

through the Province canvassing for their political favorite. He said the Scholarship for King's College had been given to a person who had previously attended Prince of Wales College, over the head of the son of a Conservative, in direct violation of the law of the land. The history of the annex to the asylum was then taken up and attention was called to the injustice practiced by the Government towards Mr. Lowe, in this matter was pointed out. He read considerable portions of the correspondence that passed between Mr. Lowe and the Government regarding this contract. Referring to the roads, he said it required considerable hardihood on the part of the Premier, to say they were in a good condition. The road machines he characterized as "boondoggling machines." Fully one half of the money in Queen's County, he considered, had been spent for corrupt purposes. Mr. Campbell next compared the expenditures under Conservative and Liberal rule in this Province, showing the great advantage in favor of the Conservatives. When the Conservatives came into power, the subsidy from Ottawa was \$187,000, when they went out of power that subsidy had increased by \$20,000 a year. When the present Government came they had this advantage. They got up a statement to the effect that there was a debt of \$171,000 and issued debentures for \$185,000 to do certain public works that they never performed, and now they are about issuing more debentures, again promising to do what they promised to do before. Was this not deceiving the people? The present Government had sent delegations to Ottawa; but the delegates now deny that they were in Ottawa on the business of the Province. It was not much wonder they made this denial, seeing that the empty pockets of the Province had been further emptied by the Government. Mr. Campbell moved the following amendment to the motion to go into committee of supply:

Whereas, the present Government obtained power by promising the electors of this Province that they would economize our resources in reducing the expenditures in the various departments of the public service and so efficiently conduct the business of the country that they would make revenue and expenditure meet.

And Whereas, the Government have completely failed to carry out their promise to the electors of this Province, but have greatly increased the expenditure and reduced our revenues by expending large sums of money on our roads, upon political favorites, and wasting the assets of the Province by giving large disbursements to the Land Office.

And Whereas, the Government for the last five years have not made any effort to place the finances of this Province in a proper condition, but have extravagantly spent our revenues on our ferry system and upon all the various branches of the public service thereby creating large deficits every year, thus rolling up a very large and burdensome debt, which has been largely increased this present session by the legislation already passed raising the debt to nearly \$1,000,000, which will require nearly all the taxes as present collected to meet the annual accruing interest.

Resolved, That in the opinion of this House a committee of seven members of this House should be appointed to examine into the financial standing of this Province with a view to ascertain what reductions can be made in the expenditures in the various branches of the public service, said committee to have power to send for papers, papers and records of all the several departments.

And further Resolved, That when said committee have made an investigation and ascertained what expenditures can be properly reduced without materially injuring the public service, that said committee also inquire into and suggest to this House the best means of supplementing our income so as to place the financial affairs of this Province on a fair and proper basis, and report to the House as speedily as possible.

The forenoon and afternoon sittings of the House on Thursday were devoted to routine questions, and the consideration of private bills. In the evening, the Attorney-General continued the budget debate. The proceedings on Friday forenoon were of a similar nature to that of the previous day. In the afternoon and evening the debate on the budget was continued. Speeches were made by Messrs. Shaw, Peters, A. J. McDonald and Campbell. Finally a motion was taken Friday night, on Mr. Campbell's amendment which was decided lost on the following division: Ayes—Gordon, Shaw, A. J. McDonald, J. A. Macdonald, Arsenault, McKinnon, DesRoches, Campbell, Birch, Kitchin, Wise—11. Nays—Farquharson, McDonald, McMillan, Melson, Richards, McLoughlin, McNutt, Rogers, Sinclair, Frowse, Forbes, A. Peters, Reid, McWilliams, D. A. McKinnon—15. The vote was a straight party one, with the exception of Mr. Wise, who showed his independence by voting with the opposition for what he believed to be best position for the Province. The motion to go into committee of supply was then put and carried, Mr. Reid taking the chair of the committee. The resolutions of supply were adopted and the House adjourned till Monday.

**ALMOST IN DESPAIR.**  
"My wife suffered with pain and distress from an affection of the throat caused by impure blood. She was almost in despair of ever obtaining a cure, but finally procured a bottle of Hood's Sarsaparilla and after taking six bottles of this medicine she was completely cured."—JOHN WICKHAM, Gait, Ont.

This distress after eating is prevented by one or two of Hood's Pills. They don't gripe.

**LOOK OUT FOR THE ENGINE.**  
We mean your heart. Keep it strong. Don't let it flatter and beat with a weak stroke. Scott's Emulsion feeds the blood. It makes the heart beat strong, and greatly improves the circulation.

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Because that Tired Feeling is not the result of exertion. It is due to the unhealthy condition of your blood. This vital fluid should give nourishment to every organ, nerve and muscle. But it cannot do this unless it is rich and pure. That is what you want to cure that Tired Feeling—pure, rich blood. Hood's Sarsaparilla will help you "get rested." It will give you pure, rich blood, give you vigor and vitality and brace you up so that you may feel well all through the coming summer. If you have ever tried Hood's Sarsaparilla do so now, and see how it energizes and vitalizes your whole system.

**SEVERE SALT RHEUM.**  
"Barlock Blood Bitters cured me of Salt Rheum three years ago, and I had no return of it since. I was so bad with it I could not sleep. I only took two bottles of B. B. to effect a cure."—Mrs. Welch, Greenbank, Ont.

**LIVER TROUBLES, biliousness, yellow complexion, yellow eyes, jaundice, etc., yield to the curative power of LAXA LIVER PILLS.** They are sure to cure.

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We are now burning and can supply any quantity of best Roach Lime for building and farming purposes.  
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May 10, 1899.

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**LOCAL AND OTHER ITEMS.**  
Work commenced on the new wing to St. Dunstan's College on Monday last.

The store, dwelling and household furniture of Mr. C. R. Dumas, of Muddy Creek, were destroyed by fire on Tuesday of last week. The loss is about \$4,000. No insurance.

The steamer Halifax, from Boston, arrived here yesterday forenoon with cargo and passengers. She left on return in the afternoon, taking a number of passengers, as well as freight.

In a great fire on the 11th, in the town of Gara, Hamora, province of Bukowine, Austria, 300 buildings including principal churches, town hall and other public offices and all school houses, were burned.

At Upper Woodstock, N. B. Russell, aged 8, son of Colby Henderson, while fishing at the mouth of Louis Creek fell off the bank into the water. His brother, Ray, aged 10, went to his rescue and both were drowned.

SENATOR BOUTIN of Manitoba, died at Russell, in that Province on Monday last, after eight days illness of congestion of the lungs. He was a native of Coburg Ont., was 68 years of age and was called to the Senate in 1889.

ADMIRAL DAWSON has obtained leave of absence from his command at Manila, and has left for a visit to the United States. He comes by way of the Suez Canal. No doubt he will be feted, on a large scale when he reaches home.

STAMBUK GAZIYA went ashore on Sunday on Lake St. Peter near Montreal. The steamer is resting easily on a mud bottom, the tugs and lighters which have been sent down to her are expected to get her off. She has a large number of passengers.

The Campana arrived in port yesterday morning at about 5 o'clock, with a full general cargo. She left for Soria and Pinar on noon and will return here today. From here she will sail for Sumatra, Africa and Montreal. There were no passengers either way.

The London Board of Trade enquiry into the cause of the loss of the Stella, wrecked on the Casquet Rocks, and the judgment that the ship was not kept to the course and was not navigated with seamanship care, going at an excessive rate of speed in fog.

The funeral of Mrs. Malcolm McLeod took place on Friday afternoon last, and was very largely attended. The interment was at Sherwood and the procession of carriages was one of the longest seen here for some time. Much sympathy is felt for Mr. McLeod in his bereavement.

As far as can be learned from Ottawa the Minister of Railways will not introduce this session, the measure authorizing or sanctioning the purchase of the Canadian Eastern Railway. Ontario Ministers are opposed to the scheme and Mr. Blair is not at present doing anything to change their view.

As a result of the rescue at sea of Captain William Gordon, of P. E. Island, master, his wife daughter and six members of the crew of the brigantine Caspian, it is said in yachting circles at Newport R. I. that Queen Victoria will confer a decoration upon John H. Hannah owner of the steam yacht Sagamore.

Last Friday night a collision of passenger trains occurred on the Philadelphia and Reading at Exeter Station, six miles below Reading. The express train from Philadelphia which was behind schedule time in leaving and stopped at Exeter for orders and the special train from Harrisburg bearing excursionists 15 minutes later than the express train, and at Exeter while proceeding at a rapid speed coasted into the express. Several cars of the express train were wrecked. The number of dead is fully 25, injured 50.

The will of the late Judge Alley was proved in the probate office a few days ago. His son, Gordon T. Alley, and Messrs. Henry Smith and John D. Bell are appointed executors. To the latter gentlemen \$500 each is given as compensation for their services. The will directs that \$16,000 shall be held in trust by the executors for the benefit of his father; on the death of his father \$10,000 are to be held in trust for the benefit of his sister Annie; \$2,500 are to be held in the same manner for his sister Sarah, and \$4,000 for his son George, the whole reverting to his son Gordon Thomas Alley. The remainder of the estate, real and personal, goes to Gordon T. Alley absolutely.

The May number of the Prince Edward Island Magazine has for a frontispiece, A. P. E. Island Songs. It contains twelve articles, two of which are new. Many of these contributions are of a high order of merit, and all are quite interesting. The illustrated article on "Port LaJoie," by Prof. Caven, is valuable, not only from a literary, but from a historical point of view. "Our Spring Flowers," by J. H. McSwain, evidences much knowledge of and a keen relish for the subject on which he writes. The other contributions are: "Are our City Councilors Hypnotized?" "Francis Bais (a Poem)," by J. S. Clarke; "The Preachers and Teachers of the Old Days," by Senator Ferguson; "The First Spring Flowers," by L. W. Watson; "When George IV. was King," by Rev. T. H. Hunt; "A Trip up Peace River," by F. De C. Davies; "The Colossal Lie's Story (from Forest and Stream);" When we begin to kick (Illustrated), by J. M. Sullivan; "A Canadian Song," by Fred. J. Nash; "West River One Hundred Years Ago (Illustrated)," by Capt. R. McMillan. Besides these are comments, Notes and Queries, Correspondence, etc.

**Good News For Fruit Growers.**  
A competent orchardist in Nova Scotia has been engaged by the Minister of Agriculture to come over here and do the work of a fruit grower's association, viz: grafting, pruning, spraying and giving all the necessary instructions for the packing and preservation of fruit. It is also pleasing to learn that the Provincial Government is granting a sum of money for this purpose. As the season is already advanced prospective patrons of the new superintendent will well to send their names at once to the nearest Director of the E. C. A. who has a list of their orders to headquarters. A nominal fee will be charged for those of which there is a good supply in cold storage here. The list of Directors is as follows: Prince County—Rev. A. B. Burke, P. E. Island—Robert Carruthers, Charlottetown, Lot 27; C. R. Dickie, Muddy Creek, Queen's County—John Johnston, Long River; Peter McCallum, Ottawa Royalty; J. H. Gill, Little York. King's County—Geo. E. Goff, Woodville; Let 54; H. J. Stewart, Atkins's Ferry; John Robertson, Inkerman, New Perth. PETER MCCOY, Sec'y

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Indicates that your liver is out of order. The best medicine to rouse the liver and cure all these ills, is found in Hood's Pills.  
25 cents. Sold by all medicine dealers.

**DIED.**  
At Marshfield, on April 11th, Donald Stewart, aged 83 years.  
At Greenvale, on May 1st, Mary McIsaac, beloved wife of Joseph McDonald, aged 62 years, leaving seven sons and three daughters to mourn the loss of a kind and affectionate mother R. I. P.  
At Newlands, Charlottetown, May 10th, 1899, Florence, wife of Malcolm McLeod, aged 42 years.  
In Charlottetown, May 11th, after a short illness, James Shepherd, in the 89th year of his age, leaving three sons and two daughters to mourn the loss of a kind father. May his soul rest in peace.  
At Charlottetown, May 12th, Mr. John McKinnon, for many years cricler of the court, aged 91 years.  
At Montague, on the 13th inst., Manohar Rowe, formerly a representative of the Murray Harbor district, and Collector of Customs at that port.  
At Georgetown, on May 12th, Henry Griffin, an upright and highly respected citizen, in the 87th year of his age. May he rest in peace.  
At Seal River, on the 13th April, after an illness of one week, aged 98 years, James Fraser. May his soul rest in peace.  
At Tracadie Cross, on May 1st, Mary Anne McDonald, beloved wife of Augustine D. McDonald, in the 62nd year of her age, leaving a sorrowing husband, five sons and one daughter to mourn their loss. May her soul rest in peace.  
At Grand Tracadie, on April 14th, after a brief illness of pneumonia, Agnes Campbell, widow of the late Peter Campbell, in the 54th year of her age. She died consoled by the last Sacraments and fortified by all the rites of holy Church. She leaves one daughter, one brother, and four sisters to mourn their loss. May her soul rest in peace.

**70,000 DEBENTURES**  
—FOR—  
Sewerage Works of the City of Charlottetown.  
TENDERS addressed to the undersigned and endorsed "Tenders for Sewerage Debentures," will be received at this office up to the night of Thursday, June 1st, 1899.  
For the purchase of Seventy Thousand Dollars (\$70,000) of the City of Charlottetown Debentures for Sewerage Works, in lots of \$1,000 or more as the Commissioners may decide. These debentures are of the denomination of \$500 each, are payable in forty years from date of issue, and bear interest at three and one half per cent. per annum, payable half yearly.  
Of the above amount \$20,000 will be issued on the 2nd day of July next, and the balance as the progress of the work demands.  
The commissioners do not bind themselves to accept the lowest or any tender.  
HENRY SMITH,  
Chairman.  
Office of Commissioners of Sewers and Water Supply, Charlottetown, P. E. I. May 17, 1899—31

**A BIG SECRET!**  
**How to Save Money.**  
If there is one store in Charlottetown where you can always depend on getting the very best value for your money, without doubt that store is

**WEEKS & CO.,**  
The Peoples' Store—Wholesale and Retail,  
Successors to W. A. Weeks & Co.  
Since buying out the business of the old firm of W. A. Week & Co., we have been ordering and receiving large quantities of

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New Spring Prints, Ladies' New Blouses, Table Napkins and Linens, Sheeting and Pillow Cottons, And other Staple Goods.  
One of our partners, Mr. Chas. Leigh, is now in the English markets making large spring purchases of

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And other Novelties which will show in the course of a few weeks. Remember we want all of the old firm's customers and many new ones. Buying large and paying cash will put us in a position to sell goods as cheap if not cheaper than our predecessors, who always were looked upon as the cheapest store in Charlottetown.

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At 25 to 35 per cent. less Than regular prices.

Our big purchase of Men's and Boys' Clothing at the Doull & Gibson's Sale has arrived, we can now supply you with Suits of Clothes and Separate Pants, Coats and Vests at less than the cost of manufacture. We bought the goods cheap, and we can sell cheap 1,000 pairs of Pants from 50 cents a pair up, lots at half the regular prices. If you want Clothing come our way. It will be dollars in your pocket.

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On your own judgment. That judgment will tell you something like this:

This fellow Ramsay makes a great noise for a young fellow. He blows a good deal about what he can do, and he says it with as much assurance as if he had been in the business fifty years. But this is one of the great faults of the young men of the day, thinking they KNOW IT ALL whether they do or not. But this fellow seems to have a ring of sincerity about him, and if he has the stock which he claims to have, he's got a nice stock, he's got the goods I want; he's got them at a smaller price than I have been paying for them. However, it don't cost anything to drop in and see his goods, and I am going to do it next time I go to Charlottetown. I'll just cut this advertisement out of this paper, put it in my pocket, take it with me, chuck it down at home, and then let him wriggle out of it if he can. He has then either to do as he says, produce the goods he says he has or eat his own words, and if he does that I guess he'll have indigestion so bad that he won't be long any more about his goods and values. Now that's logic. Honor bright. Ain't that the way you will reason it out? But will you take the trouble to test it? We will see.

**Cloth Department.**  
Charlottetown Tweeds, Canadian Tweeds, Tryon Tweeds, Moncton Tweeds, English and Scotch Tweeds.  
Tweeds 20c., 25c., 30c., 35c., 40c., 45c., 53c., 60c., 70c., 75c., 85c., \$2.10 per yard. Home made and imported Finelns.—RAMSAY & CO.

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Art Muslins  
Gents' Collars from 10c. up  
Gents' Ties from 10c. up  
Gents' White Shirts 49c. up  
Gents' Underwear 22c. up  
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