

tion to this item was led by Mr. Davis. Mr. Laurier did not follow this lead. He said that he endorsed the language of Cartwright when the latter wrote on sending his contribution to the Lady Thompson fund and said he would support a public vote for the late premier's family. He would have been glad if the late premier had saved something for his heirs, but the fact was that he had given to the public the service which, if devoted to making money, would have placed him in good circumstances. Mr. Tarte had said that the proposed amount was too large, but he (Mr. Laurier) did not feel like opposing it on that ground. Mr. MacDonald of Huron condemned the appropriation and moved that it be struck out. Mr. Martin of Manitoba, Mr. Legris and others supported the motion. Sir Richard Cartwright said that this motion was one on which members were free to vote as they liked. His own view of the case was that the late premier left no provision for his family. It might be claimed that he should have saved something or provided for his family by life insurance. But so far as he, Cartwright, could see it was really not possible for the late premier to save money in late years. A prime minister really could not lay by anything from his income. Nor in his condition of health was it possible for him to secure life insurance. He (Cartwright) for one was willing to take the responsibility of voting for the government's proposition. Sir Donald Smith complimented Messrs. Cartwright and Laurier on the generous spirit with which they had approached the question and asked the members to withdraw the opposition to make the vote unanimous. Mr. Fraser opposed the vote, claiming it was not necessary for the premier to expand his whole income in hospitalities. In answer to a question of Mr. Scriver whether beside the amount subscribed Lady Thompson had been left some fifteen thousand dollars by her husband, Mr. Fraser said Sir John Thompson did not leave his family more than three hundred dollars a year. Mr. Casey supported the vote and criticized the government for making no allowance to the widow of the late Premier MacKenzie. Later in the debate Mr. Edgar stated that when Mr. MacKenzie died Mr. Laurier had been informed by the leader of the government that provision would be asked for the family of the ex-premier if it was necessary. Mr. Laurier consulted Mrs. MacKenzie, and was told that while Mr. MacKenzie was not rich, he had left enough to provide comfortably for his family and that no public assistance would be required. On hearing this explanation Mr. Casey said he was glad to withdraw his observation. After midnight a vote was taken, when the vote was carried by a vote of 93 to 42. The government members all voted yes, as did Messrs. Laurier, Cartwright, Edgar, Casey, Gilmour, Malook, Mills, Fremont, Levin and Lavergne. All the other opposition members present left their leader and followed Mr. Davis in opposing the appropriation.

LOCAL AND OTHER ITEMS.

The closing exercises of Notre Dame Convent take place on Friday evening next.

To-morrow morning at 9.30 o'clock, the closing exercises of St. Joseph's Convent will commence.

The closing exercises of St. Dunstan's College take place in the Lyceum this evening, commencing at 8 o'clock.

It is said that there have been more than thirty desertions from the flagship Crescent since her arrival at Halifax.

In the election, for the Nova Scotia Legislature, held in Antigonish, on Thursday last, McMillan (Liberal) was elected by about 110 majority.

PROFESSOR ROBERTSON, Dominion Dairy Commissioner, has written to Mr. Dillon, stating that he intends visiting this Province early in July.

THE Stanley arrived here on Thursday, to finish repairs, before engaging in the fishery protection service. She will remain in port for two or three weeks.

THE budget presented in the Newfoundland Legislature, the other day, shows the revenue of the colony, for 1894, to have been \$1,649,945, and the expenditure \$2,239,000.

At the shooting, for the Inter-Maritime trophy, in New Brunswick, on Thursday last, Nova Scotia won. The scores were: Nova Scotia, 67; New Brunswick, 57; P. E. Island, 61.

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On Thursday last, Feast of Corpus Christi, about one hundred and twenty children were admitted 6th Communion in St. Dunstan's Cathedral, and there were about one hundred renewals.

Sad Drowning Accident.

A most sad drowning accident, by which three men lost their lives, occurred at Orwell on Thursday afternoon last. It appears that Mr. James Daly of Montague West was visiting at Mr. James Hughes's, Orwell, Mr. Hughes being a sister of Mrs. Daly. During the afternoon Mr. Daly and Edmund and John Hughes, sons of Mr. James Hughes, went to the shore below the Hughes farm. The next heard of them, the dead bodies of all three were found in the water. When the bodies were found Edmund Hughes was undressed, while the other two had their clothing on. The supposition is that Edmund went in bathing, and getting beyond his depth took a cramp or met with some other accident, and his companions, dressed in this went to the rescue, noticing as they were, with the most melancholy result that all three were drowned. The sad occurrence has naturally cast a gloom over the whole neighborhood. Mr. Daly had been a school teacher for several years. His last engagement as a teacher was a position which he occupied for some years. After leaving Georgetown he went to study medicine at Dalhousie College, Halifax, and at the time of his death, had only one more term to put in to finish his course. He was about forty years of age, and married. He leaves a wife and six children. The Messrs. Hughes were unmarried, and were about 25 and 27 years of age respectively. The inquest was held, when a verdict of "accidental drowning" was returned. The occurrence is certainly one of the saddest that has happened in this Province for many a day, and the bereaved ones have our heartfelt sympathy.

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Men's heavy Flannel Shirts,	20c, worth 40c
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Ladies' Linters,	4c, worth 10c
Ladies' Hosiery,	4c, worth 10c
Children's do.,	4c, worth 10c
Gloves,	10c, worth 15c
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Roller Toweling,	3c, worth 5c
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THE GLORIOUS Fourth of July IS COMING,

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THE Parishioners of St. Margaret's intend holding a GRAND TEA near the Church, on Thursday, 4th July

In aid of the Church funds.

St. Margaret's is perhaps the finest place in P. E. Island for holding a Tea. The Tea grounds are beautifully situated, overlooking a charming sheet of the water of the Gulf, whose pure, cool and bracing zephyrs never fail to invigorate the weakly constitution, and animate the robust. In general character the rich, mellow and variegated scenery to be met with here is equalled but by few places on the Island, and excelled by none. Strenuous efforts are being put forth to make this the most pleasurable social event of the season.

All arrangements customary at such gatherings will be provided.

Spacious Dancing Booths will be erected where the devoted knights of Terpsichore may worship her to the enchanting strains of the violin, disconcerted by our country violinists. A Piper will also be there to overcloud sweet music to the sons of Scotia. Tables will be provided, laden with the most enticing edibles of nature's bounty, which will satiate the most fastidious epicure.

A good Saloon will be on the grounds well stocked with the best of temperance wine, and the most delicious of the Strawberry Stalls, Bazaar, Concessions, Revolving Swings, Wheel-of-Fortune, Phonograph and a great many other interesting and pleasing attractions.

Should the day prove unfavorable, the Tea will be continued on the next fine day.

Tickets for Tea 25 cents.

JOHN A. McLELLAN, Sec'y of Committee.

June 19, 1895.—21.

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For Men and Boys Suits—Coats separate.

Coats, Pants and Vests, Hats and Caps.

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Intending Exhibitors should apply as soon for Terms of Entry.

Applications or letters of inquiry should be addressed to—

CHAS. A. EVERETT,
Managing Director,
June 19th, 1895.—14

THIRD ANNUAL MEETING

THE THIRD ANNUAL MEETING of the Members of the Central Mutual Insurance Company of P. E. Island, will be held in the Rooms in the upper part of the Market House, Charlottetown, on Tuesday, the 2nd day of July next, at 11 o'clock a. m.

A cordial invitation is given to all farmers who wish to learn of our plan, which gives insurance at but a fraction of the cost of that of other companies.

D. MORRISON,
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June 19, 1895.—21

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