

THE HERALD

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 25, 1885.

The Patriot and the Public Accounts.

We publish to-day a synopsis of the Public Accounts for 1884, which gives not only the total figures of revenue and expenditure, but goes into details of most of the items.

Our readers have thus an opportunity of judging for themselves as to the manner in which the Government have conducted the financial concerns of the Province during the past year.

Our contemporary says that "had it not been for the windfall of the pier-money, Sullivan & Co. would have run the Province into debt, on the one year's transactions alone, to the tune of \$52,496.31."

The Patriot seems to be annoyed because the Expenditure exceeded the Estimates by some \$30,000, and that it was owing to an uncontrollable circumstance that the Expenditure so greatly exceeded the Estimates.

It will be observed that the only departments in which the Estimates were at all seriously exceeded, were the Education, the Public Works, and the Public Works.

New Bridge at St. Peter's Bay.

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Local Legislation.

On Wednesday last, the Attorney General laid before the House of Assembly certain correspondence which had taken place between the Dominion and Local Governments relative to Winter Communication.

The following is the text of a Minute adopted by the Local Government on 20th February last: Adverting to the joint Address of the Legislative Council and House of Assembly, in the Session of 1884, to His Excellency the Governor-General in Council, a copy of which was transmitted, upon the subject of the non-fulfillment of the Terms of Confederation, in respect to Communication with the Mainland, the Executive Council in Committee desires to bring to the notice of His Excellency the Governor-General in Council the fact that, beyond a formal acknowledgment of the receipt of the said Address, no reply has been received.

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A True Dog Story.

BY WM. G. HALPIN.

Away back in the early thirties of
the present century I was a boy, living
with my parents in the rural district
of Meath, within a mile of a small
village called Drumcooper. Our next
neighbor was an honest man named
Paddy Goodman.

The sheep counted, the cattle were
put through a similar process. If one
of them Smiler quickly put it
back until the work was done. As
soon as the dog appeared in the field,
the sheep seemed to know what was
wanted, and would scamper off to the
crib.

Every one of them complied with the
request, inside and out. When the lady
was taking him her
wallet he refused to take it, saying:
'I never took a lady's bundle; you are
the only man up in his powerful arms
not intend to molest any one to-night
until I saw the fear that my name
engendered.'

NEWSPAPER EDITORS.
BY KATE THORN.
"So easy to be an editor!"
We hear the opinion pronounced
very often.

A MARVELOUS STORY
TOLD IN TWO LETTERS.
FROM THE SON:
Ayer's Sarsaparilla
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