have led me to feel the hardness of the mat

He must have a Library, which must be bit similar marked features.

It is evident, on all sides, that the year's constantly receiving additions; and this

He is generally a most industrious man.

And what is the money remuneration for all this devotion and labor? The public ployed bringing gravel to fill the pond, and that therefore the people are left without uel. If this is true, it is monstrous, and told in this connexion. It is only necessary to say that the salary of a dry-goods clerk, not to speak of a book-keeper, would be not to speak of a book-keeper, would be at such a time. Public indignation is The ordinary family expenditure is generally sufficient to exhaust the income, but besides this there is usually a demand on the Minister's purse for charitable and other purposes. Most congregations place the earth of the purposes. Most congregations place that the only qualifications required to earth of the purposes. Most congregations place the purposes of the true that the only qualifications required to earth of the purposes of the purposes of the purposes. Most congregations place the purposes of the purpose of the purposes of the purposes of the purpose of the pur ally sufficient to exhaust the income, but

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"Good-evening, Miss Le Grand," said

Companies. Such an arrangement could of religious toleration stands most promi-Semple, uncovering with a good deal of not fail to impart renewed confidence ceremony. -" How are you, Barry?" he to the Pastor's heart and fresh energy to added, with a nod to that gentleman. all his movements, since he would see in it, Then he rode on, his face a shade more besides its purely monetary value, a new

set then before this encounter.
"So there was some foundation for those stories, after all," he thought. "Good By all means, let the example which we Heavens! if they should reach Mona's ears! were called on to record on Saturday, find I must speak to Barry. I have avoided imitators in every congregation through-

> A Free Suspension Bridge. A correspondent, who alleges that he perused, with great pleasure, THE DAILY ment purchasing the Suspension Bridge,

involves more expense. He must keep style. Merchants, and the people generalhouse and marry a wife,—his people require that much of him, at least; and in clergymen's families, children, and many house and marry a wife, -his people re- ly, express themselves satisfied with the looking forward to 1872 with hopeful anticipations. The times have certainly changed nor reason can admit. since the trade of St. John was confined to If he preaches two original sermons on New Brunswick, almost exclusively, and stories should go in braces, permit me to Sunday, he goes through an amount of when the failure of one or two English repeat another little tale from the good Sunday, he goes through an amount of which the failure of the bush of the sunday is supported by the supported by mental labor in their preparation that is sufficient to prostrate the industries and sufficient, of itself, for one man's work for a week. But besides performing accept large transactions with other Provinces; which, in my opinion, is occupied far too ably the ordinary Sunday services, he must our lumber finds remunerative markets on lead off in the prayer meetings and the this side of the Atlantic; our ships are the less taught, badly fed, and poorly Sunday School; he must visit periodically, owned and sailed by our own people, which understood Knights of the blunderbuss Sunday School; he must visit periodically, ensures a steady flow of earnings homeif not frequently, all the members of his ward; and our manufacturers are rapidly

railroad, remarks :
It is said that there is plenty of wood

not to speak of a book-keeper, would be rising very fast.

treated as a generous equivalent by many

Considering the extreme scarcity of fuel, clergymen. We are within bounds in owing chiefly to delays on the Railroad. we stating that not one clergyman in fifty believe the authorities of the road should saves a dollar of his year's salary :- the make a special effort to move the lots that great struggle is, to make both ends meet have remained for some time loaded on the track,-and the sooner the better for all

theless, the worthy Minister, in nine cases of the defendant of the morning's brought; then his attorney, for he makes of the nearly one half were children, and doubtless, the hours, ten hogs for Mr. E. Norton. The average distance they were carried was over half a mile, and their combined of the nearly one half were children, and doubtless, the hours, ten hogs for Mr. E. Norton. The average distance they were carried was over half a mile, and their combined on the theorem of the makes of the hours, ten hogs for Mr. E. Norton. The average distance they were carried was over that the morning's brought; then his attorney, for he makes of the hours, ten hogs for Mr. E. Norton. The average distance they were carried was one of the theories of out. The hours, ten hogs for Mr. E. Norton. The hours, ten hogs for Mr. E. Norton. The hours, ten hogs for Mr. E. Norton. The hours, ten hogs for Mr. E. Nort

Priests and Pinchers.

BEING ONE OF A SERIES OF NARRATIVES AND tion! The Bishop smiled with pleasure, indices of progress, which form, as it er-book, and each kneeling and standing bast were, very large mile stones in the track at the proper place; and the poor parson of enlightenment, and among these a spirit scarcely knew what to do or say when, a

"Mona is not a fool," Barry answered, with a sudden dark cloud coming, over his face, and he pitched his eigar into the fire.

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sources of the shops, will, doubtless, exhibit similar marked features.

do my duty; but done wine"; and the come in and have some wine"; and the three friends would really spend a very business, for St. John, is closing in fine pleasant evening in the house of the good what many know full well, that there are

mouth to utter what neither conscience Before I argue further, however, as commerce of the Province. We now have reach us through the Transatlantic Press, much with the doings of the mad minority, congregation; he must attend them in sickness or when otherwise troubled; he must sympathize with them in their sor most sympathize with them in their sor the poorer members of the flook.

He must be in readiness to attend funerals and temperance meetings at an demperance meetings of the Young Men's Christian Association and the Bible Society he must not fail to put in an appearance, under pain of being treated as meaning attended with the mist attend them in their sor misk sympathize with them in their sor the flook.

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The conditions and giving employment (winter as well as summer) to our own people, thus preventing emigration and temperation and securing to us a contented population. The condition of the Province in 1871, as compared with 1851, would form a fine subject for a Mechanics Institute Lecturer.

Cordwood Again!—We have repeatedly drawn public attention to the scandalous scarcity of cordwood. The Freeman of this person of the pace, but with no one did he stand on terms of closer intimacy than the Parish Priest. His church, as I have said, was sould and bracing.

The worked for Sackhouse and Clark, at a gravel pit near Rothesay Station. On Saturday last about ten minutes to three o'clock in the afternoon, while at work on top of the bank, the beank gave it have been deprended with the out of the continoing the face; hilling in the south of Iroland, in the very the bean Quality and the stand of the bank, the beank gave it have been therefold. Clark, at a gravel plate for a method of the bank, the beank gave three o'clock in the afternoon, while at work on top of the rooms and halls, as well as gravel and the work on top of the rooms and halls, as well as the work on top of the not overlarge, and as it was part of his spiritual belief not to shake the settled

sincere belief of others, his parishioners, The verdict of the Jury was "Accidental originally small in number, had not increased in number with his friends, and therefore it is not very surprising that his Bishop, hearing of the true state of affairs, finally intimated an intention of visiting the parish, hinting, at the same time, that in all probability the little church tices' Courts, as they are called, in their

Death."

Severe on the Justices.

[From the Fredericton Farmer]

the vestry and robed, appeared before it is only at the grand finale, when the the congregation; and such a congrega- judgment is to be given and taxed, that he assumes the role of judge. opinions by perry p. tetric, ph. d.

The Bishop smiled with pleasure, while the incumbent almost fainted with the important administered, trial by jury is a fraud, and the boasted purity of our is a fraud, and the boasted purity of our contents. era which are certain and unmistakable reverent worshippers, each with a pray- Superior Courts only so much empty bom Motives for the Crime.

In the case of Mrs. Wharton, on trial at

of religious toleration stands most prominate.

A clever reviewer, writing some few years ago, cites the case of "Old Daddy Long Legs," who "wouldn't say his prayers," and who, as we all know, was caught by the hind legs and thrown down stairs, and argues that as long as children learn this classical poem by rote, so long will they treat the religious opinions of others unfairly and unkindly when they come to man's estate; and it is not to be denied that there is some little truth as well as a great deal of wit in this application of learn this classical powers. The truth is, however, that more toleration is shown by the members of the same creed towards lin the case of Mrs. Wharton, on trial at Annapolis, Maryland, for the poisoning of General Ketchum when on a visit to her ho, and behold, it was nobody but Father pather by training up the best behaved and best dressed of his flock to personate church men and supply the very obvious void. And I say, God bless his reverence for what he did, and may all our practical jokes have as much point as his.

The truth is, however, that more toleration is shown by the member of one denied that there is some little truth as well as a great deal of wit in this application of the same creed towards there was any witness to the transaction, the order of the poisoning of General Ketchum when on a visit to her house, the evidence bears very strongly against the prisoner. Charles Ketchum, son of the deceased, testified that on Friday, June 30, after his father when on a visit to her house, the evidence bears very strongly against the prisoner. Charles Ketchum, son of the deceased, testified that on Friday, June 30, after his father when on a visit to her house, the evidence bears very strongly against the prisoner. Charles Ketchum, son of the deceased, testified that on Friday, June 30, after his father when on the prisoner. Charles Ketchum, son of the deceased, testified that on Friday, June 30, after his father when the visually and the visually and the visually and unkindly as a great deal of wit in this application of the same creed towards the old nursery tale. I myself have a each other, and while you find two and she answered no. Witness said he the old nursery tale. I myself have a hazy remembrance of thinking that the sentence and punishment of the poor old sprawler were summary and unjust, and although similar omission of religious duty on my own part which frequently enabled me to feel the hardness of the

care. The first thing you know, Mona. Randolph will hear that you are flirting with another woman."

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before the continue and a standard as Market and the continue and the cont "and celebrate the feast of yule. And I contend that this fact is a sure proof of LOCALS.

> THE COLLECTION FOR THE ORPHANS at the "kindly feeling; and although Punch

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understood Knights of the blunderbuss and pike. Somewhat less than half a century since, in a pleasant, thriving Clark, at a gravel pit near Rothesay Sta-

Dr. Steeves found the man dying, and the Mountains it was cold and bracing, testifies to his death being brought by the injury received, as described by Keefe

trip in eleven days, each way. LAUNCHED .- The vessel which has been kept on the stocks for many months past, Some time we intend to show up Jusin Mr. Mahoney's yard, Courtenay Bay,

A FULL REPORT of Ship News in ano-A SKATING CARNIVAL on or about 25th January, in the Rink.

IF you want large fat oysters that will do you good, go to Geo. Sparrow, King ENGLISH ORDERS may be despatched by the steamer "Millbanke," from Lon-

ick and Jordan are agents in St. John. Source is at present in a dangerous con- The Rev. gentleman selected for his text dition. Not only is the roadway encum- Proverbs xxiii: chap. 29-32 verses, from bered with building materials, scattered which was delivered one of the freshest about as if the public convenience was a and most forcible discourses on this submatter of no consequence, but the side- ject, that we have had the pleasure of walk, too, is rendered impassible. Such listening to. Mr. Houston having atprivileges are not allowed in streets less tained considerable popularity in the public than this. and the representatives community as a clever observer of men of the Ward should have the nuisance and things, which he does not fail in his abated.

arrived at this port. The former is out afternoon was emphatically powerful, upwards of 75 days from Barrow, with a and fitted to leave its impress upon every cargo of railroad iron, and the latter sailed one of the large audience present. We from Liverpool 15th October last, and should like, remarkably well, to see since then no tidings have been heard of this sermon printed and distributed either of them. The Barracouta is a freely throughout the community; or, staunch brigantine, owned by J. Read & perhaps, Mr. Houston might be induced Co., of this city. The master (Kinne) and to re-deliver it shortly. erew belong to Albert County. Their friends are naturally alarmed as to their safety, but while we think there is some been offered to the great "le ground for anxiety, as yet there is none Temperance, so called, to "spread" for alarm.

what our City has of late years been accustomed to. There were the usual recustomed to. There were the usual religious exercises and Church decorations, the exchanges of gifts, deeds of charity IN THE CITY POLICE COURT TO-DAY. and benevolence, and pleasant family re-unions. The genial influences of the day on Charlotte St., was fined \$4. "kindly feeling; and although Punch "suggests to the Solicitor General as an "improbability, and as one of the questions to be asked the Tichborus claim—"ant, whether he, would be surprised to 'learn, that the Pope had conferred a "cardinal's cap upon Dr. Cummins? if "a word he a very nice little Christmas—"box, indeed, from His Holiness to an "ancient enemy."

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The Recent Thaw has caused considerable trouble in the Custom House building, and the Custom Hou

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Pastor of St. John Presbyterian Church.
notified his people of a Congregational neeting to be held in the church to-mor- 86 pulpit orators in Canada,

that in all probability the little church would be closed, and the services of the Rector no longerrequired. Imagine, then, the feelings of this Clergyman, with a large family to support, and with no rich friends on whom to rely; "the world was all before him," it is true, but the world is mighty large to starving scholars with starving children, to whom all its nice in tices' Courts, as they are called, in their true light; for the present we shall only say that it is time they were consigned to that gulf which has swallowed up the court of Common Pleas, is yawning under the foundations of the General Sessions of the Peace and the Legislative Council, and should be the receptible of all like irresponsible and irrational institutions.

The spirit of the age, which seeks to make starving children, to whom all its nice on Wednesday of last week in the bark Marinable was recently launched, and is now being fitted up at York Point Slip. She is a fine brigantine, called the Mabel, registers about 350 tons, and will class 3 3, 1-1 French Veritas. She is chiefly owned by mr. James Mahoney.

The IRREGULARITY OF THE TRAINS on Western Extension, has, we learn, in-herst is entrusted to Mr. John E. Hughes, on Western Extension, has, we learn, in-Cumberland County, arrived in port on is now being discharged at Hon. John

FIRST PAGE MATTER.-Verses, "The Toyagers," by a California poet; and the continuation of the story, "Dr. Sein-

ple's Opportunity." THE ELECTRIC TELEGRAPH OFFICE will be removed to Barlow's corner in February. The shop lately occupied by Robinson Bros. is being fitted up.

TEMPERANCE SERMON.—A very large don, up to the 13th March. Messrs. Melstitute on Sunday afternoon, to hear the Rev. Samuel Houston, pastor of Calvin KING'S SQUARE.—The north side of the Church, preach a Temperance sermon. preaching to manifest, and besides, being nowise timid in calling things by Overdue.-Neither the Barracouta nor their proper names, and handling vice

the Prussian bark Konnigratz has yet without gloves, the discourse of Sunday A friend of ours, who is regarded as

pretty "cutting" in his mode of expression, intimates that, had an opportunity themselves on the platform in connec-

row, Wednesday, evening, when they will PORTLAND POLICE COURT. — To-day consult in reference to the position and Samuel Cray, Jr., who was charged future work of the church. Special de- with assaulting and striking Laurence liberation on this occasion appears to have Hall, was fined \$4. Andrew Wasson, floor being dark with water. The hall is in a similar condition.

Personal.—Oliver Stone, Esq, returned last night from his trip "Across the Continent." As far as the Rocky Mountains Mr. Stone found the climate much the same as in St. John; crossing the Mountains it was cold and bracing, but not too cold; while on the Pacitic side it was delightful—the grass and of them young—the material for a first of the Mountains to the Mountains it was delightful—the grass and of them young—the material for a first of the Mountains it was delightful—the grass and of them young—the material for a first of the Mountains it was delightful—the grass and of them young—the material for a first of the Mountains it was delightful—the grass and of them young—the material for a first of the Mountains it was delightful—the grass and of them young—the material for a first of the Mountains it was delightful—the grass and of them young—the material for a first of the Mountains it was cold and bracing. but not too cold; while on the Pacific side, it was delightful,—the grass and vegetables growing finely, and all the other indications of what would here be regarded as a genial summer climate. Mr. Stone took his time, and made the

AN IRON (INTER-COLONIAL) RAILWAY BRIDGE for Little Forks, of the Napan river, thrown down the stairs of Mrs. Hampton's house, on Main street, Portland.

The Three Chimes-A Carol. The bells are ringing across the snow—Across the snow in the Christmas Eve Now wild and sweet, now faint and low.
This song the voices weave.

We sing a requiem, sad and slow.
To the sainted rest of days of yore;
For men must come, and men must go.
In the quick years evermore.