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## THE LIBERAL GOVERNMENT AND I. C. R. MEN.

Employes All Over the Road Have Had Their Wages Increased.

A Working Man Contrasts Liberal and Tory Control of the Government Road--A Word About the Opposition Government.

that Blair should be turned out of the government, and that he is an enemy to organized labor, and against the employes of the great Intercolonial Railway. I will commence by referring to the station masters all over the I. C. R. For years under Tory rule they petitioned and begged of Tupper and Haggart to increase their wages, but they remained at a sta-tionary salary, and it was so small that a most deserving and worthy class of employes. Ask them today from Sydney to Montreal and they will all say that their wages have been increased, and their stations and dewellings have been repair ed, painted and put in first class condi-tion, and they are satisfied with their positions, where once they received very

Ask the telegraph operators all over the I. C. R. and you will get the same answer. Ask the train despatchers and they will tell you that they have got a substantial

Ask the freight handlers and the checkers, and a similar reply will be forthcom-

Ask the trainmen all along the line and they will tell you that they get better pay today than ever before. Did the Tory government give it to them? No.

Did the Tory government refuse to give it to them? Yes.

When the total performance is a sustained in regard to Patrick Doherty's sentence to six months' imprisonment for a third offence against the prohibition act.

the firemen and the locomotive engineers all got increases, and they all got it from a Liberal government, and they were refused an increase under Tory rule. Will any Tory politician deny this statement?

Take the case of the trackmen on the I. C. R., for years they labored at just about \$1 per day, about ten years ago they got a small increase, and Haggart, the ex-minister of railways, thought that was a sufficient salary for a track man. But under a Laberal government the case of the trackmen was advocated on the floors of the house of commons. Was it a Tory M. P. who brought their case before parliament? No. A Liberal M. P., Mr. Logan, of Cumber and county, aided by Hon. H. R. Emmerson in an eloquent speech. Take the case of the laborers on the I. C. R.; they are better paid under Liberal rule. than ever before in the history of the I.

tion? The Tory government. Take the men in the machine shops, the painters, the carpenters, the blacksmiths, the machinists, the fifters, the tinsmiths, the repair hands, the wash women and men in every department, they are getting more pay than they got under the Tory government. I would like to ask some Tory candidate why it is that all this took place under a

Mr. Hatheway had no hand in bringing it about; Mr. Hazen never associated in such a grand work; Mr. McInerney, the Labor (?) candidate at St. John, never no hand in the matter on behalf of labor. Now I will ask another question, and then I will stop. Did the Liberal Conservativ party of this province ever do anything for the cause of labor? If so, when? And where? And by whom? And how long since? Please don't all speak at once A WORKING MAN.

Alian Schoffeld reached the city Thur day, having come from Halifax, where he landed from the steamer Corinthian. Mr. Schofield served in the S. A. C. in South Africa, and last evening was accord-

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### IS IT MURDER?

Body of Infant, Dead and Naked, Found on Shore Near Suspension Bridge, Thursday.

The body of a babe-naked and frozen was found Thursday morning in the vicinity of the Suspension bridge on the

old, and had undoubtedly been born pond at the west eddy just around the

point above the bridges. Coroner Robinson was immediately notified and the remains placed in an improvised morgue.

Inquiry was made throughout the after noon respecting the discovery and it is

astounded to see a baby's legs protruding from frozen mud and water.

As quickly as possible he separated the earth from the body and carried it to a place where the remaining dirt could be washed away. The corpse was perfectly formed, well preserved and had undoubtedly been born alive.

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As yet it is only conjecture as to whether murder has been committed. Some incline to the belief that the child, still living, was thrown into the river and was washed to the place it was found. As yet no clue has been found.

### LOCAL NEWS.

W. C. Jones has been appointed collector of customs for the port of Clements-port (N. S.), in place of Charles Ditmacs,

Nearly all the new telephone instru-ments have been placed in the business houses, and private residences will next

The judgment of Stipendiary Magistrate McDonald, of Charlottetown, aras beer

Circulars have been received by retail grocers from the labor department at Ottawa, asking retail prices of the goods they sell. The idea is to secure statistics of the cost of living in Canada.

Maxwell-Beckwith.

Mrs. Willard Northrup had a portion of a sewing needle removed from her hand recently. The X-rays were used in locating the needle, which was successfully removed by Doctor Addy.

Thomas P. Charleson, who at one time represented M. Connolly, contractor, in this city, has become a member of a firm of contractors, who have obtained a government contract for building a wharf at Cross Point (Que.)

The C. P. R. Company will probably build a large pier at St. Andrews this year in connection with summer tourist usiness. This would be for the accom

It is understood that John D. Rocke-feller's offer to Rev. Dr. Trotter, of Acadia, is that for every dollar put up by friends of the institution he would put up another dollar. An effort will be made to get Mr. Rockefeller to make his

The marriage of Charles E. Leonard, o The marriage of Charles E. Leonard, of St. John north, and Miss Margaret J. McBrearity, of Roxbury, but formerly of this city, took place in Roxbury (Mass.) on Feb. 16. The bridal party was at-tended by Miss Agnes McBrearity and Mr. McBrearity, a brother of the bride. After the ceremony Mr. and Mrs. Leonard came to St. John, where they are spending a short time with friends.

The demand for Shorthorn eattle is growing, says C. P. R. Agricultural Agent Hubbard, who has just returned to the city from upriver points. Everywhere the eople want these cattle and orders are coming in for females as well as bulls. The latter will be sold at auction at Woodstock on March 27 during the seed fair to be held at that time. While the the consignees. Excursion rates for the seed fair and sale will be in force over the C. P. R. for the fair and sale.

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### AT HOME OF LOCAL

39th Anniversary of Establishment of the Order in This City Celebrated Thursday Evening.

Union Lodge, No. 2, of this city, was

enjoyable affair. The Castle Hall and anmory were tastefully decorated.

solos were rendered by Miss Nase and J. A. Kelly, while Walter Nixon, with whist ling solos, was pleasing. A violin solo was ably rendered by W. C. Bowden, and a reading by W. Thompson was greatly en-

evening and the affair was one of the best yet held by the lodges. The following of Past Supreme Prelate James Moulson, Past Grand Chancellor LeBaron Wilson, Past Chancellor Dr. F. A. Godsoe, Past Chan-cellor A. Dodge, Chancellor Commanders W. C. T. Coeman and W. C. Clark.

### Weddings.

Davidson performed the ceremony. After a lengthy visit to this city, Miss Stone returned to Bermuda last November.

The marriage of Miss Lillian Beckwith laughter of C. W. Beckwith, of Frederic ton, and J. Brown Maxwell, C. E., o. Rumford Falls (Me.), took place Thursday afternoon at the residence of R. A. Payne.
The ceremony was performed by Rev. G.
R. E. McDonald and the bridal pair was
attended by Miss Ella Payne and J. H.
L. Fairweather. The bride was hand-L. Fairweather. The bride was handsomey gowned in dark green camel's hair
cloth, flecked with white, and wore a
green and black hat. The rooms were
prettily decorated with flowers, but owing
to recent bereavement in the families of
bride and groom, the wedding was very
quiet. After the ceremony, Mr. and Mrs.
Maxwell left on a short wedding trip to he New England cities, after which the will make their home in Rumford Falls The bride was the recipient of many handsome presents, the teachers and pupils in the High School sending an especially

Jones' Corner, Kings county, Feb. 18— The home of Mr. and Mrs. Jas. P. Lawson was the scene of an interesting event on Wednesday evening, Feb. 14, when thei third daughter, Idora M., was united in marriage to Manfred Reicker, of Bal Hill, Queens county. The ceremony took place at 5 o'clock, and was performed by Rev. C. B. Lewis. The bride looked very pretty in a gown of white organdie, with lace and ribbon trimmings.

After the ceremony the guests, numbering about 75, repaired to the daining room, where a bountiful repast was partaken of the control of the contro

The evening was pleasantly spent in music, games, etc. The bride was the recipient of many beautiful and useful wish them a long and happy life.

A very pretty wedding took place Wed nesday at the residence of Richard Evan-35 St. Andrews street, when his daughter a5 St. Andrews street, when his daughter. Elsie J., was united in marriage to David M. Lawson, of this city, by the Rev. Mr. Dewdney. The bride wore a becoming suit of white organdie, and was supported by her sister, Miss Eva Evans, Andrew Patriquin acting as best man. The happy couple were the recipients of many costly. and useful presents. The gift of the groom to the bride was a handsome upright piano, and to the bridesmaid a turquoise ring. Mr. and Mrs. Lawson will reside at 135 Brittain street.

Francis A. Lawton, of Beaver Lake road, and Miss Phoebe Almira Wood, daughter of Jacob S. Wood, of this city, were united in marriage Wednesday by Rev. T. J. Deinstadt. The ceremony was Rev. 1. J. Deinstadt. The ceremony was performed at the residence of Alex. Adams, Gilbert's lane. The young couple were attended by Miss Jennie Washburn and Walter A. Adams, as bridesmaid and groomsman. Many friends will wish Mr. and Mrs. Lawton much happiness.

### Funeral of Late Dr. H V. White.

Springfield, Kings County, Feb. 17—The funeral of the late Dr. H. V. V. Lee, who died at St. John on the 7th inst., took day, Feb. 11. At 1 o'clock the body wa removed to Trinity church, where the de-ceased had been baptized and confirmed

A very large number present from Sus sex, Norton and other places manifested the high esteem in which Doctor White was held. The Foresters of Court Bellisle, to which Doctor White belonged, appointed six of their members to act as pa the rector, at the close of which the procession proceeded to Hatfield's Point, where the body was committed to the ground to rest in the family plot of the

old cemetery.

"Ask ep in Je is! Peaceful rest,"

Where waking is supremely blest; No fear, no woe shall dim that hour That manifests the Saviour's power."

### A PRESENTATION

# KNIGHTS OF PYTHIAS, Queen's Preceptory R. B. K. Recog-

The home of Chas. W. Stockton, 214 ant event Wednesday night. Mr. Stockton has for some years been the able precepto

In the matter of the application for a charge from arrest of Chares E. Beckwith fustice Tuck. Beckwith was arreste harged with stealing from the Province main point taken in support of the appilication was that the court here had no jurisdiction, as the offence was committed in Nova Scotia. The application was opposed on the ground that part of the offence was committed here, and consequently the court here had jurisdiction. Judge Tuck stated that, as the county court met next Tuesday, and the prisoner would be tried there, he thought it was asking him to take too much responsibility, as a single judge in chambers, to order the prisoner's discharge.

As to the bail, his honor thought \$3,000

of \$1,000. L. A. Currey, K. C., and A. W. Baird appeared in support of the application, and J. B. M. Baxter and J. King Kelley opposed it.

Mrs. Cusick, widow of Timothy Cusick, on her death lately left an estate of \$6,500 in personal property to be divided among her grandchildren, the children of her daughter, Mrs. Coughlan, and named the eldest two as executors. The other day a motion was made the John L. Carleton, K. C., to have the will proved in solemn form. It is expected that there will be a contest over the property, as Mrs. Coughlan objects to the provisions

of the estate is \$100 personal property; C. J. Coster, proctor.

In the matter of the will of Mary Knox, a petition was presented by the executor for license to sell the real estate of the deceased to pay the debts. A citation was granted; Wm. C. Milner, proctor.

The regular February sittings of the quity court was held by Judge Barker

In Barnhill et al, trustees, vs. the North

rick Britt et al, on application for security for costs, J. J. Porter appeared for the applicant, Patrick Britt, and Geo. H. V. Belyea for the plaintiff. The court considers. The case of the Cushing Sulphite Fibre

# nize Services of C. W. Stockton as

lodges by J. N. Harvey, P. C. M., and James A. Robinson, W. M. of No. 1; the ladies were spoken for by Wm. Grant. was toasted and a vote of thanks for the able way in which Mr. Skinner had performed his duties was passed on motion of Mr. Palmer, seconded by Mr. Harvey. Mr. Skinner's response was the gem of the evening, a very able address. The hospitality of Mr. and Mrs. Stockton was very much enjoyed by all.

### In the Courts.

In the estate of William Dixen, letters of administration were granted to Sarah Dixen, widow of the deceased. The value

### Equity Court.

Kerr and John Miller, on motion of M. G. Feed, K. C., on behalf of the plaint if, the cause was set down for further hearing in March. A. O. Earle, K. C., ap-

peared for the defendants.
In the case of Kerrison vs. Kaye, judgment was given for the plaint ff, the costs of all parties to be paid out of the funds. ern Railway, on motion of W. Watson Allen for the plaintiffs, the referee's report was confirmed. H. A. Powell, K. C., appeared for the bond holders of the rail-

In the case of Thompson vs. Thompson, A. O. Earle, K. C., took exception to the referce's report, S. Alward, K. C., supporting it. The case will be heard on Wednesday, Feb. 18th, at 10.30 o'clock. In the matter of Crandall Creighton and Mildred J. Creghton, infants, A. S. White, K. C., moved for the appointment The court considers.

In the case of James H. Gould vs. Pat

Company, Ltd., vs. Cushing will be heard on Friday, Keb. 19th... In the case of Good, administrator, et al vs. Goode et al, an application for the parties to be paid out of the fund, the onis" non, cum testamento annexo, to be hisposed of by him in the ordinary cour of his administration. J. A. Freeze, plain-tiff's solicitor, C. N. Skinner, K. C., coun-sel; George W. Fowler, solicitor for 112 B. Goode and William, Goode, defendants

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### RAILWAY AND ITS CRITICS Montreal Herald Shows the Difficulties of Water Rate Compe-

tition it Has to Overcome-Businesslike Administration Given by Hon. Mr. Blair.

rations, the line should pay a fair return

every important sarpping point on the line is this competition met. At Sydney, at Hawfax, at St. John, at Moncton-wherever the Intercolonial might expect to find large quantities of remunerative freight, mor thought \$3,000 there it is confronted with the rates offerwint where profit vanishes. Other rail

onial cannot even do this. Water compe is a practical impossibility to maintain high

might be expected. We cannot speak by the book, but we feel conndent in saying of the Canadian trunk lines, for similar service, it would be able to pay a reasonable interest on the money at has cost. Direct these low freight rates are the conef difficulty in Mr. Blair's way, when he atpresent minister of railways and canals has endeavored to give the Intercolonial a noroughly business-like administration. He has spent money freely to equip it for the economical carriage of goods and pass engers, but the first charge of extrava gance or waste in its operating expens ost would be little, if at all, to the di way drained from its veins at score points, the Intercolonial must not be judged by the standards established by other and more happily situated roads. It has to set its own standards, and apparently easonably high. While they cannot be edge of the peculiar conditions that hav he road.-Montreal Herald.

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Slight Accident on I. C. R. Moncton, Feb. 19-The Truro freight from Moneton, in charge of Conductor Gillespie, had two cars derailed near Painsec Junction this morning. No serious damage was done, and the track was cleared in a few hours.

# THE LATE DR. MULLIN.

Impressive Service at St. John's Church Wednesday -- City Teachers Pass Resolutions of Sympathy.

An impressive memorial service was the ribute of respect which former pupils Mullin, lately principal of the New Brunswick Normal School and whose sad leath occurred in Johannesberg (S. A.),

few days ago. poke feelingly of his long and pleasant n-

Arnold Fox presided at the organ and the choir and congregation united in singing, Now the Laborer's Task is O'er, the 90th choir and congregation united in singing, Now the Laborer's Task is O'er, the 900h psalm, and, Oh God, Our Help in Ages Past. At the close Mr. Fox played the Dead March in Saul, the congregation standing meanwhile

monor should be paid to the memory of the man who died at the post of duty. No profession can claim higher dignity to their work of making the mind not merely a machine, but susceptible to the

When they, work and fall, whether among friends or in distant lands, they deserve well of their country. The speak er referred to the importance of education in Africa in these days of empire welding, and quoted Cecil Rhodes' tast words: "So ittle done, so much remaining to be done. He said such a career as Dr. Mulan's was not an isolated one, and there are many instances of just such noble self-sacrifice to duty. He trusted the teach-ers would continue on in their noble work, so that at last they might obtain the reward they merrited in the glorious hereafter.

# ANOTHER CANADIAN TEACHER ENGAGED.

Miss Winifred Johnston, The Telegraph's South African Correspondent, to Marry an English Gentleman.

A pleasant bit of news respecting Miss Vinnifred Johnston is wafted over from the Canadian teachers who went to the British government, but slie has a new and more permanent engagement. She has won, the heart of a well to do Englishman living in South Africa, and it is said that the wedding will take place next summer, the bridal trin to include a visit to mailed, most paid at 50c park has a mery the bridal trin to include a visit to mer, the bridal trip to include a visit to Miss Johnston's home in this city. The Herald tenders its felicitations. There will probably be an increased exodus of Canadian teachers to the new British posses

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TORY OPPOSITION.

Charges Made. Price of Geography in New Brunswick Be-

The opposition are complaining that the

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and is printed outside of the province.

It is also stated that in Nova Scotia
the geography in use costs but 50 cents,
while ours costs 80 cents. As a matter of fact, at the time the contract was made by the government, with Messrs. Flood, the same geography was costing in Ontario, which is admittedly in the foremost rank in educational

In Nova Scotia two geographies are both of whom spoke eulogistically of Dr.

Mullin:

Whereas, We the teachers of the city of St.

John have heard with the deepest regret of the sudden death at Johannesberg (S. A.) of the sudden death at Johannesberg (S. A.) of the following the sudden death at Johannesberg (S. A.) of t

outside of the province, it should be remembered that the maps and plates for the geography, are of the very best char-

ent low price.

Notwithstanding this fact, the govern-Rev. John de Soyres read a portion of the scriptures and in a few short remarks paid high tribute to Dr. Mullin personally and the dignity of the profession he represented.

After referring to the unanimity of the service for the dead in all Protestant churches, which may differ slightly in phraseology, yet it refleares the same comforts. He did not wish to exaggerate the solemnity of the solemn incident in South Africa, but he believed that all honor should be paid to the mismoru of

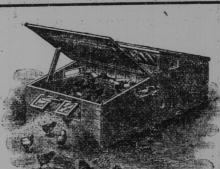
charge was made against the government when the Hon. Mr. Emmerson sought to have steel bridge building work done within this province.

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