

PROVINCIAL LEGISLATURE,

Reports of Committees and Statements of Warrants Made.

Hon. Mr. Emmerson Gives Particulars of the Repairing of Dunn Bridge, Queens County.

MR. HAZEN DISCUSSES THE BUDGET.

FREDERICTON, April 14.—Mr. Venoit, from the standing rules committee; Mr. McKeown, from the municipalities committee; and Mr. Barrhill, from the committee on corporations, submitted reports.

Hon. Mr. Emmerson submitted a statement of the warrants issued from November 1st, 1898, to March 22nd, 1899; also a detailed statement of the receipts from 1st November, 1898, to March 22nd, 1899; also a statement of the payments of the board of works from November 1st last to March 22nd, 1899.

Minimized by the feeling of disappointment at the pessimistic tone assumed by the honorable gentleman, the speaker addressed the house of assembly on the subject of the repairs to the Dunn bridge in Queens county.

Justified in saying that he had not been true to the spirit of the honorable leader of the opposition, by reason of the fact that his withdrawal was somewhat in another sphere of politics.

He alluded to the fact that in the province of Nova Scotia, the price that was obtained by the provincial secretary of this province for the loan made last winter.

Pepsin in Pineapple

Instead of Animal Pepsin, the Wholesome Fruit Pepsin of the Pineapple is the Effective Principle of Dr. Doan's Pineapple Tablets.

The vital juice of the ripe pineapple yields the wonderful remedy, which corrects indigestion and cures dyspepsia.

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2. Its tough, horny bark holds the pulp reservoir of a wondrous balm for dyspepsia.

3. From the ribs of the fruit the fruit juice is extracted.

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6. How quickly the dyspeptic system responds to the right cure.

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Not lessening. Take our road and bridge and our school services. The educational system of this province must be maintained and upheld.

PREMIER EMMERSON REPLIES

IN ONE OF THE ABLEST SPEECHES HEARD IN THE HOUSE FOR YEARS. FREDERICTON, April 14.—Hon. Mr. Emmerson followed Mr. Hazen. He said it gave him much pleasure to be able to congratulate the leader of the opposition upon the tone of his speech.

The binding that S.H. & Co. Bias Brush Edges. The only binding that can fit the skirt, because the brush edge is woven with one long side and one short side.

Mr. Hazen—There is not much use in asking for details if you do not accept the lower. Mr. Emmerson—We generally do, but there are times when figures are quoted so far as the estimate of the department that it is not in the public interest to do so.

to deduct at the very outset \$28,500 from the calculation of the honorable leader of the opposition. To this deduction must be added \$122,000, the saving which the honorable gentleman claims was effected by reason of the abolition of the legislative council and government house.

It would be as absurd to charge these against this government as additional sources of revenue as it would be to declare that a man saved something because he had a charge against him. How came the \$122,000 to be saved if not by the economic policy of the government?

Now that we have to show against that? We are able to point to the fact that the controllable expenses of the government have either been reduced or not increased, notwithstanding the introduction of typewriters and telephones and all the other modern incidents of conducting the affairs of government and business matters, all of which are made necessary by the march of progress and by reason of the conduct of public and of private business.

Now, sir, if you add the savings made by this government on controllable expenses and the increased sums paid out in connection with the services and institutions I have named you will find the following satisfactory results:

large additional expenditures necessary to enlarge the institution. The march of events had made it incumbent upon the government to incur expenditures in connection with the institution which were not thought of fifteen years ago. He further showed that the leader of the opposition had neglected in his calculation to add floating debt left by the government to the amount of \$757,897, given by him as the net debt in 1884.

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A Depressing Season.
Winter is the most trying season of the year, so far as health is concerned. Confinement in-doors, and overheated and impure air makes even usually strong people feel dull, languid, easily tired and generally run down.
A tonic is needed to aid nature in regaining lost energy. April is the month of all months when a tonic is of most service.
DR. WILLIAMS' PINK PILLS FOR PALE PEOPLE is the only true tonic medicine. These pills make rich, red energy-giving blood and transform listless, dull, tired and worn-out men and women into smiling, healthy, happy, work-loving people.
Thousands—some of them your neighbors—have been made well by Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, but you must get the genuine.
NERVOUS AND WORN OUT.
Mrs. Peter Mahar, Seal Cove, Que., writes: "It gives me real pleasure to acknowledge the benefit I have derived from Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, for I believe had it not been for their use I would now be in my grave. My health was broken down, and the least exertion would fatigue me. I was troubled with dizziness, shortness of breath, and palpitation of the heart; my appetite was sickly, and I was extremely nervous. I gave the pills a fair trial, and they have restored me to perfect health, and I can do all my household work without experiencing the least fatigue. Dr. Williams' Pink Pills are the best tonic I know of for weak, tired, pale people."
The Genuine are sold only in Packages like the following. WRAPPER PRINTED IN RED.
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of argument, but he is endeavoring to draw that same fish across the trail when he makes reference to Mr. D. G. Smith and other gentlemen, who, because they have done public printing for the province, and have had public positions, should, he claims, have no weight in any ideas, they might advance to the government. Has the honorable leader of the opposition presented one word in relation to the report made by Mr. Smith? The question is not as to the gentlemen who brought to the notice of the house the facts stated in the report, but it is, does the report contain any material matter that suggests itself to the approval of this honorable house? The honorable leader of the opposition can take no exception to the report; he cannot in any way refute one statement or one word contained therein, and he (Emmerson) thought that very excellent endeavor to carry out the ideas suggested by the public accounts committee last year.

Now, while on one hand we are able to show a great saving in controllable expenditures, we are enabled to point with pride to the fact that we have been able to give larger sums than the old government to these services which appeal either to man's sympathies, reason or pride. For some years past we have contributed from \$1,200 to \$1,500 a year towards the maintenance of the Boys' Industrial Home, an institution which had no existence under the old government. The Elliot Asylum at Halifax, which under the old government received from this government \$1,060, and that amount was not likely to be lessened in the future. He (Emmerson) felt sure that the remarks of the principal of that institution, Mr. Fraser, on the floor of this legislature the other day had appealed to the sense of this house and he believed that the excellent work which that gentleman was doing had commended itself, not only to the members of the house and the people of the province, but has commended itself to the people of every province interested in that institution.

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CASH.
I want consignments of Butter and Eggs, for which I will pay highest market prices. Prompt cash returns.
N. S. SPRINGER,
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This paper has the largest circulation in the Maritime Provinces. Semi-Weekly Telegraph.

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THE LEADERS OF THE OPPOSITION.

Mr. J. Douglas Hesse is a very nice young man, a fine golf player, a pleasing speaker...

WOMEN AS VOTERS.

The Frederick Gilman proposes to be very indignant because, it alleges, that the time of the legislature was taken up with what is called a school debate on the propriety of giving the franchise to women...

THE CASTILLIAN AGAIN.

The Toronto Monetary Times has the following editorial in reference to the loss of the Castilian:

THE LATEST ATTACK ON ST. JOHN.

The other day the Halifax Herald took occasion to make an attack on St. John harbor, its text being a despatch from this city...

vey the idea that St. John harbor was not large enough to hold the Alcedo and the Cumberland at the same time.

We were glad to observe that our gallant friend, Lieut. O. L. Macneane, in the very next issue of the Herald came to the defence of St. John, and showed that as many as seventeen large ocean steamships had landed here at one time.

We are glad to see the above in the leading commercial journal of Canada, because it shows that the commercial classes of the great province of Ontario are taking a more active interest in the ports of the maritime provinces than they have hitherto done.

A RUSSIAN SPY IN INDIA.

However much the czar may profess to desire the maintenance of peace, and the rejection of armaments, it is certain that the wishes of the military class in Russia are for aggression and war.

GOLF.

In a week or two the golfing season in St. John will have commenced, and the enthusiasts of that game will be seen daily wending their way towards the links, which are expected to be in play...

That golf is the most fascinating of games is clearly shown by the hold it has taken on the ever practical people of the United States.

DISCRIMINATING AGAINST CANADA.

The people of Montreal, it appears, are only now beginning to realize the importance of the action of the underwriters in discriminating against Canada in the matter of insurance rates.

assurance of certainty. But with the result of the wonderful work of Admiral Bayliff before us, there is no need to fear disaster to navigation, only due care be observed.

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THE NEW FLAGSHIP.

The battleship Renown, which has been the flagship upon this station since September, 1891, is to return to England, and is to be replaced by the first class cruiser Crescent, which was the flagship before the Renown's arrival in these waters.

"Great Haste is Not Always Good Speed."

Many people trust to luck to pull them through, and are often disappointed. Do not dilly-dally in matters of health. With it you can accomplish miracles.

Hood's Sarsaparilla

Keep the liver, kidneys, bowels and blood healthy by the use of Hood's Sarsaparilla, the faithful blood purifier.

Rheumatism—I had acute rheumatism in my limb and foot. I commenced Hood's Pills and in a short time was cured.

Scrophulous—I was troubled with scrophulous and impure blood. Cut out on my arms would not heal. Hood's Sarsaparilla was recommended to me. I had taken three bottles I was well.

that Lloyd's underwriters have been able to put forward as an excuse for their action, but they are very far from being satisfactory.

The loss of the Castilian was a most inexcusable affair, and could only have been brought about by the grossest kind of carelessness.

The action of Lloyd's underwriters is certain to do us a great deal of injury this year, but it cannot permanently affect the prosperity of Canada; indeed, it will prove a blessing in disguise.

The British chancery of the exchequer does not anticipate a deficit for the coming year, a result that was predicted some time ago.

THE WAR IN THE PHILIPPINES.

The war in the Philippines is evidently not popular with the volunteers who are there and it is not well liked by a majority of the American people.

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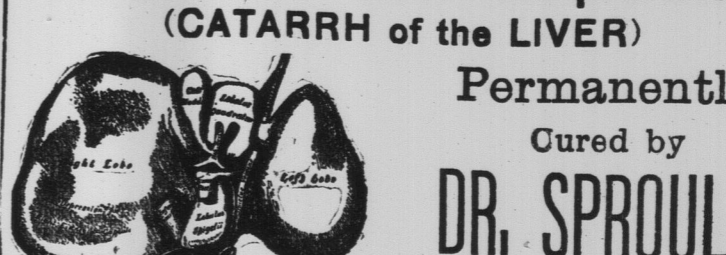
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The British islands in the West Indies would be no fair exchange for the Philippines. It would be like swapping a four story brown stone front for a one story wooden house.

Chronic Constipation (CATARRH of the LIVER)



Permanently Cured by DR. SPROULE. Have you ever thought that your chronic constipation caused all your other wretched feelings?

- 1. Are you constipated? 2. Is your complexion bad? 3. Are you sleepy in the daytime? 4. Are you irritable? 5. Are you nervous? 6. Do you get dizzy? 7. Have you no energy? 8. Have you cold feet? 9. Do you feel like a bear? 10. Do you get tired easily? 11. Do you have hot flashes? 12. Is your vision blurred? 13. Have you a pain in the back? 14. Is your flesh soft and flabby? 15. Are your spirits low at times? 16. Is there bloating after eating? 17. Have you a gurgling in bowels? 18. Is there a throbbing in stomach? 19. Is there a general feeling of languor? 20. Do these feelings affect your memory? 21. Are you short of breath upon exertion? 22. Is the circulation of the blood sluggish?

If you have some of the above symptoms you have Catarrh of the Liver. Mark them and send them to Dr. Sproule, B. A. (English Catarrh Specialist), Nos. 9, 10, 11, 12 Duane, street, Boston.

Britain has now in China the best ships, Barfleur, Centurion and Victoria, and the addition of the Benbow to that fleet would make it powerful indeed.

Senator Sutherland of Manitoba, has been deprived of his seat in consequence of his absence from the senate for two consecutive sessions owing to enfeebled health.

NOISE AND COMMENT.

It is a singular proof of the indecency of the political methods of the opposition that Mr. Speaker Hill, one of the most sincere and honest of men, is being shamelessly abused for merit doing his duty in interpreting the will of the house.

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