Local Legislature.

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"That this house, in view of the rapidly increasing debt and expenditure of the province concurs in the opinion expressed and the resolutions passed at the conference held in the city of Quebec in December last, that an increased amount should be granted to the province towards the maintenance of its government and legislature but that this house was not satisfied that by the proposed change of financial arrangement concurred in by said conference this province will receive an increase in the amount to be paid by the Dominion government commensurate with the increased amount to be paid to other provinces of the Dominion."

Mr. Fleming seconded the amendment.

Mr. Pugsley replied at some length, maintaining that it had been necessary to spend increased sums of money in public works. He had heard with astonishment the statement made by the leader of the opposition that the proposed readjustment was unfair to New Brunswick. Instead of that being the case the larger provinces had dealt most generously with this province. New Brunswick would receive under the new arrangement $1.33 per head of population, while Ontario and Quebec would receive less than $1. Surely in this case there has been no injustice to New Brunswick. With regard to the amount for the support of the government and legislatures, this province would receive $180,000 a year while Quebec and Ontario, with five and six times our population, would receive only $240,000 a year. Surely the principal contained in the resolutions that the provinces should receive 80 cents per head on their actual population in addition to this legislative subsidy was a most just one. As the population increases the demands upon the revenue increase and the burdens imposed on the government are greater. The original arrangement, which limited the subsidy of the larger provinces to the population of 1861, was not a just one. Neither was the arrangement which prevented the Maritime Provinces from receiving any further subsidy after they reached a population of 400,000. Some people thought it would be a long time before our population reached that figure, but he felt convinced that it would be reached and possed before very long. The province was prosperous and its young men were disposed to remain in it. He could confidently appeal to the house to support the resolution and vote down the amendment. The more the resolutions are studied the more satisfied they will become that the arrangement they embody is a just and equitable one and that in agreeing to it the people of Ontario and Quebec have shown a spirit of fairness which we ought most heartily to appreciate.

The debate was adjourned and made the order of the day for tomorrow.

The reports of the Auditor General and Public Works department were submitted.

The speaker announced that the committees to prepare a bill in reference to the secret ballot would be the Premier, the Attorney General, Hon. Mr. Hill and Messrs. Hazen, Loggie, Clark and Copp.

The bill to postpone the county valuation until 1908, and the bill to enable the council of the parish of St. David to sell an alms house and farm which was of no use, so that the money might be applied to the support of the poor, were agreed to.

Progress was reported on the bill for the incorporation of the Backus Electric Light Company.

Mr. Pugsley informed the house that there was every probability that the redistribution case will be argued during the present session of the supreme court.

Mr. Hazen gave notice of motion to suspend rule 84 in respect to the bill relating to the St Johns Horticultural Association; also notice of motion for a detailed statement in regard to the horse importation of last year. Mr. Glasier gave notice of inquiry in regard to the bridge at Waasis. Mr. Jones introduced a bill to amend the act incorporating Woodstock; Mr. Purdy a bill to incorporate the Maritime Christian Missionary Society.

Mr. Dunn presented the petition of W. E. Skinner and others, representing that the railway from Hampton to St. Martins had not been operated since December last, and asking that the company be called upon to operate.

Mr. Smith introduced a bill to authorize the municipality of Carleton to assess in aid of the Woodstock hospital.

Mr. Dunn, in reply to Mr. Hazen said steps were taken to locate a forest reservation and provincial park upon the upper waters of the Tobique, but owing to strong representations against this selection it was thought well to consider the suitability of other localities, and the government is procuring information.

Mr. Tweedie submitted the report of the commission on the revision and consolidation of the statutes.

Mr. Pugsley presented the petition of the Portland Rolling Mills Co. for a bill to enable them to construct a siding from their mills to the C. P. R.

Mr. Farris gave notice of motion in favor of the bill to incorporate the Macdonald Corner Public Hall Company; also presented the petition of Robert E. Gilchrist and others that the bill might pass.

Mr. McKeown was sworn in Solicitor General at the House of Assembly this afternoon by Lieut. Governor Snowball.

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"I have been asked why I recommended Paine's Celery Compound, and I desire to put on record frankly my reasons for this endorsement, hoping that my words may inspire those readers who need health and strength with faith to try Paine's Celery Compound and prove to themselves its worth.

"At the Fanny Allen Hospital, an institution in which I am deeply interested, Paine's Celery Compound has been used successfully. The Sisters of Mercy at Mount St. Mary's Academy on Mansfield Ave. rely upon Paine's Celery Compound as a tonic and strengthener. In my own household one of the comesties has taken Paine's Celery Compound for liver trouble of long standing, and says: It has done more good than any other medicine." Several priests have spoken to me in praise of this remedy, and I believe it has the confidence of my associates. Even did I not know from personal observation of the worth of Paine's Celery Compound I should feel like praising it for the simple reason that it is prepared by the Wells & Richardson Co., a firm whose members I have known for nearly a quarter of a century, and in whom I have perfect confidence."

RIFLE REPLACES SWORD.

Important Regulations Affecting Dress of Canadian Militia are Issued.

OTTAWA, April 4—Certain important regulations affecting the dress of the Canadian militia have been issued. These regulations provide the militia with a simple service working dress. For officers of regiments who desire to have a mess dress or a ceremonial dress a pattern of dress is approved which is far less costly than the present pattern, so that young officers joining the militia will be put to less expense, but all officers at present serving in the militia will be allowed to wear their present uniforms until worn out.

Cavalry and infantry officers are to carry a carbine or rifle, and bandolier, for active service, and they may do so for peace service if they wish, provided all officers in a regiment are similarly equipped.

This will have a very far-reaching effect in making officers take a greater interest in the shooting efficiency of their outfit, at the same time placing in their hands a much more serviceable fighting weapon than the now virtually obsolete one.

THE SUCCESS OF A CANADIAN FLOUR AT BERMUDA.

(Halifax Maritime Merchant.)

Canadian flour seems to be making a good name for itself in Bermuda. The writer was shown a letter recently written by Edward J. Thompson, the leading baker of that island, to an importer in Barbados. Mr. Thompson said:

"Daring the present season I have been using large quantities of Ogilvie's flour and must say that I prefer it to any flour milled on the American continent. I find that for quality and strength it is second to no flour milled in the United States, and my experience with United States flour is a long one."

Damask, forerunner of brocade, came from Damascus. Indeed, there is a flavor and fragrance of the east through all the beadroll of silken stuffs.

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While Dr. Chase's Ointment is best known on account of its wonderful cures over eczema, salt rheum and piles, it is found to be in almost daily demand in many homes as a cure for children's chafing, pimples, sunburns, burns, scalds and each and every form of itching, irritated or inflamed skin. It is invaluable in every home and as a soothing and healing application knows no equal.

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NEWFOUNDLAND.

Mr. Tobin, of St. John, on Annexation to Canada.

Newfoundland may not be within the Canadian Confederation but its inhabitants are reminded themselves as strangers when they visit the Dominion. It was as a man thoroughly at home that Mr. John J. Tobin, of St. John's, Newfoundland, spoke while in Toronto recently.

Mr. Tobin, however, can hardly be said to be sympathetic towards Newfoundland uniting with Canada. "The colony where my home is," he said, "is better standing alone. She has resources that will enable her to maintain herself without the aid of the Dominion, and I do not see what is to be gained by confederation.

"Are there not, though, many in Newfoundland who would like to join with Canada?"

"Four years ago," remarked Mr. Tobin, "the feeling was almost entirely in favor of such a move, but not now. Newfoundland then got a rebuff from Canada she will not soon forget, and her experience at that time has destroyed all wish for union. And would Canada," Mr. Tobin went on, "take us in, even though we wanted to join with her? We have a debt of 15 million dollars and Canada would not be willing to take that on her shoulders. Thirty years ago, if a Government had a deficit in its budget of $1,000, the colony would have forced it to resign, but of late years some politicians think that the debt is good for a country, and hence the extent of our liabilities."

"Would Newfoundland then prefer to unite with the States?" "No, not in the least. We are British and have little liking for the States. The States afford us a good market for our products, that is all, but we stand by the Empire."

Col. Sam Steele Is Angry.

Col. Sam Steele has written us a letter from South Africa. He is out there commanding B Division of the South African Constabulary. He was formerly the idol of the Northwest Mounted Police, and commanded the Strathcona Horse against the Boers. Col. Steele is the subject of many an anecdote. There is scarcely a man in Canada who has not heard little stories about him about him as a mounted policeman of few words and afraid of nothing, or as a colonel of the Strathconas, blunt, fearless, unconventional, a hero in the eyes of his men. Perhaps the real Col. Steele would not know the Col. Steele of song and story. Evidently he does not want to know him. Here is his letter.

Editor of The Star: I was very much surprised to see in your issue of the 10th ultimo such a tissue of ridiculous untruths about me and my doings in South Africa. I suppose those who relate such stories are of the type who consider it right to act like a cur or Westerh bravo of the time of Slade or Wild Bill in one's intercourse with officers and gentlemen like Sir Redvers Buller and Lord Milner is highly commendable.

I think differently, and beg to say for the benefit of my Canadian friends that any statement to the effect that I behaved I wage any of the officers of the army in a manner differing from that of O. C. in the army is false.

A Canadian O.C. or other officer, would be given 12 months by such conduct. We have as good a house out here as any I for could desire, and having been born and reared in a settled country, we are not likely to act in a way which would bring disredit on it.

I am, yours truly,
S. B. Steele, Colonel,
Late Commander Lord Strathcona's Corps.

Toronto Star.

Wonderful Animals.

Nothing [illegible] to go to waste from the horse to the long [illegible] if the tail fall is utilized. The hair is turned into cordel for upholsterers. The hoofs are ground into the best glue to be boil [illegible] and the residue is made into bone meal, a valuable fertilizer. Even the contents of the bladder is boiled to extract its salts, which are used for [illegible] and the residue is turned into fertilizer. [illegible] drying and turned into another kind of [illegible] fertilizer. The horns are sold, the finest grade of [illegible] is obtained from the pips. The skeins are separated to be used for glue stock, and the bladders are used for holding snuff, and the greater part of the intestines are used for sausage casing. The lining of the windpipe is also of particular value, being used for a fancy sausage casing, and also as lining for pipes through which beer is passed in breweries. A new use has recently been discovered for the contents of the paunch, which until lately had to be thrown away to the dogs. It has been discovered that a good quality of cardboard can be made of it, and it is now being saved for that purpose.

Men in Africa.

Summing up his observations in Africa Sir H. M. Stanley says the tall man can be found [illegible] high altitudes from [illegible] above sea level and upwards [illegible] feet, according the figures, from a level to 3,000 feet.

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At this season the three articles mentioned above are in demand and to meet that demand we have placed the prices of these to the very last notch.

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SHERIFF'S SALE

COUNTY OF NORTHUMBERLAND.

To be sold at public auction in front of the Court House, Newcastle, in the County of Northumberland, on Monday, the 8th day of June, A. D. 1903, at the hour of 2 o'clock in the afternoon: All the right, title, interest, property, claim and demand either at Law or in Equity, of James McKendrick of, in, to or out of the following land and premises situate, lying and being in the parish of Northesk, in the county of Northumberland and bounded and described as follows: [illegible]

The same having been seized and taken under and by virtue of an execution issued out of the Northumberland county court at the suit of John Ferguson against the said James McKendrick.

Dated at Newcastle, N. B. 23d, of March, A. D. 1903.

ROBERT R. CALL,
Sheriff, Northumberland County.

Tenders for Wood.

Tenders will be received by the undersigned up to Thursday, April 30th, for 100 cords of Merchantable hard wood to be delivered at School houses not later than 20th January next. 50 per cent of purchase money would be advanced if to parties Contracting.

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SIMON McLEOD
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Waggs—I'll bet he carried more than his weight in much.

MORTGAGE SALE.

To James Dunlap, of the Parish of Blissfield, in the County of Northumberland and Province of New Brunswick, Farmer, [illegible] Executors and Administrators and others whom it may concern.

[illegible] that under and by virtue of a power of sale contained in a certain Mortgage dated the [illegible] day of August A. D. 1896, made between the said parties of the first part [illegible] of the second part, [illegible] in the Northumberland County Records in Volume 74, page 128 and following, which said Indenture of Mortgage was duly assigned by the said Stephen H. Dunlap, by assignment bearing date the 20th day of December, 1898, and duly proved and recorded on the 20th day of July, 1899, in Volume 64 page 151 of the Northumberland county records.

[illegible] Wesley Vanwart, [illegible] the City of Fredericton, [illegible] by William Lindsay, [illegible] Wesley Vanwart, [illegible] Indenture [illegible] the thirteenth day of November A. D. 1899, there will be for the purpose of satisfying the moneys [illegible] Public Auction at the City of Fredericton, [illegible] York and Province of New Brunswick, on Saturday, the [illegible] day of June next, at the hour of twelve o'clock noon, the lands and premises [illegible] described in the said Indenture of Mortgage as follows:—

[illegible] Blissfield and being bounded [illegible] West [illegible] and on the East by lands [illegible] Donaldson, containing [illegible] acres more or less, with all the buildings and improvements thereon.

[illegible] February, [illegible]

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