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# ST. JOHNSBUR WERKLYS

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ST. JOHN, N. B. WEDNESDAY, MAY 1, 1901.

SUMMER BOARDERS

The New Brunswick Tourst Association receives many enquiries from Americans asking information as to places where a few weeks in summer may be pleasantly spent. Persons in the country, especially along the St. John river, and on the sea shore, who are able and willing to take boarders, would confer a favor by communicating with the Secretary of the Association, stating how many they can accommodate well, and what attractions as to scenery, boating, driving, fishing, etc., there are in the vicinity. The Association of course cannot guarantee to send tourists to any house. What it can do, and what ought to be of advantage, is to place before enquiring tourists the information received from those willing and able to accommodate them.

Address, Charles D. Shaw.

Secretary N. B. Tourist Association. St. John, N. B.

# PARLIAMENT

A Lively Discussion Over the Census Regulations.

Twenty-fourth of May to Be Perpetual Holiday.

Lively Discussion Over Canadian Pacific-Fitzpatrick's Bill to Amend Election Action Again Considered.

The question of the bogus Ontario census circular came up, and Fisher admitted that a number of census circular came up, and Fisher a number of census circular came up, and Fisher a number of census circular came up, and Fisher a number of census c eensus a list of names of French Canadians who are bona fide American citizens. It was a plot to further the "not to omit name" policy in Quebec. He quoted from the Quebec government press to show that an active canadians with the canadians of the contraction of the contraction

machine had worked the game.

Mr. Fisher claims that only instructions issued by the census bureati were included in the circular complained of. He admitted that circulars were sent to French priests in Quebec and in other provinces as well, and that no such circulars were sent to the Protestant or English speaking Roman Catholic clergy.

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Buy a Howe Scale and be sat-

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ST. JOHN, N. B.

ieties. Ask for Catalogue.

the clergy of one race and religion they should have been issued to all creeds and races. He deemed the ex-planation unsatisfactory and asked for

further information.

Premier Laurier considered that the issue of the circular was wise. Prejudices existing among the French race had to be overcome in order to get the whole truth, and as the cures were the persons best competent to furnish the information, he claimed that there was no necessity of sending out circulars to other races.

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Mr. Borden of Halifax thought that one unfortunate phase of the case was that the attempt to obtain information in regard to the absences in the United States was only confined to the French speaking Canadians. How would the situation have been if a confidential circular had

solid as it is now.

an act respecting the Canadian PaciMr. Clarke had no objection to the fic caused a hot debate. Western
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ed that if they were circulated among section of the road withheld from the

atement that he has on no occasion commended farmers to invest in the ock of the Canadian Dressed Poul-

try Company.

According to returns received at the department of agriculture smallpox is fearfully prevalent throughout the United States. During the period from December 28th last to April 12th there were 13,269 cases and 1,999 deahts. Since January 1st last there have also been 12 deaths from bubonic plague at San Francisco. This record is such

as to necessitate the utmost vigilance on the part of the quarantine, and medical health officers.

Sir Richard Cartwright on Monday will move the house go into commit-tee of the whole to consider a resolu-

At the Cook enquiry mach

Sir Wilfrid Laurier has announced hat Premier Bond of Newfounland was on his way to Ottawa to consult

examined the Yukon telegraphic construction accounts at Bennett, explained that the government employee Rochester had the contract for furnishing poles. When the contract was completed he was again employed.

E. G. Evans, manager of the Central Railway, Hampton; A. G. Blair, jr., of St. John, and Geo. Robertson are at the Russell. The latter has just returned from England via New York.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Borden and Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Ganong spent Sunday with Bennett Rosamod, M. P., at Almonte.

A CURE FOR ASTHMA.

Asthma sufferers need no longer leave me and business in order to be cured, fure has produced a vegetable remedy at will permanently cure Asthma and all leases of the lungs and bronchial tubes. Ving tested its wonderful curative powers thousands of cases (with a record of 50 cent, permanently cured), and desiring relieve human suffering. I will send free charge to all sufferers of Asthms, Commption, Catarrh, Brochitis and nervous seases, this receipe in German, French or gilish, with full directions for preparing d using. Sent by mail. Address with mp, naming this paper, W. A. NOYES, \$47 wers' Block, Rochester, N. Y.

MELBOURNE, April 30,—The stmr, Ophir, bearing the Duke and Duchess of Cornwall and York, has been sighted

IN THE FAR EAST.

Four Sharp Engagements Last Week With Chinese Troops.

Resistance and Were Forced Over the Great Wall.

BERLIN, April 28.—The German war cet, and after a stubborn resistance were forced back over the wall, being pursued as far as Ku Kuan. Our casualties were four officers wounded and three men killed and thirty-two wounded. The French troops were not en-

he deposited an accepted bank cheener instead of legal tender. Two meanings sholding seats in the house did exactly the same thing. The bill proposes to make cheques and chartered bank bills legal deposits.

Mr. Borden of Halifax will press on the government the necessity of acting in this case.

The debate on the elections act amendment was resumed after dinner. Speeches showed that in the Northwest last election representatives of the grits were treated far better than conservatives in many respects.

One amendment, provides for a new ballot, which has nothing on the counterfoil but the names of the candidates. All marks are on the stub.

The ballot, which will be number Action Again Considered.

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"Ketteler's brigade is marching by short stages to Pao Ting Fu, and Huehlenfels' battalion along the noun-tains to Pekin."

DIED EN ROUTE.

Three Men of South African Constabular Who Sailed on the Montfort, Burled

letters from Cape Verde annuince that three of the South African constabulary died en route from Hallfax on the Montfort. The men are Sergt. Purdo and Troopers Patton and J'Mann. Two other men were seriously ill. Patto

H. M. Transport S. S. Montfort,

Cape de Verde Island.

Dear Sir—We boarded the s. s. Mortfort at Halifax on the 28th instant and left on the 29th. The voyage has been very pleasant so far, with beautiful weather, but a large majority suffered from sea sickness, but we have all regained our sea legs by now. I regret to say three men died and were buried at sea before reaching here, all promising young men, Trooper O. Mann, Ottawa; Sergt. Major Purdon, Montreal, and Trooper Pattom, St. John, N. B., I may say it was a very sad scene to witness the burial at mid-ocean, the officer commanding reading the burial service. The young men were very popular.

e well.

THOS. JOHNSON, Corperal,

A Squadron, Canadian Contingen
South Africa.

was a sergeant in A squadron of the Canadian Mounted Rifles, and was for Canadian Mounted Rifles, and was for-merly in the Montreal Hussars. Be-fore coming to Canada he was in the 2nd Life Guards in England.

The Patton who died is a son of Thomas Patton of this city. Dr. Wal-ker, who examined him, says he had one of the best physiques among the lot. Previous to enlisting he had been living in Sussex.

THE KAISER WANTS THE NEWS.

BERLIN, April 29.—Emperor William recently gave orders for a long list of newspapers to be laid before him daily, instead of clippings, as heretofore. Besides perusing upwards of two score of German papers, he glances every day at two French journals, two English, one American and three Austrian.

This change in his habits he is said to have had in contemplation for some

und freight on the Grand Trunk ran into an open switch here this after-noon. Fireman Grieves was killed and

Were defeated After Stubbern

office has received the following ad-"Pekin, April 27.-Three engagements occurred April 23, and a fourth April 24, at the great wall, between four columns under Gen. Ketteler and the Chinese troops under Gen. Liu. The Chinese were everywhere defeat-

May Linger for Some Time, But Little no Hope for His Recovery:

His physicians are of the opinion that he may linger for some time, but have fittle hope of saving his life.

CARRIE'S HUSBAND ROBBED.

INDIANOPOLIS, April 29.—A special to the Sentinel from Marion, Ind., says David Nation, husband of Carrie Nation, was robbed of \$78 in cash, some jewelry and his return railroad ticket at Wichita today. Mr. Nation attended a circus, and later, it is said, visited a calcon, where it is alleged, he was

We have just, received a large shipment of Men's, Youths' and Boys' rooats, Suits and Pants, of the Newest Patterns, the best make and at

Men's Suits, \$3.60. 4 00, 5.00, 6.75, 7.50, 8.00, 8.75, 9.50, 10.00, 11.50, 12.50, 12.75 and 14.00. Men's Overcoats, - - \$4.75, 6.00, 7.50, 9.00 and 10.00.

Men's Pants. 75e. to \$3.50. Boys' Three Piece Suits, \$2.50, 2.75, 8.25, 4.00, 4.50, 4.75, 5.25 and 5.50. Boys' Two Piece Suits, Boys' Pants,

75e. to \$5.00.

OPERA BLOCK, 199 UNION STREET, ST. JOHN, N. B.

SOUTH AFRICA.

Lord Kitchener's Fighting Scouts Capture a Boer Laager.

the Enemy is Being Continued.

LONDON, April 29.-Lord Kitchener eports to the war office from Pretoria ader date of April 28, as follows:-Van Rensberg's laager at Klipdam, north of iPetersburg. Seven Boers were killed and 37 taken prisoners. Eight thousand rounds of ammunition and all wagons, carts, ozen, horses and mules were captured. Our only casualty was one wounded. The other columns report three killed, 58 taken prisoners, 57 surrendered and one quick firer captured.

CAPETOWN, April 28—A party of Boers blew up the railroad between Graspan and Belmont, Cape Colony, in three places 27, apparently with the intention of intercepting a train carrying Cecil Rhodes, The damage done was slight and was quickly re-

LEYLAND S. S. LINE SOLD.

Atlantic Transport Linewas received here tonight announcing the purchase by J. Pierpont Morgan & Co. of the Leyland line steamships. The authorities of the Leyland line state that the purchase will not interfere with the Camedian business.

will say tomorrow:
Shipping men in New York say the purchase of the Leyland line is the most important deal in the history of American commerce, and predict speedy absorbing of other freight carrying steamship lines by the Morgans Although Robert Bacon, spokesman of the firm of J. Pierpost Morgan & Co. in the absence of the senior member refused yesterday (Monday) to confirm the report of the purchase of the Leyland line, there is little or no doubt

refused yesterday (Monday) to confirm the report of the purchase of the Leyland line, there is little or no doubt of its accuracy.

A. C. Fetteroif and M. Martin, the manager and the general manager, respectively, of the Leyland line, admitted the possibility of the purchase, but had no official advices on the subject from the company's Liverpool ect from the company's Liverpo

JUDGE KING'S CONDITION

OTTAWA, April 29.—Judge King is langerously ill today, and although he rallied at six o'clock tonight, his removery is a matter of extreme doubt.

FR. DAVENPORT Will Hold the Fort, But His Curate

(Toronto Star.) As there seems to be no possibility on theological matters between the acting rector of St. Thomas church, Rev. John M. Davenport, and the curpronounced High Church views, the usual course in such cases is being followed, that is, the rector has intimated his dissatisfaction, and the curate will embrace the first opportunity for

FATAL ACCIDENT AT AMHERST.

AMHERST, N.S., April 28.—The residents of Amherst Head and Shinimicas

Charlo; C. O. Main, Kingston, River Charlo; C. O. Main, Kingston, Kent.
Two New Brunswickers get the LL. B. They are R. B. Hanson, B. A., Bocabec; F. J. Sutton, Moncton, New Brunswick will have one M. A., A. H. Murray of Sussex.

Many people who have suffered the acute misery of itching or bleeding piles for years in spite of medicines and operations won't believe that Dr. Chase's Cintment is an actual cure. There has never yet been a person to doubt the efficacy of this great preparation after using one box. It acts like magic in stopping the pain and itching, and is positively guaranteed to cure any case of bleeding or protruding piles. Ask your neighbors that it year declarates

AGENTS WANTED.

Ladies and Centlemen in towns of 1,000 and upwards, on salary or commission, to take hold of our line of patented specialities. We have something entirely new, which is guaranteed to be a quick seller. Several seneral agents wanted for unoccupied territory. Write today for particulars. IMPERIAL SUPPLY CO., Box 62B, St. John, N. B.

# OTTAWA LETTER.

Militia Matters FreelyiDiscussed in the Commons.

Grit Machine Tactics.

Significant Points in the Evidence of Mr. Preston and Sir Riebard 00 01 Cartwright in the Cook T AR Investigation.

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OTTAWA, April 22.-Militia matters were discussed in the house on Friday before and after going into supply. The speeches of Col. Thompson of Haldimand, and Monk; Hon. Col. nd, and Monk; Hon. Col. Prior of Victoria; Mr. Fowler of Kings, N. B., and Mr. Kaulbach of Lunenburg, N. S., show that an entirely new feeling has been produced by the South African war in regard to our volunteer force. The day has gone by when members of the Canadian militia will be referred to as feather-bed soldiers. Fighting side by side with crack British regiments, they were not only able to hold their own, but often went one better and own, but often went one better own, but often went one better and taught the regular "Tommy" that "Johnnie Canuck" was equal to any emergency in the fighting line. Col. Hutton stated that it would be useless to send Canadian militia battalions to the front, unless they were associated with regular line reciments. ed with regular line regiments. How ed with regular line regiments. How his judgment erred in this particular was demonstrated repeatedly during the course of the campaign and with Canadians recommended for the Vic-toria Cross, and other distinguished honors, the rewards of the bravest of the brave, it is no wonder that we of the brave, it is no wonder that we feel proud of the men who so nobly upheld the honor of their flag and country. During the course of the debate, Major Gen. O'Grady Haly oc-

cupied a seat in the speaker's gallery, and he heartly applauded the senti-ments expressed in regard to the cour-

Having found in the Canadian soldier traits which have been attributed only to British troops of the regular force, it is not to be wondered that parliament feels something must be done to make available the splendid force which can be mustered in this country. Therefore, they are in clined to look upon the militia force from a common sense standpoint to be governed by the lessons gathe from the recent movements in South Africa. It was urged that there was altogether too much lace and feathers about the style of dress now provid-ed for in the militia regulations ed for in the militia regulations.

Dress does not make a soldier, and it often prevents capable men from oftering their services as officers. The Boer was found to be a man who could shoot straight, and to whom dress was a matter of little concern.

Officers could not be distinguished from men, and the result was that the English troops had to fall in line and a superior officer had to place South African war. and a superior officer had to place himself on a level with the private in so far as dress was concerned. The Australians already have a uniform for their volunteers which necessitates a very small outlay for an officer to place himself in a position to qualify for a commission. It was pointed out that in the military schools, even for a six months' course, it is almost necessary that a man should be provided with regular mess and dress uniforms, involving an expenditure of hundreds of dollars, which many young men who would doubtless make excellent officers, are not prepared to make. The opinion expressed by members of parliament, representing all parts of Canada, was favorable to a scheme which would abolish the system of dress now in vogue and make it as domestic as possible. Although the rules of the military schools do not require a man to provide himself with mess and dress uniforms, hardly any man could be induced to enter upon the military course, where nearly everybody was fully supplied with all necessary clothing, without feeling that he was more or less humiliated without them. And so it has been suggested that the militia should be made a poor man's organization, as well as a rich man's paradise, and that every encouragement should be given to those in the humbler stations in life who desire to seek commissions.

Shooting is looked upon as the most essential feature of a soldier's drill in these modern days. It was urged upon the minister of militia that too much attention could not be given to this department of militia drill. In Switzerland every soldier is a crack shot, and the result is that that little republic could defend herself against aimost any of the great powers of Europe. The authorities there recognize the fact that to shoot straight means that a small army only is necessary to proany foreign army, but could more than hold their own against very superior forces. Col. Thompson desires to see the company and battalion drill largely replaced by rifle practice during the time the men are in camp. Under existing circumstances forty rounds of ammunition are served out, and the men are allowed to blaze away at the targets until the supply is exhausted. This is neither conducive to good shooting nor profitable to the country which supplies the cartridges. What which supplies the cartridges. What is needed is more ammunition and more time to fire it in, and then a marked improvement in shooting may

are erected, while the rural districts works to encourage militia With fewer armories in the

will also be afforded for the formation of rifle clubs, and in this way the defensive forces of the country will be greatly strengthened. When it is remembered that only 36,000 militia are organized throughout Canada, the demand for recruits in time of danger will be fully appreciated. Thousands will be fully appreciated. Thousands of business men who have never carried a rifle would have to bear arms, and it is proposed that the militia forces should be extended so as to take in all classes. The rifle clubs will have the effect of meeting this demand to a certain extent, but the only practical way to utilize the material at hand is to provide facilities for general rifle

Considerable attention was devoted to the condition of rural corps. Col. Thompson claims that men enlisting for three years should be paid in proportion to the time actually served in camp. His proposition is that the first year a soldier goes to camp he shall receive fifty cents a day, in the second camp he shall receive 65 cents a day, and for the third and subsequent camps he shall receive 75 cents a day. part of the men after the first year would entirely disappear. Rural camps should also be supplied with many comforts which are now tacking. For instance, it was suggested that a mess tent should be provided, so that the men might have a place to partake of their meals in comfort. Although a soldier on active service has fre-quently to sleep in the open and submit to many inconveniences, that is of peace. If more attention be paid to little comforts of this kind, many men who now stay at home after their first experience at camp, would gladly return and participate in the drill year after year.

In connection with the absence from camp of men who have served their first year, it was shown that as a rule rural camps are largely made up of recruits of tender years. It has been demonstrated on the battle field and in the marches of South Africa, that well matured and developed soldiers are best suited for campaigning purpose. In order to get these men participate in the annual drills it is almost necessary that provision should be made to increase their pay. They often have families to support, and are therefore unable to neglect their work for the miserable pittance now allowed by the militia department.

Another scheme which prom ed by the minister of militia in reference to mounted infantry. These forces will be raised largely in the rural districts. It is proposed to have at least one company of mounted infantry attached to each line regiment. When in camp, the different compan-ies can be brigaded for special drill and in this way an efficient force will and in this way an efficient force will be assured. In the west it is proposed to make provision for two complete regiments of mounted infantry and they will be drilled on lines which were found most serviceable in the

Exception was taken to the present system of storing rifles in central armories. The twentieth century rifle is a weapon that is liable to become obsolete at any time. It may be fitted for use in an army today, and tomorrow be good for little more than scrap iron. Under these circumstances it is urged that the troops in the country districts should be allowed to use their rifles on every possible occasion, so that they might become familiar with their use. By storing them in central armonies, the militia department renders the practical use of rifles impossible.

The minister of militia on representations made by Mr. Ingram promised to give his serious consideration to an appeal on behalf of the cadet corps of Canada. At the present time, the cadet companies are being armed with the discarded weapons of the militia forces. Mr. Ingram wants them provided with the Lee-Enfield rifle, so that they may be in a position to graduate and entermilitia battalions fully instructed as to their drill and the use of modern firm arms. He also asked the minister of militia to provide prizes, to be shot for by members of the cadet corps, competitions to be governed by rules similar to those laid down in England, where cadet competitions have been rendered most popular. So important is this class of marksmanship considered, that a prize for it has been included in the lists of trophies offered at Bisley, and the boys from the cadet organizations take a keen interest in attaining accuracy in shooting. From the cadet corps the militia of Canada, draw a very large number of recruits, and it is urged on this ground that considerably more attention should be devoted to their wants.

OTTAWA, April 23.-With Mr. Tarte as pedagogue, parliament was given some interesting lessons yesterday in grit machine tactics. They were told how a party in power should use

illustration of how easy it is for an oily-tongued politician to convince innocent and trusting people that right is wrong. Mr. Tarte's estimates were then before the house and a number of items with which Prince are concerned brought out considerable evidence, as to the political capital the minister of public works able to make out of the improvements the has charge of in various places. Nothing escapes Mr. Tarte. If he gives a contract, he takes good care to see that the contractor employs nothing but liberals, and if, on the oth hand, he has the work done by day, he appoints some good grit heel-er on whom he can rely to enforce the unalterable law, "no conservative need apply."

Mr. Tarte made several important announcements yesterday in the course of his remarks. His first axiom is "ir the opinion of all grit supporters party should be considered before coun-Basing his conduct on this wellestablished principle of liberal gov-ernment, he told the house that in every case liberals would be employed on government works, and this probably explains Mr. Tarte's aversion ed to a very large extent, and that in uture he hoped to do much more ork under the supervision of depart-intel officers. Mr. Tarte finds now that although the fair wage clause is nserted there in all government concontractors insist frauding their men, and he claims that this causes the public works department too much anxiety.

When Mr. Tarte was in opposition he frequently denounced the liberal conservative party for giving even the smallest contract without first calling for tenders. In this stand the minister of public works was backed up by many of the gentlemen who now draw \$7,000 per annum from the dominion treasury. But when Mr. Tarte chang-ed sides in the house, in respect to the seating of his party, he also changthe seating of his party, ne also considers ed his opinions. He now considers ed his opinions. the only proper thing to do is to ask for no tenders and to give every grit heeler a chance. Under this system he is able to make every dollar spent by the public works department tell on election day, and utilize the public funds as a huge campaign purse.

Down in Prince Edward Island the

grit party seems to have had a car-nival of corruption during the last propose to erect a breakwater. decision to carry on this work eached in August, but it was not until November 2nd that the contract was awarded, and in order to facilitate matters Mr. Tarte put on a number en by the day, and their operations form the only evidence that work has been carried on so far. Although the ontract was fixed six months ago, the work is as yet untouched. Now, Mr. and of course the opposition was anxious to know the particulars of the case. Mr. R. L. Borden questioned the minister of public works, and Mr. Tarte stated that the work had been ommenced at Campbell's Cove as soon as the contract was awarded. opinion. But Mr. Hughes, who refisheries and the minister of public works. Then Mr. Borden suggested that it would be well to get the ministers and Mr. Hughes in harmony on this particular point. The leader of the opposition also explained that he knew less about the work when Sir knew less about the work when Sir Louis Davies had finished than when that gentleman started his explana-tion. The facts are that the contract was a mere bluff for election purposes, and having borne fruit in the election of Mr. Hughes, some sort of a bluff will have to be made, so as to relieve the barefaced appearance of the trans-

his life and known little or nothing of the requirements of such large operations. Accordingly the member for Charlotte suggested to the minister of public works the propriety of calling for tenders. Moreover, he submitted that it was unfair to the public to exclude all conservative workmen when they had an equal chalm on the country with their liberal brethren. He considers, while favoring the work, that it is disgraceful that thousands of dollars of public fund money should be spent in this reckless fashion and he called for reform. Mr. Tarte claimed in defence that he had called for tenders, but that no competent man could be found to respond to the advertisement. This is not surprising in view of the fact that at the last local election in New Brunswick, tenders

this excuse has been advanced so of-ten in defence of the policy of the public works department that the conservatives see in it a fair attempt to make a buffer of every conservative holding office in the different depart-ments under the government. If a minister is criticised, he very often informs the house that some appointee of the late government was respon-sible for the failure of one or other of the plans of the said department. This excuse will hardly go down when it is considered that under every engineer who has charge of a work done by the

FOR OLD AGE

To the old, as to babies, the even balance of health is more important than anything else in the world. The possible health, in age, is not high and strong; it is only even.

There is no end, but death to the trouble that comes of its loss. It ought to be watched like a baby's.

Scott's emulsion of cod-liver oil for very old and very young in different ways-is the food to secure this even health.

We'll send you a little to try, if you like,

lds office. The latter is generally heeler who sees that no person than those of well known gri poclivities are employed. Mr. Savage appens to be the lucky heeler at Cam-obello, and as Mr. Tarte informed Mr. Tarte informed he house, that on all occasions he indeavored to get competent men, Mr. canong promptly took up the chalof public works should fulfil his pledge in this instance.

Mr. Clancy, who has had considerable experience in Ontario with the way that the minister of public works business, holds strong views in regard to the system by which day aborers and artizans are employed to do public work. He was very frank with Mr. Tarte, and told that gentleman plainly, that every dollar laid out under his supervision was spent for party purposes. The conservative em-ployees of the public works departent had been blamed for certain irregularities, but no person knew bet-ter than the minister of public works, that if his instructions were not carried out to the letter, the head of the offending official would come off. Mr. Clancy said that he knew of no greater public scandal than that which now prevailed in regard to the operations of the public works was a breeding place for political cor-ruption and the filmsiest excuses were offered in defence of principles which should not be tolerated in this country. He even went so far as to threat minister of public works was prepared to give some better explanation of the outrageous condition which now prevails. He showed that no great corporation ever did work as Mr. Tarte is doing it, and advocated the adoption of more business-like meth-

Mr. McIsaac of Antigonish is strong disposed to favor the course pursu-by the minister of public works He first condemned the contractors as government on every possible occasion. He pointed out that during the past 25 years poor materials had been supplied on contracts and the workmen hardly make a living wage. This being so, he urged that the government by employing its own help could get work do- 25 per cent, better than by giving it out to contract. This strong statement brought from Mr. Fowler of Kings a vigorous and justifiable protest. He did not think that all contractors were given to stealing and was not inclined to accept the statement of the minister of public works. Mr. Fowler did not lose sight of the fact that in every transaction of the public works department the party heeler figured conspicuously. Whether he knows anything about the work he is in charge of or not he is given. is in charge of or not, he is given a the conservatives are not employed.
And while Mr. Fowler is prepared to
admit that government patronage
should to a large extent belong to the resorted to by the government ma-chine. Evidently there is much to fer-from this iniquitous system of prosti-tuting the public finances, and elec-tors will agree with the objectors that

OTFAWA. April 24.—There is little doubt in the minds of those who attended the investigation into the Cook charges, before the special committee of the senate yesterday, that the alleged trafficking in senatorships is no idle rumor. The liberal press, which has been condemning Mr. Cook and exchanging defences of Sir Richard Cartwright and the government, will have their hands full explaining away the damaging evidence which was given. Two of the witnesses called by the defence, Sir Richard Cartwright and W. T. R. Preston, the machine hugger, contradicted themselves so often, and proved so reticent in their answers to the cross-examination, that they left a strong impression on those who listened to their answers that they were valuely endeavoring to conceal facts which would fix upon members of the government the responsibility of having offered to dispose of a ceal facts which would fix upon members of the government the responsibility of having offered to dispose of a seat in the senate to Mr. Cook for the sum of \$10,000. During the last two weeks W. T. R. Preston and Graham Cameron, son of the late Hon M. C. Cameron, have been in Ottawa, often closeted with ministers of the crowf, and with the express purpose of clearing the skirts of Sir Richard Cartwright in this transaction.

Mr. Preston was the first witness yesterday, and there is every reason to believe now that the defence, had they been aware of the turn affairs would take, would have refrained from asking that gentleman to remain in Ottawa. Since the committee last met Mr. Preston had been giving interviews in the newspapers and discussing the investigation with his private friends. He told the Globe correspondent at Ottawa that he was going to knock out evidence offered by Mr. to knock out evidence offered by Mr.
Cook in the shape of a letter which
went to show that Preston's interview
with Cook took place in November,
1898. But Mr. Preston's important

consider it, and the self-constituted defender of the government had to be content, after having given the comnittee no more important infor

Mr. Preston appeared in the role of an expert. He wanted to show that the date line of the letter written in November, 1898, had been erased. He stated that a few days ago, on his way to Toronto, he met J. D. Thompson of Kingston, and that gentleman gave him some pointers in regard to patent liquid ink erasers. Mr. Preston procured two liquids known to have the property of removing ink stains, one of which contained acetic acid, and the other a compound with which he was unfamiliar. In the parliamentary library at Toronto, a place for which Mr. Preston seems to have a weakness, he found another one of these ink destroyers, and with his collection he tried some experiments. The public will appreciate the machine hugger's cleverness when they chine hugger's cleverness when they learn that in such a short time he became so proficient in his new profes-sion that he could detect by applying sion that he could detect by applying his tongue to the paper the presence of acids. Mr. Preston proceeded to the office of Mr. Creighton, secretary of the senate committee, and asked to see the original letter placed in evidence by Mr. Cook. When he received the communication he looked at if carefully through the microscope and swore yesterday that he detected the letters "J. U." and the figures "I and 8." By licking the date line space at the head of the letter he found that acetic acid had been used by some-body to remove the ink stains. He was quite positive that this was the acid, and he was also positive that his tongue would not have the same effect as an acid.

Senator Landry was not altogether satisfied with Mr. Preston's evidence on this point and started a severe cross-examination. It was one of the uncomfortable moments of the exboss' life. Before he had finished his replies in regard to this point, he admitted that he did not know the taste of acetic acid. Neither was he a familiar with the chemicals used in the manufacture of ink, and he did not profess to be able to tell the commitee the chemical action which resulted in the removal of ink spots by acids Mr. Preston when he concluded, had denied all claims that he made earlier n his testimony, and admitted that he was unable to tell whether a letter had been tampered with or not.

Another of Preston's points flatly ontradicted by himself and anothe witness was in regard to the other partles who examined the letter. Preston told the committee that he had first hesitated about asking Mr. Creighton to see the original do Then he sought out Mr. Clark, private secretary to the minister of justice, and ook advantage of that gentleman's official position in order that he might gain access to the much-coveted com-munication. He stated that when he and figures referred to above and that Mr. Creighton also noticed them. According to the machine magnate, Hon. Charles Fitzpatrick also saw the let-ter and agreed that it had been tamthat Mr. Fitzpatrick held this opinion, Mr. Preston was not certain how the him. He could not remember anything Mr. Fitzpatrick said, but he had a sort of vague idea that it had been volunteered. Mr. Creighton when he that he ever stated to Preston that he (Creighton) had seen the letters and figures referred to as having been erased. The secretary of the committee also affirmed that Mr. Fitzpatrick had never had access to the letter and therefore could not express an opinion in regard to it.

contradicted his own statements, was in regard to an accusation directed against him at the last sitting of the committee, that after he had been ordered from the room, he had returned and listened to the evidence being given. When he was called to the given. When he was called stand on March 28th before commencing his evidence, he said this: "A statement was made here yesterday the door overhearing from this, and other instances referred, that Mr. Preston can hardly taken as a reliable witness, and the committee decided that his testimous should not be admitted. He had ask through his solicitor, W. K. Kerr, the chairman of the reform party of the called prove that the date line on the letter referred to had been changed. But not even Mr. Blake, the counsel for the counsel f not even Mr. Blake, the counsel for defence, supported this e was noticed all through Mr. Preston's evidence that Mr. Blake religiously refrained from having any connection with the witness. Evidently he knows with the witness. Evidently he knows Mr. Preston and knows the value of anything that Preston might say. As Mr. Preston's evidence is sometimes taken to mean the very opposite from what it expresses, Mr. Blake refused to save his friends at such a sacrifice.

The new evidence adduced was startling. Sir Richard Cartwright, like Mr. Preston, claimed he could furnish the committee with the most minute detail of any transaction that occurred two years ago in regard to the Cook deal. Nevertheless, when it came to a question of recalling events which had occurred within the past two weeks,

occurred within the past two weeks, he was utterly unable to make positive announcements. Sir Richard admitted that on three occasions since the committee last met he had met Graham Cameron. According to the knight from Oxford Mr. Cameron just hap-pened to be in Ottawa during the last two weeks. Mr. Cameron also happened to have with him his father's private letters; he happened to drop into the offices of the minister of jus-

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tice, the solicitor general and Sir Richard Cartwright's own office. And it happened on each occasion on which Mr. Cameron interviewed Sir Richard that the letters were produced. But, according to the minister of trade and ommerce, nothing was said one way or the other is regard to any letter which might implicate any member of the government in the Cook transaction. Mr. Marsh suggested that perhaps the accusation made by Mr. Cook was too unimportant to receive the and commerce. Sir Richard Cart-wright, although one interview had taken place only last Monday, was unable to tell where he had first met Mr. Cameron and to recall any statement that had been made in regard to the meeting.

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Another significant point about the nquiry is the fact that Mr. Cameron has been promised and expects a job from the government in connection with the revising of the statutes. He is in Ottawa at present in regard to this matter, but of course he never nentioned it to Sir Richard during any of the three interviews that took place during the past few days. Sir Richard took every precaution to impress that fact on the committee. He also impressed, or endeavored to impress, on Mr. Marsh his refusal to answer any question in regard to Mr. Cameron's plication for a reward at the hands ficial position in order that he might gain access to the much-coveted communication. He stated that when he examined the letter in the presence of Mr. Creighton, he found the letters was brought to a sense of his position as a minister of the crown, and he examined the letters was brought to a sense of his position as a minister of the crown, and he examined the letters was a minister of the crown, and he stated that Mr. Cameron had been expecting one of the departmental

When previously on the stand Sir Richard denied all knowledge of the letter of September 30, 1897. Yester-It was from Hon. M. C. Cameron to Sir Richard, in which the former expressed his intention of going out of the business as a senate promoter. Cameron wrote the minister of trade and commerce that he had strongly urged the claims of another man on certain conditions, but the whole thing fell through. Sir Richard admitted that this letter probably referred to Mr. Cook. Now exhibit No. 9, placed in evidence during the early meetings of the committee, was a letter from Mr. Cameron to Mr. Cook bearing the same date as the above letter, and it read thus: "My dear Cook—You may recollect not very long ago I pressed your claim for the position you asked for very strongly on the government. I supposed at one time that the matter was all arranged. I was, however, disappointed. You had the cards in your own hands; you refused to play them and so you lost the game. I vowed then that I never would interfere again with the government, and I will not. I propose hereafter to allow the government to do as it pleases. Laurier, Cartwright, and other members of the administration, well know my opinion about you, and that no my opinion about you, and that no man in Ontario has higher or better claims, and nothing that I can say

Cook's claims that Mr. Cameron should have expressed the same sentiments, the same day in a letter to Sir Richard Cartwright. In both cases he refers to the failure of the party to play the game. In one case the iden-tity of Mr. Cook is established beyond a doubt, and in the other it is conceded by Sir Richard Cartwright that Mr. Cook was probably the man to whom Mr. Cameron made reference when he stated that the unknown had refused to comply with "certain conditions."

Dr. Wilson, the executor to the Cam-eron estate, produced the letter book of the late M. C. Cameron, from which of it as far as I am concerned." Questioned by Mr. Marsh as to whom "the man in Toronto" was, Sir Richard refused to swear that that mysterious person was not Mr.Cook; neither would he submit the name of a person to whom he thought it might refer. He admitted that the letter contemplated a senatorship vacancy, Graham Cameron, when called, contradioted Sir Richard in regard to the proceedings

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AN ACT

To Prevent the Profanation of the Lord's Day.

Copy of an Act Passed by the New Brunswick General Assembly,

Sec. 1. Acts prohibited; exception; mean-ing of word "Person;" penalty against cor-porations; acts permitted; provise as to steamships under contract with Canadian

Fishing, etc., not allowed.

liable to penalties.
Sec. 6. Penalties to be in addition to those prescribed by any other Act for same offence.
Sec. 7.—Employees and servants not reliev-8. Section 2 of Chapter 144 of the Restatutes not repealed or affected.

Sec. 1.-(1) No person shall on the Lord's day, commonly called Sunday, sell or publicly show forth, or expose, or offer for sale, or shall purchase any goods, chattels or other personal pro-perty, or any real estate whatsoever or do or exercise any worldly labor, business or work of his ordinary calling (conveying travellers or Her Ma-jesty's mail by land or by water, selling drugs and medicines and other works of necessity and charity only

(2) The word "person" in this act be constructed as including corporations, except where the context requires a contrary interpretation; and any corporation which requires or permits its employes to carry on the business of such corporation, or to labor or work therefor, contrary to the provisions of this act, shall for each offence forfeit a sum not exceeding

(3) Nothing herein contained shall prevent the delivery of milk or ice to customers on Sunday; or shall prevent telephone or telegraph companies from keeping open their offices for the purpose of receiving, transmitting and pose of receiving, transmitting and delivering messages; or the kcepers of livery stables and cabs from letting on Sunday, horses and vehicles, with or without a driver, for purposes other than that of dong business or work; or the proprietors of daily morning newspapers of their employes from doing such kinds of work as may be necessary for the purpose of arenering cessary for the purpose of preparing and printing a Monday morning's edition of such newspaper; or any clergy-man or physician from exercising the work of his ordinary calling on Sunwork of his ordinary calling on Sun-day; or any paid organist from play-ing in any church, or in connection with any religious service, or any paid singer from singing in any church or in connection with any religious ser-vice; or any sexton from performing the ordinary work in connection with the ordinary work in connection with any church; or the putting forth to sea any church; or the putting forth to sea of any vessel for any destination without the limits of the province; or to prevent any vessel coming into port or any pilot or pilot-boat or any tugboat from going in search of vessels making port, or from bringing any vessel into port, or taking her out of port on Sunday; or shall prevent the carry—and her home, instead of being in New ing on in any mill or manufactory of York, is in Windsor. She is an only any manufacturing process of such nature that it is essential to process

material so in course of manufacure: or the operation in any mine towing, booming or freighting lumber or raft of lum-or timber when the same is in transit and it is essential to proceed with the transport of the same to prevent injury thereto, or to prevent such delay in getting the same to its place of destination as would be juble to lead to the loss on death. or boats; or to the moving of through freight trains in the province of New

(4) Provided, however, that nothing this act contained shall operate to revent the loading or unloading or work necessary to be done, in to enable any steamship to pre-for salling in case said steamship der contract with the Canadian nt to sail at any time certain

allow or permit tippling in any im, tavern, grocery or house of public en-tertainment under his management or control, or revel, or publicly exhibit himself in a state of intoxication, or brawl or use profane language in the public streets or open air, so as to reate any riot or disturbance, or an-noyance to Her Majesty's peaceable

subjects.

Sec. 3. No person shall on that day play at skittles, ball, football, rackets, or any other noisy game, or gamble with dice or otherwise, or run races on foot, or on horseback, or in carriages, or in vehicles of any sort.

Sec. 4. No person shall on that day go fishing, or take, kill or destroy any fish, or use any fishing rod, net or other appliance for that purpose.

Sec. 5.—(1) Sunday excursions by steamboats plying for hire, or by railway, or in part by any such steam-

vay, or in part by any such steam toat and in part by railway, and hav for their only and principal object, carriage of Sunday passengers andsement or pleasure only, and got and return on the same day by same boat or railway, or any other the same boat or railway, or any other owned by the same person or company shall be unlawful, and shall not be deemed a lawful conveying of travellers within the meaning of this act.

(2) The owner of any steamboat or railway by which any such excursion is wholly or partly made shall, for each offence against this section, forfeit and pay the sum of \$200, to be recovered in any court having jurisdiction in civil cases to that amount, by any person suine for the same under this person suing for the same under this ction and for the purposes thereof.

employed in the unlawful excursion on which the action is tounded, started or through or at which it passed or stopped in the course thereof.

(4) All sums of money recovered under the provisions of this section shall be appropriated as follows: One moiety thereof to the plaintiff, and the other moiety to the municipality of the city or town, or county in which is located the village or place, from which the unlawful excursion started, to be applied for the purposes of the municipality.

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(5) The word "owner" in this section includes a corporation.

(6) This section shall not apply to ferries, or to steamboats when employed as ferry boats.

(7) Every action under the foregoing provisions of this section shall be brought within six menths after the offence committed, and not afterwards, and notice in writing of such action, amd of the cause thereof, shall be given to the defendant, one month at least before the action, and in any such action the defendant may plead not guilty by statute and give this act and the special matter in evidence at any trial had thereupon; if a verdict pass for the defendant, or the plaintiff beor the defendant, or the plaintiff be-ome non-suited or discontinues any such action, after issue joined, or if upon demurrer or otherwise, judgment be given against the plaintiff, the de-(8) The captain or other person in charge of any steamboat, and the conductor or other person in charge of any train while used for the purpose of any such Sunday excursion, shall be liable to the penalties presulted by section 6 of this act for

scribed by section 6 of this act for violation of this act. Sec. 6. Any person who shall violate any of the provisions of this act shall for each such offence, on convic-tion, be liable to a penalty of not less than one dollar, and costs, and not exceeding twenty dollars and costs, in addition to any other penalty precribed by law for the same act. Sec. 7. Nothing herein contained

shall relieve employees or servants who violate the provisions of this act from the penalties thereby imposed in the case of such violation. sec. 8. Nothing in this act shall be construed to repeal or in anywise affect the provisions of section 2 of chapter 144 of the Revised Statutes "Of Offences Against Religion," but all the provisions in said section 2 shall continue in full force and effect, as if this act had not been passed; and where any person shall be guilty of an offence in violation of this act, and the act constitut-ing such offence is also in violation of said section 2 of chapter 144, he may be proceeded against either under the provisions of this act, or for violation of the provisions of said section 3 of said chapter 144.

MYSTERY OF A GIRL.

'Anna Barrington, of New York," Anna Ross of Windsor, N. S.

CHARLOTTETOWN, April 25 .- The mystery surrounding the young girl who attempted to commit suicide in this city about a week ago seems in a fair way of being solved. It turns out that her name is not Anna rington, as she stated, but Anna Ross, and her home, instead of being in New arents, who gave her a good educa-ion. About two years ago, it is said

lottetown letters have been received from her friends. It is understood that as soon as arrangements to that end are completed, she will be sent to her home. She is still in the Prince Ed-ward Island hospital, where she is re-ceiving every kindness and attention. Since she landed in Charlottetown, Miss Ross has told stories of a more or less contradictory character. Some times she speaks of being married, and on other occasions she talks about a wealthy relative in New York who sent her to this province for the benefit of her health, and whose child she was to take with her upon her return. At times she seems anxious to know what the papers are saying about her. It is thought the letter she addressed to one "Milton," while she was in Truro, was intended to put people interested on another track. terested on another track.

DR. D. A. MURRAY, The New Professor of Mathematics at

Dalhousie.

Dr. Murray graduated from Dal Dr. Murray graduated from Dalhousie in 1884 with the Young gold medal and honors in mathematics. The following year he was principal of Sheiburne academy. From 1885-87 he was Munro tutor of mathematics in Dalhousie. He then went to Johns Hopkins university, where he became successively Schalar, Peliow and Ph. D. in mathematics. He also studied mathematics in Berlin and Paris. From 1890-4 he was associate profess
of mathematics in the university from 1890-4 he was associate professor of mathematics in the university of New York. From there he went to Cornell as instructor of mathematics. He is a member of the American mathematical society and in 1899 was admitted a Fellow of the American Association for the Advancement of Science.

ence,
He has published a treatise on
"Differential Equations," which is
now in the third edition; also treatises
on the "Integral Calculus," and "Plane
Trigonometry." He has in the press
a similar book on "Spherical Trigono-

# Children Cry for CASTORIA

ACCIDENT AT GLACE BAY.

GLACE BAY, C. B., April 28.—An drew Anderson, son of Jas. Anterson of Port Morien, was instantly killed at Dominion, No. 3, Friday, by being crushed underneath a fall of coal. He (3) The action for recovery of any crushed underneath a fall of coal. He penalty incurred under this section may be brought before a court having durisdiction as aforesaid, in the place interment.

A Mail and Empire Representative Investigates.

Which It Has Not Experienced for Years -David Rowe Gives a Written Statement of the Facts of the Case.

Special to The Mail and Empire. CONSECON, April 27.-For some time this village and neighborhood has been ringing with the story of David Rowe. Mr. Rowe is a farmer, who has lived on a farm three miles from here all his lifetime, and is known to every round. Some time ago his friends officed a great change in his physical noticed a great change in his physical appearance, and no little comment was made as to the rapidity with which he was failing in health. From a strong, vigorous man he has become a bent and crippled invalid. Recently, however, he has appeared to his friends sturdy and straight, strong and well, and with all his old-time vigor and health. Knowing that such a case would be of great public interest, your correspondent visited Mr. Rowe your correspondent visited Mr. Rowe to get the facts. Mr. Rowe is a modest man of few words, frank, straightforward, and truthful. After having introduced myself, he said:—
"You need not apologize for visiting

not consider it an intrusion at all. I have little to say beyond the fact that as everybody round here knows, I was bent nearly double with Kidne trouble, pains in my shoulders, spine could not stand up straight to save my life. I could do no work. I consulted my physician and took his prescribed medicines, but got no better. I read in the newspapers how Dodd's Kidney Pills were curing people of Kidney Disease, Lame Back, and Rheumatism. I bought a box from Mrs. German, who keeps the grocery here. Before it was all used I began to recover, and after I had used ten boxes. I was entirely cured, and now, as you see, I am in perfect good health. This is my story. You can print it if you like, as I have nothing to hide, and it may satisfy a good many people who knew of my previous condition to know how I was cured."
"Have you any objections to signing a written statement?" enquired the re-

"None whatever," answered Mr.
Rowe, "just you go ahead and write
down what I say."

At Mr. Rowe's dictation, I prepared
the following statement, which he

the following statement, which cheerfully signed:-

"I had very severe pain in my back, more or less, for upward of two years. It commenced in my shoulders, and extended down my spine, finally concentrating its full force in what is commonly called the small of my back, or my kidneys, and there the pain was almost unendurable. It made me go bent over. I could not straighten up to save my life. When I went to unsave my life. inate it gave me great pain, and vou can just imagine a man, suffering as I did, was not able to do much. I consulted a physician, and row that Dodd's Kidney Pills were curing many cases of Kidney Diseases and Rheumatism, and I demined to give them a trial. I rehased a box off Mrs. German, the horizontal and patent med-ines here. I did not feel any enefit at first, but before I had nished the first box I began to feel a change for the better. I took in all ten boxes, and they have en tirely cured me. I have to pains in my back or across my kidneys, and I am a well man today through taking Dodd's Kidney Pills." (Signed) DAVID ROWE.

Those who may read this article, and do not know Mr. Rowe, cannot fully appreciate the position le holds in this community. He is an able

This is to certify that I am personally acquainted with Mr. David Rowe, and know him to be a man of truth, a man of sterling honesty and integrity, whose word could always be reflect on, and a gentleman well and favorably know in Consecon and vicinity, and, in fact, all through the county, and any statement he might give you I have no hesitation in saying that you need not be afraid to use, as a gentleman of Mr. Rowe's standing giving a written statement would be sure to carry weight with it.

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# BOSTON LETTER.

Most Wretched Weather for Forty Years.

Far from Good and Mills Are Curtailing Output

cent Deaths of Former Provin cialists -Spruce Lumber Market Active; Fish Market Quiet-Mows of Interest.

(From Our Own Correspondent.) BOSTON, April 27. - The most wretched weather known for forty years has encompassed this section of country since the first part of the present month. Of rain there has been an abundance, and in the remarkable period of cloudy sites the sun shall their country. The British Naval and Military Vetagore dy skies, the sun erai

committee appointed some to consider the subject be instructed to further consider the question, and in the State Association take up the

matter separately.

The annual dinner of the New England Alumni of Acadia College, Wolfville, N. S., was held at the United States botel here Tuesday night. About 40 graduates and guests were present. Speeches were delivered by Prof. Francis Haley of Acadia, Prof. Mc-Vane of Harvard (a native of Chatham, N. B. and a graduate of Acadis.) and others. Rev. Austin Kempton exhibited a series of views which he

exhibited a series of views which he has recently arranged for a lecture on Evangeline. The following officers were elected by the Alumni: President, Rev. H. T. DeWolf, Foxboro; vice president, Rev. A. A. Shaw. Brookline; secretary, B. A. Lockhart; treasurer, A. M. Wilson, Manchester, N. H. There has been some further excitement at Breakheart Hill farm. North Saugus, where John C. Best is supposed to have murdered George E. Bailey, the caretaker. This time the new caretaker, Henry Cole, has disappeared, but development show that he had a disagreement over certain finances collected by him and thought it advisable to decamp.

At the semi-annual meeting of the New England Cotton Manufacturers' Association here this week, J. Muir Farquharson of the St. Croix Mills, Militown, read on Interesting paper. Agent Cudity of the Gibson Cotton Mills, Marysville, and J. H. Parks of St. John are members of the association. The cotton manufacturing business of the series of the seri

present. The mills in Fall Riv plants have been curtailing the outout. Print cotton took a further dro

in St. John several weeks, arrived at his old church in Dorchester (St. Peter's) this week and was warmly greeted. He attended the annual reunion of the parish last night. He will go to the Southern States shortly for

a visit.

Mrs. Denis Murphy, wife of exMayor Murphy of Chicopee, died April
17. Her busband is a native of St.
John. Mrs. Murphy was a sister of
Father Dollard, rector of the Church
of the Holy Rosary, St. Stephen. She
was 41 years of age.

Among recent deaths of provincialists in Boston and vicinity were the
following: In Everett, April 23, Alberta B. Laird, 10 years old daughter
of Robert H. Laird, formerly of St.

John; in South Boston, April 23, Kenneth McKay, aged 62 years, mative of P. E. I.; in East Boston, April 19, Mrs. Grace Brine, wife of William O. Brine (nee Cornish), formerly of P. E. I., aged 55 years; in Chelsea, April 19, Michael W. Rogan, aged 67 years, formerly of St. John; in Worcester, April 24, Mrs. Jane C. Adams (nee Marsh), aged 66 years, native of Pictou, N. S.; in Dorchester, April 21, Miss Annie Flora McLellan, daughter of Peter D. McLellan, aged 18 years, formerly of Sydney, C. B.; in East Cambridge, April 19, Richard W. Madigan, late of Halifax; in Dorchester, April 22, Thos. D. Kayes, aged 48 years, formerly of North Sydney, C. B.; in Jamaica Plain, April 23, Daniel McDougal, aged 33 years, native of Cape Breton; in Cambridge, April 25, Mary L. Dionne, eight years old daughter of Charles J. Dionne, parents formerly of Halifax. Among the provincialisis in town this week were the following: Senator J. V. Ellis and Mrs. Ellis, G. I. Beverly, C. McDonald, St. John; Sidney G. Milis Shedlac: C. F. Randolph M. S. erly, C. McDonald, St. John; Sidney Mills, Shedlac; C. F. Randolph, M. Hall, Fredericton; H. B. Bingay,

able period of cloudy skies, the sun has shone but two or three times. This week the rain poured in torrents for two days and it is still cloudy.

The old issue of Canadian reciprocity was trotted out once more by the Massachusetts State Board of Trade at the Monthly meeting here this week. It was voted that the joint committee appointed some time ago to consider the winter that the still control of the consider the winter that the sun officers attended. The evening was a most enjoyable one, and the Americans present complimented the

was a most enjoyable one, and the Americans present complimented the splendid showing made by the colonial troops in South Africa.

Little progress has been made as yet in farm work in New England. The wet weather has delayed all work, and property along the rivers and lakes has been damaged by freshets. The grass is in good condition in this State, and all that regetation needs to bring it along is a few days of sunshine.

The steamship service between Boston, Port Hawkesbury and Charlottetown will be resumed Saturday, May 4, and the direct Sydney service by the Plant line will be commenced early in June.

Sir—Realising that Hon. Mr. Blatr is a great friend to New Brunswick, I hasten 'o point out a chance for him to do a good turn for the farmers of the province. I have been reading about do a good turn for the farmers of the province. I have been reading about his steel rail contracts. If he is going to deal in futures, why not give the farmers a chance as well as the big contractors? Out here in Kings County as high as \$15 per ton has been paid for best hay in small lots. If Mr. Blair would order a few thousand tons at this price now, to be delivered to him next August, the farmers would be delicated. Dr. Pursley ought to press lighted. Dr. Pugsley ought to press this matter upon Mr. Blair's attention at once, as the price of hay might de-oline. Yours,

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HOW CRIME IS ENCOURAGED.

enumerators in Ontario collectors Premier Ross. Mr. Fisher, whose officers were approached with these famous proposals, says that he do not intend to take action against the persons who wrote to the enumer ators. It does not strike the minist of agriculture that it is a serious offence for the party managers to ask the sworn officials to break their oath of secrecy, and also to take public money for campaign services.

It is not surprising that the mos

ion by grit party heelers. They have been protected in the past and know that they will be in the future by federal and provincial ministers. The premier himself is a notorious prodefend. A number of his supporters committed pententiary offences in the West Huron and Brockyllic by-elecpublic in the house the premier was virtuous. The good name of the coun-try must be respected, the sacred rights of the ballot must not be violatnt to and assist in an inquiry before the privileges committee. But as soon as the inquiry began the governegan to obstruct. Still th facts. So they caused the inquiry to nd over for completion next year for the resumption of the inquiry, the clared that a parliamentary ittee was not a good tribunal He proposed to take the investigation out of the house and give it to a cominquiry, which had cost thousands of witnesses to the stand, was broken off in the middle. The premier then gave quiry would begin at once and continue until all the facts were brought

solved. A new election was held. The same gang who committed the offence in the by-elections were again at work have been paid in cash. All are free. Not a step has been taken in the inquiry that the premier of Canada solemnly promised on two occasions.

In this province a whole voters list was forged. The names of revisors

were added to it by lorgery. Four hundred names were translatently added to a list of less than one hundred. been an easy task for the attorney general. Everybody knew that Dr. Pugsley could hunt down these offenders in a few hours. He, too, was full of virtue at first. Nothing could exceed the solemnity of his assurance that he would do all he could to bring the criminals to justice. He has done nothing. He will do nothing. The able opportunity. Dr. Pugsley and his colleagues have the hearty support and sympathy of every forger who made the Rothesay bogus list.

It is the same everywhere. When office, clerks and tide waiters reported as having attended a political meeting, there was brought to his attention the case of a customs inspector in his office without leave, had gone down to the Magdalen Islands, canvassed there daily until election day, and then had himself sworn under a false name as the representative of the It has been proved on oath that the father and son carried of this fraud, wet the father has since been promoted and his salary has been several times raised, while the son sits in the house and makes laws for the people of Can-

THE CONNOLLY CONTRACT.

The suit between Mr. Mayes and Mr. Connolly recalls the history of the live years.

ontract. Tenders for the Long wharf

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It will be seen that Heney's tender was \$29,980 below Connolly's, and that Mayes' tender, \$108,183 lower than Conwrote to Mr. Blair stating that when he tendered he had supposed that he might hire a dredge from the United States while he was getting one built for himself. He had since learned that he government would make him pay duty on the dredge, and therefore ask-Heney had also written stating that he had tendered under the same im-

he had tendered under the same impression, and asking leave to increase his tender by \$35,000, which would be the amount of duty. This increase made his tender higher than Connolly's, but a like increase in the Mayes' tender would still have left it \$75,000 lower than the one accepted. In the end Mayes and Heney dropped out, and without again calling for tenders Mr. Blair gave the contract to the Connolly's at their own price. At the time the minister informed the house that Mayes' deposit of \$14,000 and Heney's of \$20,000 would be forfeited. This ney's of \$20,000 would be forfeited. This was two and a half years ago, and when questioned the other day the min-ister of finance stated that the money had not yet been paid into the treas-ury, though the cheques have not been eturned. It was charged in the house at the time that the Connollys had agreed with the other tenderers to pay heir forfeits, which would still leave them their contract at \$74,000 above the lowest tender. Subsequently Mr. Mayes took over from the Connollys the work of constructing the wharf, and the way in which that work was executed shows that he was quite cap able of carrying through the whole en terprise. St. John Star.

THE SHORE LINE.

mination of Mr. Sage and his fellow directors to make the Shore Line first class road. This railway ought to be a much more important line than it has been. With a good road bed, a modern equipment, and better accommodation for travellers, the Shore The prospective establishment of an important pulp industry at Lepreaux, the development of canning enterpris at St. George, the increase in summ travel from New England, closer con-nection with the railway system of Maine, and with the main part of this city will all be elements in favor of increased trade and travel. Hitherto the Shore Line has not quite fulfilled the expectations of the original pronoters, or those entertained by the public when the work was undertaken. But the future may redeem the past.

senting Mr. Kruger in the United perform that function in England, are busy pointing out how much Mr. Chamberlain's war has cost the Empire in blood and treasure. There is only one sense in which the responsibility for this war rests with Mr Chamberlain. He was one of Mr. Gladstone's colleagues when the ansvaal was given back to the ers after the battle of Majuba. This war is the result of that awful blun-

May 24th will henceforth be a perpetual holiday in Canada. This was he announcement made in the house of commons yesterday afternoon by Si Wilfrid Laurier, who said the holiday would be proclaimed in compliance people. It will occur to the residents of the provinces by the sea, and pos sibly to their fellows in Ontario, that Sir Wilfrid might have made this an nouncement several weeks ago.

The president of the Cuban constit tutional convention and a delegation from that body are now in Washing ton, They have gone there to please for the independence of Cuba. The United States government will not grant their request. The Cuban deletion of reminding the secretary of state that the United States declared Cuban independence.

A Toronto paper has interviewe siness people and publishes their general demand on the government to call in the twenty cent pieces. Tha is an easy thing to do, but it would have to be done often. The twenty cent piece of Canadian commerce is chiefly a Newfoundland product. It must be made the subject of negotiation.

The season's navigation on the St. Lawrence has a bad beginning. The Ashanti, which went ashore at Matane, and the Tiverton, which grounded near Sorel, were among the first on the route for this year.

LONDON, April 30.—The Daily Express asserts that the financiers for whom J. Pierpont Morgan is acting are ordering ten big liners, and that the Americans will spend £10,000,000 upon new vessels during the coming

INSURANCE RATES. ontreal Men Want to Have Then Increased in These Provinces

ates came up at the meeting of the council on the board of trade Satur day, and was referred to the banking and insurance committee. The follow ing correspondence is of interest in that connection:

MONTREAL, April 22nd, 1901, M. Jarvis, Esq., the Liverpool & London & Globe Insurance Co., St John, N. B.:

Dear Sir,-At a meeting of manager eld on the 18th instant in this city,"i was unanimously decided that in view of the unsatisfactory reports on the the maritime provinces made by ex-perts, and because of the apathy evinced by municipalities, some me should be taken by managers of e panies controlling the field with a view to a material advance in rates.

ration hazard is, as you know, very eriously to be considered and there is general feeling that present rates over a term of thirty years, with such disasters as the St. John, N. B., and Windson, N. S., conflagrations, has reed in little or no profit to the com

As chairman of the meeting I w instructed to communicate with head offices controlling the field and not represented at this meeting, asking them to co-operate with the committee of nanagers, who are to proceed to St. John, N. B., firstly, to a meeting called for the 6th May.

It was the earnest desire of the con panies here assembled that a repre-sentative from each head office be preent on the above named date to act with the committee now appointed which is composed so far of the following companies: Phoenix of London Imperial, Norwich Union, and Union I shall be pleased to have a peply t this communication, and trust that you will be able to send one of your chief officials to meet this committee, as the subject is an important one.

Yours faithfully,

RANDALL DAVIDSON, Address to N. B. & M. Ins. Co.

ST. JOHN, N. B., April 24th, 1901. andall Davidson, Esq., the North British, & Mercandile Insurance Company, Montreal, P. Q.:

Dear Sir,—I am in due receipt of your otter of the 22nd inst., but I regret o say that I shall not be in St. John on May 6th, as I made last week an engagement of some importance outside this province for that day—and shall probably be away until the Saturday following.

in our attending the proposed meeting The revision of the tariffs in the mari provinces is now being carried ntelligently by the local boards We consider the present rates, subject to some alterations which will receiv misfortune if attempts were made to advance rates unintelligently or beyond any such advance if decided on by a States, and Mr. Stead, who seems to majority vote of those present at the

meeting you propose.

I, am, dear sir, Yours faithfully. W. M. JARVIS,

The following statement of insuran losses in the great St. John and Wind sor fires will be of interest in this con nection. It shows that the company which Mr. Davidson represents was hard hit. The net amount is given in the St. John case, omitting consider-1. Losses St. John, N. B., June,

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DR. C. A. BLACK DEAD. Was Formerly Prominent in Municipal and Provincial Politics,

A telegram received in the city an-nounces the death yesterday morning of Dr. C. A. Black of Baie Verte. He was out and around on Saturday as usual and was in his office attending to a patient when stricken with par-alysis. His only daughter, the wife of Albert E. Wilson of the post office staff in this city, was telegraphed for, but her father was unconscious when she reached his bedside.

The funeral will take place tomor-

Charles Augustus Black, M. D., was the son of Samuel F. Black of Sackville, N. B., whose ancestors emigrated to the United States from Huddersfield, Eng., in the latter part of the 18th century. He was born in Sackville, N. B., in 1837, and was educated at the Mt. Altison Wesleyan Academy there and at Lower Horton Seminary, N. S. Dr. Black was married in 1860 Bale Verte to Elizabeth, daughter of Jacob Silliker. He was graduated M. D. at the University of Pennsyl-Jacob Silliker. He was graduated vania in 1859. Was a councillor for the inicipality of Westmorland for many ars and was elected warden of the county of Westmorland by acclama-tion annually for four years. He was returned to the provincial legislature at the general election of 1882 as a servative, and sat for one term For over 40 years Dr. Black practiced tary country, and as his record in nunicipal and provincial politics frows, he was held in high esteem by the people of his native county, and his death will be widely and sincerely mourned.

ANNOYING REFLECTIONS.

The Roman Catholics of this city are very indignant over this state-ment," said a leading citizen of that faith to the Sun yesterday, in refer-ence to an article in the Richibucto view reprinted in the St. John Globe. The quotation referred to the removal of George V. Melnerney to St. John in these words:

It is said one ideas that both he and his riends entertain in his removal to St. John s that he should contest that constituency in the local government interest as the estable representative on the city ticket at he next local election. Some of his St. John

friends are putting him forward as the Irish Catholic cabinet representative.

The Review added a liberal measure of abuse of Mr. McInerney. The citizen who spoke to the Sun, and who is

Germs, Germs.

We hear a great deal about them these days, and rightly too; for they are the direct cause of whooping-cough, diphtheria, scarlet fever and other diseases of childhood. When any of these are in the neighborhood, you should use Vapo-Cresolene. Every evening purify their sleeping rooms with this perfectly safe remedy. It is so easy to prevent the disease in this way. For whoopng cough and croup, the doctors say it is a perfect specific.

Vapo-Cresolene is sold by druggists everywhere. A Vapo-Cresolene outfit, including the Vaportzer and Lamp, which should last a life-time, and a bottle of Cresolene, complete, 81, 50; extra supplies of Cresolene 25 cents and 50 cents. Hustrated booklet containing hysicians' testimonials free upon request, Varo-Cresolene 25, cents of Cresolene 25, Capacita Stetimonials free upon request, Varo-Cresolene Co., 180 Fulton St., New York, U.S.A.

supporter of the government, said that Mr. McInerney was coming to St. John, as was well known, in search of a wider field for the practice of his profession, and for greater opportunities for his family. He had many friends here, but neither he nor they had discussed the question of his poli-tical future.

tical future.

The Sun's informant suggested that it would be more courageous for the manager of the Telegraph to say in his own paper what he had to say of the St. John Catholics than to send it off to be printed in Kent county.

WHEN IN DOUBT HOW To cure a COLD, To relieve NEURALGIA. To relieve RHEUMATISM. To cure QUINSY, To cure BRONCHITIS,
To cure CROUP,
To cure WHOOPING COUGH,

Capt. Win. H. Saunders of Sandy Cove, Digby, has taken command of the American ship E. B. Sutton, now loading oil at New York for Japan. His brother Chipman goes with him as first officer.

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FREDERICTON.

Inquest Regarding the Death of the Lat John Hewiston.

FREDERICTON, April 29.-The in nuest on the body of the late John Hewitson of Doak Settlement, whose nudden death occurred here Saturday night after a drunken spree in a place on Westmorland street kept by New-ton Lee, was held this evening before Coroner Seery. After hearing the evi-dence of Mrs. Hewitson, Silas McIntyre, Newton Lee, the keeper of the house, and John Johnston, an irmate of the same, the jury agreed that the deceased came to his death from the excessive use of intoxicating liquors and exposure while at Newton Lee's The jury felt that Lee was open to censure for not caring for the man while he was on his premises.

OTTAWA NEWS.

OTTAWA, April 28.-As a result of a grand march through the corridors adjoining the chamber, in which great numbers participated; led by Scottish pipers. Premier Laurier has called Hon. Mr. Dobell to account and lectured him severely. Mr. Dobell gave a dinner to the grits at Aylmer, and when the party returned they started for Parliament Hill, with a piper ding. The noise distrubed the house and Laurier ordered room 16, the government ante-chamber, to be closed. Next day he strongly condemned the inseemly conduct of his followers and gave Dobell to understand that such actions would not be tolerated. Attorney General Pugsley and Judge left for Montreal today.

It is stated that the Duke and

Duchess of Cornwall will hold a state The members of parliament go to Quebec on the 11th of May, as the guests of the city council and harbor board, to inspect the terminal facili-

INTERVIEW WITH F. H. CLERGUE.

F. H. Clergue, in an interview pub-

lished in the Montreal Star, says:
"I hope that the discussion which has arisen in parliament over the contract between my company and the government railways for their rail supply will not be terminated until the government have informed parliament of all facts relating to the negotiations which culminated in this contract. Up to the present stage of the ion I do not think that either parliament or the press have a just idea of the question." Clergue states that a proposition was made to Blair a year before the general election, and on the promise of the government to take 25,000 tons of rails each year for five years, construction of the plant was commenced in good faith. Without the guarantee of this order from the government Clergue states that his company would have never com-menced the work of constructing the mills. Only the absence of Mr. Blair prevented the decision of the government being put into formal sha his return the order in council was passed and the contract sent to Clergue, upon terms which were en-tirely satisfactory to the recipient... AT INDIANTOWN.

The water up river and at Indiantown is falling steadily, and unless in the event of immediate and heavy rains will probably not rise to a higher level this spring. In the Salmon river the water fell about four inches yes-terday and at Fredericton has gone lown over two feet from its former

The dredge Dominion arrived Chipman yesterday in tow of the tug Hope, where it will be used to dig a channel from the bridge up to F. E. Sayre's mills. The tug Winnie will remain as tender.

The Peri, Tabley Bros. tug, arrived from Fredericton yesterday morning and immediately left again for up river with a scow load of tackle for



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# CITY NEWS.

Recent Events in and Around St. John

Together With Country Items from Correspondants and Exchanges.

When ordering the address of your WEEKLY SUN to be changed, send the NAME of the POST OFFICE to which the paper is going as well as that of the office to which you wish Remember! The NAME of the Post Mee must be sent in all cases to asure prompt compliance with your

Windsor, N. S., will celebrate Dominion day on a big scale

Henry Clark of Canterbury, York Co., is about to erect a modern pro-

The log cut that is now affoat in the treams and rivers of Maine is the la.gest for many years.

Quantities of smoked herring cut up in small pieces are being shipped west by Capt. James A. Calder, an enterresident of Campobello Island Chickens from Ontario, dressed, with heads and feet, and undrawn,

brought readily 15c. per lb. on the St. John Easter market this year.—Co-op-John Doyle, the well known Barti-

bogue mail carrier, has eleven sheep with twenty-two lambs, four of his cows have eight calves, and he has a sow with a litter of seventeen pigs.-Chatham World.

Philip Palmer of Hampton, brothe of Station Agent Falmer of Sackville, has been elected senior deputy grand master of the New Brunswick Orange lodge.—Sackville Post.

Fred Coleman of the Barker House Fredericton, was in town yesterday. He told the Sun that he intended shipping a ton of Killarney frogs to the Buffalo exhibition, every frog a thor-

A cablegram from Melbourne states that ship George T. Hay, Capt. Spicer, from Melbourne for Newcastle, N. S. W., is anchored off Western Port, showing signals of distress and dragging anchors.

J. & R. McLeod of Black River will launch early next month the barken-tine Malwa, which they are building for the Messes. Smith of Windson. J. M. Smith, who is in town, vill bave a look at the new vessel this week.

The barkentine which J. & R. Mc-Leod are building at Black Biver for the Messrs. Smith of Windsor, and which will be launched early next month, has been charbered to carry lumber to South America.

held in Charlottetown, P. E. I., a tady publicly announced her willingness, if backed up by others of her sex, to-organize a "hetchet battle" a la Carrie Nation, and drive the rum traffic out

Geo. A. Kimball has purchased from the Drury estate for \$5,100, the dwelling on Coburg street at present occupied by Mrs. J. W. Beard. Mr. Kimball will occupy the house after May 1. Mrs. Beard removing to Germain street, near Union.

On April 18th Thomas Borden of Port Williams, N. 18., took in out of his field 50 bushels of thrings that had remained in the ground all winter. He says that they were almost as good as these harvested last November by him.—Wedge.

A Halifax despatch, received Saturday, stated that the sch. Willie D., plaster laden, bound from Cheverie to Bowdoinham, Me., sprung a leak off Refuge Cove that morning and sank. The crew were saved. There is some insurance on the vessel in St. John.

JUST CURES ASTHMA The Gold Cure. If you suffer sample box, Small purely vegetable. Retreatise to Hayes & Co., Simcoe, Ont.

The canvassers and collectors for the SEMI-WEEK-LY SUN are now making their rounds as mentioned below. The Manager hopes that all subscribers in arrears will pay when called

B. W. Robertson, in Charlotte County.

Edgar Canning, in Albert

Donald Morrison, the second oldest man in Summerside, P. E. I., died on the 26th at the residence of Ms son-in-law, Robert W. Sharp, in his 91st year. Deceased was born in Dumfries, Scot-land, and came to Canada when eight

A. D. Thomas, the new grand maste of the Orangemen of New Bruns-wick, is a well-known citizen of Fredericton. He defeated Douglas Mc Arthur and R. G. Magee, who were also nominated for the office. Mr. Thomas was easily elected on the first

Ten conductors of the Intercol and the staff in the round house is be ling reduced. A great many men taker on the road just previous to the election are now laid off. A number railway men are being removed from Truro, others comining to take their laces.—Halifax Herald.

The issue of the Dalhousle, for April is a "Professor Macdonald Memorial Number." Its contributors include Rev. B. Macrae, D. D., St. John; Principal Grant, Prof. Gowlon of Pine Hill, Hon. D. C. Fraser, Prof. John Washall Posts. John Waddell, Prin. Pollock, etc. The magazine is freely illustrated, the frontispiece being a splendid portrait of the man who for 38 years was the central figure in Dalhousie.

The death from pneumonia is re-ported of Mrs. Olive Campbell, whe of John Campbell, which occurred at her John Campbell, which occurred at her residence on Military road Friday evening. Mrs. Campbell had only been ill a very short time. Deceased was in her forty-second year and leaves a large family of young children. Her body was taken by steamer for interment to Canaan, Queens Co.

While St. John finds it necessary to lumber to South America.

The many St. John friends of H. H. Allingham, formerly of the C. P. R. Telegraph staff here, will be glad to hear that his health has greatly am Moncton butcher purchased a here of the staff here. 27 cattle for about \$1,300 from Wilroe Wallace of Middle Coverdale, who is one of the best cattle feeders in that part of the province.

cured of croup, whooping cough and colds by using Vapo-Cresolene—they breathe it.

The suburban train on the I. C. R. will start running for the summer mason on May 20th. To accommodate parties who move out along the line before that time, or parties going out to get their homes in shape for their summer reaction the Outber their summer vacation, the Quebec train leaving here at 17.00 o'clock; standard time, will make all the local stops be-tween St. John and Hampton when here are passengers on that train for

Sch. Mola, from Buenos Ayres for New York, before reported ashore at Chadwick, N. J., is in good condition, The approaching sardine season properties to be the most interesting in its history, says the Eastport News. Determined efforts are to be made by the independent factories to break down the control of the market by the syndless. teams could be driven alongside. The railroad track is within half a ...lle of the wreck. The Pennsylvania rail-

> A Pill that can be used when re quired for Constipation or Costive-ness without causing sickness or pain is BEACH'S STOMACH and LIVER PILIS. Send 10 cents to The Baird Co. Ltd., Woodstock, N. B., for a trial sample box, Small pill, small dose, purely vegetable. Regular size 25 cts.

# Spring Is Here.

And our stock of seasonabe Dry Goods, Furnishings, etc., is the argest and newest we've ever shown.

# Ladies' Skirts.

Plain or Faney Black Skirts, - - \$2.60 to \$5.00 each " Colored Skirts - - 200 up.

We carry a great variety of sizes in stock, but if we should not have your size we will make one to order at the same price as those in stock.

Wrappers, extra full and thoroughly well made, 90c to \$2.00 each Shirt Waists, ..... 50e and up. ...... 30e. pair and up. New Prints, ..... 76 to 14s. yard. Ginghams, ..... 6c. yard and up.

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SPRING MOVING.

Last Friday there were twenty lo household goods on the road in of nousehold goods on the road in Jacksonville, the property of men who were changing their abode. There were several other men who wanted to move on the same day, but as the teams were all engaged they could not.—Woodstock Dispatch.

DUFFY-CHESLEY

At the church of Our Lady of Mercy, Fredericton road, Westmorland county, on Wednesday morning, April the George Chesley, I. C. R. conductor, was united in the holy bonds of matriny by the Rev. Father Care tor, to Barclay M. Duffy of Brookville, St. John. The brude was accompanied by Miss Annie Harper of Salisbury as bridesmald and Leo Keohan support-

THE LATE LEWIS AVARD.

The death on the 21st ult. of Lewis Avaid of Bristol, Shemogue, N. B. leaves a blank in that community that will not be soon or easily filled. Mr. Avard was one of the largest farmers in the district, and was always ready to help on everything that he believed would enhance the prosperity of the reighborhood, He leaves a widow (needs) Miss Coster of Mount Whatley), and six children, two sons and four daughters. The funeral services were con ducted by the Rev. S. Howard and Dr. Chapman. The deceased was in the 67th year of his age. Mr. Avard was a member of a family of 12 children, five of whom still survive: William and Charles of Bristol, John of Amherst, Mrs. McQueen of Point de Bute, ar Mrs. Chapman, formerly of Point de Bute, but now of Bristol. Mrs. Chap-man's home has been at her late fath-er's the last year. She is in her 1811. year and an invalid.

P. E. L WOOL MARKET.

There has been quite a drop in the wool market lately, and the best No. 1 P. E. Island tub washed wool is offer ing at 15 to 16 cents, while in Outside and Quebec the price has fallen to 13 to 14 cents. The high duty levied by the United States has dropped exportation from Canada, and overloade Ninety per cent, of last year's clip still on the Island in the hands of dea ers, unsold. Prospects for early sales are not very bright, and the prices for

STEEL SHIP BUILDING.

A meeting was held on Friday after-moon at the office of William Thomson & Co. of the gentlemen interested in the establishment of steel ship build-There were present: B. F. Pearson and H. Crewe of Halifax, and J. H. McAvity of this city. The matter was very fully discussed, and it was de-cided to have made an exhaustive examination of the possible sites for such industries at St. Tehn, Hallfax and Sydney. As soon as reports are submitted with regard to the various sites action will be taken by the par-

The Easter Monday meeting was held at St. Jahn's church, Highfield, on April 8th, when the following were elected: Church wardens: Geo. Cody and Isaac R. Peirson, Lay representatives to Diocesan Synod: Charles F. Cody and Wan. M. Pearson. Substitutes: George E. Pearson and Medley Pearson. Vestaymen: John Rearson, A. H. & Vradenburgh, Charles Alcors. William Pearson. T. E. A. Pearson, John Ingledew, Charles pher Crawford, Robert Jeffrey, James F. Roberts, A. Tilley Pearson, Fred Leonard, Andrew Richardson.

WHERE IS J. D. L. MORRIS IN? The following is from the advertising

columns of Reynolds' Newspaper, pub-lished in Lordon, England; "News wanted of J. D. L. Morrison Last heard of at a farm near Windsor, Nova Scotia, July 3 1896. The ather, John Morrison, care of editor, Rey-nolds Newspaper, inquires. Nova Scotia and Canadian papers please conv."

LUMBER AT LOCH LOMOND. Mesers. Mooney have had a gang of nen working at the Loch Lomond all the week getting the logs under the bridge and ready to drive. The cut for the firm on the first and second lakes first drive will be made on Mon

DEATHS BY ACCIDENT.

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Dell Cox, son of Dr. J. G. Cox, of Bath, Carleton Co., was accidentally drowned while fishing on Saturday. He was twenty-three years old.

Henry S. Fisher, of C. Fisher & Sons, lumbermen at Amherst Head, was killed on Saturday in the firm's saw mill. A slab flew back from the saw and struck him, causing fatal injury. He was forty-four years old, and leaves a widow and four children. His oldest daughter died only a few weeks ago. Andrew Anderson of Port Morien was crushed to death by a fall of coal at Dominion mines, Glace Bay, Saturday. He was twenty-four years sid day. He was twenty-four years old

Kathleen, the six-year-old daughter of Charles Fulton of Stewlacke, was burned to death on Saturday. Her clothes were ignited from rubbish free around which she was playing. The ther is an invalid.

effect that the sch. Melba was to have left there with cedar and mahogany for New York on the 23rd inst.

# Bark Nore, Capt. Anlin, from Wilmington, N. C., for Stettin, has landed at Falmouth the captain and five members of the crew of the Norwegian ship Parthena, Capt. Gronneberg, from Mobile March 4 for Liverpool, which was passed abandoned and waterlogged April 7, lat. 39.27, ion. 50.34. Ten others of the Parthena's crew had been transferred to sch. Vardik, Capt. Henriksen, bound from Laguna for Stettin. The Parthena was built at Newport, N. S., in 1877, by Mr. Harvie. Maritime Provinces have we shown our right to the

Maritime Provinces have we shown our right to the Leadership we claim as we have this season. Our fabrics most of which are confined to us, are models of neatness and gentility. Our styles are perfect and correct, and our prices are such as permit the buyer to save from \$2.00 to \$5.00 on each Suit or Overcoat purchased from our tables.

## OUR SPRING BOOK IS READY.

Shall we send it to you? Free. Which reminds us of what a Catalogue is for: To give people who live outside of Saint John, far, and near, the same chance to buy that Saint John people have—at least that is what our book is for. The Key to the whole book is, send back what you don't like and let us send you your money. Just like our Store business, you see.

# GREATER OAK HALL Scovil Bros. & Co.

RECENT DEATHS.

At her home, Pleasant Point, on Thursday, the death occurred of Mrs. Eliza A. Doherty, wife of John H. Doherty, one of the best known residents, in that suburb, after an illness dents, in that suburb, after an illness dents. which in a week's time developed into paralysis of the brain. Deceased was skty-three years of age, and a most estimable person. She leaves seven sons—James, William, Alonso, Leonard, George, Harry and Welter—and one daughter, Mrs. A. Lordly, of this city. All the children are at the saddened better was except Leonard, who was expected from northern New Brunswick last evening. Mrs. Do-herty has two balf-brothers. living James Lyman of Boston and Joseph Lyman of Har Harbor, Me.

Get the wellable KENDRICK'S. A BAPTIST BISHOP.

Rev. 12 A. Elaton, the Nove Soutian Avenue Bartist church, Cleveland, will have a salary of \$5,000, a free house, an assistant pastor, and two attends when at his Cleveland residence, and is the largest Baptist church between New York and Chicago. The paster is almost wholly relieved from States, and generally he is expected to represent the Baptist church at all im-portant gatherings.

JOHN GRADUATES.

st public graduation of nurse The first public graduation of nurses at the Newport, R. I., hospital took place with Tuesday evening, the 16th lifett, the the Littlefield ward in the administration building followed by an informal reception and dancing. Diplomes were swarded to Miss Ida II. Foster, Miss Mary L. McMillan, Miss Minnie Mae Mullikin and Miss Mabel C. Olive. Miss Foster's diploma was given cum taude, an honor rarely bestowed. The diplomas were tied with broad red, white and blue ribbons, and accompanying was a gold prin representing the work. After the pin representing the work. After the diplomes were presented two of the nurses brought in flowers, hung in baskets by white ribbons about their makes, and these were presented to the

Then followed an informal reception, at which the graduates received the congratulations of their friends, the first to offer their good wishes being first former graduates of the hospital. During the reception refreshments, were served, and then there was seeing, in which many of the murses and graduates participated.

St. John is particularly interested in this graduating class from the fact that three of the four graduates are St. John girls. Miss Foster, who made such a splendid record, is a sister of lendid record, is a sister of Walter E. Foster of Wm. Vassie & Co., Ltd.; Miss McMillan is a daugh-E. Foster of Wm. Vassie & ter of John McMillan, and Miss Olive a daughter of H. J. Olive of Carleton.

LAPATA, Md., April 29.-A large

Chicago woman.

"We have used Grape-Nuts over a year. I weighed, when I began using it about 100 pounds, but have gained 22 pounds since. I have recovered entirely from dyspepsia since using this delicious food. My husband and children and or Gran-Nuts as much as I dren show from. My husband and children show Grap-Nuts as much as I do, and they have all been decidedly henefited by its use.

My baby is very much healthier than my other two children were at his age. I attribute the difference to the use I have made of Grape-Nuts Food

SALT SPRINGS.

A Salt Springs correspondent writes: It is with regret that we respond to the call to record the death of Mrs. Alex. Reid, of this place, at the age of 73. For some months past she alled with heart trouble, and although her death was not unexpected, yet it car-ried a pang of sorrow to her aged hus-band, family and her large number of friends and relatives. The services at the home were conducted by Mr. Mil-ler, Presbyterian catechist, and at the grave by Rev. Mr. McNeil of Hams-ton village, while the memorial ser-vice was conducted in the church by Mr. McNeill, from the text: Prepare to meet thy God.

We also have to record the death of the infant child of Mr. and Mrs. Jas.

Smith, who have been on the sick list for some time, are, we are glad to learn, improving.

CONCERT AND PIE SOCIAL.

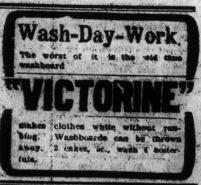
On Friday evening at the schoolroom very interesting and amusing concert and pie social, conducted by the teachman. Some of those who took part were the Misses M. Clarke, Golding, M. Buckley, M. and M. Montgomery, Messrs. G. Buckley, Porter Daffy, H. and D. Gilliland and W. and L. rendered by the Misses Montgomery one of whom also sang a very pretty solo; also some very young ladies and gentlemen rendered two or three apgentlemen rendered two or three appropriate choruses. A very laughable reading was given by Geo. Buckley, and several other readings and recitations were also given. A lively dialogue was carried on by some gentlemen from "De Sunny Souf," and was enjoyed immensely. A charming and pretty tableau finished the programme. The pies were auctioned by Thomas Gilliand. The young gentlemen had the room cleared and a few hours were most enjoyably spent in dancing. L. Carvell acting as violinist for the occasion.

WAS A NATIVE OF ST. JOHN

Robert Bell, aged 47, died at his home in Amherst, N. S., April 25th, after a few weeks' illness, of paralysis. B., but had been in the employ of Christie Bros. & Co., undertakers, for the past 25 years. He was an active member of the Amherst Baptist church, a prominent Forester and Oddfellow, and captain of No. 3 company of the Amherst fire department. He was twice married. His first wife, Mary, daughter of the late William Mitchell, died in March, 1894. His second wife, who survives him, was Miss Clara Atkinson, of Dorchester, N. B. He also leaves four children by the first wife. His second son, Aubrey, aged sixteen, died only a few wee ago. He leaves two sisters, both resients of St. John, Mrs. James Brown of the north end, and Mrs. J. S. Brown of Duke street.

The funeral was held on Saturday afternoon under the auspices of the Amherst fire department. Ivy lodge of Oddfellows and Court Acadia of Foresters, each body paying some tri-bute to the memory of the deceased. Rev. Mr. Bates and Rev. Dr. Steele officiated. The attendance was very large.

MINNEAPOLIS, April 29.—A special Of course it is a great advantage to have a food that is already cooked and sure to be in good condition. This is not always true of many cereals." Mrs. Geo. S. Foster, 1025 Wabansia Ave., says an unknown three masted entire crew has been drowned, as two bodies have been washed ashore.



MGR. O'CONNESS.

The Newly Appointed Roman Catholic Bishop of Maine.

the infant child of Mr. and Mrs. Jas.

Allsby. This is the third child they have last within the past few weeks. The services were conducted by Mr. Miller. To those sorrowing ones the community extends their Christian sympathy.

John Boyd Dempster, who returned from the St. John hospital, where he had been for the past four months under treatment for consumption. He continues in the same condition.

James Reid still continues ill but where he graduated in the same condition.

Hishop of Maine.

Monsigner O'Connell was born in Lowell, Mass., Dec. 3, 156, and attended the public schools of that city, passing through the various courses and graduating from the high school in 1876. He then went to Si Charles.

College, near Baltimore, which is conducted by the Suppleians for the training of young ecclesiastics. He stadled there during three years, 1876, 1877, 1878. He then went to Boston College, where he graduated is the same conducted by the Suppleians for the training of young ecclesiastics. He stadled there during three years, 1876, 1877, 1878. under treatment for consumption.

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honors.

At the conclusion of his studies at Boston College, because of his excellent scholarship, he was selected by Archbishop Williams to go to Rome to study for the priesthood, an honor conferred only upon the brightest and most promising pupils. Before his ordination he was appointed first prefect of the American College. He was ordained at Rome, Jan. 3, 1864.

After becoming a priest he ren in Rome, filling the position of the first prefect until 1885, when he returned to America. He was then appointed by Archbishop Williams assistant at the church in Medford.

most cordial exchange of love and be-nevolence took place between the peo-ple and himself. He was next appoint-ed assistant at St. Joseph's church, Boston, where he remained about 10 years, or until he left to assume the

In Rome itself, among the brilliant and diplomatic leaders, he made an impression that will not be soon fordict for him great success in his new and high ecclesiastical office. It is expected that he will assume the duties of the bishopric some time during the

PORTLAND, Me., April 23.—The local Catholic clergy are of the opinion that the appointment of Fr. O'Co

of this city have met Mgr. O'Con and they all pronounce him a thor-loughly wide awake and up to date priest. He is especially prominent in the order of Knights of Columbus and is a great worker among the

SCHOONER ASHORE

The Sun's Digby correspondent wrote under Saturday's date as follows: Sch. Griqualand is ashore at Battery Point here. She had loaded piling at a port up the bay, and being caught in the recent heavy gale, put into Digby for shelter. She anchored too close to shore, and this morning when trying to put to sea it was found her rudder post was broken. She ran ashore while trying to get in to Sproul's wharf, and now lies in a ather dangerous position on the rocks. Sch. Ida. gerous position on the rocks. Ech. Ida M Shafner was towed to sea this morning. She is loaded with lumber from Clarke Bros. at Rear Liver, and

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# PROVINCIAL'NEWS

FREDERICTON, April 23.-John Patterson of Lincoln met with a pe liar and severe accident on Saturday He was working at home at a circucutting a gash into the back of the thigh about twelve inches long and three to four inches deep. Dr. J. W. Bridges was called for, and he stitched up and dressed the wound. The in-jured man is doing as well as can be expected.

His worship Mayor Crocket entertained the city council and officials at dinner at the Queen hotel this evening. The invited guests included the aldermen, city treasurer, elerk and auditor, police magistrate, alms house keeper, chief engineer of fire depart-ment, local board of health and press representatives.

Th York muncipal council met special session today, called together for the purpose of electing a successor to John Black as secretary-treasurer. At request of Warden More-house, County Auditor McCready and Special Auditor Alex. Murray had gone carefully over the county accounts since Nov. 30th last up to March 1st. They reported that the receipts during this period had been \$11,536.41, and payments \$9,656.86, leaving a balance payments \$9,656.36, leaving a Dalaincon hand of \$1,879.61, which is on deposit at the Royal Bank of Canada. The council approved of all the payments except an item of \$477.08 paid to John Black on March 1st for legal expense connection with the suit of Purvis v. Johnston of parish of Southampton, a case tried several years ago.

bill had never been presented to and passed by the council, and they refused to assent to its payment, and passed a resolution calling upon Mr. Black's bondsmen to make good the amount. Three candidates were nominated for secretary-treasurer, Auditor James W. McCready, Fred St. J. Bliss, Mr. Black's late legal partner, and Harry F. McLeod. A vote was taken lot and Mr. Bliss was elected to

WHITE'S COVE, Queens Co., April -Jacob Burns of Mill Cove, who his neck about two months ago by Dr. T. J. O. Earle of Young's Cove, has so far recovered as to be able to attend to his farm.

Mr. and Mrs. Leslie E. Wright we to McDonald's Point yesterday to visit Mrs. Wright's father, Wm. Barnes, who is very ill, The Grand Lake is now clear of ice

and the May Queen is expected her Rev. L. J. Wason held service hodist church on Sunday the Methodist church on Sunday evening. At the close of the service, Miss Edith Ferris of Waterborough was received into membership of the

Methodist church. Mrs. D. H. Ferris and son, Beverly, ent to Lower Cambridge yesterday, where they will remain the summ Wendell B. Ferris is in ill health.

MILLTOWN, April 23.-Rev. Wil liam Lawson of Marysville preached at both services in the Methodis church on Sunday, and on Monday night lectured on Father Mathew.

The semi-annual meeting of the Grand Division, S. of T., will meet with Wilberforce Division on the 8th

The annual parish convention of the Sunday School Association will meet on May 16th.

Mrs. Pellitier returned to her hom in Edmunston yesterday, after spending a pleasant week with her friend.

The cotton mill is closed down this

week and will not resume work until Monday next. Several of the opera-Rev. Harry Harrison of Oak Hill has

received an unanimous invitation to the Sheffield Methodist circuit, but has, we understand, declined to accept The plough has been started, and the land is in good condition for working. The rain lately has given the grass a very healthy appearance. Rev. Mr. and Mrs. Bridgham left

vesterday for the annual conference of the East Maine M. E. church, to be held in Clinton, Maine.

BRIGGS' CORNER, Queens Co. April 24.—Owing to the rain yesterday the water in the river is rising. Sayre & Holley's mill began sawing

on Saturday, and made a satisfactory cut all day. The millwright is L. T. Dan Duffy has his drive out.

started from near the head of the At the eleventh meeting of the Local Vocal Club last evening, at Stilwell's, some new members were added. Solos were sung by Prof. Davidson, Herb.

Demmons, James Knox, Wm. David-son, James McNeill and others. This nd has been the life of the place all winter, and it is hoped that its good

HOPEWELL HILL, April 23 .- Th recent showers have given a good start to vegetation, and the grass is green on the Shepody hills. Capt. J. B. Hamilton and George C.

on left this morning for their hamilton lett this morning for their home in Boston, Mass. A. B. Bray has returned to his home at Hopewell Cape, after taking a course at the Currie business college in St. John. R. C. Bacon of Moneton has bought the J. W. Y. Smith property at Hope-

Albert county, which has been grow ing in favor as a summer resort for the past few years, will probably have more visitors this year than ever before. A large party of American ladies have already been communicating in regard to terms, etc., and when the seated season comes on, the hotels here will be well patronized. The ng air and beautiful scenery the villages along the banks of the pody offer advantages not equalled sections of the country, and the dwellers in the city looking for ture and health will make no mis-

take if they include Albert county in their summer trip. A parlor concert will be held at gov- time. ent house next Tuesday even-

Miss Amelia Tingley, who has been living in Boston and vicinity for the past year and a half, returned to her home here this week.



Cape on Saturday, and were interred on Sunday in the Calkin ceme The services were conducted by Rev F. D. Davidson, paster of the Hope well Baptist church, and were very

HOPEWELL HILL, April 25 .- The s. s. Sheppey, the first of the deal fleet, arrived at the Cape today, where she will load for J. Nelson Smith Coverdale.

Dr. J. E. M. Carnwath left this morning for Montreal, to be absent a fev days.

Rev. F. D. Davidson lectured to good sized audience this evening the Baptist church at Lower Cape. basket social was held at the close

the lecture.
The year-old child of Clark Robin son fell off of a bed the other day and broke one of its legs. Dr. L. Chap-

nan attended to the fracture. ST. ANDREWS, April 24.—The remains of the late Mrs. Henry Whitlock were taken from her late residence on Tuesday afternoon and conveyed to All Saints' church, of which she had been a life long member. The ritual for the burial of the dead was read by the Rev. Mr. McWilliams, curate, who also read the commit ment sentences at the grave in the cemetery. Although it was a wet, stormy day and the streets very muddy, a large number testified their respect for the deceased and sympathy for the family by attending the fun-eral. The carriers who lifted the corpse

at the house were Thomas T. Odell, Judge Cockburn, E. A. Cockburn and F. H. Grimmer. The casket was covered with flowers, in set pieces and cut, contributed as follows: White floral pillow, with the word Mother in violets across it, by the children; cross of lillies and cream roses, by Gladys Forster; cross of Easter lillies by Mrs. G. H. Stickney; calla lillies, by Mrs. John R. Pye; bunch of cut flowers, by Rev. Dr. Ketchum. The family regretted that owing to illness the venerable rector, Rev. Dr. Ketwas not able to attend the chum.

George Ellsworth, aged nineteer years, only son of George Innes, with a companion named Sawyer, were up-set from a canoe on Thursday of last week on Wonoscopomic lake, Connecticut, and both were drowned. The body of young Innes was recovered and interred on Saturday. George Innes, the celebrated artist painter owns a cottage near the Algonquin here, in which he has been in the habit of spending the summer months. with his estimable wife have the cere sympathy of the residents of this ceased as a bright, intelligent lad,

Mrs. R. E. Armstrong arrived home today from St. John. MAUGERVILLE, April 25. -Sergt Major W. J. Cox, the old Sunbury hero, left for South Africa on Monday via St. John where he expects to sail by a Battle line steamer direct to

Cape Town. He carries with him the very best wishes of a host of friends for health and success in that far off land, who very much regretted his final departure. Fred Dunlop is running a slaughter house for Emery Sewell. Several fat

cattle have alredy been bought and ome of them slaughtered for the us of the boarding house, drives and

The one hundred and three familie of the parish have at last been en rolled by Census Enumerator Steph-

Edgar Miles of the U. N. B. is con fined to his home with measles. The freshet is now a regular bore, and still rising.

MILLTOWN, N. B., April 26 .- The mains of the late George Glew which have been left in the receiving vault since Feb. 9th, were interred in the Calais cemetery on Wednesday. Rev. W. J. Kirby officiated in the ab-sence of Rev. Mr. Bridgham, who was

attending conference.

Mrs. Alexander Clandinning of the Inion, a sister of Alexander Gibson of Marysville, while about her duties around the house fell against a door jam and broke her right arm just above the elbow. The muscle also very much bruised. She is doing as well as could be expected.

The community is very much incon enienced just now by the condition of affairs at the cotton mill. There is no prospect of the mill running on full time again until the first of Septemper. There is a rumor that the mil may yet close down entirely for a lit-tle while. When so many families, boarding houses and storekeepers lepend so much on the mill, it can be readily seen how unfortunate present arrangements are. Some of the more nterested conservatives are asking where are the "good times" promise

by the government. Robert Kerr, foreman for F. H. Todo & Sons, nearly lost his life on Friday last by a misstep while at work on a pile of lumber, which caused him to fall nine or ten feet on the rocks. He was unconscious when picked up, but was soon restored to consciousness. Although considerably hurt, it is no thought he will be long confined to

Bert Faloon, at one time conductor on the electric railway, has secured position as conductor on the Boston street railway and will remove there with his family in about two weeks

Henry Simley has yielded to the persuasion of Mr. Dexter and thas withdrawn his resignation and resumed work. He will not likely move out west before the fall.

'The ladies' aid of the Methodist The remains of the late J. B. Ham-church, have been compelled to forego ilton, whose death occurred recently their usual spring supper on account at Boston, were brought to Lower of the dull times. They will have a

strawberry festival in the season in-

Calais is a dry town just now. Mr. Crossman, the newly appointed marshal, is enforcing the Maine law to its utmost and a drink is hard to get. Carol Nonton, who is to meet that great debater, Rev. Dr. J. M. Buckley, editor of the Christian Advocate, New York, before the Nineteenth Century Club to debate Christian Science and Orthodoxy, is a native of Eastport, and a brother of George W. Norton of the Sea Coast Packing Co.

The weather has been very wet dur-ing the week, but has cleared up again and is quite cold. Many people are complaining of having colds.

HOPEWELL CAPE, Albert County, April 25.—The steamer Sheppey Allison arrived this evening to load deals for J. Nelson Smith and others. The ship made a slow run from Portland on account of dense fog along the coast and in the bay. Leonard Bishop of Harvey has charge as stevedore, and with a large crew have been waiting here since Monday.

Arthur B. Bray, a late graduate o the Currie Business University, St. John, is now at work with C. L. Carter in his general store here.

ANDOVER, N. B., April 24.-The ANDOVER, N. B., April 24.—The Ladies' Aid society of Trinity church held their annual sale and supper on Tuesday. The tables were waited upon by Misses May Tibbits, Eddie Tibbits, Louise Perley, Helen Perley, Louise Pickett, Grace Porter, Elyada Thompson, Amy Murphy and Stella Murphy. There were two tables for the sale of fancy work. On one was displayed the work of the ladies of the church the work of the ladies of the church, and was attended to by Miss Jenny Watson, Mrs. A. J. Perley, Mrs. James Tibbits and Mrs. C. Le Baron Miles On the other table, which attracted considerable attention, was the work of the young girls. This was presided over by Miss Muriel Kupkey and Miss Millie Armstrong. There was a short entertainment in the evening. The tableaux were especially fine. In Ten-nyson's "Dream of Fair Women" Rev S. B. Hillock did the reading. Those who took part in the tableaux were Mrs. D. R. Bedell, Mrs. Wm. Spike, Miss Helen Perley, Miss Eddie Tibbits, Miss Louise Pickets.

Peat, Miss May Tibbits. In the tab-leau of the Relief of Ladysmith (Lady Smith), and God Save the Queen, Miss Eddie Tibbits, Miss May Tibbits, Miss Ethel Armstrong, Mrs. Wm. Spike, C. Le Baron Miles and Edmund Miles took part. The costumes were appropriate and handsome. Notwithstand ing the heavy rain during the after noon and evening \$50 was realized. J. J. Kupkey is visiting friends and

Miss Mary Cooper, who has been visiting friends in Andover and Bairds ville, leaves on Saturday for Peel, Carleton Co. Miss Cooper is the niece of Mrs. Morris, wife of Rev. H. Morcis, who was at one time stationed at Bairdsville. Rev. Mr. Morris and Mrs. Morris are now in New York on their way home from Florida, where they have been spending the winter. They and Miss Cooper will make their home at Peel during the summer. Rev. E. W. Simonson and Rev. J. E. Flewelling are attending a deanery meeting in Trinity church. Rev. Arthur Ross has arrived from Chicago, where he has been taking a post-graduate course. He will visit friends here for a few

RICHIBUCTO, April 27.-R. O'Leary has sold his steamer Frederick A. to a small coastal steamer in the summer St. John parties. Geo. W. Robertson's months on the Charlottetown-Orwell

Dr. Thos. J. Bourque has gone on trip to Montreal. E. Pine has been given the contract for placing the posts for the street

lamps. The merchants have decided to close their stores every Tuesday and Friday evenings from the 1st of May until the

end of September. A large number of seals are reported along the coast. The two steamers sighted off this harbor in the ice about fortnight ago were doubtless seal-

ng vessels.
None of the saw mills on the river have commenced operations yet. O'Leary is making extensive improvements to his mill at the north The funeral of the late Mrs. Doherts wife of Robert N. Doherty of South Branch, took place this afternoon, The remains were interred in the Presby erian cemetery at Kingston.

Thos. Frecker, one of our old espected residents, is very ill.

THE LORD'S DAY ACT

To the Editor of the Daily Sun! Sir-At the request of the executiv committee of the "Lord's Day Alliance," you are publishing in today's issue of your valuable paper the full text of the Lord's Day Act, passed in 1899 by the New Brunswick General Assembly. In thanking you for your courtesy, let me call the attention of been sustained by the Supreme of Canada, and that therefore exists no obstacle to its enforcement

terested should preserve your copy of the act for future reference. Faithfully yours. J. A. RICHARDSON President of the New Brunswick Lord's Day Alliance.

in the city and throughout the prov-

ince. I would suggest that those in-





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Shore in Places Almost Lined With Lobster Canneries.

Deadlock Between a Coastal Steamboat Company and the Government-Exchequer Court-Bits of News.

CHARLOTTETOWN, April 25.-His friends have received word of the death in Victoria. B. C., of Thomas Steele, formerly of this province. He had resided in British Columbia for a number of years. Four sons and two daughters are left to mourn.

Ella Hurry, daughter of the late George Hurry of North River, was matried in Nelson, B. C., a few days ago to Arthur A. Pitchford of the Nelson police force.

The lobster business is likely to as sume giant proportions here this season. The coast in many localities is almost lined with factories. In some places there are ten factories within about seven boats, making 105 in all. Allowing each man 200 traps, we have a total of 21,000 traps, requiring about

167 miles of rope. There is at present rather a serious deadlock between the Inland Steam Navigation Company and the provincial government. The former operate Robertson's months on the Charlottetown-Orwell gentlemen left. It mak's me sair at ready for and the Charlottetown-Crapaud routes. hairt. You may ca' it clannishness if The steamer is a great convenience to | ye wull, but I canno help it." these two sections, both of which are deprived of railway facilities. Consequently there is a passenger and freight patronage of considerable magnitude. Early this spring the directors of the company demanded from the govern-ment an increased subsidy for this season in consequence of the advance in coal. This request was refused on already receiving handsome dividends. low the boat to leave the dock, and the to the land that gave her birth. result is a serious inconvenience to the sections interested and a material falling off in trade. The Board of nerchants have appointed delegations, and the government has been urged to lose no time in furnishing an efficient ervice. As it is, one of the government ferry boats is pressed temporarily into this service. It is possible

that another private company will be formed and a new boats secured. Great interest has been taken in the matter. The exchequer court has been in session in Charlottetown for several days. Judge Burbidge of Ottawa presiding, were a number of cases on the docket, arising from the claims made that the amount of damages offered by the railway authorities to those whose farms were crossed by the Murray Harbour branch were insufficient. W. B. Mc-Kenzie, chief engineer of the I. C. R.,

was also in attendance G. P. Newton of Grand Manan has ST. ANDREW'S CHURCH, FREDarrived in Georgetown to oversee the smoked herring business which he has

started there. Murdock McKinnon of Heatherdal lost by fire on Friday one of his bar with all its contents, including two horses, a number of cattle and sheep, hay, oats, etc. Mr. McKinnon is the victim of some heartless scoundrel's revenge. This is the third barn he has lost by fire during the last 12 years, while only about a year ago three his cows were poisoned.

The employes of the P. E. I. railway are about formulating a scheme for a new plan of insurance. The insurance in force heretofore was confined to employes killed or injured by accide whereas the new plan will provide for insurance in the case of death or total disablement, as well as accident in-surance and sick benefits.

A club has been formed in Char-lottetown for the promotion of rifle shooting and the development of young shots, under the tutelage of more cap-able marksmen. The following are the officers: President, Lt. Col. Longworth; secretary-treasurer, W. H. Watts; executive, Major Weeks, Captain D. L. Hooper, Lt. J. A. McDonald. The secretary is corresponding with the D. O. C. in regard to government aid in

the matter. James McArthur of Port Hill suicided by hanging one day last week. He was 69 years old and leaves a wife and five children. He had been demented for some time, but seemed greatly improved this spring. Mr. and Mrs. James Cook have gone

to Banffshire, Scotland, on a visit to the latter's old home, They will retorn to Charlottetown the first of July Dr. Dickey returned on Saturday from New York, where he had been doing special work in a hospital. A hoisting engine is being built for the P. E. I. Ry. The engine will be

placed on a box car and used for loading heavy freight. It is the first of the kind ever used on this railway. Mrs. James MacMillan died at Wood Islands on the 21st inst., in the 70th year of her age. She leaves four sons one of them being A. C. MacMillan, vice-principal of the C. B. C. John H.

MacMillan, also of Wood Islands, died this morning, in his 55th year. A. Russell Clarke of Cape Traverse has received his certificate as sergeant from the military school at Frederic

ton, N. B. Mrs. McKenzie of Cavendish, eldes daughter of ex-Mayor Hooper, died very suddenly at her home on Sunday

## A BRAVE SCOTTISH WOMAN.

(St. Andrews Beacon.) The Beacon had a moment's chat the other day with Mrs. Alex. Taylor, a venerable Scotch lady residing in St. George. Mrs. Taylor came out from Scotland a quarter of a century or fortune to see her husband and many more of her "brither Scots" placed in the "cauld ground" during the past

fifteen or twenty years. "They're a' goin' fast to the land o' the leal," said Mrs. Taylor, in the "braid Scottish tongue," and with a voice husky with emotion. "They're a' slippin' awa.' Of the auld folk that cam oot from Scotland wi' us, there are only three left noo. Sandy Milne and James Kelman are the only twa

Mrs. Taylor has seen more of this world's sorrows than falls to the lot of most people, yet her brave Scottish In the community in which she lives there is none more highly respected: none whose hospitality is more generous; none whose womanly sympathies take a more practical turn, and none the ground that the shareholders were who awaits the summons with more cheerfulness of spirit. She is a veri-The company in return refused to al-! table "mother in Israel" and a credit

VIOLATING LOBSTER LAWS.

Cruiser Curlew, Capt. Pratt, arrived in St. Andrews harbor on Sunday, after a week spent in cruising in the Bay of Fundy. The captain has re ceived very positive instructions from ing out of the lobster laws, and will visit with the severest penalties those who violate these regulations. At Chance Harbor he found one fisherman, Addison Thompson, with a car of under-sized lobsters. Thompson was summoned on board the Curlew and asked to show cause why a first should not be imposed upon him. He for "his mother," but this excuse was insufficient and a fine of \$15 was imposed. Capt. Pratt will continue his investigations in Charlotte county.-

ERICTON JUNCTION.

ROTHESAY STATION, April 26.

To the Editor of the Sun: Sir-Please allow me space to correct an error in your article in today's issue describing the consecration of the above church. The font which is spoken of as the gift of myself is a joint gift of Lt. Col. Peters, London, Ont.; T. Lee Peters, Winnipeg, Man.; F. W. Peters, Vancouver, B. C., and myself. My brothers, though widely separated from ocean to ocean, have a very warm feeling for their native pro-HILL W. TYNG PETERS IT

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Notice is hereby given that under

and by virtue of a Power of Sale contained in a certain Indenture of Mortgage, bearing date the fourteenth day of June, in the year of Our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ninetyseven, and recorded in the York County Records in Book "E" No. 5, on pages 198, 199, 200 and 201, and made between one George W. Upham, of the City of Fredericton, aforesaid, formerly of Woodstock, in the County of Carleton, of the one part, Millman, and J. T. Allan Dibblee of the said Town of Woodstock, Merchant, of the other part, there will for the purpose of satisfying the monies secured thereby default having been made in the paynent thereof, be sold at Public Auction in front of the post offce in the Town of Woodstock, in the County of Carleton, in the said Province, on Wednesday, the eighth day of May next, at the hour of one o'clock in the afternoon. the lease and leasehold lands and premises described in the said Indenture of Mortgage, as follows:-"All that part of the property now owned and occupied by said William McKay, situated in the City of Fredericton aforesaid, described as follows, namely: "Lying between the Highway Road leading from Fredericton to Oromocto and low water mark of the River St. John, being the tract of land extending from the upper or westerly to the 'lower or easterly line of the said Mc-'Kay property, having a depth of sixty feet more or less, and also a tract of 'land on the southwesterly side of the 'said highway road fronting thereon, 'and extending from the lower or east-'erly line of the said McKay property being the dividing line between Mc-'Kay and Boyce in a westerly direc-'tion along said road a distance of 'thirty-two rods, thence in a south-"erly direction parallel with the said "lower line of the McKay property ten 'rods, thence in an easterly direction arallel with the said Highway Road 'a distance of thirty-two rods, or to "the said lower line, thence following 'said lower line in a northerly direc-"tion ten rods to the Highway Road at "the place of beginning, the said part of the southwesterly of the Highway containing two acres more or less."

Together with all and singular the buildings and improvements thereon and the privileges thereunto belonging or in anywise appertaining.

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# W. S. FISHER

Tells the Sun About His Recent Visit to Jamaica.

Personal Observation and Enquiry Satisfied Him that We Could Do a Big Trade With the Island.

Provided Our Merchants Went About the Matter Intelligently and Were Given a Steamship Service Equal to that Provided By the United

Yes, we enjoyed our trip to Jamaica very much, and can heartily recommend it to anyone who is not inclined to suffer too much from mal de mer. The trip takes about five days from port to port. We sailed in the Ad-Port Antonio, which is the headquarters of the United Fruit Co, in Jam-aica. For the accommodation of Am-erican tourists they have built and operate there a very delightful hotel, the Ditchfield House. The situation of this house is most charming, facing of the ocean and mountains. 'Coming in from the sea the scene is most enchanting as the wealth of tropical oliage breaks upon you for the first

possesses a very delightful climate, the temperature in the lowlands varying ranely more than 15 degrees in winter or summer, night or day, the lowest point generally reached being 70 de-grees and the highest about 85 degrees. As one approaches the higher levels the temperature shows a grater variation, but throughout the island generally the nights are usually cool and delightful, although during the day the heat from the tropical sun is day the heat from the tropical sun is intense. From a scenic point of view the island possesses much of interest. The Blue mountains run nearly the full length of the island, at some points reaching 7,000 feet in height. With few exceptions, the surface of the country is a series of Miss and valleys, small streams and water-falls. Add to this the natives in their pictures on to this the natives in their picturesque and varied garb and their unique tered here and there in all sorts of nooks and corners; the stalwar straight as arrows, carrying mense variety of fruit products on every side, and there is a scene con-stantly presented that is full of the

Speaking of the productions of the island, up to a few years ago these were chiefly sugar and rum, but since the advent of the Boston Fruit Co. now consolidated into the United Fruit Co., a wonderful development has taken place in fruit culture, the traffic between Jamaica and the United States in this line having reached very ns. This company load on an average ten steamers weekly throughout the year for the principal ports in the United States between New Orleans and Boston. Bananas are the principal fruit, although the export of oranges is gradually becom-ing more important. Cocoanuts, percome in third. In addition there is a large business done in the cocoa-bean, coffee and pimento. Sugar and rum, while not holding by any means the position that they once did, are still important factors. It may be of interest to some to know the current prices of fruit there, and if my information was correct, the average price of banans run from 9d. to 1s. 3d. per bunch; oranges from 1s. 6d. to 2s. ed. per barrel of say 400; cocoanuts, 4s. per 100. Notwithstanding the large fruit production, but a very small proportion of the arable soil of the country is under cultivation, and to the or-dinary observer it would sem as if it might be developed indefinitely. The climate is there and the soil, and lots

A VERY INTERESTING EXPERI-

is now in its first stage. Becently the British and Jamaica governments arranged with the Elder-Dempster Co. for a direct line of modern steamers to run between Kingston and Bristol, each government agreeing to pay \$100,000 for ten years, making a total subsidy for the ten years of \$2,000,000, for a fast fortnightly service between these ports. For this purpose the Elder-Dempster Co. have built four or five magnificent rapid steamships with every modern accommodation and specially fitted for fruit carriage, with the latest improvements in cold storage and a cold air system, which, it is stated, gives an absolutely uniform temperature throughout the voyage. now in its first stage. Becently the temperature throughout the voyage. The outcome of this experiment is being looked for with eager interest, and it is felt that if it can be made suc-cessful, and a new and vast market thus opened up for the fruit produc-tions of Jamaica, that a new era of prosperity will start in. During our visit the first steamer of this fine left Jamaica with a full load and a second steamer arrived. They caused much enthusiasm, and since reaching home I have learned that the first cargo reached Bristol in fine condition and met ready sale at profitable prices, causing all interested to feel greatly encouraged over the result.

Previous to this the Bider-Dempster Co, have been running a line of fruit

Co. have been running a line of fruit steamers to the Canaries, but if this new line proves successful, and they find that bananas can be delivered in Great Britain in good condition after a voyage of thirteen days, it means big things for the consumers in Great Britain, who will thus be more plentifully supplied with an article that has

and their ships are finely adapted to that purpose, having large staterooms, roomy promenade decks, and every

roomy promenade decks, and every modern convenience and device to make a sea voyage enjoyable.

On the first two trips representatives of many English newspapers and periodicals were brought over, and much sketching and writing up of Jamaica has been the result. They are now talking of opening up some new hotels in order to accommodate the increased number of tourists whom they hope to bring out. Altogether, it would look, if this experiment is successful, as if a new era of prosperity is likely to dawn upon the old colony. If in addition to this the home government should finally, in connection with its should finally, in connection with its new sugar duties just announced, grant a preference to her colonies, a still further impetus would be given to British West India trade and new life infused into the British possessions in that

Since the development of the fruit trade in Jamaica, 38 per cent. of the fruit has been shipped to the United States, but it is feared that the present scale of duties, already high, will be increased by the American government in order to thus give a preference to the fruit growers in Cuba and their other new colonial possessions. With this in view, it is natural that these maica's fruit 'trade should feel rathe dublous as to the future and look with keen interest towards the possibility of development in any other direction.

This new steamship line is the result of a visit some years ago of a royal commission appointed by the British government to report upon the West Indies, which is now carrying out cer tain recommendations which they made. A part of the contract with the Elder-Dempster Co. is that they shall buy at least 20,000 bunches of bananas every fortnight for the next ten year and take their own chances as to delivering them safely and marketing them in Great Britain. These bunches are supposed to be cut on the morning of they day that they are shipped from

A more courteous lot of people than the natives of Jamaica it would be impossible to find the world over. One thing that strikes the stranger with surprise is the important part the women take in the cultivation of the soil and in manual tabor generally. They break the stones that make the reads, which, by the way, are kept in perfect condition, so that it is a plea sure to drive anywhere throughout the island. They carry the coal to load the ocean steamers, and it is a very picload their baskets, Ifft them to their heads and race with each other from keep this up in the broiling sun for ter or twelve hours, their pay for this labor being 3d. for every twelve baskets carried, the average distance ing 200 yards and the average basket of coal weighing 90 lbs. This will give labor there, especially and unfortunately women labor.

AS A FURTHER INSTANCE OF THES.

mearly the whole length of the island, we stopped over night at Rio Bueno, an the north coast, where an American large proportion of the employes there are girls, who week from 6 a. m. to 6 p. m., and are happy in the receipt of

As a rule, the colored native man is a pretty lazy specimen, and it has been found necessary to import East fadia coolies to assist in cultivating the plantations. This class of labor is much in evidence on the plantations of the United Fruit Co., who exploi chiefly the northern side of the island where the rains are much more frequent than on the southern side, and where, consequently, bananas grewn more readily.

In a total population of about 700, 000 there are not more than 15,000 whites, and perhaps an equal number of East India coolies. The coolie is a very industrious individual, although of a much more solver turn of mind than the colored people. They are looked upon with favor by the white people, their main drawback being an inclination towards jealousy, which, however, is only apparent in their dealings with each other and especi-ally with their wives. As an instance of this, we met on the train going into Port antonio one whe in a fit of jealousy without cause had taken his chette and cut off his wife's arms His trial was brief; he was sentenced to five years. Some ladies who saw said that her only grief seemed to be that she would no longer be able to wear her armlets. These people ex-pend most of their surplus in decorat-ing their arms and ankles with silver jewelry, which they are very expert in

There is an excellent free school system throughout the island, so that an education can very readily be had. We were very favorably impressed with the methods adopted in some of the schools visited, and the pupils seemed very intelligent. The white people, however, as a rule, seem to feel that education is wasted, and as some of them very tersely put it, it is apt to spoil a good ant to spoil a good workman and make a poor scholar. I am inclined to the opinion that training in industria oursuits and in agriculture if added doubted advantage. Probably this will not be brought about, however, until a Booker Washington arises in their midst or until the government of the country (a ponderous machine and slow to move) will undertake to import Booker Washington himself or some other man of his makeup and give him a free hand. The material is there in quantity, but it requires train. to the curriculum would prove of un there in quantity, but it requires trainpursued in the past in order to de-velop a race who in turn will make of their country the garden that it ought

of transportation been rather scarce and dear in that throughout the island are very good. market, and at the same time prove There are several coast steamers that of immense value to Jamanca and ultimately to all the West India Islands deliver and receive cargo and passentiantly to all the west India Islands throughout the island are very good. There are several coast steamers that touch at all the important points and

miles. In a straight line is is about 30. To an extent this is made neces sary owing to the mountain range. In this distance the railway passes through 27 tunnels, and it is certainly ride, more particularly that part of it which skirts the northern shore, where

which skirts the northern shore, where very charming bits of scenery are constantly flashing before one.

Among the beauty spots of the island must be named Castleton Gardens, which is a reservation fairly well up in the mountains, where for many years the government has been experienced. perimenting with trees, flowers and fruits. The drive through the mountains to it is very delightful. Another very interesting settlement is at Mandeville, which is quite a resort for Jamaican people in the summer time and for tourists in the winter. The scenery there reminds one a good deal of that in middle England, with a bouch of the tropics added. Harvard observatory at this point under the care of Professor Pickering. They have here a telescope 130 feet long, said to be one of the largest, if not the largest, in the world. In asking the gave as the principal reason that the slight difference in the temperature night and day or at different seasons secures a wonderfully clear atmos-phere. This whole district was very delightful, and we felt that we should like to have prolonged our stay there

KINGSTON IS A CITY of about 70,000, or taking in the sub rbs, which really form part of the ty proper, would probably total 100,-000. It is naturally the business centre of the island, has a magnificent harbor, a veny excellent car service, good hotel accommodation, and altogether is extremely interesting. The Bank of and do an excellent business there under the charge of W. P. Hunt. This W. E. Stavert, now manager of 'the Bank of New Brunswick.

at Kingston. It seems strange to find the hotels filled almost entirely with tonio, on the other side of the island, the Americans are to be found in

The Church of England seems have a very strong hold throughout. Jamaica. Many of the parish churches bundred years. It is an iinteresting sight to see the large attendance of colored people, who take a deep interest in the services and join heartily in the responses and music. One of the picturesque features of Kingston is to see members of the West India Regiment in their zouave uniform, which is very striking. The English regiment is quartered at Newcastle, some little distance from the city and high up on the hills, where the temperature is very much cooler, Kingston being perhaps the hottest spot on the island.

In talking with the business men regarding trade between Canada and Jamaica, the feeling seemed to be very general that they would prefer, all things being equal, to buy from their fellow colonists; but unfortunately on a drive which we took, covering their experience in attempting to do mearly the whole length of the island, this had not been at all satisfactory. In the first place, there is only one American ports there are several steamers each week, and from the latter point freight rates are much lower.

> From all that I can gather the pu chases of the merchants from the United States are growing rapidly and diminishing. In some lines there would seem to be a very fair market offering for Canadian producers. As it is, the chief article imported from Canada is salt tish, whereas on every hand one sees American bacon, cheese, flour, butter, boots and shoes, furniture hardware and numberless other items I have named those which it seems to me we should secure, as they are lines in which a large export business Canada to Great Britain is now being carried on in competition with the from the United States to Jamaica. They claim that Canadian makers do cial requirements of their market, and are too careless in filling orders, which naturally drives the trade to the Unit ed States, where much more careful

attention is paid to their wants. I had quite a lengthy inetrview with member of the government on this ibject, and he was very emphati along these lines. Among the few Can-adian goods that I noticed selling were Christie's sodas in boxes.

The member of the government r

ferred to and also some other mer chants made a suggestion which seem ed feasible, which is that the Canadian ants who are interested in the export business, or who manufacture or handle lines of goods that are in demand in the West Indies, could with advantage join together and send some intelligent representatives with samples to make a tour of all the islands. ples to make a tour of all the islands, remaining long enough in each place to show their samples and to discuss the matter thoroughly with the merchants there. For example, it would perhaps take a month in the city of Kingston to do justice to the trade, and it would be necessary to open up a sample room and make a proper display of samples during that time. the leading merchants in different sec-tions of the island, and would say that If there is any information that I possess which would be of interest to any reader who may think of developing trade in that direction, I should be very glad indeed to give him the benefit of same

There is much more that I could add but probably I have taken up fully enough of your time and space. Our return trip was made to Philadelphia on the Admiral Sampson. Some other time when you have an opportunity should be glad to tell you something that might be of interest in connection with the summer tourist business, and home feeling fully satisfied with the producing a similar crop.

The Elder-Dempster people, who are nothing if not enterprising, are also making a great endeavor to build up a ston and Port Antonio. By rail the home feeling fully satisfied with the trip, but well pleased to live where we do in a country that offers as many advantages and as few drawbacks as any other.

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> The workingman is the backbone of the nation. His industry, his integrity, his brains and his muscle not only contribute to the support of his family, but to wealth of the country as well. But constant work means wear and tear on the machinery of the The human constitution needs as much

attention as the finest piece of machinery, else a health breakdown may occur. To guard against such a breakdown a tonic medicine should be frequently taken, and the world over it has been proved that

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have no equal as a blood builder and nerve restorer. Thousands and thousands of men and women on the verge of a break-down have, through the use of these pills, been made strong, and fit for the every day duties of every day life.

-PROOF OF CURE.

Mr. F. Mission, a well-known resident of Deleau, Manitoba, says:-"From personal experience I can speak in the very highest terms of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills as a medicine for building up those who are weak or run down. I found myself suffering from extreme nervousness accompanied by frequent violent head-aches, and loss of appetite. As a result I soon grew extremely weak, and the least work would fatigue me I tried several medicines, but without gaining any strength until I began the use of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. I had not taken the pills long before there was a marked improvement in my condition, and the use of a few boxes restored me to perfect health. There are few men who do not at some time or other feel weak and run down and to such I can recommend Dr. Williams' Pink Pills with every confidence that they will restore them to a con-

There are many imitators trading upon the reputation of this great medicine, and it should be remembered that the imitations are worthless, often danger us. Only the genuine have the full name "Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People" on the wrapper around the box. If in doubt send direct to the Dr. Williams Medicine Co, Brockville, Ont., and they will be sent pard at 50 cents a box or six boxes for \$2.50.

IN CASTLE HALL.

human frame.

Southern Cross Lodge, No. 16, Knights of Pythias, in session at their Castle Hall, Grand Manan, April 11th, 1901, adopted the following resolutions:

Whereas, for the first time (Death has entered our ranks and taken from us our revered brother, William II. Ingersoll, and realizing that we have lost a faithful, energetic member, a genial comrade, a man who had learned the secret of life self-sacrifice, a man who was ever ready to think of others and to forget self, and one whose virtues we shall ever remember and ever strive to emulate, and

assurence that they have our hands pathy.

Be it further resolved, that in token of our deep sorrow, the charter and altar be draped and that in our records a memorial page be dedicated to the memory of Knight Ingersoll, also that the above resolutions be entered in the records of the lodge.

ARTHUR P. LEARY, C. C.,
D. J. W. McLAUGHLIN, K. of R. & S.

OLD HOME MONTH.

At a meeting of the Woodstock board of trade this week, J. T. A. Dibbles read a personal letter and a circular from Dr. Upham, a Woodstock boy, who is president of the Canadian club who is president of the Canadian club of Boston. A similar circular was forwarded to many of the boards of trade in the Dominion and advocates an "old home month" to give an opportunity to the many thousands of Canadians in the United States to visit their old homes. Dr. Upham says in Massachusetts there are 217 200 Commitments. dians and in Greater Bost means and in Greater Boston 112,000; he says special rates could be secured from the different railways, and the movement would increase the volume of trade between the two countries; he did not expect to visit Woodstock this summer unless such a movement was undertaken; he wished the board of trade to talk the matter over and communicate with the Canadian club. On motion of Mr. Baird, seconded by easgreen, the secretary was instructed to inform the Canadian club that the board of trade heartily endorsed the movement,

AN EXCITING CONTEST. The Election of Orange Grand Lodge

Officers Was Levely. The most interesting parts of the pro-cedings of the Grand Orange Lodge t Campbellton were not given to the from remarks of the delegates the meeting was full of excitement. Events connected with the last election cam-paign and notably with the provincial by-election in Kings County were dis-cussed with much spirit.

retiring grand master and Mr. Pitt, of Clifton, were rather severely called to account. Mr. Pitt is said to have offered ample apology for some reflections made by him against Dr. Pugsley's opponent in the by-election. The report is that Mr. McArthur, who was a candidate for re-election, was surported by a considerable delegation, well organized for the struggle that was expected. The other side was also well prepared. The division was largely, but not wholly on party lines, and one side, if not both, held a prelimin-ary caucus. The first test of strength came in the vote for grand master, in which something over forty ballots were cast for the man elected, while the retiring officer was twelve or fifteen votes behind, and a third candidate was supported by eight or ten dele-gates. In a strength contest between a candidate of each ticket for one of the other offices those who voted for the third candidate in the first election cast their vote with the opp tion of the late administration, giv a majority of two to one. It is said that over the printing of the report, which was given to Brother Pitts for a second time, against the strong protest of those who demanded a turn for Brother

his defeat with good humor, and is congratulated on having made so good a pull against the tide.—Star.

# Children Cry for CASTORIA

A Carleton County man, Ben. F. Mc-Lean, was successful in his contest for the mayoralty of Wichita, Kansas, defeating both opponents by a handsome

# OTTAWA LETTER

at the interview between him at the interview between himself and the minister of trade and commerce. He stated that he had to come to Ottawa to contradict his brother-in-law, who was a blackguard, inasmich as he was producing his father's private letters. He admitted that he had been promised a job revising the dominion statutes, and expected to get it. This morning Cameron, in a letter as the committee, apologized for his reference to Dr. Wilson.

With such contradictory and extra-ordinary testimony, furnished to the committee, it certainly seems that there is something "rotten in the state of Denmark." How the events of the past few weeks should so conveniently slip from the memories of those called to give evidence is more than the orstand. The convenience of the mem-ories of the witnesses of the defence is most remarkable. The men on whom they have been bestowed should have reason to thank Providence, that in the hour of need, they are able to do what some men would almost shudder at contemplating. J. D. MCKENNA

# ACCIENT AT SYDNEY.

SYDNEY, April 26.-Michael Duggan, a native of Southwest Margaree. was instantly killed this morning the junction at the coal ovens by being crushed under the wheels of the van of a shunting engine. It appears that Duggan was on his way to work and was walking along the track at the time of the accident. The engine was shunting and had run a van up on the siding. The man was not seen by the engineer until they were within a few feet of him. Duggan, evidently to get out of the way of the engine, which was coming to a standstill, jumped on this siding and just in front of the van. He was knocked down, and fall-ing on his back across the rait the els of the van went over him, cutting him almost in two. After the van passed over he raised himself and then fell back dead. Deceased was about 30 years of age and leaves three prothers, two sisters and a mother.

MARRIAGES.

RDON-SKINNER—On April 25, at S laviors church, Nelson, B. C., by the lav. H. S. Akhurst, Robert H. Gordon ( rancouver, to Gertrude E. M. Skinner, laughter of Hon. C. N. Skinner.

DEATHS.

FOUND OUT

A Trained Nurse Discovered Its Effect.

No one is in a better position to know the value of food and drink than a

PORT OF ST. JOHN. Arrived.

28-Coastwise - Str Westport, 48, from Westport, and cleared; Eliza 39. Wadlin, from Beaver Harbor; 9, Johnson, from-Sardy Cove; Marys, 7, Gordon, from Quaco; Abbie Verna, al cargo. stwiss—Schs Wood Bros, 68, Kingston, Quaco; Dora, 63, Canning, from Parrs-barge No. 2, 433, Salter, from Parrs-Str Cacouna, 932, McPhail, from ourg, R P and W F Starr, coal. Elizabeth M Cook, —, from Louis-

hal.—Sch Elizabeth M. Cook (Am), Hill, from Boston, N H Murchie, bai. Pandora, 98, Holder, from Eastport, A dams, bal. Stella Maud, 99, Miller, from New

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ch I H. Goudey, 26, Comeau, from Eastt, master, bal.

th Marian, Martin, from Antwerp.

castwise.—Schs. Trilby, 31, McDonald, in fishing; Lida Greta, 67, James, from mouth; Lida Greta, 67, James, from mouth; Annie Planche, 68, Randall, from by; Exenia, 18, Parker, from Campobello; ast Pisher, 30, Gough, from Quaco; Alda B. Frost, from Belleveau Cove; Linnet, McKay, from Tiverton; Nellie E Gray, Paul, from Berdgetown; Theima, 48, Milfrom Alnarolis; Alice and Nellie, 30, urber, from Freeport; Sarah N. 74, Glasfrom Quaco; S. V. H. 48, Hayden, from my; Georgie Linwood, 25, Johnson, from Grae's Cove; Susie N. 38, Merriam, from moter; Bay Queen, 31, Barry, from Beaver roor.

Cleared. April 26—Str Concordia, Webb, for GlasW.
Str Pharsalia, Smith, for Cape Town.
Sch Riverdale, Urquhart, for Boston.
Coastwise—Schs Electric Light, Bain, for
Igby: Maryaville, Gordon, for Quaco;
Lex, Sweet, for Quaco.
27th.—Str Malabar, Rhode, for Mersey fo.
Sch R D Spear, Richardson, for New York.
Sch Lyra, Evana, for Boston.
Sch Effie May, Hranscomb, for Rockland.
Coastwise—Schs Serene, Lyons, for Parrssoro: Templar, Shannon, for Fredericton;
Henara, Kinnie, for Harvey; West Wind,
Peary, for Bear River.
April 25.—Str Marian, Martin, for Antwerp.
Str Cumberland, Allan, for Boston.
Sch Irece, Kerrigan, for Pawtucket.
Crastwise.—Str Cacouna, McPhail, for
Parrsboro; schs Glide, Black, for Quaco;
Fleetwing, Goucher, for Campbellion; John
and Frank, Teare, for Quaco; Ocean Bird,
McGranahan, for Margaretville; Linnet, Mc
Kay, for Tiverton, Eliza Bell, Wadlin, for
Beaver Harbor; Ernest Fisher, Gough, for
Quaco; barge No. 2. Salter, for Parrsboro.
Sailed. ril 26-Str Concordia, Webb, for Glas-

Wassau, McKay, for Liverpool via

DOMESTIC PORTS. Arrived.

HALIFAX, N. S. April 26—Sid, strs Neva, for Bristol; Oruro, for St John.

LOUISBURG, C. B. April 26—Ard, strs Briardene, from Halifax for Glasgow, coaled and salled; Alf, from Boston; Symra, from Portland.

HALIFAX, April 25.—Ard, british cruiser Alert, from Bermuda; str Britannic, from tt Quaco, April 27, Schs Selina, Matthews ood Bros, Kingston; Ernest Fisher ugh, and Lida Greta, Janes, from St At Halifax, April 29, str Cherones, Han-ien, from Antwerp; str Sardinian, from Liv-erpool and Glasgow. Cleared. At Quace, April 27, sche Selina, Matthews, for Point Wolfe; Wood Bros, Kingston; Ernest Fisher, Gough, and Lida Greta, Janes, for St John.

From Eastport, Me, April 26, schs Flora or Halifax; Edith T, for Yarmouth; Ravola Parresboro.
From Halifax, April 25, strs Armenia, for Bristol. hia; Neva, for Bristol. Halifax, April 27, str. Verbena, for 180 of England via Hubbard's Cove.

BRITISH PORTS.

ROOL, April 25—Ard, str Damara, Max via St Johns, NF. N, April 26—Ard, str Norden, from Towns.

DUBLIN, April 25.—Ard, str Malin Head, rom St John for Belfast.

At Yokobama, preyious to April 25, ship William Law, Hurlburt, from G B (165 days).

At Bermuda, April 26, sch Adeline, Mc-sunaa, from Jacksonville.

At Demerara, April 1, sch Prohibition, Deveau, from Annapolis, NS; 10th, str Ocamo, Greser, from Trinidad. Salled.

Liverpool, April 23; bark Ceres, to Whitehaven, April 22, bark Somerset, for Hallax. Fleetwood, April 21, bark Carmei, en, for Cape Tormentine, om Shields, April 23, str Lysaker, Morch m Hong Kong, April 24, str Empress o Barbados, April 6, sch W R Huntley. ord, for Trinidad.
om Belfast, April 25, str Bengore Head, lips, for New Orleans, om Preston, April 24, bark Memento, stensen, for Miramichi, om Liverpool, April 24, barks Alma, for amichi; 25th, Orient, for Shediac, VERFOOL, April 24.—Sid, bark Alma, Miramichi; 25th, Orient, for Shediac, LESTON, April 24.—Sid, bark Memento, Miramichi. ugwaeh.
PORT GLASGOW, April 25.—Sailed, stm: wansea, April 25, bark Charles Bal rom Maryport, April 27, bark Inga, W

## FOREIGN PORTS. Arrived.

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At New York, April 24, bark D O Mulhali, McLeod, from San Dominge; schs Robert Ewing, Irving, from Macoris; B R Wood-side, McLean, from Apalachicols; Victor, Walsh, from St John.

BOSTON, April 24—Ard, strs Sylvaniz and Larcestrian, from Liverpool; Norwegian, from Glasgow; Pro Patris, from Halifar; State of Maine, from St John.

EASTPORT, Me, April 26—Ard and selled, sch J H Gowdy, from St John.

NEW YORK, April 26—Ard, sch Joseph Hey, Phipps, from St John.

FALLI RIVER, Mass, April 26—Ard, sch Avalon, from St John.

LYNN, Mass, April 26—Ard, sch Canning Packet, from Weymouth, NS.

At Delaware Breatwater, April 24, schs Atby K Bentey, from Virginia for Philadelphia; IJ A Phummer, from Norfolk for do.

At Bahla, March 7, bark Nicanor, Hammett, from New York.

At Port Beading, April 24, sch Wanola and salled 25th for St John.

PORTLAND, Me, April 25.—Ard, schs Domain, and Union, from St John, N. B., for Boston. WASHINGTON, D. C., April 24—Notice is given by the Lighthouse Board that on or about April 30, 1901, light vessel No 23, moored to the southward of Ram Island Reef, Fisher's Island Sound, N. Y., will be withdrawn from her station for repairs, and relief light vessel No 20 will be placed on the station. Relief light vessel No 29 with show one fixed white reflector light from the mainmast, and during thick or foggy weather she will sound a hell struck by hand. Light vessel No 20, like light vessel No 23, has two masts, schooner rigged, no bowsprit, and a bleck circular cagework daymark at each masthead, but differs from light vessel No 23 in having a lead colored hull, with "Relief" in large black letters on each side and "No 20" in black on each quarter. Light vessel No 23 will be returned to her station as soon as repairs have been completed, of which due notice will be given, and relief light vessel No 20 will then be withdrawn. NOTICE TO MARINERS. withdrawn.

NEW YORK, April 25.—The Inspector of the Third Lighthouse district gives notice that the East Bank gas buoys, Nos. 2, 4 and 6, east channel, New York lower bay, brought in for repairs in January last, have been replaced on their respective stations.

The electric lighted buoys in Gedney Channel, New York lower bay, with the exception of white light E. No. 5, are all burning tonight.

PORTLAND, April 26, 1901.

Through Mocsabec Rench from the East-TORK, April 25.—Ard, sch Onyx, St. John, N. B.
OTHBAY, April 25.—Ard, sch. St. from St. John, N. B.

BOOTHBAY. April 25.—Ard, sch. St.
Maurice, from Savannah for St. John.

BOSTON, April 25.— Ard, strs Dogstad,
from Louisburg, C B: Prince George, and
Roston, from Yarmouth, N S.

At New York, April 26, bark Golden Rod,
McBride, from Santa Cruz; sch Helen Sharner, Chute, from Macoris; Charles L Jenrey, Theall, from Apalachicola via Providence; Ruth Shaw, Whildon, from Norfolk;
Bilen M Mitchell, Bryant, from Perth Amboy via Quincy Point; 27th, ship Ancoris, Through Mocseabec Reach from the East-ward. Notice is hereby given that Virgin Island Ledge, buoy, spar, red, No. 4, has gone adrift.
It will be replaced as soon as practicable.

Mount Desert Ferry,
At Buenos Ayres, March 15, bark Armenia,
Anderson, from East London.
At Rosario, March 16, bark Egeria, Langller, from Buenos Ayres.
At Fall River, April 26, son Ayalon, Howard, from St. John.

Cleared.

At Ship Island, April 24, bark Bristoi, Sanforl, for Rio Janeiro.
At Montevideo, March 19, bark Hornet, Crosby, for Para.
At New York, April 25, sch E Merriam, Hatfield, for Port Greville.
At New York, April 27, bark Strathisia, Urquhart, for Saigon; sch Leonard B, Walker, for Sackville.

Sailed. From Reunion, April 19, bark Jacques, Legal, for Canada.

From Havre, April 23, bark Agostino Rombo, Vassallo, for St John.

PORTLAND, Me, April 26—Sld, str Mora, Nicholson, for Louisburg, CB.

From Boston, April 26, strs Boston and Prince George, for Yarmouth, NS; Norge, for West Bay, NS.

CALAIS, Me, April 26—Sld, sch Julia Baker, for Boston. ker, for Boston. HAMBURG, April 24—Sld, British ship Atlantic, for Canada. ECOTHEAY, Me, April 26—Sld, schs Luta Price, for Vineyard Haven; St Maurice, for St John.

Price, for Vineyard Haven; St Maurice, for St John.
From Rio Janeiro, March 22, bark Auriga, Johns, for Sapelo.
From Moss, April 11, ship Hovding, for Canada; barks Heft!, Johannesen, for Canada; 20th, Altal, Himanki, for Canada.
From Pernambuco, March 21, schr Tyree, Ross, for New York.
From New York, April 25, barks, Cedarbank, for Melhourne; Eva Lynch, for Mauritius: schs Mary Hendry, for Rio Grands do Sul; Rews, for St. John.
From Havans, April 17, sch Mabel C, Newcomb, for Baracoa.
From Port Townsend, April 20, bark Still Water, Thurber, from Ludlow for Cape of Good Hope.
STONINGTON, Conn., April 25.— Salled, shes Hattle Muriel, for St John; Oriole, for Sackville, N. B.
From New London, Conn. April 25, sch Annie A Booth, from New York for eastern port.
From New York, April 25, sch E Merriam, for Port Greville, NS; str Mackay-Bennett, for Halifax.
From Boston, April 25, sch Adelaide, for Wolfville.

the value of food and drink than a trained nurse.

Speaking of coffee, a nurse of Wilkes Barre, Pa., writes: "I used to drink strong coffee myself, and suffered greatly from headaches and indigestion. While on a visit to my brothers I had a good chance to try Postum Cereal Food Coffee, for they drank is altogether in place of ordinary coffee

From Boothray, April 25, sch Adelaide, for Wolfville.
From Boston, April 25, str Cumberland, from Eastport Portland and St John.
From Pascagoula, Miss., April 27, bark Mersey, Olsen, for Rosario.
From New York, April 26, sch Zeta, for Muritius: 29th, sch Nimrod, for York, Me. From Rotterdam, April 24, bark Italia, Anderson, for Miramichi.
From Licata, April 20, bark Regina, Canaliano, for Miramichi.
From Pernambuco, April 24, sch Evadne, for New York.
From Figueira, April 18, sch Molega., Neison, for St Johns, N. F.
From Boston, 7th inst, strs Pro Patria, for Halifax; Varmouth, for Yarmouth, NS, Norge, for West Bay, NS.
From Vineyard Haven, April 28, schs F P. Blackburn, Maple Leaf and Corinto.
From New London, April 28, schs Ciliford C, from New York for St John; Ina, from o for do: Maggie Todd, from do for Calais; Stephen Bennett, from Weehawken for South West Harbor. In two weeks after using Postum I found I was much benefited and finally my headaches disappeared and also

Detained at City Island, April 24, on ac-unt of adverse winds, sche Frudent, Dick-n, from New York for St John; Hattle & ng, Achorn, from New York for St John; wree Sisters, Price, from Perth Amboy for ston; Sallie B Ludlam, Kelson, from by the Markey of St John; Winnie wry, Whelpley, from Hoboken for Salem; ellie I White, Seely, from Elizabethport for Billie I White, Seely, from Elizabethport for

New York.
Passed Brow Head, April 27, str Leuctra, Mulcahy, from St John The Leuctra has been orderd to discharge at Manchester.
BROW HEAD, April 25—Passed, str Pydna, from St John for Manchester.
Passed Sydney Light, April 27, Simonside, Garrod, from Shields for Sydney; Ceylon. Hansen, from Philadelphia for Sydney.
In port at Barbados, April 12, sch Olinda, Porrior, for Pgric Ricc and Quebec.

In port at Barbados, April 12, Son Unina, Porpior, for Porto Rico and Quebec.

Came to anchor at City Island, April 26:—
Scha Rhoda, Inneas, from New York for Bridgewater, NE: E Merriam, Hatheld, from New York for Port Greville, NS: Modec, mith, from New York for Yamouth, Me.; Jarcus Edwards, Bagley, from New York for Islamburg, White, from Perth Amboy, or Salem; Lizzie D Small, Ricker, from outh Amboy for Salem, April 77th:—sch Vanola, for St John.

CITY ISLAND, April 28.—Bound south, ch. Chesile, from Windsor, NS, for Newunrin.

SPOKEN.

for Yarmouth, NS, April 21, off Frying Pan Ightship.
British bark K B P C, bound W, April 23, lat 23,30, lon 55.40 (possibly bark Bawman B Law (Br), from Westport, Feb, 23, for New York—letters K B P.S.

REPORTS.

NEW YORK, April 26—Sch Joseph Hay, Captain Phipps, from St John, reports having been in collision on the 22nd inst off Cape Cod with the steamer Herman Winter, from New York for Boston. The sch had a Loat smashed, davits broken, was stove in stern, her deck was started and her spanker boom was broken. The damage to the steamer was slight.

YINEYARD HAVEN, Mass, April 26—Tug Gypsum King arrived at Wood's Hole this afterneon and reports when off Nauset, Cape Cod, last night, during a violent northeast gale and heavy sea, towing barges Nos 19 and 21, and schooners Gypsum Queen and Calabria, from New York for Windsor and Hillsborn, towing hawser parted and the two schooners went adrift and soon afterwards collised with each other. The Calabria's stern was badly damaged, but the Gypsum Oucen was not so extensively injured.

The tug, with much difficulty, succeeded in picking them up again and brought all four versels to safe anchorage off Base River. When weather permits, they will proceed to destination, where the necessary repairs will be made.

CHATHAM, Mass., April 28—All other

be made.

CHATHAM, Mass. April 28.—All other morth-bound schooners before reported remain anchored on account of the easterly wind.

wind.

HIGHLAND LIGHT, Mass., April 23.—
Light easterly wind: clear at sunset.

La same

Bessie Parker, Carter, from Savannah armouth, NS, April 21, of Frying Pan

I observe a curious fact about Pos-tum used among mothers. It greatly helps the flow of milk in cases where coffee is inclined to dry it up, and where tea causes nervousness.

I find trouble in getting servants to MEMORANDA. Psd Sydney Light, April 26, strs Aladdin, Andreasen, from Sydney for Glasgow; Tiber toulanger, from Halifax for Sydney; Oscal I, Mulgren, from Mabana for Sydney, Detained et, City Island, April 24, on acceptable of Sydney, Detained at City Island, April 24, on acceptable of Sydney, Detained at Sydney, Detained and Sydney, Detained at Sydney, De

make Postum properly. They most al-ways serve it before it has been boiled long enough. It should be boiled 15 or minutes and served with cream then it is certainly a delicious bever ige." Mrs. Ella C. Burns, 309 E. South St., Wilkes Barre, Pa. DID SHE KISS HIM?

Naturally I have since used Postum among my patients, and have noticed a marked benefit where coffee has been left off and Postum used.

That Was His Price For a Site for s

Baptist Church. The Peel, Carleton Co., correspondent of the Woodstock Sentinel tells of the effort to get a new church built in ented six denominations. After successful revival it was decided to build a Baptist church. Here follows the story in the correspondent's own

"A building site was next needed, and it so happened the most desirable location belonged to a hard hearted s man, with little interest in ches in general and new ones in louisr, and he refused to sell, but naidens who was very persistent in the entreaties, and he thought to go out of the trouble by way of a joke so he informed her the only possible terms by which she could get the land terms by which she could get the land was to kiss him on the mouth. Oh! howeve! A foreign missionary is called upon to make no such sacrifice. Such a cruel monsten, and her sweet lips perhaps never before pressed by other than a mother's kiss, her timid modesty, etc. On the other hand, would she allow the Master's work, so ear to her heart, to be hindered or stopped? The need was very urgent, could she do it? Did she do it? The next morning the ground was duly staked off and the building material is now nearly all on the spot, and we hope by next week to see the house up and

What Would They Give?

It seems a waste of time to warn eople against neglecting coughs and olds, but what would victims of concolds, but what would victims of con-sumption and pneumonia give if their disease were only in its beginning, if it were only a cough or cold? Deadly lung diseases begin with colds that could certainly be cured by Dr. Chase's Syrup of Linseed and Turpentine, the great prescription, which not merely relieves but thoroughly cures cough and cold together.

AT HOPEWELL CAPE.

HOPEWELL CAPE, Albert Co., pril 27.—Geoffery Stead, C. E., is here

April 27.—Geoffery Stead, C. E., is here directing the placing of the foundation of the new government pier.

Samuel C. Spencer has moved to the Dunham property, and Captain Archie Bishop has taken the residence vacated by Mr. Spencer.

Merchants are heavy losers on account of the loss of sails and towage sustained by the schooner Helen M., that vessel being laden with merchandise at the time of her misfortune in a gale last month. They sing to the tune of 15 per cent. of the value of the freight on a general average.

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HOPEWELL CAPE, April 29.—Capt. John J. Christopher has purchased the Dowling property, and is having it epaired substantially pefore moving in muchased. ired substantially before mov pt. Luther Martin has pur

Capt. Luther Martin has purchased the property occupied by the late David Tingley.

Mrs. Tupper of Kings Co., N. S., is here visiting her father, John Ward, who is seriously ill. Capt. Williams of the str. Sheppy Allison is a genial Welshman, who has already made many friends here. He says the scenary here much resembles the heaviful. landscapes of the Baltic. Capt. Williams is a guest at the Albert house.

Wanted—a case of headache that Kumfort Headache Powders will not cure in ten minutes. Prices 10 cents. RICK'S Liniment.

NOVA SCOTIAMNEWS.

SOUTHAMPTON, N. S., April 16.— Wilfred Reid has sold his property in Athol to his nearest neighbor, Harvey Boss, and expects to leave this week for Austin, Manitoba, the home of

daughter of Hon. C. N. Skinner.

dc.LEOD-ROMANS.—At 6,146 Greenwood Avenue, Chicago, Illinois, on Wednesday,
April 24th, 1901, by the Rev. Joseph
Hayes, M. A., Gordon Sutherland McLeod,
youngest son of George McLeod, Esq., of
St. John, New Brunswick, to Mabel Stuart,
eldest daughter of the late Charles C.
Romans, Esq., of Halifax, Nova Scotia. for Austin, Manitoba, the home of his father-in-law, H. W. Baker, formerly of Athol. One of Mr. Baker's sons is en route for South Africa, having joined the B. P's.

On Thursday the papers were signed which concluded the sale of John Schurman's farm to J. W. Siddall. This farm Mr. Schurman bought from M. L. Tucker, when the latter removed to Parrsboro, and is the Adams homestead. COHEN—In this city, on April 26th, Mary Alice, wife of Andrew Cohen, aged 22, leaving a hi sband and two children.

DUNCAN.—At Campbellton, N. B., in the twenty-fifth year of his age, Alexander Russell, fourth son of John Duncan.

DCHRRTY—At Pleasant Point, on April 25th iristant, Eliza A., wife of John H. Doherty, aged 63 years, leaving seven sons and one daughter to mourn their very sad loss.

Mr. and Mrs. Miner Roscoe and family, left the first of the month for family, left the first of the month for Arizona. Mrs. Levi Brown has gone to New Glasgow for treatment in the hospital. She is accompanied by her mother, Mrs. Hoeg.

Mrs. Hunter and Miss Ethel, wife and daughter of Geo. Hunter, proprietor of the Gaspereau mills, are visiting Mr. Hunter's relatives in this

CORNWALLIS, N. S., April 20.-

loss.

KAIN.—In this city, on April 26th, Annie Auguste Allison, beloved wife of Samuel W. Kain.

LUNNEY—At 104 Union street, Wednesday, April 24th, Kate, wife of Thomas Lunney, and daughter of Margaret and the late James Lantaium.

McMURRAY—At the residence of her son-in-law, E. S. Brodie, Prince street, Carleton, on the 26th inst., Susanna Charteris, widow of John Stuart McMurray, aged 30 years. Robert Eaton has purchased the house of John Hubley at Canning. The latof John Hubley at Canning. The latter leaves shortly for Halifax, where he will engage in business. Mr. Hubley returned a short time ago from the Klondyke, where he was quite successful financially.

The R. W. Kinsman Co. are establishing a large hemnery at their ranch at Woodside.

Willard Illsley of Woodside shipped one dozen head of fat cattle to Halifax on Friday. Fidward Feston head. years.
RAE.—At Kempt Road, N. B., April 2nd,
John Rae, aged 92 years.
MITH.—At Campbellton, N. B., April 19th,
Mrs. William Smith

on Friday. Edward Eaton has ex-changed his residence in Canning for a farm belonging to Jacob Lockhart in Habitant.

The steamer Evangeline made the first of her weekly trips to Parrsboro from Kingsport yesterday. Rev. William Cox, formerly of Can-ard, but late of South Africa, is curate of St. George's Episcopal church at

Sydney, C. B. Miss Charlotte Parker of Berwick was married at Mariboro, Massachu-setts, on Thursday, to Moses Emery, a merchant of Mariboro. Miss Made-line Black, daughter of Dr. Black of Windsor, was married at that place on Wednesday to the Rev. T. Davis, curate of St. John's church, Truro.

The little son of John White of Somerset was kicked fatally by a horse on

CORNWALLIS, N. S., April 26.— Louis Harris and family of New York have arrived in Randville, where Mr. Harris has purchased a farm and is now having a large house built. He has purchased from Ontario some thoroughbred stock, among which are four fine horses. Mr. Harris returns to New York next week.

G. E. Reid has purchased the residence of the late Judge Cogswell at Kentville.

Kentville.

There are seven cases of scarlet fever in Falmouth, Hants Co. A striin Falmouth Village, aged 14, died from the disease last week.

The dykes in Falmouth have broken in many places. A large gangwas compelled to work on them last 
Sunday to save property.

The death of Mrs. J. Lawson Brown took place on Saturday morning at

took place on Saturday morning at Saxon street. Previous to the marriage of the deceased to Mr. Brown she was the widow of the late Thos. Rutledge of Hilaton.

in the big tide on Friday.

Eighteen candidates were baptized on Sunday last by the Rev. Mr. Sirell

at White Rock.

The remains of Basil Blois. fell from a building at Dorchester penitentiary this week, and was instantly killed, arrived at his home in Canning on Wednesday.

AMHERST, April 25.-J. F. Faulkner, book-keeper for the Amherst Boo and Shoe Co., Ltd., was yesterday afternoon, while at work in his office. eized with an apoplectic stroke and in falling, inflicted a severe wound on his head. He regained consciousness during the night, but is still very ill. Cumberland Chapter, No. 13, Royal Arch Masons last night elected the following as their officers for the ensuing year: W. F. Donkin, most exhigh priest; G. M. Doull, excellent king; Barry D. Bent, excellent scribe; J. A. Crossman, treasurer; William secretary; W. A. Christ captain or nost; A. Downey, principal sojourner; A. J. Munro, royal arch captain; J. H. Froggait, captain 1st vail; J. E. Sheen, captain 2nd vail; E. L. Fuller, captain 3rd vail; G. K. Etter,

terday committed for trial by Stipen-diary McKenzie on a charge of kick-ing Constable McIver on the head while in the execution of his duty. Captain Theales of Parrsboro is the first this season to lead a vessel of first this season to load a vessel at River Hebert. The lumber shipping season has opened there exceptionally

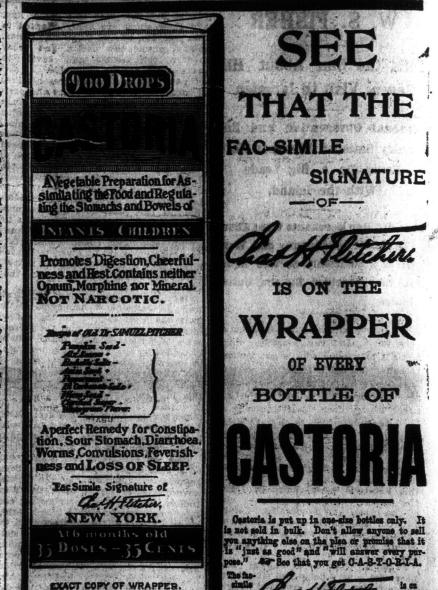
Shemogue, died on Sunday aftern He was well known in town and uncle to Mrs. W. F. Donkin.

A GALLANT DEED.

(Grand Falls News, 24th). Some eight or ten days ago a about nine years old, son of Tuck, was playing in the sawdus under Jas. Burgee & Son's mill ju above the Falls, and in some mann lost his footing and fell into the ra idly running current. A number the mill hands standing on the w saw him being carried to his do apparently helpless to assist him David Collins, scaler in the mill, hear ing of it, rushed out through the par alyzed crowd, and jumping off th wharf, resiched the lad when he wa wharf, reached the lad when he within about four rods of the pitch the Falls, bringing him safe to la great credit for his conduct, as no one in a thousand would risk such jump at this time of the "ear, when the current is so strong.

NEW YORK, April 29.-On the abled American liner New York, which passed Fire Island tonight, is Count Stanislaus Colacichi, who is bri from the Vatican the red hat to Car

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MT. ALLISON.

uccessful Graduating Piano Recital -Annual At Home of the Eclectic Society of the Ladies' College.

SACKVILLE, N. B., April 29.-A most successful graduating piano recital was given Saturday evening at Beethoven Hall by Miss May Hart. The house was well filled with an appreciative audience, among whom in strong evidence were the university unior class, of which Miss Hart is the junior class, of which Miss Hart is the only lady. The class attended en masse adorned with large bows of red and silver, the class colors, and greeted the performer with waving hand-kerchiefs and led the encores with most vigorous clapping. The class also presented Miss Hart with the beautiful red roses worn on her bodice. The appearance of the player was very graceful, as she has mastered that little understood art of sitting well at the plane.

Chopin and Chaminade, and all were well and faithfully rendered. Miss Hart has acquired the loose wrist to perfection and her touch is musical and flowing. She also displays no little intellectual conception of her subject. It might be remarked en passant that Miss Hart is the first student to graduate in music while taking the university course. Miss Davison kindly gave three well rendered songs accompanied by Miss Hibbard.

Friday evening the annual At Home was given by the Eclectic society of the Ladies' college. Some 450 invitations were issued, and a large number of guests were present. It is considered one of the most agreeable social events of the season. The decorations were most effective. The front half was draped in red, white and blue, and several class rooms were converted into veritable bowers with screens, divans, pictures and colored lights. Bach room had a scheme of color, one being in blue and silver, the society's corners, little tables, etc. The platform was draped in blue and silver with a representation of the society pin in the centre. The Y. W. C. A. parlor was perhaps the most attractive of with a representation of the society pin in the centre. The Y. W. C. A. parlor was perhaps the most attractive of all with its open fire and ferns and flowers. The guests were received in the college drawing room by Miss Mc Connell of Marysville and Miss Mc Mullin of Truro, who did the honors with ease and grace. An excellent pro-gramme was given in Beethoven hall brookes and Miss Hibbard, numbers from the university glee club and orchestra and from the young ladies' glee club, which made its initial bow on this occasion. Ices and cake were served at the end of the evening. Friday, May 3rd, the post graduating plano recital of Archibald Crossman takes place. Mr. Crossman's

playing is much admired and his re-cital looked forward to with interest. Godowsky, who is called the greatest living planist, gives a concert here May 15th. This is the opportunity of a lifetime for many to hear so noted a nusician. Dr. Borden is to be congratulated on his enterprise in secur-ing this famous player. The great De Pachman says he himself is but a star, Godowsky is the sun, which is certainly high praise from a high quarter. Prof. Vincent is getting up a cantata

Prof. Vincent is getting up a cantata for the anniversary exercises which promises good things musically.

Prof. Hammond's pictures for the Pan-American exhibition have been forwarded. Mr. Hammond expects to spend the summer in British Columbia with a party of Swiss mountaineers.

At a recent meeting of the Alumniand Alumnae societies it was decided. and Alumnae societies it was decided to have again the supper which was such a social success last year. The affair will be given in the residence. Monday, May 27th, after the Ladies' college closing exercises.

The executive of the Archibald mem orial fund hope as many subscriptions as possible will be handed in before the annual meeting in May of the Alumnae society.

HEARTLESS HUSBAND.

Stanley Dixon, a trucker in the I. C. R. freight shed, left the city last week in company with a domestic in one of the King square hotels. He left his wife with a thirteen-year-old son, residing at 20 Johnston street, without a dollar, and with the house rent, the coal bill and a month's grocery bill due.

Dixon's intimacy with the woman who is a partner in his elopement dates back about two years, during which time he has been persistently neglecting his own family and spending most of his time and most of his wages on his paramour. During the last year especially, so extreme seemed his infatuation and so shameless his attentions to its object that many of his acquaintances have had serious doubts of his complete sanity.

The wife whom he has so cruelly treated bears a good reputation among her neighbors, who testify to her faithfulness in striving to make his home happy in the face of knowledge the lifterest that can come to the heart

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And if her statement is rue, and
Stanley Dixon pawned the security for
his family's safety to furnish the funds
for his criminal abandonment of them,
nothing further need be stated to illustrate his moral calibre.

Mrs. Dixon at her house of John-

ston street is facing the future bravely and making plans whereby she may support herself and her boy.

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NEWBURG JUNCTION

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On April 16th a pretty wedding took place at the residence of Mervin Hovey, when his sister-in-law was united in marriage to Maurice Y. Haley. The mauriage was performed by Rev. B. B. Trafton in the presence of a large number of invited guests. The bride received a large number of costly and useful presents, besides an amount of money. They will reside in Houlton, Me.

Wm. B. Dickinson and wife have re wm. B. Dickinson and wife have returned from Lowell, Mass., and purchased a farm near Hartland.—Farmens are already preparing for cropping. One man had wheat sowed a week ago, the earliest known for years.—Mark Kinney has taken unto himself a wife, formerly Mrs. Annie Gillin.



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