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THE WHEAT POLICY.

The Sun professed to be very joyful yesterday, says the Telegraph, and the cause of its joy is its pretended belief that the wheat policy of the provincial government is a failure and that the farmers of New Brunswick have lost money by it.

THE WAR OUTLAY.

Mr. C. De Thery, writing to the United States magazine, makes it appear that the United States has spent more money than Great Britain in war and charges. This writer computes the cost of the British army and navy in 1883 at about \$62,000,000.

NEXT WINTER'S SERVICE.

A seven-day service between Moville and Rimousin in summer and an eight-day service between Moville and Halifax in winter is the standard of speed set by the government for the Atlantic service during the next two years.

THE DREYFUS PUZZLE.

Three years ago the dramatic scene of the degradation of Captain Dreyfus was exhibited to the world, and then the chief figure was hurried away to his solitary island prison.

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