CAL CURLERS PROVE GOOD HOSTS FOR THE VISITORS FROM ACROSS THE WATER.

Garden st uet at the Royal Enjoyed by 150 Guests-Rev. Dr. Kerr ers Cup for New Brunswick Bonspiel--Good Menu, Good Speeches, and a Jolly Good Time.

employmer
No expert banquet given by the local curlers | phrases peculiarly pleasant to the sons of Scotland and devotees of the roarin game. Hotel Monday night was an eventscorated for the occasion. The guests ran across the head of the room D. Chipman, of St. Stephen, oc-

the chair with Captain Kerr, of salary, to right. Presidents R. Keltie-Jones, Head, P. right. WANTER Andrew's; J. A. Sinclair, of the the of Wal and M. F. Mooney, of the Carnext school ab, acted as vice-chairmen.

county. _ st of guests was as follows: GIRL W Chipman, Premier Tweedie, Mayor paid good Or. K rk. Hon. A. T. Dunn, Major phrey, Hat I, C. N. Skinner, R. Husband, J WANTE en, M. P. P., Provost Bailantyne or District. A. McKeown, Rev. J. Kerr, Mr. state sala Hon. J. V. Ellis, J. A. S. mpson, H. Her, Secret. Good wager ison, A. Watson, D. B. Murray, risk, Write all, E. A. Schofield, D. Cameron, derson, C. W. Bell, J. McGregor, owler, R. Johnson, W. E. Foster,

White, G. L. Warwek, W. J. S. D. J. Bruce, H. B. Robinson, A. D. McClelland, W. Henderson, D. llet, G. R. Kennelly, H. P. Mar-A. Malcolm, E. H. Flewelling, A., J. W. Cameron, N. H. Murchie.

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Black, John White, D. Murray, E. Jan and Miss ong, R. M. Magee, D. Provan, B. and Miss ong, R. M. Magee, D. Trovan, B. Sunbury et all, J. R. Ferguson, J. U. Thomas, GARSCA Blair, jr., R. Randolph, W. S. Jan. 1, 16 John Gardan, J. E. Ganong, J. H. Tillotson, John Gardan, Purvis, C. S. Robertson, T. M. Anule, data the Hill. The M. Murray, A. T. Simson, T. Hill. S. Hocken and J. K. Brean, G. S. Hocken and G. enu card was patterned after a g stone, granite grey covers and e. Inside were cuts of the city, the e. Inside were cuts of the city, the sand reversible falls, verses and (Continued on page 7, fourth column.)

Following is the menu:

"Tak' time and mak' sure o' it."
Oysters on the half shell. Queen Olives.

Scotch Broth. Salted Almonds Chicken Halibut, aux Carotes. Creamed Potatoes. Pineapple Fritters, Port Wine Sauce

Boiled Sugar-Cured Ham, sauce a la essenc Roast Turkey, cranberry jelly. Boiled Leg of Mutton, caper sauce. Roast Loin of Beef, au jus. Lobster Salad. Radishes.
Roast Grouse, dressed and larded.
Roast Red Deer, black currant jelly

Mashed Potatoes. French Green Peas. Celery and Cheese. Plum Pudding, brandy sauce.
Snow Pudding, soft custard.
ple Pie. Lemon Pie. Maderia Jelly

Maraschino Cream. Strawberry Ice Cream. Malaga Grapes, Nuts, Raisins, Confections Coffee.

Sauterne. Port. Claret. Sherry, "Man, that's Curlin'! noo, gie's a sang." After the excellent dinner had been dis eussed Chairman Chipman read telegrams of regret at inability to attend from Lieutenant-Governor Snowball, Premier Tweedie, Hon. C. H. Labillois and a letter from Hon. Attorney-General Pugsley

-A. Malcolm, E. H. Flewelling, A.

J. W. Cameron, N. H. Murchie,
Draper, C. H. McDonald, J. W.
E. E. Burpee, F. Miles, J. H. PulChesley, F. Watson, J. F. Shaw,
ngall, E. L. Rising, G. U. Hay, Dr.
ren, W. M. Rivers, A. B. Holly, J.
Theory, A. Macaday, R. F. Country,
Theory, A. Macaday, R. F. Co in coming so close to the domain of politics. "In the name of the premier to whom I owe allegiance," he said, "in the name of the government, in the name of the local legislature, yes in the name of the entire people of this province, I extend to the Scattish righter a very hearty in fact pecks to the control of the fleet of foreign coal laden vessels which are due at this port put in an appearance today, the entire people of this province, I extend to the Scottish visitors a very hearty greeting to this land of ours. The Scotth are a people favored in many ways and their genius has stamped itself on the public and private life of this computition. The stamped itself on the public and private life of this computer of the stamped itself on the public and private life of this computer. manity. They are a people who mind their own business and never bother governments, therefore they are a people upon whom the government look with a specially kindly eye. (Laughter.)
"This portion of Canada is peopled by the descendants of founders who left all they held dear in the way of temporal possessions and 100 years ago entered this land when it was little more than a wilderness that they might here, under the

NEZUELAN REVOLUTIONISTS ATTACK, BUT ARE DEFEATED.

. racas, Jan. 5.—Fourteen hundred | leaders of the Matos movement are treat-W. A. a lutionists under Generals Ramos and year of closa attacked 800 government troops SIMPs in the command of General Acosta abandoned the field and the town of tire. They had 57 men killed and The financial panic here has been mo-

esident Castro continues to surprise the ment of all accounts eign residents. It is reported that the

"HE SHOT AND KILLED."

nerican Soldier Will Stand Trial for Sheriff's Daughter Liberates a Murde Obeying Orders.

from sur Wadsworth, the National Guards ridge, aged 22, daughter of the county an, who on October 8 shot and killed sheriff, liberated two prisoners, Davis illiam Ducham a striker of Schwikill Schr ce the State Supreme Court today for absence of her father last night. She court took the papers and also is reported missing. Gurley was for T) Wadsworth was guarding the house

Wood non-union miner at Shenandoah, He had ders from his superior officer to halt Stm ! suspicious persons seen approaching
Troot ae house and unless the orders were obyed to "shoot to kill." Wadsworth saw
on Jurham near the house and ordered him don to halt but the latter kept on and was killed. It afterwards developed that Durinternational committee having the cele se ham's hearing was defective and that he had not heard Wadsworth's command.

industry and American fishing vessels will that the variety and American fishing vessels will the hare to wait long before they can secure of lishands was unusually good to the end of last year, 160,000 barrels of hering taken. The eatch is valued at \$250,000.

Hawaiian Bishop Dead.

Four at a Birth

Toledo, Ohio, Jan. 5.—Rivals of the ding was a brilliant one, many royalt estable to the famous Ormsby "Quads" were born in Toledo, Ohio, Jan. 5.—Rivals of the Roman Catholic church and there were seven bridesmaids. Robert head of the Roman Catholic church in the Hawaiian bishop Dead.

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ir the command of General Acosta lay morning at a point near Guatire. r four hours' fighting the revolution- Hague tribunal have not yet been re-

by wounded. One of their guns was mentarily arrested by an agreement between the leading traders of Caracas, Latured. bout 1,500 revolutionists are reported Guaira, Valencia and Puerto Cabello and the bank of Venezuela. The traders have The activity and energy displayed by aggreed to accept the bank's notes in pay The run on the bank has ceased.

WHIMSICAL MISS ALDRIDGE.

and is Herself Missing.

Coa Philadelphia, Jan. 5-The case of Ar Oneonta, Ala., Jan. 5.-Misa Etta Ald sheriff, liberated two prisoners, Davis charged with murder and Murfree with

> Pope Leo's Silver Jubilee. New York, Jan. 5-Pope Leo XIII will

s 20th. It is proposed on that day by the

COMMISSIONER READY TO REPORT ON DEAF AND DUMB INQUIRY.

and Report Will Be Made

Fredericton Curlers' Plans--Preparations for the Trial of Mrs. Marsten-- Death of Mrs. Wm. Blair-- A Scott Act Fine.

The evidence in the Deaf and Dumb in

Club leave here Wednesday morning for Moncton. They are to stop at St. John en route home and play the Thistles and St. Andrew. Only one rink from Freder. Atorney General Pugsley arrived from St. John this evening and will conduct the prosecution in the Marsten murder

ase. L. A. Currey, K. C., of St. John, is At a meeting of the city council this evening announcement was made that the mbe dispute had been amicably

The death of Sadie Blair, wife of Wm. Blair, occurred at the home of her father, Abner Clark. She was 26 years of age.

The case of James Crangle, charged by
Rev. J.-J. Colter and others with violation of the Canada Temperance Act, was before Judge Marsh this morning. F. L. Peters, counsel for the defendant, with drew his plea of not guilty, and admitted the first offence. A fine of \$50 and costs

REACHES BOSTON.

Possibility of Break in Domestic Bituminous-Fine Weather Allays Popular Clamor.

The possibility of a break in the price of domestic soft coal before all this disposed of is already beginning to worry some of the consignees. The continu fine weather has been a wonderful hely to the local dealers, while the clamor for

150,000 RAILROAD MEN

Demand 20 Per Cent. Increase i Wages and an Eight Hour Day.

Chicago, Jan. 5.-Grievance committee representing every western railroad center ing in Chicago, met here today and negotiations were begun for an increase in th wages of thousands of conductors and brakemen. In all 150,000 men are inter-ested. Similar committees met in St. Lou s St. Paul and other railroad centres west o Chicago. The men are all members of the Order of Railway Conductors or the Brotherhood of Railway Trainmen and demand on behalf of their unions, a 20 per cent. increase in wages, an eight hour day

GERMANY'S ARMY AND

Berlin, Jan. 5-The army estimates show a recurring expenditure of over \$112,000,000, an increase of \$1,375,000 compared with 1902. The naval estimates show recurring expenditure of \$23,349,092, an nerease of \$1,634,232. The non-recurring naval expenses include \$26,165,250 for ship naval expenses include \$20,00,250 for ship-building and armaments, an increase of \$412,250 compared with 1902. But the total devoted to shipbuilding alone shows a decrease of \$167,750 over last year. Extraordinary expenditures for the new harbor works at Wilhelmshaven, Kiel and rilliam Durham, a striker, in Schuylkill mty, during the coal strike, came bemty, during the coal strike, also is reported missing. Gurley was rear admiral and 114 additional mino Among the extraordinary expenditure is the sum of \$5,750.000.of which \$5,250,000 is for fortresses and \$500,000 for field rail-

way material. New York, Jan. 5-Pope Leo XIII will celebrate his silver, jubilee on February WANTED TO SEE WAR

st. St. John's, Nfid., Jan. 5.—Mild weather has seriously affected the frozen herring industry and American fishing passed on the standard over the world.

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st. John's, Nfid., Jan. 5.—Secretary of War Broderick and Madeleine Stanley, daug ster of Lady Jeuene, were married in St. George, Hanover sonare this afternoon.

SCHOONER ADVANCE SAGASTA, FORMER PREMIER OF SPAIN DIED MONDAY EVENING.

Reception of the News.

Had Desired to Visit Him in His Illness, Etiquette--Young Monarch Sends Sympa-

missioner Barry and he expects to take this report ready for presentation to the hours and a half. He expired in the preshours and a half. He expired in the presence of his family. His funeral will probably take place next Wednesday.

The news of Senor Sagasta's death created a painful impression throughout Madrid. King Alfonso displayed profound regret when he heard of the former premium.

er's death. His majesty had desired to visit Senor Sagasta during his illness but was told that to do so would be contrary

Senor Sagasta was born in 1827. Senor Sagasta's intellect was unimpared until his last hours. He talked to his of the congress and the Archbishop of To-

ter of sympathy to Senor Saga-ta's family, and during the former prem er's illness the queen mother and other members of the royal family frequently sent officials to

Situation in Morocco Has Improved -- Powers Not to Interfere.

WANT PAY RAISED, PRINCESS DEMANDS

ABSOLUTE DIVORCE

Petition for Judicial Separation the Other Side of the Saxony Scandal

etin issued today says:
"The king, who has been suffering from influenza since Dec. 10, has improved somewhat. At the same time catarrh of Saxony, is a petition for judicial separation. The document requests the crown princess to return to Dresden and appear princess to return to Dresden and appear than a quorum and the house augurned. NAVY EXPENSES, 1903, princess, on the other hand, demands absolute divorce from the crown prince.

MORE THAN 200,000.

Majority for Ontario Liquor Act is Swelling.

Toronto, Jan. 5 .- (Special) -- Belated re urns of the referendum swell a majority for the liquor act to a trifle over 200 000. Three ridings are yet to hear from and are expected to make the majority dangerou near the 212,000 odd votes required.

Liberal Mayor Elected. Toronto, Jan. 5-(Special)-The may-

ralty election here today resulted in a Strike Commission Will Resume Today.

miners' union, arr ved tonight.

IS NOW LEAKING: CARGO OVERBOARD.

Balance of Evidence is Received King Alfonso Deeply Grieved at Unsuccessful Attempt to Take Vessel Off Foley's Cove

> But Was Told This Would Be Contrary to Fishermen Gathering Barrels of Potatoes Thrown from Stranded Schooner--Hope

> > St. George, N. B., Jan. 5-(Special)-The schooner Advance, ashore near Beaver Harbor, lies in the same position as yes-St. John tugs to pull her off the beach. The cargo of 4,100 barrels of potatoes is thrown overboard and Captain fleet. Smith thinks that his schooner can be

The fishermen along shore are reaping schooner alone has taken aboard 150 barrels, and craft of all sizes are load ng up.

The Lansdowne steamed into Beaver Harbor this evening. It is said the will assist the smaller tugs in an attempt to pull off the Advance at high water to

[It is expected that the Advance, when floated, will be brought to St. John for repairs. It is said here that the cargo of Mutual Insurance Company, Boston.]

WANT DUTY OFF COAL

Senator Lodge Introduces Such a Bill in U. S. Senate - Nothing

Washington, Jan. 5 .- When the senate Paris, Jan. 5.—The Madrid correspondent of the Temps says that advices received in Spain from Tangier indicate that the situation of the Sultan of deve the duty on coal with the statement. Morocco has improved since he released his brother who has been fewerably re-

illegal combination among certain rail-roads to control the sh pment of anthraroads to control the sh pment of anthracite and called on the attornyg neral for the evidence which it was alleged had been secured by him. It caused a lively debate in which several Republican senators vigorously resented what they thought was a reflection on the attorney-general. The discussion continued until 2 o'clock when the resolution went over being displaced. Dresden, Saxony, Jan. 5.—A court bul-etin issued today says:

discussion continued unit but the resolution went over, being displaced by the omnibus statehood bill.

No Quorum in the House. The house resumed work after a recess the lungs, a d stressing cough and rest-lessnes at night cont nue." of two weeks, but within two hours the machinery broke down for lack of a quorlessne's at night cont nue."

Berne, Switzerland, Jan. 5.—The writ which the German consul at Geneva purposes to serve upon the Crown Princess of made to pass it under suspension of the

BIG LUMBER PROPERTY

T. G. McMullen Disposes of Steam Mill and Lumber Interests at South Mailland, N. S.

a good price was paid. The mill, which Liberal candidate, being elected mayor by plurality of 746 over his three Conservative opponents. The total vote was: Urquhart, 8.634; Howland, 7,888; Lamb, 7,273; Robinson, 908. er, has operated a steam mill at C.lift Philadelphia, Jan. 5.—The anthracite coal strike commission will resume its hearings in this city tomorrow morning. All the commissioners, the assistant recorders and other attaches of the commission are here. President Mitchell, of the miners' union, arrived tonight. for years. It is understood that Mr. Mc-

IND BRITISH MONEY FOR CANADA UNTIL DOMINION HELPS PAY THE NAVY BILLS.

At Least That's the Way Sir John Colcomb Will Have It if He Can-He Rep'ies to Sir Charles Tupper-Grand Trunk and C. P. R. Earnings-Mr. Tarte's Patrie.

Montreal, Jan. 5-(Special)-A special months was \$2,530,000, equal to 13 pe London cable to the Star says: "Sir John Colomb, M. P., replies in the

to Float the Advance at High Water To- Times today to Sir Charles Tupper's at- lating Charles Day Rose upon his success; tack upon him because he opposed the his election to the imperial parliament for Pacific cable. Sir John says he will op- Newmarket. The Tory papers, while reoose all future Canadian demands on the gretting the defeat of the ministerialist pockets of the British people for large candidate, console themselves with the eash contributions or guarantees so long reflection that Mr. Rose is of the Liberal-Imperialist type, and, being a native of as Candian statesmen sit on the fence and the dominion neither pays nor guarantees a brass farthing towards the pro

> equal to nine per cent, to which the and wrote to Hon. Mr. Tarte call Grand Trunk proper contributed \$1,203,-000, the Grand Trunk western \$243,000, and the Detroit and Grand Haven \$24,000. net, there is no question, as the Financial net, there is no question, as the Financial Hon. Mr. Tarte replies that he will not

"Anglo-Canadians are warmly congrate

"The All-Canadian football team scored another victory today, defeating Harro

attention to the fact that La Patrie's changed attitude has necessitated a Lib-

Times says today, but that the Grand Trunk in gross receipts has enjoyed a bumper half-year.

"The Canadian Pacific has done even better. The aggregate increase for the six

FOR NINETY DAYS ST. LAWRENCE DISASTERS CAUSED BY INEXPERIENCE OR CARELESSNESS.

The Trouble Aboard Ship, Not Deficiencies in Aids to Navigation, is Finding of Commander Spain--Ottawa Municipal Elections.

Morocco has improved since he released his brother, who has been favorably received by the natives. Chief Gogui has been deserted by several tribes, who have retired to the mountains.

Premier Silvela denies that a joint naval demonstration against Morocco is projected. He says that on the computative has been recalled from Tangier as proof that the powers do not intend to intervene in what is considered a question regarding Morocco alone.

Madrid, Jan. 5—Premier Silvela has presented to King Alfonso official despatches confirming the retreat of the pretader to the Moroccoan throne, thus allowing the Sultan to reorganize the army and stamp out the insurrection.

PRINCESS DEMANDS

days the duty on coal with the statement and distance of coal and that in New England there was much distress, owing to the scarcity of coal and that unless relief was afforded at once, an unber of factories would have to shut down. He was aware, he said, that such a bill should originate in the house of representatives, but it was he seem to call the attention of the finance committee to the state of affairs.

Mr. Culberson followed with a resolution on regarding Morocco alone.

Mr. Platt (Conn.), objected to King Alfonso official despatches confirming the retreat of the pretender to the Moroccoan throne, thus allowing the Sultan to reorganize the army and stamp out the insurrection.

PRINCESS DEMANDS

ADCOLUTE DIMONG

CHARGED WITH POISONING MOTHER

Physician Presents Facts in Hearing of Sensational Chelsea Case, in Which Catherine Richardson is Charged With Attempted Murder.

der her mother, Mrs. Harley C. Richard- subjected to a chemical analysis. son, was laid before Judge Bosson today, envelope, however, was marked in pencil in the testimony of Dr. Eunice Kinney,
who attended Mrs. Richardson.

It took three hours for Doctor Kinney

Bartlett, the counsel for Miss Richardin the testimony of Dr. Eunice Kinney, who attended Mrs. Richardson.

court adjourned

Truro, N. S., Jan. 5.—(Sp c al)—The lumber property and steam mili, South Marland, owned by T. G. McMuhen, ex. which Doctor Kinney herself was made which Doctor Kinney herself was made which Doctor Kinney after testing of mediane at representative of the Revere police, of a small druggist's envelope containing two powders in Miss Catherine Richardson's stocking. This last named discovery was made immediately after Miss Richard-

Chelsea, Mass., Jan. 5.—The principal evidence which led the Revere police of ficials to arrest Miss Catherine W. Richardson on a charge of attempting to murardson on a charg

to relate her story and her cross exam son, during which she made a few conination had not been concluded when the tradictory statements and a number of admissions, but the substantial portion of court adjourned

The main feature of Doctor Kinney's condition when the court adjourned. testimony were the accounts of three oc-casions when she was called to see Mrs. The most telling point made by the de-fence was that of obtaining from Doctor Richardson while the latter was suffering from what Doctor Kinney diagnosed son was evidently mildly insane and

Martland, owned by T. G. McMunen, exM. P., has been sold to C. E. Crowe, a
rising lumberman of Chifton. The figure
is not given out but it is understood that

LORG STRATHCONA WILL GIVE McGILL \$20,000.

Montreal, Jan. 5.—(Special).—Lord

ALL THE PEOPLE OF LYNN TO BE VACCINATED.

Lynn, Mass., Jan. 5 .- The fourteenth Strathcona has offered to give tue last case of smallpox directly traceable to the