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MR. STOCKTON'S ADDRESS.

Having after much drifting and doubting and weighing of chances arrived at the conclusion that another kesion must be avoided, the provincial ministers might have made the announcement at once man fashion. They have however, withheld the formal announcement and gone on with their special preparations, and bargains, with the intention of salling on the election with the shortest possible notice. The announcement of the dissolution was made through the government organs on Monday, January 30. Nomination day will be February 11 and election day February 18. Thus ten clear working flavs only are allowed for the re-election of candidates and the canvass before nomination. This is a fine attempt to secure

Having discovered the shortest government managers complete their private deals so far as they can, and been bled to provide money for two

TWO TO FOUR PRICED BRIDGES READ THE EVIDENCE.

full and fair inquiry before the public accounts committee. The people are to the motives of the ministers in

as the one which is broken by the dis-

Since a legislative tribunal is denied the attention of a wider court is called to the facts presented in this paper The electors and taxpayers

buse and no empty charges. It is dence, and ought to interest every person in this province who is old

A legislative inquiry would have covered more ground. It would have dealt with many bridges that have been reported in the blue books. In regard to one at least of these, there is reason to fear that the scandal of respect to all of them we may at least accept Mr. Emmerson's statement that 6 1-2 cents per pound has been

ference to these bridges. Those concerning which the cost is known afford sufficient ground for judgment. The transactions discussed are suffi-Saturday, February 18th ciently numerous for a test, and there is no reason to suppose that they are

When it is considered that from \$250,000 to \$300,000 a year is expended through the department of public works, and that this is the chief spending department in the province the significance of these disclosures is manifest. The ministers are the trustees of the public nands. The amount at their disposal is not large, and the uses for it are many. If our trustees withdrawing public works from competition and by giving contracts favorites take from the people the related to these important services, the question of their policy or othe The first thing for the people to do is to get ric of the trustees. After that they can deal with questions of

TIME FOR A CHANGE.

It is time for a change. That is the feeling in the air. That is the verdict on the bridge scandal. That is the impression which the general conduct of the administration has borne in uron the people. The farmers who so. The municipalities which have rin agree that it is time for a change

THEY ALL WANT IT.

The office of judge of probate for Kings county is now an object of in-Tweedle, but neither, it is said, is regarded as likely to get it. Robert Morrison of Sussex is said to have the inside track, with Fred R. Faira very important one, and should be filled by a man of recognized legal attainments. This consideration is not ikely to weigh as strongly as some others with the local government in its present straits

should send a post card to Canadian number of that journal, which begin a new series, enlarged and improved contains articles from the best au-This is its 22nd year, and its circula



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The pay role at the Springhill Mines to be larger than for years

Ernest L. Crewdson, fermerly of Fredericton, is now manager of a dry goods house at Revelstoke, B. C.

of Parrabora shows an excess of \$3,924.50 of assets over the liabilities. The death took place at Bloomfield station on Friday of Captain Robert

The financial statement of the town

Baxter, a highly respected resident of Kings county, in his 73rd year. The Nappan, N. S., dairy station have more orders in for butter than they fill. Shipments the being made to Newfoundland and Bermuda

It is said Capt. Kenney, now in Edward, is to so to England to bring the new steamer, the Prince Arthur,

The local government have re-ap-pointed Mrs. R. C. Skinner and Judge Trueman members of the St. John whool board, the latter to be chairman once more.

the premier, Sir Wilfrid Laufler, has sold his business in Weymouth, and leaves for Montreal with his family in a few days.-Yarmouth Times.

Hay is cheap at Point de Bute, Westmorland Co. It is said that Hazen Goodwin has taken a contract to supply the Dominion Coal company with 500 tons at four collars per ton.

Victor W. Barnes, chief engin s.s. Ethelred, running from Philadelphia to the West Indies, has passed before W. L. Waring, examiner of engineers, and has been granted a the United Kingdom.

Large deposits of amber have been after it had been ground. Mr. Spicer

atekha, M. D., which will adorn that penderit Order of Foresters. The membership of the order on Dec. 1st was 142,000, and the surplus \$3,130,000.

witnesses at Hillsboro, Albert Co., on the 24th, regarding the claim of B. Milton and R. P. Milton to some logs elzed by the sheriff of Albert on a rit of raplevin, adjourned the case will hear argument of counsel

Wanted.—The address of J. Bishop atives, if alive, who were visited both St. John and Fredericton by Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Young of Glasgow, Scotland, during the American civil war. Reply to Fraser, Fraser & Co.,

place at Hopewell Hill, Albert Co., on Wednesday, Feb. 1st, of Harry B. Peck, railway mail clerk of St. John, and son of C, A. Peck, Q. C., of Hope-well Hill, and Mrs. Nettle Merrow of Ecston. The ceremony will take place at St. John's Church of England, Rev.

commenced proceedings against the crown to recover damages for injuries alleged to have been sustained on the I.C.R. at Rothesay station. Mr. Gorbell sets out that last March while he was stepping from a car the train sud-

etc., was sold for \$75. The cargo realized \$50.75. The hull and outfit was was insured by Vroom & Arnold and the cargo with Cowie & Edwards.

At the annual meeting of the Inter-national Steamship Co. at Portland, Me., the following officers were elected for the ensuing year: President, Intendent, J. F. Liscomb; treasurer and clerk, William E. Holder; directors, J. S. Winslow, C. F. Libby, William H. Hill, Calvin Austin, J. F. Liscomb

B. W. Sherwood of Washington, Miss Effic Cosman of Midland, Kings Co., and Miss Julia Sherwood of Hillstoro, have taken a very pleasant trip through Kings, Queens

counties. They spent several days vis lowing places: Downeyville, St. John, Holderville, Toolton, and Kingston. The pleasant weather added much to the enjoyment of the trip. The party arrived home on January 24th.

A cable to the bride's mother in Yarmouth has been received, an-Ayres of W. F. Campbell and Miss Mary Gray. Accompanied by her brother, J. Bond Gray, Miss Gray left for Buenos Ayres on the 14th of last month to meet her intended. Mr. Campbell is a son of Rev. J. Roy Campbell, rector at Dorchester, and of the "Cordoba y Nor Oeste" rail-way, one of the largest roads of the

NOVA SCOTIA NEWS

CORNWALLIS, N. S., Jan. 26.—It is reported that Mrs. Huff, nee Miles DeWitt, of New York, formerly of Peraux, is to have a mansion built in the spring in Cornwalls. Mrs. Huff is the lady who has made so many liberal donations toward the new Peraux Baptist church.

Frank Dickle lost a valuable mare last week. The animal broke a blood vessel in its head.

Samuel Chase formerly of Church since

on Tuesday by several rails failing upon them.

Briest Bishop of Canard was married to Mary DeWire, daughter of John DeWire of Hoston, on Saturday at Canning.

The oldest resident in Cornwalks passed away on Wednesday night, Jan. 25, at the age of ninety-one years. This was Levi Woodworth, deacon of the Baptist church, He had been ill with pneumonts for about a week. He was a large and influential farmer. He leaves five children, and a third wife, who survives him, is the mother of Attorney General Longley. His obsiders are Mrs. Tutts, wife of Prof. Tutts, of Acadia University; Mrs. Wood of Halifax, Mis Lizzle Andrews of Welfville, Miss Annie Woodworth, and Spiez Woodworth, who resides on the old homestead at Canning.

WOLFVILLE, Jan. 25.—The annual meeting of the Acadia Bairy Cotook place on Tuesday at Wolfville.

took place on Tuesday at Wolfville. Scotia, this is at present the most trosperous. During the year over 700 tons of milk were converted into butter and cheese, which netted \$14,821, or large increase over former years. The directors for the year are:

C. R. Starr, Oscar Chase, J. R. Starr, J. L. Simson, F. B. Wescett, F. F. Mithell, S. A. Bouser, Edward Gould and George E. Cox. The Wolfville board of trade, at its

ing officers: W. H. Chase, president; B. O. Davison, vice-president; A. V. Pineo, sec.-treas. The members of the council are: E. S. Crawley, J. D. bin, R. E. Harris, C. W. Patriquin, F. J. Porter and George Stairs. HALIFAX, Jan. 29.—There were

five deaths in this city today. The news of the death of Victor Liddell, regret in this city, where he had many warm friends. Two years ago he went from Hallfax county acad-The death comment at the deathful sport. wakened and complained of a head-

achiel Doctors were sent for, but in half an hour he was dead. Apoplexy was the cause. Woodwarth has been running the Tribume cince 1889. He leaves a vidow and three children. This fuperal will take place from Grand Pre on Tuesday.

AMTHERST, Jan. 29.—An extremely sad event here was the death at about, eleven o'clock last night of Victor S. Liddell of the Bank of Montreal staff and son of the late A. M. Liddell of Halifax. On Tuesday right last the deceased complained of cramps in the stomach and took of cramps in the stomach and took to his hed. He was unlable to take to his bed. He was unable to take any nouriestment whatever, and yesterday morning very serious symptoms began to set in Further medical attendance was salled in, and it was decided to perform an operation. Just as the operation was about to be commenced the deceased passed away. He was eighteen years of age, and was rapidly rising in his profession, having just, been promotes. fession, having just been promoted to the position of ledger keeper, and was held in the highest esteem. Last summer he very prominently figure in bloycle races and this winter as one here against the Neptunes on the hockey chaser that ever visited St John. His mother is also seriously ill. Two of his brothers are in Scotland

ELDERKIN—Jan. 80th, Jennie, youngest delid of Lizzie and C. J. Elderkin, aged 2 years and 16 months.

RAIR—Suddenly, at Fairville, Jan. 28th, Rebecca, wife of Robert Fair, Req., aged 68, leaving a husband, six sons and three daughters to mourn the lost of a loving wife and mother.

FLAGLOR—In this city, on Jan. 29th, James Douglas, (twio) son of Ella E. and James S. Fleglor, aged 9 months.

HAWKS—At Hibernia, Queens Co., on Jan. 28th, Bertress Hawks, aged 3 years, second am of Beffort and Phoche Hawks of Sizalt shore, Portland, N. B.

KEB—In this city, on the morning of Jan. 28th, William Kee, aged 78 years, a lifelong resident of St. John, leaving a wife, three sons and a daughter to mourn their loss.

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DEATH OF MRS. MCPHELIM.

The death occurred on Monday at Morrisville, Lancaster parish, St. John Co., of Mrs. Rosanna McPhellm, elict of the late Hon. Francis Mc-Phelim, M. P. P. for Kent Co., at the time postmaster general of New Brunswick and a prominent figure in the legislature prior to confederation. The deceased, who was 64 years of age, was a daughter of the late Hugh McGuirk, a well known contractor of his day, who for some years before the fire, resided on Duke street, just

around the corner from the old Vic-Guirk of Chathan and Mrs. Hugh Morris of Morrisville. A nephew at

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OTTAWA, Jan West Huron will Nomination, Fel February 18th. reedom with w being issued in To what extent has been granti not known, but that no liquor pe from Ottawa. Victoria and ot cities say permi the system almo

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