THE STANDARD, ST. JOHN, N. B., THURSDAY, DECEMBER 28, 1916.

The price at which Steel Corpor kin will offer stock to employes

EXPOSURE NEAR

Newcastle, Dec. 27-The body of

was found by the roadside near Derby

Junction station by Edward Creamer,

of Bridgetown, on Saturday forenoo

Miss Le Breton, who was about forty

years of age, lived with Mr. and Mrs.

ephine Le Breton of Derby

Miss Jos

tes St. Paul has embargoed a shipments. Other western lin spected to take similar action



ALFRED E. MCGINLEY,

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ST. JOHN, N. B., THURS DAY, DECEMBER 28, 1916.

"We are fighting for a worthy purpose, and we shall not lay down our arms until that purpose has been fully achieved." --- H. M. The King. TO THE PEOPLE OF THE EMPIRE-Every fighting unit we can send to the front means one step nearer peace.

A SPLENDID FINANCIAL SHOWING highways. This will be continued and Hon. Mr. Smith has every reason to

The annual statement of the reexpect most satisfactory ceipts and expenditures of the prov Classification of crown lands accountince, as presented by the Auditored for an expenditure of almost \$14,-General of New Brunswick and pub- 000 and none will say that this is uncurrent issue of the necessary,

Roval Gazette, is reprinted in The The great progress being made in Standard this morning. It is pleasant the Department of Agriculture, easily reading inasmuch as it shows that the province, despite smaller revenues, prehensive services performed by any not unexpected in the general condi-

tion of all lines of business, closes the year with a surplus of ordinary rev- cludes the grant from the Dominion enue over ordinary expenditure and a very substantial cash balance in the done in this regard it is only neces-The ordinary receipts for sary to say that in 1907 the old govtreasury. the year closing October 31st last ernment's total expenditure for agri- from him. were \$1,580,531.36, and ordinary ex- cultural service was \$36,534.84. ditures \$1,568,454.07, leaving, as penditures \$1.568.454.07. leaving, as shown, an ordinary surplus of \$12.-whole statement is that which shows 077.29. This is most gratifying as it that the province closes the year with illustrates the care and ability with a balance in the treasury of \$520,-

shown, an ordinary surplus of \$12, while statement is that which show are managed.
Analysing the statement of receipts it is noted that there is a decrease in revenues compared with 1915, which is increased and and this represents hand this represents hand that there is a decrease in the is inpersite at this time that there is a decrease in the Government the thanks of the people of New Brunswick are due, which earned a failing off of \$1,151.06 & as compared with 1915, which is intersent at the temple of the Government in the tangible and grant. Although she carding and the security of the statement of the Auditor-Gause and here y cent of revenue. Is the should be reasonable economy in public expenditures and an honest college in the the should be reparation. A splondid programme was as follows: Needs that decreased for the statement of the Auditor-Gause and there is the indirent of \$1, Lakef's chartch and Sim.
Succession duites also provided an infiniting of of \$12, 32, 38, 41, 700 m (10, 7

addrogram authorizing railway taxes, a new source of revenue. From this the province has \$53,690. Receipts from motor vebicles show a gain of \$15,366 bord is a larger number bord is a larger bord is a larger number bord is a larger bord

over last year, due to a larger number Borden. The Canadian premier will of motors in use as well as to better receive added endorsement for his fi attention given this matter by the plain honesty on this point. Sir Rob-Public Works Department. That other ert is determined that Canada shall items of revenue are largely the same do her full duty in the present crisis, as last year will be seen by perusal and to this end will spare no effort. of the statement published in another National service, by which it is column. The actual receipts were in hoped to get an estimate of Canadian axcess of estimated figures by \$32,- man-power is designed to prevent 431, a fact which shows that the gen- conscription, and it will do so if the tlemen in control of provincial affairs, people show a proper appreciation of exercised full and ample care in ap- their duty. The Government has pro-

exercised full and ample care in ap-their duty. The Government has pro-has received a letter from his son, despesal of the province. Turning from receipts to expendi-tures we again find evidence of ad-is quite evident that if the people fail

Turning from receipts to expendi-tures we again find evidence of ad-is quite evident that if the people fail after all the storm of battle we have and if appeals to manhood and patrio-tism do not produce the required re-present it is natural to expect that soing a step further. Such a step, charge for interest. The sum on that nowever, is a very grave one, and compared of \$251,004,90 is a large one will not be taken until every other.

VALUABLE POMERANAN KILLED BY AUTOMOBILE J. Donald McRenzie, Chauf-

feur for Dr. W. W. White, Loses Pet.

J. Donaid Mackenzie, chauffeur for Dr. W. W. White, was not very cheer-ful yesterday and the reason given is that a valuable toy Pomeranian dog owned by him was run over by Dr. Logsie's automobile and killed on the opmer of King and Charlotte streets yesterday morning. The dog was not only valuable for its breed and it being the only one in Eastern Canada, but from the experi-ence that it has had during the pres-ent war.

ence that it has the unit of the second seco Lieut, Lawson, before going into the

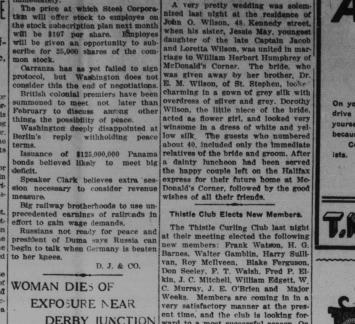
the bepartment of Agriculture, easily one of the most up to date and com-prehensive services performed by an Canadian province, is indicated by an canadian province, is indicated by an canadian province, is indicated by an

expenditure of \$88,693.77. This in- present, It was a very pretty and lively little cludes the grant from the bonning subsidy. To illustrate what is being done in this regard it is only neces-amounts for it, but he prized the pe so much that money could not get

One comp afternoon at 2.30; two shows at night. 7 and 8.50. Usual popular prices.

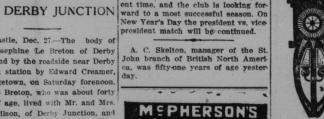
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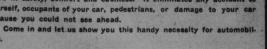
MARRIAGES

A very pretty wedding was solem-nized last night at the residence of John O. Wilson, 48. Kennedy street, when his sister, Jessie May, youngest daughter of the late Captain Jacob and Loretta Wilson, was united in mar-riage to William Herbert Humphrey of McDonald's Corner. The bride who





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have no more of them.

As an illustration, ordinary public forks cost \$59,154 less this year that hat and yet there was no falling or in good condition and what is true or highways can also be said of the bridge work. During the year a num tridge work. During the year and the year a num tridge work. During the year a