Mr. Longley, assured them ment would resign if they to amend the bill, and the er of mines in his address as not a question whether was good or bad, it was a the existence of the govhis was a practical admishe contract could not be ts merits. In this exigency, want a fair railway cona fair price have their to the legislative coung to abelish), with the hope will justify their continued by giving a proof of being hstand party pressure and and wiles of Mackenzie and

ACHUSETTS MURDERESS.

(Portland Press.)

e Toppan, the Massachusetts
was accused of committing, ne
even murders by means of poiis reported, been adjudged inard of experts, and will be comn insane asylum. The experts
for the government were Dr. or the government were Dr. Jelly and Dr. Steadman. They hat she was insane after they weral examinations and studied itstory. Two of these doctors es in the Brainard case, where in the Brainard case was re-he testimony of Dr. Sanborn ther well known allenists, be-yer of this city. But the other well known alienists, be-ager of this city. But the it to be its duty to put Brain-and the result was a verdict the business of the con-tent among the experts that the ane. Miss Toppan, like Brain-to appear rational enough to observer and soute the idea bserver, and scouts the idea there is anything the matter ind. Yet the experts are con she is insane, and the prosecut will accept the opinion and com she is insane, and the prosecut-will accept the opinion and com-n asylum. Evidently in Massa-right and wrong test is not se-ed as in this state. Neither, ap-pes public opinion demand that ig officer put a person on trial en declared insane by competent all alients simply because there alienists simply because there doubt as to whether she was the time she committed her crime.

Jane Toppin would have been udging from the slight weight in to expert testimony on the insanity by our juries, convicted the first degree.

RK, March 31.—The steamer Pre-n was bound for Bermuda and sterday from sea with fire in her grounded off Tompkinsville, was The fire has been extin-he vessel's hold is being rapidater. The Pretoria will go into a survey, until which the ex-

ition is critical. He is about

DEATHS.

Central Norton, March 31, cond daughter of James

this city, at the residence of T. A. Rankine, Janet, aged 67 t of the late Elisha Broad. on Sunday evening, March 30th, y, after a lingering illness, Mrs. eatty, in the 70th year of her

this city, at 111 Paradise Row, 28, Augusta J., second daughter James and Louise A. Harris. her late residence, No. 76 St. eet, St. John West, on March a lingering illness, Margaret, fe of James E. S. Harle, aged 76 7 months, leaving a husband on to mourn their loss.

Y—In this city, March 27, at the of his son-in-law, J. K. Macdon-son street, Michael McCluskey, a year of his age. is city, March 28th, after a ling-ss, W. Hedley Pitt, in the 33rd is age, leaving a wife and two o mourn the loss of a loving hus-

his city on March 28th, after a ss. W. Hedley Pitt, in the Erd its age, leavin a wife and two to mourn the loss of a loving and father.

L.—In St. John, N. B., March J. A., widow of the late Rev. D. S.

ON On Friday at 11 a. m., Mrs. ardson, in the 73rd year of her g a husband, three sons and one o mourn their sad loss. (Wash-C., and New York papers please vice at 8 p. m. Saturday.

-At the Home for the Aged,
vening, March 31, Mary Lydia

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ST. JOHN, N. B., SATURDAY, APRIL 5, 1902.

SOUTH AFRICA.

Col. Sam Hughes Flatly Contradicts London Times' Story

hat Canadian Soldiers Carried Away the Toe Nails of Dead Boers as

LONDON, April 3 .- The Morning Leader publishes the alleged story of the crimes which led to the court martial and execution of two Austral

just now exciting keen indignation in The Morning Leader asserts that several officers of this particular irregular corps shot natives like rabbits, and that they are even suspected of murdering men of their own comman against whom they had grudges. The moldent which led to their court-mar-tial was the coldblooded "execution" by those officers of ten Boers who were journeying to Pietersburg with the object of surrendering. It was suppose that these Boers had £20,000 them. Actuated by cupidity, the Australians stopped the Boers, tried them by mock court-martial, and ordered all to be shot. This was done by a squadron of the soldiers after some of the

to carry out the death sentence. The officers then ransacked the Boer wagon and were disgusted upon finding that the £20,000 was in Transvaal paper money. Continuing, the Morning Leadersays a German missionary a few miles dis tant from the scene of the "execution" heard of the affair. Lieut. Hancock one of the Australians concerned, fear ing he would divulge his information shot the missionary dead. This shoot ing eventually led to a complaint by the German consul to Lord Kitchener, who

doned officers had refused

proceeded to court-martial the Australians. OTTAWA, April 3.-In the house of commons at 3 p. m., when the orders of the day were called, Col. Sam Hughes rose to protest against and to contradict a statemen; made by a cor respondent of the London Times, to effect that a party of Canadians in th Africa had robbed dead Boers of boots and carried away their to for souvenirs. Col. Sam said that paragraph could only apply to E Battery, Canadian Artillery. The fact that at Faber's Spruit the Boers took off their own boots in order that they might steal noiselessly up on the

tingent, consisting of Mounted Rifles Dragoons and Artillery, lost 47; Strathcona Horse, 30: Canadian Scouts, 10: South African Constabulary, 45; Secnd Regiment Canadian Mounted Canadians in various other Rifles, Canadians in various other corps in South Africa, 6; total, 207.

It is understood that the militia de-partment will offer the services of about half a dozen dental surgeons to the imperial war office. The depart-ment has been besieged with applica-tions from young dentists, who are HAMPTON NOTES. anxious to get experience and serve with the British army. There is little doubt but that these men can be profitably used at the base hospitals and eon K. White, administrator, etc., of in the general hospitals along the line the estate of the late George Jeffries, of communication.

PRETORIA, Wednesday, April 2.-Communications have passed between President Steyn and the Transvaa mission at Kroonstadt, but nothing is yet known of the result. The major-ity of the military men and civilians here expect more from the continua pressure of the troops than from the present negotiations. It is pointed out that, once before, when hard pressed, the Transvaalers showed a desire riden by President Steyn. Nothing in the present situation so far as known indicates that President Steyn is less irreconcilable than previously. Indeed, the known facts seem to point to

greater determination to continue

NEW ORLEANS, April 3.-The atorneys for the Boer General Pearson annunced today that they would withdraw from the United States cirurt the suit which the genera at against Arthur VanSittart, the brought against Arthur VanSittart, the British consul at this port, for \$50,000 damages for libel. VanSittart was quoted in the papers at the time as having intimated that General Pearson was concerned in the attempt to blow up the mule transport Mechanician. "We are getting after higher game," was the only explanation given by the attorneys for their action.

KROONSTAD, Orange River Colony, April 3.—Acting President Schalk-Burger has opened negotiations with Pre-

ger has opened negotiations with Pre-sident Steyn, who has been located with Delarey and Kemp, but the whereabouts of the party has not been ascertained. De Wet has been located near Boshof.

THE LAKE SUPERIOR

at the Round Reef, remained in about the same position last night as on the previous night. The removal of her cargo has been stopped, as it was found impossible to proceed further with that work with anything like satisfactory results. It is estimated that between 200 and 300 tons were taken out. This was chiefly dry goods. What remains in the ship is a class of goods which will not suffer materially by remaining in her, provided she is floated and taken to a berth at which she can

Troop & Son, the agents here are receipt of telegrams from Ottawa, stating that while the government are inclined to do everything possible for the purpose of floating the ship, the interests of Canadian concerns engaged in wrecking must be considered. No definite answer had been received up to a late hour last night from Ottawa, as to the request for the admission free of duty of pumps and other apparatus from the United States.

The representatives of wrecking corcerns have begun to arrive. Yesterday Capt, Haley, of Boston, representing the Red Star Towboat Company, came here. Captain Haley went down to the ship as soon as he could get there and spent most of the day, or as far as can be learned, the whole night on board. Gentlemen talked with Capt. Haley on the Superior say he expressed the opinion that no difficulty would be experienced

Men who made yesterday a careful examination of the ship, say that it her bottom, that being under the en- ties for North Sydney.

gine room amidships. The reason the water appeared in the other holds was that the doors of the various compartments were open. These doors were closed yesterday at low tide, and the result went very far to indicate that

In the probate court of Kings Co., yesterday, before Judge Gilbert, Sim-eon K. White, administrator, etc., of petitioned to pass accounts, and a citation was ordered, returnable Thursday, May 1st; L. Allison, proc-

Fred E. Sharpe of Belleisle will be a candidate for election to the seat at the municipal council vacated by the death of the late Councillor Gilbert Crandall.

Mrs. Joshua N. Smith, wife of Dr. Smith, is seriously ill. The services of Dr. Burnett have been called in.

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PARLIAMENT.

The Budget Debate Resumed Yes terday Afternoon.

tinued by Porter, conservative, of West Hastings, and Dr. Kendall, lib-eral, of Cape Breton, Dr. Kendall objects to retaliation against the Unit States, as that country might do great injury in return. For example the United States might shut out their hard coal from Canada by an expor duty. He read extensively to a that free trade had been a great bit to England and would not be aldoned. Dr. Kendall advocated construction of the Georgian Bay canal, and was rather fervid in his praise of Tarte. Fisher and other min-

OTTAWA, April 1.-In the evening Dr. Kendall of Cape Breton propounded the theory that free trade and direct taxation would be the right policy for Canada, but he did think that the time had yet come, customs tariff would for a time be sary to allow the industries of country to become more firmly es lished. When that time arrived, would suggest a tax on freemes would suggest a tax on incomes over \$750. Dr. Kendall referred to the exorbitant price charged for coal by the coal barons of Nova Scotia, and suggested that the government take constrol of coal production and sale.

Mr. Rosamond, conservative of Lanark, spoke briefly, beginning with the recovery that the success of the recovery

remark that the success of the present government in the management of the Intercolonial was not such as to make Intercolonial was not such as to make it desirable that ministers should extend their operations to coal minist. Mr. Rosamend went on to deal with Cartwright's statements that though our population had not increased greatly there had been a large gain in our commerce. He contended that this state of affairs was due to the fact that we should be making at home. That explained the fact that the populations are such as the contended that the state of affairs was due to the fact that we should be making at home. That explained the fact that the por lation in the eastern provinces of Cal ada did not increase and that Can dian artisans went abroad to produc in a foreign land goods for Canadia

ship Lake Superior.
J. N. Armstrong and D. D. Mac-Kenzie, M. P. P. for Cape Breton, are looks as if there was only one hole in here asking for better railway facili-

OTTAWA, April 2.- Answering Mr. Fowler, Hon. Mr. Muloek said no change had been made in regard to carrying mail from Round Hill to Armstrong's Corner.

Hon, Mr. Fisher stated that he had no official information in regard to imperial purchase of horses in the Northwest, but understood that Col. Dent was going to buy horses there. Hon. Mr. Fitzpatrick announced that the government proposes to settle the question of the exemption of C. P. R. land from local taxes by a test case in the name of some local municipal-

Mr. Pringle (conservative) of Corn-wall, resumed the budget debate, making a strong protective speech. He was followed by Mr. Turgeon (liberal) of Gloucester, N.B., who spoke in French, enthusiastically commending Blair's management of the Intercolonial and explaining away the Intercolonial de-

This evening the house was very thin on account of the ball at government

After private bills, Mr. Turgeon finished his address, and Lavelle (conservative) of Leeds and Grenville, continued the discussion in a thoughtful and argumentative speech with a strong imperial ring, though he came out squarely against imperial preference. Mr. Lavelle contended that Canada should contribute directly to imperial defence. He strongly condemned the course of the government, which was willing to send Canadians to fight. and die in Africa, but could not pay for their outfit, transportation or Thorne's Pure Ready-mixed Paint, money to build wharves on the private property of members of parliament, and to provide post offices in friendly

villages. Mr. McLaren (liberal) of Huntinga combination of pure don, followed.

NOTES.

SALT LAKE, Utah, April 3.— A bad freight wreck is reported to have occurred in Blue Rock Canon on the Southern Pacific railroad. Two freight trains came together in the canon, which is on the western slope of the Sierras, the cars being piled up so badly that traffic probably will be blocked for 24 hours. Several members of the train crew are reported killed or injured.

WOODSTOCK.

FOODSTOCK, N. B., April 2-A.s

Tair occurred here last night in the idden death of George Clarke, a bung man of this town, formerly of r so he had been employed in the Voodstock woodworking factory, the nechanical manager, with whom he of deceased. For the past few weeks Mr. Clarke had been in poor health and had not been able to work. Howevening he paid a visit to the house of a friend at the lower corner, and very shortly after entering the house was taken seriously iil. Drs. Sprague and Rierstead were summoned and did everything that could be done, but to no avail, and the young man soon ex-pired. The cause of death is said to have been heart disease. This after-moon the brother of deceased arrived and will take the remains by the early has been in Woodstock he has made a number of friends and his untimely death is deplored.

Miss Belle Gillen, daughter of Cha

Gillen of Hartford, died yesterday after an illness of a year or more from

FREDERICTON.

Projected Big Railway Raids or Provincial Treasury.

the public accounts committee today items relating to immigration were gone into. W. A. Hickman's item of \$5,520 was taken up. The auditor general explained that this account extended over a period of three years.

Mr. Humphrey asked for the auditor general's authority for paying the same, and the vouchers. The auditor general saidit was ordered to be paid general said it was ordered to be paid by the government, but he had no vouchers for the same other than the drafts which had been made by Mr.

ment and how expended, and the drafts accepted from Hickman were also presented. The other information will be asked for when the surveyor

general returns from St. John .

Mr. Humphrey said the hand book was full of errors and asked who inspected it. The provincial secretary said he understood Mr. Dunn inspected the book before it was printed. Mr. Humphrey said if the province had such a book printed it should be done in such a manner as would be ere ditable to the province. A good deal of money was expended on the book and it was not a credit to the province.

In regard to the lunatic asylum accounts, a letter was read from Mr. Boyne stating he would furnish a statement of the paying patients after statement of the paying patients after he had submitted the matter to the commissioners. Mr. Humphrey said he would like to have a statement to show what had been done. Mr. Quin-ton was present, but no question arose which required an explanation from him and he was dismissed. The committee thanked him for his attention and for the manner in which he fur-nished the information, and he in turn thanked the committee for their con-

sideration. Several city bills, including the St.
John library bill, were before the
municipality committee. No important
amendments were made.
Mabel A., second daughter of Prof.

John Brittain of the Normal School, was married at noon to Rev. Frank H. Bigelow, Anglican, of Natick, Mass. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Canon Roberts at St. Ann's church After luncheon at the home of the bride's parents the couple left by the C. P. R. for their future home at Na-Mont. M. Wiley, teller of the Roya

Bank of Canada here, and a very maintenance, while there was plenty of popular youg man was ordered today to report at the head office in Halifax, and leaves on the evening train. It is presumed he is to enter the head

Great quantities of ice and logs are running today. The water came up four inches last night.

In the railway committee this morning Mr. Lancaster's bill concerning railway cattle guards, which has occupled attention four mornings, was laid over for the session. The minister of railways recommended this action, promising to study the question and introduce legislation next year.

Petitions bearing hundreds of signatures from several counties in Nova Scotia were presented today asking for a grant towards the erection of a port of refuge between Digby Gut and the head of the Bay of Fundy. Many reasons were advanced why a grant should be given.

SALT LAKE, Utah, April 3.— A bad freight wreck is reported to have occurred. The council of the Board of Trade not yet formally come before the house.

Sch. Georgia, now at this port, goes to Machias to load for Grenada. After that she comes to Jacksonville to bring lumber to Dorchester.

BENNETT REMANDED

HAMPTON, Kings Co., April 3.-This brought before Magistrate J. W. Smith on remand from last Saturday R LeB. Tweedle, K. C., appeared for the prisoner and Philip Palmer for the implainant. There were also two witnesses present of those subpoenaed. namely, Mrs. Bennett, mother of com-plainant, and Harry Dempster, a young man who was present in Bennett's house at or immediately before the al-

Before the opening of the case Mr. Pweedie read from the St. John Daily Sun of Tuesday, April 2nd, what he regarded as a very wrong and injuri-ous statement to his client. It was the boast of every British subject that his country's laws declare every man innocent until proved to be guilty, but in this paper the case is forejudged and charges made of spiriting away the complainant and providing funds for her conveyance to some other place, together with a sister, who is said to be prepared to make other charges against his client. He denied that

interested in the examination.

Philip Palmer replied that he saw nothing in the reports of the press to complain of, but that on the contrary the statements were mild and reticent in view of all the facts which had come under his knowledge. The complainant had undoubtedly been spirited off but he did not charge either the pris-oner or his attorney with that offence. However, the circumstances had become so changed that although he had two witnesses present who he they might steal noiselessly up on the British. Col. Highes says he was there himself and that the Canadians behaved correctly.

The total number of Canadians who have died in South Africa since the commencement of the war is 207. It would appear from the detail that the contingent suffered a heavier loss from death than any of the other contingent. The first contingent suffered a heavier loss from death than any of the other contingent. The first Canadian contingent of Infantry lost 68 men from wounds and disease. The second contingent, consisting of Mounted Rides.

Mandolfo west Huron, Mr. Holmes, liberal of West Huron, Mr. Holmes, libe intended to examine, he felt it his within his own knowledge, the statements having been made personally to him when the information was laid. He therefore had no word of censur to say to the reporter or the editors of

Mr. Tweedie at once asked that the reporter and all other persons be excluded from the court, save the parties personally concerned.

The magistrate said that was a matter in his discretion, and at present he' saw no reason why the request should be complied with.

Mr. Tweedie then took the position that nothing had been produced before the court to show that the prosecuting attorney had taken any steps to have the case proceeded with, such as subpoenoing witnesses and hearing their evidence, nor was any affidavit offered as a ground for a further remand. Mr. Palmer said all had been done that was necessary, but he was not called on to prove it at this stage. He had shown reasonable grounds for his

demand for a remand. Mr. Tweedie intimated that Mr. Palmer seemed to be "running" the court. to which Magistrate Smith replied tha he did not propose that Tweedie, Pal-mer or anybody else should "run" any court over which he presided. He cautioned the attorney not to repeat any such insinuation or he would deal with it in another manner.

The magistrate remanded the prisoner to jail until Friday at 10 a.m.

LORD DUNDONALD

Of Ladysmith Fame Will Assume Co

MONTREAL, April 3.-The Star's London cable says: I have authority to state that Lord Dundonald of Ladythe Canadian malitia at the terminaappointment. In view of Lord Dunhas a tremendous belief in the citizensoldier as an increasingly important element in the defence of the empire, the state providing freely everything the state providing freely everything to secure his efficiency. He points to his experiences in Natal in the dark days of 1899-1900 as proof of the splendid work in the field civilian soldiers were capable of doing when formed into regiments under good regimental officers. He says that on the true recognition of the citizen-soldier depends the solution of one of the gravest po'llitical problems before our race. He dwells on the paramount importance of good shooting to make the empire safe. Such are the changed conditions of warfare, we must be a match for of warfare, we must be a match for an enemy at a thousand yards or more away. This is only to be attained by constant practice at rifle shooting. Lord Dundonald anticipates his work in Canada with the keenest interest. He fully appreciates the conditions of

Canadian life, which must guide him if possible to avoid the pitfalls of hi

age for publication: "Canadians wis men from the tops of their heads to explicit, there are persons with rifles, and men with rifles. When a general has men under him with rifles he knows what he can do and what risks he can take."

GLARKE-BLAIR.

morning Robert W. Bennett was Marriage at Ottawa Yesterday of Miss Marion Blair.

OTTAWA, April 2.—The marriage of Miss Marion Blair, eldest daughter of Hon. A. G. Blair, to C. Walter Clarke of St. John, N. B., took place at twoo'clock this afternoon in St. Andrew's. Church. The edifice was beautifully decorated with white and yellow flowers, daisies, white blac and daffodils being lavishly used. Rev. D. Herridge ple invited to witness the ceremony. The bride, who was given away by her father, was gowned in white crepe de-chine, with heavy pearl trimmings and veil of lace. She carried a bounuet of white roses. She was attended by her sister, Miss Amea Blair, as bridesmaid, the latter's gown being of white volle, with touches of black. A black hat completed the costume, and violets, were carried. The best man was Rev. C. D. Schofield of Hampton, N. B. At together with a sister, who is said to be prepared to make other charges against his client. He denied that either he or the prisoner had anything to do with the movements of these persons, and asked the magistrate to censure the reporter and caution him as to his report of the present proceedings. If this were not done, he would ask to have the court cleared of all persons except those immediately interested in the examination.

C. D. Schofield of Hampton, N. B. At the reception following the ceremony, Mrs. Blair was in black and white. Mrs. Slasin Was in black and white. Mrs. Slasin Thompson of Chicago was among the guests staying in the house. Mr. and Mrs. Clarke left on the four o'clock train for New York. The bride's going away gown was of black, strapped with silk and velvet and trimmed with sited passementerie. The hat she with steel passementerie. The hat she wore was of black.

Among the presents received was a sliver lewel casket, the gift of their excellencies the Governor General and Countess of Minto.

Among the invited guests were Lord and Lady Minto, ministers of the and Lady Minto, ministers of the crown and their wives, Sir Louis and Lady Davies, Mr. and Mrs. A. George Blair of St. John: Lady Ritchie, the Misses Ritchie, Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Randolph, Fredericton; Sir Oliver and Miss Mowat, Mr. and Mrs. George Mcenhein, New York; Mr. and Mrs. Brew-in, London, England; Rev. F. H. Brewin, Brighton.

HALIFAX STRIKERS FIRM.

HALIFAX, N. S., April 2.-The strike of the longshoremen is on as tight as ever. Nothing is being done tonight on three steamers at the I. C. R. piers, and when the Silvia, bound for New York, came in from Newfoundland tonight, only four non-union men turned up to look after her. The Allan liner Sardinian still has in her hold 75 tons of the 300 to be landed here. She should have sailed at noon today for Boston, but will not be able to get away till tomorrow night at the earliest. Her crew is worked all day

in place of the striking longshoremen. The Trades and Labor Council met tonight to discuss sympathetic measures, but nothing was given out of what was done. A representative of the International Longshoremen's Association is expected here tomorrow. Meanwhile the strikers and the steamship men both express confidence in the outcome. The employers talk of bringing men from abroad and the strikers say they feel sure that no sufficient number of non-union men to do the work can be obtained in this city or outside of it.

The demands of the strikers are as (1) That none but union men be employed, when available; (2) That the day scale of wages be 25c. per hour; (3) That the day begin at 7 a. m. and end at 6 p. m.; (4) That the night scale of wages be 30c. per hour; (5) That the night begin at 7 p. m. and end at 7 a. m.; (6) That 50c. per hour be paid from 7 p. m. Saturday until 7 a. m. Monday; (7) That work on the saturday of London cable says: I have authority m. Monday; (7) That work on stranded to state that Lord Dundonaid of Lady-smith fame will assume command of all time to count from the time the men leave the wharf until return to same, board included; (8) that when men are ordered out to work between tion of General O'Grady-Haly's term of office. Lord Dundonald is now at men are ordered out to work between Ascot awaiting the gazetting of his 7 p. m. and 7 a. m., all time shall count until ordered home, per hour, 30c.; (9) That meal hours be 7 to 8 a. m., 12 to donald's selection, I have turned up. That meal hours be 7 to 8 a.m., 12 to recent expressions of his views. He 1 noon; 6 to 7 p. m., 12 to 1, midnight; (10) That all meal hours be double time, and all succeeding hours, until sent home; (11) That we recognize the following as holidays of the year: 21st June, Thanksgiving Day, Christmas Day and Labor Day; (12) That double Day and Later Day; (12) That double time be paid from 7 p. m. of the eve of a holiday, until 7 a. m. after holiday.

The agents of the steamship lines all express themselves as being able to get along without conceding to the men's demands, as they say freights were never so poor as at present.

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Thos. Heffer will again begin opera tions in his new brick shed on the 14th Inst. The output for this year will be wice as large as previously. 'Mr. and Mrs. Frank Price of Hartford arrived in Sussex today on their

wedding tour. Harvey Freeze, lately in connection with the Bank of Nova Scotia here, is im town today. He intends going west mext week.

Rev. Mr. Cornwall preached his farewell sermons on Easter Sunday. In the morning his discourse was particularly addressed to the church members, and notwithstanding the heavy rain storm prevailing, a large number were present. The evening discourse took in the church and congregation, and owing to the cleared atmo a large audience was in attendance among which were members of various other churches. The speaker's words were based upon the text, "For I have not shunned to declare unto you the whole Gospel," his message being earmest and heartfelt, an especial appeal being made to the unconverted in bouching earnestness. Mr. Cornwall leaves St. Martins with the best wishes of the entire community, and leaves behind a clear record of an earnest, faithful minister, and a citizen pos-messing all the qualities of Christian

The members of the Roman Catholic church held a very successful pie social last evening in the Masonic hall. Music and dancing served as entertainment The pies sold rapidly and a handsom sum was realized towards church purposes. Father Coughlan, the resident olergyman, is very popular not only among his own people, but in the com-

munity. The sad drowning accident at Salmon River a few days ago, whereby Aubrey Roy, a young man respected by all who knew him, so suddenly lost his life, has cast a gloom and adds another to the already long list of young lives in St. Martins thus suddenly removed. Aubrey leaves a father and two brothers to mourn their loss. His mother died quite suddenly

some years ago. CENTREVILLE, Carleton Co., March 31.-Robert Stanlake of Knoxford settlement has sold his farm for \$1,000 to muel McGrath of the same place. Mr. S. will remove to Woodstock and

work at his trade On the 29th a heavy rain raised the streams to the spring freshet, and now the fields are entirely bare, with an early prospect of farming. The spring of 1846 was much like the present. After the 20th of March the snow was gone, river boats began their work and a toaded woodboat went out of the Grand Lake in April, something unknown in the previous history of navi-

and in doing so expressed his deep in-debtedness to Mr. King, the last incumbent of the office, for the very great kindness he had always shown and the careful regard to all matters of detail within the sphere of his legitimate duties, and frequently extending to matters which in reality lay without that sphere. He regretted exceedingly losing so painstaking and faithful an assistant, but at the same time congratulated him upon his election to the provincial legislature. He extended a cordial welcome to Mr. McIntyre and trusted he would prove a worthy successor to his predecessor Mr. McIntyre accepted the greeting with a courtly bow and a modest "I thank your honor."

The judge's orders continuing the January term to March 31st, and making the case of Carmichael v. Saunders a remanet of that court, with leave to have all matters, proceedings and evidence then taken produced and form part of the suit as though taken at the present sitting, were read, and riche cause ordered to be entered on the civil docket.

Mr. Fowler's absence at Ottawa made it necessary to adjourn the court to the second Tuesday in May next at 10 8. 20.

Last evening Lakeside division, So of Temperance, No. 420, elected the fol-lowing officers: James Sproule, W. P.; Margaret Evans, W. A.; J. Wesley Fowler, rec. sec.; Hattle L. M. Lodge, resst. rec. sec.; Fenwick W. Crawford, fin. sec.; Hattie MacMurray, treas.; Rev. W. W. Lodge, chap.; Harian F. Smith, con.; George Bell, asst. con.; Thos. Perkins, in. sen.; Edward Bell, °O. sen.; Florence Pritchard, supt. Y. P. W.; F. E. J. Pritchard and Lent

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Crawford, captains. The instalmen will take place next Monday, April 7th, when the grand worthy patriarch is expected to be present.

The remains of Mrs. Kelsoe, mothe of Mrs. J. Wm. Smith, were taken to Barnesville today for interment, Rev. Mr. Thompson of St. John conducting the service.

This has been a true April day, clouded at times, like the azure eye of beauty in tears, but with heaven's own blue peeping through, and the light of a smile to cheer and brighten Showers fell quite freely last night, but March went out as lamb-like as it came in, and today the birds are singing, the buds are bursting, and green things are pressing their tiny heads up see where all the warmth is coming from. Even the elms yielding to the mild forces of nature, and six weeks earlier than their wont. are covering every branch and limb and twig with pinkish brown swellings, which tell of coming foliage. Farmers and gardeners are also making an early start.

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gation.

Service was held in the Episcopal
church on Good Friday and Easter
Sunday. The holiday was not observed, as the stores and business
places were all open to the public.
Byron Alexander, who has been to
Wisconsin for five years, has returned
home for a visit. He expects to go
back in a few days.

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ST. ANDREWS, April 2.—On Tuesday
morning a very interesting ceremony took
place at the Church of St. Andrew in connection with the unveiling of the statue presented to the church by Jules S. Thebaud,
and placed in the niche prepared for its reception in front of the church.
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Miss May White, who has spent the winter in Maine, arrived home last week. The change of air has renewed there health.

The young people had a dance and oyster supper in the Opera House on Easter Monday.—Ed. Hoyt has erected a blacksmith shop on the lower street hear his own place.—W. J. Noble is precting a barn on his Knoxford farm.—C. E. Vall is finishing his house. When completed he will have an up to late residence.

HAMPTON, April 1.—The April term of the county court of Kings county opened this morning at 11 o'c'clock at the court house, Judge Wedderburn on the bench.

Immediately before the formal opening James M. McIntyre, barrister, read the commission under the provincial peal of March 7th, 1992, appointing him to the position of clerk of the county court of Kings county of the declaration that he had taken the she declaration that he had taken the she declaration that he had taken the she county court of St. John. Judge Wedderburn ordered the documents to be inscribed in the records of the courty court of Kings county of the county court of Kings county of the county court of Kings county. And also the she declaration that he had taken the she declaration that he had taken the she declaration that he had taken the she county court of St. John. Judge Wedderburn ordered the documents to be inscribed in the records of the courty court of Kings county of the county court of St. John. Judge Wedderburn ordered the documents to be inscribed in the records of the court. The word of the county court of St. John. Judge Wedderburn ordered the documents to be inscribed in the records of the court, and in doing so expressed his deep indebtedness to Mr. King, the last incumbent of the office, for the very yratic lindness he head calways shown is the provincial that the should be a supplementation on the beauty of the county court of St. John. Judge of the courty court of the county court of St. John. Judge of the courty court of St. John.

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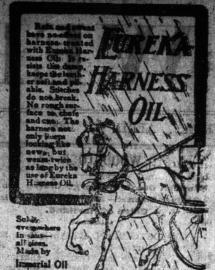
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DEATH OF RANDOLPH YERXA.

FREDERICTON, April 1.—Word was received, his morning of the sudden death at Amesbury, Mass, of Randouch Yerxa, son of Ludlow Yerxa, and brother to Mrs. (Rev.) F. Clarke Hart ley. Deceased was formerly in the grocesy business here and leaves a wife and three children residing here.

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RECENT DEATHS.

At Los Angles, Cal., on the 28th of February, the death occurred of Henry Hutchison, son of the late Isaa Hutchison, of Chipman, Queens county, leaving a wife and one daughter; also a mother, three brothers and two sis-

Mrs. John Howe of Case Settlement Kings county, passed away suddenly from pneumonia, after an illness of few days. Deceased was 48 years o age and leaves a husband and large

The last representative of an old and prominent St. John family died Tuesday at the Home for the Awed in the person of Miss Mary Lydia Wheeler daughter of the late Zalmon Wheel at one time cashier of the Bank of New Brunswick. The deceased was great aunt of W. J. Starr, who is her sole surviving relative. She was well and favorably known to the older residents of St. John and was one of the oldest members of Trinity where she worshipped regularly for many years.

The death occurred Tuesday the residence of his son, W. J. Lawson, 165 Metcalfe street, of William Lawson, formerly of English Settlement, and had been living in St. John for the last three years. Besides his son William he leaves three other sons, D. M. Lawson of St. Andrews street, St. John; A. C. M. Lawson of Salisbury, and Adam M. Lawson of Rhode Island; and two daughters, Mrs., Bessie A. Gamblin of English Settlement and Mrs. Hannah Gamblin of Collina Corner, Kings Co. His remains were taken to Annidale Station on the Central railway on Thursday, and thence

to his old home for interment. On March 26th, Mrs. Henry Smith of Salina passed to her reward, at the age of 86 years. She was born in Scotland on the estates of the Earl of Breadelbane, and came to this country with her father in the year 1816. She was a woman not given to filthy lucre, but a lover of hospitality, a lover of good men, soher, just, holy, temperate, holding fast the faithful word as she had been taught. She had been troubled for 16 years with nerve rheuma ism, which she bore with patience and fortitude. On Friday afternoon a large number of people came to the residence of Alexander Campbell to pay their last tribute of respect to the deceased and from the house they went to the church, it whose yard she now lie buried with her husband.

MARCH WEATHER.

meteorological condition throughout March were unexecptionally mild and spring like, the average temperature for the month being 35.9 against 29,8 for the same month last year, and a general average for March of 28.3 degrees. The highest this year was 49 on the 22nd, and the lowest 10 on the 9th. Last year the highest was 48.7, on the 22nd, and the lowest 1.05, on the 3rd. The total precipitation which includes rain and snow measured as rain, was for March this year greatly in excess of the average, the total being 8.90 inches. The average for March is 3.90 inches, and the meas urement for last year 3.21 inches From the 1st of the past month until the 6th bare ground prevailed, and there has not been a trace of snow on the ground since the 12th. March opened last year with 12 inches of snow on the level. The city sleighing was about gone on the 18th, but ice patches remained until the 22nd, and on the morning of the 30th half an inch of snow fell, which quickly disappeared

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A TEMPERANCE STORY.

(Philadelphia Press.)

"You seem rather hilarious today," the lathe remarked to the buzzsaw.

"Yes," replien the buzzsaw; "the man who uns me brought some whisky into the shop with him a little while aco."

"Well,"

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"Well, I took two or three fingers at histograms.

the life of Stephen T. Bennox for \$500 Chapman & Tilley, process, In the equity court yesterday moming, in the case of Stewart v. Free man, exclication was made for in-junction to restrain the plaintiff from proceeding in an electroment suit, and for specific performance of a contract for the sale of land? Court considers. J. C. Hartley and D. McLeod Vince K. C.: appeared for the plaintiff, and Allison B. Connell, K. C., for the de

In Forbes, administrator, etc., Rob ert Reed estate, v. Porbes, executor estate of Amelia Reed et all C N. Skinner, K. C., moved to take the bill pro-confesso against the defendants, Annie Dimock and Margaret Givan for want of a plea answer or demurrer, Macrae & Sinclair consenting. Motio

Like motion was made by W. Watson Allen, K. C.; in the case of Robertson v. Forbes, administrator, etc., Robert Reed estate, et al. Macrae & Sin-clair consenting.

At chambers, before Justice Mc Leod, application was made by A. L. Trueman, K. C., for a rule nisi for certiorari, to bring up a conviction under the Canada Temperance Act of one Patrick, Kelley, had before Daniel Crilley, police magistrate of St. Ste-Application granted. McLeod v. Currey has been settled the defendant paying plaintiff \$450. C. J. Coster for plaintiff; Attorney Gen. eral Pugeley and A. W. Baird for de

AUTHOR OF BEN BOLT.

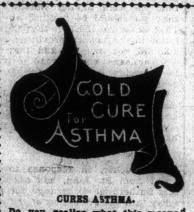
Thomas Dunn English Died Yesierday in Newark, N. J.

NEWARK, N. J., April 1.—Dr. Thomas. Dunn English, author of Ben Bolk died at his home in this elty today. He was born in Philadelphia in 1819, and graduated from the University of Pennsylvania as, a, doctor of medicine in 1898.

No more fitting epitaph could be placed on Thomas Dunn English's tomb than this: "He wrote 'Ben Bolt.'" The song appeared in the New York Mirror, N. P. Willis' paper, in 1843, and is known the world over. Du Maurier's "Trilby' revived interest in it a few years ago. The velexan poet, physician, lawyer and ex-congressman celebrated his eighty-second birthday in Newark, N. J., last June.

Don't you remember sweet Alice, Ben Bolt, Sweet Alice whose hair was so brown; Who wept with delight if you gave her a smile And trembled with fear at your frown? In the old churchyard in the valley, Ben Bolt, In a corner obscure and alone, They have fitted a slab of the granite so gray.

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If all the beautiful creations of this universe, whether of history, poetry, music, art, sculpture or song; whether in dream, vision or fact, from the little bud when its open petals are drinking in the sunbeam and the dew, the finest of all creation has always

petals are drinking in the sunneam and the dew, the miest of an observable been a woman.

It is that creation which makes it possible to look into the beautiful eyes of love and say: "My wife;" which makes it possible for the little children nestling on the bosom of affection playing with the fallen looks from the weary brow, as it looks up into the eyes of love, to say, "My mother," that creation which makes it possible for the gray-haired grandsire in the evening of life as its shadows reach to the coffin and encircle his grave, to look into two bright eyes while arms of love encircle his neck, and say, "My daughter."

daughter."

In the last court of review, when the sun steps forward and says, "I was created to shine and have shone as I was commanded to do." Then man will step forward as vain just as vain as he was on earth, and say, "Here am I. I have civilized the world; I have builded palaces for the rich and cottages for the poor; I have bridged rivers and tunnelled mountains." And by the side of that man in that day, will stand another grander, more beautiful than he; she who walked by his side, who nursed him is sickness, and caressed him in her love, who wept over him in his fears, who shared with him all his trials. And as I look into her face I see my mother, my sister, my wife, my daughter: Woman! Woman! Woman!

wife, my daughter: Woman! Woman! Woman!

My greatest delight is to see the happiness of others; in deing them good; in allewisting sufferings. My life is one tong round of trying to help many human beings out of their trials, troubles and sufferings. The greater amount of good I can do, the fuller will be my reward in the Great Hereafter.

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COLONIAL WIT.

Towards the end of last month, says a writer in Today, the Railway Pioneer Regiment (a volunteer force composed of mining Towards the end of last month, says a writer in Today, the Railway Pioneer Regiment (a volunteer force composed of mining and mechanical engineers from the Rand) were engaged in constructing a "deviation" line at one of the many drifts where De Wethad busled himsel; in converting the bridge into scrap-iron. Close by the river was a large "surprisingly clean" Boer farm house, which was promptly occupied by the corps commanding officer, an uitlander, whose yearly salary at Johannesburg in ante-bellum days ran into thousands of Oom Paul's sovereigns. A whisper as to his comparatively luxurious quarters reached, in an evil moment, over-crowded and comfortless Bloemfontein, and before many hours the colonel was favored with a service telegram which read: "The D. O. R. wants your house." The erstwhile Randite, puzzled beyond measure, handed the cryptic message to his adjutant, who, after much searching which read: "The D. O. R. wants your house." The erstwhile Randite, puzzled beyond measure, handed the cryptic message to his adjutant, who, after much searching of a fortunately available Army List, gave as his version that "the director of railways, Colonel Girouard, is going to commandeer our house." "Will he?" said the indignant Anglo-Afrikander; "no bully 'blue-nose' is going to turn us out on the veldt. If he can sling round a bucketful of capital letters, so can I. Just telegraph back 'The D. O. R. can G. T. H." The next day he received another communication from the Orange Colony's capital, ordering him to present himself before a board of inquiry. At it he was requested to explain what he meant by forwarding such a grossly insulting message to an imperial officer of high rank. "There must be surely some terrible error in transmission," said the innocent person from the Golden City; "I hope I am incapable of insulting any brother officer, and" (with an infinitessimal contraction of his left eyelid) "least of all a brother colonial." "But," said the president of the board, "your wire runs, "The D. O. R. can G. T. H.' Now, telling anybody to go to that region means in the service a court martial." "Quite so," responded the colonel, "but you see the message meant, 'The Director of Railways can Get the House!" Tableau.

ST. PAUL, Minn., April 2.—The Great Northern lifted its blockade early today, bringing in its overland train from the Pacific coast in three sections. The Northern Pacific blockade from the floods was nearly as long as its recent snow blockade, which lasted one week. The interruption of traffic was the longest the system has ever sustained. In the meantime the Canadian Pacific has been running as usual.

A ST. JOHN MAN'S SUCCESS.

The many friends in this city of James W. Gerow, for years captain of the late ship Minnie H. Gerow, and son of George W. Gerow, auctioneer, will be pleased to hear that he has been appointed manager of the United Cigarette Machine Co., Ltd., an English concern with a capital of £750. 000, with headquarters at Lynchburg, Virginia. The Lynchburg News of March 27th says in its report of the annual meeting: "A dividend of 5 per cent. was declared. The audited accounts showed that after the payment of this dividend there will be left on the net earnings an undivided surplus of something over 26,000 pounds sterling. . . At a board meeting held immediately after the adjournment of

the shareholders' meeting, Captain J. W. Gerow was elected chairman of the company for the ensuing year." This is pretty quick promotion, and speaks volumes for Mr. Gerow's ability. He went with the company last July, in three months was made superintendent of the machine shops; a little later an American secretary; a month ago was elected a director of the company, and is now its chairman, or president.

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OTTAWA, March 25.-The budget debate has continued for more than a week, and after Wednesday it will be postponed until the week following Easter. Should it continue all that week it will still be shorter than the average budget debate of old times. A number of members have no other opportunity to make a speech for circulation except on the budget debate Usually the long debate takes place either on the address or on the hudget, each occasion allowing wide liberty of discussion.

Mr. Bell of Pictou is one of the good speakers of this parliament and usually adds something to a discussion. It was rather expected that he would poke some fun at Sir Richard Cartwright and Mr. Charlton, in connection with their latest difference of opinion. But Mr. Bell was serious, and his speech was in the main A quiet and dignified argument. His analysis of political history goes to show that the first real differences of policy on party lines in Canada arose over the question of the taniff. Before that there was the union and confusion of two parties over confederation, and a new line of division over the Pacific scandal, both temporary questions. On the fiscal policy the two parties first joined issue in support of fixed principles. For twenty years this was the line of division.

Today it is certain that the conserwative party is still protectionist. The liberal party has ahandoned the tariff what its present policy is. Mr. Bell tariff which Mr. Fielding brought platform of 1893. It is not so clear! remarked that every man but iwo who had spoken on the government side advocated protection on certain lines and on industries carried on in his constituency. The time had come when the government party as an organization should make a declaration of faith. Sir Wilfrid and his ministers should have a declared policy.
What that policy would be no one could tell, for there was no agreement in the speeches of ministers. Sir Richard Cartwright says he has not changed his views, and he still deprotection. The particular dounces protection. denined most vigorously are embodied in the present tariff with his authority. Mr. Tarte openly declares himself a protectionist and professes to he sowing the seeds of protection in the ministerial ranks. Mr. Fielding suggests more protection next year. It would be honest and straightforward for the ministers to declare what they believed and what they intend to do. In the meantime Mr. Bell argues strongly in favor of a further advance in the direction of the national policy. He joins those who desire the control of our own markets, and especially deprecate the transfer of that control to the United States.

The member for Pictou is strenuous in his plea for closer relations with Newfoundland and the British West Indies. He maintains that Newfoundland naturally belongs to the Canadian confederation, and that every reasonable inducement should be held out to that colony to join us. He cannot see that the dominion is taking any steps toward that object and sees

the United States. Nor is there any sign that the government is seeking closer connection with our sister colonies to the south. These islands contain a market naturally calling for Canadian goods. They supply products that we want. We should take advantage of this time when the West Indian subjects of the King are troubled over their own of other countries and courted by United States emissaries. We should hold out the hand of comradeship and offer them a welcome to our own brother-

spoke later in the evening, Sir Richard Cartwright heard a number of unpleasant truths. They confronted him with a number of false quotations, and incorrect citations, which he has been using to support his charges against the late census and the late government. His own argument that the last five years has shown a larger increase of population than the previous five has been badly demolished. It is, in fact, not sustained by any statistics that can be produced. There ought to be some ground for the contention, since we have had a succession of fine crops, large development in the Yukon. the beginning of considerable enter-prises in Cape Breton. But, as op-nosed to that it has been a time. posed to that, it has been a time of to a question of privilege, supporting great prosperity in the United States, his quotation by reproducing the old where capital, industry and energy are more artisans, and Canada has fur- he showed unmistakeable signs of annished them in considerable quantities. The census returns of the New England states, the customs returns of the Meantime Mr. Borden explained that only place in the world where a gov-

turns for elections, the st shool statis- ernment. The public money tics, and other sources of information for these returns, and Mr. Borden have been ransacked, and they all go to show that Canada has not gained more population in the last five years

events. His eager-asserti on that reci-procity could be had by an intelligent government in a few mo oths, his fine corn of the uselessness of the departent of trade and com merce, which has become still more us sless since he occupied it, his furious d enunciation of an expenditure many mill dons less than it is now, his herror of lantercelonial deficits, his attacks on I setty extrawagances and acts of , job' bery that are trifling compared with t hose that are daily exposed, in the rec ord of at least three of his colleagues, his satirical nce to nepotism co asidered in the ight of the facts that he shas now few near relatives that are I lot in the pubic service, are all very interesting to recall but not perhaps a greeable to Sir Richard. However, he endures it, and looks as pleasant as po ssible, reminding one of the remark of the venerable Samuel Pepys, who, attending the execution of some of the regicides, saw them hanged and cut into quarters, and observed that they looked as cheerful as could be expected under

cepted the challenge to declare conomic oreed. He remarked, no loubt with great frankness, that his creed was a belief that the government would do what is right in the matter, which seems to mean that whatever the government may choose to do will be satisfactory to Mr. Johnston. Most of this budget speech was a commendation of Mr. Fielding and of the statesmanship which created the Dominion Coal Co. Whatever may be said as to that, it hardly needs to be argued that such legislation would hardly be possible or successful without the conditarial which Mr. Fielding and the other ministers now in office, always excepting Mr. Tarte, denounced, but which they have humbly accepted and continued. The Dominion Iron and Steel Co. would also be impossible had not this government adopted the system of iron and steel bounties which every minister of them denounced. Mr. Johnston's manner is quiet and easy and there is nothing offensive, though there is much that is inaccurate, in his presentation of the case. At the end he was led astray by a preceding espeaker, and quoted the statement of Sir Charles Tupper made when Mr. Fielding brought down his tariff of 1897. Sir Charles declared that this tariff would destroy many Canadian industries and cripple the industrial machinery of the dominion. Mr. Johnston observes that this prediction has not been carried but, but he did not know that the flown in his budget of 1897, was abansoned and utterly demolished by Mr. Fielding himself before it was a month old. When he took it into committee he suggested that there were some changes to make and submitted a new tariff with an entirely different scale of duties, restoring in part the had been changed in the original budget. Following is a partial list of the

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These are some of the increases. The decreases included cotton silk manufactures, steel tubes for bicycles, pig lead, wire for fence manufacturers, brass wire, spring steel for factories, steel for tool makers, scrap iron, scrap steel, structural iron and steel, wood veneers, glycerine for factories, and grindstones. S. D. S.

OTTAWA, March 26 .- The little dispute between Sir Richard Cartwright, Mr. Borden and Mr. Bell is chargeable to the Knight. It grows out of the fact that the Canadian Year Book great danger in the present policy of deals slightly in estimates. The same drift, which necessarily throws New- is true of the trade and navigation foundland into closer sympathy with tables issued by Mr. Paterson and the tables of trade and commerce sent out by Sir Richard himself. The census is taken only once in ten years, and the government statisticians have thought it necessary to publish the amount of taxation revenue, expenditure and so on per head of the population. To make up the figures it is necessary to estimate a population for each year, and this is done by adding an annual increment proportionate to future, hampered by the competition the gain of the ten years recorded in the previous census. When the next census is taken, these figures may be found wrong, as happened in 1891 and 1901. In late editions of the Year Book the population figures, as estimated for previous years, were revised, and the From Mr. Bell and Dr. Sproule, who table covering previous years is now based on the returns of late censuses.

Mr. Borden quoted correctly from this revised edition, which is therefore as accurate as any figures can be. Sir Richard assumed that Mr. Borden was using the uncorrected statement, and amid the hurrahs of his followers pointed out that these figures had been Mr. contradicted by later censuses. Bell, who spoke after Sir Richard, showed the difference between the figures the knight had quoted and those actually found in the hand book used by Mr. Borden. It was a clear the industries have called for book which Mr. Borden had not used, ger. Mr. Bell will probably attend to the minister when he comes back.

they all go thought he might be excused as a not gained young member for placing some relia-st five years ance on official statements. But if Sir Richards insisted that the returns is-sued by himself and his colleagues were untrustworthy, Mr. Borden would accept whis statement. He only re-minded Sir Richard that it was the minister himself who was falsifying

the government record. The budget debate yesterday was mostlykin the hands of new members Mr. Hackett of Prince Edward Island is a weteran and is able to recall his own attion in supporting the extens of the Dominion to the Northwest and the Pacific Rallway contract, but the other four members for Prince Edward Island are now in their first parliament. Mr. Hackett is therefore some sinformation. For instance, he can remind them that there would not be much occasion for government boasting over the large trade produced from western crops and western min erals Mf the conservative party had taken their opponents' advice and stayed out of that country. Nor is there much to be claimed for the pre sent government in the development of the dairy industry in Prince Edward Island, since that was set on foot by the previous ministry. This government, while spending half as much again as the previous ministry, has not opened up for Canada or Can farm products a single new market on the face of the world, though it has had something to do with the closing of old ones. It had started out on some undertakings, but they had all failed; and even the simple and necessary enterprise of providing transpor tation for Prince Edward Island products to the British market had been inefficient.

Mr. Kemp of Toronto made a speech which has already been quite fully reported. It was a strong imperial de liverance and was warmly applauded on the opposition side of the house. Col. Denison or George Parkin would have been delighted both with the speech and its inception if the message had been as welcome to the government as it was to the opposition. Mr Kemp has no sympathy with the statement of Sir Wilfrid Laurier that there is nothing left to be reformed. He says: "There is the question of the exodus, the question of defence, the question of purity in public elections, the question of purchasing supplies and doing public works by tender, the question of economical administration, the question of freight rates on farm and other products, the building up of our foreign trade in ratio to that of the United States, of improving our transportation facilities so that our produce may go out via Canadian instead of United States ports. There is a question of inducing Germany to stop discriminating against our farm products and of framing our trade policy to give more employment to our own people. We require a definite policy

Mr. Bourassa does not agree with Mr. Kemp. He says he is a protec-tionist because Canada has to be protectionist, but on this point he is an opportunist, believing that we are faced with conditions and not principles. Free trade may be good for Great Britain and protection good for the United States. If so, both are justified and Canada should take the policy that is good for Canada. But Mr Bourassa does not believe in the imperial preference. The original preferwhich gave good terms to countries that give good terms to us suited Mr. Bourassa, but the government abandoned that, and is no longer entitled to quote Rudyard Kipling's words:

"I favor those who favor me, Said our Lady of the Snows."

There is a good deal of horse sense in Bourassa's discussion of the trade situation. He says that Britain gives us the same terms as it gives other countries, and therefore we owe Britain no special tariff rates. A country which should give Canada a 30 per cent. tariff and other countries 40 per cent. might deserve a return in kind from us, but a country which admits our goods free and does the same with all foregn countries is no particular friend of ours so far as trade conditions go. Therefore he claims that Germany has only acted as a reasonable country would in applying its highest tariff to our goods and its lowest tariff to those of the United States. There is a fallacy in Mr. Bourassa's contention about Germany since it ignores altogether our imperia relations, but there is no fallacy in his contention that we get no corresponding return from Britain for our prefer-

Mr. Bourassa rather laughs at the idea of Sir Richard that protection and corruption go together. It it were so there would be enough protection in the present tariff to make it dangerous. The member for Labelle points out that the charges of corruption against the late government referred mostly to the construction of public works and ac-cording to Sir Richard's argument we should abandon these enterprises. Mr. Bourassa rather hinted than stated that a contrary course had been adopted, and that the element of corruption was not wanting. He rather chaffed Sir Richard at his want of confidence in the virtue of his own government, and offered his services as a counsel to defend the morality of the ministry against the attack of the senior minister.

Mr. Bourassa claims that France is the country which shows the greatest prosperity in the world and makes an shown partly in its trade, but far more in the fact that it is a country shown equally in all parts of the country, urban and rural. Everywhere wealth is distributed with more equality than in other countries. It is the transfer of settler's effects, Mr. Cote's for his part he had simply used the ernment requiring a national loan is

the dark days following the German war the immense public loan required vas subscribed by the common people.

Mr. Bourassa claims that the prefer-ential tariff is protective, but it is the British and German manufacturer whom it protects against the Canadian. Most of the gains go to middlemen in England and no benefit comes

After this Mr. Bourassa got on his old theme, his opposition to imperialism and what the called "sentimental-He thinks that "this craze" will not last very long, and by and by we shall be determined not to repeat the experiment of interfering in British wars. He has studied recent histery with a strong anti-English bias and has raked up a great catalogue of injuries which England has done us. Only Sir Richard Cartwright has been able to equal this record, for it will be remembered that he once produced the same array of charges, coupled with the statement that "we owe England nothing but forgiveness."

Mr. Bourassa seems to think w

fairly owe her that much. He accuses England, meaning of course Great Bri-tain, of neglecting our interests in the matter of the Alaskan boundary. He charges that imperial statesmen have selfishly refused to respond to our in vitation to give us a trade preference He says that England has compelled Canada to pay for five-eighteenths of the cost of an imperial cable that will not benefit us at all, but is solely for imperial purposes. England having secured our pledge, has gone on to violate her own by renewing the old arrangement with a rival cable enterprise. He represents Chamberlain as asking for soldiers from Canada and at the same time refusing even to consider a question of reciprocal trade with Canada. He accuses him of taking young men from the country who should be developing Canada, and causing their blood to be spilt in Africa, and at the same time refusing to encourage emigration to this coun try rather than to the United States Mr. Bourassa scolds Mr. Chamberlain and the London Times and several other culprits for their allegation that Canada is a cold country, disagreeable to settlers who are accustomed to a temperate latitude, and unsuitable to Weish folk now settled in Patagonia.

Mr. Bourassa is a type of one class of Quebec politicians. He ventures to say in English in the house of commons what Mr. Tarte and his friends say in French to their compatriots. But Mr. Bourassa and Mr. Tarte have certainly no right to find fault with Mr. Chamberlain or British statesmen who decline to offer Canada reciprocal trade. They may be unwise and narrow, but at least Canadian supporters of Sir Wilfrid Laurier have no right to condemn them. Mr. Chamberlain based upon the necessities of the coun- is doing exactly what Sir Wilfrid Lautry, and we should endeavor to frame rier asked him to do. He is adhering a trade policy within the British empire based upon reciprocal trade preference which will bring us into closer touch with its 400,000,000 inhabitants and render as more independent in used the British government not to impose a duty on breadstuffs or establish any system of protection. Sir Wilfrid went still farther, and told the home government that the imperial preference and the Canadian tariff was not the last word from Canada, but was the first step towards a policy of complete free trade such as England had found so advantageous. Sir Wilfrid has never taken back this language. He wears, or at least retains, the Cobden medal which was his reward for the above declaration. It would be a remarkable thing if Mr. Chamberlain should conclude without direct authority that Sir Wilfrid was leceiving him and really desired a return of preference for preference. That would be a great incivility to the Canadian government. Mr. Bourassa has forgotten the Jubilee.

> Hamilton McCartny, the sculptor who executed the soldiers' monument at Halifax, has now on exhibition at his studio here two works of art that are much admired. They are intended to commemorate the part taken in the South Africa war by citizens of Ottawa and Prince Edward Island. The Ottawa figure represents a Canadian soldier dressed in khaki, waving his hat at the moment of victory. The attitude and expression are lifelike and striking. The Prince Edward Island figure is that of a Canadian soldier, also clad in khaki, in the free list, but Mr. Barton is having his act of using his bayonet to defend a own time over trade questions and gun over which he stands. Every muscle of face and body is set for his work. That he has a dangerous job on hand is settled not only by his evident determination, but from the fact that his sleeve is hanging in shreds from the effect of a shell explosi These figures are to be reproduced in bronze and mounted on suitable pedestals. The site for the Ottawa monument has, I believe, not been selected, but it is understood that the Charlottetown memorial figure will face the Queen's square gardens of that city, and will bear an inscription of the names of the members of the Prince Edward Island contingent who fell in South Africa. S. D. S.

OTTAWA, March 27.-The day before Raster adjournment is generally dull enough in the house, Yesterday, even the sparkling invective of Mr. Bourassa and the radiant humor of Mr. Fra-ser of Guysboro were unequal to the task of dispelling the solemnity. Mr. Bourassa went on with his bill of charges against the imperial govern-ment. Mostly his complaint was over the refusal of the imperial ministers to consider the request of Canada for reciprocal tariff. He told how Mr. Cham-berlain had determined to maintain the traditional trade policy of the kingdom, how Sir Michael Hicks-Beach had declared free trade to be a permanent policy, and generally how the icy shoulder had been exposed to the claim of Canada. Only fine compliments and numerous expressions of gratitude came to us in exchange for our tariff preference, and our gift of blood to the Empire.

Mr. Bourassa admitted incidentally

was strictly actioning the advice of the caution to retain the synchronic premier of Canada. Mr. Chamberlain Mr. Tarte by supporting was doing what Sir Wilfrid Laurier heeged him to do. But then, according sto Mr. Bourasse, the times have changed. He did not state in what way the comradeship on the journey. He exlined that we were a little behind but were coming to free trade as it was in England, and the preference was the first step. How could any change of time or circumstance affect this counsel and declaration?

Moreover, if the imperial governmen ever thought of returning preference for preference, it must have been confrented with the votes of the Canadian parliament. On every occasion when the house here divided on the subject the majority has declared against an imperial preference, and all our ministers have voted against it. Mr. Bour-assa has voted with them. Why should he expect Mr. Chamberlain to thrust a responsive preference upon Canada against the last advice received from the Canadian premier in the face of ecessive votes of the Canadian par-

Mr. Fraser addressed a thinner house. He was not very serious in his mode of discussing the subjects of the budget, and was not taken too seriously. But if any minister is greedy of praise, or if the whole government together desires a hearty and whole sale expression of implicit, abiding and childlike confidence and admiration, Mr. Fraser's speech fills the bill. If there is anything in the gift of this government which is due to unswerving loyalty, and outspoken and impetuous devotion, Mr. Fraser ought to have it. He explained that under the beneficent regime of Sir Wilfrid the sun is shining more benignly on all, the fields have yielded a larger increase, prosperity abounds on every hand, and the last winter the Nova Scotia robins were tempted by the amiable climate to remain instead of seeking their southern haunts. Going into details, Mr. Fraser told of a steel company whose securities or stock had increased in value from 20 cents to \$3. He did not explain what the government had done to improve the business of making steel, but it was easily in ferred from his argument. Mr. Fielding might have carried out his promises and reduced the duty or abolished the bounty. He retained both duty and bounty, as they were before. In short, the Fielding policy has saved the life of the steel industry the way pins have saved the lives of many people, that is by not sticking in them.

The bottom seems to have fallen out of Mr. McKinnon's claim that he has rescued the province of Prince Edward Island from a loss of \$4,000 a year reduction in subsidy. Or if he saves the credit he makes a strong reflection on the vigilance of the attorney general and the premier of the province. It turns out that the subsidy has been paid right along on the old basis, so that there is no loss up to this date. The government at Ottawa had not intended to make a reduction on account of the loss of population, but the auditor general threw out a suggestion that a reduction ought to be made. The finance department asked the Island premier what he thought about it, and that minister did not take the trouble to answer. Thus the matter stood when Mr. McKinnon and the minister of justice had their discussion, and the minister of justice decided that a province which suffered a loss of population was not required on that account to give up part of the subsidy. Mr. Fitzpatrick would probably have reached that conclusion if he had not seen Mr. McKinnon. He would have had to decide the matter one way or the other, and it may be assumed that he would give a correct interpretation. Still he was entitled to some reply and argument from the government of Prince Edward Island, which seems to be too much engage in rescuing its friends from the penalties of corruption to be able to attend

to the interests of the public. After a year the correspondence between Mr. Mulock and the Australian premier has been produced. As the ate Mr. Pope would have observed "there ain't nothing to it." Mr. Mulock threw out various suggestions about a mutual preference and an enlarge free list, but Mr. Barton is having his declined to complicate the problem already sufficiently involved. The Australian government will have something to say about it at coronation time. If one may judge by the debates which are reported in the Sydney and Melbourne papers, there is very little prospect of Australia going far. The last journals received here are dated toward the end of February, and show that the tariff question in Australia is the most difficult problem that confronts the new commonwealth. It is going in for protection on advanced lines, but there is a very strong anti-protection party and a great number of sectional protectionist parties. The states have not yet learned to work well together, and each locality has its own set of indus tries affected by tariff legislation.

We are not to have Mr. Bergeror with us this session. Twice he had been defeated since the general elec-tion less than a year and a half ago but each time he has undertaken to capture a seat and has cut down the majority to one half. The St. James division of Montreal will soon be open again through the exposure of the ballot stuffing operations by which Mr. Bergeron was defeated. Possibly he may attack that seat once more and attempt to destroy the other half of the government majority. His opponent in Beauharnois owes his election to the electors of Valleyfield, the largest town and centre of a great cotton industry. Mr. Tarte has always stated that he saved these cotton mills by preventing the government from reducing the tariff. At all events the government is in power and the Valparish circulars, the registration re- figures authorized by the present gov- able to obtain money from servant that the government at Westminster leyfield Cotton Company took the pre-

caution to retain the sympathy of date. Outside of Valleyfield Mr. Bergeron had a good majority. Of course there was a discussion on race and resegged him so Mr. Bourassa, the times nave the sed. He did not state in what way the echange, had come or what it was. Sir schange, had come or what it was. Sir wilfrid's statement at London shuts out a possibility of change. If we have seent troops to Africa, Sir Wilfrid offered them at the Jubilee, though he repented of the offer afterwards. His field and canvassed from house to house. The minister of inland revenue put in most of his time there during the campaign. Mr. Carroll, the next the campaign. Mr. Carroll, the next the campaign. Mr. Carroll, the next the campaign. with diligence, and the minister of agriculture put in his word. Mr. Tarte's Patrie conspicuously reminded the people of Valleyfield that they were asking for important public works, and told them that if they expected to get any consideration they must support Mr. Tarte's candidate. La Patrie opened out a furious attack on Mr. Monk, who addressed a meeting at St. Etienne. The paper charged that Mr. Monk had been accused of wearing European clothes and said that he sought to prove the contrary by indecently exhibiting his overcoat made of the skins of bears which he himself had shot, showed that his other coat was made in Montreal, and proceeded to disrobe in order to convince the audience that he wore Canadian shirts. Mr. Monk says it is false and proposes to stop the personal campaign against him by suing La Patrie for \$10,000 damages. It may be stated that Mr. Monk's party get a majority in St. Etienne.

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WHY MANITOBA WENT AGAINST PROHIBITION.

Returns from the Manitoba referendum are incomplete, but there appears to be no doubt that a majority of the ballots cast are against prohibition. The conditions called for a sixty per cent. majority in the case of a small wote to constitute an effective decision in favor of the existing prohibitory law. But the actual majority is apparently the other way. This is a very different story from the two plebiscites in which Manitoba prohibitionists scored handsome majorities.

It is easy to explain the change without assuming that the people have changed their opinions, though probably some have modified their The referendum was not accepted by the prohibition organizations and many prohibitionists refused to recognize it. A meeting of the Manitoba branch of the Dominion Alliance disputed long over the question whe ther temperance people should go to the polls or not. It was finally decided to issue no instructions on the matter. The president, however, publicly recommended prohibitionists to abstain from voting, and many temperance organizations adopted resolutions to the same effect. In Winnipeg, those in favor of prohibition seem to have largely refrained from voting, and the same course was adopted in some other towns, while in certain comp large "yea" vote was polled. There is a strong feeling in Mahitoba as well as in Ontario that the referendum is repugnant to British constitutional doctrine, and in both provinces the prohibitionists have reason to complain that they are victims of a breach

But the result of this vote probably means the end of prohibition in Manitoba for some years to come.

THE COMING ONTARIO ELEC-THONS.

Within a few days the province of Ontario will be intensely interested in the election of a new legislature to take the place of the house now dissolved by the expiration of time. For more than thirty years the people of that province have been ruled by the same party. The government led at first by Mr. Blake and afterwards by Sir Oliver Mowat, Mr. Hardy and Mr. Ross has never been broken up, and only changed in so far as the change of premiers required. Sir Oliver Mowat was premier for nearly a quarter of a century, and in that position proved himself to be a practical administrator and an accomplished tac-Mcian. He personally stood with the class of people who emphasised the moral and religious and temperance element in statesmanship, while his wicked partners by controlling saloon licenses secured the liquor vote. When he left the government in 1896 to be come a federal minister, his successor had a good majority in the legislature In the previous federal election Ontario was about evenly divided, but the liberal party claimed a majority

Two years later Mr. Hardy dissolv ed the legislature and appealed to the country. For the first time since 1871 the Ontario government had the support of a dominion government in provincial contest. Sir Wilfrid Laurier and Mr. Hardy appeared on the same platform and addressed cam meetings together. The prethat the premier of Ontario was the right arm of his own government. The and the patronage of both administra-tions was used so far as it could be made available. In the end the Hardy jority of four seats in a house of over ninety, and it was subsequently shown most of his time to his private busi-

in the province.

time, as far as Ontario was concerned, they were badly beaten. The ninety-two federal ridings elected three paid heads of departments. fifty-seven conservatives to thirtyfive liberals

last provincial contest." The issues are much the same except that prohibition and the referendum enter into the present contest.

One of the most remarkable articles that has been published in the Paris press for some time appeared recently n the Figaro, under the signature of George Duruy, on the teaching conveyed by the South Africa war. This M. Duruy sums up in the simple words. 'Never despair." The writer recalls

the repeated reverses suffered by the British at the commencement of the ca majen, and after reminding his readers that far from inducing them to abandon the war, they only nerved them to more determined action, he expresses the hope that if the French had been in the same position as the English, they would have acted in the same way, but, he adds, "However, our wounded amour propre would have certainly required explatory victims and I doubt whether those victims would have been refused it." M. Duruy continues: The English did not recriminate or demand the disgrace of anyone, and generals vanquished at Colenso and Magersfontein remained in possession of their respective commands. All that was done was the appointment of a new commander-in-chief, Lord Roberts, who organised victory. It was then imagined

the war was virtually terminated, and after the return to England of Lord Roberts, the territories of the former South African republics were transformed into an immense Vendee. The English people may have felt exasper ation, because the work had to be all recommenced; but without showing any signs of weakness they undertook the gigantic work of the creation of lines of blockhouses, extending hundreds of kilometres. While Lord Kitchener was thus occupied, the Figaro writer says "England without a murmur break enormous savings-box, out of

which the gold flows over all the kets of Europe and America. England buys without counting all the forage world. And among that nation of crease in the debt and the announcepractical merchants, only yesterday so no one, or almost no one, was foun to blame that unbounded prodigality which is still draining the savings o The people seem to say, Let our finances perish rather than our prestige.' It may be objected that these sacrifices are made in a detest able cause. I do not forget it. Bu if haughty impassibility in reverses stoical firmness under the most cruel solution to conquer at any price do no constitute a superb spectacle of con stancy, and if nerved to that point the nd energy of the nation are not worthy of admiration, in truth I won der what can be required of a people

TIME FOR A CHANGE.

to prove that it is great."

Mr. Hazen has embodied sound and practical policy in the platform contained in his resolutions. He asks for protection to the political rights of the people from the perpetrators of election trauds, and from the evils of the open ballot combined with corruption and coercion. He demands the protection of the treasury from loss occasioned by private contracts given at excessive prices without competition, and from the excessive cost of government machinery. The platform also claims for municipalities the rights and privileges which the government has been gradually absorbing for itself, and asks that the money and effort set free by business methods shall be devoted to the promotion of the agricultural, educational and industrial interests of the people.

It is high time that a change wa made in the direction indicated by Mr. Hazen. Year after year the tendency has been in the opposite direction. One by one the rights and powers of the municipalities have been taken away, and the income of the cities and towns diverted to provincial control. Year by year the cost of provincial government and legislature has gone on increasing, until it has reached the proportions of a scandal. Most of the provinces of Canada are larger and richer than ours, but not even the government of Ontario, or that matter, runs up such bills for contingent or travelling expenses, and for other extras, as the New Brunswick ministers. Last year the attorney general of this province took more money for his services than was paid to any other minister in any provinc ed by a ma- of the dominion or to any federal minister. At the same time he was giving

The next Ontario election was the other New Brunswick ministers get machines worked together, and this never incurred. We are paying the excessive allowances to six ministe when Nova Scotla gets along with happen on this third Ontario vote 000, and Ontario and Quebec have more since the change of the federal gov- than 20,000 inhabitants for each mem ernment. Premier Hardy has given ber. For years our ministers paid place to Premier Ross. The oppositivo prices for steel bridges. They tion has the same leader it had in the still pay two prices for smaller contracts, and for printing, and five prices to themselves for their own services. At the same time they have been cutting down the really neces sary services, robbing the municipalities, and adding rapidly to the provin-THE BRITISH A GREAT PEOPLE. clal debt

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FIELDING'S SURPLUS.

The Toronto Star thus sizes up Hon Mr. Fielding's budget statement: deals with the tariff and with the public finances. On the tariff question on two sides; on the one side by thos who desire to see the tamff place uno a revenue basis and the policy promul gated in the liberal platform parried into effect: on the other by the many facturers, who are clamoring for th increase of the duties and still more protection. Mr. Fielding now anrection will be made during the present

1901, our receipts were \$52,514,701, and our expenditure was \$57,982,866, an increase over the expenditure for the fiscal year 1900 of \$5,265,399. As a su tion of the debt, the net addition to th debt was less than the deficit, the ar ual increase of the debt during the fiscal year 1901 amounting to \$2,986,196 Mr. Fielding now estimates that th revenue for the current fiscal year will reach \$56,800,000, or \$4,285,899 more that the revenue of the last fiscal year. The estimated expenditure, on the other hand shows a still greater increase and Mr. Fielding states that it will reach the enormous total of \$65,250,000 or \$7,267,134 more than during the fiscal year 1901, and that there will be a deficit of \$8,450,000. After deducting from this the annual contribution to the sinking fund, the net increase of the debt for the current fiscal year will about \$6,000,000. Following the old penditures to one side. Mr. Fielding claims a 'surplus' but it is unfortun ately a fictitious one. The heavy in

Says the Boston Globe: "Inexplicable are the ways of Providence. Why should three churches be unroofed and a minister killed in his pulpit in western Pennsylvania on Easter day?

CORNWALLIS NEWS.

CORNWALLIS, N. S., April 2.-Charles Eaton of Canard sold 35 head of cattle to Thomson Bros. of Halifax

John Loomer of Sheffield Mills has purchased a farm at Hortonville from John Webster

Mrs. John Bennette died on Saturday after an illness of many months at her home, near Canning. Decease was about 67 years of age. She leaves husband and several children, one of whom is the wife of Warren Parker of Habitant. The death of Mr. Stevens of the central telephone office at Port Williams, occurred on Sunday ast of consumption. Charles Bennette, seventy-eight years of age, died at his home in Arlington last week. There have been heavy rains and great fre hets in Cornwallis recently drew Westcott, at Grand Pre, we

out, flooding the whole marsh. Frank Dickie of Canard purchased a ine pair of horses in Halifax recently. Horses are high priced in Cornwallis It takes \$125 to buy a very

A military funeral will be given the inhabitants of Kentville on Saturday next, on which day his remains are expected from England.

Charles Eaton of Canard has pur hased a tract of land from Raymond Smith at that place for \$600. Herbert Sheffield has accepted clerkship in the branch of the Halifax Banking Co. at Canning.

ESDRAELON NEWS

ESDRAELON, March 31.-The Gill mor mills, that were burned at Esdraelon six weeks ago, have been rebuilt and equipped with the very best of improved machinery. The people have this winter got out

the largest quantity of logs been holding service here ever weeks this winter. He has h four weeks large and attentive congregations large and attentive congregations and help to start a Sunday

here. There are a number of ch here who very much need the good inluence of a Sunday school, Children Cry for

MANY RELIABLE WITNESSES

Prove That Old Cases of Chronic Catarrh can be Cured.

A Medicine That Will! Cure Cases of Catarrh of Long Standing Deserves a Very High Place in the Annals of Medical Discovery.

Such a Medicine is Peruna.

THOUSANDS of testimonials are pouring in every day of old cases of chronic catarrh that have resisted all treatment for years, being promptly and permanently cured by

These reports do not all come from bscure places, signed by obscure per ple. A large proportion of these letters written by men and women promient in business and professional circles and many of them well known from

Colonel John Franklin Waters occu ples a prominent position among the ading trial lawyers of Chicago. He has probably obtained more verdicts against corporations in suits for personal njuries than any man of his age in the United States, and during his practice of over fifteen years he has not lost a single case in the Supreme Courts of Illinois and Missouri. He is a hard worker and has the energy of four men.

For a number of years he had been afflicted with chronic catarrh and having recently been thoroughly cured of tained with him by one of our reporters in which he gave the following state-

CHICAGO, ILL., Aug. 6, 1900. The Peruna Medicine Co., Columbus, O.:

Gentlemen--- "It gives me great esure to testify to the merits of such a worthy remedy for catarrh as your Peruna. I had suffered for a number of years from this very disceable disease and had tried many called remedies, but until I used Peruna none had the desired effect. I feel that I am perfectly cured and can cheerfully recommend Peruna to any one suffering from catarrh." JOHN F. WATERS.

120 E. Randolph St., Chicago, III.

Another case equally well-known in Chicago, is reported through a letter from a veteran Railroad man.



Captain John H. Lyons, of Chicago, veteran soldier and a prominent mem

passenger ber of G. A. R. Camp No. 102.

agent for Captain John H. Lyons, 1612 Prairie various rail- Ave., Chicago, Ill., writes: "For twenty years I suffered with road comchronic catarrh but thanks to Peruna Pi past twenty- am now entirely cured.

"It affords me much pleasure to make connected a statement in behalf of your meritorions with the remedy. Peruna. I have used same for Postoffice catarrh and have found it to be all you Department claim for it. I had suffered for twents for six years, years. I cheerfully recommend Perma the Police to anyone suffering from catarrh. Department believe that, as in my case, it will pre-for six years, a sure cure."—Captain John H. Lyons. Address The Peruna Medicine Co. 5

ent connected with the Grand Trunk Columbus, Ohio, for instructive literature on catarrh.

Peruna can be obtained for \$1.00 a bottle at all first-class drug stores in Janada. "The Ilis of Life," which can be seen red at all up-to-date drug stores and upon request is sent free to all, gives a short description of all estarrhal di

SOUTHAMPTON, N. S.

Maple Sugar Men Working Over Time to Keep Up With Run of Sap-Telephone and Rallway

Enterprise.

SOUTHAMPTON, Cumberland Co. N. S. April 2.-Corey Jenks is extending the telephone line from Newville to Athol. Mr. Jenks' company is doing good work in opening up a tract of country hitherto isolated from tele communication, the line ready built passing through Newville over Boar's Back to River Hebert, and

Sugar Makers cannot recall such continued flow of sap as that which started on Good Friday and has five days and nights. Notwithstanding men boiled all night and gathered all day, it is estimated that fully half the sap was lost by the overflow of ket-ties. At present (Wednesday) the run still continues. Indications point to an early cessation of the sugar season. Kelver S. Hunter leaves here Apri 14 via St. John for Wolseley. Assa. tor Perley's farm, with a view to tak-

ing up land there in the future. R. Delhunty, track master of the C C. and R. W., was here yesterday. He savs new rails are to be laid on the line and all wooden bridges replace by iron structures, the roadbed being at present unfit for the anticipated heavy traffic of the approaching sea There are several mild cases of diph

theria at Collingwood Corner.

LAWRENCETOWN, N. S.

LAWRENCETOWN, N. S., March 51 The home of Joel Whitman of Brickon was made sad by the death of his beloved wife, which took place on the 21st after a lingering illness, which Mrs. Whitman will be greatly missed in her home, where she proved herself apathy is expressed for her sorrow ing husband, one son and two daugh

The union services are being contin ued this week, meetings every after noon in the Baptist church and every evening in the Methodist church. Repairs are being made on the bridge which was greatly damaged by the t. W. A. Kinney of Gragetown as the contract.

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Miss Highet of Oxford has charge of H. Reid's millinery department. Mr loyle, the apple buyer, has left for his e in Ontario. Horace Reld of w Whitman-of North Williams lef for Boston last Saturday. George Barteaux of Williamston lo

e and its contents by fire a fer John Ruggles, who has been in fall ng health since the death of his age partner, was removed to his son's re DARING SAFE ROBBERY.

Money and Cheques Stolen From D. J. Purdy's Safe in Broad Daylight.

A daring safe robbery was commit ted on Main street last week in broad daylight, the narvy thief getting clear cheques as a result of his bold ven ture. In the hope of effecting his capture quietly, the fact of the theft has been carefully kept from the pub lic by the loser, D. J. Purdy, and by the police, who have strong suspicions regarding the identity of the thief.

The burglary was accomplished in Mr. Purdy's grocery store on Thursday last, between 11 a. m. and night probably at noon, when for about an hour the store is left in charge of one clerk. The safe from which the m was stolen is placed in an enclosed office near the back of the building, and is entirely out of the view of working in the front of the store. Near the office is a door opening into the

Shortly after noon on Thursday the man in charge of the establishment who had been working in the office was called to the front of the store t wait on some customers. He left the big door of the safe unfastened, but the compartment containing the valu ables was securely locked. He was only absent about 10 or 15 minutes, but it is supposed that in this brief time the thief sneaked in by the back door. forced the cash drawer open stooping and concealed behind the enclosing wall of the office and slid away as quickly and quietly as he came. o'clock, when the chief clerk going to place some more money in the safe, found the cash drawer forced open and bearing on its edge the indentations received from some thin lever. From it had been extracted \$70 in cash and two che ues, one for \$93.50, and the other for \$3v. On the following morning th

cheques were returned to the firm in an envelope enclosing a letter written apparently with the point of a least pencil dipped in ink, and signed, Friend." The letter was dated at Fairyille, but, from the postmark, had been mailed at St. John. The matter was at once placed in the hands of the police.

About a month ago a man was de tected in the office by one of the clerks apparently tampering with the safe But as nothing was missing and the man declared his innocence of any evil intention, no action was taken. This in connection with other circum stances has fixed the suspicion of this theft upon the same individual, for whom the police are on the look-out. trace has been seen of him since the date of the crime. It is reported that he has gone up river.

FOUND HIS TRAP INSIDE A TREE TRUNK.

(Indianapolis News.) While felling a tree on Eli Mervio farm near Jefferson, Oscar Walters the tenant, made a singular discover A large steel trap was found imbedded in the tree, the wood having grown over it to a thickness of three inches. Attached to the trap was a long chain, this being imbedded about six Inches. On the spring of the trap was stamped the name of George En

Mr. Emory reports that the trap has been missing for twenty-two years. The owner was a famous trapper in those days and did a flourishing ness in coon hides, those animals being plentiful in the woods then. In making his rounds one day he found that one trap had disappeared. He thought that it had been stolen, but ad no idea that the thief was a four-

When the trap was found in the tree it was about forty feet from the ground. After being cut out it was returned to Mr. Emory, who remembered its loss and identified it. He thinks that the trap was carried up into the tree by a coon.

MONCTON NEWS.

Will Wed a Brilliant Young Actress-Magistrate Sues the City.

MONCTON, April 2 .- Invitations are out for the wedding of J. E. Muhlfield, superintendent of machinery and rolling stock of the I. C. R., to Miss Marie Murphy, a talented young actress, late of the Liberty Bell Company. ceremony will be performed at Buffalo. York, April 14th, and Mr. and Mrs. Muhlfield will be at home in Moncton after the 24th. Scott Act fines collected last nonth mounted to \$200.

William Lockhart of the I. C. R., who has been in a Montreal hospital for treatment, is reported to be somewhat improved.

Stipendiary Magistrate and Civil Court Commissioner Kay is taking legal proceedings against the lity for alleged deficiency in salary, four and a half years at the rate of \$300 a year, or \$1,350 in all. The magistrate has apparently discovered reasons for believing that under the terms of his apcointment he is entitled to a larger salary than he has been receiving. He nad been civil court commissioner at \$600 a year, and on the death of Stipendiary Magistrate Wortman, whose salary was also \$600, the two offices were amalgamated, and Mr. Kay has since been receiving \$900 a wear. It is not yet known what course the city will pursue.

A VALUABLE MISH

A salmon weighing 14 pounds, the first of the season, was caught on Wednesday in Belyea Bros. No. 1 weir, Navy Island. The fish was a fine one and was sent to Boston, where it will Nearly 300 stream drivers have left delight the palates of epicures. Early Fredericton for to work on the drives salmon are valuable, and not many St. alrong the upper St. John, and about John people can afford to eat them at John people can afford to eat them at \$1 per pound, the figure set on this fish.

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CITY NEWS.

Recent Events in and Around St. John,

Together With Country Items from Correspondents and Exchanges.

NOTICE TO COR-RESPONDENTS.

During the present Sessions of Parliament and the Provincial Legislature, which make heavy demands on the SUN'S columns. Correspondents must condense their news letters to the smallest possible limit.

Str. Montenegro, from St. John, with hay, readied Cape Town on the 22nd

Dominion L. O. L. No. 141, is templating a big excursion for May

The Battle liner Nemea arrived Port Elizabeth yesterday from St. with hay.

The Gleaner says that wages for stream driving on the St. John and Miramichi are \$1.75 to \$2.25 per day. The name of Capt. Robert White

mas accidentally omitted from the list the corporation of St. Clement's church, published in yesterday's Sun. The catch of gaspereaux in the har-bor is extremely light. It is so much in that the fish are bringing \$2 a hundred. Usually at this season the fish

are being taken in large numbers. Two militia men from the 78th Highlanders of Stewlacke, N. S., rasset through St. John yesterday on their way to Fredericton to take a short course at the military school.

Letters of administration were gran Wm. Greer, of North Conway, N. H., to his widow, Anna Greer. The estate is personal, valued at \$2,040. C. E. A. Simonds, proctor.

A patient who was undergoing treat-ment in the General Public Hospital, was discharged from that institution for breaking the rules by using pro fane language in some of the wards

Work on John E. Moore's new mill at Milford is being rapidly pushed for-ward. The framework of the lower part of the building has been completed and quite a large force of men are now engaged both in carpenter work and in clearing away the debris in the taste and may be used freely to

The Duke said to the Duchess at breakfast yesterday morning, "What good bread this is." "Yes," said the ss, "isn't it delicious." Having called the chief bread cook, he told their Royal Highnesses that the bread was made with BEAVER BRAND

The Head liner which will comple this season's service between St. John and Ireland, the Bengore Head, Capt. Phillips, reached St. John yesterday. She is anchored in the stream and will probably have to remain there a day or two owing to the pressure of business.

The stockholders of the St. John River Log Driving Co, met at the Queen Hotel, Fredericton, yesterday. Henry Hilyard occupied the chair. As a number of the St. John lumberme are at present looking after their logs down river, the meeting was adjourned to May 7.

M. Bennet of the Queen Hotel, Can ning, N. S., was in the city yesterday on his way home from Maine, where he has been arranging for the purchase of two French coach stallions for breeding purposes. The horse will be purchased from Sandborne's stables and will be controlled by a company formed in Canning.

Ship Creedmoor, Capt, Kennedy, St. John for Montevideo, if she continues to make the time the latter part of her passage as she is doing the first, will make a record trip. Capt. Horndall of the str. Ester, at Port Arthur, Texas, spoke the Creedmoor on March 3 in lat. 28.58 N., lon 27.15 W., all well. This is the second time the ship was spoken since she left St. John on Feb. 14.

The death took place at Digby on Monday of Louisa Bacon, widow of the late John Bacon, in the 66th year of her age. The deceased leaves two sons, Rev. Frank Bacon of Musquash N. B., and Henry, residing in Dugby and two daughters, Mrs. D. Lauris of Halifax, and Mrs. Whitebone, now in England. Mrs. J. K. Tobin was a sister of deceased.

E. L. Temple, formerly of St. John may yet be a multi-millionaire. According to the Los Angeles, California, Times of March 23, he recently trans ferred for \$1,160,000 one of the greates fruit ranches on the Pacific coast from its original owner, Leopoldo Schiappe Farming Co. of Manchester, England For some time the title to this vas erty of 13,000 acres was in Mr. ple's name. Mr. Temple's former Prince William street insurance rivals

Children Cry for CASTORIA

Surprising Results

A Simple Internal Remody Make Remarkable Cures of Catarrh.

People who have used sprays, inhalers salves and washes for catarrh and have found how useless and inconvenien they are, will be agreeably surprised at results following the use of a pleas-ant, internal remedy in tablet form: ists everywhere admit that Stu-



t's Catarrh Tablets, which they sell t 50 cents for full sized treatment, is e safest, most effective and popular

roat lozenges contain opiates; these eap medicines give a temporary re-f, especially with little children in lief, especially with little children in destroying herve sensation; the irritation in throat, which causes coughing is temporarily removed, not by removing the cause, but by deadening the nerves of feeling, the irritation is not felt, although it is still there and will promptly return.

Stuart's Catarrh Tablets is the best

emedy to remove catarrhal secretion, whether in the nose, throat or stomac because they are composed of whole-some antiseptics, Blood root, Red gum from Eucalyptus tree, etc., when you use these tablets you know what you are putting into your system and not taking chances with cocaine, opi-ates or similar poisons found in so many catarrh cures and cough medi-

Dr. Ramsdell in commenting on catarrh cures, says: "I can heartily recommend Stuart's Catarrh Tablets, because they contain no cocaine nor other dangerous drug found in so many advertised catarril cures. I have known of many cases of long standing catarrh of the head and throat completely cured by the daily use of thes tablets for several weeks. One case in particular, which I could not reach with an inhaler or spray, and where the catarrh caused daily headaches and a noticeable loss of hearing was entirely cured by this harmless, but

entirely cured by this harmless, but effective remedy."

Dr. Wainwright says: "I never hesitate to prescribe Stuart's Catarrh Tablets for catarrhal headaches and catarrhal deafness because I know them to be perfectly safe for child at adult, and have seen many remarkable cures resulting from their regular daily use; because they are advertised and sold in drug stores is no reason why any good physician should not use them. good physician should not use them because we should seize upon the means of cure wherever found."

METHODIST TRANSFERS.

TORONTO, April 3.-The transfer mittee of the Methodist church me here today and sanctioned the follow ing ministerial transfers: Rev. J. Rogers from Nova Scotia to New Bruns wick; Rev. R. W. Weddall, from New Brunswick to Nova Scotia; Rev. I. R. McDonald from New Brunswick to Manitoba: Rev. S. A. Bailey from New Brunswick to Manitoba.

ST. STEPHEN.

Death of Edgar W. Thompson Thurs day Morning.

ST. STEPHEN, N. B., April 3.-After protracted illness Edgar W. Thompon died at his home here at an early hour this morning. Mr. Thompson was a member of the Charlotte County bar, a young man who made friends readily and held them firmly. Some years ago he was stricken with paralysis, again which he made a strong fight until the end. He has been cared for by a devoted wife, who survives him, with one child, one younger having died last week. He will be buried with Masonic honors Friday afternoon. Universal sympathy is extended to Mrs. Thompson and to his father and sisters. He was 36 and a half years of age.

BISHOP KINGDON

Will Take a Prolonged Rest and European Tour.

FREDERICTON, April 3. -Bisho Kingdon is convalescing from his rather severe illness but is yet unable to leave his room. It is understoo his lordship will take a prolonged rest and a lengthy European tour when he has sufficiently recovered to permit his travelling. His lordship will, in a few months, complete 21 years of labor in the diocese of Fredericton.

PT. LEPREAUX.

LEPREAUX, April 2.-Miss Balcome of Musquash spent Monday with Mrs. H .P. Reynolds. J. A. Gregory, George Barnhill and

preaux this week. Mr. Grant's portable mill has this week been located at Mink Brook, N. R. An Easter ball was given at Mace's Bay on Tuesday night. Quite a number of children have been

So far the capturing of the big log drive has been eminently successful, hardly a stick having escaped the vigi-lance of the fleet of tugs and small boats that cover the lower river. Som farmers along the shore are makin good money even at the present re-duced rate of salvage. One country-man and his young son have collected twenty dollars' worth last Wednesday

Arthur Kingston, a brakeman in the imploy of the C. P. R., was killed almost instantly at Shantytown between one and two o'clock Wednesday morn-

McAdam, due in West St. John about four o'clock Tuesday afternoon. The train was some hours late and reached miles from Fairville, about midnight Here, on account of the heavy grade, the train was stalled, and after the usual custom it was divided, half the cars being left on the line and the remainder pulled into Sand Point. On the end of the cars which were left on the line a red light was placed, and after leaving the first section in the freight yard the two engines ran back to pick up the balance. The engineers in charge were John Lee and Samuel Miller, the conductor William Fleming, and the brakemen Arthur Kingston and his brother, Cyrus Kingston. When nearing the cars on the track, Arthur Kingston was standing on the gangway between the rear engine and tender. The light which had been placed on the cars had evidently gone out, for in thet darkness the engines, which were running at quite a speed, crashed in-to them. The tender and engine buckled and Kingston was caught betwee them, his right side just at the thigh being crushed and several other bones broken. The end of the car which was struck by the engine was smashed

at once hurried to Kingston's assistance and found him living, but so seriously injured that he died a few minutes later. His body was brought to the station at Fairville and was later removed to Beattey's undertak-

ing rooms.

The deceased was twenty years of age, and came of a family of railroadien. He had only been on the line about a month, but had formerly worked as a section man. His father, Joseph Kingston, is section foreman at redericton Junction; two brothers, Cyrus and George, are on the line at Fairville, and another, William, at Fredericton Junction. His other brother, Benedict, is a farmer at Harvey.

Yesterday Coroner Robinson was summoned and impannelled the following jury: John J. Garnett, foreman; J. J. Hennessey, Robert Irvine, Jeremiah Stout, Allan Taylor, Thomas Reid and David Lawson. The jury viewed the body and adjourned to one of the rallway offices, where Conduc Fleming, Engineers Lee and Miller Brakeman Kingston and a flagman Brakeman Kingston and a flagman gave evidence. Kingston stated that when the train was divided into two sections he had placed a red light on the end car of the part which was left on the line, and Engineer Miller said that when the engines returned to the grade the light was not there. The jury found that Arthur Kingston's death was due to accident and that no blame could be attached to anyone.

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C. P. Clarke, tollet requisites.....

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Superior lies in the same position that she has occupied for a couple of days. But something further is now known as to her condition. Capt. Haley of the Red Star Towing and Wrecking Company of Boston, who spent a couple of days in St. John, made a thorough examination of the vessel. He reports that the holes in the ship's bottom are not extensive, so far as he cam ascertain, but he says the keel and keelson have been pushed up out of line from a very small start up to 18 or 20 inches. This derangement extends a distance of 120 feet aft of No. 1 bulkhead. Capt. Haley assured a Sun reporter yester-day that no great difficulty would be experienced in floating the ship. The tion was what would be done with her then. He was willing to submit an offer not only to float her, but to-

take her to Hallfax or Boston to go in the dock for repairs.

Mesers. Barry and McPherson of Hallfax stated that they were satisfied the ship could be put afloat again urned to Halifax last night, but said they proposed to submit a tender for floating the vessel.

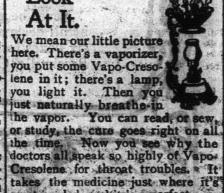
Other people who were here yester-day declared that nothing but the efthe floating of the ship.

The agents of the Elder-Dempster. line are satisfied that they can make satisfactory arrangements for the floating of the Superior, but it cannot he done till the next spring tides, and they do not happen for several days

The Superior's crew are still by her and exerting all their efforts for the

WEDDED AT ST MARGARET'S. LONDON, April 3.—A large and fashionable congregation witnessed the marriage this afternoon at St Margaret's Church, Westminster, of the Earl of Lytton to Miss Pamela Plowden. The bride was given away by her father, Sir Trevor Plowden. The presents were numerous and included a diamond Bird of Paradise from King Edward and Queen Alexandra.

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G. & Fisher & Co., roofing.

St. John Railway Co., lighting building.

H. & & H. T. McGowan, numbering ing seats, lettering cleak rack...

Robert Maxwell, rebuilding piers...

P. Gambeell & Co., steam heating, water closet and layatory.

S. Hall, insurance on building...

W. H. Hayward, hire on goods...

Jas. H. Pullen, kalsomining and painting...

John White, hire of chairs...

Manchester, Robertson & Allison, decoration of building, hire of furniture, etc.

N. B. Telephone Co., rent of telephone.

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D. McIntosh, hire of plants.
Haley Brothers & Co., various erections in buildings and grounds...
Professor Collinson, conducting chorus, rehearsal, etc.
Mrs. Anderson, labor, cleaning...
Mrs. O'Neill, labor, cleaning...
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Mrs. VanWart, labor, cleaning...
P. McCarthy, labor.
W. Ellis, labor.
F. Saunders, labor.
H. Dorman, labor.
H. Redestone, labor.

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B. Belyea, cartage....
W. S. Vaughan, soap, brushes, etc..
Morton L. Harrison, orchestra,
afterneon and evening...
R. C. John Dunn, professional ser-

W. C. Whittaker, services in cloak

cut flowers.

8: S. Hall, insurance on furniture...

8t. John Rallway Co., gas...

W. H. Reid, painting, waxing floors,

J. H. Doody, plumbing

A. O. Skinner, carpets and rugs...
John White, furniture.

Macaulay Bros. & Co., furnishings.
Raymond & Doherty, board for R.
K. Jones and wife, \$122.50; board
for S. Jones, \$82.75.
A. Chipman Smith & Co., toilet sets,
perfume, etc...

E. LeRol Willis, catering.
C. Flood & Sons:
Hire on silver, cut glass, china,
etc...
Use of pictures.
Goods broken, short and damaged.
J. B. Wetmore, special porter...
The Linton & Sinclair Co., china
and glassware.

M. A. Finn, wines and liquors...
J. F. Quinn, for vegetables.
J. J. McCaffrey, for services catering.

McNutt House:

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S. G. Dotchon, services in house
during fitting up...
Fanny Oldford, services in house
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A. Evans, attending furnace...
F. E. Holman & Co., wall paper...
The Linton & Sinclair Co., china
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I. A. Finn, wines and liquors....

F. Quinn, vegetables...

J. McCaffrey, services catering...

Military: John A. Adams, removing and stor-ing old building and fence, build-ing wire and picket fence and

Jas. Minehan, meats for troops...

Jas. T. Kirk, groceries for troops.

E. D. McGraih, 50 meals for troops.

W. A. Munro, putting up fence
around Exhibition building.

Major Murray McLaren, allowance
to officers and men of Bearer
Co. for meals...

Haley Bros. & Co., fitting up quarters for troops.

Chas. S. Everett, hire of benches for
mess room. mess room.

Geo. A. Whittaker, meals for troops.

E. D. McGrath, meals for 8 men.

White Bros., 32 meals for troops.

J. Williamson, cutting hay and oats.

White's express, carrying baggage.

J. Taylor carting baggage. J. Taylor, carting baggage.

Abner Secord, cartage, \$5.00; cutting grass at stall doors, \$1.50......

Lt. Col. H. H. McLean, meals for Lt. Col. H. McLean, meals for officers and men 62nd Fusiliers... Lt. Col. H. H. McLean, propn. C.

J. B. Hamm, coaching.....
C. W. Bell, services in connection with carriages, \$25.00; coaching, car fare and returning blankets, \$2.50... 22.50.

David Watson, coaching...

Telegraph Pub. Co., printing admission cards and envelopes, badges for press...

R. T. Worden, coaching...

D. Connell, coaching...

Manchester, Robertson & Allison:

Glyves for ushers...

Stabling royal horses.

clamation.

M. J. Barry, coaching.

Sun Printing Co., advertising proclamation, \$33.75; advertising proclamation, \$32.00.

C. P. Ry. Co.'s Telegraph, telegrams D. W. McCormick, board for British yetsuans.

vertising proclamation.

Misses Hennessy and Gallagher, 3
days' board, Boston veterans...

Thos. Short, coaching...

J. B. McMann, services distributing tickets.

Western Union Telegraph Co., telegraph

The Herald Printing and Publishing Co., advertising proclamation.

S. A. Corbett, 58 days' service at \$3. Progress Printing and Publishing Co., advertising proclamation

M. J. Barry, coaching.

Charles Baille, cigars.

Schofield Bros.:

Wood plates and napkins.

Office assistants.

Stationery. lery.... Gateman, \$2; typewriter, \$2...... Telegrams, coaching, etc......

Accounts Unpaid:

St. John, N. B., 17th March, 1902.

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HOPEWELL HILL, April 1.-Wiliam A. West, who had his back bone dislocated some ten months ago, and who has since had no use of his legs, vas operated upon today by Dr. J. E. M. Carnwath, assisted by Dr. Chap-man and Dr. John T. Lewis, with the hope of relieving a supposed pressure on the spinal cord which it was thought was causing the difficulty with the muscles of the legs. The operation consisted of cutting through the vertebrae, near the place of dislo for examination. Some bone obstructions were removed, but the doc tors were unable to locate any pronounced displacement. The patient who was under the influuence of ethe for two hours, came out of the operation without any special ill effects. Albert County District Lodge, I. O. G. T., met here today with Mt. Pleasant Lodge, W. M. Burns, D. C. T., in the chair. Delegates were present from Alma Lodge, Mt. Pleasant, Endeavor. Undaunted, White Star and Lone Star. In the evening a largely

attended public meeting was held in the Baptist church, Mr. Burns presiding. After a chorus by the lodge choir, an address was delivered by Rev. Mr. Addison of Surrey. Mr. Addison dealt with the difficulty of ob taining prohibition from either political party. He could take sides with neither. Candidates only should be voted for who were pledged for prohi-bition. The speaker considered the perance people stood by it as they should. Other speakers were Rev. Mr. Fletcher, H. H. Stuart, Rev. Mr. Young, L. R. Hetherington and A. C. M. Lawson. During the evening good music was provided, including solos by

Miss Edna West and Miss Janie Mc-HOPEWELL HILL, April 2.-Considerable shipping is moving in the Shepody bay. A. C. M. Lawson, wife and family

who have been visiting here, left today for their home in Salisbury. Mr. Lawson was principal of the Superior school here for seven years. Henry A Peck has gone to Wolfville, N. S. where his parents are now residing. The family of John I. Smith moved this week to Hopewell Cape, where Mr. Smith has bought a place. Mrs. Lena P. Wilband has started a millinery business in the store, owned and formerly occupied by Peter Bishop at Riverside.

Commissioner Smith has a crew at work on the Shepody dyke, which was badly damaged by last fall's tides.

RICHIBUCTO, April 3.—The Women's Missionary Society of the Meth odist church held an Easter service last evening. The programme consist ed of selections by the choir, a solo by Mrs. H. H. James, several readings. and recitations by the children of the Sunday school, and an address by Rev. H. A. Meek. A silver collection was taken up at the close.

Mr. Lachance of Viau & Lachance of Hull, Quebec, who have the contract on the Richibucto breakwater, has arrived in town. He is making arrangements for commencing the work about the 15th. Councillor Pascal Herbert of Rexton has the contract for supplying all the small stone for the works. His contract price is \$4,000.

Rev. Louis O'Leary, son of the late Henry O'Leary, has just returned from Rome, where he spent the past three years. He is the guest of his brother, R. O'Leary. The river is about clear of ice. The schooner men are busy getting their

MILLTOWN, N. B. MILLTOWN, April 2.-Everett Gilman has returned home from New Hampshire, where he has been at work the last winter. Mr. and Mrs. Frank Morris, Pleasant street, are being congratulated on

the arrival of a young son at their Rev. W. W. Williams is spending a few days in town, on his way to St. John, as the guest of H. Sinclair. Warren Sherman of Marysville, who was called here by the sickness of his sister, Mrs. Alexander Wilkins, left for

John Healy is moving into the house on Pleasant street belonging to Miss Annie Mallock. He will have his own house torn down and rebuilt on a the river has found them, with a few

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PARKER-At Brooklyn, N. Y., on the 30th March, to the wife of (Dr.) II. C. Parker,

MARRIAGES.

O BLENES-HOPE.— At Fredericton Road, Westmorland County, on March 29th, by Rev. W. H. Perry, Fred O'Blenes of Fred-ericton Road, Salisbury, and Miss Florence Hope of Steeves Mountain, Moneton. CLARKE-BLAIR-At St. Andrew's church, Ottawa, April 2nd, by the Rev. Dr. Her-ridge, C. Walter Clarke of Halifax, N. S., and Marion E., daughter of Hon. Andrew G. Blair.

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BARKER—In Boston, April 1, Wesley H. Barker, aged 45 years.

COLLINS.—At 265 Duke Street Extension, Lancaster, at an early hour on the morning of April 1st, Patrick Collins, in his 10ist year, and for 52 years a resident of St. John.

CARMICHAEL.—At New Glasgow, on Sunday moraling, March 30, James M. Carmichael, only son of Hon. J. W. Carmichael, aged 18 years.

LAWSON—At the residence of his son, W J. Lawson, 165 Metcalie street, on Apri ist, William Lawson, formerly of Englis Settlement, Queens Co., aged 78 years. Settlement, Queens Co., aged 78 years.

MILLER.—At Northfield, Sunbury County,
March Sth, 1902, of paralysis of brain, J.
R. Miller, aged 32 years, leaving a sorrowing wife, one son, father, four brothers,
three sisters—Mrs. W. P. Foss of Marysville, York Co., Mrs. John Norton, and
Mrs. Hazelwood of Milltown, to mourn
their sad loss. Buried under the Orange
order by a large procession.

RUDDOCK.—At the residence of Joseph
Ruddock, 254 Douglas Avenue, St. John,

RUDDOCK.—At the residence of Joseph Ruddock, 254 Pouglas Avenue, St. John, April 37d, Joseph R. Ruddock of Chatham, N. B., aged 60 years.

WHEELER.—At the Home for the Aged, Monday evening, March 31, Mary Lydia Wheeler, daughter of the late Zalmon Wheeler.

WILSON.—At Upham, on Monday, March 31st, after a lingering illness, Mrs. William Wilson, in the 33rd year of her age, leaving a highand, four sons and four daughters to mourn their sad loss.

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BURNING BURNING PARTY

FREDERICTON, March 25.—The committee resumed at half-past seres, and the bill was agreed to with amendments.

On motion of the Hon. Mr. Tweedie time for the introduction of private bills was extended for seven days.

THE BUDGET DEBATE.

The house proceeded to the order of the day.

The hon. attorney general said: When I was closing my speech last evening I charged the leader of the opposition with having in his speech in Kings stopped at the year 1909 when giving out his statement of the expenditure of the government. I am unable to acquit him of having done so deliberately, for he had then in his possession the statement contained in the Rayal Gazette of the 25th Dec. showing a most material reduction in the legislative expenses for 1991 as compared with 1900, which were swelled by the great length of the session owing to the bridge charges. If there is any one thing for which an opposition leader ought to be condemed, it is for giving false information, because it is the nature of the people to believe what a public man states. He must have been aware that a statement such as he made showing an increase of the nace of the gloomy predictions of the legislative expenses in a transment of the reports of 1900. That item now disappears, Last year we not only paid this sum but at 1,500 to the present reporter, Mr. Hannay, The sum of \$1,500 will also be paid this any more will be asked for. I am happy to be able to say that the reports published to believe what a public man states. He must have been aware that a statement such as he made showing an increase of about \$3,600 in the legislative expenses for 1901 as in the reports of 1900. That item now disappears is a be made showing an increase of the size and for the people to believe what a public man states. He must have been aware that a statement such as he made showing an increase of the size and for the people to be able to say that the reports published to be able to say that the reports published to be able to say that the reports published to show in the leg The house proceeded to the order of the day.

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on the Monday, having been delivered on Saturday. Why did he refrain from telling the electors that this increased expenditure was due to the bridge investigation? He was also guilty of negligence in the manifesto when he thought to make comparison of the revenue of the province from 1887 to 1883 under the old government with the revenue from 1883 to 1801 under the new government. He stated that this government had on an average \$158,000 a year more revenue than the governments prior to 1883. But he left out of account \$63,000 a year from the first ten years after confederation, making in all \$630,000, an allowance which ceased in 1877. I am glad to see that he has since admitted that he was misiaken, and I am sare that he must feel that he owes all applogy to the electors of Kings for misleading them.

In addition to that I am told by the permanent official who has charge of the revenue that by reason of his comparing is years with 18 years his figures were about \$400,000 out of the way, making about \$1,000,000 in all. But what is the use of going back as he is doing, and as other leaders of the opposition have done, for 20 or 30 years? Surely the people have passed on the government since that time. We have and elections, and the people at the polls have indorsed the policy of the government. There is no use for us to spend our time over dead issues. We should rather see what the government is doing now.

Let us take up the year 1896, the last year of Mr. Blair's government, and show how much larger the appropriations of today are in some lines than they were then. I do not reflect on Mr. Blair, for he was doing as much as he could with the means at his disposal, just as we are doing now with the means at our disposal. Take the item for education. In 1896 the expenditure was \$191,648; last year it was \$20,681. The expenditure on the Lunatic Asylum, an investitution of which we are all proud, was \$41,872 in 1896, and last year \$61,543. In these three items alone there is an increase of \$45,000 in our expenditu

paid? Our deputy receiver general, who has been in the service for more than 30 years, and has performed his duties with the greatest satisfaction, last year received \$1.783. That is but a small salary for a man holding his responsible position to receive, less than that paid to a first class clerk at Ottawa. The same remark is true with regard to the deputy provincial secretary and the secretary of the public works department. The latter, who is a very hard worked efficial, only get \$1.600 a year, a beggarly salary, considering his duties and responsibilities. The engineer of the public works department has had his salary increased from \$1.500 to \$2.000, which is certainly not ton much for an officer who is charged with such responsibilities. These increases account for the increase of expenditure. The reductions are in travelling expenses, stenographers, the salaries of the solicitor general, the accountant of the surveyor general's department and the assistant engineer of the public works department, making a saving of \$3.742.

With regard to the expenses of legislation, the total for last year was \$31.286, but this includes a sum of \$1.326 which properly belongs to the year 1900, being the balance of the cost of the steel bridge building investigation. The net legislative expenses last year were less than \$20.600, while in 1805 they were \$20.741. Yet in the meantime five new members had been added to the legislature. Again, the increase has been almost entirely made up of the increase cost of the department of agriculture. Mo doubt, when the leader of the opposition made this statement, many persons thought that we had been guilty of great extravagance, but we were spending this money for the bender for Carleton has been able to phase the proposition of the context being switch to create an elarm in regard to the increase of the bonded debt, yet neither he, nor the member for Carleton say that that money should not have been expended. Of the bonded debt, yet neither he, nor the member for large with the pro

under this new arrangement are giving every satisfaction.

There is no ground for the gloomy predictions of my hon. friends with regard to the future of the province. Its financial position is excellent. We begin this year with a balance of \$25,000 in our favor, and we expect to and it with a favorable balance of \$50,000. The opposition are fond of quoting the finances of Nova Scotia and comparing them with our own. The members of the executive in Nova Scotia receive much larger salaries than we do. The premier is paid \$4,000; our premier receives \$2,100. The attorney general of Nova Scotia receives \$3,100, while I get \$2,100. Dr. Pugsley compared our own financial position with that of Nova Scotia and argued that New Brunswick made the best showing.

The leader of the opposition charges me with promising the electors of Kings to construct a railway via St. John valley to Edmundston. What I said was that I thought this railway should be without railway facilities. I expressed the hope that when we had received increased revenues from coal royalties we would be able to assist this St. John valley railway, but I did not pledge this assistance until a favorable result had been reached with regard to the railway mow under construction in Queens, I yield to no one in my desire to see the sult had been reached with regard to the railway now under construction in Queens, I yield to no one in my desire to see the various sections of this province provided with railway facilities. With regard to the fisheries claim against the dominion government under the Halifax award I have no doubt that this claim will be recognized by the dominion government.

In conclusion I beg to Chank this house for the courtesy and patience with which they

in conclusion I beg to thank this house for the courtesy and patience with which they have listened to me. I have endeavored to put matters fairly before the house, and to criticize the opposition in no unfriendly spirit, but I only wish to show the gross in-justice and unfairness of the attacks that have been made upon the administration. LaForest, Labillois, Appleby, Farris and Porter followed, and the debate was ad-journed at 1 a. m.

FREDERICTON, April 1.-The house net at three o'clock. Mr. Johnson gave notice of enquiry with reference to the Barrieu bridge and the Buctouche

Hon, Mr. Tweedie laid on the table the returns of the real estate, personal property and bonded indebtedne the towns of Woodstock and Milltown and of the county of Charlotte. Mr. Hazen gave notice of enquiry

with regard to the resignation of the Hon. F. P. Thompson as a member of the legislature, and as to the number of criminal prosecutions conducted by the attorney general. On motion of Hon. Mr. Tweedle, the

time for the introduction of private bills was extended until Saturday. Hon. Mr. Tweedle presented the re pert of the Provincial Board of Health The house went into committee or the bill to authorize the municipality to with an amendment striking out the

provision making the bonds non-as The bill authorizing the municipality of St. John to issue debentures for jail extension was agreed to in committee

with a similar amendment. Mr. Osman's bill to provide for the appointment of a stipendiary magistrate with civil jurisdiction in the parish of Harvey was agreed to, and Mr. Appleby's bill to change the term of the Carleton county court from No-

vember until December was agreed to in committee. The house went into committee on bill introduced by Mr. Appleby to amend the law of evidence by providing that the courts and judges shall take judicial notice of all proclamations and orders by which acts of the legislature are brought into force. Mr. King proposed an amendment making this apply to convictions under the Game Act

which had already been obtained. Mr. Hazen thought it was dangerous to make the law retroactive and to le-galize a conviction which could not

be otherwise enforced. The attorney general said that while all were agreed as to the unwisdom of retroactive legislation, there might be some difference in cases such as those covered by Mr. King's amendment. In those cases there was no defect as to the evidence convicting the violators of the game laws, except that the Royal Gazette containing the proclamation of the law being in force was not put force, and this is not taking away any right, but only to prevent a criminal scaping under a technical objection. The amendment was agreed to with an addition providing that it should not apply to any case in which proceedings had already been taken have the conviction quashed.—The bill

was then agreed to as amended. Mr. King's bill to amend the debtor act by providing for the appointment of a commissioner in the parish of Sussex was considered in committee, and an amendment was added by Mr. Copp to remove doubts as to the construc

tion of the 37th section of the act.-The bill was agreed to. Mr. Allen introduced a bill to furthe amend the municipalities act. Its object is to enable the agents of candidates to transfer their votes from one

polling place to another. The house agreed to the bill to incorporate the village of Albert for fire protection and water supply purposes Also to the bill authorizing the town council of Woodstock to assess in aid of a public hospital, and the bill to enable the town of Woodstock to assist enterprises that might be established in that town, after a vote of the rate-

house went into committee or the bill to incorporate the village of Albert for fire protection and water supply purposes. Mr. Osman said that strong petitions for and against the bill had been presented, those who had petitioned against it having already provided themselves with water facilities, but they were quite willing to gve way if a substantial majority of the ratepayers were in favor of introducing a water system. The bill there-

fore had been amended by making it non-operative unless supported by two-thirds of the value of real estate.

Mr. Hazen claimed the purpose the promoters had in view would be deated if a two-thirds vote was insisted upon. They had expressed themselves willing that the bill should not be operative unless three-fifths of the value of real estate was in favor of it, which was surely conservative enough. Individuals as well as real estate owners have rights that should considered, and reforms should not be blocked because one or two large land owners were opposed to them. He felt satisfied that a great necessity existed for a good water supply in Albert county, the circumstances there entirely different from those usually found in many parts of the country. The principal sources of supply were scattered springs, and people committed trespass almost every time they went to those springs. There was strong objection at the time and over sought legislation authorizing it to porrow \$10,000 for the purpose of providing water supply, but today it was doubtful if there could be found in Andover a person willing to go back to the old order of things. He therefore moved as an amendment to the amendment that the two-thirds clause be struck out and a three-fifths vote substituted therefor.

Hon. Mr. Pugsley said it was an un isual course to move an amendmen that had not been considered by the municipalities committee. The bill had been thoroughly discussed before the committee, and letters were read showing that no great necessity existed for the installation of a water system. In a village like Albert there should be a strong sentiment in favor of such a system before it is put into effect, thus thrusting upon the ratepayers taxation for benefits which had proved of little advantage to them. The better way for those anxious to obtain water would be to form a company, solicit subscriptions and proceed

with the work. After further discussion by Mr. Ryan, Hon. Mr. Hill, Mr. Osman, Mr. Flemming and Mr. Porter, Mr. Hazen's amendment was defeated and the bill was agreed to.

The bill authorizing the town council of Woodstock to assess in aid of a public hospital was agreed to in committee The house in committee agreed to the bill to enable the town of Wood-

stock to assist enterprises that might be established in that town after vote of the ratepayers. Mr. Appleby explained that this intended to take the place of a bill passed two or three The house adjourned at six o'clock.

EASTER ELECTIONS.

in Other Parts of the Province.

In spite of the heavy rain a good congregation gathered in Holy Trinity church on Easter Sunday morning. The special Easter hymns were sung and the choir gave C. E. Stenhens' T Deum in C, W. Jackson's Jubilate in F, and an anthem by W. Spinney en-titled O Death, Where is Thy Sting? The rector preached on the text, "The

In the afternoon a large ion assembled at 3 o'clock for a children's service. The children sang very effectively two Easter carols. The three prizes offered by the rector for highest narks went to Clara Miller, Walter Miller and Errol Miller. A pleasing featue of the occasion was the presen tation of a purse containing \$16.55 to Miss Lily Miller, organist of the church and Sunday school. The rector took the opportunity to voice the appreciation in which Miss Miller was held both by himself and the congregation for her faithful and painstaking atten-

tion to the duties of organist. In the evening, the weather having cleared somewhat, a very large con gregation was present at the 7 o'clock service. The choir sang W. Jackson's Cantata and Den's Misereatur in F. The anthem was by M. L. McPhail, and entitled Christ our Passover is Sacrificed for Us. The collections throughout the day and the attendance at Holy Communion were in excess of previous years. The Rev. A. Bare-ham's sermon in the evening was based on I. Cor., xv., 52: "We shall be

The Easter parishioners' was held on Easter Monday in the church at 2 p. m. The rector presided and opened the proceedings with prayer. The retiring wardens' report showed a very satisfactory state of affairs, with a balance on the right side. The officers elected for the ensuing year are as follows:

and J. B. Hodsmyth. Vestrymen-M. R. Daley, S. Daley Cudlip Miller, sr., Colin Carson, Leonard Parker, Samuel Merlin, R. A. Love J. B. Whitney, Joseph Kennedy, Chas Howe, James Rourke and Thomas Hos-

Vestry clerk-Samuel Carson Delegates to Synod-Cudlip Miller sr., and M. R. Daley. Substitutes Samuel Carson and Jas Rourke.

Collecting secretary for Home Mis sions-Colin Carson. Votes of thanks were passed to the retiring wardens, the Women's Ald, Holy Trinity Guild, the organist and the committee appointed at the pre vious Easter to secure a proper fence round the cemetery. After the rector had offered prayer the meeting ad-journed.

SHEDIAC.

The following officers were elected: Churchwardens-J. H. Murray, G. W. Welling. Vestrymen-S. J. Welling, Arch. Mur-

ray, J. McQueen, Arthur Bateman, Geo. Mills, G. L. Welling, Welling Mills, H. A. Scovil, J. L. Welling, D. McQueen, Fred Beal, Geo. Clarke. Delegate to Synod-James McQueen Substitute, Geo. Murray. Vestry clerk—G. L. Welling.

Sexton-G. Welling, jr. Organist-Miss B. Bateman. The financial reports were very say BURTON, SUNBURY CO. The annual elections for the parish

of Burton, held in St. John's church, Oromocto, on March 31st, resulted as

Churchwardens — Henry Wilmot, Chas. H. Gilmor. Vestrymen—A. S. Clowes, R. D. Wil-mot, J. W. Gilmor, Geo. H. Clowes, H. G. Cannon, E. D. Street, F. A. Hubbard, F. E. Stocker, J. P. Bliss, Geo. S. Gilbert, A. B. Wilmot, J. W. Smith.

Vestry clerk-Jas. S. White. Solicitor-A. B. Wilmot, barrister, etc. Representatives to the Diocesan Sy-mod-Henry Wilmot, J. W. Gilmor. A vote of the warmest thanks on

behalf of the parishioners was tendered to J. W. Smith, the organist of St. TRINITY CHURCH, SUSSEX. Trinity church, Sussex, elected.

Wardens-Col. E. B. Beer and T. E. Armold. Vestry clerk—E. A. Charters; auditor, F. G. Lansdowne; sexton, Percy

Representatives to Synod-E. Beer, C. H. Fairweather. Substitutes-S. J. Goodliffe, F. W. Wallace. Vestrymen-M. Huestis, F. G. Lans

downe, S. J. Goodliffe, O. Hallett, R. H. Arnold, E. Hallett, E. Burgess, Wm. Stapelton, F. W. Wallace, W. S. Smith, C. H. Feirweather, E. A. Char-

Trinity church, Canterbury Station Wardens: Richard Scott, Edmurd ondon. Vestrymen: James English, Thomas English, James McMullin, sr. James Nicholson, Alfred Wibberley John Furrow, Jarvis S. Law, John A Price, Harry Deakin, Albert Ostorn Walter Hyman, John Boyd, Represen tative to Synod, Walter F. Hyman, ST. STEPHEN, N. B

Easter election in Trinity church was costponed this evening. In Christ church the result was as folows: Church Wardens—E. G. Vroom, S. J. Topvestrymen—Jas. McCullough, C. N. Vroom John Black, Geo. S. Topping, S. A. McBride, W. C. H. Grimmer, F. A. Bolz.
Representatives to Synod—W. C. H. Grimmer and C. N. Vroom; substitutes, Geo. S. Topping, E. G. Vroom.

MUSQUASH. Easter elections at the parish church at Musquash resulted as follows:
Wardens-G. H. Thomas, R. J. Scott.
Vestrymen-Jas. E. Moody, Charles Spinney, Joseph Smith, Thomas Chittick, John D. Anderson, J. M. Anderson, Wm. H. McGowan, Geo. Caffery, Fred Thomson, Robert T. Mawhinney, Arthur J. Mawhinney, David Mawhinney.

awhinney. Vestry Clerk—Geo. F. Smith. Delegates to Synod—R. J. Scott, R. T. Ma-hinney: substitutes, G. H. Thomas, J. M.



The following church wardens and vestry were elected for Christ's church, Norton: Wardens-John Raymond and C. E. Dixon. Vestry-Jas. Hughson. O. A. Wetmore, Jas. Gilchrist, Jas. Huggard, W. H. Baxter, R. H. Warneford, Jas. E. Hoyt, B. A. Wetmore Geo. E. Dixon, Edgarton Seely, C. H. Dixon, Jas. E. Fairweather.

Vestry Clerk—John Raymond.

Delegates to Synod—O. A. Wetmore, Jas.

E. Fairweather; substitutes, John Raymond,
R. H. Warneford.

HAMPTON The parishioners of the Episcopal church of Hampton met in the Church of the Messiah at 10 o'clock this morning, the rector, Rev. C. D. Schofield, in the chair, and after receiving reports as to the receipts and expenditures of the past year—the former amounting to \$2,098.94 and the latter to \$1,849.93, with a balance on hand of \$249.01—elected the following corporation for 1902-3: Church Wardens—E. A. Demill, R. W. Hill.

Vestrymen-George Langstroth, G. O. Dick-Vestrymen—George Langstroth, G. O. Dickson Otty, Dr. F. H. Wetmore, Newton Smith, George Dodge, Andrew S. Beyes, J. F. Giggy, Joshua H. Smith, Dr. P. H. Warneford, J. R. Crawford, J. Henry Dickson, J. William Smith.

Vestry Clerk—George Langstroth.
Delegates to Diocesan Synod—G. O. Dickson Otty, Dr. F. H. Wetmore; substitutes, J. F. Giggey, E. R. Demill.

WOODSTOCK.

The Easter election of officers for St.
Luke's church resulted as follows:
Lay Representatives to Diocesan Synod—
C. H. Perkens, J. T. Garden; substitutes, W.
H. Develer, J. Bedell.
Wardens—J. T. Garden, F. B. Bull.
Vestrymen—G. L. Raymond, George F.
Smith, Dr. Prescott, W. Dupper Smith, C.
Sterling Peabody, J. N. W. Winslow, J. T.
A. Dibblee, R. V. Dimock, A. J. Raymend,
C. H. L. Perkins, D. Hipwell, W. Dibblee.
Vestry Clerk—J. N. W. Winslow.

RICHIBUCTO

The annual meeting of St. Mary's church was largely attended and the financial statement showed the church to be clear of debt and a substantial balance on hand. The election resulted as follows:

Wardens—Wm. Hudson, Wm. J. Dickin—Son.

Son. Husber, Will. J. Dickin-Vestrymen—Fred Sayre, H. H. James, Robert Cochrane, Joseph Michaud, David Thompson, Bliss Stewart, Harry Stevenson, Allan Haines, ir., John Weston, Jonathan Foster, David Palmer and Thomas Forster. Delegates to Synod—Wm. J. Dickinson, Robert Cochrane.

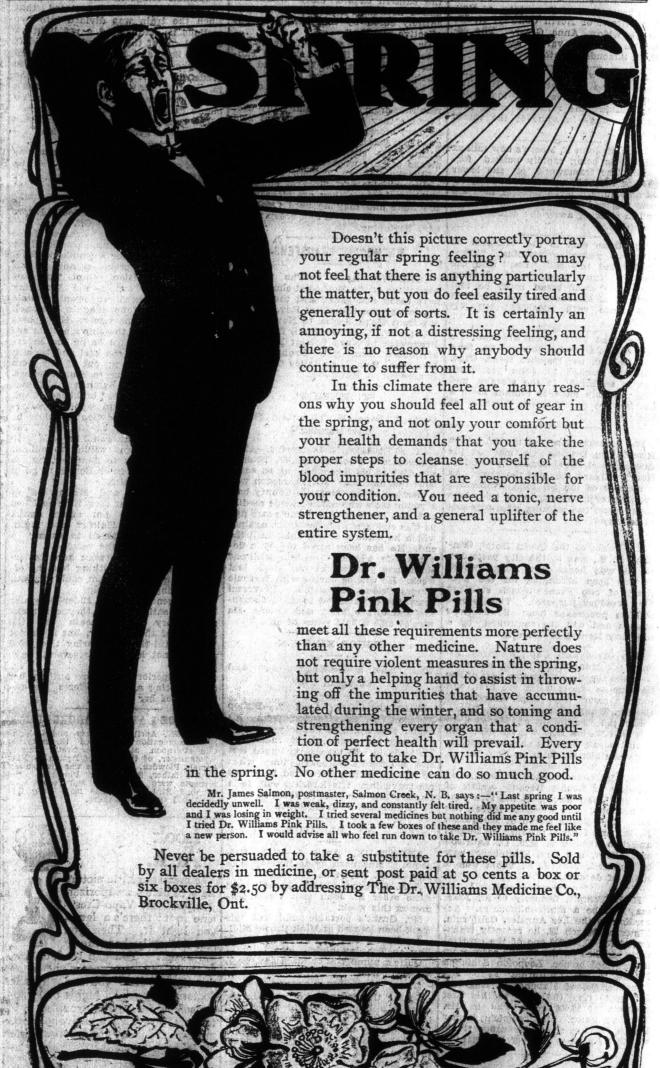
Vestry Clerk—Fred Sayre, Organist—Mrs. H. A. Meek.
Organist—Mrs. H. A. Meek.
Organist—St. John's church, Rexton—Maggie Dickinson.

At a meeting of the parishioners of the parish of Fredericton the following elections took place:
Vestry Clerk—C. E. A. Simonds.
Church Wardens—C. S. Brannes, A. D.

Westrymen—J. S. Beek, J. R. Golding, W. H. Anderson, Dr. E. W. Henry, C. A. Miles, Edw. Wilkinson, S. A. R. McDonald, W. H. Quinn, C. E. A. Simonds, C. A. Robinson, John Oldham. Representatives to Synod-C. E. A. Simonds, A. D. Thomas; substitutes, John Old-ham, C. S. Brannen. The Cathedral congregation elected A. F. Street and G. T. Whelpley representatives to the Synod, with A. J. Gregory and Dr. Steeves substitutes.

WANTED-A case of Headache that KUMFORT Powders will not cure in from ten to twenty minutes.

Str. Manchester City will sail for Manchester Saturday morning. Included in her cargo will be 444 cattle



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NOVA SCOTIA NEWS.

CORNWALLIS, N. S., March 29.-Charles Miller of Canning has pur-chased the farm of the late John Baxter at Baxter's Harbor for \$1,600. The death of Mrs. Joseph Green oc curred on Monday last at her home in Temperance Randwille. The deceased died of cancer of the stomach and was a great sufferer for some weeks. She leaves a husband and a large number of chil-

A new telephone office is being built near the pharmacy at Canning, The recent death of Lieut. Beverly Webster, son of Barclay Webster of Kentville, which recently occurred in England, has cast a gloom over his friends in Cornwallis, and most notably night, exclusive of the city, were 7,341. over his comrades of the 68th Battalion by whom he was universally beloved. It is a noteworthy fact that the only is thought, will slightly decrease the two officers who went from Kings Co. to fight in the war in South Africa, is an agreeable surprise to the anti-

Vermen Griffin of Greenwich has sold his farm to W. Archibald of Wolfville, who intends setting out the entire farm of one hundred acres in fruit

The Mr. Griffin referred to above has bought a farm at Port Williams from Phillip Brown.

Mrs. Albert Francy, wife of the pro prietor of Lyons' hotel at Kentville, died last Saturday evening. She leaves a husband and several children. William Smith of Kentville has purchased the estate of the late George Masters at that place.

Mrs. Mariner Davison died at Gaspereaux on Thursday. PARRSBORO, N. S., April 1.—Schs. returns so far in are from the towns Levuka and Hattie McKay arrived and it is expected the majority will here last Friday from St. John with

full cargoes of freight for Parrsboro merchants. The annual meeting of the parishion ers of St. George's parish was held yesterday afternoon, and the wardens and vestrymen for the ensuing year were elected as follows: Wardens, T. R. Harrison and George H. Boyer; ves-trymen, Capt. N. C. Nordby, T. C. Choisnet, Joseph Cutten, James Roberts, Horace Ledley, W. K. Gilbert, E. Woodworth, George Upham, Robert Alkman, M. Guillod, S. Hunston, Capt.

The schs. Swanhilda, Grace Darling and Nellie Carter are loading piling at Miss Bessie Upham starts this morn-Ing for St. Stephen to visit her bro-

A farley sale is to be held in Grace Methodist church this afternoon and

> HE WAS DROWNED. (Sackville Post, Tuesday.)

James Wood of this town received telegram Saturday informing him of the tragic death of his brother Clarence at Melrose, Mass. A week or so ago the deceased was missed from his home in that city, and although a search was at once instituted nothing was heard of him until Saturday, when his body was discovered a short distance from the town. He had been drowned. Mr. Wood left yesterday for Melrose to arrange about his brother's affairs. The deceased was about 30 years of age and unmarried.

HOLIDAYS GALORE.

(Belleville Intelligencer.) The King's birthday is to be celebrated on May 30, instead of in November. Canadians will have holidays the comfort of the merchants.

No Money

NO PROHIBITION.

Manitoba Went Back on Its Record

the Polls, While the Antis Put in Great Work.

WINNIPEG, April 2.—The referen-dum on the Manitoba liquor act was decisively defeated today. The majorfor and 10,463 against. There are still several polls to hear from, which, it who have met their death in so doing, prohibitionists, who hardly expected have been only sons of prominent men. to poll such a large majority. The act We refer to the death of late Lieut. will likely be defeated with a majority of over 5,000. Taken all in all, the country places were fairly divided on the question, some places being tie. As regards this city no other result was expected. The total vote will not be known for two or three days owing to the condition of the country roads. ANOTHER ACCOUNT.

WINNIPEG, April 2.—It is evident that the prohibition referendum vote will be quite close. Returns from 115 polls so far received show a vote against prohibition of 1.287 majority Towns and thickly populated districts are voting against prohibition and the country districts for it. Most of the be greatly reduced or wiped out.

Special from Norwich, Ont.

The recovery of Mr. Norman Batty, Hardware Merchant, one of Norwich's oldest and most successful citizens, has excited much comment. For years Mr. Batty has been an unceasing sufferer from Catarrhal Asthma and although no end of time and money was spent relief was not obtained until Mr. Batty commenced Catarrhozone treatment, which perfectly cured him This case is only equalled by that of Mrs. Bannon, wife of J. J. Bannon, Druggist, who was also cured of Asthma and Hay Fever by Catarrhozo after thirty years' suffering. Fully a hundred persons in this town have been cured of Catarrhal troubles by Catarrhozone, which is a remarkable proof of its value. Two months treatment, price \$1. Small size 25c. Sold by all Druggists or by mail from Polson & Co., Kingston, Ont.

THE RAGE FOR PING-PONG IN ENGLAND.

(Christian Intelligencer.) In England the delirium over the ne game of ping-pong has attained such a pass as to call forth episcopal censure. In a certain Essex village, for a year past every Wednesday after-noon there has been a special service of prayer in the church for the soldiers in the field. Last week, so the story goes, a would-be worshipper found the doors closed at the time of service. Her enquiry was met by the exclamation: "Oh, we ain't got no prayers this afternoon, Miss. Why, don't you know, it is the opening day of the Ping-Pong

William Leslie of Kingston, Ont., who floated steamer Scottish King at a-plenty this summer, counting Vic-toria Day, the King's Birthday, Cor-Newfoundland, and took her to Engonation Day and Dominion Day. They land last year, is at Yarmouth, N. S may, in fact, come a little too fast for with a view of contracting to float the steamer Mira, on Chebogue Point.

is Wanted.

Ask Only the Name of Some Sick One:

Simply write me a postal. Give me the name of a sick one.

I will furnish that sick one a treatment which I spent a life-

With the book I will send an order on your druggist for six

That seems an impossible offer, and with any other treatment

But I have made a prescription that strengthens the inside

Usually that is all that is needed. And in most chronic dis-

Sometimes, even the method fails, but not often. There are

My success is so general that in every case, no matter how

In five years I have done this in over half a million cases; and

It means that there are 39 chances in 40 that I can cure you.

If the treatment succeeds, you are well. If it fails, it is free.

Won't you write a postal to learn about a remedy like that?

Mild cases, not chronic, are often cured by one or two bottles. At all

my records show that 39 in each 40 paid for the medicine taken.

That means that only one in each forty has been disappointed.

No sick person can afford to neglect an offer like this.

You have everything to gain and nothing to lose by it.

causes, like cancer, which no man can cure; but those conditions

nerves. I have learned how to bring back the nerve power which

alone operates the vital organs. When an organ is weak. I give it

time in learning. I will give all the advice he needs. And I pro-

mise that if my method fails, he shall not have a penny to pay.

bottles Dr. Shoop's Restorative. I will authorize him to let you

take it for a month. If it succeeds, the cost is \$5.50. If it fails, I will pay your druggist myself. I will leave the decision with

it would be. It would bankrupt the physician who made it. .

Let me Send my Book.

I ask from you this, as an act of humanity:

Tell me which book he needs.

I will do this in return:

the power to act.

eases there is no other way to get well.

My book will prove that I am right.

difficult, I take the entire risk.

The baby who is always plump, always has a good appetite, always has a clear eye and a rosy cheek and is always active and playful is the choicest treasure this life affords.

The medicine which keeps babies in such a condition or which restores them to it when they are ill is certainly a priceless boon to humanity. There are many medicines which produce sleep but their action upon the child is similar to that which whiskey or opium has upon a full grown man.

They deaden and stupefy and are the most injurious thing which can be given to children. The only safe course is to use Nature's own remedies. Nature has provided a vegetable cure for every ill

and her remedies for children's disorders are found scientifically compounded in Dr. Williams' prescription, Baby's Own Tablets.

FOR DIARRHEA.

constipation, colic, fever, croup, irritation when teething, indigestion, sleeplessness and all the childish disorders so familiar to mothers this remedy is conceded by the medical profession to be without an equal.

In hundreds and thousands of homes this remedy is used to the exclusion of all others. Its effect is gen-

tle and soothing, promptly curative and never failing. It should have a place of honor in every home where there are children and it will prove its worth many times over. It will save pain, anxiety, doctors' bills and perhaps a life.

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LETTERS FROM THE PEOPLE

the paper only. Send your name, not necessarily for publication, with your communication. The Sun does not undertake to return rejected manuscripts. All unsigned communications are promptly consigned to the waste basket.]

QUEENS COUNTY MATTERS. To the Editor of the Sun:

Sir-The editor of the Queens County Gazette has during the last few week been indulging himself by casting slurs at the county council and al myself, particularly at me. As I have taken no notice of it, a friend of mine asked me a short time ago why I did not reply to Mr. Stewart's editorials and also to the letters of some

of his correspondents. To these good people and all others interested I would say that I am rather too busy to spend my time replying to unjust and untrue statements and insinuations.

"Rambler," who is not man enough to sign his name, wants to know about \$1,100 of a surplus that the editor talks about. In reply to this I beg to state that there was not a surplus of \$1,100 in the contingent fund of the county, and if parties wish to know how the public money has been used during the last two years I would advise them not to take Mr. Stewart for their read the audit report for 1900 and also that of 1901, which will soon be distributed

The proprietor of the Gazette has some rather sweeping statements, but if my liberal friends will take the trouble to look they will find that he has not specified how the pub-lic money has been squandered. If making general insinuations of the sort that Mr. Stewart has been indulging in is considered smart, then he is a very clever man, and those who take stock in what he writes are on a

Last summer Mr. Stewart told the people that my audit of the school accounts was wrong, and then he told them that I was a teller of falsehoods. I challenged him to prove these statements, but he could not, and had to shut up. And yet, Mr. Editor, people will, in spite of their own good sense, listen to a man who prattles a lot of nonsense and who thinks nothing of libelling his fellow citizens. Of course it is the easiest thing in the world to make false statements, and any one of the same calibre as our dear friend of the Gazette can very easily make dark and unclean insinuations that

they cannot prove. Now there must be a reason for this unusual outburst of literary work on the part of the Gazette. I do not say that it is because the printing of the audit report was given to another party, although it looks remarkably like it, and I also have a very strong impression that of late the Gazette has given up its efforts to become some day a newspaper and has fallen to the rank of being part of a political machine; and have noticed that when food for this machine gets scarce a grit boss takes our friend for a walk and shows him the destruction with which Providence has seen fit to visit our roads and bridges and says to him: "Here is food for the machine; the tories are responsible for this." Now this is only my impression and I may be wrong, and the Gazette is only catering to the grit sentiment of the county. But the people will be able to judge of this when Mr. Stewart proves or fails to prove some of the things he has taken in hand. It is a sad, sad sight to see a man being made a tool of.

that the county accounts were mud-dled. Now I say they are not mudby challenge Mr. Stewart to prove that C. H. Vessot, A. H. Foster, Frank the accounts or the finances are in the Baird and F. W. Murray. least disorder. If Mr. Stewart will put Fiders: Judge Skinner, Judge Forbes, he finds my accounts muddled. I will Whittaker, Dr. Walker, P. Hopper, agree to pay the accountant and also David Parks, W. J. Parks, A. W. Coto pay Mr. Stewart \$100, provided that burn. Alternates: L. W. Johnson, S. if the accountant does not find the R. Jack, Walter MacFarlane, J. A. books muddled, then Mr. Stewart to Gregory, Judge Trueman, Dr. W. S. To cure Headache in ten minutes pay the cost and to pay me \$100. This Morrison, Dr. Marray MacLaren, Geo. pay the cost and to pay me \$100. This Morrison, Dr. Murray Muclaren, Geo, use KUMPORT Headache Powders,

lenge Mr. Stewart to take me up. Perhaps the liberal party would like to go further back than my two years in

Among other things, Mr. Stewart has found great fault with the bond that I gave the council two years ago because I allowed one of the bondsmen to die and because the bond was to the pointed moderator of the Militown conmunicipality instead of to the Crown. gregation while the vacancy in its In answer to this I might say that as soon as the council wanted another bond I took steps to get one for them. and just to please Mr. Stewart I had it drawn in favor of the King. I might add that an eminent lawyer wrote the first bond, and I have no doubt that it was just as good a bond as it was posbonds, perhaps Mr. Stewart would favor his readers, with a statement as to who the late secretary-treasurer's bondsmen were. Even the grits will be interested in learning this, for as far as I have made inquiries I have failed to find one who knows.

When I have more time, Mr. Editor with your permission I shall be glad to go more into detail, in answer to marks made by the Gazette since he discovered that a certain little job of printing was not to be done in his office. I wish I had time to do it now, but have not. Thanking you for you valuable space.

Very truly yours. H. B. HALL Gagetown, N. B., 28th March, 1902.

ST. JOHN PRESBYTERY

Quarterly Meeting-Petitions, Reports and Appointments.

St. John Presbytery met in quarterly session yesterday morning and afternoon. There were present: Ministers-Revs. F. W. Murray, Dr. Fotheringham, R. H. McPherson, Wm. Peacock, Jas. Burgess, D. McOdrum, F. Baird, W. J. Fowler, J. Ross, L. G. Macneill, Dr. Morison, C. H. Vessot, J. D. Campbell, D. McD. Clarke, A. H. Foster, A. S. Morton, D. J. Fraser. El-ders-Judge Stevens, Judge Forbes, W. ders Judge Stevens, Judge Forbes, W. on a large card, and a prize of \$2 was H. Livingston, Jas. A. Moore, John offered to the person who should first

A petition from Calvin church asking leave to dispose of their church property, was received. The matter was referred to Revs. J. Ross, Jas. Burgess W. McDonald and H. A. White, Judge

A committee was appointed to meet with the congregation of St. James and Union regarding rerrangement of congregation. The committee is Revs. J. Ross, A. S. Morton, and Judge

The report of the home mission committee was received and the following grants asked: Edmundston, \$150; Grand Falls, \$285; Andover, \$300; Greenfield, \$250; Stanley, \$250; McAdam, \$200; Fairville, \$140; St. Martins, \$250; St. Matthews, \$190; Springfield, \$290; Dorchester, \$225; Riverside, \$250; Three Brooks, \$150.

The following appointments were recommended: J. J. McAskell, Fort Kent; C. H. Vessot, Edmundston; J. D. Campbell, Three Brooks; J. Valentine, Grand Falls; J. A. Colquohon, Nashwaak and Stanley; J. H. Anderson, Greenfield; A. M. Hill, Farville; Donald Stewart, St. Martins; M. S. McKay, Springhill; M. Grant, Dorches ter; R. H. McPherson, Riverside.

The committee to inquire into condi tion of insurance of church property presented report with following recom mendation: That all buildings be insured for not less than one-third of their value; that Presbytery recommend no grants towards replacing un-

mended the following grants: St. George, \$175; Glassville, \$150; Waterford, \$150; Kincardine, \$200; South Richmond, \$175; Pisarinco, \$200. being made a tool of.

At the aftermoon sederunt the followSome time ago Mr. Stewart stated ing delegates to the General Assembly

were appointed: Revs. D. McD. Clark, L. J. Macnelll dled. Who will you believe? If the J. A. McLean, Dr. Fotheringham, Wm. accounts are muddled the people Ross, Jas. Ross, Dr. Morison, A. S. should know of it, and as a means Morton, W. McDonald and D. J. Frashould towards satisfying the public I here- ser. Alternates: Revs. J. D. Campbell,

a good accountant on the books and John Willet, W. H. Livingston, W. C.

is a good, fair proposition, and I chal- Robertson, M. P. P., H. A. White and

A call from Upper Musquodobolt in the Presbytery of Truro, has been received by Rev. F. W. Murray of Milltown, who on the approval of Presbytery has decided to accept. He will leave for his new charge near the end of April. Rev. A. S. Morton was ap-

Miss Grace Murphy and Mrs. Robert Thomson, delegates from the Women's Home Missionary Society, appeared before the Presbytery, asking advice regarding the future working of their society. Rev. Dr. Morison, Rev. Jas. Ross, Rev. Dr. Macrae, Rev. Dr. Fothsible to have; and while speaking of eringham, Judge Forbes and John Willet were appointed a committee to confer with the W. H. M. S. and repor A largely signed petition from the

congregation of St. Matthew's church, organize as a regular congregation, with leave to call, was read and discussed, but the prayer was not grant-Rev. A. Barclay of Montreal was

nominated as moderator of the next General Assembly.

The matter of appointing Sunday school missionaries, as previously discussed, came up for recommendation, but Presbytery declined to approve of

Reports for Sunday schools, Young People's Societies and congregational statistics were presented and Presby-May at 2.30 p. m.

THIS PUZZLE LOOKED EASY.

But Though \$2 Was Offered for th Solution, No One Could Do It.

(N. Y. Sun.) A puzzle in figures was displayed last week in the show window of a Schenectady merchant, and men, women and children fought for places from which they could study it. The puzzle was a column of figures

succeed in adding any six of the figures in the column to get a total of twenty-one. These are the figures:

Brains were cudgeled and worked overtime in the effort to get the re quired total and the \$2. Finally or wild-eyed man in the crowd gave gasp and forced his way into the store "Gimme the \$2!" he cried. "I've go

He seized a sheet of paper and scribbled down the following solution

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"There's your six figures and the The merchant admitted that this solution was clever; but said the figures must be used singly. The man with the solution went away disap-

A mathematical sharp consoled him by saying that the result demanded cannot be obtained because one cannot take an even number of odd fig-ures and get an odd result by adding them together.

LOGS BEING SAVED.

J. Fraser Gregory reported last night that everything was favorable for the saving of nearly the whole cut; 7,000 pieces have already been boomed in South Bay and four other booms aggregating about 20,000 pieces are ready to come in. One of these is at Palmer's Point, two are in the Reach and one is being towed down by the tug Champion. A quantity of logs equal to that contained in the booms has been rescued by farmers and stored along the shore. Only a few have drifted as far down as Grand Bay. It is intended to remove the

GEORGE DOING WELL Mrs. Sinsit-How are you making out

at breaking your husband of the liquor habit? Mrs. Newliwed-Grandly! The first victory belongs to me, as George gave

right in to my first suggestion. Mrs. Sirsit-How noble! What was your suggestion Mrs. Newliwed-Well, I suggested he

drink as much water as he did intoxicating drinks, and he promptly promised that for every drink of whiskey he took he would take a glass of water right after it!

A BOW-WOW BAITS THE CARS. A big black and white collie has for some time been biting at the electric car fenders and dodging the wheels of cars passing near the corner of Sparks and Bank streets. When the dog first began its antics many of the motormen would stop their cars quickly to avoid running over the dog, beast has grown so expert that the men at the motors no longer worry, but they are wondering how long his dogship will keep up his antics, and when he will be caught by a car and killed.-Ottawa Journal.



Dr. Pierce's GOLDEN MEDICAL DISCOVERY Restores

LOST FLESH

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The Christian View of Death as the Entrance to a Fuller Life is Presented in This Easter Sermon by Dr. Talmage.

WASHINGTON, March 30. - The Christian view of death as the entrance to a fuller life is presented in this Easter discourse by Dr. Talmage from the text 1 Cor. xv. 54, "Death is swallowed up in victory."

About 1,870 Easter mornings have

three centuries the almanacs made the year begin at Easter until Charles IX. made the year begin at Jan. 1. In the Tower of London there is a royal pay roll of Edward I., on which there is an entry of 18 pence for 400 colored and pictured eggs, with which the people sported. In Russia slaves were fed and alms were distributed on Easter. Ecclesiastical councils met in Pontus, in Gaul, in Rome, in Achaia, to decide the particular day, and after a controversy more animated than gracious decided it, and now through all Christendom in some way the first Sunday after the full moon which happens upon or next after March 21 is filled with Easter rejoiding.

The royal court of the Sabbaths is made up of fifty-two. Fifty-one are princes in the royal household, but Easter is queen. She wears richer diadem, she sways a more jeweled sceptre, and in her smile nations are irshe seems to step out of the snow bank rather than the conservatory, to lest of us into con south, out of the arctic rather than the tropics, dismounting from the icy equinox, but welcome this queenly day, holding high in her left hand the key

to all the cemeteries in Christendom: My text is an ejaculation. It is spun out of hallelulahs. Paul wrote right on in his argument about the resurrection and observed all the laws of logic, but when he came to write the words of the text his fingers and his pen and the parchment on which he wrote took fire, and he cried out, "Death is swallowed up in victory!" It is an exciting thing to see an army routed and flying. They run each other down. They scatter everything valuable in the track. Unwheeled artillery; hoof of horse on breast of wounded and dying man. You have read of the French falling back from Sedan, of Napoleon's track of 90,000 corpses in the snowbanks of Russia, of the retreat of our armies from Manassas or of the five kings tumbling over the rocks of Bethhoran with their armies while the hailstorms of heaven and the swords of Joshua's host struck them with their

CHARGE OF THE BLACK GIANT. In my text is a worse discomfiture. It seems that a black giant propsed to conquer the earth. He gathered for his host all the aches and pains and malarias and cancers and distempers and epidemics of the ages. He marched them down, drilling them in the by con commanded by pneumonia. Some he took by long besiegement of evil habit and some by one stroke of the battleaxe of casualty. With bony hand he pounded at the door of hospitals and sickrooms and won all the victories in all the great battlefields of all the five continents. Forward, march! ordered the conqueror of conquerors, and all the generals and commanders-in-chief and all presidents and kings and sul-tans and czars dropped under the feet of his war charger. But one Christmas night his antagonist was born. As most of the plagues and sicknesses and despotisms come out of the east, it was appropriate that the new conqueror should come out of the same quarter. Power is given him to awaken all the fallen of all the centuries and of all lands and marshal them against the black giant. Fields have already been won, but the last day of the world's existence will see the decisive battle. When Christ shall lead forth his two brigades, the brigade of the risen dead and the brigade of the

death shall be swallowed up in vic-The old braggart that threatened the conquest and demolition of the planet has lost his throne, has lost his sceptre, has lost his palace, has lost his prestige, and the one word written over all the gates of mausoleum and catacombe and necropolis, on cenotaph and sacrophagus, on the lonely khan of the Arctic explorer, and on the catafalque of great cathedral, written in capitals of azalia and calla lily, written in musical cadence, written in doxplogy of great assemblages, written on the sculptured door of the family vault, is "Victory." Coronal word, emban-pered word, apocalyptic word, chief word of triumphal arch under which

celestial host, the black giant will fall

back and the brigade from the riven

sepulchres will take him from beneath

and the brigade of descending immor-

tals will take him from above, and

conquerors return. ROUT OF THE KING OF TERRORS Victory! Word shouted at Culloden and Balaklava and Blenheim, at Me-giddo and Solferno, at Marathon, where the Athenians drove back the Medes: at Poitiers, where Charles Martel broke the ranks of the Sarcens; at Salams, where Themistocles in the great sea fight confounded the Persians, and at door of the eastern cavern of chiseled rock where Christ came out king of terror and put him back in the niche from which the celestial Con-queror had just emerged. Aha! When the jaws of the eastern mausolem took down the black giant "death was swallowed up in victory." I proclaim

the abolition of death.

The old antagonist is driven back into mythology with all the lore about Stygian ferry and Charon with oar and Melrose abbey and Kenilworth castle are no more in ruins than is the sepulcher. We shall have no more to who shall be surprised if out of this do with death than we have with the

dent's levee. We stop at such cloakroom and leave in charge of a servant our overcoat, our overshoes, our outward apparel, that we may not be im peded in the brilliant round of the drawing room. Well, my friends, when About 1,870 Easter mornings have we go out of this world we are going wakened the earth. In France for to a King's banquet and to a reception of monarchs, and at the door of the tomb we leave the cloaks of fiesh and the wrappings with which we meet the storms of this world. At the close of an earthly reception, under the brush and broom of the porter, the coat and hat may be handed to us better than when we resigned it, and the cloak of humanity will generally be returned to us improved and brightened and puri-

You and I do not want our bodies re

turned as they are now. We want to get rid of all their weaknesses and all their slowness of locomotion. We want them put through a chemistry of soil and heat and cold and changing seasons, out of which God will reconstruct them as much better than they are now as the body of the roslest and healthlest child that bounds over the lawn in Central Park is better than the sickest patient in Bellevue hospital. But as to our soul, we will cross right over, not waiting for obesequies, inradiated. How welcome she is when, dependent of oblivary, into a state in after a harsh winter and late spring, every way better, with wider room and velocities beyond computation, the dulcome out of the north instead of the the very best spirits in their very best mood, in the very parlor of the universe the four walls burnished and paneled and pictured and glorified with all the splendors that the infinite God in all the ages has been able to inven Victory!

THE URN OR THE TOMB. This review, of course, makes it of but little importance whether we are emated or sepultured. If the latter is dust to dust, the former is ashes to ashes. If any prefer incineration, let them have it without cavil or protest The world may become so crowded that cremation may be universally adopted by law as well as by general consent. Many of the mightlest and bes spirits have gone through this process, Phousands and tens of thousands of God's children have been cremated-P. P. Bliss and wife, the evangelistic singers, cremated by accident on Ashtabula bridge; John Rodgers, cremated by persecution; Latimer and Ridley, cremated at Oxford; Pothinus and Blandina, a slave, and Alexander, a physician, and their comrades cremate at the order of Marcus Aurelius: at least a hundred thousand of Christ's disciples cremated, and there can be no doubt about the resurrection of their bodies. If the world last as much longer as it has thus far, there perhaps may be no room for the large acreage set apart for resting places but there is plenty of room yet, and the race need not pass the bridge of fire until it comes to it. The most of us and them down, driving them is the sush of tempests. He threw up barricades of grave mound. Some of the troops marched with slow tread commanded gladsome, transcendent, magnificent, and the sush of le structure called the re rection body. You will have it; I will have it.

I say to you today, as Paul said to Agrippa, "Why should it be thought a thing incredible with you that God should raise the dead?" That far up cloud; higher than the hawk flies, higher than the eagle flies, what is it made of? Drops of water from a river other drops from a lake, still other drops from a stagnant pool, but now embodied in a cloud and kindled by the sun. If God can make such a lustrous cloud out of water drops, many of them soiled and impure and fetched from miles away, can he not transport the fragments of a human body from the earth and out of them build radiant body? Cannot God, who owns all the material out of which bones muscle and flesh are made, set them up again if they have fallen? If a manufacturer of telescopes drops a telescope on the floor and it breaks, can he not mend it again so that you can see through it? And if God drops the human eye into the dust, the eye which he originally fashioned, can he not restore it? Aye, if the manufacturer of the telescope, by the use of a new glass and a change of material, can make a better instrument than that which was originally constructed and actually improve it, do you not think the fashioner of the human eye may improve its sight and multiply natural eye by the thousandfold additional forces of the resurrection eye? eye?

EVERY DAY RESURRECTION.

"Why should it be thought with you an incredible thing that God should raise the dead?" Things al laround us suggest it. Out of what grew all these flowers? Out of the mold and the earth. Resurrected! Resurrected! The radiant butterfly-where did it come from? The loathsome caterpillar. That albatross that smites the tempest with its wings-where did it come from? A senseless shell. Near Bergerac, France, in a Celtic tomb under a block, were found flower seeds that had been buried 2,000 years. The explorer took the flower seed and planted it, and garlands? Do your wonder we cele-it came up. It bloomed in bluebell and brate it with the most consecrated heliotrope. Two thousands years ago buried yet resurrected! A traveler says the deftest fingers on organ and corhe found in a mummy pit in Egypt net and with doxologies that beat these garden peas that had been buried there arches with the billows of sound as the 3,000 years ago. He brought them out and on the 4th of June, 1844, he planted them, and in 30 days they sprang up. Buried 3,000 years yet resurrected! "Why should it be thought a thing incredible with you that God should raise the dead?"

Where did all this silk come fromthe silk that adorns your persons and your homes? In the hollow of a staff a Greek missionary brought from eantry of bannered host and the luxurious articles of commercial emporium

and feebler and then stopped. They is death? What have we to do with have taken no food. They want none. death? As your reunited body and They lie dormant and insensible, but soon the south wind will blow the re-surrection trumpet, and the air and the earth will be full of them. Do not you the emptied graves, they will be think that God can do as much for our bodies as he does for the wasps and the spiders and the snails? This morning at half past four o'clock there was a resurrection. Out of the night the day. In a few weeks there will be a resurrection in all our gardens. Why not some day a resurrection amid graves?

Ever and anon there are instances of men and women entranced. A trance is death followed by resurrection after a few days; total suspensian of mental power and voluntary action. Rev. William Tennent, a great evangelist of the last generation, of whom Dr. Archi-bald Alexander, a man far from being sentimental, wrote in most eulogistic terms-Rev. William Tennent se to die. His spirit apparently left the body. People came in day after day and said, "He is dead, he is dead." Bu the soul that fied returned, and Will Tennent lived to write what he had seen while his soul was gone

EXCURSION INTO UNKNOWN

It may be found sometime that what is called suspended animation or comatose state is brief death, giving the soul excursion into the next world, from which it comes back, a furlough of a few hours granted from the conflict of life to which it must return. Do not this waking up of men from trance and this waking up of insects from winter lifelessness and this waking up of grains buried 3,000 years ago make it easier for you to believe that your body and mine after the vacation of the grave shall rouse and rally, though there be 3,000 years between our last breath and the sounding of the archangelic reveille? Physiologisis tell us that while the most of our bodies are built with such wonderful economy that we can spare nothing, and the loss of a finger is a hinderment, and the injury of a toe joint makes us lame, still that we have two or three ss physical apparatuses, and no anatomist or physiologist has ever been able to tell what they are good for. They may be the foundation of the rerection body, worth nothing to us in this state to be indispensably valuable in the next state. The Jewish rabbis and the scientists of our day have found out that there are two or three superfluities of body that are something gloriously suggestive of an-

other state. I called at my friend's house one summer day. I found the yard all piled up with the rubbish of carpent er's and mason's work. The door was off. The plumbers had torn up the floor. The roof was being lifted in cupola. All the pictures were gone, and the paper hangers were doing their work. All the modern improv were being introduced into that wwelling. There was not a room in the be best proven by giving it a trial house fit to live in at the time, although a month before when I visited hat house everything was so beauti ful I could not have suggested an improvement. My friend had gone with his family to the Holy Land, expecting to come back at the end of six months, when the building was to be done. And, oh, what was his joy whe at the end of six months he returned and found the old house had been enlarged and improved and glorified. That is your body. It looks well now -all the rooms filled with health, and we could hardly make a suggestion. But after a while your soul will go to the Holy Land, and while you are gone the old house of your tabernacle will be entirely reconstructed from "cellar to attic, and every nerve, muscle and bone and tissue and artery must be hauled over, and the old structure will be burnished and adorned and all the improvements of heaven introduced, and you will move into it on resurrec tion day. "For we know that if our earthly house of this tabernacle were dissolved we have a building of God, a house not made with hands, eternal in the heavens." Oh, what a day when body and soul meet again! They are very fond of each other. Did your body have a pain and your soul not pity it, or your body have a joy and your soul not re-echo it, or changing the question did your soul ever have any trouble and your body not sym pathize with it, growing wan and weak under the depressing influence? Or did your soul ever have a gladness but your body celebrated it with kindled eye and cheek and elastic step? Surely God never intended two such good friends to be very long separated

THE FINAL VICTORY.

And so when the world's last Easte morning shall come the soul will descend, crying, "Where is my body?" And the body will ascend, saying Where is my soul?" And the Lord of the resurrection will bring them together, and it will be a perfect soul nn a perfect body, introduced by a perfect Christ into a perfect heaven Victory! Do you wonder that on Easter day we swathe our churches with brate it with the most consecrated voice of song that we can invite, with sea smites the basalt at Giant's Causeway? Only the bad disapprove of the resurrection. A cruel heathen warrior heard Mr. Moffatt, the missionary, preach about the resurrection and he said to the missionary, "Will my father rise in the last day?" "Yes," said the missionary. "Will all the dead in battle rise?" said the cruel chieftain. "Yes," said the missionary. Then said China to Europe the progenitors of the warrior: "Let me hear no more those worms that now supply the silk about the resurrection. There can be markets of many nations. The pagno resurrection. I have slain thousands in battle. Will they rise?" Ah, there will be more to rise on that day blazing out from the silkworms. And than those whose crimes have never been repented of will want to see! But insignificant earthly body, this insigni- for all others who allowed Christ to cloakroom at a governor's or presi- ficant earthly life, our bodies unfold be their pardon and their life and their

MAN ASSESSMENT OF MANY PROPERTY.

arrection it will be a day of viceternities? Put silver into diluted inter and it dissolves. Is the silver gone forever? No. Put in some pieces of copper, and the silver reappears. If one force dissolves, another force organizes.

"Why should it be thought a thing incredible with you that God should raise the dead?" The insects flew and the worms crawled last autumn feebler and feebler and them stored. They forever and forever and forever. Where the emptled graves, they will be the abandoned sepulchres, with rough ground tossed on each side of them, and slabs will lie uneven on the rent hillocks, and there will be fallen monu ments and cenotaphs and then for the first time you will appreciate the full exhilaration of the text. "Death is swallowed up in victory

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SHIP NEWS.

PORT OF ST. JOHN. Arrived.

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April 1.—Str St Croix, 1,064, Pike, from Boston, W G Lee, mdse and pass.
Coastwise—Str Beaver, 42, Tupper, from Canning; schs Mabel, 38, Cole, from Sackville; Bessie, 28, Smith, from Weymouth; Clarisse, 55, LeBlanc, from Weymouth; Lone Star, 29, Richardson, from North Head; Yarmouth Packet, 76, Shaw, from Yarmouth; Nellie, 59, Comeau, from Weymouth; Annie Pearl, 40, Starratt, from Margaretville; Gazelle, 47, Whidden, from Margaretville; Gazelle, 47, Whidden, from Margaretville, April 2—Str Bengore Head, 1,619, Phillips, from Port Talbot, Wm Thomson and Co, bal. Sch Rosa Mueller, 240, McLean, from New York, P McIntyre, bal.
Sch Traullen, 121, Spragg, from Boston, Peter McIntyre, bal.
Sch Fraullen, 121, Spragg, from Boston, Peter McIntyre, Sch Centennial, 124, Priest, from Boston, Tufts, coal.
Coastwise—Schs Ruby, 15, O'Donnell, from Musquash; Ethel, 22, Trahan, from Belleveau Cove; Bess, 24, Phinney, from Annapolis; Murray B, 43, Baker, from Margaretville.
April 3.—Sch Manuel R Cuza, 259, Sprague,

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Sch Ravola, 120, Forsyth, from New York, J W Smith, general.
Sch Thistle, 123, Steeves, from Boston, Peter McIntyre, bal.
Sch Onward, 92, Wasson, from Boston, J W McAlary, fertilizer, etc.
Sch H A Holder, 94, McIntyre, from Boston, P McIntyre, bal.
Coastwise—Sch Wanita, 42, Fulmore, from Annapolis.

April 1.—Str Matteawan, Moar, for Cape Town, J H Scammell and Co.
Sch Ina, Hanselpacker, for Boston, A Cushing and Co.
Coastwise—Str Beaver, Tupper, for Canning; schs Temperance Bell, Tufts, for River Hebert; Jessie, Carter, for do; Two Sisters, Kennie, for Harvey; Orlole, Shanklin, for River Hebert; Aurelia, Guptill, for North Head; Essie and Ethel, Ingersoll, for Grand Harbor; Gazelle, Whidden, for Maitland; Annie Pearl, Starratt, for River Hebert; Temple Bar, Amberman, for Bridgetown; Packet, Longmire, for dittor James Barber, Ells, for Quaco; Rowens, Hall, for Alma; Harry Knowlton, Stewart, for Sackville; Ernest Fisher, Gough, for Quaco.
April 2—Str St Croix, Pike, for Boston.
Sch W H Waters, Belyea, for City Island fo.
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Coastwise-Schs Minnie C, Ossinger, for Tiverton; Hustler, Thompson, for Musquash. April 3.—Sch Valetta, Cameron, for Lubec, deB Carritte.

Sch Ida May, Gale, for City Island f o, A Cushing and Co.

Sch Hattie Muriel, Wasson, for Boston, A Cushing and Co.

Coastwise-Schs Klondyke, Willigan, for Wolfville; Bess, Phinney, for Back Bay; Bear River, Woodworth, for Port Williams; Lone Star, Richardson, for North Head; Mildred K, Thompson, for Westport; Rebecca W Huddell, Colwell, for Advocate Harbor; Dora, Canning, for Parreboro; Miranda, B, Tufts, for Quaco; Mabel, Colf, for Sackville; Alma, Day, for Quaco.

DOMESTIC PORTS.

Arrived. HALIFAX, March 29 .- Ard, str Halifax, from Wilmington, Sailed, str Tunisia HALIFAX, Mar.

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(new), from Greenock for orders; sch Donzella, from New York.
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HALIFAX, March 31—Ard, strs Parisian, from St John for Liverpool; Glencoe, from St Johns, NF: sch Goesip, from Gloucester, Mass, for Banks (for bait, and cleared).

British Ports.

ST JOHNS, NF, March 31—Ard, str Peruvian, from Glasgow and Liverpool for Halifax.

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GLASGOW, March 31—Ard, str Sarmatian from Portland.

Foreign Ports.

NEW YORK, March 31—Ard, barks Alborga, from Santa Cruz; Calcium, from Ha Cid, brig Luarca, for Parahyba; sch Cheslle, for Port Greville, NS.
Sld, sch Sainte Marie, for Bermuda.
ALGOA, BAY, March 28—Ard, str Lord
Ormonde, from St John via St Vincent, CV,
and Cape Town.
BOOTHBAY, March 31—Ard, schs Ravola,
from New York; Onward, from Boston;
Nellie E Gray, from Quaco.
Sld, schs Thistle, for St John; Tay, for do.
BOSTON, March 31—Ard, strs English
King, from Antwerp; Mystic, from Louisburg, CB.
Sld, strs Manxman, for Liverpool; Cata-

Sld, strs Manxman, for Liverpool; Cata-one, for Louisburg, CB; St Croix, for Port-and, Eastport and St John; bktn Albertina or Fernandina; sch B Merriam, for Por-Greville, NS.
CITY ISLAND, March 31—Bound south, sch Elwood Burton, from St John via Vineyard Haven.
HIGHLAND LIGHT, Mass, March 31—Bound south at dark sche Sullivan Sawin

Passed south at dark, sons Sullivan Sawin, William Rice, Annie Bliss.

MALAGA, March 23—Sid, bark Salvatore Talavera, for St John (not previously).

SALEM, Mass, March 31—Sid, schs Emeline G Sawyer, for Portland; Alaska, for St CALAIS, Me, March 31-Sld, schs Clara CALAIS, Me. March 31—Sid, sens Ciara Rogers, for New York; Sarah Baton, for New York; Madagascar, for Sag Harbor. PORTLAND, Me. March 31—Ard, schs R P S, from Boston for Annapolis, NS; Manuel R Cuza, from New York for St John. Sid, bark Normandy, for Buenos Ayres; sch Annie and Reuben, in tow of tug Pallas.

At Hillsboro, March 28, sch R D Spear, Richardson, from St John; R L Kenney, Priddle, from St John, and cleared for Parrs-Priddle, from St John, and cleared for Parrsboro.

HALIFAX, April 1.— Ard, strs MacKayBennett (cable), from New York; Daltonhall,
from Liverpool via St Johns, NF; Indranl,
from St. John; Bauta, from do.
Sailed, strs Daphne, for Santiago and Jamaica; Glencoe, for St Johns, NF; Pro
Patria, for St Pierre, Miq; Bauta, for Jamaica; Parisian, for Liverpool.
Cleared, strs Halifax, for Bosten; Indrani,
for Glasgow.

HALIFAX, April 1.— Ard, str Sardinian,
from Glasgow.

rom Glasgow. Sailed, str Indrani, for Glasgow. Cleared. At Hillsboro, March 31, sch R D Spear, ichardson, for Newark, N J.

BRITISH PORTS.

Arrived. LIVERPOOL, aMr. 28.— Ard, str Numidian, from St John, N B, and Halifax.
QUEENSTOWN, Mar. 30.— Sld, str New
Bingland (from Liverpool), for Boston.
LIVERPOOL, aMrch 23.— Ard, str Commonwealth, from Boston.
At Bermuda, March 29, sch Maud Churchill, Harding, from Port Spain for St Marths. YOKOHAMA, April 1.—Str. Tartar arrived today at 7.30 from Vancouver.

BRISBANE, March 30.—Str Miowera arrived here this afternoon.

LIVERPOOL, April 1.—Sid, str Lake
Ontario, for St John, N B.

KINSALE, April 1.— Passed, str Ottoman,
from Portland for Liverpool.

TUSKAR, April 1.— Passed, str Etruria,
from New York via Fayal for Liverpool (in
tow).

PORT ELIZABETH, April 1.—In port, strs Tanagra, Abbott, and Remea, Smith, both from St. John.

NEW YORK, April 1.—Ard, bark Baldwin rom Santa Cruz (Cuba). HYANNIS, Mass., April 1.—Ard, sch Anni

from Santa Cruz (Cuba).

HYANNIS Mass., April 1.—Ard, sch Annie
Bliss, for New York.

MACHIAS, Me., April 1.—Sld, schs Addie
Fuller, for Shulee; Decorra, for Apple
River, NS; Centennial, for St John; Clement V., for Jonesport; Hattie Mayo, for
Lubec; F. C French, for Providence.

BOSTON, April 1.—Ard, strs Aladdin and
Aldernay, from Louisburg.
Saited, str Ivernia, for Liverpool.

VINEYARD HAVEN, Mass., April 1.—In
port, schs Sarah C Smith, from New York
for Portland; Etta A Stimpson, from South
Amboy for Boston.

Arrived and sailed, schs Jessie Hart 2nd,
from South Amboy for Calais; Adelene,
from St John, NB, for New York; Kennebec, from Calais for do; Arthur M Gibson,
from Savannah for Sydney, C B.

BRUNSWICK, March 31.—Ard, sch Lewanlka, Williams, from Martinique. wanka, Williams, from Martinique.
At Barbados, April 2, bark Kate F Troop
Brown, from Buenos Ayres.
At Bermuda, Mar 27, str Bratsberg, from
Halifax (and sailed for West Indies).

From Glasgow, March 29, str Oscar II, Peterson, for Sydney, From London, March 30, bark Capella, Wilms, for Campbellton.

Sailed.

FOREIGN PORTS. Arrived.

NEW YORK, Mar. 30 .- Ard, sch Charle

from Southampton and Cherbourg; Umbria from Liverpool and Queenstown.

FORTLAND, Me., Mar. 20.—Ard, 29th, schi
Abbie Ingalis, from Northport, L I.

Cleared, 29th, and sailed, str Norseman, for

you caything else on the plea or promise that it is "just as good" and "will answer every pur-pose." See that you get C-A-S-T-O-R-I-A.

Abbie Ingalis, from Northport, L. I. Cleared, 25th, and sailed, str Norseman, for Liverpool.

BOSTON, Mar. 30. Ard, str Boston, from Yarmouth, N. S. Sailed, schs. Hugh John, for Shelburne; Anna, for Hillsboro, N. B; Adetaide, for Wolfville, N. S. Sailed from Nantucket Roads, sch. Adelene, from St. John, N. B. for New York. SALEM, Mass., a. Mr. 30.—Sld, sch. Annie Bliss, for New York: Moraney, for St. John; Bessie E. for Vineyard Haven, Mass. BOSTON, Mar. 22.—Ard, str Catalone, from Louisburg, C. B; Bonavista, for Halifax, N. S; schs. Onward and E. H. Foster, for St. John, N. B. Anchored in Nantasket Roads, schs. Adelene, from St. John for New York.

ANTWERP, Mar. 29.—Ard, str Manchester Shipper, from St. John, N.B, via Havre and London.

BREMEN, Mar. 30.—Sld, bark Capella,

BREMEN, Mar. 30.—Sid, bark Capella, for Campbellton, N B.
PORTSMOUTH, N. H., Mar. 30.—Ard, 29th, str Britannic, from Louisburg, CB; schs A Heaton, from New York for Portland; Freddie Eaton, from do for Calais; tug Gypsum King, from Philadelphia, towing barge Newburg.

At New York, March 30, sch Charles H
Trickel, Parsons, from Norfolk.
At Pascagoula, Miss., March 30, sch Helen
E Kenny, Snow, from Matanzas.
At Pensacola, March 30, str Manchester
Importer, from Philadelphia.

At Carthagena, March 17, ser Simonside, Garrod, from Madeira (for Baltimore or Philadelphia).

At Curacoa, March 30, brig Curacoa, Olsen, from New York.

At Ponce, P R, Mar 19, bark Ich Dien, from Lunenburg, N S.

At St Thomas, Feb 27, brigs Aldine, Swain. from Lunenburg, N S.
At St Thomas, Feb 27, brigs Aldine, Swain, from Turks Island for Yarmouth (leaky); Mar 2, M C Haskell, Wingfield, from Martinique; 9th, bark Antigua, Jackson, from Port Spain for New York, leaking (and sail-

ed 20th).
At Pauillac, Mar 30, str Aureole, Crosby, from Philadelphia for St Ubes.
At Brunswick, Ga, Mar 31, schs Lewanika, Williams, from St Pierre, Mart; Edna, Donovan, from Bermuda. Cleared.

At Fernandina, Fla, March 29, sch Olinda, for Port Sekondi, West Africa. At Pascagoula, March 30, sch St Maurice, At Pascagouia, March 30, sen St Maurice, for Sagua.

At New York, April 1, seh Foster Rice, Dionne, for Perth Amboy; seh Atrato, for Bocas de Toro, etc.

At Boston, April 1, sehs Agnes May, for St John; Josephine, for Bear River; Annie for Salmon River via Yarmouth.

At Baltimore, April 1, str Marquette, Stone, for St John.

Sailed. From Bremen, March 30, bark Capella, Wilms, for Campbellton, N B.
From New York, March 30, sch Etta A Stimpson, for Boston.
From Vizagapatam, April 1, str Eretria, Mulcahey, for Baltimore.
From Delaware Breakwater, Mar. 30, bark Calcium, from Havana for New York.
From New York, March 31, bark Peerless, for Kings Ferry; schs St Marle, for Bermuda; Canaria, for Wilmington.
From Fernandina, March 31, sch Olinda, Porrior, for Secondi, WCA.
From New York, April 1, str Capac, for Valparaiso, etc.; barks Luarea, for Parahyba; Fiorence B Edgett, for Jacksonville.
From City Island, April 1, sch Cheslie, for Port Greville.
From Ponce, P R, Mar 25, sch Urania, for Halifax.

Halifax.
From Jonesport, Mar 20, schs Carley Buckt, Jenkins, for Two Rivers, NS; Silver Spray, for eastern port; F G French, Kelley, for Machias; Carrie C Ware, Bagley, for Janesboro; Ellen M Mitchell, Bringham, for Shulee, NS; Emma F Chase, Norton, for Boston. REPORTS.

HIGHLAND LIGHT, Mass, March 31—
Strong southwest wind, fair weather.

HIGHLAND LIGHT, Mass, Mar. 30.—
Light southeast wind and cloudy at sunset.

CHATHAM, Mass., Mar. 30.—Light variable winds; foggy.

MEMORANDA.

Passed out at Delaware Breakwater, March 0, sch Ida, Rafuse, from Philadelphia for Progreso.
In port at Port Spain, March 12, bark Angara, Rodenheiser, for New York.
In port at Ponce, P B, Mar 25, schs Emily I White, Bryant, from New York, discharging; Mercedes, Saunders, from Barbados, Passed Sydney Light, April 2, strs Trold, Gulliksen, from New York for Sydney; Capo Breton, Reid, from Sydney for Louisburg.

SPOKEN Str. Bengore Head, from Belfast for St. John, March 25, lat. 48.24, lon. 29.40.
Sch Edna, Donovan, from Bermuda for Brunswick, March 30, off Martins Industry lightship.

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