

SHIPPING INDUSTRY FOR CANADA DISCUSSED IN COMMONS.

Mr. Blair Speaks of Interest Aroused in the Subject in St. John—Fast Atlantic Line as an Incident in the Matter—An Important Session.

[Ottawa, May 21.—(Special)—In the house of commons this morning, Mr. Davis (Saskatchewan), moved that the Crown's New Southern Railway bill be formally withdrawn and that the fees be returned.

the enterprise on a successful footing. He assured the house that the subject would not escape due attention.

NEWS AT DOMINION CAPITAL. Election Protest Will Be Prosecuted Saturday—Prof. Bailey at the Royal Society.

Mr. Sproule agreed with Mr. Maclean that an explanation was desirable, more especially because he saw in the papers that the company had made arrangements with the dominion government to connect with American lines to the south by means of a provincial charter.

On a vote of \$15,000 for an observatory in Ottawa, Mr. Tarte said a site had not yet been fixed.

SACKVILLE ASSAULT CASE. One Woman Urged by Husband to "Pitch Into" Other-Neighbors on Fence View the Conflict.

Mr. Fielding then introduced a resolution giving a bounty of \$5 per ton on seal rendered in Canada.

On a vote of \$12,000 for a winter steam navigation service on the St. Lawrence between Quebec and Riviere du Loup and Miramichi, Sir Richard Cartwright said that it was expected that the service would be put into operation next winter and that, if navigation along this part of the St. Lawrence proved practicable, it would go far towards proving the rest of the route was practicable for winter service.

Sackville, N. B., May 21.—Dehli Etabrook and wife, of Midgie, were before the St. John's court today, charged with assaulting Mrs. E. J. Cartwright, who is the wife of the defendant.

Mr. Fielding changed the resolution so that the bounty should begin on July 1st, 1902, instead of January 1st, 1902.

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PAPA ZIMMERMAN HOME. Returns from Europe, and Denies Paying Duke of Manchester's Debts.

Mr. Fielding said there was some fear that the vibration of trains crossing the interprovincial bridge might interfere with the Pont site.

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Mr. Zimmermann was asked about the charges against him in connection with the Duke of Manchester's debts.

Mr. Fielding said he was warmly sympathetic with the proposition to use the fast Atlantic service as an incident in the matter of building steel ships in Canada.

Mr. Brock, Toronto, and Dr. Sproule were the only ones who dissented and the vote carried.

London, May 22.—A despatch from St. Petersburg dated May 21 says: The strikers at the Obuchoff iron works, in this vicinity, had collision with the authorities yesterday.

ST. JOHN PRESBYTERY

Two Young Men Accepted for Missionary Work—Rev. A. S. Morton Announced Acceptance of Call to St. Stephen—Will Be Inducted Next Month—Other Matters.

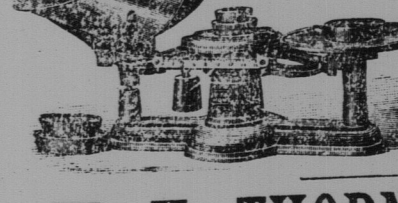
At a meeting of the Presbytery of St. John in St. Andrew's church vestry yesterday afternoon, Rev. T. F. Fotheringham was consulted by the Presbytery on his having received from Pine Hill College, Halifax, the degree of doctor of divinity.

THE LUMBER DRIVES.

Kilburn Reported Stranded With Ten Millions of Lumber for W. H. Murray—Five Millions for Messrs. Cushing Also Reported Hung Up—Other Fredericton News.

News from the lumber drives of the Upper St. John, the Gleason says, is somewhat discouraging. John Kilburn and Robert Aiken both are hung up with large drives and with little prospect of getting out.

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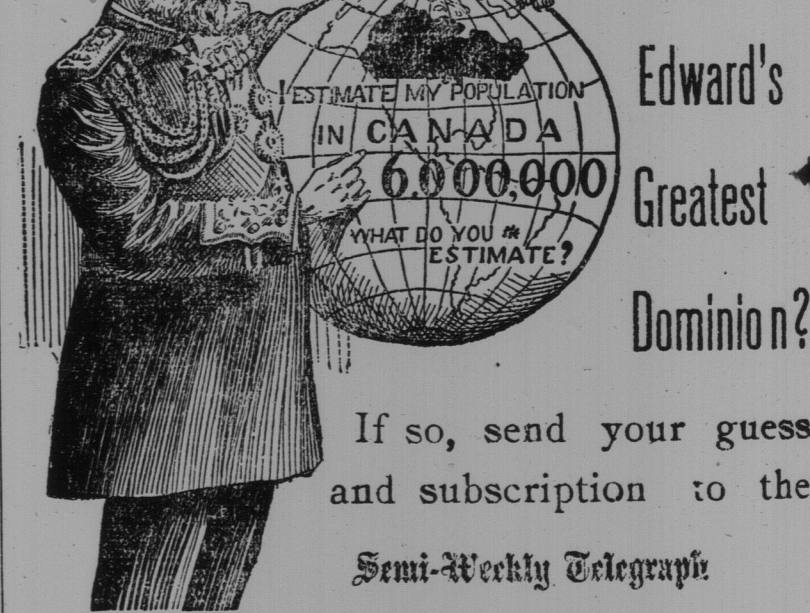
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Court News.

Equity. Judge Barker ordered the regular sittings of the Equity Court at 11 o'clock yesterday.

In the docket of Mary Frances Carney, the report of the commissioners was set aside and leave given applicant to move for a new one.

In the case of A. A. Stockton, K. C., DeBury vs. Carter et al. on motion of A. A. Stockton, K. C., on motion of C. N. Skinner, K. C., defendant's counsel, consented.

On motion of T. P. Regan, in Ross vs. Bergen, an order was made for appointment of guardian and payment out of fund in court of infants amounting to \$227.57, and Mary Abner Campbell was appointed guardian and ordered to pay out of fund of four of the plaintiff's slaves.

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Fossil Pills.—The demand is proof of their worth.

Three hundred thousand Germans have located in Brazil, according to a report received in the U. S. state department from Consul-General Eugene Seeger, stationed at Rio de Janeiro.

Where Doctors disagree!—Physicians no longer consider it catering to "quackery" in recommending in practice so meritorious a remedy for Indigestion, Dyspepsia and Nervousness as South American Nerve.

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Like Tearing the Heart Strings.—It is not within the conception of man to measure his great sufferings from heart disease.

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