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RAILWAY BOARD HEARS
FREDERICTON GRIEVANCE

Asks to Have the City Get Same Freight Rates as
St. John

E. Tiffin of Intercolonial Testifies That Discrimination is
Unjust and Should Be Removed--C. P. R. Defends Their
Action Because of Water Competition Which May Some
Day Exist--No Need of Delegation from This City Says
Chairman.

(Special to The Telegraph.)
Ottawa, April 23.—The railway board...
Mr. Tiffin produced a letter from Mr. Loud, traffic manager of the Grand Trunk, in which Mr. Loud stated that he agreed with him that the difference was an injustice to Fredericton for which there was no excuse.

BRITISH FORCE MOBILIZING TO
QUELL ANOTHER INDIAN UPRISING

Sir Jas. Wilcox to Com-
mand the Expedition--
He Dealt With Previous
Trouble of Some Sort.

Simla, April 23.—A mixed force of British and Indian troops is at present being rapidly mobilized near Peshawar for another punitive expedition against the fanatical tribes who recently have been raiding and looting the villages on the Peshawar border.



MAJOR-GENERAL
SIR JAMES
WILCOX,
K.C.M.G.

PROMINENT DIGBY
COUNTY MAN FOUND
DEAD IN HAY LOFT

Councillor Alex. Daley of Culloden
Was Evidently Loading His Cart
When He Expired.

(Special to The Telegraph.)
Digby, N. S., April 23.—Councillor Alex. Daley, of Culloden, was found dead on the hay loft of Geo. Lynch's barn, First street, at 3 o'clock this afternoon.

FREDERICTON HOTFOOT
AFTER THAT \$50,000 GRANT

Delegations From Board of Trade, City Council and Agri-
cultural Society Going to Ottawa to Secure Dominion
Fair in 1909--Local Government Appointments--Other
News of the Capital.

(Special to The Telegraph.)
Fredericton, N.B., April 23.—Fredericton will make a determined effort to capture the Dominion government grant of \$50,000 for a provincial exhibition to be held here September 1909.

PUGSLEY PRODUCES THE
REVOKED DREDGING ORDER

Document Shows Ten Different Contracts Renewed
at Old Prices

Laurier Explains Duties of New Diplomatic Secretary--No
Decision About Increasing Woolen Duties Yet--Aylesworth
Tells Why Offending Doukhobors Were Pardoned--Other
News of the Sitting.

(Special to The Telegraph.)
Ottawa, April 23.—Mr. Pugsley today tabled the order in council which proposed to renew the contracts for dredging at last year's prices. The order was rescinded after a stormy debate in the house precipitated by Mr. Bennett. The proposed renewals were:

TREAL MAY SEE
DOUKHOBOR PARADE

Released from Fort William Jail,
promise to Resume March East
in Warm Weather Costumes.

(Special to The Telegraph.)
Port Arthur, April 23.—Fifty Doukhobors released from Fort William jail are likely to leave on a continuation of their pilgrimage towards the east in search of the promised land any day now.

ACADIA COLLEGE
OBSERVATORY BURNED

Fire Evidently Incendiary -- Instru-
ments Filed Outside Previous to
Glaze--No Insurance.

(Special to The Telegraph.)
Wolville, N.S., April 23.—The astronomical observatory of Acadia University was burned to the ground last night between 10 and 11 o'clock.

GLACE BAY GAZETTE
PLANT DESTROYED
BY FIRE THURSDAY

Dreamland Theatre and 'Travis Bros.'
Store Also Gutted.

(Special to The Telegraph.)
Glace Bay, N.S., April 23.—Oddfellows Block, occupied by the Daily Gazette, Travis Brothers, and Dreamland Theatre, was badly gutted by fire this afternoon.

A BURNING QUESTION
FOR THE FORESTERS

Old Members Will Be Asked
to Pay Vastly Increased
Rate or Have Amount of
Policy Reduced.

(Special to The Telegraph.)
Toronto, April 23.—The old policy holders in the Independent Foresters pay a vastly increased rate for insurance, which they now have or shall they have amount called for on the face of their policies materially reduced in order to meet actual and financial conditions in which the order now finds itself?

FAMILY ALL PERISHED
EXCEPT HEROIC GIRL

Anna Matthews Carried Little Brother and Sister From
Burning House and Returned Too Late to Save Mother--
Tots Consumed by Prairie Fire in Her Absence--Father
Died in Efforts to Stay Flames.

(Special to The Telegraph.)
Battledorf, Sask., April 23.—Anna Matthews is the only survivor of a family of five burned to death as a result of prairie fire in trapping Lake district. The father tried to fight the flames which were sweeping down on their little home and perished.

TRAGIC DEATH OF TWO
NOVA SCOTIA GIRLS

Caught by Wheel of Mill as They Were Taking a Short Cut
to Gather Mayflowers and Whirled to Death

(Special to The Telegraph.)
Halifax, N.S., April 23.—The report of a terrible tragedy comes from West La Have Ferry, by which two little daughters of the Henry Bernette, aged nine and eleven years, lost their lives while on their way for Mayflowers.

EIGHTEEN SHOT FOR
ATTEMPT ON LIFE OF
GUATEMALA PRESIDENT

Guatemala City, Guatemala, April 23.—President Cabrera himself is authority for the statement that 18 of the ringleaders in a conspiracy against him already have been shot to death and that probably more executions will follow.

HIS FIFTEENTH WIFE
Colored Preacher to Marry at
Hundred and One.

Middletown, N.Y., April 23.—James Nicholson's "new, original" invention, will be 191 years old Wednesday. He is hale and hearty, and today said that he expected to live another fifty, who would be 246 in his matrimonial experience.

CYCLONE CARRIES
BABY'S BODY FAR

Corpse Picked Up in Highway--Two
Other Known Dead and Many In-
jured in Nebraska.

Bancroft, Neb., April 23.—A cyclone swept through Cuming County and into Thurston County at noon today and three people are known to have been killed and a number injured and a number of houses were destroyed. Telegraph and telephone wires are down and reports are slow in arriving.

ST. JOHN SCHOONER
ASHORE ON SHOALS

The Abbie and Eva Hooper, Lumber Laden, for New York,
Struck on Handkerchief--Owned by R. C. Elkin of This
City.

Chatham, Mass., April 23.—The three-masted schooner Abbie and Eva Hooper, Captain A. H. Holmes, bound from St. John, N.B., for New York, with a cargo of 250,000 feet of lumber, grounded on Handkerchief Shoal late this afternoon at high water, during a fresh-southwest wind, and remains there tonight.

FROM ALL OVER THE MARITIME PROVINCES

RICHIBUCTO

Richibucto, N.B., April 20.—Miss Edith James is home from St. John, where she has been studying vocal music, spending the vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. H. James.

SALISBURY

Salisbury, N. B., April 21.—George Chapman, parish clerk commissioner, who suffered a slight stroke of paralysis last week, is recovering.

NEWCASTLE

Newcastle, April 21.—Mrs. Elizabeth Nicholson (nee Ritchie), widow of John R. Nicholson, died at her home in Newcastle, N. B., on Friday, April 18, 1908, at the age of 73.

FREDERICTON

Fredericton, N.B., April 21.—Although the election for the repeal of the Scott Act is only eight days off, many citizens are not manifesting a very active interest in the contest and unless there is an awakening between now and polling day it is scarcely likely that the vote will be a large one.

ST. STEPHEN

St. Stephen, April 20.—The toy party is in evidence here. On Saturday night, the young men of St. John's, J. D. Chipman, received a bad wound in the hand, and yesterday Don Green severely injured one of his eyes with one of these toys.

HARTLAND

Hartland, N. B., April 21.—Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Morgan returned today from Brownville, Kings county, where they have been visiting their daughter, Mrs. J. Sterling King.

financial standing of the province when the Haren administration took office. The families were rendered homeless by fire yesterday afternoon at Phoenix Mills. The house which was situated near Phoenix Mills, was occupied by John O'Hara and Edward Duplisse and their families.

On Friday the 24th inst., Archbishop Newman will leave for England. He will take passage on the steamer Lake Champlain from St. John on Saturday and will attend the Pan Anglican Conference in London. He will be absent about three months and will visit relatives and friends in England.

WOODSTOCK

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H. B. AMES, M. P., ON CANADIAN WEST

Montreal Member Addresses the St. John Canadian Club. TALK ILLUSTRATED. Entertaining Address Enjoyed by Large Number of Club Members—Caution in Government Giving of Western Lands Urged by the Speaker.

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LIBERALS DROP CAMPAIGN AGAINST UPPER HOUSE

Translation of John Morley and Sir Henry Fowler to the Lords Silences the Outcry for Ending or Mending the Chamber. (Special Cable to N. Y. Herald.) London, Saturday.—It was John Morley who coined the catch phrase about ending the House of Lords. He is now, as Secretary of State for India, a member of the gilded chamber. Sir Henry Fowler, too, has been translated to the Upper House, which he is supposed to despise so much.

SCHOONER PASSED BOTTOM UP OFF POINT LEPREAUX

Digby, April 21.—The schooner Mildred, Capt. Colin Thompson, from St. John with general cargo for Westport, N. S., was safe in Beaton harbor, west of East point, on Friday night.

ELECTIONS

Sackville, N. B., April 21.—The only civic contest here today was that for mayor and Charles Pictet was elected by a majority of 100 votes.

KINGS COUNTY COURT

Hampton, Kings Co., April 22.—Judge Wedderburn spent this morning in hearing a review of a case under the Highway Act, in which in November last one Beale, a justice of the peace at Springfield, convicted Stipendiary Magistrate Henderson of a criminal offence in diverting a water course into the public road in contravention of the provisions of the Highway Act.

P. E. I. DOCTOR CHARGED WITH ISSUING TOO MANY PRESCRIPTIONS FOR LIQUOR

Charlottetown, P.E.I., April 23.—(Special.)—The Steam Navigation Company's steamer Empress will leave the slip at Pictou today for Summerside and tomorrow morning will begin the summer service on the balance of stock to E. Harner & Sons.

PARENTS AND CHILD BREAK THROUGH ICE AND PERISH

Edmonton, April 20.—While traveling with a dog train on the Sattara line, from Athabasca Landing, Cardinal, his wife and child, and 3 Desjarlais broke through into the Desjarlais, with great difficulty, and reported at the Landing, but the three were swept under the ice by strong stream.

Free Veterinary Book. Be your own horse doctor. Book enables you to cure all the common ailments, such as splint, spavin, lameness, etc. Prepared by the makers of Tuffe's Elix.

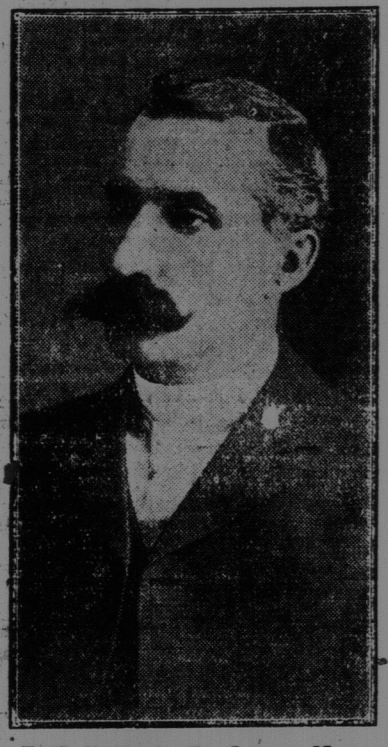
Tuffe's Elix. The world's greatest horse remedy to cure all the common ailments, such as splint, spavin, lameness, etc. Prepared by the makers of Tuffe's Elix.

AVO D HEADACHE POWDERS. When your head is aching, cheeks are pale, head aches, don't delay the trouble with drugs, help out the system with Avo D Headache Powders. As the wife whose voice is a married woman some difficulty has now arisen.

BULLOCK THE NEW MAYOR OF ST. JOHN; FUTURE ELECTIONS UNDER "AT LARGE" SYSTEM

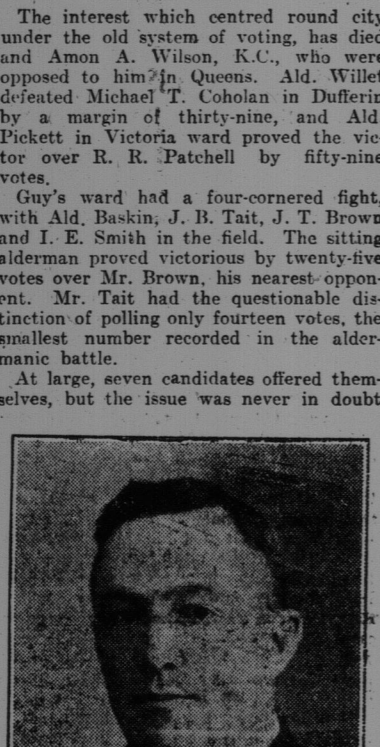
Present Method of Choosing by Wards is Rejected by 31 Majority; Vague District System Snowed Under--Small Vote Cast--Sears Defeated by 681--Only New Men at Council Will be Elkin, Scully and Rowan--Some Sharp Fighting in the Wards.

TUESDAY'S VOTE IN DETAIL. Table with columns for candidates (Sears, Bullock, Elkin, etc.) and rows for various wards (Guys, Queens, Victoria, etc.) showing vote counts.



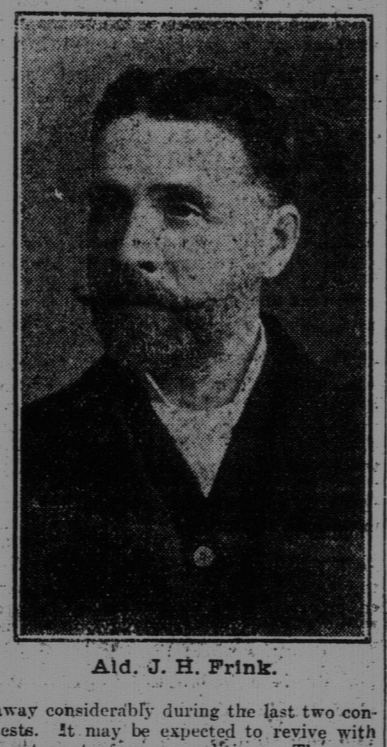
T. H. Bullock, St. John's New Mayor.

Wednesday, April 22. By a vote of 1,845 to 1,814 the citizens yesterday pronounced in favor of a return to the electoral system in force before 1907, the "at large" system. The contest on this question was both close and exciting as the small majority of thirty-one votes would indicate.



Ald. J. H. Frink.

The interest which centred round city under the old system of voting, his died and Amon A. Wilson, K.C., who were opposed to him in Queens. Ald. Willet defeated Michael T. Cochran in Dufferin by a margin of thirty-nine, and Ald. Pickett in Victoria ward proved the victor over R. R. Patchell by fifty-nine votes.



Ald. H. H. Pickett.

away considerably during the last two contests. It may be expected to revive with a return to former conditions. The common clerk's office was never over crowded yesterday and not more than about thirty enthusiasts awaited the returns. Sydney ward, as usual, sent in the first ballot box and official list, J. H. A. L. Fairweather, the commissioner, arriving at 3 o'clock. Stanley came next, twenty-four minutes later, and then in slow succession other boxes arrived.

FORMER BRITISH NAVAL DESIGNER ON AMERICAN NAVY. Sir Wm. Henry White Says Next to England's It's the Best in the World. Boston, Mass., April 21--In a lengthy interview, published here today, Sir William Henry White, who was for nearly twenty years, up to 1902, the responsible designer of all British warships, comments on recent criticisms of the American navy.

LIBERAL PROMISES TO ELECT CHURCHILL. Irish Home Rule and Old Age Pensions the Bait to Catch Manchester Votes. Manchester, April 21--The furious election fight, which takes place April 24, that is being waged here has brought forth two of the Liberal promises from the Liberal minister. The first of these was Winston Churchill's home rule pronouncement yesterday, and tonight David Lloyd George offered to let his opponents that the old age pension scheme would be established within a year.

CHAMBERLAIN TO RESIGN? No Hope of His Returning to Public Life the Latest Rumor. New York, April 20--The World has received the following cable dispatch from London:--Joseph Chamberlain has at last abandoned the hope, which his physician and friends knew all along could never be realized, of reappearing in public life, and will soon resign his seat in parliament.

THE CELEBRATED GRANGER REMEDIES bear the stamp of approval. These remedies are the result of careful and actual experience by professional horsemen, and positive results are secured in every case. We stand behind every package bearing the name "Granger".

PUGSLEY TURNED DOWN BY HIS COLLEAGUES IN THE CABINET

Order Revoked Allowing Dredging to Proceed Without Tenders Being Called For

Back Track Taken Since Minister of Public Works Made His Famous Defence of the Gridiron About Marine Inquiry--Engineer Charges Irregularities on G. T. P. Construction--Manitoba Schools Bob Up Again.

Ottawa, April 21--Although it was a slim attendance of members that assembled in the Commons this afternoon a variety of interesting topics was introduced as the accumulation of the week's Eastern recess. There was, too, a recrudescence of the automobile bill debates of three years ago.

Another Scandal. R. L. Borden read a despatch stating that Major Hodgins, former engineer of the eastern division of the National Transcontinental railway, had charged the government with improper classification of material taken from cuttings.

Manitoba Schools Up Again. Armand Lavergne complained that in answer to a question of his last week the minister of justice replied that the government was not aware whether or not the new educational laws of the province of Manitoba were contrary to the provisions of the educational clause of the autonomy act of 1903.

THE MARINE INQUIRY. Mr. Brodeur interrogated the minister of marine concerning a complaint appointed to act in connection with the investigation before Judge Cassels. Whom did they represent? Had counsel been appointed to represent Messrs. Courtney, Byrnie and Bazin, whose report was, to a certain extent, under review by a new commission?

THE LOST PARTNER. (By Charles B. Clark, Jr., in Pacific Monthly) I ride along and hate the boys I meet. Today, some way, their laughter hurts me.

APPEAL TO ENGLISHMEN. (London Lancet.) The estimated amount of juice expressed from a lemon is 37.50 per cent of its weight, whereas the lime gives 50.00 per cent.

PILES CURED AT HOME by New Absorption Method. If you suffer from bleeding, itching, blind or protruding piles, send me your address, and I will tell you how to cure yourself at home by the new absorption method, and what the best and most reliable of these home treatments are.

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GRANGER Remedies. We claim these veterinary remedies are the best in the market, and we are here to back it up.

THE OPEN SHOP MOVE MAY EXTEND TO ALL RAILWAYS. C. P. R. Says Wages Are Not Reduced, But Clay Material Will Not Get Same Pay as Good Men.

Employees of the Road from St. John to Winnipeg Will Consider the Situation at Meetings to be Called. Winnipeg, April 21--A conference between C.P.R. officials and representatives of the men affected by the new working rates, was held today at Winnipeg.

FINN BRICK BEST INTEREST BY FIRE. Stone Was Destroyed in Government Experiments, But Clay Material Was Uninjured. Washington, D. C., April 20--Common brick has proven itself the victor over many other and more fashionable types of building materials in a severe fire test conducted by the geological survey at Chicago.

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THE CHOICE

By E. R. PUNSHON

CHAPTER XVIII—(Continued.)

She still felt quite reckless that, being so entirely abandoned, it did not matter in the least what she did or what happened to her. He was anxious and nervous, and she found a relief in his company and in soothing his fears. She assured him that the message of Ivanovitch had received did not concern them, and in talking to him she lost something at least of her mood of recklessness and bitterness. It was as though, after all, she were not so utterly abandoned, as if this boy's hand still held her back on some slope on which her soul was poised, ready to descend for ever. She was still talking to him with this sense of comfort and companionship when Nickolas came into the room. "A telegram has just arrived; I don't know what it is," he said. "There is good news for you," he added to Annie, seeing she listened indifferently. "Good news for me?" she asked. "Well, then, let me hear it."

CHAPTER XIX.

Cook's Revenge.

In fact, just half an hour before Fred had walked into the kitchen, wearing his hat and coat, and had looked round with an indifferent air. "I am going now, and I shall not be returning," he announced briefly. Without saying another word he walked quietly out again and through the back windows of the kitchen the cook and Bessie saw him second the area steps and disappear into the street above. They looked at each other dumbfounded, and then the cook spoke, expressing all the bitterness of her soul in one word—"Coward!" she said. "Coward!" gasped Bessie. "Does he mean it, do you think?" gasped Bessie.

what stood by you and helped you, and now treated like this after you being such friends and never more to be seen. It is to be feared like this," said Bessie, breathing hard.

Get Rid of the Dust Nuisance in Your House

Floor-dust carries most of the germs that make a doctor's bills mount up. Floor-glaze makes floor-dust not only clean but also kills germs.

Because floor-glaze, the cleanest floor-off cleaner, is made of pure, white, non-toxic materials, it is safe for the health of the household. It is a better-looking floor-glaze than any other. It is a better-looking floor-glaze than any other. It is a better-looking floor-glaze than any other.

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Recommended and sold by W. H. Thorne & Co., Ltd., and A. M. Rowan.

Nickolas did not say anything, and moving away from the window, she sat down by the fire and began to talk carefully on indifferent subjects. Nothing could have wounded her more, sore and aching as her heart was, than this message of her stepmother's, which she felt each word in its cold conventionalities to be a mock and a reproach to the fiery ordeal she had passed through, not scathless.

The next morning Annie set out to pay her father's bill. She was going to the bank, and it was only then he went to see her father again. She would indeed have disregarded what Madam Ross had said, but for a strong impression that she had been probably abused or taken advantage of by her father again.

Madam Ross was still at breakfast when Annie arrived, and after a few minutes she came down, and on each cheek, Madam Ross was a small and thin, but well-preserved, woman, who hardly looked her fifty years. She was intelligent and cultured, but was always being led away by her prejudices, of which she had many.

Her complexion was a pale, yellowish, and she had a certain amount of wrinkles about her eyes. She was a well-to-do woman, and she had a certain amount of influence in the neighborhood.

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HERE IS A PIPE STORY

Man Fell Three Stories to Side-walk, Got Up and Never Missed a Puff.

Chicago, April 16.—After Ventura Dominico, thirty-four years old, had arisen this morning he lit his pipe and seated himself in his window, in the third story of No. 288 Grand avenue, to see what was going on in the world below.

SIR HENRY CAMPBELL-BANNERMAN IS DEAD

London, April 22.—Sir Henry Campbell-Bannerman, ex-premier of Great Britain, died this morning at 9.15 at his official residence in Downing street.

The cause of Sir Henry's death is officially given as heart failure.

Sir Henry Campbell-Bannerman resigned the office of prime minister on April 5, suggesting in his letter to King Edward, who wasjourning at Biarritz, Herbert H. Asquith, Chancellor of the Exchequer and the then acting premier, as his successor. Mr. Asquith was succeeded by Mr. Bannerman.

He was the youngest son of the late Sir James Campbell, of Strachan, Forfarshire, one Lord Provost of Glasgow. He assumed the additional name under the will of his maternal uncle, the late Henry Bannerman, of Hutton Court, Kent, who bequeathed to him a large estate. He attended Glasgow University and Trinity College, Cambridge. In 1869 he married Charlotte, daughter of Major General Sir Charles Bruce. She died in 1898, and from then Sir Henry's decline in health may be dated. For nearly forty years he sat for the second of the Strathgordon, and his record of office goes back to 1871, when he was financial secretary to the War Office, which post he held a second time, from 1880 to 1882.

During the next two years he was secretary to the admiralty, and in 1884 he succeeded Sir George Trevelyan as Irish secretary, filling that office until the fall of the Gladstone ministry in 1885. He was secretary to the Liberal government in 1886. In the short Government of 1886 he was secretary for War, and to that post he returned in 1891. He was also secretary to the Unionists suggested him as a candidate for the speakership, to which the office of speaker of the House of Commons was appointed. He was chosen speaker of the House of Commons in 1892, and he held the office until his death.

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IRISH POVERTY AND ITS CAUSES

Evidence Given Before Royal Commission Reveals Startling Facts.

The new York Herald's London correspondent writes with regard to the poverty of Ireland and emigration to America given before the Royal Commission on the Congested Districts of Ireland published in the form of a blue book to-day. One witness stated that the population of the county of Wick in 1841 was 250,000, while in 1901 it had sunk to a little over 100,000.

In Castle Teelown, where the land was good and valued at sixteen shillings per acre, the population had fallen eighty per cent, while in Ardara North, where the valuation was six shillings and six pence per acre, the population had fallen only three per cent.

Advertisement for Maypole Soap, featuring an illustration of a woman and child, and text describing the soap's benefits.

WANTED - A capable general girl in small family. Apply at 110 Wentworth street.
WANTED - By the 15th of May, a girl for general house work. Apply to Mrs. J. H. Thomson, 187 Duke street.
WANTED - By 22nd of April, a good girl for general house work. References required. Apply to Mrs. Domville, Rothesay. 4-14-w.

THE CARTER HANDICAP. A picture of a horse race with jockeys and spectators. Text: 'THE CARTER HANDICAP - JACK ATKIN FIRST, RED RIVER SECOND, CHAMPUSLEY THIRD.'

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CHURCHILL'S NEW POST. The Importance of His Cabinet Position. The Presidency of the Board of Trade, Which Has Its Rise in the Days of Charles II. - The Prestige Which Chamberlain and Lloyd George Won in That Office.

Largely on this account, and owing to popular dissatisfaction with the board, it was appointed for the consideration of Burke's celebrated bill for retrenchment in 1829. But Pitt, on coming into office, found the need of assistance in dealing with questions of trade, industry and commerce, and accordingly re-inaugurated the method in vogue up to the reign of George III. of transferring matters relating to commerce to a special committee of the Privy Council, with this difference, that the committee, instead of being appointed for the consideration of any particular affair, was made a permanent creation. Its presidency he entrusted to Lord Hawkebury, afterwards the Earl of Liverpool, as a man above all that spirit of initiative, that zest for work, and that wonderful grasp of manifold problems coming before the department, and who distinguished Joseph Chamberlain and David Lloyd George, is a foregone conclusion. But it is just a question whether it is to be a committee of the Privy Council, or a department of state, and the archbishop of Canterbury.

But it was soon found that the work of the committee was of an important character, and that it was not a matter of expediency to admit of its transaction in the office of the Privy Council. The prestige of the committee was such that it was not long before it was elevated to a full department, with an ever-growing staff of assistants, until towards the end of the reign of George IV. the board had developed into a full department, with a regular salary of \$100,000 a year, and a seat in the Cabinet. Since then all sorts of duties and powers have been conferred upon it, and it has become a department of the Board of Trade, both by act of the Privy Council and by act of Parliament, until today its work comprises the control, inspection and management of all railways, tramways, water supply, gas and electric lighting, the issue of patents, registration of trademarks and copyrights, the management of the Board of Trade, and the execution of all the duties of the Board of Trade, and the execution of all the duties of the Board of Trade.

WILL REPAIR BRIDGE AT SMITHTOWN. Hampton, N. B., April 23.—Through representations to the government made by F. M. Sprout, M. L. A., as the engineer of the bridge over the Hammond river, at Smithtown, A. R. Wetmore, chief engineer of the public works department, arrived here on Saturday morning, and was driven out to the bridge by Mr. Sprout. Mr. Wetmore decided that considerable bridge would have to be done to put the bridge in good condition, a new concrete pier being needed at the Smithtown end, to replace the treacherous wooden foundations. This improvement cannot be effected till next year, but meantime, the bridge will be strengthened and temporarily repaired, so as to ensure the safety and comfort of those who have to use it. There is some suggestion that the bridge may be made a covered structure, when the permanent piers are put in place.

Salisbury Notes. Salisbury, N. B., April 23.—A very successful basket social was held on Wednesday evening under the auspices of the Catholic church (a part of the late Father McAuley's parish). The proceeds amounted to about \$85. Judson E. Foster acted as auctioneer. George Chapman, Parish Court Commissioner, is able to be out again. Fred Smith, of Newham, Mass., is visiting his father, Abram Smith, at his place.

Every Woman in Poor Health. Has an awful ailment. Lets you do all kinds of worry, most of them with loss of sleep, loss of appetite and tired nerves. Her only desire is for more strength and better health. This is exactly what comes from using Ferronze, the greatest tonic for sickly women ever possibly used. Ferronze makes the blood tingle and grow red, the cheeks glow red, the eyes bright. Ferronze invigorates the body, develops new strength and makes life worth living. Ferronze is the sort of tonic that builds up, it gives you a reserve of nerve force and establishes such healthy conditions that sickness is unknown. Get every woman her Ferronze. Price 50c.

A Black Sun. "Black Knight" Stove Polish is better than the sun, because it makes stoves shine by night as well as day. It saves time - does away with hard rubbing - cuts out all the dirty work. "Black Knight" - means a quick, lasting polish, that is a revelation to housekeepers. "Black Knight" Stove Polish. Best Polish - Biggest Box. At Dealers.

HOW DR. PUGSEY "EMERGED" FROM THE DREDGING DEBATE. Minister Had a Bad Quarter of an Hour, Advanced Some Strange Doctrines, and Was Rebutted by Several Critics - The Speaker's Remark About Good Taste. The Telegraph's entirely accurate, but somewhat curt, report of the dredging debate at Ottawa, is supplemented here by further interesting details, including a tilt between Dr. Pugsley and Dr. Sproule, and a somewhat cutting remark by the Speaker - with how much credit Hon. Mr. Pugsley emerged from the argument may be judged by what follows.

Mr. Bennett insisted that his remarks were in order but the Speaker ruled against him. Several members of the opposition protested vigorously, including Mr. Taylor (Leeds), Mr. Lake (Quebec), Mr. Northrup (E. Hastings), and Hon. John Haggart. Being at last allowed to proceed, Mr. Bennett gave some startling figures as to the profits in dredging. Aided by friendly inspectors, these companies charged up 18 and 19 hours a day for four or five months out of the year. One tug was rented one year to the department for eight dollars an hour, and the next year was able to "earn" under a dredging contract \$250 per day. Mr. Bennett closed by calling upon the government to advertise for tenders and to put an end to the notorious scandals attached to the dredging contracts.

Mr. Pugsley said in defence that the government was poorly equipped for dredging, and there were demands for dredging work from all over the country. This necessitated the government letting a great deal of its work, especially on the Great Lakes. In order to safeguard the interests of the country, inspectors were appointed to see that the work was done in a proper and efficient manner. He was not prepared to say that collusion between tenders amounted to fraud. Mr. Lake - Do you approve of it? Mr. Pugsley - I am not called upon to give an opinion on that, but I would prefer that a tenderer did not know what another one was tendering. As to Mr. Bennett's argument that he (the minister) ought not to extend the time for the work at Tiffin and Victoria without again asking for public tenders, Mr. Pugsley said he considered there were cogent reasons for this course. The Grand trunk Pacific was creating a new port at Tiffin, and was burying on the work so as to be able to handle the grain there next fall. The Owen Sound Dredging Co. had hitherto performed the dredging work in a most effective way; they knew the ground, and the chief engineer reported that the price was fair and reasonable. For these reasons he thought it advisable that he should have the dredging done. The same remarks applied to the work at Victoria. Mr. Pugsley said he had been strongly urged by transportation interests and by the boards of trade of Winnipeg and Port Arthur to consider the question of dredging the harbours on the Great Lakes to a depth of 25 feet instead of 22 feet.

Harcourt Notes. Harcourt, April 23.—Among the many who spent Easter here were—Miss Jessie Miller, of Chatham; Mrs. F. R. McMichael, of Regensburg; Misses Blanche Wathen and Jean Thayer, and Ernest Manom, of Mt. Allison; Miss Sadie Buckley, of Amherst; Gilchrist Allan, Campbellton; Kirby Wathen, Beck Bay, Char. county, and James Buckley, of Pictou. Rev. R. H. Stavert is spending some time in Halifax. Miss Mary Kewick is visiting her sister, Mrs. W. N. Ingram of Moncton. Friday, May 15, has been fixed by School Inspector R. P. Stevens, as Arbor day in his district, No. 5.

THE ELEGANT WATCH AND CHAIN \$8.75. A beautiful watch and chain for sale. The watch is made of the finest materials and is guaranteed to keep accurate time. The chain is made of the finest steel and is guaranteed to be strong and durable. The watch and chain are available at a special price of \$8.75. Write to the manufacturer for more information.

FAREWELL DINNER GIVEN BY W. H. TRUEMAN

Member of Legal Fraternity Dine Him on Eve of His Departure for Winnipeg.

A farewell dinner was given by members of the legal fraternity to W. H. Trueman last night in White's restaurant... Recorder Skinner was in the vice chair.

CHAMPLAIN ON BLOCKS WAS CAUGHT IN ICE

What the River Steamers Are Doing After the Drift Logs.

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What makes a horse cough? Thick swollen glands... ABSORBINE... The big black plug.

TROUT FISHING AT LILY LAKE WILL COMMENCE MAY 9

Terms for Anglers Decided on at Meeting of Horticultural Association Committee.

Friday, April 24. Trout fishing in Lily Lake will commence on May 9. It is believed that the privilege of fishing there will add greatly to the fascinations of Rockwood Park.

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HOME AFFAIRS

Sold in St. John by C. L. Austin, 29 Germain street, and by the leading furniture dealers in cities and towns throughout Canada.

Mrs. Parks and family of Barneville, N. B., wish, through the columns of the Telegraph, to thank their many friends for their kindness and sympathy to them in their deep sorrow and bereavement.

CARLETON GIRL IS MARRIED IN DORCHESTER

St. Peter's church, Dorchester (Mass.) was the scene of a very pretty wedding on Monday morning, April 20, when Thos. L. Morrisey, formerly of Sussex, and Laura E. Auld, only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Sam'l J. Auld, of St. John, were united in marriage by Rev. Fr. Halloran.

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Sun Rises... 5:28 Sun Sets... 7:15 High Tide... 5:38 Low Tide... 12:00 The time used is Atlantic standard.

PORT OF ST. JOHN

Arrived. Thursday, April 23. Star Senac, 614, McKinnon, from Halifax and Cape Breton, Wm Thomson & Co. pass and sails.

CANADIAN PORTS

Quebec, Apr 21-22, str. Acadia, London for Port Arthur, Canada. See Consular, Montreal.

FOREIGN PORTS

Naples, Apr 18-19, str. General Canina, London, Stollenberg, N.Y.

ST. JOHN'S MARKETS

The backward weather so far this spring had the effect of keeping up the price of farm products of all kinds.

Butter. Eggs, however, are quoted in the grocery line the dealers say the sugar market is firmer, and they are expecting an advance in the near future.

COUNTRY MARKET

Beef, western, per lb., 0.09 to 0.10 Beef, country, per lb., 0.07 to 0.08 Pork, per lb., 0.11 to 0.12

FRUITS, ETC.

New walnuts, per bushel, 0.11 to 0.12 Green walnuts, per bushel, 0.10 to 0.11

GROCERIES

Three Crowned Muskets, 0.08 to 0.10 Corned beef, per lb., 0.11 to 0.12

GRAIN, ETC.

Standard granulated, 0.09 to 0.10 Austrian granulated, 0.09 to 0.10

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We have now on sale our entire stock of Men's and Boys' Clothing and Gent's Furnishings at prices that defy competition.

SALE PRICES: Men's Suits, \$4.50, 5.50, 6.50, 7.50, 8.50, 9.50 and up. Men's Spring Overcoats and Raincoats, \$4.99 to \$18.00.

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OBITUARY

Mrs. Charles F. Clinch. Mrs. Julia A. widow of Charles F. Clinch, who was at one time owner of the Stetson-Cutler property at Musquash, died last Tuesday, aged 84 years.

Mrs. L. L. Haley

St. Stephen, N. B., April 19 (Special).—Mrs. L. L. Haley died this morning in the St. Stephen Memorial Hospital.

Edward J. Johnston

The death of Edward J. Johnston occurred at his home, Otter Lake, on Wednesday, after an illness lasting about three months.

Mrs. Mary Price

Mrs. Mary Price, widow of A. W. Price of Buctouche (N.B.) died there on April 9 at the age of eighty-two years.

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A new book that will open your eyes. Tells how to cure venereal disease... The big black plug.

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