NATERS St RIVER STOPPED

he was the medium through the Lieut. Governor of New swick was recommended to have nunications sent to the British ssador in the hope of inducing United States government to prethe diversion of the waters of Allegash.

PROTEST FORWARDED

protest was forwarded through erchannels, but unfortunately so it has not resulted in grievance beemedied. One difficulty which the e of New Brunswick had suffered was that they could have no rein the courts. If they proceeded courts of the state of Maine would at present be confronted statute passed in that state aung a company to divert waters manner complained of. The only refore was through diplo orrespondence in the g the government of the United such action as would interference with navigation St. John River. He was glad to believed that as a result of the to which expression had been by the government of the Unitites in agreeing to international and also in agreeing rways treaty commission to consider matters ng St. John River there was apa desire to have these difficulovercome. It was an important that in the waterways treaty beparliament it was expressly prothat there was reserved to each try 'he right to insist upon navibeing preserved and that er country should have the right vert the waters of any boundary or any waters flowing into a lary river which would in any rial way alter or interfere with If that treaty became law would have direct recognition, he thought was of greatest posimportance to people of Canada, having recognition of that prinand right then he thought that gical consequence would follow that the United States governwould take steps through the ssion already provided for or in other way to do away with diverof the waters flowing into the St. River. Mr. Pugsley promised the papers would be brought down

Kind You Have Always Bourd

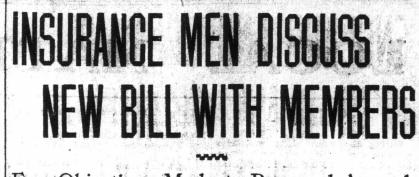


Prices Were High and Crops Large — Annual Report Contains Much Useful Information and Many Valuable Suggestions.



It was impossible to secure accur ate figures regarding hay.

THIRTY-FOUR DAYS The illustration orchards in various parts of the province are doing well, but no new ones were planted last ON THREE-DAY TRIF year. The report says' "Of the varieties which have been the average for the last ten years. The tested the following, so far, have



Few Objections Made to Proposed Amendments to Insurance Bill-Large Gold Nugget Comes Into the Possession of the Geological Survey Museum in 'a Romantic Way

OTTAWA, Mar. 23 .- A gold nugget veighing three pounds troy and valued and the views of several life insurance at about eight hundred dollars, has to the original bill of last session were come into the possession of the geolo- presented. J. K. MacDonald, president gical survey museum in a most romantic manner. Last year two prospectors scirbed the bill as a decided improvewho were looking for an abandoned ment upon last year's bill, but there claim on the Peace River in northern British Columbia, took possession of ures. He objected to the clause relatan old unoccupied shack. One day this ing to joint interests of shareho hack was burned down and in poking about among the embers, the prospec tors raked up a tin box containing a number of large sized gold nuggets. In he box was also a notebook, showing that Amelius Jarvis of Toronto was an interested party in the expedition which had discovered the nuggets and consequently they were turned over to him. Upon receiving them Mr. Jarvis sent them to the Royal Mint here to sent them to the Royal Mint here to tested on behalf of his company have them melted and valued. Dr. against the definition of "lcadings," James Bonar, master of the mint, noticing the remarkable size of one of the nuggets, submitted to geological

(Special to The Sun.)

The insurance bill was taken up by the banking and commerce committee. managers as to the amendments made of the Life Officers' Association, de were still some "revolutionary" featand policy holders as too much in favor of the latter. He urged that instead of quanterly returns giving details of the company investments they should be made semi-annually. The expenses allowed in certain investments were entirely inadequate, and he asked that the clauses be amended to extend the allowances for such ex-T. B. MacAulay of the Sun Life pro-

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especially as it affected tropical business. Last year his company wrote 4 per cent. of its total business in tropics. survey, with the result that it was I: now had \$22,000,000 in tropical polipurchased from Mr. Jarvis and now cies, and unless revision were made for orms one of the most interesting ex- extra loading for that business the hibits in the museum of the survey. A Canadian companies would have to nodel of this 36 ounce nugget will form close up business in the south. The bill part of Canada's exhibit at the Seattle will be again considered at the next meeting of the committee.



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quality of the tubers was exceptionally proved the hardiest, in the nanding the highest prices etic Association is taking preliminamed: Duchess, Wealthy, Milwau-British Bark Has a In the report of the Department of grown and an excellent crop was gathin markets where they were shipped. kes, Dudley Winter, Wolfe River, steps towards the erection of a Agriculture of New Brunwick Hon. D. ered. "Out side markets have mainly been Alexander, Fameuse, McIntosh Red for winter sports. Several desir-It is pointed out that better results V. Landry the chief commissioner, Montreal, Toronto and the West India Lively Time sites are under consideration of a Canada Baldwin, could be secured by the exercise of mittee and will be discussed at a Islands states that although last year's degreater care in the selection of seed. "In the northern part of the pro-"Turnips. The acreage devoted to the ting to be held Friday evening. pression caused worry in financial cir- There is a noticeable movement in this vince, we would think it advisable to growing of turnips is increasing each organization will be ten years old cles, the farmers had no cause to wor- direction as is shown by the increased drop Milwaukee, Fameuse and McIn-August and hopes to celebrate its year and at the same time average ry as prices for farm produce have demand for good seed, which has made FROM ST. JOHN tosh Red.' versary in its own rink. It has a production per acre is improving. it difficult to supply the demand. Touching on agricultural education Mangels. Except in a few sections of \$1500 on hand, raised by excurnever been better. With regard to the competitions in mangels are not largely grown. We the report says: and entertainments, and pro-Early sown grain suffered from the standing fields of grain inaugurated by "During the year thirty scholars would like to see their cultivation more She Left Here in December s turning that fund over to a drought in June and July but the grain the Dominion government assisted by took advantage of the arrangements general, especially in the dairy secstock company, in which its was well filled although the straw was the provincial departments the object made to assist scholars from the protions. bers will also be individual stock With 2,000,000 Laths of which is both educational and for vince attending Agricultural Colleges, "Few dairymen, in this enlightened rs to the extent of their ability. The beautiful weather of autumn increasing the supply of best quality of age, attempt to winter their stock viz., twenty-two attended the college splendid organization and is acfor New York made the late grain a much heavier seeds, the report says: without mangels. Roots of some kind at Truro, N. S., five at St. Anne de ishing much good among the crop contrary to the usual order. A "The field competitions in seed grain for winter feeding are esential if one Bellevue, Quebec, and three at Guelph, men of the community. It has good crop of hay was harvested in have been onganized on a basis which would maintain his stock in the most Ont. PORTSMOUTH N.H., Mar. 22-Thirof accomplishing what it sets At Truro and St. Anne de Bellevue splendid condition. Its value would be is thought to accomplish the latter obhealthful condition. Turnips answer ty-four days from St. John, N. B., to do and it would not be surprisvery well for feeding beefing cattle, or the tuition is free, at Guelph a small about \$3,000,000 on the farm. ject, and also to provide a satisfact-New York, over a route recently cov if the proposed rink became an "BILLY" WHITLA, THE KIDNAPPED BOY. The dry spell caused a shortage of ory means to a more equitable and efyoung stuff. For dairy cattle, however, charge is made. ered by another sailing vessel in fiftymplished fact. pasture materially effecting the dairy fective distribution of funds used for This department pays the transporturnins are unsuitable, as there is alfour hours is the record of the little mors are prevalent of the erecindustry and causing a calling off in prizes by agricultural societies. The ways danger of tainting the milk, tation charges to and from (once each British bark, W.W. McLauchlan, which arms," said the father, half-smiling WHITLA DELIGHTED of a plant at Union Mills (the though there is no danger of taint college year), the scholar's only exhe returns from cheese and butter fac plan followed is to judge the standing reached her discharging berth after a and half-crying, "that I have given no thought to the kidnappers. That section of Milltown) on the tories. To overcome such a condition fields of grain at as near maturity as from mangels. penses being his board. passage so eventful that Captain Ede side of the river, for the manu-These colleges are all situated in the "Farmers who have grown both man-It is suggested that supplementary possible, from the standpoint of their ward Wells, her skipper, has almost will be up to the police, and as I live are of fibre ware from the waste crops of peas, oats, velches and corn suitability for seed purposes. The ad- gels and turnips for years, are of the midst of large farms, fully stocked resolved to lay her up in the future and breathe I am not worrying over ucts of the paper mill at Woodopinion that one can be grown as eas; with all kinds of farm animals. Invantages of this system over that of TO GET WILLIE BACK be grown. when deep sea freights do not offer ra-It is stated that W. F. Todd their movements." The wheat crop was light, due to the making awards on small exhibits of ily as the other, taking everything in- struction is given in all the different ther than go on more coasting voy-The \$10,000 ransom of Billy Whitle is interested in the venture and dry weather. This is usually a good threshed grain are numerous, and so to account. True, turnips are some- branches of farming, fruit growing, was paid to his kidnappers in a little the capital stock will be \$60,000. what easier to thin. But they are subpaving grop however, the average yield obvious that they need scarcely be Laden with about 2,000,000 laths, the procerv store at East 53rd street and ral gentlemen in town have been A two or three years' course at one or the past nine years being 18.4 bush- mentioned. The field is the only place set to insect pests, and being sown MacLauchlan towed to sea from St. Standard avenue an hour after noon ted to purchase stock. late in the season, are frequently of these colleges should fit a young els per acre. Oats suffered from the where a proper estimate of the value John on December 16 last but before Isn't Worrying Over Monday. The money was received by S. H. Magee, of Toronto, adcaught by drought; besides, they do man to take charge of a farm on his same cause, but the crop was up to a of grain for seed purposes can be made she had barely got clear of the fogs not yield so heavily as mangels in the own account. We would like to see an ordinarily-dressed workman who ed an audience in the Methodist fair average. Buckwheat was largely such important points as purity of var of the Bay of Fundy an easterly gale gave his name as Hayes. long run. Mangels, on the other hand, room last evening in the intermore of our young men take advan-Kidnappers iety, freedom from weeds, freedom from was encountered, and the vessel was He picked up the package filled with are sown at a time when growth is tage of this opportunity." the social and moral reform injury by disease and insects, strength squared away for Boothby harbor, as yellow-backed bills, smiled nonchat Proves Nerviline Cures of straw and uniformity of the crop almost certain. They are subject to no The report of the Agricultural comment. A prevailing snow storm her captain was not anxious to be grop antly and left. disease, and if the right sorts are mission and report from the various rce proportions made the attendcan be determined in the field, and ing about an unfamiliar coast in thick UP TO POLICE Mrs. Bernard Hendrickson, temporgrown, they are comparatively easily agricultural societies are included in there only. It is a fact worth noting **Chronic** Sciatica handled and yield abundantly." weather. arily in charge of the store for her the volume, making it a store house Canadian Pacific management is that in distributing prizes on this ba-There she lay stormbound a week and mother, Mrs. Margaret Uhle, forget to More attention is being paid to horse of valuable information which should ring for extensive improvements sis, the money goes to those who are when clearing weather allowed her to notice which way the man went, and breeding in the province and owing be in the hands of every farmer in company's property in St. Stedeserving of it through their own efget under way it was only to be forced Man Named Hayes Got the to the importation of Clydesdales and the province. at the door of the little grocery is the Solemn Statement of a Well Known It is proposed to erect a stone forts. It is common criticism of the live into Portland harbor, thirty miles furlast trace the police have of him. The Percherons by the former government ing wall from the eastern side public wharf and one hundred stock judging ring that the ordinary Hayes man stepped into the store that noon and asked if a package had been Newark Merchant Establishes \$10,000 at a Grocery ther along, on the following day. a noticeable improvement is expected. farmer has little encouragement to This storm proved to be of such Dealing with cattle the report says: out from the shore end, several That Sciatica Can Be make entries, because the wealthy We do not think the number of catstort duration that the bark's voyage left there for him. Mrs. Hendrickson, Store ed yards down the river and to breeder, who can afford to buy show the kept on the farms of the Province **Cured Quickly** was resumed the next morning, but without noting his appearance, told SACKVILLE, N. B., March 22. back of the wall, making a stock, takes all the prizes, even though is being largely increased especially him there had not been. An hour later Roy. Clarence Quinn, of Mount What- not for long. Off Boon Island the sky bottom for an enlarged yard and his competitors may be equally careful in sections largely devoted to potato ley, has been elected rector of Wad- was so ominous that Captain Wells de-CLEVELAND, Ohio, March 23 .a prosperous-looking man, who said ly providing for the erection of It was four years ago I first was atand skilful in the breeder's art. In growing, the people are depending James P. Whitla was not inclined to his name was Williams, came in with cided to take no chances with lack of dington Parish, in the diocese of Altacked by solatica. The pains came and field grain competitions, this objection w bridge across the river. The discuss the matter of ransom or the a small package in his pocket. largely on commercial fertilizers to sea room with a vessel of a bark's unbany, and will leave his present parish freight depot will be moved. ent, and at first were not severe. I is removed; the well-to-do and the poor keep up the fe tility of the farm. in April. Mr. Quinn returned last wieldy rig. Accordingly Portsmouth plans of the family in dealing with the "He said he wanted to leave it for a feet to the south when the imtook no precautions against relapse man named Hayes," said Mrs. Henfarmer are practically on equal basis. week from a trip to Waddington. It is was headed for, and here the craft lay In our opinion nothing will keep up kidnappers and the conditions grew permanent. Any man who takes the trouble to se- the fertility of the farm lands so much "I am so glad to have the boy in my ments are complete. a week, the wait being enlivened by drickson today. "He asked if Hayes not known of course who will succeed rey Stevenson dislocated his Severe grinding pains like points of cure grain of pure variety and free as by keeping all the stock the farm him at Mount Whatley, where he has the desertion of three of her crew and had been here and I said he had. Wilbeing forced through my flesh, by a fall sustained in Ganfrom weeds and foreign grain, by care- will carry, and making a judicious use liams left the package and not two minutes later Hayes came in and been for about eight years, this being their return to the ship in irons. Finally the skipper grew desperate ing wyage, from Philadelphia to St. ful cultivation of his land, can compete of the manure. Bros.' candy factory yesterday. affected my left side. I became almost his first parish. Waddington parish lies on the shore of St. Lawrence near and left the Piscatagua with a heavy John, N. B., the MacLauchlan was asked: a cripple, and on a damp or stormy successfully with his richer neighbor. Local breeders appear to be able to ay was afraid to leave the house. able to get well off the shore and to supply the bulk of the demand for to the Thousand Isles, nearly opposite northeaster, determined to gain an off-Through the Experimental Farms, " 'Is my package here.' 'Nerviline" was recommended and anyone can secure a small stock of pure bred stock at reasonable prices. ing whether in fair weather or foul. remain so after passing the Delaware "I told him that it was, and he Kingston. I rubbed on lots of it. In a week I pure seed grain of any desired kind or Some of the agricultural societies are The lecture given in Eurhetorian But it was not to be. After four days' smiled. Without another word he Capes. improved, and by persevering with the Nerviline rubbing and taking it every Square riggers are proverbially unvariety. The use of such pure seed is doing good work by the introduction Hall, on Saturday evening by Dr. experience with baffling winds in Mastook it from where it lay exposed on sachusetts Bay another easter appear- handy on the coast, and most of the that this seed be grown on land that of pure bred stock in their districts. Kierstead, of Fredericton, was enjoytop of the cigar case and went away. is free from weed contamination. Good The use of a pure bred cire should ed on the scene, heading the bark off American vessels driven into the night, twenty drops in hot sweetened ed. Dr. Kierstead spoke on the per-Water, I finally got the disease under coastwise trade have been converted seed and clean farming are the things be universal, and in this connection sonal and social factor in civilization, once more. AN APPALLING CONDITION In eight weeks I was cured. Captain Wells attempted to make into fore-and-afters. When caught in dealing with his subject in a masterly that make for success in field grain we publish clippings from exchanges Provincetown rather than run back for close quarters the clumsy rig of the never since felt a twinge or an I have manner. The chair was taken by competitions." on the subject. Invariably results when you use a ache, and for those affected with Neu-"The amount of oats used for seed-Excellent tables are given of the the north shore, but in do this the bark | wind jammer is not at all conductive Professor W. M. Tweedie. At the cheap corn salve. Be judicious, use close of the lecture a vote of thanks went ashore on Race Point. After be-to skilful manoeuvring, as the recent was tendered Dr Kierstead on motion ing extricated from this predicament losses of the Atalanta, Shawmut, Edralgia, Rheumatism, Lumbago, Sciatiing the fields entered in the Ontario crops grown in the various counties, "Putnam's," for fifty years it has or any other muscular ailment, I competitions varied from one and one- a summary of which for the province cured corns and warts that nothing without damage she was taken into mund Phinney Hattie G. Dixon and quarter to two and one-half bushels can conscientiously recommend "Nerygives the following information: of H. G. Black, B. A., 1907, of Pugelse could touch. Ask for Putnam's wash, seconded by J. A. S. Bury, '10, the inner harbor, from which the skip- others which have been forced out of per acre. In most cases, the rate of Acres mrmbSR Painless Corn Extractor only. seeding was from one and one-half to Bushels For fifty years Nerviline has been a of Stellarton. On Sunday afternoon per did not weigh anchor until his ves- their legitimate domain offshore voy-Dr. Kierstead addressed the univer- sel went out at the end of a long haw- aging show only too well. standard household remedy all over two bushels per acre. It is pretty gen-H Bushels The W.W. MacLaughlan is of 471 net erallyerally accepted by Canadian sity students in the residence. America. Many doctors and druggists ser, completing her voyage in tow of Mr. Leigh White, teller of the Bank tonnage, and was built at Hopewell use it in their own families because it farmers that about two bushels per 17.579 292.491 16.6 the Boston tug Mercury. Wheat... Even after the resumption of the Cape, N. B., in 1891, being owned by E. of Nova Scotia branch, Summerside, s the best, strongest, most penetratacre is sufficiently heavy seeding for . 191.865 5.396.273 28.1 Oats.. .. . passage it was not without interrun- W. Lynds, of St. John, N. B. She was P. E. I., has been transferred to the St. oats when they are sown in good time ng liniment made. 75,915 22.2 . 3.416 Barley ... CASTORIA. The Kind, You Have Always Bought tions, for the tug was obliged to put the first of her kind seen at many of John branch for a couple of weeks, Beware of the unscrupulous dealer on well prepared soil. At our experi-46,700 7,836,374 167.8 Potatoes .. .. .. in for shelter at Vineyard Haven and the points along the northern coast for after which he will in all probability ment stations, as well as on private hat endeavors, because of the extra Bears the 58,444 1,372,072 23.4 Buckwheat . . . some time and was the object of con- be again transferred to the branch at farms throughout the country, .it las egain on Long Island Sound. profit on an inferior article, to induce 5.907 3.035,757 513.9 Turnips. .. Although her last trip was a coast- siderable attention. Vancouver.-Halifax Echo. been demonstrated that excessively you to take anything in place of Nerheavy seeding of the varieties of oats viline. Large 25c. bottles at all dealers.

since the Department began to collect yearly returns in 1898. The total acre-

age for the Province was 46,700, yield-

age price of 33 cts. per bushel ) which

ing 7,836,374 bushels which at the aver-

is about the average price obtained at

shipping points) would net the farmers 2,586,000.

"The average yield per acre was 1678 bushels, which is 42.8 bushels above