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Proposed Advance of Prices and Restriction of Production.

PHILADELPHIA, Pa, March 27.—Philadelphia and Reading Coal and Iron Co. 's eastern prices, fixed to-day, are an advance over March of 25c. on lump, steamboat, broken egg and pea, and 10c. on chestnut, while stove remains unchanged.

NEW YORK, March 27.—It is announced the price of coal will be increased here tomorrow to an average of $4 a ton; also, that all mines will stop work the first three days of April.

POTTSVILLE, Pa., March 27.—The Miners and Labourers' County Convention have issued a circular calling for the reorganization of the old Union for the purpose of restricting the coal production.

PHYSICIANS AND SURGEONS.

Results of the Examinations at Kingston.

KINGSTON, March 27.—The medical examinations at the Royal College, Kingston, were closed on March 26th.

The following gentlemen were admitted to the degree of M.D.:—Chown, H. H., Clarke, J. G., Day, L. E., Dickson, Chas., Empey, Chas. E., Galbraith, J. E., Knight, J. H., Lavell, Wm., MacPhaden, M., Odlum, John, Reeve, H. H., Reid, Wm., Waddell, Wm., Wilson, Thos.

The following gentlemen passed the primary examination:—Alexander, F.R., Betts, J., Coughlan, Richard, Coutlee, H. M., Dupuis, M. J., Gibson, H., Herrington, A. W., Jamieson, J., Johnston, D.A., Knox, H. H., Koyle, Fred. T., MacDowell, Jack, MacDonald, H. N., MacConnell, B. J., MacGurn, James, Mordy, A. A., Oldham, Edmund, Oshae, James F., Rogers, David, Snider, Samuel, Symmington, Thos., Wallace, David.

The Kingston *Whig* is informed that about twenty ladies have signified their intention of studying medicine at the Royal College of Physicians and Surgeons, which opens for their benefit in April next. The inauguration of this new feature in connection with the College promises to be an interesting event.

IMPERIAL ELECTIONS.

List of Returns by Acclamation.

Mr. Parnell Receives His First Check in Wexford.

THE AGITATOR - EGGED.

The People Resolved to Submit to No Dictation.

EARL GREY GOES BACK ON THE LIBERALS

Baroness Burdett-Coutts Declines to Endorse Mr. Gladstone.

Nearly Every Seat in the United Kingdom Disputed.

N. Y. HERALD BUREAU,
LONDON, March 28.

The *Herald* correspondent at Enniscorthy, Wexford County, telegraphs:—Mr. Parnell, who since his return has carried things with a high hand, has almost assumed a dictatorship as regards political affairs. But he met with a significant check at a meeting held here to-day for the purpose of selecting a candidate for the Parliamentary representation of Wexford. Mr. Parnell and two of the three candidates, Messrs. Byrne and John Barry, travelled from Dublin by the nine o'clock train. At Arklow and several other railway stations large crowds assembled on the platform to see Mr. Parnell, and loudly cheered him. At Ferns, however, the enthusiasm was by no means so great as before. Many of the people shouted for Chevalier O'Clery, who is the third candidate. When the train arrived at Enniscorthy, it was received by an extremely large throng. Parnell and his friends were cheered, but the reception was lukewarm in comparison with that which was accorded to the Rev. Joseph Murphy, of Ferns, who from that town travelled down in the same train. It was arranged that

THE MEETING

should be held at two o'clock, but the point of vantage was at once occupied by the Chevalier O'Clery and six priests, and round them rallied the Chevalier's supporters in large numbers. Mr. Parnell's party had decided that the Rev. Mr. Kenny should preside, but the meeting selected the Rev. Mr. O'Gorman, who was, however, assailed by a man named Murphy. A scuffle ensued. The priest flung his assailant off the platform. At this moment Messrs. Parnell and Barry were seen advancing at the head of a large crowd with a band playing and green banners flying. They marched down the sloping ground towards the platform. The assembly numbered not less than 15,000 men. The platform was densely crowded. Amid

A GREAT SCENE OF DISORDER,

Mr. Parnell struggled to the front as the uproar to commence. The confusion lasted for several minutes. Yells, groans, cheers and cries filled the air. Rotten eggs were thrown at the agitator. One of them struck him in the beard. For a moment Mr. Parnell appeared to be on the point of addressing the people, but if he had formed this design, he immediately gave it up. Order having been in a measure restored, the Chairman, waving his stick over his head said, "Men of Wexford, listen to me. We come here to-day to select a representative for our county. We will hear Mr. Parnell, but we will not allow him to be our dictator." A violent uproar here occurred. The crowd surged towards the platform, shouting

"PUT PARNELL DOWN," "PUT PARNELL DOWN."

A rush was made at him by some men on the stand. They seized him, crying out "Parnell will go down to hell," and endeavoured to drag him down to the ground. He clung to the front of the railing. Father Murphy and several other priests put their arms around him and endeavoured to protect him from the violence of his assailants, who continued to rush forward. It seemed probable that he would in another moment be thrown off the platform. The crowd below heeting and shouting caught him by the legs, endeavouring to drag him down. In the struggle, his hat was battered, and his trousers split up to the knee. He was only saved from another blow by a stick being suddenly seized from behind by the gentlemen representing the newspapers. At this stage in the proceedings the police, armed with rifles, advanced through the people, and took up a position near the platform. There was

A LULL IN THE NOISE.

Mr. Parnell was again about to speak, when he was interrupted by a voice calling out, "Take off your hat." A rush was made at him by the people, who again tried to drag him off. He succeeded, however, with the assistance of the priests, in resisting the attack. He tried to address the people, but his remarks were inaudible amid the uproar and shouts of "Down with the dictatorship." "We did not invite you to go down." Several of the priests appeared urging Parnell to retire, but he continued to speak, despite the noise. Three cheers were called for Messrs. Barry and O'Clery. The latter was warmly and loudly cheered. He asked the people to hear Parnell. To this there were cries of "no, no," and a renewal of the riot. Parnell again attempted to speak. He was interrupted by cries of "you went to America to beg for Ireland, but not for Wexford," "Go mend your trousers." At this

THE TEMPEST ONCE MORE BROKE LOOSE.

The Chairman asked for silence. He was totally unable to obtain it. Amid much confusion, Parnell retired. After he had left, several speeches were made, the substance of which was that the people would not tolerate dictation in the selection of a candidate The result was that Mr. Byrne, Mr. Parnell's pet candidate, was rejected. On the way to the station, the crowd again assaulted and hooted Mr. Parnell, and the constabulary had to guard the gates of the station, which were closed to keep out the hostile and threatening mob.

A THREAT.

Mr. Shaw, Home Rule leader, addressing the Cork Farmers' Club on Saturday, suggested if the Conservatives were again returned to power and the Irish party were denied the justice they asked for Ireland, the Irish members should leave Parliament. (Loud cheers.)

EDINBURGH, March 27.

Mr. John Pender, Liberal and member of the late Parliament for the Wick District, and also a candidate for re-election, was riding in his carriage on a road near the shore, when a large body of the populace assaulted him, and tried to drag the carriage and the horses with the occupant of the vehicle towards the sea. Mr. Pender was completely at the mercy of his assailants, and might have met an immediate and terrible fate had not the pole of the carriage broke and enabled him to escape. The mob was composed chiefly of members of the working classes, and the incident is of political importance as showing that the Liberals are unpopular with the working people of certain portions of Scotland. The registered voters of the Wick District at the last election numbered 1,405. Wick is a Royal Parliamentary and municipal seaport town, capital of the county of Caithness, on the east coast of Scotland, with a population of about 12,000.

DUBLIN, March 28.

The Home Rule leaders who have shown great anxiety to carry this city and county at the coming Parliamentary election, or, at least, to increase their aggregate representation, announce their decision to contest the county with the names of Parnell and Mitchell Henry, as opposed to those of the Right Hon. Colonel Taylor and the Hon. John Frank Hamilton, the sitting members in the last Parliament, both of whom are again standing for their old seats. The proposition to attempt to carry the county of Dublin for Home Rule is regarded as evidence of the confidence with which the progress of the Home Rule movement has inspired its leaders. The contest will be close, and it is believed if the Conservatives succeed in holding their own, even in face of the fact that the county is a recognized Tory stronghold, they will be pushed to strain every nerve to do it. The Home Rulers are well organized and wide awake, and will not be defeated through any want of vigilance. In Dublin city, the Home Rule nominees are Messrs. McCabe and Fay, Mr. Maurice Brookes, the present sitting Home Rule member, retiring from the struggle. Sir A. B. Guinness, Conservative, son of the great brewer of that name, is renominated. Mr. E. D. Gray, Mr. Brookes' associate member from the city at the late session, also drops out. The Parnell party have also arranged to nominate two candidates for the city and borough of Cork, the sitting members being Mr. N. D. Murphy, Home Ruler, and Mr. Wm. Goulding, Conservative. The campaign at Sligo is reported to be one of great excitement, and a close contest is expected. The interest of the present campaign in Ireland is concentrated on the Dublin city election, the Conservatives looking sharply about them for an additional candidate to stand as an associate with Sir Arthur Guinness, but thus far without having made a selection. It is not possible to predict, however, what further changes may be made, as new candidates and new influences bearing on the canvass are daily springing up.

NEW YORK, March 28.—The *Tribune's* London special says:—"Tradesmen rival publicans in political activity, and are extracting declarations against co-operation from numerous candidates, including the Right Hon. William H. Smith at Westminster. The total number of candidates now reaches nearly 1,100, comprising 499 Liberals, 498 Conservatives and 97 Home Rulers. The party managers say the contest is unparalleled in this generation. Barely a hundred constituencies are uncontested. These return 172 members, and are nearly equally divided politically. The betting at the Carlton Club, formerly three to one on a Tory majority, is now even.

The alarming reports of Mr. Gladstone's illness are without foundation, except so far as a bilious attack and over-fatigue.

It is expected that more votes will be cast than at any previous general election. Thecourse Parnell is pursuing is deemed somewhat detrimental to the Liberal interests in Ireland.

LONDON, March 29.

Baroness Burdett Coutts, in answer to a request for a contribution towards the election of Mr. Gladstone's son to Parliament, replied, declining. She asserts, under the present circumstances of the world, the country needs a strong Government, and since the dissolution of Parliament by Mr. Gladstone the Liberals have been too disorganized to offer such a Government.

A MANIFESTO FROM LORD DERBY.

Lord Derby, in a letter to the voters of Lynn Regis, his former constituency, referring to the causes which have compelled him to separate from the Conservative Party, states that he is constrained to wish for the success of Liberals in the approaching elections, in order that a check may thus be placed upon schemes of conquest and aggrandizement which, if persevered in, must lead to consequences seriously impairing the stability of the Empire.

PARNELL'S PELTING.

An Enniscorthy despatch says Parnell indignantly denounces the outrages of which he was a victim, and has announced his intention to speak at Enniscorthy next Sunday. A Dublin telegram says the Home Rule League to-night passed a resolution, declaring the treatment of Parnell at Enniscorthy by hired mobs reflects the deepest disgrace upon the Chevalier O'Clery and all who took part in the outrage.

RIOTS.

Election riots have occurred at Dundee and at Chester, and at the latter place Mr. Malgarine, the Independent candidate, was badly maltreated.

A SET-OFF AGAINST LORD DERBY.

Earl Grey expresses a wish for the success of the Conservatives in the coming elections, and says he would regard the present return to power of the Liberals as a public calamity.

LONDON, March 30.

The following were elected members of Parliament to-day without opposition:—

Constituencies.	*Members-elect.*	*Politics.*
Aylesbury,	Sir Nathan Mayer de Rothschild, Bart.,	Liberal.
"	Mr. Samuel Geo. Smith,	Conservative.
Dublin University.	Hon D. R. Plunket,	"
"	Right Hon. E. Gibson,	"
Frome,	Mr. Henry Samuelson,	Liberal.
Hants, N.	Mr. Wm W. B. Beach,	Conservative.
"	Rt. Hon. G. Sclater Booth,	"
Huntingdon,	Viscount Hinchingbrook,	"
Hythe,	Sir Ed ward W. Watkin,	Liberal.
Sandwich,	Mr. Henry A. Brassey.	"
"	Rt. Hon E Knatchbull-Hugessen,	"
Tavistock,	Lord A Russell	"
Walsall,	Sir Charles Forster,	"

All these are re-elections. Sir Nathan Rothschild, although a Liberal, is an ardent supporter of Lord Beaconsfield's foreign policy, and may, therefore, be considered a Conservative. Right Hon. E. Gibson, member for Dublin University, is Attorney-General for Ireland. Mr. Plunket, the other member for Dublin University, is one of the best speakers on the Government side. Mr. Sclater Booth, member for North Hants, is President of the Local Government Board. Sir Edward Watkin, member for Hythe, is the widely known great railway man.

ONTARIO AGRICULTURAL COLLEGE.

Closing Exercises and Presentation of Prizes.

GUELPH, March 30.—The closing spring exercises of the Ontario Agricultural College were held to-day. There was a large attendance of farmers from the surrounding country and people from the city, besides several members of the Ontario Government. Everything passed off in a highly satisfactory manner. Some short addresses were given by prominent persons. The prizes were distributed by Hon. O. Mowat, which closed the proceedings.

LATEST CABLE NEWS.

Prince Orloff on the Hartmann Affair.

RUSSIAN IRRITATION AGAINST FRANCE.

FRESH RISINGS IN AFGHANISTAN

English Catholics Preparing an Asylum for the Jesuits.

NEW YORK HERALD BUREAU,
LONDON, March 29.

The *Herald* correspondent at St. Petersburg telegraphs:—I have just had an interview with Prince Orloff, and the following conversation took place:—

CORRESPONDENT—I understand that your Excellency has been summoned here to complete the details regarding the Hartmann affair?

PRINCE ORLOFF—Yes, but I have nothing to add to what has been already said, for I am still ignorant of what suddenly decided the result forty-eight hours before Hartmann's departure for England. It is said to be due to the attacks made on M. De Freycinet and his colleagues, but I have no precise facts from which to form an opinion upon that point.

CORRESPONDENT—Have you remarked that in reply to an article of a conciliatory character published in *Le Gaulois*, the *Journal de St. Petersburg*, which is reported to be Prince Gortschakoff's mouthpiece, used language of a most irritating character?

PRINCE ORLOFF—Yes, there still exists in this country a great deal of excitement in regard to the matter.

CORRESPONDENT—What is likely to be the result?

PRINCE ORLOFF—A diplomatic note will be addressed to the French Government in compliance with Russian public feeling on the subject, and I presume it will have the effect of calming down all this irritation.

CORRESPONDENT—Are you likely to resume your position in Paris.

PRINCE ORLOFF—Yes, soon, I suppose.

GONE TO GERMANY.

HER MAJESTY ON THE WAY TO BADEN TO ATTEND THE CONFIRMATION OF HER GRANDDAUGHTER.

LONDON, March 25

The Queen, the Prince and Princess of Wales and the Princess Beatrice left Windsor Castle for Germany this morning to be present at the confirmation of the Queen's granddaughter, the Princess Victoria of Hesse-Darmstadt. That event occurs on Wednesday, the 31st inst. Her Majesty and party went by rail in a special train to Portsmouth, where they embarked for Cherbourg in the Royal yacht Victoria and Albert, and thence proceed by rail, arriving in Baden on Saturday. According to the arrangements for the journey, as now understood, the Queen will probably spend the night at the British Embassy in Paris, and proceed to-morrow by way of Nancy and Strasbourg. The coming confirmation of the young Princess of Hesse Darmstadt is regarded with much interest in the imperial and social circles of Germany, and many members of the Royal family, including the Crown Prince, will be present. She will be confirmed with the full rites of the Lutheran Church, which do not materially differ from those of the Roman Church, and the spectacle will be one of much beauty and solemnity.

THE MELBOURNE EXHIBITION.

A REVISION OF THE COLONIAL TARIFF DEMANDED.

LONDON, March 25.

A despatch from Melbourne states that the application made to the Government of Victoria by certain American agricultural implement makers for such revision of the Colonial tariff as will enable them to send their goods to Victorian markets at a reasonable profit, is receiving careful consideration by the Government, and that the probability is that the desired modification will be conceded. Otherwise the American makers say it will be no object to them to ship goods to the coming exhibition at Melbourne, as their only purpose in so doing would be to build up a subsequent trade.

LIBERTY IN RUSSIA.

PERSECUTION OF THE JEWS—DISCOVERY OF A SECRET PRINTING OFFICE AND ARREST OF COMPOSITORS—TWO NEWSPAPERS WARNED.

LONDON, March 28.

Instead of the concessions confidently expected before the anniversary of the Czar's accession regarding the position of the Jews, there is increased severity toward them. The Jews are driven to represent themselves as Protestant Christians to escape expulsion by the police from St. Petersburg. In the Governments of Lula, Orel, and Kharkoff, Jews established in business many years are ruthlessly expelled. Still, the general tendency of Count Melikoff's efforts is declared to be liberal. He has daily consultations with the Czarewitch, from which good is likely to result. The well-known barrister Stassow, who has already been several times arrested and released, has been once more arrested on a charge of complicity with the Nihilists.

A St. Petersburg despatch says, a secret printing establishment has been discovered and sixteen compositors arrested. The *Ruski*, *Pravdo*, and *Courrier* newspapers have received their first warning from the censor of the press.

A St. Petersburg despatch says the new official organ is being unfavourably received. It urges no liberal measures.

FRESH RISINGS IN AFGHANISTAN.

ANOTHER EDITION OF THE WAR THREATENED—PREPARATIONS FOR A NEW CAMPAIGN.

CALCUTTA, March 29.

A despatch from Cabul says that there is renewed excitement at that place over reports which came in from the tribes in the southern and eastern parts of the country. Risings are now anticipated along the entire line of the British communications between Jellalabad and Cabul, and between Cabul and Candahar. It is feared that a new edition of the Afghan war is about to confront the British Empire. Preparations for the expected campaign are actively progressing, and the forts in and about the capital are being strengthened as rapidly as possible. The hope entertained a short time since of the submission of the tribes along the Khyber Pass and in Kohistan will, it is feared, prove a delusion, as they are now said to be uniting under their old leaders to renew the struggle. At last accounts the Hazaras were endeavouring to intercept Mahomed Jan and cut off his communications with Ghuznee, but with what success is not yet known.

EXPULSION OF THE JESUITS.

PROVISIONS OF A DECREE TO BE PROMULGATED TO-MORROW COMPELLING THE SOCIETY TO EVACUATE FRENCH TERRITORY WITHIN THREE MONTHS.

PARIS, March 29.

The decrees against unauthorised religious societies will be published to-morrow. The first concerns the Jesuits only, while the second affects all unauthorized congregations. The first decree says the Government, considering further tolerance cannot be extended to a society against which the national sentiment has declared itself, have resolved to dissolve the association, and the establishments occupied by its members must be closed and vacated within three months, which period may be prolonged until August 31st in case of educational establishments attached to the society. The second decree provides that unauthorized congregations must apply to the Government for authorization, and such bodies as shall not ask, or eventually obtain, authorization, shall be dissolved.

ENGLISH CATHOLICS OFFER AN ASYLUM.

A despatch states that the English Catholic aristocracy will provide an asylum for the Jesuits expelled from France.

HOW FAR WILL HE GO?

Devoted friends of Premier De Freycinet believe he will go no further than dissolving the Jesuit establishments.

AN ASSURANCE OF PEACE.

The *New Free Press* of Vienna says the Emperor William, replying to the congratulations of his generals on the occasion of the celebration of his birthday, said he believed he was able to assure them they would probably have no more opportunity of putting in practice their military knowledge, all fear of war having apparently for the present been dissolved.

RUSSIA AND CHINA.

A St. Petersburg despatch says the possibility of a war with China is freely discussed here. A Berlin despatch says to keep the Chinese from Kuldja the Russians are endeavouring to induce the King of Burmah to join the proposed Japan-Siamese alliance against China. The new Japanese envoy leaves Tokio for St. Petersburg in April.

RUSSIAN FEELING AGAINST FRANCE.

A St. Petersburg despatch says in Court circles every allusion to France is studiously avoided, so strong is the displeasure at her treatment of the Hartmann case.

FIRE AT ST. CATHARINES.

The Handsome Residence of Mr. John Riordon Partially Burned.

ST. CATHARINES, March 29.—The residence of Mr. John Riordon, paper manufacturer, was partially destroyed by fire this evening; loss, $10,000 to $15,000, fully covered by an insurance of $20,000. The fire, it is supposed, originated from a defective flue. Some very valuable paintings and statuary were removed in safety, but most of the furniture, all of a costly description, was considerably damaged by smoke and water. The fire alarm telegraph brought the fire brigade promptly on the ground, thus saving the building from total destruction.

THE DONNELLY MASSACRE.

Witnesses Summoned for the Trial—Death of One of the Prisoners' Mother.

LONDON, March 27.—There are thirty-four witnesses summoned for the Donnelly massacre case at the coming Middlesex assizes. At the Court House the opinion is expressed that the venue will not be changed.

Mrs. Kennedy, of Biddulph, mother of John Kennedy, and mother-in-law of Wm. Donnelly, died yesterday. John Kennedy is one of the prisoners charged with the Donnelly massacre. The news was conveyed to him in his cell to-day, and he manifested great grief. The old lady's death is said to have been much hastened by the tragedy. Application is made for bail on Kennedy's behalf to enable him to attend the funeral to-morrow.

ROWDYISM AT BIDDULPH.

William Donnelly's Buggy Wantonly Smashed to Pieces.

LONDON, March 29.—Biddulph rowdyism still flourishes. It appears that William Donnelly lent his brother Robert his horse and buggy to go over to the Kennedy homestead, in relation to the death of Mrs. Kennedy, Wm. Donnelly's mother-in-law. Robert Donnelly left the buggy some distance from the house whilst he went in, and upon his return found that the rig had been broken to pieces.

Frozen to Death in a Sleigh.

HALIFAX, N.S., March 29.—A boy named Murray was frozen to death at Richmond Bay, Prince Edward Island. The family were moving, and the boy was driving a team, his father being some distance in advance of him. When the father got off the ice on shore, he missed his son, who was not discovered until the following morning, when he was found dead in the sleigh.

The Assailant of the Man with the Glass Eye.

LONDON, Ont., March 29.—County Constable Hodge on Saturday arrested and brought to this city Alfred Welsh, well known in police circles. During the last Western Fair, a man named Lawrence, who was travelling with the "incubator," was knocked down and robbed on Great Market street one evening. Information was laid against Welsh upon the charge, and he was committed for trial, and afterwards released on his own recognizances. The prosecutor appeared at the Assizes to prosecute, but Welsh had disappeared in the meantime, and was not heard of until recently. Hearing that he was in the neighbourhood of Wingham, a constable went after him, and succeeded in capturing him.

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WORCESTER, Mass., Feb. 3rd, 1879.

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Gratefully yours, MARY B. FISK.

LATEST HOME NEWS.

A new oatmeal mill is about to be erected by Mr. Jas. Slate, maltster, at London, Ont.

On the Supreme Court resuming business, the first case to be brought up will be the Selkirk election case.

Owing to the demand in Nova Scotia for cattle for export to England, the price has advanced $2 per hundred lbs.

The civic authorities of Belleville have refused to issue a license to permit Col. Ingersoll to lecture in that city.

The Spring Hill Coal Mining Company, of Nova Scotia, are shipping large quantities of coal to the Upper Provinces.

The writ for the new election in Chateauguay has been issued. The nomination takes place on the 10th inst., and polling on the 17th.

The health of Lieut.-Governor Willmot has much improved since taking up his residence in Government House, Fredericton, N.B.

Major Bell, of Brockville, who has been in Ottawa for some days past, has purchased a number of horses for farming purposes in Manitoba.

Another grand field day is spoken of at London, Ont., for the 24th of May, when the 25th Battalion of Elgin will be invited to join the London force.

Hay in Cumberland county, Nova Scotia, and vicinity, has increased in price from $6 50 to $10 per ton, and nearly every ton on the market is already sold.

Dr. Schultz has been informed that another party of 200 English tenant farmers have left for Manitoba. They will settle in the Turtle mountain district.

A gathering of all the Papal Zouaves in North America will take place at Quebec city on the 26th June, simultaneously with the grand celebration of the St. Jean Baptist festival.

M. S. Woodhull, jeweller at Selkirk, Ont., has absconded, leaving a large number of creditors behind. He was traced to Dunnville, and it is supposed he has located at Buffalo.

Large numbers of ship labourers, who have been south for the winter, are daily returning to Quebec and Montreal, to be ready for the spring fleet. Merchants look forward to an active spring business.

Owing to the prevalence of diphtheria in Digby, N.S., the public schools in that town have been closed, and the Board of Health has requested the clergymen to stop holding night meetings in their churches.

The Arnprior *News* says that "the prospects of a busy summer in Arnprior were never better than now. On all sides preparations are being made by saw-mill owners to run their machinery to its fullest capacity."

The scarcity of hay in Londonderry, N. S., is very severely felt. Several car loads of oats taken to Londonderry, from New Brunswick, have been eagerly purchased to enable the starving cattle to eke out an existence.

The bill to abolish the Legislative Council of Prince Edward Island, which was carried through the House of Assembly, by a majority of twenty votes, has been defeated in the Legislative Council by the casting vote of the President.

A considerable quantity of rye straw, put up in bales, is passing over the New Brunswick railway from New Sweden, Aroostoock county, consigned to Boston, where it is said to be worth more than hay. It is used for beds and packing purposes.

A second party of English tenant farmers, numbering about two hundred, have arrived in Manitoba. They were brought out by Rev. Mr. Armstrong and will settle in the Turtle Mountain district. They make four hundred in all who have located there this season. They are to be followed by several large parties.

H.R.H. Prince Leopold, who sails for Canada in the Allan s.s. Sarmatian on April 29th, will land at Rimouski. Among the Sarmatian's passengers will be General Sir Patrick McDougall, Lady McDougall, and a number of ladies and gentlemen who purpose spending several months in Canada.

Rev. Mr. Ancient, of Halifax, N.S., delivered his farewell sermon in Trinity church, in that city, on Sunday night, to a large congregation. He goes to England shortly. He has been connected with Trinity church for about five years, commencing shortly after his plucky exploits in saving some of the crew of the steamship Atlantic, wrecked at Prospect.

A gentleman and scientist, who has recently arrived in Ottawa from the North-West, believes that our vast fields of prairie grass can be made to furnish the necessary raw material for the starting of a new industry in the North-West, that of the manufacture of a substitute for lumber. Scientists have been making it a study for some time, and the conclusion has been arrived at that the scheme is practicable.

OHICOUTIMI.

Election by Acclamation of a Supporter of the Chapleau Ministry.

QUEBEC, March 29.—The election for Chicoutimi and Saguenay, for the Local Legisl