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in street, May G. Armstrong,

the 25th instant, Anthony, a h. to the wife aughter.

he home of the B., by Rev. sse Saml. Baird Miss Ida May, . Mass., on 19th

Litch ghter of Geo o Harry Carle-

urred on April harles Anderson, , Eleanor, aged nd five children, s. The child Biddeford, Me., John, (west), of North End, St. John, and

30th instant Robert J. and ake, N. Y., on James Beair arleton county, the late Robert

Alexander Chris is age t., at the New Mass. this city, entered

oplexy, on April Co., George W. aving a widow, ter, who reside in of this city. of Chas. T. Pidnd, William Midthe late Capt h, Charles Ed-E. Macmichael. cc. 189 Went* i, Charles L. Mcof his age. y, on April 29th, alate Robt. Shera*

ence. Hampton larissa, relict of aged 75 years. ning at eight relict of the late peacefully away ch, Kings Co., She was the eleven of whom Bozman, Mon-East Boston, Me.; Joseph Hedley, of St, Boston. Mass; Indrews, of Long Olive White, at d by all who knew cle of friends to

on April 29th N. B., April 23rd, , aged 1 year and

present situation and the necessity for lief that Port Arthur has been sealed i the sunken or, the Fakin gov ships which Russia failed to locate. It ermment. e danger of an anti-foreign move- is supposed that the Japanese will ment throughout the Chinese Empire make a supreme effort to cut off Port ists not only for Russia, but for all Arthur before the arrival of Vice-Adpowers and Russia has at least miral Skrydloff. times since the outbreak of the The Berlin correspondent of the addressed the powers on the sub- Daily Mail asserts that the Russian the last time being less than ten military authorities are in a state of s ago. The answers received uni- the most extreme anxiety regarding

mly show a full appreciation of the the chances of saving the baggage of ed of exercising a restraining in- the Yalu army. The roads are so ence on Pekin and all the powers, bad that the wheeled transport is only are co-operating to this end. able to move five miles daily, and it is ST. PETERSBURG, May 6, 3.30 a. feared that the Japanese will capture -With Vice Admiral Togo hovering all the stores accumulated at Feng the immediate vicinity of Port Ar- Wang Cheng.

Despatches received from Port Arthur and transports loaded with troops at Pitsewo, northeast of that thur yesterday afternoon and from stronghold, Russia has braced herself Newchwang Wednesday report no for impending conflicts with the foe change in the situation and so far no when she will again play a defensive confirmation has reached London of ole, this time, it is hoped, with bet- the Japanese preparations for landing er success and therefore with less sac- off the coast of the Liao Tung pen-

rifice of life than in the engagements insula. on the Yalu. The war commission sat ST. PETERSBURG, May 5. - The until 2 o'clock this morning and at the Russian papers are rather sparing in close of the session it was announced their comment on the battle of Kiu that there was nothing to communi- Lien Song, evidently awaiting more cate to the public. It is known, how- complete details, but what they say ever, that the emperor has been in- contains no trace of discouragement. formed of the presence of a Japanese The Novi Vromyea says the moves an-Reet off the Liao Shan promontory and nounced by Gen. Kuropatkin have bethe appearance of transports at Pitse- gun and declares that the Japanese difficulties will increase as they ad-

If a landing should take place at vance. The paper believes the chief Pitsewo the experts anticipate that danger now is in the attitude of the Togo's battleship squadron will bom- Chinese, and says: "Our diplomats ird Port Arthur in order to prevent. must make Pekin realize the danger the garrison from sending reinforce- of Chinese violation of neutrality, Rusents by railroad to the troops oppos- sia must win, but with heavier sacrig the Japanese there. Neither the fices, a heavier price will be exacted dmiralty nor the war office believes from her foes." at a disembarkation of the Japanese The Viedmosti remarks: "It is a

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n be stopped, as the guns of the Jap- Japanese victory. Do not let us seek ese cruisers could command the for a scapegoat. It is the fortune of States and French navies. int of landing, but after the Japan- war. Glory to the dead and the surare ashere then the Russians will vivors of the heroic fight against overike and, officers here say, will strike whelming odds. But the Japanese pro-What force they will be able to bably would gladly exchange their ig up to resist the invaders cannot dearly bought victory for a successful is stated definitely, the strength of the bottling up of Port Arthur."

purpose. A committee was appointed to interwhether or not the school children would take part in the tercentenary celebration. Rowland Frith said that costumes for the reception of Champlain would

expense, but the regatta would necessitate the spending of over three hundred dollars. Mr. Frith suggested that a committee be appointed to call upon the proprietors of hotels and others who Moravsky

would benefit by the tercentenary and by subscription raise a guarantee fund through and saved its colors. so that in the event of a deficit there would be something to fall back on. The matter was referred to the gen- with heavy losses, forced a passage at eral committee.

> Society is endeavoring to obtain Centenary church for that purpose, but nothing definite has been ascertained. A letter was received from Wm. Lillie, in which he suggested a barbecue, but no definite action was taken

in the matter. It was decided that invitations be sent to the presidents of societies and colleges by the Historical Society, by the mayor to Admiral Douglas, requesting that three war vessels come to St. John to remain during the cele-

bration, also that an effort be made to procure a vessel from the United

A POTATO PARADISE.

wick.

Aroostock County Raised Twice as Many as the Whole of New Bruns-

It will perhaps surprise the people of New Brunswick to be told that one county in Maine grows twice as many potatoes as the whole of this province. Yet that is the claim. Colonel Matthews, commissioner of industrial and labor statistics delivered an address in Portland the other day in which he said that Aroostook raised last year 0,000,070 bushels of potatoes, of which 2,000,000 bushels were made into starch. The New Brunswick commissioner of agriculture makes last year's potato crop in this province 4,686,906 bushels. No county in New Brunswick is credited with a million bushels. Westmorland has the lead with 667,246 bushels. Carleton county, which is a neighbor to Aroostook, is allowed 452,280 bushels, or less than quarter of the quantity turned into starch in Aroostook. But Mr. Matthews says that Aroostook is one of the first four counties in the whole of the United States in the value of its farm products.

CRUSHED TO DEATH.

illumination for their boats, and the Moravsky, which were sent from the The activity of the Japanese, it is towing through the falls would be a reserve by Gen. Zassalitch with orders, remarked here, is not only north of the comparatively small matter, the fact to hold their ground until the depar- Yalu, on which there is remained that it would incur con- ture of the Ninth and Tenth Regi- scouting, but also off the Liao Tung siderable expense to fit up a vessel in ments from Sakhodze. I ordered the peninsula, though the failure to seal the style of those used in the time of Eleventh Regiment to occupy a com- Port Arthur may interfere with the Champlain. Mr. White stated that a manding position in the rear from operations they had been expected to woodboat had been engaged for this which they could fire on the enemy carry out on the west coast of the penfrom two sides. insula.

"'I held Lieut. Col. Moravsky's bat-There is no confirmation here of the view the school trustees and ascertain tery in reserve and ordered the Paris rumor that an engagement be-Twelfth Regiment, the third battery tween Russian and Japanese squadand the quick firing guns to retire un- rons had taken place off Vladivostok, der cover of the Eleventh Regiment. and St. Petersburg knows nothing of

"'At 1 o'clock the Japanese ap- the rumored capture of Newchwang. preach so close to the position held by It is reported that the Japanese adnot necessarily mean a great deal of the Eleventh Regiment that the third vanced to within 18 miles of -Feng battery could not pass along under Wang Cheng and that another en the cross-fire and, taking up a position gagement is expected almost immedi-

a short distance from the Japanese, ately. remained there until the end of the fight, losing its commander, Lieut. Col. "The Twelfth Regiment cut its way

"'The Eleventh Regiment, which held its ground for two hours more

the point of the bayonet and crossed With regard to the literary evening the ravines with its colors. It lost its cial houses in London for the issue of it is understood that the Historical colonel, commandant. We lost forty a Japanese loan of \$25,000,000 at 93, the officers and about 2,000 non-commissioned officers and men. "The Japanese losses must have

> been enormous. " 'The Russians retired in good or der on Feng Wang Cheng.

'The men of the third division maintained their excellent morale and over 700 wounded proceeded with their tive regarding the matter and deregiments to Feng Wang Cheng." TOKIO, May 4, 9 p. m .- The reports which have been received here of the

successful blocking of the entrance to Port Arthur harbor by the Japanese, coming on the heels of the news o the victory on the Yalu, stirred Tokio

to another popular demonstration, and tonight thousands of men carrying lanterns, swinging high from bamboo poles, paraded through the city. Half a dozen bands of music led the pro-

It had been expected that tidings of

the Port Arthur engagement would

come from Vice-Admiral Togo some

time during the day, but none were

received. The report which has reach-

ed here from Europe that General

Kuropatkin, the commandre-in-chief

will the Japanese find victory.

ese war.

crowd.

cessions. The offices of the war and YARMOUTH, May 4 .- A. F. Stonenavy departments and of the general staff were the scenes of the greatest man & Company, one of the largest enthusiasm. Two of the imperial handlers of fish, groceries and West India produce west of Halifax, have princes visited the navy department, and the assembled crowd welcomed assigned. A meeting of their creditors them with cheers. Then the throng is called for the 13th inst. This firm demanded Admiral Ito, chief of the are deeply interested in shipping, owngeneral staff and the hero of the fight ing a number of coasting schooners

and the bankers Coronation and Ben on the Yalu during the Chino-Japan-He appeared in response to Bolt. A. F. Stoneman, M. L. C., is the calls of the people and saluted the the senior partner.

FIVE CHILDREN DROWNED

By a Cloudburst in Texas.

of the Russian troops in the Far East, AUSTIN, Tex., May 4 .- As the reis personally leading 20,000 men from sult of a cloudburst in Central Texas Liao Yang to Feng Wang Cheng is and this section, not a train has moved to the north. About five miles pier will be \$6,000. A vote of thanks welcomed as good news, on the theory that the more aggressive the Russian of the International and Great Northcampaign becomes, the more speedy ern tracks have been washed out north

of here. Five children were drowned in a BERLIN, May 4.-The Vossiche Zeitung says that it is informed that reek five miles from this city. Fields are under from four to eight the North German Lloyd Steamship inches of water to the south of here Co. has sold to the Japanese government eight steamers belonging to its

LOST HIS HAND.

FREDERICTON, N. B., May 4-This

East Atlantic lines for war purposes. swollen far beyond their banks. LONDON; May 4 .-- The foreign office has no information in regard to the

PORTLAND, Me., May 5 .- Isaac searching of the Peninsular and Ori-Harrison, aged about 50 years, died at ental Steam Navigation Company's the Maine Central Hospital tonight, str. Osiris by the Russian warship

morning while William Artes was atthe result of injuries sustained by a Khrabry after the Osiris left Brindisi steel shaft weighing about a ton roll- recently for Port Said, but the Asso- tending a circular saw in S. L. Currie's ing off a truck on to him at the yards ciated Press was informed that if the mill, his hand came in contact with of the Portland company, where he report is officially confirmed it is a the saw, mutilating him so severely called to that church. He was waited has been in the lead for the last half most unwarranted proceeding and will that Drs. Murray and Vanwart were on last night, and gave practical as- century. It cures corns painlessly in Russian government. and two children in London

Suggestion That Home Government Make Loan to Some Canadian English correspondents with th Japanese forces on the Yalu are per-MONTREAL, May 4 .- The Star's mitted to send the most ample descrip-London cable says: It is hoped here tions of the people and the country that official action will be taken upon a drill hall built from these plans, or traversed, but not a word about the the suggestion which Griffith, Cana- from plans similar thereto in dimenfighting. dian government secretary, made at sions and accommodation provided? LONDON, May 4 .- It is said in finyesterday's meeting of the Society of If so, where? ancial circles that negotiations are Arts, at which Lord Brassey presided. annroaching a conclusion with finan-Griffith reminded the meeting that the cial houses in London for the issue of British government was lending the Cunard Company £2,600,000 sterling, security being a first charge on the at 23-4 per cent., for a fast Atlantic customs service. LONDON. May 5.-The opinion gains equally strong why a similar loan ground here that the Japanese have

constant

should be made to Canada, or some at last effectually blocked Port Arthur. authoritative Canadian corporation, No official Japanese report on the subfor an Anglo-Canadian fast service, ject has yet been received, but the comparable with the Cunard line. Tokio correspondents are very posiscribe the determination with which the enterprise was undertaken. in the interests of the empire, that the

British government give state trans- headquarters at St. John, N. B., at portation to the colonies of such Brit- present consist? Is it the intention of YARMOUTH FIRM ASSIGNS. ish unemployed as the colonial gov- the militia department to increase on ernments accepted as suitable.

A. F. Stoneman & Co., Fish Handlers, in Difficulties.

> Six Thousand Dollars Will be Required for the New Draw and Pier. Hon. C. H. Labillois, the head of the public works department, is in N. B., at present authorized? town at the Royal. He along with A. R. Wetmore, the chief engineer of the board of works, has been at Moncton recently with respect to the memorial sent to the government with regard to

the draw in the new bridge at Hall's Creek. Hon. C. W. Hobinson, M. P. P., F. W. Sumner, J. T. Hawke, Mr. Lodge, R. Clarke, J. H. Harris, D. I. Welch, J. C. Brown and others were before the chief commissioner. outcome of this conference was that Mr. Wetmore will be sent to the place to take soundings in the creek and will make a report to the government. The cost of the draw with the additional

and was awarded a perfect mark for his thesis on "Theis". Mr. Rogers

will be ordained into the Methodis

ministry at the next meeting of the

Nova Scotia conference and will have

charge of the Bear River circuit

Concern

Reasons were, he added,

suggestion from a naval standpoint.

Griffith also urged the desirability.

HALLS CREEK BRIDGE.

Lord Brassey strongly supported the such battery?

whither he has been invited.

Answei's Given to the Juestions Asi-

ed by Dr. Daniel.

OTTAWA, May 4 .-- A day or two

ago Dr. Daniel asked the following

questions concerning the drill hall at

Mr. Daniel-1. On what day in this

year were plans for a drill hall for-

warded from Ottawa to the district

officer commanding at St. John, N. B.?

2.-When were these plans pre-

Ans.-Preparation began November,

1903, and forwarded as soon as pos-

3.-Is there at any place in Canada

4.-Is provision made in such plans

5.-Is there a field battery in St.

6 .-- Is it the intention of the depart-

ment of militia to establish a field

battery at St. John? If so, when, and

7 .- Of how many companies does the

Third Regiment, C. A., having its

decrease such number of companies?

Ans .- To first part, 4 companies; to

8 .- Of how many companies does the

62nd Regiment, having its headquar-

ters at St. John, N. B., at present con-

sist? Is it the intention of the militia

such number of companies?

department to increase or decrease

Ans.-Eight companies; to second

9.-Is there not a bearer company,

10 .- Is not the establishment of a

company of the Army Service Corps

at St. John, N. B., at present author-

11 .- Is it the intention of the militia

department that the 3rd Regiment,

shed prepared so as to afford such ac-

commodation? If not, where is it in-

tended that such regiments and com-

panies should be provided with accom-

part, will afford all necessary accom-

12 .- What instructions were given

for the making of plans, so as to in-

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Ans .-- To first part, Yes; to second

having its headquarters at St. John,

what would be the establishment of

day, and were as under:

Ans .- February 12th, 1904.

FASI ATLANTIC SERV ICE. St. John. The answers were given to-

pared?

Ans.-No.

Ans.-Yes.

John, N. B.?

Ans.-No.

Ans.-Yes.

second part. No.

for a field battery?

sible.

was tendered Hon. Mr. Labillois by the meeting.

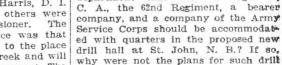
FROM THE OLD SOD.

for 15 miles. Rivers and creeks are Young Irish Clergyman Tendered Call

Johnston, a brilliant young preacher THE VEBBICT OF PUBLIC OPINfrom Ireland, who has occupied the

pulpit of St. Andrew's Presbyterian Is with the best article every time. church here for two Sundays, will be That's why Putnam's Corn Extractor country about a week and had a wife necessitate a strong protest to the compelled to amputate at the wrist. and two children in London. The patient is resting easily tonight. If offered one, the universe of the patient is resting easily tonight.

sure the provision of adequate accommodation for the units of active militia, to Halifax Church. having headquarters at St. John, N.B.? Ans .- None.



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ized?

part, No.

Ans.-Yes.

Ans.-Yes

