

FROM ALL OVER NEW BRUNSWICK

FREDERICTON.

Fredricton, March 22.—(Special)—Chas. W. Hurst, merchant, of Brighton, Carleton county, has assigned to Sheriff Hayward for the benefit of his creditors.

Letters of incorporation have been granted as follows: To Geo. E. Barbour, Fred T. Barbour, John D. Palmer, Wellington L. Hamer, of St. John, and Frank A. Barbour, of Boston, as the G. E. Barbour Company, Limited. The capital stock is to be \$99,000 and the object is to acquire and carry on the wholesale grocery business of G. E. Barbour.

To Paul Lee, D. I. Welch, Anna Lee, Chas. S. Lee, of Moncton, and Murray Churchill, of Yarmouth, as Paul Lee Company, Ltd. The capital stock is to be \$60,000.

To W. J. Kent, John McMillan, Christiana Kent, Hugh M. Kent, and Richard Kent, of St. John, as W. J. Kent & Co., Ltd., with a capital stock of \$50,000.

To E. G. Vroom, G. W. Ganong, John D. Chipman and others of St. Stephen, as Vroom Bros., Ltd. The capital stock is to be \$84,000.

Hollands Gibson and J. Fletcher, of Gordon; James Burgess, of Grand Falls; O. W. Shanon and H. W. Beveridge, of Andover, are seeking incorporation as Provincial Telephone Company, Limited. The object is to maintain telephone lines in the counties of Madawaska, Victoria, Carleton, York, Restigouche and Northumberland. The proposed capital stock is \$10,000.

In the public accounts committee this morning the expenditure for criminal prosecutions, totaling \$7,244.55, was taken up. The charges are principally sums paid to lawyers for attending and prosecuting criminal cases.

Mr. Smith and Mr. Morrison made the general criticism that the law officers of the crown should attend to the criminal cases.

Mr. Orman said this matter was brought before the committee a few years ago, when Mr. McKernan submitted a statement showing the expenditures under this head are really less than formerly.

Mr. Whitehead remarked that in the fifteen counties of the province one or more of the courts are in session all the time and it would be practically impossible for two crown officers to attend all these courts.

Tuesday the officials of the Provincial Hospital attended with their books and accounts. Tomorrow morning the expenditures of the department of agriculture will be taken up.

The committee on municipalities this morning passed five bills, none of which were opposed.

The first was to amend the act authorizing the municipality of Victoria to issue debentures. Mr. Tweeddale explained the money was wanted for repairing the court house, \$2,000 had already been authorized and \$2,000 more was needed.

Another Victoria bill was to enable the county valuation to be postponed until 1908. Both these bills came from the municipal council.

Mr. Smith's bill was to consolidate certain school districts in Carleton county and authorize the consolidated districts to issue debentures to \$10,000.

The district will be known as the "Floresville Consolidated School District." Provision is made for the admission of other districts. The new school will have a capacity of 250 pupils.

Mr. Hart's bill was to authorize the school trustees of St. Andrews to issue debentures of \$2,500 to enable the trustees to pay their indebtedness and make repairs on school property.

The bill relating to the town of St. Andrews authorized the town council to issue \$10,000 for electric lighting plant, and \$5,000 bonus to the St. George's Granite Company to establish branch works at St. Andrews. The bill also vests certain funds formerly held by the municipal council in the town council, both councils supporting the bill. Provision for taking a vote of the ratepayers before the debentures are issued is made.

It is generally rumored military circles here that No. 4 company of the Royal Regiment will shortly be transferred to Halifax to form part of the garrison to be established there by the Canadian government. That the change is likely to take place soon is indicated by the fact that the caterers of the officers and sergeants' messes were lately warned not to place any large orders for new stock.

When Monday morning came the messenger of a local branch bank was sent and inquiries since that time have failed to locate him. Since Monday a young lady, daughter of a local military man, is also said to have been missing and efforts to locate her are also said to have met with no success. The talk about town is that there was an elopement.

At Zionsville this morning, Eliza, wife of Charles O'Connell, died, aged 78. She had recently had one foot amputated on account of gangrene.

The Southwest Log Driving Company, Ltd., this morning elected Michael Welch, Timothy Lynch and H. H. Ginter directors, who chose H. H. Ginter president, and Harry Beckwith, secretary-treasurer.

It has been decided to have Messrs. Lynch and Welch, who will drive the up per southwest corporation this year, take the main drive along with the Richards.

Mr. Welch this afternoon gave out the following estimate of the new and old lumber to come out with the drive on the Southwest Miramichi:

Table with 2 columns: Item, Amount. Includes T. Lynch (7,000,000), M. Welch (6,000,000), Richards Co (3,000,000), Hutchinson (1,900,000), Jas. Farley (300,000), W. R. McMillan (600,000), Parties on Calve river (5,000,000), Parties on Renous river (12,000,000).

Total, 40,400,000. Fredericton, N. B., March 23.—(Special)—At a meeting of the deputy crown lands surveyors held tonight at the crown lands office, an association to be called the Provincial Land Surveyors' Association of New Brunswick, was formed. There are twenty-nine crown lands surveyors in the province, and of these twenty attended the meeting. W. E. Fish, of Newcastle, was elected chairman, and G. C. Murdoch, of St. John, secretary of the meeting. A constitution and by-laws were adopted, and a committee of eight appointed to draft a bill of incorporation to be submitted to the legislature this session.

The following officers were elected: Hon. J. Tweeddale, honorary president; W. E. Fish, president; G. C. Murdoch, secretary-treasurer; D. L. Tracy (Tracy Station), I. G. Loggie (Fredericton), A. E. Hanson (Fredericton), W. Gillespie (St. Stephen), and J. Mather (Stanley), council.

The death occurred at Lincoln, Sanbury county, last night of Alphonse Sewell. Deceased, who was in the 75th year of his age, had suffered for some time from paralysis, but his death came quite suddenly.

A three months' course in manual training will commence on April 3 in the Provincial Normal School, and will qualify teachers to earn a special grant offered for teaching this subject in all schools.

At the marriage yesterday George H. Sturgeon, of this city, and Miss George L. Howland, of Gibson, were united in marriage. Rev. Willard McDonald performed the ceremony.

There was a double wedding at Upper Blackville, Northumberland county, on the 18th inst., when Rev. C. P. Wilson united in marriage Henry Peterson and Miss Jane Arbo, and Howard Arbo and Miss Annie Peterson.

immediately be connected with the New Brunswick Telephone Company's lines so that there will be a through service to this city, St. John, and all other points reached by the latter company's lines. Mr. Tweeddale, M. P. E., as well as Mr. Burgess, M. P. P., feel that the company will meet with success. Its capitalization is \$10,000, with Donald Frazer & Sons among the heaviest stockholders.

ROTHESAY. Rothsay, March 20.—The death of Walter Wetmore, of Clifton, at the age of eighteen has called for more than the usual sympathy for his mother and brothers and sisters, because of the somewhat sudden death of his father only a few weeks ago. He was a promising youth, well thought of by all who knew him.

Mrs. Howard Wetmore arrived in Clifton Saturday and will remain for the time until Mr. Wetmore's remains have been interred. Mr. Wetmore has been visiting here since his death, and will be buried here on Saturday. He was a member of the Methodist church, and was a member of the Clifton school board.

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ALL RUN DOWN WEAK--NERVOUS--UNSTRUNG.

Thousands get run down and become invalids before they realize anything is wrong. By permitting low vitality to develop, the way is paved for fevers, pneumonia and diphtheria. To put off makes it all the harder to get well. The time to repair the system is right now, before the damage gets any worse. The remedy is Ferrozone; it revitalizes, renews, builds up vitality that outlasts old age.

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from the Grand Falls Power Company which, as I have already pointed out, was not a legitimate receipt and we really had a deficit of \$5,000. The revenue has been increasing for the past several years. In 1888 it was \$708,898, in 1900, \$758,888, in 1902, \$772,428, and last year the large sum of \$903,554, \$100,000 greater than two years ago, and I will show that last year we really had a deficit of \$10,000.

MONCTON.

Moncton, March 21.—The rush of traffic on the I. C. R. has proved a boon for trainmen and those seeking employment. During the past month fifteen or twenty men have been taken on by the I. C. R. at Moncton. Between Saturday night and last night some 500 cars of freight passed through Moncton for various points. It was a busy day.

The Moncton & Baie Verte railway has started plowing out the road, but it is hardly likely the line will be clear for traffic before next winter. The I. C. R. has been working the road, recently transferred to the I. C. R. by the I. C. R. The increased revenue last year was made up almost wholly of increased revenues from crown lands and in a year when the lumber industry was in a depressed condition.

Another thing I pointed out to the house last year that the amount of \$18,000 from special loan for fresh account of 1900 had been turned into current revenue. A most vicious system of bookkeeping when sums borrowed on bonds of the province are turned into the current revenue.

Mr. Fleming—Last year we built a large bridge that was carried out in the freight of 1900 and all have not been rebuilt.

Mr. Fleming—I am not now objecting to rebuilding the bridges but to the practice of turning money obtained on special loan into current revenue account where no trace of it is kept.

It is unnecessary that I should again point out to the house the enormous amounts paid out under the items for public printing, executive government contingencies, etc. The same unsatisfactory system was followed as formerly.

Under the head of executive government we have a truly remarkable showing and one that should be a cause for shame to the taxpayers. The amount is something like this: Hon. F. J. Sweeney, \$600; Hon. Wm. Pugsley, \$2,100; traveling expenses, \$400; settling succession duties, \$1,540; expenses to Ottawa and London, \$4,750—total \$8,390. Premier Tweeddale, salary \$2,100; traveling expenses, \$1,105; salary as surveyor-general, \$860. Hon. A. T. Dunn, surveyor-general, \$650; traveling expenses, \$315. Hon. H. A. McKeown, \$441. Hon. C. H. LaBillette, salary \$1,700; traveling expenses, \$1,433. Hon. L. P. Farris, salary \$1,700; traveling expenses, \$600. Sessional indemnity of six members of government, \$3,000; coach hire for members executive, \$885; a grand total of \$24,060. This is equal to over \$80 a day for every working day of the year and is exclusive of the amounts paid as hospital commissions or the traveling expenses of the executive.

I am quite willing to concede that the attorney-general is a gentleman of great ability, but he is entirely too expensive for this small province.

The Halifax fisheries award case has cost the province \$2,338, to date, and if the statements made in this house are to be credited, we have not yet reached an end of this case, although I confess I have my doubts about it, particularly as a few days ago, in the federal parliament, in reply to a question by Mr. Martin, of P. E. Island, Hon. Mr. Prebostine stated that it was not the intention to refer this case to the supreme court.

Hon. Mr. Pugsley—The honorable member must know that later than that the prime minister, in reply to a question by Mr. Carvell, said that the matter was still under the consideration of the government. This is a matter of great importance; it means some \$20,000 for this province.

Mr. Fleming—Then we have the increased subsidy case, for which Mr. Tweeddale received \$250 and Mr. Pugsley \$300. The sum of \$11,524.69 paid out on these three cases, and what has the province to show for the expenditure?

Last evening the premier threw across the floor of this house challenges to the members of the opposition to repeat in the house statements we make in the country school houses. I will tell the honorable member that in any statement I make in the country regarding public affairs I am prepared to stand by in this house or elsewhere. I state what I believe to be the truth regarding provincial matters and at any time.

If the premier is desirous of hearing me make these statements in the country school houses, let him come to Clifton county when next there is an election. I am ready to meet him on any platform and to state to the people in his presence, as I have done in this house today, what I believe to be true in regard to the way affairs are being conducted under his administration.

Hon. Mr. Jones moved the adjournment of the debate. Hon. Mr. Tweeddale introduced a bill in addition to and in amendment of the schools act.

House adjourned at 10 o'clock.

Committee Meetings. The committee on municipalities met this morning, and dealt with the county bill. Mr. Borden's amendment appeared before the committee and objected to a number of clauses of the bill. He thought the speed of four miles an hour crossing a bridge or approaching it or at a sharp curve was too low. He also wanted the bill not to interfere with the auto road act passed last session. The provision requiring a rear light was dispensed with. The bill was agreed to by the committee, with the understanding that a full opportunity is to be given to discuss the objection taken by Mr. Armstrong with regard to his auto road act, and that Mr. Copp will regard to the payment for the service of the secretary being fixed by the governor-in-council.

The public accounts committee this morning dealt with the agricultural expenditure. Mr. Smith wanted the government to exercise some sort of supervision over creameries and cheese factories, with regard to the farmers receiving payment for their milk. Mr. Borden was practically impossible, as these industries were carried on with honest private enterprises, and they got nothing more from the government but the bonus of \$900 the first year.

Mr. Smith criticized the expenditure on illustration orchards. There was also some criticism on the item of contingencies for the attorney-general's office, and the bill for cab hire. The chairman suggested, and the committee agreed, that a recommendation be made that there should be an itemized statement of cab hire every month. The committee will meet again tomorrow.

MONK AGAINST BORDEN ON SCHOOL QUESTION. (Continued from page 1.)

Sir, I care not what these men say. There is this fact, however, and I am sorry for it, that there are men in the Liberal party, grand men, excellent men, who have my esteem and who will have my esteem even if they leave the party and feel that they cannot continue longer with us because they think that we are wrong in this matter. I think, when they thoroughly understand this bill, when they see that it will prevail and that progress and prosperity which will result therefrom will be their own, but that they are able to do so or not their views will be respected by me. I will give them credit for conscientiousness, but I do think this, that if they had calmly considered the question some time, limited in their number, grand men, who in the heat of their feelings on this question

uttered certain things against the great honorable prime minister of this dominion will regret themselves having said, for the reason that he has departed from the principles that he advocated in days gone by, that he has sacrificed the principles that he declared to be good and that he would never stand by.