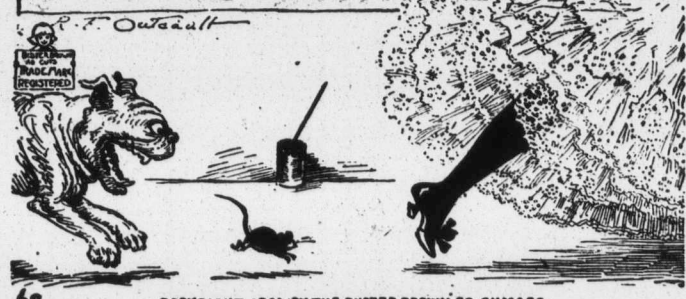


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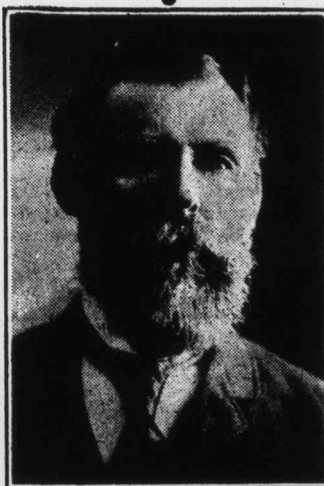
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## Would-be Legislators

### Met on the Hustings.

Both Sides of the Question Fully Discussed in the  
Opera House, Yesterday.



WILLIAM ANDERSON.

Nomination proceedings passed off quietly at Court House yesterday, the selection of the eight candidates already chosen being ratified.

Shortly after two o'clock speech making began in the Opera House and continued to nearly seven. Eight hundred men from all over the county were present. Ex-Mayor Hennessy presided.

JOHN MORRISSEY

Mr. Morrissey said the government claimed a surplus each year, but if so why had they to borrow \$1,500,000 last year at 5 per cent? Where does the money go? The great I Am was in Chatham the other day, and said he was going to read Morrissey out of the Liberal party. Pugsley had taken public money for private purposes, and paid back \$150 in 1905 and \$350 in 1906. In 1901 Pugsley got over \$5,000 of the public funds; in 1902 over \$8,000; in 1905 (over \$6,000); in 1904 over \$10,000; in 1905 over \$11,000—total \$43,000 in 5 years—average \$8,600 a year. In 1906 he got \$6,000 more.

He (Morrissey) never apologized for truth. Pugsley's salary was \$2,100 a year; and he took some \$5,000 a year too much.

All the executive councillors draw too much for travelling expenses.

Last year we were told that the province was paying \$212,000 a year interest but books showed only \$147,000. Why have 450 school houses vacant in this province? Two Northumberland men were refused land grants on Southwest Miramichi, because land was held by Snowball under license.

On Victoria land, part of which were purchased by government there is a mortgage of £513,000. At a Liberal Convention January 1907, delegates refused to run provincial politics on party lines, Loggie and Turgeon chief among them. Why government is now Liberal is because they are afraid of their record. He was badly used at last Liberal convention, but voted for Loggie, and campaigned for Turgeon.

At Maritime board Trade 495,000,000 feet of lumber was reported exported from N. B. in 1906—Only 130,000,000 paid stumpage. 75,000,000 came from Quebec. Say 100,000,000 was cut on granted lands, nearly 200,000,000 was not accounted for, which should have paid \$200,000 stumpage. Government allows Americans to skin our lands.

### Erin, The Bright Toast Forever!

Watch for display of  
Shamrock Post Cards  
about first of March. A  
number are already in,  
but a swell line coming.

**Follansbee & Co.,**

Public Square, Newcastle.

In twenty years we'll have no logs left. N. B. should put export duty on crown land lumber. If \$1.25 be too much reduce stumpage to \$1.00 or 75cts, but collect it all. Roads were not as good as 25 years ago.

ROBERT MURRAY

Mr. Murray said the charges made against the government now are the same as made in 1903, when opposition elected only 10. The old Highway Act had been patched and repatched, and people demanded a change. The government, yielding to popular demand, amended to make it nearly uniform with that of Maine where it had worked well. The government had given this Act a trial and found it unsatisfactory, and at next session they proposed to amend it so that the road commissioners shall be elected at County elections or appointed by County councils; also that road money shall be spent where assessed.

Mr. Morrissey's charge that \$300,000 spent on roads in 1906, not true. Only \$147,000 spent on roads.

Road suits, are all honest men.

Mr. Morrissey should know that statement is false that all appointments are given to gov't supporters. Two he had recommended were opponents. Trouble with road act was that people expected far more from

When one is known to fail, he loses his job.

T. W. Flett—Are these surveyors all sworn?

R. Murray—Yes.

Mr. Flett—They are not.

R. Murray—One case is not fully qualified, I understand.

Mr. Morrison and B. Frank Smith and myself were on public accounts committee last year, and found no irregularities.

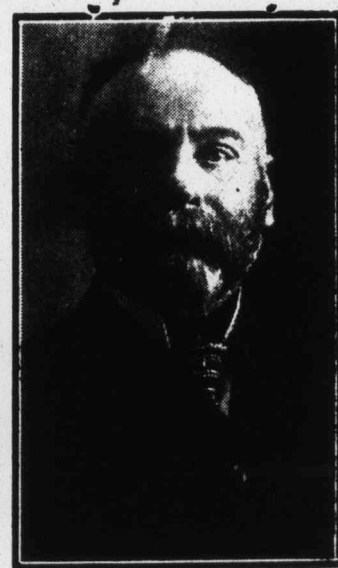
Opposition claim that province is swamped in debt. When old government went out of power, bonded debt was some \$900,000 and a floating debt was \$320,000. Blair issued bonds for this, and so started out with bonded debt of some \$1,200,000. The "Lobster" Act of 1881 made province liable for large sum more. Now a new bridge has to be built to St. John and built by bonds.

Last winter legislature undertook to guarantee railway from Centerville to Westfield at \$15,000 a mile.

Hazen and Fleming are unable to agree as to amount of debt.

When I was at Bay du Vin last

Saturday it was reported that Mr. Morrison had read a letter from Auditor-General Loudon in such a way as to give the impression that the government had interfered with Loudon in the performing of his duties.



ROBERT MURRAY.

had assured him that remedy would be found for statutes that compel councils to assess money to be spent by others. Much was said about highways in town. Streets of Chatham were as bad as any road in the county.

(A voice)—They are worse.

In the Leader appears the statement that (he) Anderson had cut 1,000,000 feet of lumber and paid no stumpage. The Andersons cut not one foot of lumber on licensed lands, so insinuation of Leader and Mr. Morrissey is false.

School book charges were new. Why was scandal not brought out before?

A voice—It was charged five years ago.

It was never charged on the floors of the House, where it should have been noticed. No use to send to Legislature men who were afraid to speak there.

With the Opposition the St. John valley railway was all right, but they were against the International Ry. on the North Shore.

The Government's colonization scheme would open up new settlements.

It was government's duty to see that every district had a school, and that education was compulsory in every district.

He and his colleagues were independent. They stood for the interests of the county.

WM. L. ALLAIN.

Wm. L. Allain said he was first Frenchman nominated in Northumberland. Opposition made no mistake. The Acadians were united. They were not supporting him because he was French, but because he was on the Opposition ticket.

In political affairs something is wrong somewhere.

In educational affairs he agreed with Mr. Anderson. Better school system needed.

Roads in the county were bad.

Government were now so submissive that they promised to give the people all they want.

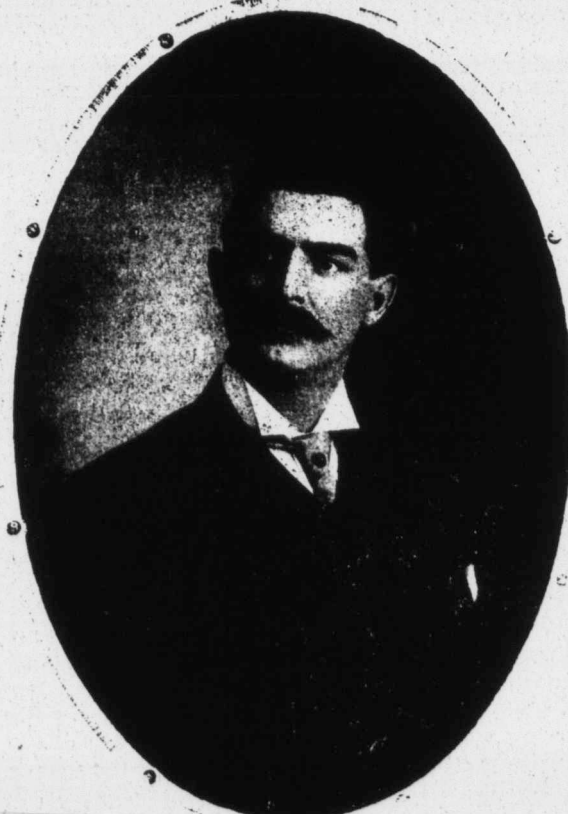
MAYOR MILLER.

Mr. Miller said it was strange that Mr. Morrissey, who once said so much about the "Northumberland" is now the friend of the lumbermen. Dr. McInerney of St. John even favors leases in perpetuity. The pulp mill issue is dead—the mill soon recommenced work as usual. School teachers have been granted \$25,000 a year increase. Net debt of N. B.—\$3,310,000—is small. Newcastle owes \$47.50 per capita; Chatham, \$50; St. John, \$100; N. B. only \$30. Nine years ago Newcastle owed only \$7,000; now it owes \$100,000. If he argued as Oppositionists do about provincial finances he might blame Mr. Morrissey for Newcastle's increase of debt. But he would not.

The Road Act will be changed by the Government. The County Councils know best how to apportion and spend the road money, and the act will be so amended. In Opposition papers, it has been charged that school books are two or three times too high. The facts are that the full set of readers here are cheaper than elsewhere. The Ontario books are now sold very cheap because the new set will soon be inaugurated and the old ones are being sold at a big discount. If this province is to be developed, it must have railways. If companies will undertake to build railways from Newcastle to Tracadie and Loggieville to Esquimaux he would, if elected, without hesitation vote to guarantee their bonds.

Opposition grumble about spending \$1,500 to entertain Prince Louis. If the Prince came to Newcastle, no one would refuse to spend several hundreds to entertain him. Speaking of economy, in 1903 and 1904, Messrs. Tweedie and Murray each got \$24.50 for travelling expenses; each year

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STANLEY W. MILLER.

government than from local authorities.

Lumber operators had leased land and were entitled to cut lumber off it. If applicants for land applied early they could have their patents issued before August 1st, and lumber operators would then be stopped, and land handed over to settlers.

The government colonization scheme will open new areas for settlement. Roads now being surveyed at St. Augustine in Alnwick parish.

Old government to induce company to build N. B. Railway gave it 1,647,000 acres of land—much more than act entitled. Present government bought back 50,000 acres at 80c. an acre. No mortgage on these lands, as company is able to pay and will pay as soon as time of bonds matures. Mortgage lifted from these lands by statute—legislature has absolute authority.

N. B. Ry. lumber lands, Miramichi lands, and other granted lands, don't have to pay stumpage. It sometimes happens that a leakage arises, but it has not been shown that government was aware of any case. Scalpers all sworn to do their duty.

Here Mr. Morrison handed letter to Murray. It merely thanked the Opposition for courtesy shown him in the House—did not intimate anything at all against the government. Mr. Murray then read his letter from Loudon in which he explicitly denied any interference with him in his duties.

D. P. MACLACHLAN.

D. P. MacLachlan said the government stands convicted of dishonesty, incompetency and graft. Its railway policy is unwise, and prejudicial to public interest. Province has guaranteed Central Railway to extent of \$800,000. Railway not worth any more than the right of way.

He condemned the guaranteeing of the International Railway. It would divert our lumber and pulp to Maine, whereas it should be manufactured here.

Contracts with St. John firms re school books some 8 years ago, have taken some \$40,000 a year too much out of the people.

Our auditor general should be removable only for cause on a two-third vote.

WM. ANDERSON.

Wm. Anderson said he was glad to face such an intelligent audience. Had been long a councillor from Alnwick. County councils lived the spirit of independence. If elected, he would be as independent in the legislature as he had been in the council. Premier



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### CLEVER CANADIAN ACTRESS COMING

Robert W. Service To Write A Canadian Drama For Shipman

TORONTO, Friday.—A clever Canadian actress in a strong Canadian play staged by a Canadian manager, on the Canadian stage—this is what we may be treated to in the near future through the enterprise of Ernest Shipman, the well known theatrical manager.

The actress will probably be Roselle Knott, wife of Mr. Shipman, and a native of Hamilton.

The dramatist is to be Robert W. Service, author of 'Songs of a Sourdough,' the volume of verse which came out a few months ago, and has run into edition after edition. Service is a clerk in the Bank of Commerce branch at White Horse in the Yukon district. He is 30 years old, and a graduate of two universities. His father resides in Toronto.

This is the story of how it all came about. Recently, while staying at the King Edward Hotel, Mr. Shipman was taken ill, and when the news reached his wife in New York, she hastened to his bedside to nurse him. A friend dropped in one day, and left a copy of 'Songs of Sourdough' with the theatrical man.

Mr. Shipman picked it up and handed it to his wife to read for him. She began with the first poem, 'The Law of the Yukon' and before she read more than a few lines she sat up straight and began to take notice. So did Mr. Shipman.

When Roselle Knott had read a few of the poems the managerial mind could wait no longer. Already the plan had been formed. He sent a message to the publishers ordering half a dozen copies of the book, and asking for the poet's address.

As soon as the answer came Mr. Shipman wired the Yukon poet at once asking him to write a play.

If he can write a play in the same spirit that he wrote those poems he'll make himself famous—and me, too, declared the theatrical man.

Mr. Shipman, by the way, is an old Toronto boy. He is well known by hundreds of Torontonians who a score of years ago attended Ryerson school and the old Bathurst street school. He has prospered in things theatrical, and now has about a dozen companies on the road.

### DOUKHOBOR WANDERINGS.

Plan Another Mad Pilgrimage for this Spring.

St. Paul, Minn., Thursday.—Advice received here state that the fanatical Doukhobors now settled in Northwestern communities are planning another mad pilgrimage for this spring. It is said that many of the fanatics are suffering horrible privations and self-imposed hardships and that scores of children have succumbed to starvation.

### Psychine Missionaries

A friend of Dr. Sloan Remedies writes: "Send a bottle of Psychine to Mrs. W... They have a daughter in decline, and I believe it would help her. I have mentioned your remedies to the family, and also cited some of the miraculous cures accomplished inside the last 18 years, of which I have knowledge."

T. G. IRWIN, Little Britain, Ont. Run down conditions from lung, stomach or other constitutional trouble cured by Psychine. At all druggists, 50c and \$1.00, or Dr. T. A. Sloan, Ltd., Toronto.

### THE RIGHTS OF INVESTORS

(Montreal Gazette, Feb. 5, 1906.)

The Board of investigation which in the case of the Grand Trunk Railway and its telegraphers went somewhat beyond the lines set by precedent in such matters, and got into the realm of what may be called the higher politics of commerce. The decision points out, what many who take part in the discussion of such issues give no heed to, that there are two parties to be considered when demands that call for higher expenditure by railways are to the fore. There is no one who questions the worker's right to a living wage, and it may be added that in the end he will get it, whether the men who have invested their money in constructing railways receive any return or not. But the men who invest their money in constructing railways have also rights to be considered, whether the demand be on the part of employees for larger recompense, from the public for improved service, or from shippers or travellers for reduced rates. If any or all of such demands are carried to the point where the operation of a road yields a smaller profit than can be obtained from other investments, then it becomes difficult or impossible to obtain money for extensions and improvements, and trade cannot be helped as it should be. In pointing this out the board in this particular case has laid down a principle that may well be considered by all who are called on to stand between the public or sections of the public, and the investor in railway securities, who, while he must take the ordinary chances of bad judgment, bad management or unexpected competition, should not be subjected to artificial restrictions or conditions arising from political or non-commercial motives.

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### CHATHAM CRIBbage TOURNAMENT

The seventh night's play in the cribbage tournament, under the auspices of the A. O. H. and played in their rooms last night, resulted as follows:—

Pittspatrick and Lacey won 44, lost 26; Barry and Ryan won 42, lost 28; Conroy and Lacey won 42, lost 28; Lawlor and Cassidy won 40, lost 30; Moran and Lynch won 37, lost 33; Kain and Bernard won 34, lost 36; Jardine and Witty won 33, lost 37; Cassidy and Cunningham won 33, lost 37; Mulhern and Bernard won 31, lost 39; Bernard and McKinnon won 30, lost 40; Lacey and Watson won 29, lost 41; Flanagan and Holland won 25, lost 45.

Miss Holland of Millbank, while driving through here this afternoon met with an accident which, had there not been so much snow on the ground, might have had serious results. The horse she was driving ran away and in turning a corner the sleigh upset and Miss Holland was thrown violently to the ground. Luckily she escaped with a severe bruising.

Messrs. Murray, Winslow, Anderson and Miller were in town today and report having met with unprecedented success at their meetings during the last few days and especially were they given a great ovation at Blackville last evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Dalton of Newcastle, drove into town today.

John Robinson, of Newcastle, was also in town and registered at the Canada House.

There was a large number of people, we hear, at the Highland Society Ball Newcastle, from Chatham, and some of them have not as yet returned.

Funny! considering the short distance between the two places. Perhaps it would be advisable to send out a search party!

### REGULAR MEETING TOWN COUNCIL

Royal Bank Raises Interest From Five to Six Per Cent. on Civic Debt.

#### ASSESSORS NAMED.

Inspector Menzies Granted Additional Fifty Dollars In Settlement of Claims.

The regular meeting of the Town Council was held Thursday night, 20th inst. Alds. Allison, Belyea, J. Clark, T. A. Clarke and Falconer were present. In the absence of the mayor Ald. T. A. Clarke presided.

Communications were read from E. A. McCurdy, manager of the Royal Bank, notifying the council that, from Feb. 1st instant, the rate of interest would be 6 per cent. instead of 5 per cent as before, upon all loans except the special loan of \$3,000 contracted last August and payable on July 1st 1906. The council was requested to take steps to sell the Town bonds as soon as possible as the loans for which the bonds are held as security are long overdue.

An offer was received from A. S. Murray of Fredericton to audit the town accounts semi-annually at the rate of \$100 a year and expenses. The finance committee's estimates for next year, amended by adding \$300 to schools and subtracting \$300 from public works, was adopted as follows:

Last Year.	This Year.
Park and Fire, \$1,350.	\$1,350.
Schools, \$6,000.	\$5,700.
Police and Street Lighting, \$1,550.	1,750.
Public Works, \$1,500.	1,500.
Contingencies, \$1,600.	2,000.
Sinking fund, \$700.	700.
Interest, \$5,680.	2,840.
Total for this year, \$18,830.	16,590.

There was considerable discussion before the Schools estimate was raised from \$5,700 to \$6,000. Alds. Belyea and Falconer complained of the waste and mismanagement of the School Board. Ald. J. Clark also condemned the trustees for not having laid up in time last year, but supported the higher estimate. It would not do to limit the trustees as to funds. There was one department more than last year. If estimates were cut down good teachers could not be secured.

It was recommended in cutting down the Public Works grant that no grantable sidewalks be laid this year. The estimate for interest was doubled this year, because the full amount required had never been provided for, and the town had been running in debt to pay its interest, hitherto. The estimate of \$5,680, even, would not fully cover the interest since the latter has been increased to six per cent.

The Park and Fire Com. reported that they had received on Jan. 10th for approval a steam fire whistle, which had proved satisfactory, and which they recommended purchasing. They also recommended payment of following bills:

Stothart Mercantile Co.,	\$58.64
James Galley,	5.00
Canadian Fairbanks Co.,	75.00

The report was adopted. The Police and Appointment to Office Com. reported that:

(1) During January there had been three convictions for violation of the C. T. Act. Two fines had been paid, and Wilbur McLean had left the town.

(2) They recommended payment of following bills:

Stothart Mercantile Co.,	\$28.00
T. W. Butler,	27.00
Barnes & Co.,	9.00

(3) That they recommended the appointment of following as Assessors: Jas. Falconer, John Ferguson, Edward Hickie.

(4) That the two policemen be each allowed \$5.00 a month extra during winter for attending fires in the engine room.

Report was adopted section by section.

Auditor's report of town accounts and the report of Auditors J. J. Barron and P. J. McEvoy on Trustees' accounts received and adopted.

The Secretary's report was received and ordered printed in the town report.

The Mayor was given till next Monday night to present his report. On motion of Ald. Falconer and Allison, John Menzies was granted an additional \$50.00 in full settlement of his claim against the town. The vote stood: Yeas—Alds. Allison, Falconer, T. A. Clarke, Nays—Alds. Belyea, J. Clark.

Mr. Menzies had been previously voted \$190. His claim was \$300.

### NATAL ACT IS ULTRA VIRES.

VICTORIA, B. C., Saturday.—Fifty Japanese were released here today as a result of the decision of Chief Justice Hunter that the Natal act was beyond the power of the province. They now threaten suits against the government officers who arrested them in many cases without a warrant.

The appellate court on Monday will hear the government's appeal. It is expected an adverse decision will then be carried to the Privy Council in June.

### CHATHAM HEARS COM. COOMBS.

The Salvationist Leads Electrifies A Chatham Audience.—The Army's Work

CHATHAM, Thursday.—To-night Commissioner Coombs, head of the Salvation Army in Canada, delivered an address in the Masonic Hall here. He was accompanied by Lieut.-Col. Pugmire and Staff Capt. Morris.

In the absence of Governor Tweedie, who was to have taken the chair, J. Nichol presided. On rising he introduced Commissioner Coombs and went on to show how the army and its good work had extended during the last few years to practically every portion of the globe.

Commissioner Coombs took for his subject, 'The Yesterday, to-day and to-morrow of the Salvation Army.' It was four years ago since that grand old man, General Booth, first started out in his good work, which to-day was bearing forth such excellent results. The first barracks the Army had was a tent with Booth as the only occupant. The second was a dancing saloon, and the first sermon preached by Gen. Booth was in the Epiphany Theatre, London.

'Now look what it has accomplished,' the speaker went on. 'It has 123 different branches of work; gives six million free meals per year to the starving and needy; prints fifty-two million copies of the 'War Cry' per annum, in no less than thirty-three different languages, handles thousands upon thousands of ex-convicts, who on coming out of prison would find themselves friendless if the army did not take them under its wing and so place them on their feet and give them a fresh start in life. The same applies to the drunkards. Look how the Army worms its way into the slums of every city and so gets to the root of the evil.'

Commissioner Coombs then dealt with the work of the Army in Canada. He said that when he first came out from England to start the organization in this country it was far different, from what it is now. Toronto was the first place in which he began the movement with only twenty-five cents in his pocket and yet with that capital in his pocket, he set to work to build the barracks, which are there now, 'standing as a monument of this great organization, which is steadily growing all over the Dominion. Touching on the matter of colonization Com. Coombs said it was the desire of the Army to bring out only those people of good moral and physical condition; and in so doing they were helping to populate that country and relieve the old country of its congestion or surplus population. In conclusion he thanked the audience and chairman for their kind reception and support.

There were many prominent citizens on the platform including Rev. McLean and Rev. Sellar, who both gave short addresses and tendered a vote of thanks to Com. Coombs for his inspiring lecture.

HALF WAY ROUND THE WORLD. Green Bay, Thursday.—After having made a journey half-way around the world to join her lover, Anna Adler, of Odessa, Russia, will be married here tomorrow to William Baerman.

### THE LAST OF IT.

(Morning Graphic.)

In the face of the facts the Conservatives have reiterated their statement that the price being asked for a number of school books in Ontario are not 'cut rate' prices. That their position is utterly untenable is made abundantly evident by a letter received by Dr. Inch, the New Brunswick superintendent of education, from the Canada Publishing Company which has the contract for publishing Ontario books. The company wrote as follows:—'The prices at which these books (the Ontario Reading Books) are sold are marked on the covers as follows:—five, seven, nine, thirteen and fifteen cents each. We may add that we are offering these books at the above prices for the term of our contract, which is some eighteen months, when it is expected that the New Readers will be ready. We agreed to sell at these prices which are below actual cost, so that we might have an opportunity of disposing of the large stock we had on hand when tenders were called for.'

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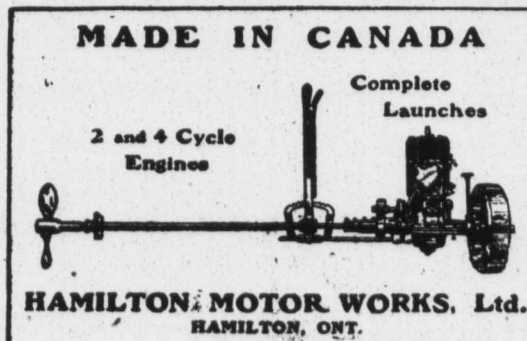
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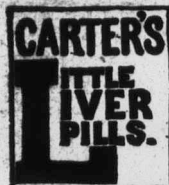
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## TELEGRAPHERS GET AN INCREASE.

Board of Investigation's Interesting Report in the Telegraphers' Case.  
**EMPLOYERS INTERESTED.**  
**Not to the Public's Advantage that Properties Should Be Made Unprofitable.**

The following which appears in the February "Labor Gazette," is from the Report of the Board of Investigation under the Lameux Act, composed of Prof. A. Shortt, J. G. O'Donoghue and W. Nesbitt, K. C., which recently adjusted the dispute between the Grand Trunk Ry. and the Telegraph operators:—  
 "The board were much impressed by the suggestions that the same board had recommended a higher rate of pay to the telegraphers in the service of the Canadian Pacific than they were prepared to recommend in the present instance. We are glad to be able to report that the parties appreciated the reasons why the members of the board could not in this instance see their way to the recommendation of any higher rate than finally agreed upon between the parties, and we desire to put upon record some of the reasons why we came to this conclusion."

"We thought, under the present conditions, that the offer of the company in the matter of increase of wages was all that could be justified. There are many considerations entering into the question. In our view, there is the right of the men to receive a living wage and that right is paramount. The workman is entitled to get a fair day's wage for a fair day's work. What, however, often seems to be ignored is that capital and labor are both necessary in order to produce a profit, whether it is in the operation of railways, in manufacturing, or in any other branch of trade. The aim of the worker should be to secure a fair share of this profit. But there is also to be considered the position of the man who advances the money to enable the undertaking to be carried on which gives employment. He, too, is entitled to receive a return for his money and his risk. A hundred millions of the capital stock of the Grand Trunk Railway receives no dividend whatever. If such dividends on the preferred stock as are now being paid are still further reduced by the wages bill being increased, what must necessary follow? The company cannot obtain further money for expansion, for it can be more remuneratively employed in other undertakings. This certainly would be a disadvantage to the vast numbers who find employment on railways. Then there is the constant demand of the public for the betterment of the service and equipment, for increase of facilities, the bettering of the roadbed and general improvement in the accommodations. These can only be obtained where the parties asked to advance the money can see some possibility of a return. Our experience on a number of these boards has led us to the conclusion that there seems to be an oversight on the part of the public of two things: First, that there is a continual demand for an increase of expenditure upon the part of the company for facilities, and, second, a continual demand for a reduction of the tariffs which furnish the monies necessary to provide these facilities and accommodations. The growth of earnings is not keeping pace proportionately with the growth of expenses. If the operating expenses and the wages to employees must be increased from time to time, and the public so demand, very serious considerations must be given to the proposals for the reduction of freight and passenger rates, inasmuch as every reduction directly affects the ability of the railways to pay the wages asked by their employees. There is no doubt that the cost of living has greatly increased and that the employees of a railway company are entitled to be better compensated to meet such increased cost, but surely they are not entitled to be compensated at the sole expense of people who have invested their money

## HOUSE WORK



Thousands of American women in our homes are daily sacrificing their lives to duty.  
 In order to keep the home neat and pretty, the children well dressed and tidy, women overdo. A female weakness or displacement is often brought on and they suffer in silence, drifting along from bad to worse, knowing well that they ought to have help to overcome the pains and aches which daily make life a burden. It is to these faithful women that

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and who would in return be deprived of their means of livelihood. The public should bear their share. The railway employee spends his money for the benefit of every other member of the community from farmer to manufacturer, and if the employee has to obtain more money to meet his increased cost of living, other classes of the community who receive the benefit of the money he spends should contribute their share towards enabling him to get the money he has to spend; and it is for the foregoing reasons that, under the present conditions, and having in view all the surrounding circumstances we thought that the offer of increase made by the officials of the Grand Trunk Railway Company had gone as far as could be justified, though not necessarily to the limit which the telegraphers ought to receive under other circumstances. The deterring of the investment of capital in railway undertakings would certainly not be a benefit to the community at large, and if the property of lenders is to be practically confiscated between the demand of the public on the one side, and the demand of the employees on the other, it must lead to a general reduction in wages or a shrinkage in the number of employees, with a much greater ultimate loss to labor. It has been suggested that the state of affairs may be met by the state becoming sole owner of the railways. To accomplish this the capital necessary to make railways and work them would still have to be found. The mere fact of state ownership does not bring capital down from the skies like the manna to the Israelites in the desert. If borrowed by the state, interest must be paid for it, and probably at a higher rate than the state now has to pay, for two reasons, first, because of being larger borrowers; second, because of the risk incident to industrial undertakings. If raised by taxation, this would be nothing more than getting it from the collective resources of the country. The wages, other than the living wage before referred to, which are paid by railway companies to their employees must, therefore, disguise it as we may, depend upon what a company earns after the interest on capital employed is paid. This may be equally said of all industrial and commercial undertakings, and no amount of vague philanthropic talk can alter this fact any more than it can alter the fact that two and two make four.

**WILL MAKE IMPROVEMENTS.**  
 Donaldson and Thompson Lines to Have Fine Vessels.  
 MONTREAL, Saturday.—Robert Reford, Canadian representative of the Thompson Line announced that the company is seeking a large and powerful steamer for the Canadian service to replace the steamer Kildona wrecked some time ago on the coast of Nova Scotia. If the company cannot purchase the class of steamer desired one will be built at once. Both the Donaldson and Thompson lines will make considerable improvements to their Canadian fleets during the coming summer.

**ROYALTY MAY COME.**

LONDON, Thursday.—It is again rumored that a member of the Royal family is going to Quebec for the tercentenary celebration.

## HARCOURT.

Harcourt, Feb. 21.—Mrs. James Lyon of Millerton returned home on Wednesday after having visited friends here. She was accompanied as far as Rogersville by her sister, Mrs. Otto Bailey.  
 Mr. John Hutchinson and Mrs. David Johnston have been called to St. John on account of the serious illness of their mother, Mrs. Geo. Perry Acadiaville, another daughter of Mrs. Hutchinson, has also gone to St. John.  
 Two funerals took place here on Wednesday last viz: that of Mrs. Henry Wathen at 10.30 a. m., conducted by Revs. C. H. Manaton and R. H. Stavert and that of Earl Bulmer at 2 p. m., conducted by Rev. R. H. Stavert.  
 The Parlor Concert and Social held at the home of Mr. Thos. Cail, Trout Brook on Thursday evening was a decided success. Rev. R. H. Stavert occupied the chair and the following programme was well rendered:  
 Song, "The Red, White and Blue"

Opening Speech, John Ward.  
 Recitation, Jean Livingstone.  
 Dialogue, "The Rehearsal" Miss Edna Cail and others.  
 Song, "The Maple Leaf Forever"  
 Recitation, Laura Black.  
 Dialogue, "Choosing a Servant"  
 Miss Jennie Cail and others.  
 Recitation, Jean Livingstone.  
 Recitation, Mand Cail.  
 Song, "Parody on Annie Laurie"  
 Choir.  
 Reading, Mr. Howatt.  
 Recitation, Miss Ursula Crocker.  
 Song, "Dixie Land"  
 Dialogue, "Misunderstanding"  
 Recitation, Mina Cail and Adam Black.  
 Recitation, Dorothy Livingstone.  
 Dialogue, "Go in Somewhere"  
 Miss Lena Livingstone, Mr. Howatt and others.

Short address, Chvman.  
 National Anthem.  
 In performing their various parts in carrying out the programme all the young people acquitted themselves splendidly.  
 Much credit is due to the teacher, Miss Agnes Perry, who devoted so much time and attention to training the children in their various exercises. After the programme was brought to a close the remainder of the evening was pleasantly spent in playing games.  
 About 10.30 p. m. lunch was served in accordance with Mrs. Cail's usual good style. Somewhere about the midnight hour after Auld Lang Syne had been heartily sung all wended their homeward way feeling that they enjoyed themselves thoroughly.  
 The sum of \$10.10 was realized. This amount goes to the swelling of the fund for repairs recently made on the Mill Branch church.  
 Miss Jessie P. Dunn returned on the 14th instant from a two months visit to her sister, Mrs. Geo. Allen of Duluth, Minn. The latter accompanied her.

## ULCERATED LEG AND ANKLE

Healed by Zam-Buk.

A common result of an injury sometimes of even a tiny scratch is chronic ulceration, the skin disease that eats deep into the tissue and is most painful, weakening and obstinate. Ulcerations are brought on often (especially in the case of women) by excessive standing or kneeling. Mrs. J. E. Berryman of 91 Catherine St. N., Hamilton, Ont., says: "I was suffering for a number of weeks with a badly inflamed and ulcerated leg and ankle. I had been unable to walk and was in great distress. I had tried every remedy after another with no material benefit. My leg was swollen in some places to bursting and day and night I suffered severe pain. At this stage my husband prevailed upon me to leave of all other preparations and use Zam-Buk. This I did and was agreeably surprised after a few applications the swelling in the leg was greatly reduced and the leg looked healthier. I persevered with Zam-Buk until the swelling was banished and the pain and inflammation entirely cured. Zam-Buk has effected a cure when other remedies failed."  
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**ULLMO GETS LIFE.**

French Naval Officer Guilty of Treason.

TOULON, Saturday.—Charles B. Ullmo, an ensign in the French navy has been found guilty by a court martial of attempting to sell naval secrets to foreign powers and sentenced to life imprisonment in a fortress and to be degraded from his rank.  
 Ensign Ullmo was arrested at Toulon on Oct. 25, on a charge of being a spy. An examination of his effects showed him to be in possession of many valuable documents and he afterwards confessed to having abstracted a secret signal book and the naval cipher. An army reserve officer named Burton was arrested later on similar charges and at Toulon on Nov. 5th, five ringleaders of an important association of international spies were taken into custody. It is believed that all these men were in some way connected with Ullmo's plan. The authorities found evidence that Ullmo had offered to sell information concerning the defences of France to a German agent.

**SMALLPOX SITUATION.**

Dr. Bayard Fisher, of St. John, was in the city yesterday, and at the isolation hospital examined several of the smallpox cases. He said there was no doubt but that the disease was smallpox. There are no new cases of smallpox reported and all the patients are doing well.—Moncton Times.

## WHY HEIRESSES WED UNHAPPILY

The "Nob's" Regard the Union As a Business Agreement.

Much attention has been drawn of late years to the number of American heiresses who marry into European families. Very often these unions are unhappy owing to an incompatibility of nature, due to nationality or social education. As often as not the unfortunate or erring husband is an English cad.

The American born wife of a British Peer or Peer's son usually complained that:—

Her husband's family persistently treated her as if she were of an inferior social grade.  
 Her noble husband's attitude towards their marriage, not as a heart's romance, but as a business agreement, in which she had got the best of the bargain.

He always spoke sneeringly of Americans as Yankees, and expected her to love the Royal family with the same sort of blind worship with which he regarded it.

He resented her not being a good housekeeper, and not giving more of her time to looking after the innumerable little details of their home.

He was too "horsey," and showered more attention on his hunters than on his wife.

He made his wife play second fiddle to the baby, who was treated with the utmost deference for its exalted lineage, while its mother was made to feel constantly that she was only just a little better than the infant's nurse.

He made a habit of ridiculing her voice, accent and attire, and urging her to take as her model one of the colourless, limp and dowdy dowagers of the British aristocracy.

The British husband's counter-argument generally ran something like this:

Edith is a very fine character at heart, but she has lots of foolish little defects that she refuses to correct.

Instead of the repose of manner that is so unmistakably the characteristic of people of high society in England, she is perpetually restless, like all Americans. She wants to be doing something all the time; generally something that is not good form.

She likes better to go to the theatre than to go out to dinner parties among our particular circle of friends.

She does not care for riding to hounds, but dotes on flirting with all my friends.

She keeps on telling me that I ought to have some occupation, ought to go to work, because every man in her country has always something to do.

When we are down to my place in the country she sits about reading novels all day, and I can't for the life of me, get her interested in working among the families of my country people.

She refuses to laugh when any of my friends tell her an English joke, and always pretends that English jokes are such solemn things she never knows just when to laugh.

I believe that she intentionally accentuates her American accent, talks her American slang, and exaggerates the high pitch of her American voice to annoy me.

When she writes English she always does so in her ridiculous American spelling, until my friends have got into the habit of thinking her illiterate.

She cares more for the baby than she does for me, and whenever I complain about that, she says it is natural, as the baby is only half as stupid as I am, being only half English.

## PROTEST AGAINST FENCING NIAGARA

Deputation Waits on Laurier And Asks For More Time

OTTAWA, Friday.—Hon. Messrs. Foy, Beck and Hendrie, and Mr. W. K. McNaught saw Ambassador Bryce, Earl Grey and Sir Wilfrid Laurier today and protested against the proposal to limit power development at Niagara Falls to the narrow limits of the charters already granted, declaring that if this is adopted it would interfere with industrial development in western Ontario. They cited the overwhelming votes in favor of the cheap power by-law as showing the demand of the people for cheap power. Consideration of the matter was promised.

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## SCHOOL BOOKS TO BE FREE.

At St. John on the 24th instant Premier Robinson announced that he was confident that certain primary books would in the near future be supplied to school children free of charge. This is a very important step in the direction of having all school books supplied free, as we advocated in our issue of the 19th inst. All parties should support the Premier in such a wise move.

## ECONOMY ILLUSTRATED.

In his nomination speech, Mayor Miller showed that the Opposition members from Northumberland County had in 1905 and 1906 each collected from the provincial revenues \$47.80 a year for travelling expenses, while Premier Tweedie and Mr. Murray had drawn only \$24.80 each year for the same purpose. Who got the "piece of pork" those years, Donald?

## MR. ANDERSON OWED

## NO STUMPAGE.

The Opposition statement that the Anderson firm paid no stumping on a million feet of lumber is absolutely correct; but when such a statement is made without explaining that the lumber was cut on granted land only and therefore not liable for stumping it becomes grossly misleading. Anyone not acquainted with the facts would naturally conclude that the Messrs. Anderson, one of whom is a candidate for legislative honors, had evaded the payment of just demands, which is not the case. A half truth is sometimes as damaging as an untruth.

## THE ATTACK ON

## MR. BRYENTON.

The Opposition leaders and their Newcastle organ are, by recklessly alleging so many of their former friends and supporters, doing most valuable service to the cause of the Liberal Candidates in this County. To have turned Ex-Warden Flett from a most fervent supporter into an indifferent spectator, to have lost the undivided support of Mr. J. W. Vanderbeck, and to have turned Mr. Wm. A. Bryenton into an active enemy, are notable achievements for which the Liberals will, no doubt, be duly thankful. Their only regret will be that the campaign cannot be lengthened out considerably to give the Opposition chiefs time to insult those of their followers who still remain with them. The attack upon Mr. Bryenton who, as manager of the North West Boom for the last six years, has become well and favorably

known all along the Miramichi, establishing a reputation as an honest and obliging official, was a grave error on the part of the Opposition—one which they would doubtless remedy now were it not too late.

## THE INDEPENDENT AUDIT.

The much talked of debate between Premier Robinson and Mr. J. K. Fleming came off in St. John on the 21st instant, the Attorney General and Mr. Hazen also taking part. The vast audience heard both sides; but after all it is likely that most of them went to the meeting prepared to accept only the views of their own party. The best way to discover the absolute truth regarding the provincial accounts is to have them submitted to a committee of financial experts chosen by both parties from among accountants independent of both disputants. This proper way out of the difficulty was rejected by the Opposition; but the Government itself engaged expert talent to audit the books. Not having taken part in the selection of the committee (as the Government asked them to do) the Opposition may declare the report unfair and untrue. But the public will have its own opinion of political leaders who refused such a reasonable challenge as the Premier made them concerning the accounts.

## SOMEWHAT INCORRECT.

In the Chatham World of the 12th instant, Mr. J. L. Stewart has the following editorial:—

"When you read anything now in a New Brunswick newspaper, in praise of the Local Government, you may know that it is paid for by the Government press bribery bureau. It is sent out to the papers in the form of stereotype plates, and the papers are paid big space rates for inserting it. The contracts with the papers were made by one of the Sun staff."

If the above statement refers to The Union Advocate—and the Advocate is a New Brunswick newspaper in whose columns there has from time to time appeared matter favorable to the Local Government—it is, so far as that paper is concerned, a falsehood pure and simple. For the honor of the New Brunswick press we hope that such a strong and sweeping assertion on the part of the World was due to an oversight rather than deliberate forethought. However that may be, the Union Advocate in this campaign has made no such deal with the Government as the World's article intimates. We have received no stereotyped political matter and made no contracts with anyone regarding what political news we have published.

## THE LOCAL GOVERNMENT AND THE TEACHERS.

During the session of 1906, the New Brunswick Teachers' Association (a Trades Union resulting from a resolution moved by H. H. Stuart and E. A. Coleman at the meeting of the Albert County Teachers' Institute in Hopewell Hill on Sept. 26th, 1902) felt itself sufficiently strong to petition the Local Government for certain much-needed reforms in the school law. Among the changes recommended were the increase of the salaries of experienced teachers and a Pension System for Teachers.

The government received the petition kindly; but, owing, no doubt, more to lack of funds than any disinclination to meet the just demands of the Association, it let that session pass without introducing legislation to remedy the evils complained of.

Here was the opportunity for the Opposition, whose members had previously professed such sympathy for the ill-paid teachers, to distinguish themselves; but not a resolution did they bring in to force the Government's hands in the matter.

In the meantime, and, indeed, ever since 1902, the Government had been

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agitating for an increased subsidy from the Dominion parliament. In this contention with the Dominion authorities they received no assistance from the Opposition, although the latter were continually complaining of the poor state of the public services, a condition that could only be remedied by the expenditure of more money. At last, the Dominion Government decided to grant the prayer of the provinces; and New Brunswick became assured of a substantial increase in her annual revenue.

In February, 1907, the Teachers' Association repeated its demands; and in response the Government, which now felt certain of the increased subsidy, introduced legislation which provided for an increase in the salaries of Third, Second and First Class Teachers after two years service, and a further increase after seven years; also for an increase of \$25 a year in the salary of Principals of Superior Schools after seven years service, and an increase of \$50 a year in the allowance of Grammar School licensees after seven years service in Grammar Schools (not more than four Teachers in any one Grammar School to draw the Grammar School allowance). No member of the Opposition moved that the increase be greater.

In January, 1908, the Government, replying to a delegation of the N. B. T. A., declared themselves in favor of the Association's pension scheme, which provides for an annuity of \$400 a year to males and \$250 to females who are in active service at the ages of 60 and 65 years, respectively, and have taught for thirty years, and pro rata to the number of years taught less than thirty.

If the government is returned to power and allowed to put the pension scheme into force, the teaching profession will become more attractive, thereby assuring its being taken up by men and women as a life work. The chief defect of our school system hitherto has been the beggarly insufficiency of its financial rewards, and the consequent driving of bright Teachers, after a few term's service, to seek more remunerative employment elsewhere. The substantial pensions decided upon, more than the small increase of immediate salary, will do much to keep good men and women in our schools. For this the Government are to be congratulated; and, as the Opposition platform intimates that Mr. Hazen and his supporters are opposed to the idea of pensions, it would be very unwise for anyone who has the Educational interests of the province at heart to do anything to bring the Opposition into power.

## MR. HAZEN HAS NO USE FOR FARMERS.

Mr. Hazen has got his men in the different counties. The particular striking feature is the almost total absence of farmers among his candidates. In Albert there is none, none in Carleton, none in Charlotte, none in Gloucester, none in Kings, none in Kent, none in Northumberland, none in Queens, one in Restigouche, one in St. John County, none in Westmorland and only one in York, a total of but four in the whole province. Look at the contrast on the Liberal side. Ryan of Albert, Carvell of Carleton, Hill of Charlotte, Poirier of Gloucester, Scovell and Wetmore of Kings, Legere and Robichaud of Kent, Martin of Madawaska, Anderson of Northumberland, Farris and Carpenter of Queens, Lowell of St. John, Thurott of Sanburg, Tweeddale of Victoria, Burden and Goodspeed of York, seventeen at least! Will Mr. Hazen dare repeat the slander that this government does not give the farmers a fair show, when it has four times as many farmers candidates as has the Opposition.

The government has seven lawyers in its list, and the Opposition has half a dozen. There are sixteen tory traders to ten Liberals. There are six doctors, of whom the opposition have four, which is just right, as they

will on the night of the third of March have at least twice as many slain at the government.—Woodstock Sentinel.

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## ROOSTER FIGHT AT ST. STEPHEN

ST. STEPHEN, N. B. Friday — Sports from St. John and Eastport came here today with two game roosters and held a cock-fight in an unoccupied house 29 miles from town. Fifty live sports joined the party. The exhibition was a brutal one. Deputy Sheriff Robinson and Marshall Cotter got wind of the affair but did not arrive on the scene until the fight was over.

They arrested two of the St. John men who seemed to be ringleaders and had them before Magistrate McMonagle who is attorney for the S. P. C. A., but on a promise to keep away from St. Stephen when they had a like mission in view they were allowed to get out of town. Others of the party were so fearful of arrest that they made their way to Calais.

## Preacher's Opinions

Rev. P. K. McRae, Forks Baddeck, C. B.: "I always count it a pleasure to recommend the Dr. Slocum Remedies to my parishioners. I believe there is nothing better for throat and lung troubles or weakness or run-down system. For speaker's sore throat I have found Psychine very beneficial."

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## Estate of Joseph J. Fournier

## NOTICE OF TENDERS.

Sealed tenders addressed to the undersigned, addressed and marked, "Tender for Stock" will be received at the office of John O'Brien, Sheriff, of Northumberland Co., Nelson, N. B., up to Saturday, 14th day of March, next, at 12 o'clock, noon, for the stock in trade and fittings, belonging to the above estate, also look debts, at Rogersville. The stock list may be seen at the office of the undersigned assignee, also tender for 10 cases boots and shoes, stored at the warehouse of Messrs. L. Higgins & Co. Moncton, N. B. The stock list of the latter may be seen at the office of undersigned assignee and at the office of David I. Welch, Esq., barrister, Moncton, N. B.

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## VOTE FOR MURRAY, WINSLOW, MILLER AND ANDERSON.

WOULD-BE LEGISLATORS  
MET ON THE HUSTINGS.

(Continued from Page 1.)

Messrs. Morrison and Morrison each collected \$47.80. What now becomes of these gentlemen's professions of economy? How the finances would flourish in their hands!

## D. MORRISON.

D. Morrison explained that in 1903 because of a storm he and Mr. Morrison had to go round by St. John, but so did Mr. Tweedie, and his (Morrison's) mileage was given in as five miles less than Tweedie's. Mr. Hartt had brought up school books question in the house in 1903. In Ontario some graft had been going on for years. People rebelled. Premier Whitney asked for tenders for printing. Got them cheaper in consequence. When Whitney got this tender he limited it to 18 months, expecting to get them still more cheaply by and by. Opposition fought Road Act in House. Premier Tweedie declared that Road Act would never be repealed. Now the Government party are all against the Act themselves. The farmers of this province are 75 per cent. of the population. Farmers receive from the government \$10,000 a year; while 16 lawyers get \$10,000 a year. Government's colonization schemes amount to nothing. There is no question of party in N. B. All we want is good government. It was shame for a government to squander money on a dance in honor of Prince Louis. He was Democrat enough to oppose such waste. Auditor-General Landon had admitted that one year he had not been allowed to audit items of \$100,000. He opposed the Central railway affair.

## W. C. WINSLOW.

W. C. Winslow explained why he opposed the government in 1903. The differences over pulp mill had been settled, and he could now consistently support them. It was to our interests to work hand in hand with Dominion Government. Local Government were negotiating with Ottawa to have L. C. R. branch taken over. Loan of \$1,500,000 last year was mainly to retire other debts. Statement of Newcastle Opposition organ that this loan cost five per cent. commission, as well as interest, was incorrect. The province had mortgage on International Railway, and had made good investment.

On motion of Mr. Winslow a vote of thanks was tendered the chairman.

The Sons of Temperance social, to which Millerton and Douglastown brethren were invited, was postponed till next Thursday night, because of bad roads.

What the Government  
Has Done For N. B.13,056 Miles of Road Well Looked  
After...3,709 Bridges.

The present government has increased the bonded debt of the province by \$1,992,019 during the twenty-five years they have had control. Of this increase in debt the large sum of \$1,484,152 has been expended in the construction of highway bridges and other works. While their predecessors gave away ten millions of the people's money to political favorites under the guise of railway subsidies the present government is responsible for only \$367,000 paid out for railroad subsidies. The story regarding public works is altogether different. From the St. Croix to the Restigouche are to be found across every great river bridges built for the accommodation of the people. Bridges will shorten distances between two points, which facilitates travel and makes life rosier and pleasanter for those who live in the rural districts, have been erected in every county.

The government has constructed six and it was decided to proceed with those most required first. At the last session of the legislature the government brought down a bill authorizing the construction of 48 bridges, all of a permanent character, at an estimated cost of \$884,000, the work of construction to be spread over a period of three years.

The list of bridges to be provided for under this act as explained by the Chief Commissioner is as follows: In Madawaska County the bridge at St. Leonard's, we propose to repair and partly rebuild at a cost of \$5,000. A new covered or steel bridge of concrete piers at St. Jacques, at a cost of \$15,000.

In Victoria County a steel bridge at Broadway costing \$6,000; at Talmon River; a covered bridge costing \$3,000 at Three Brooks, a covered bridge costing \$7,000, and at Elroy Brook a covered bridge of three spans costing \$7,000.

In Carleton County a covered bridge at Florenceville at a cost of \$15,000 and we propose to build at Bath a

steel bridge on concrete substructure at a cost of \$25,000.

In Charlotte County, at St. George a steel bridge at a cost of \$9,000 and a covered bridge at Young's, costing \$5,000.

In York County, in addition to the Fredericton bridge, there is the new great bridge across the St. John river and we will soon commence another to replace the present suspension bridge at the falls. Changing conditions render a new bridge at the falls necessary, and the government always alive to the interests of the whole community, have had surveys made and plans prepared for the erection of a new bridge which will be capable of sustaining the traffic which has grown too heavy for the present structure. What is being done in St. John is what is being done in every section of the province.

Few people realize that the Provincial Board of Works has the oversight over 13,056 miles of road on which there are 3,709 bridges, having a total length of 368,498 feet. As there are 4,861 spans in the 3,709 bridges in the province, it will be seen at once that many of these bridges are of more than one span. Under the various Permanent Bridge Construction Acts no less than fifty-eight steel bridges have been constructed, two and three in every county. Over a year ago the Chief Commissioner of Public Works ordered a survey made of the entire province, with the object of ascertaining just what bridges were necessary. When this was done plans were prepared for a steel bridge at Hawkshaw, costing \$65,000, and the repairs at Patterson's Gulch at a cost of \$33,000.

In Queens County there is the new steel bridge on concrete piers at Chipman, costing \$40,000, and a covered bridge at the Narrows, Washademoak, partly wood and partly steel, on concrete piers, at a cost of \$36,000 and the Beech Bridge we propose to repair at a cost of \$1,500.

In St. John County, there is the Cushing's canal bridge, to have a

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new steel span at a cost of \$3,000 and the reconstruction of the present suspension bridge or the building of a new steel bridge capable of carrying the street railway at a cost of \$150,000.

In Kings County, at Titusville, a covered bridge costing \$15,000, also one at Hillsdale costing \$4,000. Then there is the covered bridge at Passakeag, costing \$10,000 and steel bridges at Apohaqui and Roachville, each costing approximately \$10,000.

In Albert county there is the covered bridge at Saw Mill Creek, costing \$3,500 and the bridge at Mill Creek costing \$7,000.

In Westmorland county there will be the new steel bridge at Hall's Creek, costing \$15,000; Memramcook bridge, costing \$3,000. A steel bridge at Shediac costing \$15,000 and a new

embankment at Hollow Creek at a cost of \$1,000.

In Kent county a new covered span at McLeod's Mill bridge, costing \$1,500 and a steel one at Cocagne, costing \$7,000 and a small steel bridge at Black River costing \$6,000.

In Northumberland county on the Northwest Miramichi we have under construction six covered wooden truss spans on masonry piers, which we estimate will cost \$20,000. A covered bridge at Cain's point, costing \$8,000, a steel bridge at Morrison, costing \$2,000, and a bridge possibly of steel and concrete at Donald's, at a cost of \$20,000.

In Gloucester county we have the Bathurst station Bridge, which will

cost \$14,000 and the River bridge about \$15,000.

In Sunbury county there is the old wooden bridge, which will probably be rebuilt of steel, and masonry at a cost of \$15,000.

While the previous administration gave away to political friends the money and lands of the people, and allowed the old wooden bridges to rot away, the present Government has provided permanent bridges over every important river, and greatly aided internal communication among the people. The Opposition has steadily voted against the permanent bridge policy of the Government, but the people everywhere have endorsed it, and will do so again.

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## SUPPORT THE LIBERAL ADMINISTRATION ON MARCH 3RD.

GOVERNMENT WILL  
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Prospects Bright in Every Parish for Anderson, Miller, Murray and Winslow

NEWCASTLE, Friday.—Things do look exceedingly bright for the Government candidates in this county, their prospects of success increasing each day.

The candidates addressed enthusiastic and crowded meetings at Boiestown on the 17th; Doaktown on the 18th; and at Blackville and Renous on the 19th.

Thursday night, the candidates and Mr. W. B. Snowball had a rousing meeting at Loggieville.

Friday night the Government speakers were warmly received at Escuminac; on Sunday at Bry du Vin; and Monday at Napan.

For the rest of the campaign, Government meetings will be held as follows:—

Wednesday, Feb. 26.—School House, Upper Neguac.

Thursday, Feb. 26.—School House, near church, Portage River.

Friday, Feb. 28.—Cove school, Tabusintac.

Saturday, Feb. 29.—School House, New Jersey.

A late Scotch paper says:

The Rev. Henry Arnott, minister-elect of the Saline U. F. Church, is well known in the city of Dunfermline and in the West of Fife district. He was brought up in Dunfermline, and received his early education at the Commercial School, and afterwards attended the Dunfermline High School. He subsequently went through the arts course at St. Andrews University, and studied in Divinity at the New College, Edinburgh. On leaving the New College he emigrated to Canada, and was there called to the Presbyterian Church of St. James, in Newcastle, New Brunswick. Returning to this country on account of Mrs. Arnott's health, he has since September last been in charge of the U. F. congregation at Kinglassie.

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OPPOSITION BALK  
AT AGREEMENT

Concerning a Pure Election in Charlotte County

## GOVERNMENT MEN READY

Belief Expressed That Opposition Will Lose Their Stronghold

ST. STEPHEN, Sunday.—The opposition party last night refused to enter into an agreement substantially following the terms of the resolutions passed on the 1th instant for the purpose of doing away with election corruption.

When the resolutions were passed the opposition exacted several preliminary conditions to be carried out before they should take effect.

## Gov't Supporters Object.

The government supporters objected to some of them and stated that they were by no means sure that they could be complied with, but undertook to make the attempt. One of the conditions was that Senator Gilmour's signature be obtained. It is well known that he is not taking part, financially in the campaign and he had previously stated his objection to signing an agreement on the ground that as a senator he was not concerned in that sort of political activity.

## Slur on Senator.

Hon. C. F. Hill who has been considerably quoted as an authority by opposition writers, expressed the opinion that the demand was a slur on Senator Gilmour which he was justified in refusing to countenance. About the same time the demand was made members of the opposition committee tried to claim that his efforts in looking after wharves and other public works would be breaches of such an agreement.

Gov't Men Were Ready.

On Friday evening the government

EX-MAYOR NOT  
GUILTY FIRST COUNT

HALIFAX, Sunday.—After four and a half hours' deliberation yesterday afternoon the jury in the case of the King vs. D. M. Burchell, ex-mayor of Glace Bay on information of J. K. L. Ross, of the Dominion Coal Company, returned a verdict of not guilty on the first count of the indictment charging him with embezzlement of \$421.72.

There are still seventeen counts in the indictment but whether all these will be tried is a question which is now being considered by lawyers on either side and will depend on future developments in connection therewith.

After the announcement of the verdict a perceptible wave of relief swept over the large audience assembled in the court room at Sydney, many of whom crowded about the defendant with the hope that he would come out of the remaining ordeal equally successful. The case will be resumed Monday morning. Burchell was for years general storekeeper of the Dominion Coal Company.

supporters offered to put the agreement in force, backed by the signatures of the candidates and all the party leaders whose names had been asked for and to place \$500.00 in the fund for prosecutions. The opposition asked for a delay of one day and on Saturday evening refused to enter into any agreement.

Purity Would Aid Gov't. It is claimed that the absence of money would help the government candidates as the main conservative vote is in districts where a large number have to be paid by that party to come out of the woods in winter. The work of the ministerial association thus falls through for the present greatly to the disappointment of the members of that body and of the liberals at least throughout the county.

Encouraging Reports. Excellent meetings have recently been held at Elmsville, Lever, Wawel, Letete and other places. Messrs. Byron and Armstrong are at present on Grand Manan. Encouraging reports come from all sections and the belief is expressed that the government party will carry all four seats.

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Because the men who compose the ticket are clean men politically and in every other way.

Because your county is in safe hands and because it is unwise to experiment with a set of untried men.

Because you wish to see in power a government which will work in harmony with the government at Ottawa.

Because you do not want to see the affairs of your province managed by George W. Fowler and men of his ilk.

Commissioner Thos. B. Coombs of the Salvation Army spoke to over 700 people in the Opera House Friday night. He gave a series of limelight views illustrating the life of Christ from Bethlehem to Calvary. The views were magnificent, and good music was interspersed. The service was intensely religious, and the interest was much greater than that displayed at any meeting of any kind in this hall for some time. In the afternoon, the Commissioner preached in the Opera House to a large audience. Adjutant Carter of St. John conducted special services in the Barracks on Saturday and Sunday.

MANITOBA'S WISE  
LIQUOR LAWS

WINNIPEG, Saturday.—The legislature today made further changes in the bill restraining the liquor traffic. A vote on local option or the repeal thereof may be taken annually on twenty per cent. of the resident electors of any municipality petitioning for it. No bar room shall have more than two doors nor shall there be any stairway or other means of communication with the basement or cellar. Constables in local option district may search without warrant, the premises or the person of anyone believed to have liquor in his possession in contravention of the act.

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## TO BANQUET REID.

Ambassador to Court of St. James sails for England.

New York, Thursday.—Whitelaw Reid, American Ambassador to the Court of St. James, who has been paying an extended visit to this country will sail for England to-morrow. He will be entertained this evening by the Pilgrims of the United States at a banquet at Delmonico's. W. Butler Duncan, president of the Society, will be in the chair and Former Ambassador Joseph H. Choate, Secretary of State Root, Ambassador Bryce, and Governor Hughes are expected to be present.

SPRING VALLEY, N. H., Sunday.—Seven of a party of young people who were on their way to a basketball match at Nyack were killed and others frightfully injured, their vehicle being struck by a New York, Ontario and Western train at a grade crossing.

TURKS ISLAND, Sunday.—The British steamer Beat, Captain Pye, from Halifax, Feb. 14th for Bermuda, Turks Island and Kingston was totally wrecked here today. The crew and passengers were rescued and part of the cargo will probably be saved.

SERIOUS RAIL-  
WAY ACCIDENT

Cars Thrown Off Track In Collision at Dalhousie Junction

A serious railway accident occurred at Dalhousie Junction about 8 o'clock Saturday morning. The local express in charge of Conductor McGinn was crossing over the switch to proceed along the main line to the station when brakeman Cormie of the train turned the switch which resulted in the last two cars of the local taking the siding and crashing into the Dalhousie branch train. Two cars of the branch train were derailed and two cars of the local were derailed.

On board the branch train were Hon. C. H. LaBillois and a commercial traveller. Mr. LaBillois was not seriously hurt, but was badly shaken up. No passengers on the local were injured.

The auxiliary train was at once ordered to the scene of the wreck and first put on the cars of the local after which that train proceeded to Moncton. About noon the cars of the branch were placed on the track. Just what led the brakeman to turn the switch when he did is not at all clear.

Dist. Supt. Price when seen by a Graphic reporter in reference to the matter said that the only way he could explain it was that the wrong switch had been turned. There are two switches together.

An investigation will be held.

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Application for entry must be made in person by the applicant at a Dominion Lands Agency or Sub Agency for the district in which the land is situated. Entry by proxy may, however, be made at an Agency on certain conditions by the father, mother, son, daughter, brother or sister of an intending homesteader.

The homesteader is required to perform the homestead duties under one of the following plans:

(1). At least six months' residence upon and cultivation of the land in each year for three years.  
(2). A homesteader may, if he so desires, perform the required residence duties by living on farming land owned solely by him, not less than eighty (80) acres in extent, in the vicinity of his homestead. Joint ownership in land will not meet this requirement.

(3). If the father (or mother if the father is deceased) of a homesteader has permanent residence on farming land owned solely by him, not less than eighty (80) acres in extent, in the vicinity of the homestead, or upon a homestead entered for by him in the vicinity, such homesteader may perform his own residence duties by living with the father (or mother).

(4). The term "vicinity" in the two preceding paragraphs is defined as meaning not more than nine miles in a direct line, exclusive of the width of road allowances crossed in the measurement.

(5). A homesteader intending to perform his residence duties in accordance with the above while living with parents or on farming land owned by himself must notify the Agent for the district of such intention.

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W. W. CORY,  
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## YOUNG MAN MEETS DEPLORABLE FATE.

Hands, Feet and Nose in State of Decomposition is Refused Admittance to Hospital.

HUNTSVILLE, Friday.—A young Englishman of 19 years of age, named Phelps, who had no known relatives or friends in this country, died here under sad circumstances. He was brought to town from Burks Falls with his hands, feet and nose, in a state of decomposition as the result of repeated frost bites, in the hope that he would be admitted to the Huntsville Hospital. This institution, however, is now a private enterprise, the Government grant, having been withdrawn and the young fellow, having insufficient money to pay for an operation, admission was denied him. Finally, accommodation was secured for Phelps in a private house and a local physician gave him medical treatment, but it was too late, the youth dying a week after his admission to the house.

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Women are called the "weaker sex" and yet nature calls upon them to bear far more pain than men. With too many women it is one long martyrdom from the time they are budding into womanhood, until age begins to set its mark upon them. They are no sooner over one period of pain and distress than another looms up only a few days ahead of them. No wonder so many women become worn out and old looking before their time.

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Mrs. Urbane C. Webber, Welland, Ont., is one of the many women who owe present health and strength to Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. Mrs. Webber says:—"About three years ago, while living in Hamilton, my health began to decline. The first symptoms were headaches and general weakness. After a time the trouble increased so rapidly that I was unable to attend to my household duties. I lost flesh, looked bloodless and had frequent fainting fits. I was constantly doctoring, but without any benefit, and I began to feel that my condition was hopeless. One day a friend asked me why I did not try Dr. Williams' Pink Pills and mentioned several cases in which she knew of the great benefit that had followed their use. After some urging I decided to try the pills, and had only used them a few weeks when I began to feel benefited, and from that time on the improvement was steady, and by the time I had used about a dozen boxes of the pills I was again enjoying the blessing of good health. I cannot too strongly urge other discouraged sufferers to give Dr. Williams' Pink Pills a fair trial."

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## A CORRESPONDENT'S VIEWS.

A Bathurst correspondent sends the Graphic the following:—"A supporter of the Independent Liberal ticket in this county, after a review of the political situation, submitted to your correspondent, the following estimate of the result of March 2nd. The Liberal ticket will lead by 200 votes in the parish of Beresford, 200 in the parish of Caraque, 100 in the parish of Shippegan, and 60 in Paquetville. In New Bandon it will take about the same vote as in 1903. Here the government ticket will lead, closely followed by the opposition. The Government ticket will have a small majority in Bathurst. The large majority taken by it in Tracadie in 1903 will be considerably reduced by inroads made by the opposition ticket, while the Liberal will poll a splendid vote. St. Isidore will give about an equal number to Independent and Government tickets, but the opposition vote will be very small."

## WHEN APPETITE FAILS

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## BLISSFIELD.

Blissfield, Feb. 20.—The weather for the past few days has been very fine but it is turning colder now.

We are glad to hear that Mr. Walker, C. Ward, who has been confined to the house with throat trouble, is able to go to the woods again.

Mrs. Hester Travis has been visiting Mrs. D. Ward, who has been confined to the house with throat trouble, is able to go to the woods again.

A surprise party was held at Mrs. H. Travis's on the 7th inst. and all report having had a very enjoyable evening.

Miss Nellie Weaver, who for the past three weeks has been ill with sore throat is able to be about again. Mr. Arthur Porter, of Blackville, was visiting his sister, Mrs. Wordworth Gilks, a few days last week.

Mr. Percy Withnell, accompanied by his sister Jennie, left for Boston one day last week.

Miss Belyea and Hubbard spent last Saturday and Sunday with Miss Annie Alexander.

## BRITISH SCION IN COURT.

He is Charged With Misappropriating Jewels.

OAKLAND, Thursday.—Charged with misappropriating a number of diamonds belonging to a young woman to whom he was engaged, R. D. Towne, alleged scion of a distinguished London family will be placed on trial tomorrow.

Miss Violet Park, a society girl of Alameda, caused Towne's arrest. Towne obtained much of her jewelry upon the pretense that he intended to have it polished and reset. Instead it is alleged, he pawned the gems and bought wine suppers for the woman who is now accusing him.

## MR. CURTIS PROMOTED.

Arthur B. Curtis, who has been manager of the New Brunswick Telephone Company at Campbellton for some time has been promoted to the position of that company's whole line. Before entering upon his duties Mr. Curtis will spend two months with the Bell Telephone Company at Montreal. Mr. Curtis is universally liked on the North Shore. As an official of the Telephone Company he is always a great source of help to the courteous and obliging and socially he is a jovial companion. He expects to leave for Montreal the first week in March.

## WANTS PRESENT BACK.

Love Lorn Farmer Claims he Was Deceived.

REGINA, Sask., Friday.—An interesting case was commenced before Judge Prendergast in the Supreme Court on Saturday, in which the plaintiff, Malcolm J. McInnes, fought for the cancellation of the transfer of a quarter section of land made over to the defendant, Mrs. Isabella Getsman, of Minneapolis. The plaintiff, who is a farmer in Craik district, alleges he went to Minneapolis in 1906, where he met Mrs. Getsman under the name of Miss Margaret Rivers. Returning to Craik, considerable correspondence passed between the two parties, letters from the lady, which were read in court being of a specially interesting character.

Eventually in the belief that the defendant, whom he believed was a single woman, was going to marry him, McInnes made the transfer which is the subject of this action only subsequently discovering that the woman was already married and living with her husband.

Hearing of the case is being continued.

THREE RIVERS, P. Q., Sunday.—Much interest is taken in the report that the Canadian Pacific Steamship Company is looking into the feasibility of making Three Rivers their terminus. The mile and a half of wharfage finished, the possibility of further easy extension of the wide channel opposite the wharf and the plentitude of cheap labor obtainable all point to the eventual location of the C. P. R. Steamship Co. here.

## MAY PRESENT MONTCALEM STATUE TO QUEBEC.

VAUVERT, France, Thursday.—The citizens of this town have started a subscription for the purpose of erecting at Quebec, a statue of General Montcalm, the French commander, who was mortally wounded at the battle of the Plains of Abraham in 1759. Montcalm was born in Vauvert.

It has been decided to have two statues of Montcalm made. One is to be kept in France and the other will probably be presented to Quebec. About 8,000 francs have already been subscribed.

## HALIFAX, N. S., Friday.—An agitation started here against the use of profanity reached a culminating point last night when the police commission ordered the force to arrest any man, woman or child using profane language on the street or in public place. The result is awaited with interest.

## CASSILIS.

Cassilis, February 21.—The weather for the past week has been very rainy. Quite a number of young ladies and gentlemen enjoyed themselves at the open air rink, Monday night.

Mr. John Hubbard paid a flying visit to Red Bank last Sunday evening.

Mr. Andrew Blackmore fell, receiving severe injuries, while coming from S. Siding.

Mr. Robert Chaplin of this place has finished hauling logs.

Mrs. James Mullin, of Whitneyville, visited friends here last week.

Miss Margaret Whitney visited Red Bank last week of this kind.

Miss Mina Sutherland is slowly recovering from La Grippe.

Mr. Edward G. Mullin visited his home in Whitneyville on Sunday last.

Mrs. George Hubbard, who has been very sick is somewhat better.

Miss Regina Burns was the guest of Miss Mina Sutherland one evening last week.

Mrs. Wilbur Hubbard was the guest of Mrs. Arnold Park last week.

Mrs. John Appleby was the guest of her brother, Mr. B. Hubbard, on Sunday of last week.

Mr. Benjamin Hubbard is in a very low condition.—Blue Bell.

## A MATTER OF ECONOMY.

If the thousand and one things about the house that make money go fast—the little things that don't seem to count—were bunched together in one, it would not be so difficult to stop the leak. But they are usually such trivial things that it takes more than a sharp and ever-watchful eye to keep expenses down.

In flour for instance. We buy a flour that our grocer recommends. He doesn't know for what particular purpose we want it—and it sells pretty well—so he sends it to our homes. The flour may be good, but perhaps it takes a long time to knead. Or it may make more flour to make a batch of bread than it ought to. Or we may want it for cakes and pastry and it won't give the light appetizing cake, or short crust in the pie that we expect. Most of us have found trouble of this kind.

If we had time to compare one brand with another, some household leaks would be avoided, and some household tempers would disappear. There is a big difference in flour. Some flour turns out a perfect baking, some to do equally well for bread and pastry.

Blended Flour—made from Ontario fall wheat and Manitoba spring wheat, blended in just the right proportions—makes baking a pleasure, and is winning unexampled favor in the kitchens of careful housekeepers. It makes better bread, lighter cakes, more wholesome pastry and biscuits.

Note it, good housekeepers, and use Blended Flour next time.

## OBITUARY

MRS. JAMES MURRAY.

The funeral of the late Mrs. James W. Murray took place in St. Mary's cemetery yesterday morning. Rev. Father Dixon conducting services. Deceased died under very sad circumstances, having been a great sufferer for three years, and leaving a husband and seven children, the latter's ages running from three to fifteen years. The late Mrs. Murray was but 35 years old. She was the daughter of Hugh McCafferty of Newcastle. A half sister, Mrs. Wm. Keating of Newcastle; a half-brother, David Dinan, also of this place, and the following sister and brothers survive:—Miss Margaret and Cornelius McCafferty of Newcastle and Henry of Bangor, Me.

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## CLEARED OUT.

After Morrissey's brainstorm had subsided at the Conservative meeting in Chatham on Wednesday evening, a large number of electors left in disgust, leaving many empty benches for Mr. Maxwell, of St. John, to address. "I have been in politics twenty-two years, but never in that time have I known a campaign in which so much misrepresentation and so many slanderous statements have been used by an opposition as at present. They seem to think this is their last chance."—Hon. Wm. Pugsley.

Fairville, Sept. 30, 1902. MINARD'S LINIMENT CO., LIMITED.

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Yours truly,  
CHAS. F. TILTON.

## TRADE WITH AUSTRALIA.

Commissioner Coming From That Country to Interview Business Men.

OTTAWA, Saturday.—Permission has been granted to Mr. D. H. Ross, Canadian trade commissioner in Melbourne, Australia to visit Canada in the course of the present year to consult with Canadian business men on the extension of Canadian trade in Australia.

## DELENYHO NOLLYHOORNOONI

Incorporation has been granted to Robert A. Loggie, W. W. Loggie, Robert Murray, Mary Loggie and Eliza A. Loggie, of Chatham, as the Miramichi Fish Company, Ltd., with a capital of \$200,000.

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" 34 Maritime Express for John and Halifax, 8.05  
" 36 Express for Moncton, St. John and Halifax, 11.25  
" 38 Mixed for Moncton, 13.55  
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## VOTE FOR MURRAY, WINSLOW, MILLER AND ANDERSON.

## POLITICAL NOTES.

Laurier has read Morrissey out of the Liberal party.

Fremont Finance Fowler is the real boss of Morrissey and Morrison.

What has Northumberland to expect by electing the opposition ticket?

A vote for the Liberal ticket is a vote for a clean, progressive government.

The good old parish of Rogersville is almost solid for the government ticket.

Would Chatham sooner send McLachlan to Fredericton than Murray and Winslow?

Chatham should pile up a solid vote for two of its foremost citizens, Murray and Winslow.

The government ticket in Northumberland is the young men's ticket. The young men will stand by it.

From Esquimaux to Boiestown the cry is down with the Tory obstructionists, Morrissey and Morrison.

Name one single, solitary thing that Morrissey and Morrison have ever done for the betterment of Northumberland.

To fight with the winning and expect renown from the party destroyed is the climax of presumption.

Miller will carry Newcastle for his colleagues. Winslow and Murray will carry Chatham for Miller and Anderson.

Chatham's support of the local government ticket presages the early extension of the I. C. R. into the heart of the town.

Wouldn't you sooner see elected a government which is in sympathy with the government at Ottawa than one which isn't?

Chatham will show that it desires the extension of the railway into the town by piling up a solid vote for the government ticket.

Where will you find four more promising men in the province than those

who compose the government ticket in Northumberland?

Vote for the Liberal Candidates and new Government. This is no time in the development of the province to experiment with untried men.

The Government candidates—Messrs Murray, Winslow, Anderson and Miller—are holding splendid meetings in the up-river parishes daily. They are all meeting with a most enthusiastic reception and are confident of success.

The opposition has devoted a good deal of criticism to the Central Railway. Will Messrs. Morrissey and Morrison say why they voted against the proposition to base this railway for \$21,000 a year?

When a Liberal stumps the country in the interests of the Conservative party it is quite evident that his Liberalism is hardly skin deep; and he puts himself out of the range of ever being selected to be the standard bearer of the party he has maligned.

Can anyone conceive of Mr. Hazen being so recreant to his Conservative principles as to stump the country in the interest of a Liberal candidate? We have more faith in Mr. Hazen's consistency than to even imagine he would, while fighting with the enemy pose as a loyal member of his party.

Not one valid reason has been advanced by the Opposition for the defeat of the Government. Mr. Hazen declared that he will keep the expenditure within the income. How would he raise the additional revenue necessary for the rebuilding and reconstruction of bridges? Mr. Hazen and his followers will make all kinds of wild promises in order, if possible, to gain the Treasury benefits. But Mr. Hazen would find that it is impossible to do what the Government has done without adding the debt for permanent improvement.

Mr. Morrissey, who claims to be such a strong man in Northumberland, is sure to meet his Waterloo on the 3rd of March. It was owing to circumstances that he ever became a member of the Legislature. Flukes even in politics, are possible. The Liberals, believing him to be a loyal member of the party, supported him. But their faith was badly placed. He has betrayed their party, and now he seeks to further injure it by claiming to be a Liberal.

The English speaking opposition

will not support Mr. Allain, the French candidate in Northumberland, but they expect Mr. Allain's friends to stand by the opposition ticket. In other words, the opposition wish to use Mr. Allain as a tool to further their own interests and defeat the wishes of the French Canadians of the County. It remains to be seen whether the Acadians will stand for this treatment. If they do, they will find that on the 3rd of March their candidate will get it where the chicken got the ax—in the neck.

"Mr. Morrissey is a true Liberal"—he is vouched for by Mr. Morrissey's paper. It will take more than that certificate to convince people of even ordinary guile that a man is a true Liberal while at the same time he is fighting for the enemy and doing all he can to injure a Liberal party. When men are appointed and disgruntled they usually are noted for their excessive zeal against the party they once belonged to. Mr. Morrissey is but a skin deep Liberal, notwithstanding the contrary assertion in his paper.

In Messrs. Murray, Winslow, Miller and Anderson the Liberals of this county have four excellent candidates. The county is Liberal and if every man does his duty on the 3rd of March Mr. Hazen's candidates, conservatives and present Liberals will be "left at home." Let every man ask himself the question will it be to the advantage of the Province that Mr. Hazen should be Premier—at the head of a conservative government? The province is on the eve of great advancement. Shall her progress and development be held in check and retarded by placing in power men who have in the legislature opposed every measure promoted by the government that has brought this province to its present prosperous condition. By voting for Messrs. Murray, Winslow, Miller and Anderson you will be voting for men who are able and willing to keep in the promotion of every measure in the further advancement of the Province.

Mr. Hazen and one or two disgruntled Liberals are appealing to Liberals to assist him to the Treasury benches. Why should Liberals help Mr. Hazen, a conservative? It was the conservative party that first decided that protective duties should be lowered. They have been taken up, the challenge accepted, they have made a huge blunder. Mr. Hazen and his party cannot win the election on party lines, hence he is making an appeal to members of the Liberal party to get him out of the hole into which the indiscretion of his party has put him. How many men, professing to be a

Liberal can be so blind to the consequences of aiding Mr. Hazen and his party is not easily seen. If by any means Mr. Hazen should be successful at the polls he will be found, with all the prestige of the local government on his side, when the Dominion elections come on fighting against a party the members of which have aided and abetted him. A fine prospect to look forward to! Men professing to be Liberals should be so, and not in name only. We fail to see why any Liberal should be the tool of Mr. Hazen.

"When I made the statement in the House that \$200,000 was in 1906 taken out of the pockets of the people of this province and put into those of the lumber lords, what did they do? Why they moved a resolution to expel me, and said that I did not formulate any charge. Now why did they not expel me? They knew it was true." Mr. Morrissey takes the same course as his Liberal friends, they can make statements, throw insinuations in the House where he is privileged; but when he was challenged to formulate a charge he was like his confederates at Ottawa—silent. Had Mr. Morrissey made a charge from his seat in the House it could and would have been investigated. But that was just what he couldn't screw up to get, do, showing exclusively that to expel him, merely for effect—an effect which has not been lasting. Mr. Morrissey should have made a charge from his seat in the House, like a honorable man, where it could be investigated. He would have had to vacate his seat, if he could not have proved his charge this he would not risk. It was much safer to insinuate than make a charge. No seat is in danger from insinuations. The heave is eliminated.

The opposition are claiming that the government will be routed; some of the members even claiming that it will be overwhelming defeated and going so far as to say that Mr. Hazen will be a majority of twenty in the next House. The question naturally arises where is he going to get it? What constituencies is he going to win of those he did not hold in the last House? Is it Albert? Messrs. Osman and Ryan are sure of election. Is it Gloucester? No. Is it the neighboring county of Kent? He has a majority of over four hundred to capture, and the government forces are united and are likely to increase the majority. Is it Kings? Any chance they had of capturing a seat or two there has been shattered by the disgraceful methods exposed there in connection with the \$1000 "shill" trial on Dr. Pearson. Is it Madawaska? Not a bit. No one could be found to tackle the job of trying to defeat the Liberal candidates. Is it Queens? Messrs. Farris and Carpenter are perfectly safe. Is it Restigouche? Messrs.

LaBilios and Currie there will have what will practically amount to a walk over. Is it St. John city? The winter port will support the government more strongly than at the last election. Conservatives concede St. John to the government. Is it the St. John county? Mr. Hazen has a vote nearly two to one against his party, and Messrs. McKeown and Lowell will carry the seat by a large majority. Is it Sunbury? Well, Mr. Hazen may hold that constituency, although it is doubtful. It is well known that he is a bit shaky and is making the fight of his life, with the chances against him. The two Liberal candidates have increased their hold upon the constituency since Mr. Hazen last faced the music. In the last election he had a majority of 80. It only requires a turn over of forty one votes to displace the Opposition leader? Is it Victoria? Messrs. Tweedale and Burgess are reasonably safe. Is it Westmorland? Mr. Robinson and his ticket are absolutely sure of being returned. Is it York? The lowest government candidate had a majority of 800 at the last election over the highest on the Opposition ticket. Then every likelihood of that majority being increased. Is it Northumberland last but not least? The government candidates are gaining strength every day here; a strong probability that when the votes are counted on the 3rd of March Mr. Hazen will find that he has lost support in the county of Northumberland. We fail to see where Mr. Hazen is to get his majority from at a liberal estimate he won't have more than 14 followers in the next House. Let Northumberland roll up a big majority for the government candidates and fall into line with the rest of the Province.

## FOR A CLEAN ELECTION.

There is a general agreement among the candidates and party workers on both the opposition and government sides in this county that the elections here shall be conducted along lines and that neither bribery nor corruption of any sort will be tolerated. All the candidates are pronounced in their views for a decent management of the campaign and they are being backed by the executives of each party.

A man gets a lot of credit for being a good husband—after the undertaker has him on ice.

Is it not the duty of every true citizen of the town of Campbellton, and of the county of Restigouche, to vote to support the present government, considering the great interest at stake. I think it is.—Hon. Wm. Fugleby.

## RESTIGOUCHE FOR GOVERNMENT.

A large and enthusiastic meeting of government supporters was held Friday evening in the school house at Lorne Settlement, parish of Durham. Standing room itself was at a premium. Joseph Corrier presided.

Mr. William Currie spoke for about a half an hour and the chief commissioner, Hon. C. H. LaBilios followed in both French and English. The speakers received an excellent hearing and discussed the questions at issue in a masterly manner. The financial question, the government's railway policy, the school book question were all dealt with at length.

The chief commissioner discussed the government's colonization policy which he said would have the effect of keeping our young men at home and of inducing others to settle on our vacant lands.

The meeting broke up with cheers for the King, the Premier and the government candidates.

All present agreed that Lorne is solid for the government ticket.

It's strange, but nevertheless true, that a woman can be jealous of a man even when she has no earthly use for him.

## BABY'S OWN TABLETS SAVE A LITTLE LIFE

Mrs. T. Osborn, Norton Mills, Vt., writes: "I do not think enough can be said in praise of Baby's Own Tablets. I am satisfied that our baby would not have been alive today if it had not been for the Tablets, as he was so weak and sick that he took no notice of anything. In this condition I gave him the Tablets and they have made him a bright-eyed, laughing baby, the pride of our home. He is one year old, has nine teeth, and is now as well as any baby can be. He sits and plays nearly all the time and lets me do my work without worry. I would say to all mothers who have sick babies give them Baby's Own Tablets as I did mine, and you will have healthy, happy babies." The Tablets will cure all the minor ailments of little ones and are absolutely safe. Sold by all medicine dealers or by mail at 25 cents a box from The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

## SUPPORT PREMIER ROBINSON AND GOOD GOVERNMENT.

## GOVERNMENT WINS JOINT DEBATE

ST. JOHN, Friday. — The Opera House was crowded to its utmost capacity tonight at a joint meeting, thousands being unable to secure admission.

It was one of the greatest meetings ever held in St. John. W. H. Thorne was chairman and all of the speakers except the attorney general were given a fair hearing.

Out For Mr. McKeown. The opposition had evidently decided in advance that if McKeown was to close the debate they would endeavor to prevent the people from hearing his arguments. Mr. Fleming was the first speaker but did not break any new ground. When Premier Robinson came to reply he showed that Mr. Fleming had included one item twice. The premier was given a great reception and tore Fleming's statements to shreds.

Hazen's Bluster. Mr. Hazen blustered for a while, and the attorney general replied and was doing so effectively that the organized young rosters tried to stop him. He managed to give them some hot shot though in spite of this. All the speakers were well received.

The Times today says that the letter from the Canada Publishing Company, admitting that the Ontario school readers are sold at a cut price because they are going out of print, is undated, as if that had any bearing upon the case, but unfortunately the Times is as usual untruthful. The letter, which was addressed to Dr. Inch by the Canada Publishing Company was dated on November 21st, 1907, less than three months ago, and appeared in these columns with the date. The Opposition prevaricator should try again.—Moncton Transcript.

It's easier for a woman to make a fool of a man than it is for her to make a man of a fool.

Mexico is experiencing a sociological awakening, and modern trades unionism is breaking in upon peonage. Advanced ideas bring the usual fate to the pioneers, but the process of change gradually continues.

## MORRISSEY IS NOT A TRUE LIBERAL.

Read Out of the Party by the Hon. Wm. Pugsley the Provincial Leader

In his speech at Chatham on the 17th inst., the Liberal leader for New Brunswick, the Hon. Mr. Pugsley, read Mr. John Morrissey out of the Liberal party. From the party standpoint this was done none too soon. Dr. Pugsley has been called to the most important office in the gift of the Dominion Liberal Government. The Liberal leader Sir Wilfrid Laurier, with the consent of such men as Fielding, Patterson and other members of his cabinet, looked over this province for a leader and after careful consideration, conferred the great honor to Dr. Pugsley. He is therefore the Leader of the great Liberal party in New Brunswick. He is the responsible head of the party in this province and capable of deciding whether a man is a Liberal or a Conservative and is within his rights as leader, in reading Mr. Morrissey out of the party. There is no half-way stopping place in this matter. One cannot serve two masters. Mr. Morrissey is supporting one of the political parties. Which, is the question. Thus Dominion and provincial Liberal leaders, Sir Wilfrid Laurier and the Hon. Dr. Pugsley, in reading Mr. Morrissey out of the Liberal party, have not done so in haste. They find that he is an opponent and therefore should be classified as such, and made take his place in the ranks of the Conservative party. He is at present trying to assist the Conservative party to assume the power of Government in this province. This one act condemns him as a Liberal. Why is he not manly enough to play fair? He knows that Northumberland is Liberal and is trying to deceive the Liberal electorates who formerly supported him. A vote for Morrissey and the opposition ticket is a vote against W. S. Loggie, M. P. is a vote against Sir Wilfrid Laurier. Cut this perpetual candidate out. Show this man that he cannot deceive the people. Teach him that to be successful he must play fair.

## NO EXTRAVAGANCE.

The foolish Telegraph which seems to be endeavoring during the present campaign to live up to the title which it received seventeen or eighteen years ago, declares that "if the local Government is returned to power in March, nothing can save this province from another term of the most reckless extravagance." This statement is quite in keeping with the absurd falsehoods which the enemies of the Government have been propagating on every side ever since the last general election. It did not make the least difference whether there was any basis of truth or otherwise for their statements. In which respect have the Government been extravagant? They have built many steel bridges to take the place of the old temporary structures which lasted from ten to fifteen years. Were not these bridges required? They have also built new covered bridges which will last fifty years, to take the place of those that would perhaps last ten years. They have built new wharves which were intended for the business of the country and they have made an end of large annual expenditures in many places by filling up embankments where temporary prestles formerly existed. More than that, they have obtained from the Dominion Government a payment of \$375,000 on account of the Eastern Extension Claim, a claim which Mr. Hazen and his followers have always denounced as absurd and which they said would never be obtained by the Government. More than that, they have obtained an additional annual subsidy for the Province of New Brunswick of \$130,000 a year, a sum sufficient to pay the interest on the entire provincial debt, assuming that interest to be based on the ordinary price of bonds. These are some of the achievements of the present government which the silly Telegraph says is likely to destroy the province by its reckless extravagance. Mr. Hazen always ridiculed the idea of an additional sum being obtained on account of our Eastern Extension Claim, and he most violently opposed the arrangement by which New Brunswick is to receive an additional sum of \$130,000 a year.—Transcript.

Australia is trying to tax herself into opulence. In the present stage she is wondering why nations are so obtuse as not to lift themselves into general prosperity by the simple device of increasing their tariffs.

## WHY MEN FAIL IN BUSINESS.

Figures That Shattered Many of Our Preconceived Notions on the Subject.

Why do men fail? Is it inexperience, incompetency, competition, neglect or fraud? If you put this question to a hundred men, ninety-nine will probably answer differently, or if they agree upon any one thing it will be incompetency, inexperience and neglect. It all depends upon the man and his own inexperience. The banker will talk of speculation and extravagance, the conservative merchant of fraud and roscality in business methods, and so on.

As a matter of fact such statements are little more than reckless assertions, based upon an inadequate understanding of facts.

If we take trustworthy statistics, we can reach a much clearer comprehension of the important question. Classifying the causes of failures we have the following approximately correct reasons why men fail in business:

Lack of capital 31.5  
Incompetency 25.5  
Specific or local causes 15.5  
Fraud 10.5  
Inexperience 4.1  
Unwise credits 3.7  
Neglect 2.7  
Failure of others 2.1  
Competition 1.4  
Extravagance 1.3  
Speculation 1.2

An examination of these figures, immediately shatters many of our preconceived notions about failures. Few would question the high percentage of failures due to incompetency, but the first item on the list furnishes food for thought. Lack of sufficient capital is responsible for nearly one-third the total failures, and yet it is a cause not assigned by one business man out of ten approached.

The figures are re-assuring, however, and give new faith in humanity. We were inclined to believe that speculation and extravagance of living were leading factors in the failures of firms and individuals; but they are placed at the end of the list, and do not affect the great business commun-

## MR. HANSON'S JOKE.

Mr. R. B. Hanson, who acted as secretary of the joint political meeting yesterday called for a purity election has never been regarded as much a humorist, but he certainly sprang a good joke on the meeting. He waited until a motion had passed bidding all present to sign the purity resolutions, and then gathering up the documents made a hasty exit from the room. The most of the gentlemen present afterwards signed their names to a blank sheet of foolscap paper, but that is not considered very binding. Rev. J. H. McDonald was naturally very much annoyed when he found that the resolutions had been spirited away.—Fred ericton Herald.

## A BIT OF DRY BATTERY.

The Times discovered today a stick of dynamite in the coal at the I. C. R. boiler shop, but the dynamite turns out to be no more explosive than some of the Tory scandal bombs. A piece of dry cell battery in the coal was the cause of the trouble, and when one of the officials found it there, he jokingly told an employee that it was dynamite. The Times accustomed of late to dealing with highly explosive statements, immediately sent an almost calamity, and proceeded to dilate on the occurrence to the extent of half a column. No one but a Times reporter could have been stuffed with such a yarn. Dynamite as is well known, explodes through concussion, and how it could have been thrown about with the coal, jolted in the cars, sent through coal chutes and otherwise banged about is not quite apparent.—Transcript.

A Chinese editor says the United States is the only nation with a conscience. He may be inclined to say that even this lonely national conscience is not always very active.

## CONTINENTAL LINES NOW.

As Result of Shipping Agreement They Will Bring Immigrants to Canada. BERLIN, Saturday. — According to the Frankfurter Zeitung one result of the new shipping agreement will be that continental lines will now participate in English and Scandinavian steamer traffic to Canada.

It is as a whole. Competition likewise does not make business life and success half so uncertain that the average person has been led to believe.

## WILL SUPPORT THE GOVERNMENT

Reckless Statements of the North Shore Leader Loses Votes for its Party.

Editor Union Advocate, Dear Sir.—I notice in the North Shore Leader of the 21st instant the following editorial: "We have good authority that Mr. Snowball offered to have a sliding built for a gentleman in Derby if he would support the Government. Promises are like pie crust, Billy; the fewer made, the least broken." Now, I am evidently the person referred to in this paragraph. But it happens that sliding spoken of has been where it is for at least ten years, having been obtained through the influence of Mr. James Robinson then M. P. What has lately been ordered is a low loading platform, which will benefit the railroad as much as it will benefit my business, and with the getting of the order to build this platform Mr. Snowball had nothing whatever to do, so far as I know. The business carried on at my will is sufficient to warrant a platform without any necessity of having a political drinker over it. The statement that Mr. Snowball offered to get me anything in return for my support of the government is a lie. The North Shore Leader may be willing to sell itself for a few dollars, as it insinuates about other people, but there is not enough money in New Brunswick and Chatham to buy my vote. No one has at any time offered to purchase my support with platform or anything else—they knew better.

I had intended to vote for two of the Opposition ticket and two of the Government ticket; but if the Leader wishes to know how I shall vote on the 3rd of March, it will be perfectly safe in counting me as a supporter of the whole government ticket.

Yours,

(Signed) Wm. A. Bryenton.

## BRAKEMAN KILLED.

VANCOUVER, Friday. — Neil McDonald, a C. P. R. brakeman, while trying to board some cars he was switching at West Robson, fell between the cars and the station platform and was killed. He was 28 years of age and a native of Nova Scotia.

## A VOTE FOR THE GOVERNMENT HELPS NORTHUMBERLAND.



