

Peddlers' Licenses.....	850
Vendors' Licenses.....	300
Hospital for the Insane.....	700
Prince of Wales College Fees	1,500
Fines and Penalties.....	200
Casual Revenue.....	300
Private Bills.....	100
Succession Duties.....	2,000
Land Tax.....	32,000
Income Tax.....	6,000

\$72,476

He denied the statements which have been made that accounts due last year had been carried over into this year, and claimed that the expenditure up to the present time this year was less than it was up to the same time last year. The total estimates of expenditure this year he pointed out were \$306,000; and if \$25,000 of the amount will be reduced to about \$281,000. He said there would be no increase in the fees paid by the students in Prince of Wales College until the new building is finished, which he hoped would be by the beginning of next summer session. He explained some other items, and pointed out that a saving had been effected in the Land Office by transferring Mr. Richard Smith from that office to the Public Works Department in the place of the late Mr. J. W. Morrison. The Registry Office was also pointed out, as it was under the late Government, and besides there is an extra office to look after the fees, and explained how they were to be managed this year.

After routine on Thursday, Hon. Mr. Gordon resumed the debate on the motion to go into committee of supply. He expressed his pleasure at the tribute that had been paid to the memory of the late Mr. Alex. Laird by the Leader of the Government. The late Mr. Laird well deserved all that had been said regarding him, and all regretted when his health failed. He (Mr. Gordon) thought, however, the province was in a measure responsible for his failing health. After speaking of Mr. Laird's demise the Premier referred to the election in Nova Scotia, which after all was anticipated by every one, at least by every thinking man. But there are victories and victories. As Shakespeare says—

"They are as sick that surfeit with too much."

As they that starve with nothing." This is the case in Nova Scotia, and struggling with themselves will surely follow. Aside from these remarks the speech of the premier was merely a defense of the action of the Government. It was not a brilliant or brilliant. It was not to be wondered at when this disapproval prevails throughout the province. The Leader boasts of decreasing the expenditures, still the debt increases by leaps and bounds. All the people cannot understand this. All the white taxes are levied on almost every conceivable thing, and there is no increase in the expenditure except in education, which is uncontrollable. Where does all the money go? The debt is believed to be about half a million, and the people should know

where the money had gone. There should have been a greater saving on the part of the Government. The Commissioner of Public Works that the boats needed no further repairs. The Leader has made reference to our assets at Ottawa; but these assets should not be taken into account. Our capital at Ottawa should not be meddled with. The Government should press our claims at Ottawa. Yet there is no indication that anything has been done along this line. The condition of the province, he proceeded to point out, is truly alarming. Port is unsalable and oats is not much better. The wheat crop barely saved our farmers, who are hard pressed to make ends meet. In regard to wharves, perhaps they cost less for repairs, but it may be pointed out that they are not so much used as they were formerly. The bridges also cost less. If they are in good repair it is well, but our road money he contended, was misapplied. The road machine, he asserted, were monopolized by a few individuals and no one else sees a dollar of the money expended in the road service. The people complain loudly of this. In his last year's lecture, Mr. Gordon said that the roads are almost impassable. That is one reason he was opposed to the road machine. Another is, that these machines take work from men who need it and do not repair the roads when repairs are most necessary. In regard to the Premier's boast respecting the abolition of the Legislative Council, he said the late Government tried to abolish it, but failed to do so because the members of that body who were opponents of the party in power opposed it. Indirectly, then, the Premier is taking into consideration the matter of printing; but when the salaries of scribes and typewriters are taken into consideration, the saving could not be shown in that regard. In the matter of education he thought something might be done by the proper grading of teachers, but he would not counsel meddling with education. Still, he would be pleased to see a steamer sail here if good storage were established. In regard to taxation, he contended, the Leader had gone back on his record. In 1893 the Premier said he would not put taxes until the people were consulted at election. He read these words in the Liberator, papers. Taxation now appears to be looming up in a new form. The people are willing to pay reasonable taxes, but they want to know where the money goes to. A new tax is before the House which will increase the taxes on villages and business institutions. It will not affect the farmer so much, but those holding large tracts of land will suffer. He thought that the estimated revenue from taxes would be less than he expected. The Premier, he pointed out, covered much ground in his speech. But it was nothing more than an apology for the acts of

the Government, and nearly every one of these acts was opposite to what the people were led to believe they would be. In every district dissatisfaction prevails. What becomes of the large revenue received from the farmers? There is nothing but deficits connected with that service. And that is only one item. The people think that the money is squandered, but they know not in what way. The people must wake up and send men to parliament who will guard our finances more carefully than they have been guarded in the last few years. Unless this were done this province would eventually be joined to Nova Scotia. He believed before the debate was over that a thorough exposure of the affairs of the province would be made.

LOCAL AND OTHER ITEMS.

Advice from the election in West Prince yesterday indicates that Mr. Perry has been elected by a small majority.

His Honor, the Lieutenant Governor and Mrs. Howan, entertained a number of members of the Legislature and others to dinner at Government House last evening.

A TERRIBLE explosion occurred in the underground railway, London, on Monday last. As a train filled with men was making a stop at Abchurch Lane, the first class coach was wrecked and its occupants were found lying around bleeding. It is believed the explosion was caused by a bomb.

On the suggestion of the Press and the request of several friends, who did not have the privilege of hearing the "Tensent League" lecture, Mr. Ross has consented to repeat it on Tuesday evening next, the 4th of May, at 8 o'clock, in the Market Hall. Admission 10 cents.

We desire to direct the attention of our readers to the advertisement of the drama entitled "College Boys," which will be found in this issue. This drama is to be enacted by the St. Dunstan's College Dramatic Club in the Opera House on Monday evening next, May 3rd, at 8 o'clock. The evening is promised to all who attend and we trust the house will be crowded.

This war between the Turks and Greeks has proved disastrous to the latter. Laga, a Greek stronghold, was captured by the Turks on Sunday last. The Turkish forces entered in triumph with bands playing and banners waving, and the Greek troops fled in a panic. The Greeks have suffered all along the line, and are now pretty well demoralized. The other powers quickly looking on and doing they are interested spectators; but yet have done nothing.

The Stanley came into this port on Thursday last, and since then has been lying between here and Pictou. For the last few days there has been much heavy ice in and about this harbor. The Prince made several attempts to reach Pictou, but was in each instance obliged to return after getting a short distance beyond the harbor's mouth. On Monday the Stanley had all she could do to make her way through the ice from here to Pictou. She returned to-day.

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That mighty steam craft, that lasting monument to the genius and statesmanship of Mr. L. H. Davies, the Petrel, has met with an accident that has incapacitated her for service. How unfortunate, after being stuck in the ice all winter! No doubt the real test of her management is commensurate with their prudence and thus we are deprived for an indefinite period of her valuable services. It appears that on Saturday last she started from Cape Tormentine for Summerside, having on board her Majesty's mails. When off Sea Cow Head she ran into some cakes of ice and broke one of her propeller shafts, thus crippling her for the season. Possibly the Petrel has rendered the service the Minister of Marine intended. She has been the means of affording a soft job to a certain number of Grit hangers on. As for rendering any service in the winter navigation of the Strait, no man having any knowledge of the facts in connection with the Cape service ever imagined she would be of any use. Thus is the people's money squandered!

On Sunday last, Rev. D. F. Morrison, D. D., recently returned from Quebec, preached in St. Dunstan's Cathedral. His theme was the divinity of Christ, as exemplified in the Gospel of the Sunday. "Peace be to you." As the Father had sent me, I also send you; and he that receives me, receives the Father who sent me. The Rev. preacher, in elegant terms and choice language showed how the divinity of Christ was proven, not only from the words of the Gospel but referred to, but by every step in his public career. In order to satisfy for our rebellions and transgressions, and to redeem us from the slavery of Satan, our dear Lord had assumed our poor human nature; but this was not sufficient to conceal His Divinity or prevent it from manifesting itself whenever occasion required. When the dreadful tragedy of Golgotha was consummated, our dying Savior's divinity, after His resurrection, our Lord manifested in innumerable ways the divinity he had previously endeavored to conceal. The facts recorded in the Gospel of the day were a signal proof of His Divinity. The disciples were gathered together in an upper chamber at Jerusalem, the door being closed; but our Lord appeared in the midst of them and addressed to them the words above quoted. From these and numerous other facts in connection with the life of our dear Lord, the Rev. preacher pointed out how the divine Character of our Savior manifested itself in a matter and manner the sermon was of a very high order of merit and was as cannot be too highly commended. The Rev. preacher in the front rank of pulpits orators.

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In this city, on the 24th inst., of paralysis, Mrs. Grace, widow of the late Thomas Seelgrove, in the 74th year of her age. (California papers please copy.)

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