SON'S RIDE

T. wrong? Well, maybe; boys, all the same. te a Burgher's baby, r a scolding dame? and prate and order; o save their breath; ransyaal border, life or death

II. nd statesmen addle er points of law; swords and sadle, f shall stay us to they call a raid.

III. ls in the gold-reef city hers and children, tee! "Hurry up! for pity! brave man do?"

and galloped forward, ur beasts could pelt, then trending northward, he rolling velt; in the Burghers lying with hills behind, ats came hissing, flying, an arctic wind!

the marksman's rattle, the cannon's roar, bad for battle, and one to four, it wasn't a trifle er Krugersdorp glen, s with round and rifle, us—again and again.

VI. e for the gold-reef city, ut not in rout; I to us, 'Quick, for pity!' They will sally out, us and come. Who doubts ey don't, what then ! more about it, the death, like men.

VII. supped or slumbered derland stream was cleft even more outnumbered, ot a cartridge left. to have to render the strongest foe.

VIII. were wrong, were madmen, at the Judgment Day, the good from the bad men, the baffled band, have had that feray shings of all the Rand."
ALFRED AUSTIN.
Manor, Jan. 9.

RED ROUTE." ns in many lands, his very ith their father's face, whom e scatetred far and wide, but been path, closs come in crowds to cheer an's hearth.

Chorus : Red Route—the right route route! Id from east to west, Britons track; motherland, ch other's hand: from strand to strand to Union Jack.

nd a cricket team; tomorrow g folk at home what folk ir own in every spert—they ride, they shoot. Icomes all who come by Pan-

s to the Red Route, etc. oice that Father shows no on other points, on

s to the Red Route, etc. n every link that binds the the son; ing has been made, but all een done; girdle round the earth, it's it's long, k without delay to make and

s to the Red Route, etc. al Bull a tradesman, and would al his trade; call his what they will, John ot afraid, keep his commerce, and the ill be hold in peace and war do the sea.

Chorus : Red Route-the right routesether and defying all attack.
ad motherland,
ingest of the band,
r, hand in hand,

oking back! St. James' Gazette. KNOWS BUT FATHER. of the money it takes home together; of the debt it makes, 78—but father.

that the boys need shoes, ats with a feather; id clothes must choose, in the pocket gees,

ndering whether nd to the wants of these only father.

where the money will come blue and gli

so hard to lay
g for bad weather,
ind to what he may. from the world's cruel storm r ones who gather loving welcome warm, but father.

of the home life pure, r by a mother, d bliss are all secure. but father.

IARLES TUPPER. BART. the victor hail! ttle's fought and wen; loyal Westmorland today lelight and heats in unison d sister counties by the sea; heir voices blend harmon mph songs of joy, at the Cumberland bey; voices blend barmoniously ses from the eastern main, hundred fights," we welco

the victor hail! -eyed Canada ar vision pierced the gloomy ul, re-hatched in Ottawa, cheer she hastened to his side d glowing as a glorious bride sered him, thrillingly, opps of victory— irl pursued him not in vain his venerable brows with res again. . 7, 1896. —A. W. Chandler.

TELEGRAPHIC.

ONTARIO. Kingsville, Ont., Feb. 14.-A steam

er having two smokestacks and painted a light color has been stuck in the ice four miles from here since yesterday. There is no way of identifying her and floating ice prevents assistance being given.
Toronto, Ont., Feb. 14.— Today in

Toronto, Ont., Feb. 14.— Today in Grace hospital, the value to surgery of Prof. Roentgen's discovery was again demonstrated. A woman patient witose foot had caused her intense pain, was submitted to the cathode rays and the photograph revealed the presence of a needle. Professor Wright of the university college, who conducted the experiment, pointed out to the surgeons the exact location of the foreign body and an operation at this point proved the photograph to be a true one.

With \$4,200, to other English creditors, \$5,782 is due. The Bank of Montreal will rank on customer's paper \$16,000. The assets iluclude book debts of \$35,000, of which \$29,300 are estimated as worthless.

Granby, Que., Feb. 15.—Rev. M. Gill, cure of the church of Notre Dame, has been committed to prison by the magistrate for refusing to disclose the secrets of the confessional in a suit at law in which he was called as a witness.

MANITOBA. be a true one

Hamilton, Ont., Feb. 14.-Jno. Con-Hamilton, Ont., Feb. 14.—Ino. Connolly, book-keeper for Tuckett & Son, of Manitoba want separate schools tobacco manufacturers, while returning from the bank this afternoon with a satchel containing \$1,500 with which to pay the employes' weekly wages, was attacked on one of the main streets by two men, who, after rendering Connolly insensible by a severe blow on the head, relieved him of the money and escaped. It is doubtful if Connally will recover.

Winnipeg, Feb. 12.—The Mennonites of Manitoba want separate schools too. A representative delegate waited on the government today, asking that they be relieved of the public school tax in order to continue their own private schools. They were politically but firmly told that under the Public School act of Manitoba their request could not be granted.

Of the remedial bill just introduced the Free Press which is politically

Ottawa, Ont., Feb. 14.—At the annual meeting of the shareholders of the Canadian Pacific railway to be held at Montreal, April 1, an important outline of its provisions received by held at Montreal, April 1, an important deal will be completed. The meeting will be special in order that the shareholders may consent to a reciprocal agreement made by the directors with the Toronto, Hamilton and Buffalo, the Canada Southern, Michigan Cen
Manitoba's well known desires are tral and New York Central railway concerned regarding educational legis-companies. By the terms of the agree-ment a basis of division and appro-clause—nothing that can be interprettionment a casis of division and appro-tionment of tolls, rates and charges ed as an attempt to meet the de-between the contracting companies is adopted. The meeting will also be asked to sanction a fifty-years lease of the Toronto, Hamilton and Buffalo company's line between Toronto and dorsed. Even the independent ment a basis of division and approcompany's line between Toronto and Hamilton. By the move, which became privy council recognized Manttoba's public today only, the Canadian Pacific will be able to compete with the Grand Trunk at all important points in Ontario west as well as east of To-

Orilla, Ont., Feb. 15.—Auriele Gag-

known west end crooks, have been arrested for the robbery of \$1,100 from J. T. Cauley, book keeper of the Tuckett Tobacco company. If the victim dies from the effects of the slugging, the prisoners will be charged with

son's bank, \$21,171; Halifax Banking \$500. Mortgages to McIntosh & Mortgage Co., \$3,000, and the Church society of Quebec, \$3,500. A rough cal-culation of the liabilities places the amount both direct and indirect as

well within \$252,000. Montreal, Feb. 12.—The Star's cable: London, Feb. 12.—In view of Hon. Geo. E. Foster's and Sir Charles Tupper's, sr., speeches and the action of the Canadian parliament, your correspondent asked Col. Howard Vincent, M. P., today, what action was intended in the imperial parliament respecting a tariff of preferences with the empire. He replied: I cannot say definitely, but we shall march forward day by day and stage by stage in accordance with Sir

the Canadian government.

Col. Vincent continued: The United Empire Trade League now musters quite two thirds of the ministerialists in the British commons. They intended through me to move an amendment to the address denuclatory of the German and Belgian treaties, but it seemed better to await a more fitting oppor-The year has opened well for Anglo-

nadian trade. The imports from Canada increased 39 percent in January; oxen increased 80,000 pounds; wheat, 11,000 pounds; timber, 33,800 pounds; timber, 33,800 pounds; tember, 30,800 p 2,300 pounds. The exports to Canada increased eight per cent for the month. Montreal, Feb. 12.—Discussing the of the exhibit of grain, etc., with remedial bill, Rev. Dr. Shaw, principal which they have so successfully in of the Wesleyan college, says: I do not go as far as Sir Wm. Dawson on the merits of the separate school system. I wish it were not a necessity. My association with Roman Catholic students in my young days made me think more both of them and their church. I wish all could be educated pany in this connection, but assured together. But the question is a purely the people that the company were fully constitutional one. If the rights of alive to the importance of developing toba described, not by individual caprice, but by the highest court in the empire, be not respected as one of the stant minority of Quebec, I say west. the British North America act is not worth the paper it is written on. Our grievances, if we have any, may at any time be a football for political partizans. I knew the remedial bill was a constitutional necessity from was a constitutional necessity from the start, and I have faith in the loyal it is quibbling to point to the word prescribes text books and regular "may." Given, on the one hand, a studies, met Saturday and discuss plied and every principal of law de-clares that "may" simply empowers the dominion parliament to intervene

president; H. R. Drummond, secretary treasurer, and D. Morrice, E. S. Cleuston, W. J. Morrice, E. MacDougall, J. R. Cowans, H. R. Drummond and C. C. Colby, directors.

Montreal, Feb/ 14.—James McDougall & Co., wholesale clothiers, are in financial difficulties. Their liabilities will appropriate \$78,000; estimated as-

will aggregate \$78,000; estimated assets, \$45,000. The largest creditors are Crosswell & Co. of Bradford, England, with \$4,200; to other English creditors, \$5,782 is due. The Bank of Montreal

Winnipeg, Feb. 12.—The Mennonite

to be satisfactory at least to the dorsed. Even the judgment of over-rise it completely in re-estab-lishing a system of separate schools practically outside provincial control altogether.

non, French Canadian lumberman from River Ouille, P. Q., committed suicide early this morning by blowing his brains out. He left a note saying sickness caused the deed.

Hamilton, Ont., Feb. 16.—Mark Tompkins and Michael Horn, two well brown west lend crooks, have been the interests of Manitoba are for

The interests of Manitoba are for the mement forgotten. This is all the more to be regretted, because the question, instead of disappearing from the arno of political strife, now bids

the prisoners will be charged with murder.

QUEBEC.

Montreal, Feb. 11.—The biggest failure so far this year was registered this afternoon. A demand was served on the firm of T. S. Vipond & Son by Geo. T. Warren for a debt of \$200 on an overdue note. The assets of the firm comprise immovable property, stock in trade, composed of fulls and provisions at 329 Commissioners street, and their different warehouses, also the steamer City of Kingston and an electric light plant at Lachute, The creditors number one hundred and one. Following are the amounts of the notes Following are the amounts of the notes held by these different firms: Mer- land, Sir Donald has been invalided chants Bank of Canada, \$94,506; Mol- ever since Nov. 1, and his physician, Dr. Stuart, who accompanies him, has advised the present outing in the hope Hyde, \$2,500; to Montreal Loan and that it will accelerate a complete return of strength.

Sir Donald laughed at the idea of his visit to Winnipeg having any political significance. As a member of parliament, he declined to express any opinion on the school question, when the proper time arrives he will be found performing what he considers his duty in the premises. He thought the controversy an unfortunate one. calculated to abroad. Agitations of such nature ar letrimental to the interests of a new country, and he hoped to see the question speedily settled. Mr. Green-way, he remarked, appeared to be a man of more than ordinary ability in Charles Tupper's views and those of dealing with public questions, and perhaps he would see a way of arriving at a settlement of this perplexing

The all important question of immi gration was one with which the govwere struggling. It was difficult to make any definite forecast of the coming season's operation. The C. P. R. yould be found working for the best interests of the Northwest, in which their own interests are so intimately bound up, this year as in the past west in Great Britain and Europ through their agencies and by mean which they have so successfully in-terested intending immigrants. It improve the main line and extend the branches so far as their resources and the requirements of the country will warrant. Sir Donald could not go into details as to the policy of the com-Roman Catholic minority in Mani- the country by every means in their

movement among the public mea of Winnipeg in favor of purely secular respect for authority held by the peo-ple of Canada to know that in the end the law must be maintained. I think

The provincial advisory board, which it is quibbling to point to the word it is quibbling to point to the word it is quibbling to point to the word a studies, met Saturday and discussion of the other, a remedy which may be apthe other, a remedy which may be apthe other, a remedy which may be appropriately upon relative to strike out the clause in the schools, the restaurch in the schools, the schools, the restaurch in the schools, the s plied and every principal of law declares that "may" simply empowers the dominion parliament to intervene and the grievance judicially declared creates the obligation for its relief.

The Cumberland Railway and Coal Co. held its annual meting today. The officers and directors who were elected were as follows: Robert Cowans, president; Hon, G. A. Drummend, vice act which bears directly upon religious teaching in the reading of the ten commandments and the repeating of the Lord's prayer. This, it is believed by a majority of the members, would do away with considerable of the agitation which is kept up by the Catholic minority regarding the teaching in the public schools of Manitoba being favorable.

to the Protestant denominat the recommendation should be accept-ed by the government there is no doubt it would have considerable and serious effect upon the school's policy, as it would make the schools purely secular. It is understood the arch-bishop of Rupert's Land, the head of the Church of England, is opposed to having any such action, but the other members of the committee are in favor of it.

ENGLISH.

London, Feb. 13.—The Times says:
"It is believed that the accession of
Sir Charles Tupper to the ministry
will lead Canada to make some kind of an effort of preferential trade with the mother country. It is probable that the united governments of Aus-tralia will make a similar effort. The recent turn of foreign affairs, especially regarding Germany and America, have given much popular impetus to

London, Feb. 17.-In response to the London, Feb. 17.—In response to the letter addressed to him by Timothy Healy, Thos. Sexton has finally refused to accept the leadership of the Irish parliamentary party, notwithstanding Mr. Healy's earnest appeal to him to do so and his promise of the hearty support of the Healyites. Mr. Sexton's answer to Mr. Healy refusing the chairmanship is a long one. He says the same reasons which impelled him to retire from parliament viz.

and sent to Seoul, capital of Corea, in order to protect the British legation

NEWFOUNDLAND.

Montreal, Feb. 17.—A despatch from St. Johns, Nfid., to the Star says: Your correspondent has received information from a reliable semi-official source to the effect that negotiations are going on at present between France and England on the subject of the French shore of Newfoundland. of certain of England's interests in the state of Tunis, Africa, in exchange

for the French claims on Newfounddor at Paris, is conducting the nego-tiations in Paris. The Star's informant tiations in Paris. The Star's informant says the prospect for a settlement is good, and the end will be reached in a few days. Confederates here who have heard of the matter hope that with the removal of the French shore incubus confederation between this country and Canada will be more practicable. By the French rights on the west shore the islanders are practically excluded from that part of the country, under the clause that allows

SUNBURY CO. te, Feb. 13.—Warden G. F. thing for the fire to catch hold of while in the other there is."

"Exactly," I responded. "Now see. Indigestion and liver complaint (the second consequent on the first) continue to produce a virulent poison in the blood called uric acid, practically Banks accidentally cut his foot while swamping a road, which will confine Geo. E. Dav. C. E. has finished taking soundings on Oromocto shoals. with unfavorable results as to the recent dredging and other work done. The channel is continually filling with

drifting sand. Samuel J. Carman of Woodstock, a ormer resident of this place, has been recently visiting his old friends here. Mrs. Charles Brown gave a dinner party to a number of her friends last

Maugerville, Feb. 14.-The many friends of Thos. J. McCafferty in this place were much shocked to hear of his death, which occurred at his npressive service was held in the Catholic church by the Rev. Father

Miss Mahoney, a sister of Mrs. Mc-Cafferty, was removed to her home here on Monday on a bed, having contracted measles while taking care of her sister, who was ill before Mr. Mc-Cafferty was taken sick. Miss Ma honey is now in a helpless condition. Capt. E. O. Perley is a champion axe ian, having cut and piled 40 cords or wood in 161-2 days, an average of nearly two and one half cords per day. In the same time D. C. Dykeman's feam hauled \$1 cords to the river

Miss Rosborough's school has been closed the past week owing to the illness of her grandmother, Mrs. Ross of

HALIFAX.

Suit Involving \$84,000 Begun in the Supreme Court.

Halifax, Feb. 17.—An action involving a claim for \$84,000 has been commenced in the supreme court. The W. H. Johnson Company are plaintiffs and the Bell Organ and Piano company defendants. Plaintiffs claim \$59,000 damages for alleged breach of con-tract. They allege that the defendants refused to carry out certain agreements and also violated their contrac by making Willis & Co. agents for Bell pianos and organs. Defendants allege that the contract, if ever made, was entered into before the W. H. Johnson company was organized, and therefore, defendants are not liable. Defendants also counter claim, \$5,000 damages, alleging that an agreement to fell 75 organs and 30 pianos had peen violated.

Willie—Will teacher go to heaven when she dies, ma? Mrs. Ferry—Yes, dear. Willie—But will they let her in?

on. If WHAT BATES WANTED TO KNOW.

The internal dissensions in the Irish party, have operated with irresistible force in deciding him to refuse the chairmanship. It is true, he says, that he was elected unanimously, but so was Justin McCarthy. He is, therefore, compelled to consider that the unanimity of the party is merely a transcient phase of feeling.

The Times asserts that John Dillon's election to the chairmanship of the Irish party is a foregone conclusion.

London, Feb. 17.—The officials of the foreign office this afternoon confirm the newspaper reports saying that a detchment of British marines, among others, have been landed at Chemulpo and sent to Seoul, capital of Corea, in

"In August, 1893, my friend, Mrs. Owen, told me how much good Mother Seigel's Syrup had done her for rheu-Owen, told me how much good Mother Owen, told me how much good Mother Seigel's Syrup had done her for rheumatism, and I got a bottle from the Drug Stores in St. Ann's Road. In a few days I was much better, and in less fifan a month afterwards all pain had left me; and I am happy to say I have never had any return of the rheumatism since, but have enjoyed the matter should be seen to the set of health in every respect. In the common thankfulness for my speedy in and wonderful deliverance, I willingly consent to the publication of this hurties at statement should you wish to make that use of it. (Signed) Mrs. L. S. Cole, 6 Albert Road, South Tottens are had Bates (who was a chronic rheumatic matte) I asked thim one: "Why does the fire the day of the gradient of the publication of the fire to catch hold of while the said. "Because in the one case there is no harm fool can answer that," he said. I safe the fire to catch hold of while the said in the rink. There is lots of the fire to catch hold of while the said in the rink. There was a large attendance of skaters.

D. Irvine, ex-an. I. the dominion. Mr. Irvine is the same night.

The largest funeral in these parts for one time took place in the same night.

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insoluble in water. This acid, which is a solid, enters the tissues, and sets going a hot, inflammatory fire. That is rheumatism. It does what a sliver would—only the acid is a poison sliver. When the indigestion and the liver trouble are not very bad, and the kidneys and sweat glands of the skin are acting fairly well, this sold is carried out of the body about as fast as it is formed. Exposure then brings on no rheumatism. But, per contra, when the stomach and liver are in bad con-dition, the acid forms faster than the kidneys and skin can carry it off. Then home, Oromocto, at noon on Friday from pneumonia. Deceased was well and favorably known commercially as well as socially, having been a merchant at the village for a number of years. He leaves a sorrowing young widow, one child and a large circle of friends to mourn their loss. He was 48 years of age. The funeral of the deceased took place on Sunday at 3 the loss of the deceased took place on Sunday at 3 the loss of the deceased took place on Sunday at 3 the loss of the clock and was largely attended. An tics are apt to be chronic rheumatics. Fend off dyspepsia, or cure it by the use of Mother Seigel's Syrup, and you and the rheumatism will have no dealings. Neglect it, and suffer every time

you catch cold."

That was my answer to Bates, and he saild there seemed to be sense in tt. CARLETON CO.

Centreville, Feb. 11.—Bessie, wife of Rev. J. E. Flewelling, departed this life, at the rectory in Centreville, on the 8th inst. About one year since her life was despaired of, but by skilful treatment she rallied, and for some months had enjoyed fair health, some months that enjoyed fair hearth, being able to look after and attend to light work in connection with household duties. Some weeks since she had a relapse, and with a complication of diseases her constitution could not bear the strain. After much sufnot bear the strain. After much suffering her spirit took its departure to
the paradise of God. Having much
care at home, she devoted her spare
time to her family, but wherever
time to her family, but wherever
the church to which she belonged, and
the church to which she belonged, and
especially her ten children will sustain a loss which cannot easily be restored. Mrs. Flewelling was a datighten to strain in order to assure
the patrons in order to assur ers, husband and ten children, are left to bear the loss of daughter, wife, sister and mother. Her mortal remains were laid away in the Church of England cemetery at Centreville, Canon Neales of Woodstock officiating. Floral offerings and the great concourse of people of till denominations testified to the respect in which she was held. Revs. Mr. Cahlil and Currie of the Baptist churches and Rev. Mr. Seller of the Methodist church attended. The pall-bearers were: John Jamison, H. B. White, Dr. Brown, Alfred Lee, John Tompkins and Sandy Ritchie. The sympathy of the whole dominunity

"I shall be obliged if you can answer me one question," said my friend Bates, as he lay on the couch one day in my room nursing his aching leg. "Why does exposure to wet or cold bring on an attack of rheumatism at one time, when a like exposure for a score of times leads to no such result?" Before I set down in writing the answer I gave him I wish you would read the following letters, as no doubt the authors of them will be interested in the same point.

"In November, 1892." says the one, "I had an attack of rheumatic fever, and was confined to my bed for four weeks, during which time I suffered fearfully. I had awful pains all over me; my joints swelled up, and I was so helpless I could not ralse my hand to my mouth. After the fever left me I was extremely weak, and so emacisted I was little more than skin and operating them, the product of which was schipped to the St. John and U. S. markets. He erected several buildings in Maine and New Brunswick, occurated in the year of the suffering I had to bear. The doctor ordered me various medicines, and cod liver oil, but they had no effect. In February, 1833, I read in a small book about the remarkable success which had followed the use of Mother Seigel's Syrup, in cases of rheumatism, and got a bottle from Messrs. Leverett and Fry. High street. After taking it two weeks I was better, and in about a month more

and tightness of the chest that I could not endure the pressure of my clothing upon it. Although not laid up, I was seldom free from pain or a sense of discomfort. In the summer of 1893 I began to suffer with rheumatism, which affected my arms and shoulders until I had not the power to lift my hand to my head. I tried all sorts of limiments, embrocations, rubbing oils, but got no benefit from any of them.

Up to the first of February wheels were in general use in this county, but all this has changed for the better. Sufficient snow for hauling purposes has made a slight revival in business, which, to say the least, has not been up to the average this winter. Produce prices are: Hay, 38 per ton; oats, 25c.; beans, \$1.25 per bush; buckwheat meal, 90c. per cwt.; potatioes, nil; none selling.

It is rumored that the Patrons of In-

of the political battle soon to take I. O. G. T., also installed his officers place in the dominion. Mr. Irvine is an intelligent man and successful far-

was a large attendance of skaters and spectators. Many of the costumes were especially unique, particular mention being due to John Bull, which was represented by Dr. G. B. Manzer. He won the prize for the best original costume for a man. Miss Minnie Collins won the prize for lady's handsomest costume; Nellie McLean most original; gentleman's handsom-

of the Woodstock & Centreville rail-way are still here. It was expected that Mr. Mahon of New York and an-other member of the company would other member of the company would are asking for an are have been here, but sickness in his the present session. family detained Mr. Mahon, who will not arrive until the 19th. A meeting of the company will be held on the 24th inst. at the Wilbur house.

P. E. ISLAND.

Bedeque, Feb. 12.—The annual meeting of the shareholders of Dunk River cheese factory was held yesterday in the hall at Centreville. Mr. Dillon suthe hall at Centreville. Mr. Dillon superintendent of the island factories, was present, and spoke at some length on our growing industry and the future prospects. He congratulated our factory on the splendid described by the Rev. J. F. McCurdy, the factory on the splendid described by the Maritime Hallon of this city.

A very enthusiastic gathering of this city.

A very enthusiastic gathering of the basement of the First Metholds to hurch last evening, and after listening to an address on the splendid described by the Rev. J. F. McCurdy, the factory on the splendid described by the was present, and spoke at some length on our growing industry and the future prospects. He congratulated our factory on the splendid showing in regard to the quality of milk taken in during the past season, and said that it placed our factory second on the island. He expressed himself as being somewhat disappointed that the quantity of milk being sent to the separators at Dunk River is not greater than it is. It was decided to levy a tax on the patrons in order to assure

especially her ten children will sustain a loss which cannot easily be restored. Mrs. Flewelling was a daughter of the late John Balloch and sister of Sheriff Balloch, who formerly resided in Woodstock. She leaves one sister, the wife of Dr. Main of Madawaska. Her mother and four brothers, husband and ten children, are left to bear the loss of daughter, wife sister.

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from a severe illness.

Montague, February 10.—The tem-

not been up to the average this winter. Produce prices are: Hay, \$8 per ton; oats, 25c.; beans, \$1.25 per bush.; buckwheat meai, 90c. per cwt.; potatoes, mil; none selling.

It is rumored that the Patrons of Industry are making an effort to place D. Irvine, ex-M. P., in the fore front of the political bettie soon to take

The annual meeting of Kings County Temperance alliance will take place on Tuesday, 25th inst. ertson left for Dorchester this week with the prisoners, Brown. Sheppard

A snowshoe club was organized at the Y. M. C. A. on the 6th. The officers handsomest costume; Nellie McLean, most original; gentleman's handsomest costume, Beatrice Willfams; boy's bandsomest costume, Beatrice Willfams; boy's bandsomest costume, Frank Fisher.

The town council is wrestling in the throes of the estimates, and of course they are for running the town as otherway as possible. They expect to have a plebiscite taken on the question of issuing another \$10,000 for puting in the remainder of the sewerage system. The question is whether the vote shall be a popular or property vote.

Messrs. Killeen and Frank Lawlor Messrs. Killeen and Frank Lawlor known as the Glen Martin Railway as-

> The murder case in Boston is of great intesest to the P. E. Islanders, Mrs. McLeod is known around town. She is the daughter of John McLeod, who was a well known shipbuilder of Chatham. Although the parents died some years ago, the family is well known and some of them still live in the vicinity of this city.

vice presidents, and they, with the above officers, constitute the executive committee. The time for the maritime was fixed for September 1st 2nd and 3rd

AMHERST.

Slight Fire Yesterday Afternoon-The Cold Wave.

Amherst, N. S., Feb. 17.-A barn at the rear of Robert Sharp's residence caught fire this atternoon and considerable interior damage was done. A valuable horse belonging to him was rescued without hurt, but a Jersey cow belonging to Robt. Pugsley was so severely burned that it had to be killed. There was no insurance. The coldest weather of this being experienced here. Eighteen egrees below zero was registered this morning, with but little rising during the day, while at Hastings six below was reported. Many cases bite have been reported.

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