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Public Buildings.

NOVA SCOTIA

Amherst, new post office, \$30,000. Drill hall, \$70,000. Public building at Bear River, \$

Quarantine station on Lawlor's Island, new buildings and improvements, \$25,000.

Hantsport public buildings, \$4,000.

North Sydney same improvements, \$5,000.

\$5,000.

Springhill public building improvements and retaining wall, \$3,000.

Sydney Mines improvements, \$2,

Truro new building, \$40,000. Total, \$530,600.

PRINCE EDWARD ISLAND.

Summerside—New roof and additions, inclusive of heating and fittings

NEW BRUNSWICK.

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Buctouche, \$10,000.

Chatham addition, \$12,000.

Fredericton, new building, \$100,000.

Hampion public building, \$21,000.

Militown public building, \$15,000.

Sackville, public building, \$15,000.

Shediac, public building, \$13,000.

St. Géorge, public building, \$13,000.

St. John custom house improve ents, \$8,000. Dominion building improvements

Drill hall, \$50,000.

New post office, \$325,000.

Quarantine station, Partridge Is-

TRYING TO

COMBINE

Transportation Companies are

Berlin, Jan. 29.—The action of the University of Heidelberg in revoking the degree of Doctor of Philosophy granted to the student more than a year ago has revealed the existence of a diploma institute in Berlin, called "diploma mills," but assistance in preparing the necessary thesis for obtaining a degree. A candidate is naturally supposed to base his thesis upon original research, but in the case of the Heidelberg student whose Ph. D. was withdrawn, it was found that he obtained his thesis through the institute. His frand curlously came to light through a suit started by him against the director of the thesis concern.

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The doctor's title has a high social and financial as well as a scholarly value in Germany, enabling the holder to move in the higher circles and to vertisemnts appear in newspapers offering substantial reward to persons who can indicate a way for the advertiser to obtain the desired degree. This is along the line of the recent movement among German students in dentistry to secure the title of doctor, which led to a general strike of dential students at Prussian universities last month, but the strike soon collapsed without success.

Berlin transportation interests are openly working to mould public opinion in favor of a merger of the street rallway, subway and omnibus companies. Community of interest has already been arrunged in many instances by the interchange of stock, so that the "Greater Berlin traffic combine" is almost in existence. Outside of the consolidation will remain, however, a few street car lines operated by the munnicipality and the state-owned elevated railways, and the financiers also face the possibility that the city might exercise its right, to take over the various systems, which it might do in 1920 in the case of the street railways, and in 1927 in case of the subways. The municipality is threatening to exercise this right, and is also discussing plans to take possession of the plants which generate electricity for generate consumption in Berlin and its sub-

MALLPOX BREAKS OUT IN

LONDON, ONT., POST OFFICE.

of Railways.

Harbors and Rivers.

NOVA SCOTIA

piers, \$16,000. Blandford Breakwater, \$15,000. Breen's Pond extension of breakwater, \$14,500. Centreville breakwater, \$15,000. Cheverie, wharf extension, \$10,800. Cribbin's Point, new wharf and removal of old pier, \$17,000. Deloris Beach breakwater, repairs and extension, \$14,700. Devills Island, extension breakwater, \$11,500. East Chezzetcook (Crab Beach), extension breakwater, \$14,500. East River breakwater wharf, \$7,000.

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East River, improvements, \$150,000.
Evan's Point, breakwater and aproach, \$17,000.
Freeport, breakwater, \$13,000.
Goat Island, wharf, \$9,400.
Hantsport, repairs and extension
charf, \$22,000.
Harbors, rivers, and bridges, generl repair and improvements, \$50,000.
Inverness, harbor improvements,
15,000.

Kelly's Cove, extension to breakwar, \$9,800.

Mill Cove, extension breakwat.

Mill Cove, extension breakwater, \$10,000.
Northwest Cove (Tancock Island), breakwater, \$42,000.
ELEVEN ESTIMATES
Parker's Cove, breakwater extension and repairs, \$7,100.
Porter's Lake Boat Channel to Three Fathom Harbor, \$10,000.
Seaforth breakwater, \$12,000.
Tracadle harbor, improvements, \$14,300.

Cardigan, extension and reconstruc-tion of ferry wharf, \$10,000. Charlottetown harbor, \$20,000. French River wharf, \$20,000. Harbors, rivers and bridges, gener

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effect that the former dictator recently sailed from a European port for Porto Rico, by way of New York, to join his family.

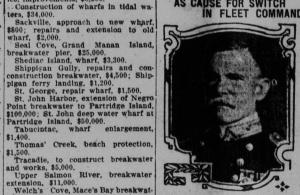
General Jose Manuel Hernandez, leader of the national Liberal party of Venezuela, who came to Port of Spain from New York in October last with the avowed intention of furthering his candidacy to succeed General Juan Gomez, as Venezuelan president, still remains here.

PORTO RICO

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Corroboration.

Four-year-old Harry was spending the day with his aunt. Dinner was late and the child began to grow rest less. "Aunty," he said, finally, "does God know everything?" "Yes, dear," answered his aunt. "Every little thing." he persisted. "Yes, every little thing." he soldiers, was taking some supplies to an army a detachment of soldiers, preceded by a band, was marching past. The lad dismounted and held the bridle of the donove verything?" "Yes, dear," answered his aunt. "Every little thing." he persisted. "Yes, every little thing." he persisted. "Yes, every little thing." he said in a tone of conviction. "God knows I'm hungry."



MILLIONNAIRE CLUBMAN AND WIFE, WHO ASKS ABSOLUTE DIVORCE

Fairhaven, to rebuild pier head, \$4

Green Point (Barsford) breakwater

\$25,000.

River St. John, including tributar es, improvements, \$5,200.

Construction of wharfs in tidal wa

\$1,500.
Tracadie, to and works, \$5,0
Upper Salme extension, \$11,
Welch's Cov



co-operation to eliminate the middleman.

Stating that he had ben a Liberal himself once, Mr. Raineville asked how the great Liberal party had kept its promises. Was the Sunday observance bill Liberal? Had they stopped the handing out of what they had once called "tin-pot titles."

Had they ever tried to put free trade into effect? Had they reformed the Senate, which the speaker as a pure-bloded Liberal himself had once sought to reform? "Look at it today; the Senate is worse than ever," said Mr. Rainville.

Had the Liberal party stopped electoral corruption? Hardly, with the spectacle of ex-minister of agriculture hiding to escape the service of the Chateauguay election writ.

Mr. Cruise, of Dauphin, Manitoba, stated that if the opposition had waited "till the budget speech to submit the free wheat amendment, the minister of public works would have asked: "Why didn't you bring this down before?"

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"When we ask for free wheat we will consult the eastern farmers first; we do not propose to hurt them," said Mr. Cruise. He spoke of agricultural education, and said that if the farmers did not get what they wanted there would be a farmer's government in Canada soon. He was sorry the present resolution did not include free oats, barley and flax as well as wheat. He went on to speak of assistance needed by the western farmer.

Mr. W. F. MgcLean, of South York, who followed, stated that he favored free wheat largely because it would give the western farmer competitive railway rates. The measure was favored by the west and there had been no opposition in the house as yet; the

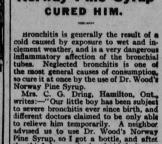
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