

POWER BILLS DISCUSSED IN LOCAL LEGISLATURE

Fredericton, N. B., April 5.—The house met at 8 o'clock.

Mr. Currie introduced a bill relating to town of Campbellton.

Mr. Dickson introduced a bill to amend the act respecting sewers and marsh lands.

Hon. Mr. Grimmer introduced a bill to amend the act respecting the incorporation of towns.

Hon. Mr. Fleming introduced a bill to incorporate the New Brunswick Shales, Limited.

The house went into committee, with Mr. Burdick in the chair and resumed consideration of the bill respecting the New Brunswick Hydro-Electric Company.

Mr. Hatheway said the bill did not properly protect the public and, particularly the people of the city of St. John.

Mr. Currie moved that the rates for electric light and power in York, Queens, St. John and Charlotte counties should not exceed the rates charged in St. John city.

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Dalhousie, April 2.—The Restigouche circuit court opened here this morning. Judge McKewen presiding. The members of the bar present were: A. W. Bray, clerk of the court; M. B. Dixon, C. L. Hanington and Jas. C. Sherrin.

Not Guilty of Murder. Dalhousie, April 3.—Dr. W. Doherty, of Campbellton, indicted for the murder of D. J. Bruce of the same town on Sept. 21 last, was acquitted by a jury today.

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EARLY DEVELOPMENT

Hon. Dr. Pugsley's success in Courtenay Undertaken and Was Not Disputed. His Opponent Idea Which Made City on Its Splendour.

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Notice. The following notice was published in the St. John Telegraph on Saturday, April 6, 1912. It was paid up and received in full.