This estimate shows that it is necessary probably more than make up the differthat there should be a difference of only ence. one-sixth of a pint of equally rich milk at each milking, in order to make difference of \$10 in the relative value of the two cows. I do not give these figure Even in different parts of New England. price of milk, varies a great deal. But the principles which I have tried to make clear through the use of these figures, is Each farmer can take the price of milk and the cost of keeping a cow, as they exist in his own locality, and figure out the problem for himself.

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WEST INDIAN ANNEXATION.

Indies to Canada has attracted much attention, but as yet scarcely a tithe of what its importance deserves. It may be that we look at the matter from local standpoint, but we confess that to which to view any measure of this kind. Our Provincial contemporaries are disposed to handle the matter rather gin gerly, as though it were not advisable to investigation will show that the whole of

West Indies, and overtures were made in fact what it is not now even in name- the Local Legislatures should be strictly may therefore repeat what we said when islands and countries according to the last census available (1861 and 1871):-

	Area.	Por
Honduras	13,500	25,63
British Guiana	76,000	193,49
Jamaica	6,400	441,25
Bahamas	3,021	39,16
Turk's Island	420	4,72
Virgin Island	57	6,05
St. Christopher	103	24,44
Nevis	50	9,82
Antigua	183	37,12
Montserrat		8,93
Dominica	291	28,51
St. Lucia	250	32,99
St. Vincent	131	35,68
Barbadoes	166	162,04
Grenada	133	37,79
Tobago	97	17,30
Trinidad	1,734	109,63

vast and constant improvement. The imports of the West Indies consist

ment which would be added to our popu- horses in every county in the province as lation is one which has proved, at times ever a hussar need wish to bestraddle. and in some places, difficult of control, Then give our boys and our horses a yet the impartial historian will be compel- chance. led to admit that while much of the dis-

The proposed annexation of the West this condition of affairs, and we believe truth; but it is the truth nevertheles

> Islands, we may one day have to defend borne. them. Perhaps so; but this is not an SIR FRANCIS HINCKS ON THE Anglo-Saxon argument against an extenn of territory. We do not prete

PIRACY AND THAT SORT OF

The other day the St. John Sun prin ed in parallel columns editorials from hem as original editorials. The Quebec

Chronicle has felt called upon to take the as a journalist it says is blasted. This Jamaica approach in value \$10,000,000, Telegraph of the late William Elder. If ject of its publication is to enlighten the newly enfranchised slaves, has retarded as any one can of literary piracy, whether into the error of copying instead of com-

and the postal and other returns show a work of two men to do, sometimes falls The one day with another, turn out as good Council Chamber, it is only right that the Council. A number of crooked charges are elements exist here for a large interchange journalistic work as Mr. McCready does, county should not be at the whole cost preferred against Ald. Wilson, chairman of of commodities, and the position of the criticism and indignation will come bet- of the Registrar's office and Sheriff's office. the finance committee, the City Treasurer, of commodities, and the position of the Criticism and indignation will come out of the registrar some and the City Solicitor and the Health Inspector.

The treasurer has resigned, the Health Inspector. would be the head quarters of it. There editor of the Chronicle is paying Mr. in the city as of those in the county that tor has been suspended and Ald. Wilson will would be the nead quarters of it. There would be a loss of revenue to the Dominion McCready back for his exposure of the important public records should be kept be asked to resign. An investigation is being

WE PROTEST.

It seems to us that the Maritime we protest against it being entirely ignor- above named. While we hold this opin and subsequently wanted to fight a duel with Provinces have more to expect from ed, except when the taxes are to be col- ion we nevertheless think it was right the conductor, but that official succeeded in anion with the West Indies than they lected, or some political mugwump wants for the city to accertain its liability in handcuffing him to his seat until the train are have from union with Ontario, Quebec to air his greatness before a new audiand the West. The latter has opened ence. Lately the British Government after be committed to expenditures in its recently previous pottent influence-Haliour markets to the manufacturers of the has made enquiries for boatmen to lead the making of which it has no voice. interior, and drawn our people away from an expedition up the Nile and for horses us by thousands. The former would open to remount the cavalry. The men for for us a field for enterprise in which we the Nile are to be got on the Ottawa or would have some exceptional advantages, around Quebec, and the horses are to be from a shingle." Better publish the instead of increasing the number of our delivered in Quebec. Now, we raise shingle itself; it will be a change for his rivals. What the Northwest will be to pretty good men and pretty good horses readers and not half as flat as his Ontario and Quebec, the West Indies will down east. We don't want to send any ordinally editorials. Capital joke. be to the Maritime Provinces, and lying of our men away to be food for powder, between Western and Southern Canada, but if the Nile expedition is only to be a our importance as an integral part of the mammoth picnic, some of our boys ought We will make a note of this. It will be That the proposed annexation, it effect- have men on the St. John and Miramichi ed, would add to the responsibilities of who can handle a canoe or ride a log Canada cannot be denied. The new ele- with the best of them. We have as good

There is a serious side to this business content of the negro population was due We do not suppose that the officials at to their own ignorance and unreasonable. Ottawa and elsewhere purposely ignore ess, much was also due to the stupidity the Province. They could have no possi of those in power and the unwill. ble object in doing that. They simply the working classes of Europe. At the equal rights to men who had been their Canada, New Brunswick never enters in. to support a government which made slaves. Time has done much to change to their thoughts. This is not a pleasant there is no good reason why the experi- and we are sorry for it. We do most ment of popular government if honestly earnestly protest that New Brunswick is a part of Canada, and should be treated It is also said that if we assume the re- as such as well when there are favors to the Miramichi Valley Railwey, and sponsibility of the government of these divide as when there are burdens to be charges that Mitchell and Sir John con- QUEEN STREET, OPPOSITE PEOPLE'S BANK

FUTURE OF CANADA. Sir Francis Hincks contributes to the said to do, this addition to the Dominion. phases of the same subject by other well-On commercial grounds such a policy is known writers. Sir Francis thinks that

He thinks Imperial Federation imprac diplomatic expenditure of the Empire.

He believes that this is the only change

THE EXPENDITURES ON THE

editor and editorial contributor of the to expect Fredericton to contribute to under control, and prevented its spreading Sun and the editor of the Chronicle can, wards the cost of fitting up the Municipal by the admission of West India sugar and by the Encyclopedia Britannica, of which would be a loss of revenue to the Dominion by the admission of West India sugar and rum free of duty, but the excise on the rum free of duty, but the excise on the colonial day express from St. John last Fringer India Sugar and the City Council, now that the law point has been decided in their favor, may well take into consideration the colonial day express from St. John last Fringer India Sugar and the City Council, now that the law point has been decided in their favor, may well take into consideration the colonial day express from St. John last Fringer India Sugar and the City Council, now that the law point has been decided in their favor, may well take into consideration the colonial day express from St. John last Fringer India Sugar and the City Council, now that the law point has been decided in their favor, may well take into consideration the colonial day express from St. John last Fringer India Sugar and the City Council, now that the law point has been decided in their favor, may well take into consideration the colonial day express from St. John last Fringer India Sugar and the City Council, now that the law point has been decided in their favor, and the City Council, now that the city Council, now that the law point has been decided in their favor, and provided in their favor.

The control of the Chronicle was the law point has been decided in their favor, and provided in

propriety of paying a proportionate share evening. A young lady was insulted and If New Brunswick is a part of Canada of the cost of the work on the two offices nearly assaulted by an ex-city school teacher,

> NOTES AND COMMENTS. The editor of the Capital proposes publish an illustration of the bridge " cut

By the way our contemporary insists on calling the Bridge "Mr. Blair's Bridge." time. And if the bridge is Mr. Blair's, in what relation does Mr. Wetmore stand

subsidies that are lying around loose." An honest confession is good for the soul. Our border contemporary is certainly out. Calcined Plaster. spoken. The other day it wanted to annex the United States, now it wants to be subsidized. What next?

The Capital in an alleged editorial says that cheapness of food is a boon to gness of former slave owners to accord never think of it. When they talk of same time it has supported and continues Shorts, Bran to the working classes of Canada.

A despatch to the Telegraph says:-The Free Press, this evening, contains a Mitchell's trickery dealings respecting templated one of the worst pieces of political jobbery ever perpetuated.

GLEANINGS.

A roller skating rink 174x89 feet is being erected at Moncton by the builders of the St.

Joseph Jeffrey, a fisherman of little Ance, near Arichat, Cape Breton, eloped a few days ago with his brother's wife-a bride of

extends the time for fishing for Bass with nets, from the 15th of September, instead of the 1st of October, as formerly,

N, B., was at the wheel of the schr. "James unk the United States steamer Tallapoosa.

The house of S. C. Charters of MemramSwine. For sale everywhere. A considerable portion of his personal effects and a number of valuables were lost.

Mr. George McLeod of St. John met with a painful accident in Chatham, last Tuesday. He was thrown out of a waggon, and struck

He was thrown out of a waggon, and struck upon his left knee inflicting a severe and painful sprain.

On last Wednesday night some person or persons attempted to steal the liquors seized by Mr. J. T. Fletcher the License Inspector for Carleton County. They did not succeed or Carleton County. They did not succeed

rooden boarding house and about 200,000 The first prisoner arrested in St. John under the Liquor License Act, was discharged by Judge Palmer on a writ of habeas corpus, n the ground of informality in the warrant

The steamer Colonsay which got ashore ar Yarmouth, while on a voyage from St. ohn for Penarth Roads, deal laden, and was afterwards taken to Halifax for temporary epairs, has been abandoned by both officers ortunately for them the escaping gas was

survey of the Quebec and of the Short Line the maximum grades by this route will not

ounty intend building a church at Riverside during the coming year and that some FOR 30 DAYS church costing about \$2,500 with free seats. byterian Church in the county .- Maple Leaf. The thunder and lightening storm of Friday the 22nd inst., was very severe at Chipman, Queens Co. The lightning struck a large barn belonging to Richard Kirkpatrick RICH ELECTRO PLATED and completely unroofed it. William Brigg's house, the Camp property and other houses

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4 Doz. Garden Spades; 50 Kegs Cut Nails;
1 Doz. Sets Measures; 1 Doz. Half Bushels;
2 Barrels Raw Linseed Oil;
4 Bbls. Pale Boiled Oil; 20 Rolls Roofing Felt;
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