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Telegraph.

ST. JOHN, N. B., SATURDAY, MARCH 12, 1904.

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### WANTED-Se MINION HOUSE WANTED-A PENED THURSDAY; SPEAKER ELECTED.

ences. Apply in care of O Belcourt Unanimously Chosen-New Members Intro WANTED :ed -- Real Opening Friday, When Speech from the to Mrs. S. Ion Irone Will Be Read--Forecast Indicates Important Legislation -- Other News of the Capital.

which was before parliament to-MEN WAN t commons. As already said the opening by Lord Minto will take

estrict, int he motion of Sir Wilfrid Laurier, or ad by Sir Richard Cartwright, N. A. London, on it, of Ottawa, was unanimous

at. As speaker it was his duty to
the minority as well as to the
with whom he, Belcourt, had
for the eastern division, has been deposited
in the Bank of Montreal, in cash. at. As speaker it was his duty to

I ociated, the same rights and privall acknowledgements and expresse ions extend to him that indulgen support without which he would fail form the honorable and very drifticult

of the chair. Borden asked for the Alaska boundprrespondence, and Sir Wilfrid Lau n the hands of the primers, an was not would be presented to the

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water for all, embers who were recently elected one hundred - took their seats today before the from Sussex was elected were:—
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was elected were:—
broader, see the sussession of the suspense see the suspense s ste, Blanchet and Gervais. or Daniel, of St. John; Mr. Arm of Lambuton, and Mr. Hazzard, eens (P. E. Island), were on hand,

orchare to was introduced by Hon. R. W. cellent wate and Hon. Robert McKay, in the churches, sci. oday.

ual state dinner was given tonight FARM FOR mment house. The annual report ato at G secretary of state, issued today, city of St. J at the number of charters granted Captein Nelso. 6 company's act last year was 187, 1 with 126 in the previous year. hirty are und with 120 in the pear equals the ene expenditure, so that for the first

department is self sustaining. The for the year was \$54,090, as comrost-proof c for the year was \$54 water in kit ith \$35,666 for 1902. Joining each from the Throne. The owner is Minto will deliver the purchase n Minto will deliver the speech from premises.

One tomorrow. It will beyond premises.

FOR SALE to beneficient Providence for the business at harvest with which the country for large it n invored, and for the prosperity whole attent. ole attent, prevails in all parts of Canada.

Investme prevails in all parts of Canada.

Investme prevails there will be an illusion to the supervision suble and continued expansion of the N. B. te for the past six years. Attention also be drawn to the number of s that have sought homes in Maniand the Territories in larger numbers n any previous year in the history dominion. Comment is naturally

west to Canadian ports will have become self evident, wholly apart from the incidental benefits that will follow from the opening up of the northern parts of Que bec and Ontario, to colonization and for the multitude of enterprises which there is scarcely any doubt will be developed by the water powers existing in those sec

Reference will, of course, be made to the modifications in the original agreement with the Grand Trunk Pacific, and satisfaction will be expressed that the share-holders have accepted the contract and are prepared to go on with the work. The \$5,000,000 proposed in the original agree-ment as a security for building the western division and supplying the volting stock

Militia Bill. ncement will in all propabilit be made that a militia bill be introduced the present law, calculated to promote the efficiency and expansion of the force.

Parliament will be informed that a copy of the award defining the boundary be-tween Canada and Alaska, and of the

papers connected with the controversy will crease the "trength of the Northwest Mounted Police, as the settlers through the erutories are more widely extended than

The usual allusion to the revenue and expenditure may be looked for. The for-mer considerably exceeds the latter, and the balance will be applied in reduction

of the public debt. Hope Expressed for a Short Session. . Naturally the suggestion will be mad ast year, when so many important sub that parliament will be detained on the H. B. MacNamara, Canada's commercial agent in Manchester (Eng.), in a report to the department, says that American and Canadian flour have no hold in that district. Only 500 sacks of flour were exported to Manchester in 1903, while more than 1,000,000 bushels of wheat arrived by the Manchester ship canal. London, Gla gow, Liverpool and Bristol are the ports to which the greater quantity of Canadian flour is shipped. The various grades should be separated.

Mr. MacNamara says that there is a market in England for thousands of tons Only German and American refrigerato

## are sold, and there is no reason why Cana-dians should not get a share of this trade JOHN CHARLTON WILL

Toronto, March 10-(Special)-Hon. W A. Charlton, speaker of the legislature, said today that his brother John Charlton had not the least intention of resigning seing proof that many years before intemplated trans-continental railway Clifton Springs in a senitorium who completed its urgent necessity as a is said to be regarding his health.

## IAMBERLAINITES CONTROL BRITISH GOVERNMENT.

Hundred and Twelve of Them Issue an Ultimatum to Mr. Balfour, Which Causes Him to Withdraw Objectionable Motion-Canada Extends \$20,000,000 Loan

Three Years at 4 Per Cent.

Deputy Minister of Finance Courtney almost completed his financial mission

The Bank of Montreal find the ders of the Canadian government loan \$20,000,000, which will expire on May 1, ierally willing to accept the Canadian rernment offer of an extension of the in for three years at four per cent, th the option of converting into three r cent, on the basis of £105 for every Sieges 100 of the four per cents. The option Pills. tends to April 30, 1906, and is equal to bing the three per cents at 200 king the three per cents. at 951.

"It is expected that the operations will e carried through without difficulty, giv w the Canadian government the necessar without coming on the open marcy shy of the open market, having repals C ved plain hints that their presence

cable to the Star says:—
Deputy Minister of Finance Courtney

| Control | Co government majority of forty-two is accepted generally today as proof that the Chamberlainites are in a substantial work ing majority in the present parlament, even though for tactical purposes the ministry have been induced to pledge themselves not to force the preferential policy

before the next election.
"The Liberal journals, like the West
minister Gazette, head their editorials to 'The Triumphs of Austen, the

"Evidence of the greater consideration now given to colonial feelings is to be found in today's manifesto of the east end nnigration funds signed by Lord Brassey the Bishop of Stepney, and others. The manifesto makes it clear that no dumping of Englands' unemployed upon Canada will be tolerated. The aim is to aid the capable unemployed only to emigrate to Canada

### YALU RIVER 2,000 MEN. THIRTEEN COMPANIES Jopanese Reported Winning En-OF MILITIA GUARDING gagements in Various Places.

mounted scouts met north of Ping Yang yesterday. After a brief engagement the

Alexieff Reports Bombardment of Port

o'clock this morning, the outlines of ves

are absolutely unfounded.

Washington, March 10-The Japanes

minister has received the following cable gram from Tokio; dated today: "Vice-Admiral Kamimura, commander

in-chief of a division of the Japanese fleet

Bay to discover if they were there, but

King Edward Note Makes Better Russian

did not find them."

Arthur.

Alexieff Reports Another Bombardment of Port Arthur, But Gives No Particulars--Czar's Cavalry Repulsed by Japanese Horsemen--Russians Sald to Be Abandoning Port Arthur--Vladivostok Fleet

Not Located.

RUSSIAN LOSSES ON

London, March 11-Neither the official, has no forts or gunboats on the river. nor the independent despatches published is probable that when the ice disappe this morning add much knowledge to the progress of the war. Speculation regarding military situation on the Yalu River Tokio, March 10-Russian and Jape

aracter has been received. The Nagastaki correspondent of the Daily Express asserts that 200,000 troops have been shipped from Japan and that a portion of the second army corps is now

The Trico correspondent of the Daily Chronicle, evidently referring to the same ement, cables that the transportation o Northern Korea of three divisions apanese troops has been completed and while ton divisions of the second corps have already been mobilized. As an illustration of the curiously con tradictory character of reports from the Far East received here, the Kin Chau cor-respondent of the Daily Chronicle menions Fung Wang Chang (which is about

45 miles northwest of Antung in mannuria), as one of several points of Ruson's have reported that the Japanese have captured Fung Wang Chang. Other correspondents report that the Russians have mined all points where it is possible to oross the Yalu river. The Shanghai corre pondent of the Daily Telegraph says that the Japanese after Port Arthur is neutralized probably will

move two armies to the north simultaneously, one from the southern part of the Liao Tung pennsula and the other from the Valu size. The Programme the Yalu river. The Russians are now moving northward in Korea, this correspondent continues, with the intention of making Wiju their defensive base. Sea Fight Denied.

Russian Losses on Yalu River 2,000.

A correspondent of the Dally Telegrap in Japan recently wires fro Seoul that the Japanese are making steady progress with their land movements. The roads are occupied by Japanese traops.
According to a Tion Tein corresponder
of the Standard the Russans are with drawing all their superfluous troops from Port Arthur to Harbin and Kirin because of the choreness of provisions, and because it is doubtful whether or not they would se able to hold either Port Arthur newchwang against a resolute attack.

The spirit of the Russian troops, who are largely recruits, has been broken by stanyar on, cold and harsh treatment from heir officers. The Rusisan losses on the

A correspondent of the Daily Telegraph at Tokio says the Jiji Shimpho has re-served a communication from Pekin de-laring that Great Britain and the claring that Great Britain and the United States have protested against Ru sia sinking junks in the channel of the Liao river at Newchwang on the ground that this would prevent the egress of warships of these powers from the river.

The Standard this morning publishes a defenceless conditions of the Amur river-Russia never profited from the experiences of the Boxer outbreak, he says, and she

TO ALEXANDER GIBSON

Fredericton, N. B., March 10-(Special)

-Alexander Gibson, New Brunswick's

sage to Doctor Fisher. The latter found

that Mr. Gibson in addition to receiving

fifth year, has had excellent health, and

Ex-Ald. Walter W. Beyce has shipped

bout ten car loads of turnips this winter

and about five car loads of potatces to

T. A. Hartt, M. P. P., is loading pot

toes for shipment to the Boston market, and James A. Bell will follow up the

shipments he has already made with other

round again in a short time.

SERIOUS ACCIDENT

nips for Boston.

### (Continued on page 2, fifth column.) STRANGE STORY OF MAINE FANATICISM

Paris, March 11—A correspondent of the Figure in St. Petersburg writes that as a result of the recent letter from King Ed-

Woman Declares God Ordered Her Veteran Lumber King Fell Down to Sacrifice Her Children -- Other Stairs Friday, Fracturing His Members of So-called Religious Collar Bone -- Potatoes and Tur-Sect Destroying Their Finery.

> Bangor, Me., March 10-Manical proceed ings are reported among the 500 members of a so-called religious sect living in a colony on Beal's Island, near Jonesport. One woman who tried to kill her children after announcing at a revival that God had or-dered her to make the sacrifice, had been adjudged insane and brought to the hospital here. Jonesport deputy sheriffs and citizens have gone to the island to calm the excited inhabitants.

> Persons just returned from the scene assert that during the revival the woman who was brought to the hospital called out that the voice of God had told her that a ertain dog must be killed. The anim vas brought into the meeting house and lain. Then she announced that she had received another divine command that a cat in the village should be put to death. The execution was carried out; but when he arcse a third time and declared she had been commanded to slay her baby, a furious discussion was precipitated, which broke up the meeting. The authorities heard of the affair, and seized the woman pefore she could carry out the "command.

SPRINGFIELD, OHIO,

Negroes Are Urged to Avenge the Lynching of Dixon.

Burning of the White Residential and Business Sections Advocated -- People Are Still in a State of Terror for Fear of Further Rioting.

Springfield, O., March 10-The race disthe authorities were of the opinion tonight that no more troops will be needed to control the situation.

Both Chief of Police O'Brien and Sherifi Routzahn believe, however, that it would e a mistake to materially decrease the are unmistakable signs of ugly feeling on the part of the men and the boys who received the following message from Vice-roy Alexieff, dated Mukden, March 10: "The commandant of the fortress at have composed the mobs of the last three days, and the authorities realize that the hooting of either a white man or negro or even a street fight between men of op sels, apparently tropedo boats, were seen posite races, would be sufficient to star fire the mob again on a killing and burning

The burning of a portion of the leve out to sea at 2.40 a.m., and at about 4 o'clock met the enemy west of the Liao Tishin lighthrouse. After firing several and the vacating of several other negro saloons and lodging houses by their pro shots the enemy retired to the south in the direction of Shandun. Our torpedo boots returned to the harbor at 6 o'clock. mob, which was thwaited by the militar in its attempt to burn the "Flickers Nest," a row of buildings formerly occu "Later torpedo beats were again sent to sea to reconnoitre. They returned in half an hour, having learned that an enemy pletely described.

Nest," a row of buildings formerly occur pied by about fifty families, but now com pletely described.

This evening the police arrested a negret

pletely deserted.

This evening the police arrested a negre squadron was approaching.
"At 8 o'clock the Japanese opened fire claiming Cincinnati as his home, and give upon our cruisers and the fortress. The enemy had founteen ships and fired the entire time from behind Lioa Tishin. ing Y. N. Smith as his name. He was accompanied by several strange negroes and wherever they could gain an audience of one or more negroes on the street they read a highly inflammatory typewritten paper, urging the negroes to avenge the lynching of Dixon and to apply the torch to the white husiness and residential dis-"I have the honor to report the above to the white business and residential dis ricts in retaliation for the burning of the Vladivestok, March 10-The acting chief egro quarters on the levee. The police of staff today officially amounced that the reports of a sea fight between the Russian and Japanese equadrons on Sunday last wever, do not fear much or any trouble from the native negroes, as this portion of the colored population has been promp all day to keep the police in touch with Japs' Unsuccessful Hunt for Russian Fleet

any signs of an uprising on the part of strange negroes.

While a special grand jury will sit of Monday to investigate the lynching, it is thought that it will be impossible to in-dict either the leaders of the mon which

made a demonstration to the northeast of the batteries of Vladivostok on the sixth instant and bembarded the harbor, with the object of observation, for forty and about St. Raphaels' church today minutes, beginning at 2 p. m. Some soldi-ens were seen at the batteries but there was no reply to the bombardment. On the next morning the squadron scouted to the attend the funeral service of Charles Co order prevailed, and Father Buckleys' sermon made no reference to the way in which Collis met his death. Bay of America and the Bay of Streroku

## but found nothing unusual. At noon the squadron again made for the eastern end of Vladivestok but finding none of the enemy's chips there returned to Possiet IN QUEBEC ELECTIONS

Conservatives Capture Two Seats from Liberals.

Four Cortests Took Place Friday, Where in 1900 the Government Candidates Were Returned by Acclamation.

Montreal, March 10-(Special)-Return up to a late hour indicate that the Liberal and Conservatives split in today's provin cial by-elections. Supporters of Mr. Par-ent captured Berthier and Shefford, while the opposition won Portneuf and Maski-

In the general election in 1900 all the four seats went to the Liberals by acclamation. In Berthier, Lafondaine, Liberal, is elected by about 100 majority.

In Portneuf Naud, Conservative, has 250 projective.

independent ran, Doctor Matthew, Liberal, has 400 majority. In Maskinonge, Lafontaine, Conservative, has a majority of between 100 and Portneuf has not returned a Conservative

South Africa in a Hurry for Asiatic Labor Johannesburg, March 10 .- In reply to a

### SECRET BALLOT LAW TO BE ENACTED THIS SESSION.

Premier Tweedie Announces That Committee Appointed Last Year to Frame a Measure Will Meet Friday and Legislation Will Follow-Hon. Mr. LaBillois Explains New Highway Act.

Fredericton, N. B., March 10-(Special) | the reports of the last few years had been -Premier Tweedie in the legislature today announced that the committee ap- Bill to Legalize a Marriage. printed last session to frame a secret balot law would be called together tomorow and that the act would be put through

Hon. Mr. LaBillois outlined the new nighway act which will revolutionize the present system of caring for the highways.

The house met at 3 o'clock. he had been reported most unfairly and ncorrectly. His speech had occupied an our yet it was given much less space than that of the member for Restigouche who did not speak half as long, and ver little more than that of the member for Westmorland, who only spoke ten min-utes. The report made him say things

that he had never uttered. He drew attention to this matter in the hope that the work might be better attended to in future. The reporter is a gentleman of experience, well acquainted trusted his speech to a young man w reporter should not have remained to report his speech. He was paid well for do

He drew attention to this matter not in a fault finding spirit but that it might go forth that what appeared in the official report was not an accurate report of his speech. He would also take occasion to ask the house if it would not be better to obtain some other system of reporting. obtain some other system of reporting A synoptic report is of little value as a A synoptic report is of notice value as a record, because it does not profess to give the exact words of the speaker, but only the reporter's interpretation of them. No member felt bound by what appeared in a synoptic report. He had been informed that a verbaim report might be had been informed that a verbaim report might be

opposition was now taking a different position from that he held before, be-cause time and time again he had commended the synoptic report.

Mr. Hazen—When did I do so?

Mr. Tweedie Favors Synoptic Report-Hon. Mr. Tweedie said he had understood him to do so and in making his

complaint now he had spoken in general-ities. He should have stated wherein he was made to say things that he did not was made to say things that he did not say amd pointed out the paragraph in which he claims to have been misrepresented. He did not think it was well to be constantly finding fault with the oficial reporter. It was impossible for him to report all the speeches and after the mover and seconder had spoke it was quite natural for the reporter to begin to prepare his report for the St. John papers. Sometimes when the speeches did not appear in proper form it was not the fault of the reporter at all, but of the newspapers which carved them up to fit their space. A verbatim report would be of no use because the newspapers would not publish it. Personally he desired that both sides should have equally fair play and that the opposition speakers should be as well reported as the members which esupported the government. He thought the synoptic report was a valuable one and meets all the requirements of the legislature. He had frequently heard it most favorably spoken of by newspaper men and others as it contained all the business of the house. He thought that say and pointed out the paragraph in

Hon. Mr. Tweedie introduced a bill to legalize certain marriages by the Rev. Jas. Strothard. He explained that this was similar to the case of the Rev. Mr. Erb. The bill was read a second time.

Notes of Inquiry.

very satisfactory.

Mr. Hazen gave notices of enquiry in regard to the scalers and cruisers in the employ of the government, the Beersville Railway, the bridge over the south branch of the Oromocto River and the number of steel bridges placed under contract; also a resolution in regard to the vacanthe representation of St. John caus the resignation of Mr. McKeown. Mr. Grimmer gave notice of enquiry in

regard to the notes and uncollected accounts of purchasers of seed and horses.

Mr. Flemming gave notices of enquiry, in regard to the fees for settling the succession duties and registrars of probate

acting as proctors.

Mr. Glasier gave notice of enquiry in regard to the Oromoto bridge.

Hon. Mr. LaBillois introduced a bill re-lating to highways. He said it had been felt for some time that it is in the public interest to bring about a change in the management of our roads so that the expenditures upon them may be better regulated. As this bill is one of a I propose to take a little time to explain its leading provisions. This measure makes a number of radical changes effecting the whole road system of the province

by-roads has ceased to have any meaning, because some great roads are less import-ant than some by-roads. To Establish Highway Divisions.

Section six requires the government to establish as many highways divisions in each county as they may think necessary. obtained that a verbaim report might be obtained for a sum very little greater than the amount paid for the synoptic report. eport.

Hon. Mr. Tweedie said the leader of the prosition was now taking a different be made before the first of August in each be made before the first of August in each year, and if the districts were too large this could not be done. I have thought that each parish might be made into a dis-trict, but some parishes are much larger than others, so that the question of the districts has yet to be decided. The government will appoint superintendents of the highway divisions of the province, which shall give a bond for the faithful performance of their duties and who are required to furnish accounts and returns in regard to the highways under their

### JOHN MITCHELL ADVISES MINERS TO LOWER THEIR WAGES

This Advice is Sent to the Men Who Are to Ballot on the Question of Strike or Not-Operators Offer Five Per Cent. Less Than They Are Paying at Present.

deputation which protested against the delay in the admission of Asiatic labor into
South Africa, Lord Milner, the British
high commissioner, expressed his sympathy, and said he was convinced that the
importation of each ten thousand unskilled laborers would mean in three years
time the advent of ten thousand whites
earning comfortable livings.

Woman Burned to Death.

Dover, N. H., March 10.—Mrs. Frank
Mason, aged 60, was burned to death at

Indianapolis, Ind., March 10—The United Mine Workers Local Unions in Indiana, Ohio, Western Pennsylvania, Indiana, Ohio, Western Pennsylvania, Indianas, Maryland, Central Penna, Michigan, Kentucky, West Virginia and Iowa, that are to participate in the referendum strikes when the difference between us and that are to participate in the referendum strikes when the difference between us and that are to participate in the referendum strikes when the difference between us and that are to participate in the referendum strikes when the difference between us and the past seven years, by the control of the past seven years, by the past years are past years.

Hood's Ste in the house of commons on the ters, 66: all question is only realized when it is south. It is understood that the deposit of \$5. Safe the term of the debate 112 Chambers bound. It ded that before the debate 112 Chambers bound. They stoted that the common government, was effected through an arrangement below. South's Eamite members delivered an ultimatum communication of the trade may be for all between the company and the Bank of Monor to death at the communication of the trade of a dissestrons strike related when a lace curtain in her calculated which the deposit of \$5. The letter says in part: Calculate, March 10.—The government, was effected through an arrangement believed an ultimatum calcing a part of a dissestrons strike that may leave our organization intact, ready to take developed and stating the reaconns which it does along the for acceptace of any important that the reaconns in which it does are communicating to the trade when a lace curtain in her calculated when a lace curtain when a lace curtain in her calculated when a lace curtain when a lace curtain w

THE SEMI-WEEKLY TELEGRAPH, ST. JOHN, N. B., SATURDAY, MARCH 12, 1904.

## GRAND ORANGE LODGE OPENED.

### Reports Tell of a Progressive Year.

Sympathy With Japan - Arrival Here of Catholic Religious Expelled from France, and the Chamberlain Propaganda Referred to in the Grand Master's Address-Membership and Financial Statements Good.

St. Stephen, March 8-(Special)-The first session of the Orange Grand Lodge was held this evening, the grand master presiding. A cordial address of welcome was read by W. S. A. Douglas, county master of Charlotte, in which he recalled was favored with the presence of the Grand Lodge and assured them that the hearts of more than 300 members in Char-

lotte county bid them welcome.

The session was largely devoted to consideration of the reports of the grand secretary, grand treasurer and grand mas-

The grand master recalled that in 1802 in St. Stephen he attended for the first time the meeting of the grand ledge. He regretted the absence of many who had been called home within that time. He had used his best efforts to forward the interests of the order. He had adopted and followed so far as possible the plan f visiting the rural lodges.

The death of Cecil Rhodes, one of the Incorporations.

will hail with delight the consummation of a policy that will make our empire mere united and powerful than in the past." He had visited seventeen primary lodges and several county lodges. He advocated strongly the insurance branch of the order and the support of the Orange Sentinel.

An eloquent tribute was paid to brothers who had departed life during the year. He commended the system of propagation followed during the year which had resulted in the greatest increase of membership in will hail with delight the consummation

in the greatest increase of membership in the history of the association. energy in erecting new halls and improv-ing those already occupied, he expressed sympathy with Japan in her struggle with Russia and spoke of the arrival in Canada of members of the orders of the church of Rome who had been expelled from France. He expressed his appreciation of the assistance given him by members of the order and a hope that a large measure of success might attend their labors in the future.

#### Grand Secretary's Report.

The following is the report of Grand Secretary Neil J. Morrison:—

Secretary Neil J. Morrison:—

St. Stephen, N. B., March \$, 1904.

To the Right Worshipful Grand Master, Officers and Members of the Grand Orange Lodge of New Brunswick:—
Right Worshipful Sir and Brethren:—
Thave the honor to present for your favorable consideration my sixth annual report as your grand secretary, and to inform you that at no period in the past history of this grand lodge have I or any of my predecessors been able to report our order in New Brunswick in as strong a position, numerically and financially, as I have the honor and pleasure of doing at the present time.

Under these very favorable circumstances, it gives me great pleasure to welcome you all to this sixty-first annual session. Twelve years have elapsed since we last met in session in this old and historic town of St. Stephen, and on looking over the list of representatives that met here on that occasion, I find that quite a large number of the prominent members that gathered to transact the business of our association at that time have since received the summons to depart hence. Prominent among those who have departed may be mentioned Past Grand Masster David F. Merritt and James Kelly; also Robert Wills and E. L. Morrison, past grand treasurer and P. D. grand secretary respectively, all of whom were present when we last met here; also many others, who, though not holding as high positions, were equally active in the work of the association. Let us therefore who are left to carry on the work of this order, resolve that whatever others may do that we, the members of a loyal and religious brotherhood, will strive to foster the great principles of our order by living lives consistent with the aims and objects for which the institution etands and that the chart of our institution, the Holy Bible, which is always found open on the altar of an Orange lodge, may be taken as our guide in eyery transaction in which we engage.

Our order is growing stronger, year by year, thus showing that it has taken deep

engage.

Our order is growing stronger, year by year, thus showing that it has taken deep root and that the storms of misrepresentation of its aims and objects which are so diligently put forward have only brought it more prominently before an admiring public, and created such a sentiment in its favor that many who hitherto held aloof from it are now one with us in thought and sentiment.

this age, when thinking men walk before they lear.

There are many important questions agitating the public mind today in Canada, and although matters of this kind do not come within the province of a grand secretary's report, yet you will pardon me if I digress and refer to one, viz., imperial federation.

This question, which has created so much interest of late on both sides of the Atlantic and in which we, as a body of sworn defenders of a united British empire, must naturally have great interest, is my excuse for referring to it here. I believe that the great leader and empire builder who has risked his reputation and has taken up this question, will sooner or later see the object dear to him and to every well wisher of the empire take a deeper root in the hearts of every true British subject than it does to day. The Hon. Mr. Chamberlain has already created a great interest in this matter, and has won to his side many of the ablest men in England, and this order should take up this matter and champion it by word and pen end thus show our noble contemporaries in the mother land that we, their kin in Canada, are one with them in maintaining a united British empire and that neither

ocean nor distance will ever sway us from our attachment to that glorious old emblem of greatness, the Union Jack. Leaving this subject to you to act upon, I will proceed to lay before the grand lodge a report of the

Ten new primary lodges have been organized since we last met in grand lodge, in addition to the two organized previous to the meeting, making a total of twelve primary lodges instituted in 1903. Following are the names and numbers of the lodges organized:—

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Lakeview L. O. L., No. 127, York county;
Cape Rocks L. O. L., No. 128, Albert county;
Eureka L. O. L., No. 128, Charlotte county;
Toblque Valley L. O. L., No. 131, Victoria
county; Botsford L. Q. L., No. 132, Westmorland county; Friendship L. O. L., No. 123,
Charlotte county; Wellington L. O. L., No.
124, Kent county; Blissfield L. O. L., No.
125,
Northumberland county; Westmorland L. O.
L., No. 89, Westmorland county; Prince of
Orange L. O. L., No. 73, York county.
Lake View L. O. L., No. 127, was organzed on April 7, by A. D. Thomas, P. G. M.,
and others, and returns thirty members.
Cape Rocks L. O. L., No. 128, was institutd on June 16 by J. M. Steeves, county maser, and others, and returns twenty-eight
nembers.

members.

Prince of Orange L. O. L., was organized June 8, by H. F. McLeod, county master, York county, and George L. Haviland, P. C. M., of Fredericton, and returns seventy-teen members.

C. M., of Fredericton, and returns seventyteen members.
Eureka, organized June 19 by W. S. A.
Douglas, returns forty-seven members.
Tobique Valley, organized June 30 by David
Hipwell, returns eighteen members.
Friendship, organized on Aug. 31 by W. S.
A. Douglas, returns twenty-four members.
Botsford, Sept. 7, Benjamin Tucker and H. G. Wadman, returns ten members.
Wellington, Sept. 11, Benjamin Tucker and
H. G. Wadman.
Blissfield, Sept. 18, R. M. Grindlay and
John Menzie, returns twenty-four members.
Westmorland, Dec. 10, Benjamin Tucker,
assisted by the grand master and grand treasurer, returns sixteen members.
Admiral Nelson No. 124, which was organized prior to the last meeting of grand lodge,
is doing splendid work, and now returns
seventy-two members.

Minto L. O. L. No. 96, situated at Hawkshaw, York county, was resuscitated May 21 by A. D. Thomas, P. G. M., and returns—

members.
Union Brothers No. 137 was resuscitated by J. M. Steeves, county master, and the grand master early in June, and is now in good working order.
Other lodges resuscitated are Star of Hope No. 140, in Eigin, Albert county, and Benton L. No. 66, Benton, Carleton county. The total of new and resuscitated lodges added to our roll in 1903 is sixteen.

Gloucester, made application for incorporation under a provincial act on May 5 last. I filed the necessary parers with the provincial secretary and the notice of the incorporation was duly advertised in the Royal
Gazette. Elm Tree No. 118, situated in
Northumberland, was incorporated in December last. This lodge is building a new hall
which, I understand, is nearly completed.
The grand master has already given a description of that large and commodious building which L. O. L. No. 147, Newcastle, erected last summer, also the halls dedicated to
the purposes of the association during the
year and all that I have to add to what has
already been reported is that the buildings
are a living monument of the pluck and energy of the members of this Orange association.

Between

Aftert county—Nine primary lodges and two to hear from.

Charlotte county returns eight primary lodges, Carleton, nine; Carleton (north), eight; Kings county (west), six and one to hear from; Kings county (east), three and one to hear from; Northumberland, six; Kent, three and one to hear from; Glouces er, two; Restigouche, four; Queens (west), seven; Sunbury county, four; St. John county, twelve; St. John county (west), six; West; morland, twelve; York, eight; York (west), five; making a total of lodges reported to date of 121, with eleven to hear from. This shows an increase of nine lodges over that reported last year, besides the eleven not yet reported.

yet reported.

From the above returns I have compile the following statistics of the work accomplished by the order in this jurisdiction during the past year:—

ing the past year:—
Primary lodges instituted, twelve.
Members initiated, 595.
Reinstated, 109.
Joined by certificate, 139.
Withdrawn by certificate, 90.
Suspended, six.
Expelled, eight.
Died, twenty-five.
Making a total gain of membership for th
year, 705.

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I am sorry to have to reiterate again the complaint which I have from year to year brought to your notice, that of carelessness on the part of many of the associations in not attending to make early returns to the grand secretary. The new lodges have carried out the instructions, but a number of the old established lodges have not made any improvement.

In this connection I would bring before this grand lodge the question of allowing a number of our county lodges the privilege of holding their annual meetings early in the fall, as I find that a number of them close up before the constitutional time of holding their election. This province is largely a lumbering community, and lumbermen must be in the woods before the snow comes, hence the lodge is closed, the members are scattered, and when the time for holding the meeting for election of officers in December arrives, the members are away from home.

In my last report I referred to that year being a record breaker in the sale of supplies, but last year has largely exceeded it and takes the record so proudly held by 1902. Not in the sale of supplies alone has the work of this office increased, but in every department, which goes to show that the association is getting stronger, the members more numerous, and requires more attention from the grand lodge.

The last annual session being the diamond jubile e meeting of this grand lodge, I took up with the grand master and other officers of this lodge the question of getting up a report that would in some way mark the occasion. We decided to ask all past grand masters now in connection with the order, also all the present grand officers to furnish at their own cost a cut of their latest photograph, together with a short sketch of their connection with the association for insertion in the report, this making it of more interest to our old as well as the younger members.

The sum of money set apart by grand lodge at its last meeting for -propagation work aided your executive very much in carrying out the splendid work accomplished last year, and although certain parts of our jurisdiction did not take advantage of the share apportioned to them, yet a large part of the funds were used, where it could bring in the best returns, and the record made in organizing new lodges, resuscitating and building up weak ones, is the best argument that can be produced for yearly grants for this work.

In conclusion, the grand accretary referred to the prosperity which the local association now enjoyed. The financial position was excellent, splendid support had been given by the grand master, Bro. P. E. Helne; the deputy grand master, Bro. H. F. McLeod; the grand treasurer, Bros. H. G. Watman, and many of the county masters.

#### seasurer's Re port

H. G. Woodman, grand treasurer, reported a very successful financial year. There was a balance on hand of between \$1,400 and \$1,500. The year has been the best in the fhistory of the grand lodge.

St. Stephen, N. B., March 9—(Special)—The attendance at the grand lodge was reliable agreemented at this morning and lodge. onsiderably augmented at this morning's

The county master of Restigouche pro An invitation was given to the grand lodge to hold its next sesion at the town

Regrets were expressed by resolution at the absence of Right Worshipful Brother A. J. Armstrong through illness. George E. Day, of St. John, was named as the chairman of the commutee on cor

W. S. A. Douglas, on behalf of the Charlotte county lodge, extended a cordial invitation to attend a banquet tonight at the close of the evening session.

The committee on appeals sustained the action of the Westmerland county lodge. St. John county presented an invitation

for holding the next session of the grand lodge in the city of St. John.

Through the instrumentality of the Grand Ledge of P. E. Island, a movement has been inaugurated to institute an or phanage for the children of decease atter bodies have endorsed the movement and already appointed their committees of R. G. Magee, H. G. Wadman and Rev.

ented a lengthy report. Among the impertant sections were:—
1. Endorsing the imperial federation scheme as enunciated through Right Hon. Joseph Chamberlain.

A. G. Presser.

2. Recommending an increase in the salary of the grand secretary.

3. Expressing sympathy with the little Briton of the Orient in its struggle with

despotic Russia. 4. That Canada is becoming the dump ing ground of the Jesuits and other bigot ed Roman Catholic orders that have been expelled from France and other Roman uches this order. Loving freedom as we

ended that certain committees be per the fall instead of in February.

The credential committee submitted a report showing more than 100 delegates

report, which was taken up section by sec-tion. Among the appropriations made and supported were \$100 to the True Blue Orphanage at Picton (Ont.); \$250 for propa gation work; \$50, salary grand treasurer \$200, salary for grand secretary; \$100, for printing at the evening session.

The following were elected grand officers for 1904: P. E. Heine, grand master, Moneton; H. F. McLeod, Sr. D. G. M., Fredericcon; W. S. A. Douglas, Jr. D. G. M., St. Stephen; Rev. A. J. Prosser, grand chaplain, Hartland; Neil J. Morrison, chaplain, Hartland; Nell J. Morrison, grand secretary, St. John; H. G. Wadman, grand treasurer, Moneton; J. F. Devereaux, grand lecturer, Campbellton; J. W. Clark, grand D. of C., Moneton; A. R. Mowatt, D. G. secretary, McAdam; Rev. O. N. Mott, D. G. C., Wilsons' Beach; Pager R. M. Thorons, D. G. C. Dorchester. Rev. B. H. Thomas, D. G. C., Dorchester Rev. B. H. Thomas, D. G. C., Dorchester; Rev. R. G. Fulton, D. G. C., Hampton; Rev. I. N., Thorne, D. G. C., Northum-berland; Rev. A. W. Currie, D. G. C., Kings county; Rev. A. F. Brown, D. G. C., Albert county; Rev. J. C. Blakeney, D. G. C., Woodsteck, P. G. Master David Hipwell then in-stalled the grand officers, after which speeches were delivered by the grand offi-cers.

ion in Sussex on the second Tuesday in The grand lodge then took recess banquet tendered by L. O. L. No. 17, St. Stephen, after which they will meet and

### MYSTERIOUS DEATH OF ST. STEPHEN MAN.

St. Stephen, March 8-(Special)—The dead body of William Cope was found beside the street railway on Water street, above the bridge at 1.30 o'clock this morning. The top of his head was torn off and the skin knocked off his knee. It is supposed he was struck by a car while lying on the rtack, but there is nothing yet to

age and a native of England, coming to at times was inclined to drink too much yet was a square, honorable citizen. He years, being considered one of the best at that work. A divorced wife and daughter are living in the states.

Coroner J. D. Lawson, M. D., empanelled a jury and held an inquest tonight.

The O ekeas post office at Hampton Stalealer, with Mr. Smith as postmaster. The change is to be made on account of complaints made about the bad condition of the station, and the uninvitable place or the post office. The move, however, a very unpour ar os the residen's feel that the change is not what they wanted and has been made without their wishes being

The seas of Japan, Okhotsk and Bering contain 133 distinct species of fish.

# AT SPRINGFIELD.

Militia.

SALOONS CLOSED.

Negro Quarters Also Shut Up Tight by Order of the Authorities-Mayor Issues Proclamation Warning People Off the Streets -- Fight for Lynched Man's Body.

condition practically exists in the downtown districts, and the burned portions of the town formerly occupied by negro resorts. Ten companies of Ohio National Guard are on picket duty and seven more companies are expected. The saloons without exception were closed all the afternoon and many other lines of business have practically ceased. It is estimated that fully 25,000 people thronged the streets today, visiting the county jail, the telegraph pole at Main street and Fountain avenue where the nearo Dixon was tain avenue where the negro Dixon was strung up, and the burned-out districts of

As the result of repeated requests from influential citizens Mayor Bowlus has finally consented not only to close the remaining negro saloons, the hotels and lodging houses which are under the ban of the mob, but has ordered the proprietors in every instance to move out all the in-toxicating drinks and in some cases even the fixtures, including gambling apparatus.
The following proclamation was posted and ordered printed in the newspapers:
To the people of Springfield:

sity requires you to go thereon, refrain from congregating upon the streets or in public paces of the city.

Compliance with the above request is deemed to be necessary for the preservation of the peace and good order of the

acts of mob violence. Anyone found loit-ering in public places in violation of this request will be promptly prosecuted.

(Signed) CHAS. J. BOWLUS,
Mayor The mob has at no time shown any disposition to burn property other than that on the levee. The Kentucky relatives of Dixon, the lynched negro, have already engaged in a dispute as to which of them should come into possession of his body. Rev. J. R. Frazier of Harrods

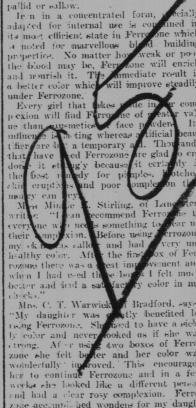
burg. (Ky.), a brother-in-law of Dixon, thas been active in his demands to have final disposition of the corpse.

The body was sent to Harrodsburg (Ky.)

#### Faded Women Need Richer Blood

t Stamps the Glow of Robust Health of Cheeks and Lips-How Blood is Made Rich and Red Enough to Beautify the Complexion.

A bright rosy complexion can easily be equired. All that is necessary is to pur fy the blood and supply it with an it reased number of red corpuscles. The impliest method of doing this is to intr s most efficient state in Fe istration.



vomen need. It builds up their system up over their system and makes then

feel vhat buoyant good heal-means. Price 50e per box or s arbstitutes, and get Ferrozo Polen & Co., Hartford and Kingston, Ont. CASTORDA
For usanta and Children
The Kind by Pave Always Bought Bears the Signature of Car Stite Fig.

## CANADA'S TRADE SHOWS BIG GAIN.

Over Last Year.

EXPORTS FALL OFF.

More Than \$5,000,000 Less Than Last Year, While Imports Are \$19,000,000 More-I. C. R. May Place Another Through Train on Route -- Other News of the Capital,

factories, on the free list. Messrs. Donald and Ewing, representing the grocers' section of the Manufacturers'

Hon. H. R. Emmerson returned from the maritime provinces today, after a trip of inspection over the Intercolonial. The minister says that the government road is in excellent order and doing a big business. The traffic, both passenger and freight, is steadily growing. There is a cry at many points for more station accommodation. The Drummond county portion of the road "One of the first problems," said Mr. Emmerson, "that the government will have

Imports Increase; Exports Decrease. The statement of Canada's foreign trade shows an increase in the aggregate trade of the country of \$13,739,582. There was an aggregate trade of \$313,627,519, compared with \$299,887,937 for the same time last year.

\$139,199,618 for the eight months last year, or an increase of \$18,971,829. The exrts show a decrease of \$5,232,247, so that he entire increase in the aggregate trade s made up of imports.

The details of the trade are as fol-

Total.... \$139,199,618 \$158,171,447

Duty collected 23,246,036 26,448,016

Domestic 152,084,622 144,599,291

Foreign 8,290,831 10,461,335

Coin and bullion 312,866 395,446

Total .. .. \$160,688,319 \$155,456,072 There was an increase of about \$1,500,000 the output of the mine, a decrease of arly \$4,000,000 in animals and their product, a decrease of \$2,000,000 in agriculture, and a decrease of about \$200,000 in manufactures. For the month of February alone there was a decrease of more than \$2,000,000 in the exports, while the imports remained about the same. In the duty collected for the eight months there was more than \$3,000,000 of an increase. Senators and members are arriving by every train to be ready for their parlia mentary duties, which will commence to-morrow when the commons will meet to elect a speaker. The formal opening of parliament by Lord Minto will take place

Rumons assign the two Nova Scotia sen ate vacancies to ex-Premier William Thos. Pipes and Hoa. Thos. R. Black, of Camberland, a member of the Murray admin-

#### RUSSIAN LOSSES ON YALU RIVER 2,000 MEN.

(Continued from page .1.) ard to the ezar, in which his majes expressed in cordial terms his desire for peace, the editors of several newspapers in t. Petersburg were summoned to the flice of the censor and ordered to moderate their anti-British tendencies.

This correspondent says also that the ezar has requested the Emperor of Germany to communicate to him his personal criticism of military and naval events in the far east, as the news of such occur-

French Officer Arrested for Selling Plans to Japan.

Paris, March 11-In spite of official reicence and denials from the Japanese le-ation here, it is again affirmed that a non-commissioned officer named Martin, the was employed in the ministry of marine, and who is now under arrest, attempted to sell French naval secrets to a val attache at the Japanese legation. The discovery of this alleged attempt ame as a result of the accidental opening f a letter addressed to the non-comm iary, but it indicated the principals in the affair. It is alleged that several won n are implicated and that one of them has confessed. It appears now that only one document is missing from the ministry of marine, but it is possible that Martin photographed and replaced others. It is not likely that the information alleged to have been stolen got beyond the inter naval attache, who is supposed to have been in indirect communication with Mar-tin, sailed for home on board one of the

ese naval attache who returned home, has informed the Petit Journal that Martin vrote him four days after his arrival in

### NO MORE SCRUB YANKEE HORSES FOR THE DOMINION.

Canadian Live Stock Association Pass Resolution That the Minimum Value of Each Animal Shall Be Fixed at \$75-Rideau Club to Take Action About Blackballing Cabinet Ministers.

Ottawa, March 8-(Special)-The discussion t the meeting of the Canadian Live Stock Association this forenoon was on the follow-ng resolutions: "Should the Canadian gov-Association this forehous has only ing resolutions: "Should the Canadian goving resolutions: "Should the Canadian goving resolutions: "Should the Steps to regulate the further importation of horses, cattle, sheep, and swine into Canada?" P. A. Patsheep, and swine into Canada be fixed at \$75. He said that Manitoba and the Northwest were being literally flooded with Northwest were being literally flooded with States. Not only were the farmers of the States. Not only were the farmers of the west importing this class of horses, but they were actually breeding from them, thus prover actually breeding from them. The Farmers' Association of Canada, represented by W. L. Smith, Toronto; Lockie Wilson, Alexandria, and others, opposed this. Stephen Benson and Andrew Graham, Manitoba, moved as a compromise an amendment that the minimum value be fixed at \$50. The convention, however, as a whole, supported the resolution, which was carried almost unanimously.

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Hogs were removed from the list of settlers effects imported free of duty, and their resolution declared that pure breed goats should be imported free of duty.

At the evening session the following resolutions were adopted:—

Resolved, that we recommend that in the nationalized record association's representation in the board of directors be given the breeders of each province on a basis of the number of registration, with a minimum of our representative from every province or amalgamated provinces or territories from which at least the sum of \$25 is received annually in registration and that the dominion government be requested to provide for affixing a proper seal signifying their endorsation of the registration.

Association, waited upon Hon. L. P. Brodeur today and asked that an amendment be made to the adulteration act to prevent M. Martán to state the nature of his busi-

tell his business in a letter, and fixed another time and place for a meeting. This appointment the prince kept, but Martin had by this time been arrested and there It is said that the documents acco o Martin related to the possibility of join aval action on the part of France and

Roosevelt Issues Another Proclamation.

to meet, will be to add another through Washington, March 10-President Roos relt, after a conference with Secretary of order respecting the observance of the pro-clamation recently promulgated regarding ant nations in the far eastern war now in progress. "All officials of this government, civil, military and naval, are hereby directed not only to observe the president's proclamation of neutrality in the pending war between Russian and Japan, but also which can legitimately cause irritation either of the combatants. The govern-ment of the United States represents the people of the United States not only in the sincerity with which it is endeavoring even, but in the sincerity with which is will on the earliest possible moment and with the smallest possible loss to those en-

gaged. "Such a war inevitably increases and inflames the susceptibilities to combatants to anything in the nature of an injury of light by outsiders. Too often combatan nake conflicting claims as to the dutie and obligations of neutrals, so that eve when discharging these duties and obligations with scrupulous care it is difficult to avoid giving offense to one or the other party. Such unavoidable causes of offence during, to the performance of national duty there must not be added and any oidable causes. It is always unfortun ate to bring old world antipathies and ealousies into our life, or by speech conduct to excite anger and resentment to ward our nation in friendly foreign lands ial position makes him in some sense th representative of the people, the nusches of such-actions is greatly increased. strong and self-confident nation should be peculiarly careful not only of the right but of the susceptibilities of its neighbors and nowadays all of the nations of the world are neighbors one to the other. "Courtesy, moderation and self-restrain nould mark international no less that private intercourse. All the officials of the government, civil, military and nava and friendly power and with all manking we are now in friendship."

That a deputation wait on the dominion minister of agriculture and urge that provision be made in the estimates for a sufficient sum to provide for the administration of the annual records of live stock and representation at the meeting of breed societies from the outlying districts of Canada. That the dominion minister of agriculture be requested to assume the administration of national live stock records, under the provision of the act in that behalf.

Their animals for preeding purposes may be

DISCUSS PENSION SCHEME.

All Branches of the Service Were Represented at the Meeting Last Night .- I. C. R. Workman In-

Moneton, March 8-(Special)-A meetng of Intercolonial railway employes re rackmen, etc., was held in I. C. R. offices tonight to discuss the employes' pension scheme. About thirty were present and it was decided to acquaint the employes all over the road with the details and benefits of the scheme with a view to cheiting sympathetic support and the eventual adoption of the proposal by the depart-

Among those present from other sec-tions of the road were L. R. Ross, St. John; G. M. Jarvis, Truro; Conductors T. Johnston, J. Fisher, Truro; H. B. Dustan, Halifax; Evan Price, Campbell-ton. The Moncton representatives present ncluded heads of office departments and other branches of the service.

John Richard, while at work on the new building at the I. C. R. works this afternoon, fell from the building about fitteen feet and was seriously injured. His feet were severely injured and it was feet were severely injured. The accident leared bones were fractured. The accident

### SUMBURY COUNTY COURT IN SESSION.

Grand Jury Indicts Walter Rollison for Uttering Forged Checks With Name of Dr. Dundas Signed to

Fredericton, March 8-(Special)-The Sunbury county court opened at Burton this morning, Judge Wilson presiding.

In case of the King vs. Walter Rollism, the grand jury after five hours deliberation failed to find a bill on the forgety count but indicted the prisoner for uttering about the proper for uttering about 10 pt. ing checks to which the name of Dr. Dundas, of Hoyt Station, had been forged. Rollison was then placed on trial and the evidence of John T. Clarke and Alfonso Kitchen, merchants of the city, was taken. Nothing very startling was brought out. The case will likely be concluded tomorrow. J. D. Hazen and R. W. McLellan are conducting the presecution and A. R.



THE SEMI-WEEKLY TELEGRAPH, ST. JOHN, N. B., SATURDAY, MARCH 12, 1904.

#### FREDERICTON.

Fredericton, March 8—(Special)—News brought in from various lumber camps is that operations have been quite success-ful. Lumbermen who had been in the woods for Michael Welch have arrived woods for Michael Mr. Welch has finished his yarding and that his cut will total about 6,000,000 or 7,000,000.

A number of the crew of Robt. Aiken, who has been operating on the Aroostook, are here, the season's cutting and hauling having been completed. Mr. Aiken has cut about 4,250,000, and this, with the last two seasons cut hung up for evant of two seasons' cut hung up for want of water, will give him a good many logs to handle. The prospects are that there will be plenty of water for driving this year. water, will give him a good many logs to handle. The prospects are that there will be plenty of water for driving this year. William J. Scott has returned from the Quebec woods, where he has been superintending operations. He reports that his crows finished yarding last week, and most of the men have come out of the woods. The season has been successful and the company has got out about 5,000,000 on Black River and tributaries. Mr. Scott reports about three feet of snow on the St. John kalburn has returned to the scene of his lumber operations. He expects to be all completed somewhat earlier this year than last and will have about 10,000,000 to come out.

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Dr. Olbrien, of Hants county (Man.), recently received by R. F. Randolph, who will re-cuit court and day Tuesday, and the road. Work was started on the Monte on the docket. The case against declair, and only reached a point a short distance from the crity. There is considerable snow and ice on the short distance from the crity. There is considerable snow and ice on the short distance from the crity. There is considerable snow and ice on the real hast victoria.

Bristol, N. B., March 7—R. B. Atkinson has taken charge of the school in district No. 13, Kent and Peel, for the remainder of the term.

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Frogmore, for many years the home of the late Hon. A. F. Randolph, has been purchased from the estate by his son, A. H. F. Randolph, who will occupy it with his family May 1. Frogmore is now occupied by R. F. Randolph, who will remove to his new residence in Brunswick street.

breach of discipline at residency, when authority of the dean of residency Dr. Scott, was questioned, if not defied, by a number of the students, was discussed and referred back to the faculty and dean Fredericton, N. B., March 9-(Special)-Numerous violations of the game laws are reported from the parish of Douglas. At least ten deer and two moose have been slaughtered since the season closed. It is supposed the guilty parties were Indians Miss Margaret O'Leary, who owns some property on Regent street, has been admitted to the abus house on the order o Ald. Vanwart, chairman of the alms house committee. It is understood the incom from her property will be applied for her

maintenance.

C. B. Foster, district passenger agent of the C. P. R.; is in the city today. Mr. Foster is accompanied by Dr. Paul Faber, C. P. R. medical officer at detention house at St. John and Quebec, and by James Mc-Kenna, C. P. R. traveling passenger agent. They drove to Marysville this afternoon and are returning to St. John this even-

The Scott Lumber Company have made extensive repairs to the Victoria mill, lately acquired by them, and will begin sawing just as soon as the ice runs out.

They have plenty of bank logs to keep the mill going until the up-river lumber is put through the booms. The company expect to keep the mill running day and night all through the season. Work on the new shingle mill, which it is the intention of the company to erect, will be commenced in a few weeks.

Newton Lee, who has been running a saloon on Westmorland street for son years, was ejected from the premises this morning by City Marshal Roberts, under a writ issued by the sheriff at the suit of John Macpherson, his landlord.

The quarterly meeting of the York and Sunbury Baptist Association will open at the Keswick church on Friday evening, and continue until Sunday evening. J. Stewart Neill, the second youngest son of James S. Neill, has been transfer-red from the Sydney branch of the Bank

Fredericton, March 10—(Special)—The Methodist church at Marysville was the gene of a pretty wedding at 8 o'clock this evening, the contracting parties being John Christie, accountant of the Royal Bank of this city and Mis Alice (Part). Bank, of the scity, and Miss Alice Temple, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Day. Rev. Robert S. Crisp tied the nuptial knot in the presence of a large number of people, the edifice being crowded to the doors. Miss Ethel Day, sister of the bride, was bridesmaid and the groom was sup-ported by John T. Gibson Hatt, of Marys

After the ceremony a reception was held at the residence of the bride's parents. The bride, who was a very charming and a large number of valuable presents. The bridegroom, who is a mative of North Sydney (N. S.), has been connected with the local agency of the Royal Bank for many years, and is deservedly popular with all classes.

Fredericton, N. B., March 10—(Special)

After a sensational trial lasting three days, the jury at the Sensational trial lasting three days, the jury at the Sensational trial lasting three days.

After a sensational trial lasting three days the jury at the Sunbury County Count today acquitted Walter Rollison, charged with attering a forged note purporting to be signed by Dr. Dundas, of Hoyt Station.

and the defence called no witnesses. To-day was taken up with the addresses of

of the jury.

A very successful mass meeting under the auspices of the Bible Society was held at Opera House this evening. Dr. Inch presided and the speakers were Rev. J. A. Richardson, of St. John, and Professor Watson; of Sackville, both of whom delivered eloquent and instructful addressos. It was announced that Fredericton had contributed \$591.93 to the centenary fund. The Trojans defeated the Indian hockey team from French Village at the Arctic Rink this evening by a score of 5 to 2.

The M & B railway management is

#### GRAND FALLS.

the late Inn. A. F. Randolph, has been purchased from the estate by his son, A. H. F. Randolph, who will occupy it with this family May 1. Frogmore is now occupied by R. F. Randolph, who will remove to his new residence in Brunswick streets.

The collectors for the Bible Society have completed their task, and the result is said to have been very satisfactory. There owere iffty-two young lady collectors. Among the largest individual contributors was broader ward, who subscribed \$90.

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Waiter E. Currier, lately a student in the solution of the simon pool. The plaintifie claim beind was to land and delivered by Dr. Hammay the solution of the lands by a deed executed by the original grantee, Aragus McDonald, just prior lately as well.

Jones Boyd was arrested by Sergant Philips this afternoon charged with assaulting Charles Cooper and Belgea last September. Boyd hais from Gagetown.

Dr. B. M. Mullin will leave tomorow for Baltimore to take a special post graduate course at John Hopkins University. The university senate met this morning. The university senate met this morning and the university obtained, and that the deed to I kyan was feared to take a special post graduate course at John Hopkins University. The university senate met this morning. The university senate met this morning and the university obtained, and that McDonald are course at John Hopkins University. The university senate met this morning to spend child, and of infirm mind, and to all the time was in the university senate met this morning in the university senate met this morning in the university senate met this morning to the consisting the course of the proposed to legally executing a

ou their finding will order a verdict.

The Robertson Comedy played in the Opera House here on Thursday and Friday evenings, but owing to the Lenten season were greeted with poor houses.

The work on the government wharf above the falls is progressing rapidly and will soon be completed. The object of the work, which was subsidized by the dominion government, is to prevent logs jam

moved to their new quarters in the Bu-gees building, and now occupy magnificent-ly fitted and equipped offices. The agent, W. M. G. Desbrisay, is proud of his elaborately furnished private office.

The snow is now rapidly disappearing, and in many places the fields are bare Another prolonged thaw would completely distipate the snow, the quantity of which this winter is far below the aver-

The People's Bank of Halifax have re-

Harry Costigan, Ottawa, is in town, the guest of Mrs. Jane Taylor.

A mission will be held in the Catholic church all this week, and services will be held every morning and evening. Father O'Keefe has secured the services of an eloqu'nt French mis ionary from Quebec, who will deliver a sermon at each evening ser

#### WOODSTOCK.

Woodstock, March 8-(Special)—The Carleton County Court opened this morn-ing, Judge Carleton presiding. The grand jury presented Judge Carle-ton with an address of congratulation expressing pleasure at his appointment, and

There were two criminal case n Woodstock. There were two criminal cases—the King vs. William Logue charged with making an indecent assault on Mrs. Bentley. F. B. Carvell prosecuted and J. C. Hartley appeared for the defence. The grand jury found no bill in this case.

The King vs. Charles Lloyd, of Bath, for an assault on Byron Hatheway; F. B. Carvell prosecuted. After the examination of three witnesses the case was postponed of three witnesses the case was postpone

until tomorrow. The annual meeting of the Golf Club was held last night in the office of Wen-dell P. Jones, M. P. P. The financial standing of the club was found satisfactor The election of officers resulted as fol-

lows: A. B. Connell, president; R. Foster Thorne, vice-president; J. S. Creighton, secretary-treasurer; J. N. Jones, assistant

Michael Kennedy, a native of Ireland, and a well-known citizen of this town for thirty years, died at his residence this

Moneton, March 9.-In Westmorland probate court yesterday before Judge of Probate Emmerson, in the estate of the Hoyt Station.

The crown's case was finished last night that the defence called no witnesses. To and the defence called no witnesses. To day was taken up with the addresses of counsel and judge.

The jury returned a verdict after one thour deliberation, J. D. Hazen and R. Halifax, whom he married in 1887 under the many of John Buckingham. Mrs.

The court was througed with spectators who expressed satisfaction at the verdict of the jury.

John. The case has been in court several months. Farmer left Moneton after the first hearing, and his whereabouts have

male or female.

The M & B. railway management making slow progress in shovelling out the road. Work was started on the Moncton end on Monday and up to last night the crew had only reached a point a short distance from the city. There is

judge charging the jury Friday evening.

The judge left eighteen questions for the jury, which retired Friday evening, and for St. Stephen tonight to attend Grand for St. Stephen tonight to attend Grand session of the L. O. L.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. W. Boyer, at the close of last night's service in the Free Baptist church here, passed their pastor a check for \$50 as a thank offering to the Drittel and European Bible Society.

### CHATHAM.

British and Foreign Bible Society.

Chatham, March 9-The monthly meet ing of the town council was held Monday evening. Ald. Maher, of the fire commit tee, reported two alarms during the month. Several bills were passed.

Ald. Morris recommended the monthly police bills passed. Adopted.

On motion of Ald. Maher, Ald. Fraser was added to the public works, police, water and sewerage committees.

Ald. Gallivan, of the finance committee read the following report, which was adopted: Your committee beg to report that they have received an offer for th two remaining unsold town bonds at par, and would recommend the same to be sold and the amount deposited to the credit of bond accounts. In the matter of Hanem Company's suit against the town, the cor mittee, in committee of the whole, has offered to suffer judgment in the sum of \$2,000, with a view to facilitate, and pre-\$2,000, with a view to facilitate, and prevent the incurring of costs. The exact amounts due by the town according to our engineers' report, is \$1,649.20, which with accrued interest, would make about \$1,585, and it was thought advisable to allow 885, and it was thought advisable to allow a larger amount in order to provide against any possible difference in measurements.

Bills crdered paid were: A. A. Stockton, Hanscom's case, \$750; R. A. Lawler, \$100, and the usual monthly salaries.

Mayor Murdock and the aldermen made feeling references to the loss the country.

feeling references to the loss the council and sustained by the death of Ald. Mc ntosh. Adjourned. A. Haviland returned today from Hali ax, where he has been attending Dal-

colin Robinson, who has a position in Ioncton, is spending his vacation at home Thomas Stevenson, one of our oldest esidents, died of la grippe on Sunday. He was eighty-nine years old and leaves one son. The funeral was held yesterday afternoon, Rev. D. Henderson officiating.

The sad death of John McPherson, age seventy-three years, occurred at his homen Monday, from the effects of paralysis He leaves a wife, five daughters and thro sons. The funeral took place this after noon, the interment being in St. Michael's

At the weekly meeting of the Miramich Natural History Association, held last evening, Doctor Cox delivered an interesting address on the aims, work and wants of the society.

Several inches of snow fell yesterday then a drizzling rain set in. John T. Rundle spent Sunday and Mon-

day in Campbellton.

George J. Dickson, president of the Northumberland county Agricultural As sociation, and George E. Fisher, secretary Guelph to attend the fat stock show Mrs. William Ahearn fell on the ice and broke her arm Monday evening.

#### SALISBURY.

Salisbury, March 10.—A young child of W. B. Henry's was quite badly burned Sunday morning, while standing in front of the stove its nightdress caught fire. In

### Heart Palpitated. FAINT AND DIZZY SPELLS. FELT WEAK AND HERYOUS.

COULD SCARCELY EAT.

MILBU HEART and N RVE PILLS

and could scarcely eat tated, I had faint and weak and nervous husband got me a lox and Nerve Pillhard I use, that I had give being cured. He had to take them and be the box I began to see made a new woman of the second second seed to take them and be the box I began to see made a new woman of the second seed to take them and be the box I began to see the second seed to seed to see the second seed to second seed to second seed to second seed to see the second seed to see the second seed to see the second second seed to second seed

father, Capt. J. W. Carter, of this place. V. E. Graveland left yesterday on a Allison Trites made a short visit to S

The many friends of Mrs. P. J. Gray are sorry to hear that she is very ill with while Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Wright were driving from their mill to the village Saturday their horse became frightened and throwing them both out went at a lively pace to the village. The sleigh was badly broken up, but Mr. and Mrs. Wright escaped serious injury.

ST. STEPHEN. St. Stephen, N. B., March 10-(Specia On receipt of the news of the hockey norns and hoorays were heard in all pa of the town, and on the arrival of the train today 500 enthusiasts, with the Maph Leaf Band met the boys at the station and as each one of the team alighted he was carried on the shoulders of his friends to a decorated team amid the shouts of the crowd. One of the Sackville boys who came with the Thistles, was also carried to the team. Cheers were given for the victors as we'll as Sackville. A procession was formed and paraded the streets of S Stephen and Calais, fin shing at the Thistle chib hall. The colors of the Thistles were visible everywhere, even the dry goods houses dressing their windows in red and

Judge Carleton is a guest at the Wind-

#### HARVEY STATION.

Harvey Station, March 8 .- The recen rains and mild weather have removed a considerable part of the snow and it seems that one of the hardest winters ever experienced is about over. Several cellars in the village are flooded.

Thomas Robinson has about finished his burklening constitutes.

lumbering operations at Magaguadavic Lake. A number of men and teams employed by him returned home on Satur day.

The many friends of Miss Marjorie At

chison, who formerly resided here, will regret to learn that she is seriously ill at G. Walter Coburn, who has been ill for some time of consumption, died at his home here yesterday. He was about 26 About 100 cords of spruce pulp wood has been hauled here for shipment by parties in Acton.

parties in Acton.

James Maratty, of St. Stephen, shipped a car of fat cattle to that place today. The cattle were driven through from the St. John river. Thomas Glendenning, of Moncton, was here yesterday visiting his brother, David Glendenning. He went to St. Stephen.

#### SUSSEX.

Sussex, N. B., March 10.—Walter Roche, of P. E. Island, is at the Royal Hotel. Mr. Roche, is agent for Contractor W. Kitchen and is buying lumber and material for the erection a new engine and round house in Sus sex for the I. C. R., which contract ha been secured by Mr. Kitchen

#### MONTAGUE.

Montague, P. E. I., March 7-Rev. W. Montague, P. E. I., March 7—Rev. W. G. Sinchair left this morning on a visit to his old home at Malpeque and will be absent over Monday, on which day the Presbyter an and Methodist congregations will unite, the Rev. Mr. Wason conducting the service in the Presbyterian church.

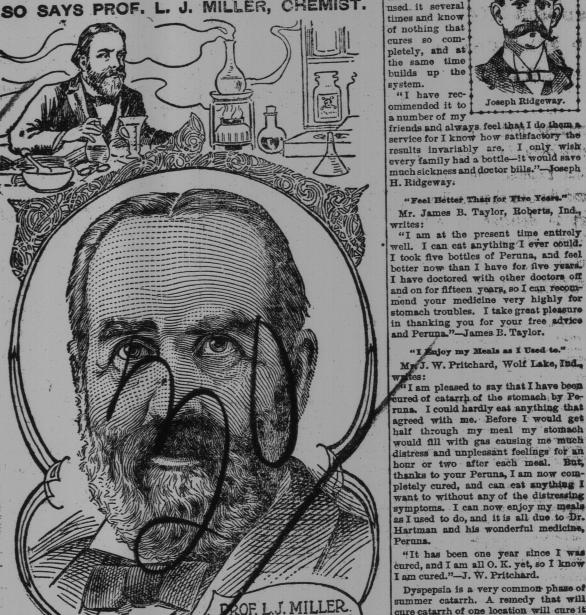
The Mthodist social and bazaar, held a short time ago, was quite successful, realizing \$120. The young ladies had an excellent display of fancy things which they had no trouble in disposing of.

Senator Robertson leaves this week for Ottawa for the opening of parliament.

The S. S. convention for the Georgetown

Hon. Joseph H. Ridgeway, Secretary of the American Anti-Treat Society writes the following letter from the Grand Central Hotel, St. Paul, Minn .: Reveals That "Pe-ru-na is Calculated to dorse Peruna as Tone up the System, Restore the Functo do all it

tions and Procure Health." SO SAYS PROF. L. J. MILLER, CHEMIST.



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nuch sickness and doctor bills."-Joseph

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stomach troubles. I take great pleasure in thanking you for your free advice and Peruna."—James B. Taylor.

"I Enjoy my Meals as I Used to." Mr.J. W. Pritchard, Wolf Lake, Ind.

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half through my meal my stomach would fill with gas causing me much distress and unpleasant feelings for an hour or two after each meal. But,

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symptoms. I can now enjoy my meals as I used to do, and it is all due to Dr. Hartman and his wonderful medicine,

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with the exception of three shares, is own listrict will be held in the Presyteris district will be held in the Presyderian church here on the 16th inst.

Rev. F. D. Davidson and wife have returned from Maccan (N. S.) whather they went to extend the funeral of Mr. Atkinson, Mr. Davidson's father. Mr. Atkinson, Mr. Davidson's father. Mr. Atkinson ame back with her daughter with whom she will reside in future.

Mrs. Wason, who has been sick during the winter with heart failure, is now conheir handsome home this evening.

John Stewart, who went to Boston or a business trip, roturned last week.

#### AMHERST.

Amherst, N. S., March 8—(Special)—
Barry S. Davison, Charles Davison and
Frank Stevenson, of Moneton, were this
morning sentenced to three years each in
Dorchester, by Judge Morse, the former
for etealing \$150 of property from the wife
of J. B. Lambkin, of the I. C. R., from
a room in the Kige Edward Hotel, Halia room in the King Edward Hotel, Halifax, the other two for stealing a lady fur coat from the Dominion Express team. The prisoners seemed to take their sentence very cooliy and accompanied by Jailor Simpson, left by the C. P. R. for Dorchester. Stevenson's father was in ourt when his son was sentenced.

Mr. Barker, of Wood & Barker, Boston, companied by his private secretary, Mr

here the evening to finally close the transfer of the Exploits Lumber Company, New foundland. The stock in this company,

ed by Amherst parties and represents mor han \$250,000.
Wishing to show their appreciation the eplendid record made by the first Ramblers Hockey team during the season now about closed, Mayor and Mrs. Rhodes entertained the team, officers of the club and a few friends to a dinner at After partaking of an excellently served

After partaking of an excelently served dianer Mayor Rhodes, in a brief speech congratulated the team on the splendid record they had made. Remarks were made by different members of the team thanking Mr. and Mrs. Rhodes for the deep interest taken and assuring them of

#### heir high appreciation of the evening.

SYDNEY. Sydney, N. S., March 1—(Special)—A its last meeting the Sydney board of trad-unanimously agreed that it was time the mation of an authentic character by the Dominica Iron & Steel Company. The period of unrest of the last few months has been disastrous from a business standpoint. The committee made its report to the board of trade this evening.

Mr. Plummer informed the committee that the work in compection with the coal

that the work in connection with the coal and that the plant will be in operation in July. Two of the blast furnaces are pro-ducing pig iron in satisfactory quality and

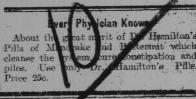
their number until the washing plant is complete and coke available. Four open hearth furnaces are running, The finishing of the rod and hillet mills. has been delayed because of the non-arrival of certain machinery, but it is expected that the rod mill be in operation next month, and the billet mill a few weeks later. mand for steel increases.

weeks later.
The plans for the rail mill are about The plans for the rail mill are about completed and it is expected that the board will approve of them at its next meeting. When the new mills are completed the number of employes will be materially increased and many of them will be skilled laborers.

Mr. Plummer said he anticipated no difficulties from the manufacturing side of the enterprise, so soon as washed coal in

the enterprise, so soon as washed coal is gain available.
In discussing the market he said that

although the improvement was very slight the outlook was encouraging, and that if



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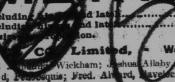
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ST. JOHN, N. B., MARCH 12, 1904.

#### GRAND TRUNK PACIFIC.

Gen. Man. Hays, who appreciates more the Grand Trunk could do the magnitude Grand Trunk Pacific contract.

the company, and call for much larger enditure on the part of Canada than the \$139,000,000 which Hon. Mr. Blair beprairie section of the road will be built, and the section to the lakes, and traffic will be brought down by the lakes route The government may build the eastern

Upon parliament now rests a very grave responsibility. If the government is able tion or excuse. The result of such action record of Liberal rule should be marred by a measure so unbusiness-like, involving the expenditure of millions upon millions for the benefit of a private corporation.

#### SIGNS AND PORTENTS.

The Gazette last Tuesday published ar day's attack on the Globe, and declared that it stated plain truths, which were a pretty clear and emphatic statement of the very great injury which the Globe has done to the Liberal party in this city and province." Continuing, it says further:-

The Cazette merely expressed some plain truths which are well known to very many members of the Liberal party in this conpain to those who control the policy of our evening contemporary, and that if left alone at would gradually fall into line and become again a warm and loyal sup-porter of the Liberal party. The expec-tations of those who so hoped have not been realized. Unless the Globe can control the destines of the Liberal party in this constituency and dispense the party patronage, its managers have made up their minds to ruin the party. The question more than a year ago, the Libera was able to put forth in assisting the Tories, carried all its candidates to a triumphant victory. On the 16th of last

proper management, and a determination that the voice of the majority in the party ral party may reasonably look forward next trial of strength comes round.

According to the Gazette, therefore, the diated by the Liberal party, or by "very many members of the Liberal party." By the Globe is meant Senator Ellis and Mr. Richard O'Brien. They are charged with having made up their minds to control the party and the patronage, or ruin the party.

publicly is not likely to be helpful in healing the breach in the ranks. The Tele graph will of course feel a degree of sympathy with the Globe, inasmuch as current rumor says that this journal, too, is

What the outcome may be no man can tell, but it does appear that somebody high in the counsels of the Liberal party of Canada is rather ill-advised.

#### COMPULSORY ARBITRATION.

tered to estit conditions here, and have that is the portion the Grand Trunk deprepared a synopsis of it for considera- sired a charter to build. The government tion. It will first have to be discussed by of Canada is now kindly offering to as

early four columns of a newspaper, no mmary can do it full justice, but the question will of course be fully discussed before any action toward the enactment of the bill is taken.

#### BEET SUGAR INDUSTRY.

The government of Ontario is asked t and which favors further protection for the industry, in the form of continued

at a critical stage. Four factories have been erected during the past two or three years—at Wiarton, Dresden, Berlin and Wallaceburg. Two millions of dollars have Wallaceburg. Two millions of dollars have been put into them, most of the money having come from Michigan, where the industry is an extensive one. The factory at Wiarton has failed; the one at Dresden is not in operation; only two of the four are continuing the effort to establish themselves, and even these declare that they must give up the fight unless the Ontario government, come to their the Ontario government come to their assistance. At the inception of these factorises the legislature passed an act giving them a bounty for three years of half a cent a pound for the first and second years, and a quarter of a cent for the third year. The first year the bounties fusilade then began, and for thirty minutes amounted to \$15,000; the second year \$15,000. This coming year, at the one-quarter cent rate, will see the amount cut in half. After that, unless the bounty is extended for another term, we are promis-

very profitable to the farmers. One farmer ducting cost of freight and seed, the sun of \$822.86. And the beet pulp from the factory is good fodder, making the factory

an auxiliary to the dairying industry. The Star says that eastern refineries are doing all they can to injure the Ontario industry. This is the charge it

Maritime Provinces have naturally given it all the trouble and opposition possible. Their purpose is plain. They are importing something like \$7,000,000 worth of heat beet sugar from Germany annually to refine it for the Canadian market. This busi ness will be taken from them and their doors closed if Ontario farmers and fac tories succeed in supplying Canada with sugar. Sugar factories are themselves re fineries, making the sugar and refining al in one process. Of this process the refin ing is the lesser part. The old refineries only put \$5 worth of labor upon a ton of imported German sugar, whereas factories such as those at Wallaceburg and Berlin are instrumental in putting \$70 worth of

In view of the vigorous advocacy journals supporting the government i may be assumed that some assistance will be granted to the industry

#### DUTY OF PARLIAMENT. The Grand Trunk Railway Company ha

tunity to get a lot of new railway buil for it at the expense of the Canadian tax payers. The government will of course us every effort to force the necessary measur through parliament. The views of th with prayers," the adoption of the scheme would no doubt aid to solve one of the

It may still be hoped, however, that par work, and the present proposition is far

present form will enable the Grand Trunk to increase its Canadian trade through the port of Portland, Maine. The connection from the west to North Bay and the Grand Trunk system will be rushed, for

Grand Trunk. If that be so, how was it that General Manager Hays told the with companies eager to make bargains to their own injury? The suggestion

gain with the Grand Trunk Pacific Com-

sure through without an appeal to th

#### AN AMERICAN PASTIME.

The following account of what the 1,800 39.000 inhabitants:-

with delight. Throughout it all perfect

sport for the crowd undoubtedly deserved

cluding Grant, Garfield and McKinley. Washington appeals in behalf of the law, and that the New York Herald calls for

aw in the United States has been rebe as far reaching and relentless as the

### SENATOR MITCHELL.

The Montreal Gazette, Conservative, pays the following tribute to one of the new

present a rural senatorial division he is as well known in Montreal as in his own home in Drummondville, and although the new senator has been a strong party man he has no personal enemies in the Con-servative party. He was born in Ulverton (P. Q.), educated in that district, and from small beginnings became one of most prominent business men of the East-ern Townships. While a young man Mr. ber Company, of which he was manager and whether at the head of that concern member of the firm of Church, Mitchel osition he held for ten years, the newly is held by his French-Canadian fellow politics all his life, and gave his first vote the council of the board and then by the sist the company in that enterprise.

minister of Canada when he was defeated in Drummond and Arthabaska upon account of the board, and a considerable time is some papers still profess to believe that

ceptance of office in the Mackenzie cab-inet. Mr. Wilfrid Laurier was legal adviser to Mr. Mitchell in Arthabaskaville many years age, and now it is Sir Wilfrid tration between unions of employers and Grand Trunk shareholders that if they Laurier and Senator Mitchell. The new and elsewhere, amongst others being president of the Cumberland Coal and Railway Company of Nova Scotia

#### ALL UP WITH JAPAN.

ern war as a text, adopted the following

in England our political and commercial enemy, a foe to freedom the world over, hestnuts out of the fire" in eastern Asia est against any action on the part of th we place on record our approval, gratitude and remembrance of Russian sympathy and assistance in 1776, 1812 and 1861, and in

ween England and Japan alienates al untry and believe that Russia is labor

surely ought to happen right away.

#### STILL AFTER THE GLOBE. The work of reading the Globe out of

"Appeals have been made of late to old Liberals, whose ideas of political self-

"Rule or ruin." says the Gazette; "cui ning and malevolence," says the Advance copy of the Globe on his person will be

Query:-How long will it take the Gazette, Herald and Advance "solder" to cement the Liberal party?

#### SIR WILFRID SPEAKS.

In an article on American Commercial Union, in the North American Review. Sir Wilfrid Laurier in October last, on the question of unrestricted reciprocity between Canada and the United States. Sir Wilfrid declared himself opposed to such a measure. He said:

"I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of your favor of the 9th instant. be opposed to at. You are aware that the Liberal party, some few years ago, highly the importance of the American market for Canadian products; but, fail-



ter, we directed our efforts elsewhere I am glad to say that they have been successful Leyond all expectations. That ovement in favor of unrestricted reciprocity had its 'raison d'etre' some twelve years ago; in the present conditions of our trade, its 'raison d'etre' has ceased to

#### THE TRADE ARGUMENT.

quotes the following from the World Alfrom, each country for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1903, was as follows:—

Experts into U. S. \$\frac{1}{2}\$ \$\frac{1}{2 In other words, the entire volume of our transactions with Japan amounted to \$65, 064,424, while with Russia it was only \$26,

for Japan is based on "justice and right, sion," he clinches his argument with the bove statement, and adds this significan

If this be the situation at present, whose uccess is most likely to further our com-nercial prosperity in the future, that of the country which has been striving for the "closed door" against us, or that the progressive little nly willing to afford to us the

hould appeal with considerable force to a avenues of foreign trade.

#### THE G. T. P. STOCK.

Grand Trunk Pacific the Grand Trunk is to their laurels. moters may afterwards sell the stock Whether they do or not, dividends will be paid on it, and this will come out of the should be absorbed by interested capital ists without any consideration whatever or at so small a consideration as to be in-

The dividends must come out of the traffic of the railway: or, in other words out of the pockets of the people who ar to pay dividends on millions of dollars worth of stock that were issued at prac

#### POWER FROM NIAGARA.

The Electrical Development Company of tric power from Niagara Falls to Toronte o Toronto. The company's manager says of the plans:-

"This power will be transmitted over the private right of way that has been ac quired by the company. In place of wooden poles, galvanized steel towers wil be used. The height from the ground t three others will always be available. The stepped up, and another at Toronto, wher it will be stepped down to the voltage ommercially in use."

#### NOTE AND COMMENT. David Sears, of Boston, has presented

Harvard University with \$250,000.

The town of Hull (Mass.) has voted \$500 Home Week.

The fate of the Grand Trunk Pacifi deal now rests with parliament, which should reject it, and insist on the extension of the Intercolonial to the lakes.

Both wheat and flour have declined in the American market. For the present at least the boom has spent itself. The condition of the sidewalks and

crossings in this city is unnecessarily bad. The street department should exert itself with more vigor.

It is said that a French-Canadian officer McKay of the 65th Battalion is one

will probably remain at Shanghai awaiting

the developments of the war.

ow amount to \$39,500,000. That count

applicable in St. John. The Advertiser.

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8t. John, N. B., March 12, 1904

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that perfect harmony exists in the Liberal and attention, and personally interviewed party in Shefford, but that there are cer- members of the governments of the diftain objectionable members who refuse to ferent countries he visited.

in process of development. The Herring Cove Railway Company is seeking incor- cost these Guitars-Francois, Philomene, poration. St. John and Halifax must look Norman and Lawrence-twenty dollars

Are we to have another Aroostook war

over an island in the St. John river? The statement of Hon. Dr. Pugsley shows that

much interest in the question of shipping facilities at the port of St. John. What

Mormon Apostle Merrill has eight wive and forty-five children. Apostle Teasdale has seven wives, and married two sisters at one ceremony. Eight Mormon leaders ple, these Mormons.

Says the Boston Globe: "Sir Thomas Lipton, after a few years of vigorous but ago packing plant to the Swift Packing Company, and the famous yachtsman finds again that the race is to the Swift."

An Ottawa despatch says: "The Mexican government, through Sir William Muis believed the Canadian government will reciprocate, and that before long steps

will be taken to inaugurate a service." The Toronto Star says: "Although supffering from the inpfluenza, General Pflug impforms the Czar that his Cossacks have proceed a Japanese patrol to retreat to Pingyang, which has been pfortified, on. Heavy snowpfalls at Port Arthur and ten degrees of pfrost at Vladipfvos-

The session of parliament which begins tomorrow will be a very important one, espite the fact that there is not a large government programme. The latter will toward the proper observance of Old include the Grand Trunk Pacific scheme Sir Frederick Borden's bill to amend the militia act, Hon. Mr. Prefontaine's naval reserve bill, and possibly a federal Sunday observance bill. There will be, as usual host of private bills.

> The number of suicides in Berlin is than the rate the country would have to larmingly on the increase. In 1900 the number was 434; in 1901 it was 525; in 1902, 564, and in 1903, 661. Whereas the three and a half per cent., the rate o nerease in suicides is thirty-eight per cent in 1900 there were twenty-three suicides to every 100,000 of population. In 1903 the it indicates that Mr. Blair knew what he number was thirty-one.

Hon. Messrs. Prefontaine and Brodeur were black-balled by the Rideau Club at Ottawa, and Hon. Mr. Sutherland had a narrow escape. Hon. Mr. Lemieux withupper province papers. It was a very small business, and the gentlemen who were barred out will have more sympathy than those who vented their spleen in s

The Albert county winter port is already appropriated some liquor left on a rail-

La Patrie says: "The new contract between the Grand Trunk Pacific and the the top of Lake Superior to North Bay the Grand Trunk Pacific will use the sec-

The New York Journal of Commerce states that Russia is seeking supplies of bought 100,000 cases some time ago. And Russian supplies, if purchased, must go to the Baltie; as Japan controls the Pacific route to Manchuria.

The state of New York, says the Post, oids fair to be again the chief battleround of the presidential campaign. Each whistling to keep their courage up, talk about being "able to win without New York." Not even a pretence of that kind acknowledge that they must carry this state or he hopelessly beaten.

If the big strike in the bituminous coal nines takes place in April, the price of the coal will advance, and it is believed there election. But the President would probably not relish this task.

A significant story comes from Krongreatest pressure was needed to fill the lists, as hardly any of the officers wanted to go. One officer, it is said, wrote "1 desire in case of absolute necessity." He was court-martialled and severely repri-

one phase of his opposition to the Grand to find the money with which to buil! the ment. Today the government is borrowing money at four per cent. to redeem was talking about .- Mail and Empire.

The Baird Company's

the The Chords.

THE SEMI-WEEKLY TELEGRAPH, ST. JOHN, N. B., SATURDAY, MARCH 12, 1904.

The Kind You Have Always Bought, and which has been in use for over 30 years, has borne the signature of and has been made under his per-Sonal supervision since its infant. Allow no one to deceive you in this, All Counterfeits, Imitation and "Just-as-good" are but Experiments that triple with and endanger the health of Infants and Children—Experience against Experiment.

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d Soothing Syr Opium, Mor and allays Fever shness. It cures Diarrhe a and Wind Colic. It relieves Teething Trubles, cures Constipation and Flatulency. It assimilates the Ford, regulates the Stomach and Bowlls, giving healthy and natural sleep. The Children's Palacca—The Mother's Friend.

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In Use For Over 30 Years.

### LOCAL AND PROVINCIAL.

Attention is directed to the advertis

ment in the want columns for a general servant in small family in this city.

All members of the I. U. Foresters are

ceipt of \$4 from Rev. W. J. Wilkinson, of Bay du Vin for the century fund of the

Policeman John Smith, of the North

End division, was operated upon in the General Public Hospital Wednesday. Mr. Smith was resting easily yesterday.

Angus Blanchard, of Marysville, wa

B. Mooney & Sons have been awarded

British and Foreign Bible Society.

A. P. Barnhill has purchased from Audrew Ruddick his house in Douglas avenue, and will take up residence there this year.

doing good work at Sand Point. Already more than 10,000 yards of earth have been lar No. 13 on page 20, of the February Forester. B. M. Mullin, high chief ranger.

The Carleton W. C. T. U. has decided to rent their hall in King street for a mission. The hall will be known as the

The Encampment of St. John K. T. was visited Wednesday night by Dr. Thomas Walker, provincial prior. After the meet-

The Bocabee Box & Lumber Cempany are adding a rotary and lath machine to the mill plant. They have several orders on hand and will begin sawing next month.

—St. Andrews Beacon.

The seventeen Belgian miners who left work at the Beersville mines this week and came to St. John, have been quartered at the Elliot Hotel by the acting Belgian consul and will be sent home on the

Friends of Albert Hartley, who left recently for Portland (Me.), assembled at the residence of Mrs. John Campbell, Prince street, West End, and presented to him a dress suit case and a gold mounted

A surprise party was given to Mr. and Mrs. Herbert S. Mayes at their home in Carleton Monday evening. It was the tenth anniversary of their wedding, the couple receiving a handsome piece of statuary. The evening was spent in var-

Miss Jessie Fleet one of the Canadian teachers who volunteered for service in South Africa, has returned to her home in Montreal. Stationed with Miss Fleet in South Africa were three New Brunswick girls—Miss Mabel Elliot, of Newcastle; Miss Pickle, of Kingston, and Miss

Mise Lillie May Thomas died Tuesday Mess Light and the home of her mother, Mis. Win.
Thomas, 34 St. Patrick street. Miss
Thomas had been an invalid for several
years, though but tharty years of age. She

train will make all local stops between St John and Hampton. The full suburban service will be put in operation June 1.

cutting and storing their harvest. The ice is of fine quality, some being twenty-six is of fine quality, some being twenty-six inches thick and the average weight of the cakes is 430 pounds. Between fifty and sixty men besides the teams have been employed. They have used the new ice house at Lily Lake for storing, also the fire houses. The prices will rule about city houses. The prices will rule about the same as last summer.

Next Sunday will be observed as missionary day by the Carmarthen street Methodist church. Attention will be given to the combined interests of the bi-centenary and ordinary funds of the missionary society. Rev. G. W. Fisher, of Millitown, chairman of the St. Stephen district, will occupy the pulpit, in the morning, and Rev. J. W. Manning, D. D., and J. Hunter White will address the even-Next Sunday will be observed as mis-

The treasurer of the P. O. Asylum acknowledges: Robert Thomson, Mass Louise Lovett, Alderman Bullock, \$25 each; G. Fred Fisher (repairs), \$3.96; George Blake, \$5; Judge Hamington, \$1; a friend, D. R., \$5; Judge Hamington, \$1; a friend, D. R., William Shaw, M. P. P., George McAvity, William Shaw, M. P. P., George McAvity, Macaulay Bros. & Co., \$10 each; cash, J. G., cash, L. W., A. C. Fairweather, James Jack, \$5 each; Joseph T. Knight, T. B. Robinson, Mrs. W. G. J. Watson, a friend, C., \$2, each; P. T. Donohoe, a friend, C., \$2, each; P. T. Donohoe, a friend, C., S., \$2, each; P. T. Donohoe, a friend, C., S., \$2, each; P. T. Donohoe, a friend, C., S., \$2, each; P. T. Donohoe, a friend, C., Mrs. M. Hay, George Raymond (Bloominell), \$5 cach; a friend, M., 50c.

### THREE CHURCHES WHICH MAY UNITE.

They Are the Presbyterian, Congregational, and Methodist

Leaders Favor the Union--Prominent Members of Each Denomination Unanimous and Want Action.

Clerical and lay leaders of thought in the Presbyterian, Congregational and Methodist churches, in Toronto, held an nformal meeting last week, and unaned for by a resolution urging that th everal denominational committees which range for a formal convention at which

The gathering yesterday was entertained at luncheon by Mr. J. W. Flavelle, and Rev. Dr. Carman, superintendent of the Methodist church in Canada, presided durantee of the Methodist church in Canada, presided durantee of the control ing the discussion which followed. There were present from the Presbyterian church Revs. Principal Caven, Dr. Warden, W. G. Wallace, and J. A. Macdonald, his honor the Lieut. Governor, and Messre. W. B. McMurrich, Hamilton Cassels, Levally, Hendrey, and L. Lowden: from W. B. McMurrich, Hamilton Cassels, Joseph Henderson, and J. Lowden; from the Methodist church, the general super-intendent, Revs. Chancellor Burwash, Dr. Sutherland, Dr. W. F. Wilson, Dr. Cleaver, and Mesors. Flavelle, Massey, Fudger, and Brown, and from the Compregationalists, Revs. Chas. Duff, T. B. Hyde, J. L. Gordon, J. W. Pedley, H. F. Thomas, and Mesors. H. O'Hara and Woodley.

Savaral of the gentlemen referred to the Saveral of the gentlemen referred to il in the new and sparsely settl ho favor organie church union, presse the definite prayer and expressed desire of the head of the church that his fol-lowers might be one. He confessed his nce to Calvanistic doctrine an Church of Christ was larger than any de-nomination, and ought to be broad enough to allow scope for individual preference, ooth in doctrine and worship, sufficient to meet every reasonable tinguished between what may be believed and taught, and what must be subscribed. "It would be the fulfilment of my life fream, the answer to my life-prayer, see these three churches one in organiza-tion es well as in spirit," said Chancellor Burwash. "And the barriers are breaking down. There is no insurmountable ob-stacle either in the theology or in the or-

ganization of the denominations. The more important than those about which we differ, and the bonds of our fellowship T. L. Reid, W. J. McClaverty, A. Mc-Mullin, jr., E. B. Kierstead, A. T. Moore and A. W. Lingley, of the post office have had their salaries increased to the maxiare stronger and more sacred than the points of our division."

His honor the Lieutenant-Governor in-His honor the Lieutenant-Governor instanced points in Western Canada where he had found overlapping of the churches to be a scandal. He was sure that in after years he would look back with gratitude to that preliminary conference, and to the fact that he had some share in its delib-

married Wednesday evening to Miss Carrie Clark, of Marysville. Rev. W. R. Robinson performed the ceremony. The happy couple will reside in Marysville. Dr. Carman, Dr. Warden, and Mr. O'Hara were appointed a committee to arrange for any further conference meet-

lesser problems of theological controversy have been solved and the barriers to union

ur years Vapo-Cresolene has used for all forms of throat and

ence. They ha

the contract for the repairs of the Mc-Laughlin Carriage Company's new quar-ters. J. Medley Belyea will do the wood-work, J. K. Pullen the painting and glass work, and Jas. Fleming & Son will fur-nish the iron columns. Discussing the conference, the Toronto Globe says editorially:

"The striking thing about the proposal of a union of the Presbyterian, Methodist, and Congregational churches in Canada, as now presented, is that its strongest, most hopeful, and most urgent advocates are not the inexperienced and untempered young men of the churches. The young men will be found for the most part, as might be nish the iron columns. "A Liberal," writing from Hampton to "A Liberial, writing from Hampton to The Telegraph, protests very strongly against the removal of the post office from the railway station, where it has been for thirty years. The change, our correspondent says, was not desired by the great majority of the people, and they are much disatisfied. be found, for the most part, as might b expected, favorable to union, for the points of difference are of less importance expected, favorable to union, for the points of difference are of less importance to them than they were to their fathers But they are not the leaders in the movement. The most unreserved and impressive appeals are made by the men who have behind them a lifetime of devoted and distinguished service in the churche in which they are honored and trusted leaders. There are not in the Presbyterianism or the Methodism of Canada men of more commanding influence than Principal Caven, Dr. Warden, Dr. Carman, Dr. Sutherland, Chancellor Burwash, and others of their generation, who have fre quently and with distinctness declared for a union of the Churches of Canada. Of the same spirit were Principal King, Principal Grant, and Principal MacVicar, who, having seen a union of the Presbyterian churches, passed away before the larger union of which they dreamed appeared upon the horizon. Their co-workers are still with us, and the passing years add a note of wistfulness to their plea as they point the way to the place of union. Fuffiling the words of the prophet, the old men are dreaming dreams.

"Nor need there be any wonder that

Thomas Malcolm, of Edmundston, the ailroad contractor, was at the Royal Wednesday on his way to Fredericton. Mr. Malco'm spent the greater part of the winter in Ottawa and Montreal. He is now preparing for resuming work on the Restigouche & Western Railway, which he is building from Campbellton to Ed-

Mrs. George Perry died Wednesday even-ing at the home of her husband, 15 Middle street. She was a native of Stewiacke (N. S.), and had been an invalid for at 2.30 o'clock Friday afternoon.

The I. C. R. will on May begin a suburban service. The train will be sent to Hampton at 5.45 a. m., reaching Hampton at 6.35; leaving Hampton at 6.45 and reaching St. John at 7.45. The 6 p. in. train will make all local stops between St. John and Hampton.

dent of Fairville, and foreman of the U. P. R. coal sheds there, was seized with P. R. coal shees there, was seized with a stroke of paralysis on Wednesday night. He was carried to the home of his son-in-law, James A. McKinnon, where he lingered until Thursday, when death came. Deceased was sixty-four years old, and leaves his wife and three children. He was a vector of the Crimean, war. Mr. was a veteran of the Crimean war. Mr. with had the respect of a very large circle

A very pretty home wedding was solemnized last evening, when Miss Louise Lord, daughter of Wellington Lord, of St. James street, Carleton, was united in marriage to W. J. McGriffin of Montreal, assistant mechanical superintendent of the Allan line. The ceremony was performed at 8 o'clock by Rev. B. N. Nobles. Mr. and Mrs. McGriffin left on the Halifax express for Halifax and then to eastern American cities. The young couple are American cities. The young couple ar popular on both sides of the harbor and t the depot they were warmly fare

Rev. J. C. Berrie, president of the N. B. Methodist conference, who is now visiting in St. John, will go to Toronto early in April to attend a meeting of the general transfer commettee of the church in Canada. Among the matters to come before the committee is the transfer of Rev. Wm. Dobson, of Halifax, to the N. B. and P. E. I. conference, he having received a call from Charlottetown Rev. Mr. Dobson labored in St. John for some years. There is also to be considered the transfer of one or two Newfoundland elergymen who wish to join the New Brunswick or Nova Scotia conference.

### HERRING COVE, ALBERT COUNTY,

Fredericton Gleaner Warns St. John to Watch the Proposed Scheme.

> If the Proposed G. T. Pacific is Built and Uses that Port for Its Export Business the Chipman Route Would Have to Be

Halifax. This is a very laudable ambition

Railway and is therefore connected wit he Intercolonial at Salisbury by a co suble route from Moncton to Herring Cove the total distance being about fifty mile A deputation of persons interested in this line, including Hen. Messrs. Robin son and Sweeney, Hon. A. R. McClelan Mr. Osman, M. P. P., Mr. Sumner an ways vesterday at Moncton for the pu

best consideration to the project and he made some suggestions to the promoters which would seem to indicate that he In the course of the discussion he hinted at the possibility of export traffic from the

west seeking an outlet through the ports of Albert in winter if railway connection what was fundamental to the Christian life was believed and taught. He dis There is no doubt that the people of both Albert and Westmorland are strong ly in favor of this project, which contains elements which give promise of it being viewed with favor in high quarters.

To make it entirely successful, however, t would seem that the idea of buildi the Grand Trunk Pacific to Chipman would have to be abandoned. If this rail way should come to Chipman it would be within seventy-eight miles of St. John by line that is already built, whereas the would probably not be less than 110 miles Herning Cove also stands at this disadrening cove also stands at this renarry vantage as compared with St. John, that it is about 100 miles further up the bay, and that it has at present no terminal facilities. Still these might be created, and a movement in favor of Herring Cove is one that the people of St. John wou do well to watch, supported as it is by such influential names, and by the people

#### LIEUT. GOVERNOR SNOWBALL Not as Optimistic About New Brunswick Coal as Some Are.

New Brunswick does not lead in an New Bruinswick does not read in any acute degree the strenuous life.

'We have no burning question,' as His Honor Lieutenant-Governor Snowball remarked on Monday at the Windsor Hotel, Montreal. 'We get along quietly, fulfilling our destiny without too much noise.'

Just now there is a great exploitation of the coal question. His honor does not quite share the optimism which is felt in regard to this matter of coal, but, at the ame time, from what has been done, i could be promising enough. There were, to be sure, many other min-

There were, to be sure, many other minerals in the province, but no attention had been paid to them. There were two things which New Brunswick stood for agriculture and lumber. The lumber business was properous, but there were signs that this business was weakening.

Of course, like all other things, a period would be put to it in time. Some were disposed to think that the government had not given enough attention to ment had not given enough attention to this industry, and the manner of its oper-ation, but agriculture did indeed receive he greatest attention from all concerne n the prosperity of the province. Popu of their bright young men left for the west, but at present the population wa-gaining somewhat.—Montreal Witness

### Lemperance People's Pleasa t Evening. A very pleasant evening was spent at he meeting of Fairville Division, S. of

filling the words of the prophet, the old men are dreaming dreams.

"Nor need there he any wonder that age and experience lead in a movement such as this. These men who speak thus to the churches were once fervent denominationalists as the rest. But life has taught them its great leason. They have come to see things in their true purspective and to put first things first. Behind them are their years of service, the total of which might have been larger and richer had the conditions been better. They can estimate more justly than in earlier years T. Tu sday n ght. Af er the usual business routine, including the initiation of a member, No Surrender Lodge, I. O. G. T. member, we surrenter lodge, I. O. G. T., was announced in waiting to pay a fraternal visit to the division. The lodge was received by the division, Rev. W. J. Kirby, grand chaplain, acting as W. had the conditions been better. They can estimate more justly than in earlier years the waste and enfeeblement of unnecessary division and unholy strife. That those who follow after may have larger An address of welcome was given b opportunities for enecuve service the fathers of the churches plead for union among the forces of Christianity.

"Brides, too, these men have faced life's real problems, and they see how the

An address of westone was given by the acting W. P., after which A. C. Podman, chief templar of the lodge, and editor of the monthly journal, prepared by the members of the division, read the fourth issue of that paper. The officers A., Edward A. Everett, grand scribe, and Joshua Stark, D. C. W. P., of Gurney

taken out of the way. The emphasis has shifted from questions of philosophy and theology and government, over which the denominations disputed in past generations, to the supreme problems of recovering and redeeming the lives of men and of communities, and the pressing problem of world-wide evangelization. In the presence of these problems all disputes over Dr. Gray, of the I. O. G. T. lodge, als addressed the meeting. An harmonica solwas played by Wm. Gory. Refreshment nce of these problems all disputes over wer served at the close of the meeting. ence of these problems into insignificance,

"The old men dream dreams. But they are the men whom his has taught and disciplined and made ober. Their dreams

#### Property Purchase.

Emerson & Fisher have bought from Hon. Jemes Dever the land, on the west side of Germain street between the Masside of Germain street Detween the Massey-Harris Company building and J. Clark & Sone. The buildings are to be pulled down and a five-story brick building will be built. Emerson & Fisher intend to remove their whole business there.

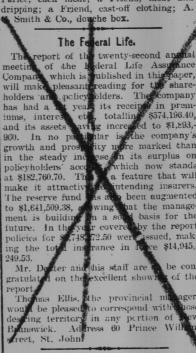
### SUSSEX SEED FAIR AND FARMERS' CONVENTION.

THE TERMINUS? Exhibition to Be Held March 28 and 29-List of Prizes.

> The Sussex and Studholm Agricultural Society and Farmers' Institute, No. 21, will hold a seed fair for the sale and exchange of seeds in Medley Memorial Hall at Sussex on the 28th and 29th of March, 1904, when the following prizes will be offered for com-petition as per rules and regulations at-

Salvation Army Home. The Evangeline Home and Hospital acknowledge with thanks the following donations for January and February:

Mrs. Robert Thomson, \$25; Mrs. Joseph Allison, Miss I. Kinnear, each \$20; G. E. \*\*Eairweather, F. A. Jones, Jas. Robertson Co., J. & A. McMillan, J. R. Stone, Baird & Peters, F. Starr, Mrs. T. H. Estabrooks, Wm. Downie, H. A. Austin, each \$5; Miss F. Lovett, a Friend, St. John Iron Works, Mrs. B. Cushing, Waterbury & Rising, W. E. Burditt, McLaughlin, & Co. L. & E. R. F. Burditt, McLaughlin & Co., I. & E. R. Burpee, J. W. Harvey, Miss McKinnon, G. A. Henderson, D. C. Clinch, each \$2; Haley Bros., Doctor Price, Reid Bros., Ferguson & Page, M. A. Finn, F. L. Sharpe, Mrs. K. Jones, a Friend, Doctor Inches, W. H. Hanington, Rev. J. A. Richardson, S. B. Blair, A. H. Hanington, A. O. Skinner, each \$1; Mrs. F. A. Currey Mrs. Thos. Walker, Mrs. C. E. Lowe, Mrs W. H. deForest, Mrs. A. McNichol, each 50 cents; McPherson Bros., barrel apples; S. L. Lauckner, bread and buns; G. Mitchell, cake; H. P. Robertson, fish; S. Dickson, meat; Mrs. Steiper, vege ables; J. M. Magee, Cosman & Wetmore J. Minehan, T. Dean, Ed. McDonaid D'Neil Bros., M. Ryan, J. Earle, J. F lurphy, G. W. Slocum, G. N. Earle, J.



Parlee each meat: a Friend, meat and

Good Lumber Season in Victoria County. Plaster Rock, Victoria county, March imbering ever known on Tobique Valle he the busiest and most important of a is being thoroughly overhauled under the trained and skilfull supervision of William King, of Woodstock.

Bishop McDonald, of Charlottetown (P. E. I.), will pay an official visit to the Pope next fall. It is estimated that the Kaffirs in the dia-

mond mines at Kimberley, South Africa, steal £250,000 worth of diamonds a year.

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## GETTING READY FOR RIVER TRAFFIC.

They're Getting the Steamers in Good Shape for the Opening of Navigation in a Month or So--Description of the Work of Improvement That is Going On--Promise of a Fine Fleet.

Whenever navigation commences it is expected the majority of the Indiantown steamers will be in a position to go on the service. On several of the boats the

The mother of the fleet-May Queenhas been extensively renovated and improved. The Queen is no longer under the management of the Messrs. Brannen and management of the Messrs. Brannen and the position of master is now filled by Harry Weston, who for ten years was chief mate. Associated with him is the chief engineer, Wm. G. Gray.

The carpenter work, under the direction of Messrs. Retallick and Estey, was begun on Feb. 8, and the operations have been suched along in a very workmanitie.

been pushed along in a very workmanlike and finished manner. The engine frame has been almost rebuilt, and a new bed provided, also a new rudder. Minor porprovided, also a new radder. Minor por-tions of the craft have been carefully in-spected and strengthened. The machinery has also received careful attention. The mechanical stoker, installed under the Brannen management, will be retained, for it gave good satisfaction. The custom-put integrice and exterior pointing, will

On board the Majestic particular paid are being taken to put the machinery it the best possible condition. The entire bout is being gone over minutely, and

when the season opens she will be among the most capable in the service. She is lying at the Star Line wharf.

There is a new captain for the Crystal Stream. He is Andrew Norwood, formerly in command of the Aberdeen. On board the Crystal Stream the grand control of

ofication.

H. MONTGOMERY CAMPBELL,
President.

E. B. BEER,
Secy-Treas.

Secy-Treas.

On account of the Beatmee E. Was lamuched last summer—there is

In the opinion of those familiar with with a little preparation, can be placed on the route.

Extensive renovations have been given Extensive removations have oven the springfield, which will go on the Gagetown-Fredericton route. It will be remembered that the Springfield enjoys the reputation of beng the pioneer boat up stream during the freshet season. She has been the first to venture out from Indianation and formerly begin the river traffic for the rost several springs.

> going general and thorough renovation at her berth in Marble Cove. The machinery to the fleet is the property of the Hamp-stead Steamship Company. She is called the Elaine, and supplants the Hampstead, which ran on the Wickham route. The Elaine was built ten years ago at New-burg (N. Y.) She was leased on the Hudson and latterly was on the Take out in sycamore. The main saloon has been extended ten feet, thus providing room for a dining apartment 14x16 feet. The room will be divided by portiers from the main saloon and form a very cheery.

a Fore and aft are compound engines, and a searchlight of 5,000 candle power is shortly to be provided. The after saloon deck is roomy and easy of access, but the promenade deck is something that will particularly commend itself to the public. acilities for ladies are complete and

The floors of the gentlemen's cabins are of quartered oak, and the boat throughout is lighted with 120 electric lights. The open bow has been sheathed in, which will hardly the necessity for any repairing. Capt. Mance well be all of She is at her berth in Marble Cove, and trial trip will be made soon

#### W. W. HUBBARD

#### Is Visiting the Stock Show at Ottawa With Maritime Stock Men.

-That the Canadian Pacific Realway Company is alive to its interests and a far sighted corporation is shown by the presence of its agricultural agent W. W. Hubbard, of St. John (N. B.), at the stock show. Mr. Hubbard is conducting a party of seven men from the maritime provinces through Ontario. They visited the Toronto house show, had a look in at the Guelph experimental farm and also dropped in on a few of the leading stock breedens of the neighborhood. When they return to their homes by the sounding sea, the wise men from the east

sounding sea, the wise men from the east will take with them a couple of car loads of thoroughbred cittle and a couple of car loads of thoroughbred horses, all Clydes-dale stallions. They will have a look in at the sale here tomorrow.

Discussing their mission Mr. Hubbard add: "It's our desire to create an interest in and improve the stock in the maritime provinces. We want our people to keep their hay and grain and feed it on the farms, rather than sell it. We believe that in the way way we can populate the farming

in this way we can populate the farming districts better, and thus gradually increase our own revenue."-Outawa Citizen.

#### Unique and Interesting. St. Louis de Gonzaque, Que., Oct. 27, 03.

I am happy to sent you what I have see and what I can tell. The Frost Fence that I have erected near my orehard is in a good place for tested the Fence. All the Winter he come near eight feet height snow on that and the Fence come down and when the snow went off the Fence take his first position like if nothing had been on. The Frost Wire Fence Co. in my place look like the better Fence than he never come on the market. Yours very respec., (Sgd.) B. VIAU.

(Sgd.) B. VIAU.
The above letter is both unique and interesting, and a few words of explanation will be appropriate. Mr. Viau is a thorough French-Canadian, and has only reently taken up the study of the English age. The wire fence referred to was uilt by him over four years ago. It was he very first piece of Frest fence erected n Beauharnois county; was put up mainly or a test and of course the very worst place to be found was the one selected. As per the letter, an orchard near Mr. Viau's eight feet. The strain on the fence wa therefore exceptionally severe, as every farmer knows that snow drifts will demore damage to the average wire fence than years of ordinary usage. The tensity reight of the snow often being so grea as to pull the staples entirely out of the fence. As soon as the snow thaws the fence is re-stapled. That is all that is necessary. And, as per the letter, "the fence takes his first position"—viz., is as strong and tight as the first day it was built. Mr. Viau then goes on to say that his place the Frost fence is looked upon is the best fence on the market. It might interest to state that "The Frost" wire fence which has been fou tisfactorily stand the severe and y snows of Quebec and the maritime ned thin! That's so rinces, and the hundreds of miles that are erected here in Ontario prove that or restern friends also appreciate a good taple article when it is offered to them.

Governor Snowball at Ottawa. Ottawa, March 9.—(Special)—Governor Snowball, of New Brunswick, is here to attend the opening of parliament.

# TO AND FROM ST.

Steamer Secured But Name Withheld for a Few Days-J. S. Clark and James O'Neil Here on This

J. Sutton Clark and James O'Neil, of St. George, who arrived in the city Mon-day night, driving the entire distance, are two of the leading merchants of that in-dustrious Charlotte county village, and the object of their visit to St. John is one of great importance to merchants great importance to merchants here and in St. George as well as the other village

As The Telegraph announced Monday, a second indignation meeting had been held by the citizens of St. George regarding the by the citizens of St. George regarding the irregular service given by the New Brunswick Southern Railway. St. George was practically cut off from St. John and St. Stephen for weeks and action was taken which resulted in the visit of Messrs. Clark and O'Neil to this city.

They came in search of a steamer to run on the route between St. John and St. George, and they have been successful in their mission, although the name of the steamer will not be given out by them for a few days. They say they have the assurance of the majority of the St. George merchants that freight for and from them shall be handled by the steamer. It is said that the steamer will soon be placed on the route.

Mr. Clark left for St. George last evening by the C. P. R. He will go to St. Stephen or St. Andrews and from there

### REV. DR. MORISON.

Montreal Witness Pays a Tribute to Pastor of St. David's.

A high honor has been paid to a Canadian pastor in the selection of John Archibald Morison, Ph. D., of St. David's Presbyterian Church, St. John (N.B.), to fill the historic pulpit of Chicago First Church, which has been vacant since the lamentable decease of Dr. Chichester.

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The congregation of the Chicago church has been most solicitous to choose a man capable of a long and continually developing ministry in the peculiar field that First Church occupies. Its unanimous decision after a deliberate and studious search, in which many names were considered, constitutes, therefore, very great praise to the man at length decided upon.

Dr. Morison was born of Scotch parentage, in a Quebec village, thirty-six years ago. The ordinary classical and theological equipment of a Presbyterian minister he received through McGill University and the Montreal Presbyterian College, but so high was his conception of the demands of the minister's vocation that he would not content himself without some further training. The University of Michigan, the University of Wooster, the University of Edinburgh, New College, the University of Berlin, and the University of Oxford in turn contributed to the intellectual wealth of the young minister who believed in the most thorough preparation possible for his life work. He has held two pastorates previous to his present charge—at Listowel and Toronto (Ont.).—Montreal Witness.

### \$12,000 Salary to Panama Canal Com-

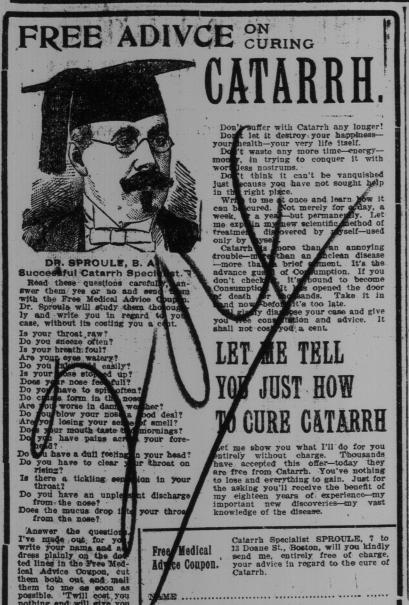
Washington, March 10-President Roose veit has fixed the salaries of the Isthmian. Canal commission at \$12,000 per year and in addition thereto \$15 per day while they are on the isthmus.

Marquette Isolated by Snow Blockade. SE Snowball, of New Brunswick, is here to attend the opening of parliament.

The present value of the production of the four diamond mines now in operation in the Transvaal is about £500,000 per annum.

Marquette, Mich., March 10. A flerce blizzard is raging in Northern Michigan tonight, blockadding nearly all trains. Marquette is almost completely cut off from the outside world.

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### Plymouth Church Preaching.



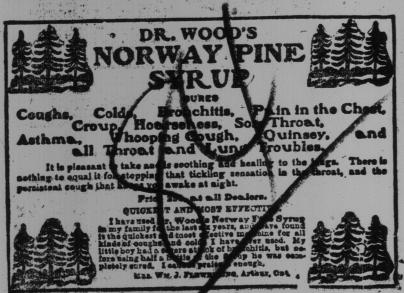
The sermons of Rev. Newell Dwight Hillis, the successor of Henry Ward Beecher and Lyman Abbott at Plymouth Church, are to be found in full in the Monday

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## ANOTHER COMPANY **OBSTRUCTING WATERS** OF ST. JOHN RIVER.

Attorney General Pugsley Tells Local Legislature of His Bye-roads Money. Efforts to Step Lumber Company from Building Piers at Van Burer, Maine--Much Information on Various Matters Given to Local House.

Mr. Legere presented the reply of the can be ascertained.

It has been a subject of grea concern

Hon. Mr. LaBillois laid on the table the will be twice as voluminous as the pre public works report for 1903.

Hon. Mr. Tweedie presented a return of the assessed valuation and debt of the

Hon. Mr. Pugsley introduced a bill respecting the consolidated statutes
In reply to Mr. Hazen the Hon. Mr. In reply to Mr. Hazen the Hon. Mr. Tweedie said the Hon. Harrison A. Mc-Keown resigned his seat as a member of the House of Assembly on the eighth day of February. It has not yet been decided when the clerk of the crown of chancery will issue his writ for an election to fill the vacancy caused by Mr. McKeown's resignetics.

In reply to Mr. Hazen the Hon. Mr. to the Restigouche and Western Railway guaranteed first mortgage debentures of the International Railway Company, of New Brunswick, on the line from Campbellion to the river St. John to the number of the council wrote to the St. John Lumber Company as follows: ber of 200 mills, amounting to \$100,000. The first section of ten miles is completed, which carries the road across the Upsalquitch river, where a steel bridge is being erected, is nearly completed, the rails being laid on the greater portion, and the balance of the rails are distributed on the line ready for the track laying in the coming spring. A considerable amount of additional work has also been done beyond the Upsalquitch river. The licutenant governor in council has satisfied himself of the cost of the railway by reports of engineers of the government of Canada, the engineer of the company, and also

the control engineer.

The cost of the portion already contructed is \$318,956.20. The government is not aware of any net profits realized by company during the past year, as it not operating the road, but is engaged in the work of construction. The governor in council has not caused the books of the groups to be impressed during the of the company to be inspected during the past year, because the inspection is not to take place until the road is in operation. Neither has the company filed any statement or paid the receiver general any sums for lumber cut upon crown land and hauled over its lines of railway. It is only required to do this after commencing to

guaranteed the company provided for pay ment of interest thereon to the satisfac tion of the lieutenant governor in council for a period not only during construction as required by the statute, but for the period of five years they so provided by satisfactory surety bonds to the amount of

School for the Deaf and Dumb

Mr. Tweedie, in reply to Mr. Hazen, said: No connection whatever exists he-tween the government of the province and the school for the education of the deaf and dumb, established at Lancaster, in the city and county of St. John, by J. Harvey Brown. The institution is not under the control or subject to the regu-lations of the board of education. It is not in receipt of, nor has it been promised any provincial assistance by the gov-

No Superintendent Appointed for the Asylum Yet.

Hon. Mr. Tweedie, in answer to Mr Hop. Mr. Tweedie, in answer to Mr. Hazen, said the government has no present intention of holding an investigation of the management of the Provincial Lunatic Asylum. No superintendent has been appointed since Dr. Hetherington's retirement. The acting superintendent is Dr. J. Boyle Travers. The government is unable to say just at what time a superintendent is unable to say just at what time a super intendent will be appointed.

Harris Bridge Damage.

In reply to Mr. Hazen the Hon. Mr Pugeley said: The claim of \$809 against the owners of the tug Sea King, for damages done to the Haris bridge across the Dromocto river, was placed in my hand by the chief commissioner of public works. I communicated with Hilyard Brothers I communicated with Hilyard Brothers under whose direction the span of the bridge was removed and asked them to pay the amount. So far they have not complied with my demand. It appears that the damage was done for the purpose of getting the dredge up the river. They take the ground that the river was a navigable river and that the bridge was an obstruction and that therefore they had a wight to do as that did. I have been rea right to do as they did. I have been reluctant to begin a lawsuit against them until I have looked into the matter further and I have hopes that as the result of further negotiations with Hilyard Bros., a compromise may be effected.

The Hon. Mr. Pugeley, in reply to Mr. Hazen, said: The payment accounts of the consolidation of the statutes have been as

To Whom Paid. Total .. .. .. .. .. .. .. .. .. .. .. \$8,448.58 It will be difficult to estimate the bal-ance which will yet have to be paid on account of the statutes when completed,

The Hon. Mr. Tweedie laid on the table not ready before, but Mr. White informed the school report and the auditor general's me that the work has been very laborious vious revision. The work has been exceedingly well done. A great deal of time has been devoted by Mr. White to the index and also to the schedule of acts.

St. John River Lumber Company Dam.

The attorney general, in reply to Mr. Flemming, said: The government is aware that the St. John Lumber Company is John, where it flows between the county of Madawaska and the State of Maine, near Van Buren, for the purpose of holding lumber so that the same can be manufactured in the State of Maine. The gov ernment is of the opinion that the erection of such piers and booms is a viola treaty and that it will constitute a source of injury to the lumber business of the St. John river. My attention having been called to the matter in January last, I at

Letter to Attorney General of Maine I also wrote to the attorney general

To the Attorney-General of the State of Maine:

Dear Sir,—My attention has been called to the fact that the St. Tohn Lumber Company is building dams and piers in the St. John river at VanBuren which are a serious obstruction to the use of the river by lumbermen who desire to pass their timber down river. The works are, in my judgment, clearly an infringement of the terms of the Ashburton treaty and I write you in the hope that you will take the necessary steps to have the obstructions removed. In addition to their being a violation of the treaty they are also illegal, by reason of their interfering with the free and unobstructed passage of the river, to which the public are entitled. A portion of the works are being extended over to the New Brunswick side and so far as these are concerned it will be my duty to apply to the couris of this province to compel their removal, but I sincerely trust that you will feel it your duty to take the necessary steps to compel the removal of those which are upon the American side of the channel. Awaiting an early reply, I am, dear sir,

Attorney-General.

P. S.—I enclose you a plan which shows the works in the river, beginning opposite the company's mill and extending up as far as the Dennis Cyr Island upon the New Brunswick side.

W. P.

Company Claims They Are on American

Territory.

In answer the attorney general of Maine wrote to me that the matter was not with in his jurnsdiction and suggested that I apply to the district attorney. The executive council have decided that the only course is to communicate with the United States authorities through the proper channels, the governor general and the

British ambassador.

In response to the letter to the St.

John Lumber Company I was waited
upon by Mr. Brown, the resident manager of the company, who contends first that the erection of the proposed works would not be any obstruction to navigation secondly that the company is acting under the authority of the legislature of the State of Maine and the company claims

which it is building.

The attention of Mr. Brown was called to the fact that my information is that the piers which the company is erecting

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ide of the channel.

Mr. Brown stated in answer to this that Mr. Brown stated in answer to this that the maps on file in the public offices of Augusta showed this is land to be on the American side of the channel. On enquiry at the crown land office I find by our own plan made in 1848 that all these islands are shown on the American side of the channel. If Dennis Cyr Island is American territory our courts will be powerless to interfere. But there is no doubt that it is a flagrant violation of the Ashthat'it is a flagrant violation of the Ash-burton Treaty. The government has very fully considered the matter and will do

Hon. Mr. LaBillois, in answer to Mr. Clarke, said Hon. Mr. Hill sent a list for bye-road expenditures for the following parishes in Charlotte county, dated June

Ith:
St. Stephen, Dufferin, St. James, St. Davids, Dumbarton, St. Patrick, towns of St. Stephen and Milltown, \$2,655. Bonds were then sent to the different commissioners, and when returned cheques were issued, principally in July. George M. Bryon sent a list dated August 24th, for the parishes of St. Andrews, St. Croix, West Isles, Campobello, Grand Manan, \$1,447.89. Bonds were then at once sent out and when returned all cheques were out and when returned all cheques were ssued in September.

Bonds were at once sent out, and cheques forwarded. in September and October Other small amounts were paid out at dif-

#### Campobello Fish Fair Grant.

Hon. Mr. Tweedie, in reply to Mr. Clarke, said that the grant to Campobello Fish Fair had not been paid because no person had applied for it. There had been some verbal communications on the subject with Mr. Hill who had expressed a doubt as to whether the grant was

Hon. Mr. Tweedie presented the sixth annual report of the Tracadie Hospital and Hotel dieu St. Joseph.

On motion of the Hon. Mr. Tweedie they resolved to go into supply and committee of avery and means on Monday.

On motion of the Hon. Mr. Tweedie the The speaker called attention to rule 29

educt a pro rata portion of the ind nity in furnishing the certificate at the

To Legalize Certain Marriages The bill to legalize certain marring

in the chair.

Hon. Mr. Tweedie explained that the Rev. Mr. Erb, a regularly ordained Baptist minister, while in charge of a congregation in this province, but before being registered under the act and in ignorance of the requirement of the act had solemn ized a marriage. There was another case of the same kind and he would move that progress be reported so that a section might be added covering the other case All the sections of the bill were passed

The house then adjourned.

#### SECRET BALLOT LAW TO BE ENACTED THIS SESSION.

(Continued from page 1.) should have his choice. My own exper-ence in Restigouche has been that bette esults are to be had by day's work. Section thirty-seven requires the super intendents to keep the flooring of all covered bridges covered with snow. There has been much trouble over this matter, and it is one of great importance.

Hon. Mr. LaBilleis-I am glad that you have mentioned this matter. We hav should be lighted. In hot weather cattle and at night there is eften danger from the head, and at night there is eften danger from this cause. It is difficult to say how the lighting can be best managed. We do not propose to light any of the uncovertices. bridges, although we have had propositions to light the Woodstock and Rexton

bridges.

There is only one bridge in the province that is now lighted, and that is in Victoria county. It is close to the river and is

of drainage. Mr. Campbell, who recently thinks that drainage is the most impor-ant matter connected with road making and every person who has given his attention to this subject must agree with him.

Statute Labor Abolished.

Section thirty-nine is perhaps the mo important in the bill. Statute labor bolished and in its place a road tax provided for. We think that the time as come to make a change, as the statute ch better resluts will be obtained an e roads will receive much greater atter the sums granted by the government and he amounts realized from the road tax. We propose to include in the district and place under the care of the superintendents all small bridges below a certain size. There is a class of bridges that can be looked after by the local officials with department. The engineer has furnished that should be left to the care of erts and reads should be placed und neir charge, and bridges of not more than forty feet span or twelve feet in height The government has not yet decided or

Bridge Inspectors.

While no decision has been arrived at with regard to the large bridges my opinion is that there should also be bridge inspectors appeared. The province might be divided into fifteen bridge districts and an inspector appointed for each. This reductive the province of ficial abstract of the province of

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No Trotting on Bridges.

Another imporant matter to which I should refer is the habit of trotting on the bridges. It is difficult to overestimate the our bridges with long spans in consequence of this practice. I propose that the law against this shall be strictly enforced with-

out fear or favor.

In conclusion I my say that we hope by means of this act to obtain better roads for the province and good roads are in the ntercets of all. Good roads are in the inthe farmers. I feel certain that the farmers when they come to consider this measure will agree that it is the step in the right direction. Good roads are also in the interests of education, because they provide the children with better facilities for going to school and thereby increase the attendance. This will be especially the case where there are consolidated schools to which the children are carried in vehicles. Good words are also in the interests of re-

at church in country districts.

I am not old yet, but I can remembe the time when you could only see two or three wagons in a parish where now there perity of the farmers. I trust that this

measure will give us some better roads and as long as I have charge of the depart ment of public works I will endeavor to carry out the different sections of this act

without fear or favor.

Mr. Tweedie—Does this bill provide for the ferrics?

Hon. Mr. LaBillois—No we intend tak-

ng up them and also the wharves in a Mr. Hazen-Does it make provision îo eeping the roads open in winter, and does it state how the superintendents are to be paid by salary or commission?

Winter Roads Left to Munic palities.

Hon. Mr. LaBillois-Winter roads are provided for by section 46, the provision for them is about the same as at present and the matter is left to the municipalities as it would be impossible for the superin endent to do all this work which must b attended to immediately. As to the cost of the superintendents we think it will be nuch less than under the old system, but full of cold water.

get the money for the roads expended to the best advantage. We want to make this

Mr. Hazen, referring to winter roads, said it is clear that one superintendent could not attend to them all in a parish.

It has been suggested that the law might be changed so that instead of the road-master being required to warm the people to break the roads they should be required

bee is that every man is responsible for his own front and liable for any accident

a day be named for the discussion of this of the whole house on Wodnesday.

The bills to leaglize certain marriaged by the Rev. Mr. Erb and Mr. Strothard were agreed to in committee.

Hon. Mr. Tweedie presented the report

standing committees.

Hon. Mr. Tweedie presented the sixth annual report of the Miramichi Natural History Association.

Secret Ballot Measure.

Hon. Mr. Tweedie said that last session a committee had been appointed of which he was chairman to prepage a measure for the purpose of amending the election act in regard to a secret buttot. He desired to notify the members of this committee that he would call them together tomorrow so that the matter might be disposed of at The house then adjourned.

The Good-night Kiss.

wisdom. Children must neither be sent to bed hungry nor unhappy; and, whether the "piece" is given or not, be sure the kiss is! The child who has been naughty should be allowed to expiate his fault in his waking hours. Let not the sun go down upon your wrath institute the sund. down upon your wrath, just though it may be. To do so is to let a darkness thicker than Egyptian settle on the wounded spirit, to condemn a sensitive child to bad dreams and fearful visions, wrong-doing into the morrow.

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Liverpool, March 8-Sid, str Lakonia, Hali-iy and St. John s everywhere and will give a free to and liberal commission to every osells our watches; if you want employment for your spare morite us for sample and terms at large of Wight, March 9—Passed, str Floral Component for Wight for London. Isle of Wight, March 9—Passed, str Flornce, St John and Halifax for London. Liverpool, March 10—Ard, stmrs Dominion, rom Portland; Majestic, from New York; saxonia, from Boston. London, March 10—Ard, stmr Florence, rom St. John and Halifax, Moville, March 10—Ard, stmr Sicilian, from St. John and Halifax, for Liverpool. Queenstown, March 10—Std, stmr Cedric, from Liverpool), for New York. Brow Head, March 10—Passed, stmrs Alides, from St. John for Glasgow; Damara, rom Halifax and St. John's (Nfid), for Liverpool. deal Watch Co., Dept. 36, Toronto 2-27-4i-d&w-a MAN WANTED to handle our choice clies during fall and winter. Whole lime. Pay weekly. 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Stmr LaLorraine, for Havre; ship da, for Anjer; barks Rose Innis, for cola; Ethel V Boynton, for Charleston; Isaac T Campbell, for Norfolk; Carta-Nombre De Dios, etc.; Peter C Schultz, corfolk. gena, Nombre De Dios, etc.; Peter C Schultz, for Norfolk.

Newport News, Va, March 10-Ard, schr Josie R Burt, from New Haven.

Sid-Schrs Florence M Penly, for Portsmouth; Jennie E Righter, for Allyn Point; Charles W Church, from New Haven; City of Augusta, from Salem.

Philodelphia, March 10-Ard, schr Annie M Allen, from St John (N B), via Salem.

Portland, Me March 10-Ard, stmr Angar (Nor), from Christiania, Norway.

Sid-Stmr North Star, for New York; schrs Hope Haynes, for New York; Lillian, for do; T W Dunn, for Georgetown (Dem).

Vineyard Haven, Mass, March 10-Ard, schrs Methebesic, from Fernandina for Rockland; W E & W L Tuck, from South Amboy for Bar Harbor; Harry E Lynch; from Port Johnson for North East Harbor.

Passed-Schrs H H Kitchener, from New York for Halifax; Clara, from do for Mahone Bay.

Bay.
Schr Maggie Hurley, from Boston for Bucksport (Me), which was towed in here by the steamer Hector, with sails blown away, has procured another suit of sails from Rockhad, made temporary repairs and will sail for destination. LIST OF VESSELS BOUND TO ST. JOHN.

Bavarian, 6,714, to sall from Liverpool, March 24.
Dahome, 1,551, Bermuda, Feb 27.
Evangeline, 1,417, London via Halifax, Feb 27.
Ionian, 5,337, to sall from Liverpool, March 17.
Lake Champlain, 4,685, at Liverpool, March 17.
Lake Champlain, 4,685, at Liverpool, March 17.
Lakenia, 3,046, at Glasgow, March 5.
Manxman, 3,122, Avonmouth, Feb 19.
Lake Manitoba, 6,274, Liverpool, March 1.
Manchester Commerce, 3,444, at Manchester,
March 3.
Marina, 3,322, at Glasgow, Feb 22.
Montealm, 3,208, Antwerp, Feb 26.
Monteauma, 4,734, at London, Feb 4; to sall
from Antwerp, March 22.
Montrose, 5,249, at London, March 6.
Nordboen, 1,547, to sail from Antwerp about
March 15.
Pretorian, 4,073, at Halifax, March 6.
Tritonia, 2,720, Glasgow, Feb 27.
Tunisian, 5,802, to sail from Liverpool, March
10.
Wyandotta, 2,712, at Hartlegool, Eeb 1.

Wyandotte, 2,712, at Hartlepool, Feb 1.

Italia, 535, at Castellamare, Oct 10. Barquentines.

Ansgar, 336, at Swansea, Dec 29 Ethel Clark, 397, Apalachicola, Bermuda, Dec 25, leaking.

HUMAN BAROMETERS A Rheumatic Mystery.

Here are some marvels of medicine o'clock in the morning. Aloes will operate at five o'clock A. M. and Sulphur at eleven o'clock.

No matter what time, in the pre day, you have taken these medicines, they will climax at the fixed hours here stated

and reveal certain symptoms always.

How do you account for this? How account for a Rheumatic person' ability to predict a coming storm 24 hour shead, by the peculiar adre in his bones Rheumatism is simply Uric Acid in the blood. Can Uric Acid have its time limit blood. Can Obe Acid have its time fimit, like other chemicals, but reflecting backward like a barometer?

Uric Acid is due to a lack of Alkaline material in the blood. This Acid absorbs

he debris, or waste matter, of the system It carries this waste matter into the line elements (like salt or soda) to neutral seore it reaches the kidneys.

As the blood circulates through the sys em, it then deposits small particles his waste matter in the joints an These particles are like granulated suga or sand, and they grind between the join and muscles at every movement.

This grinding causes

inflammation, frequently. If the he Uric particles to be co. fleshy ou drion, which in time joints as well. Then "bonn rooked limbs ensue. The only way to convert the Acid el on of the bloo nto an Alkaline. arry away, the thout fur ded. subtracted os I found that "Dr Cure" succeeded in 39

Delaware Breakwater, March 8—Ard, schrs Edward R Murdock, from Philadelphia for Boston:

Sid—Schrs Clara Goodwin, from Philadelphia for Boston: Robert Graham, from Philadelphia for Boston: Robert Graham, from Philadelphia for Boston: Miles M Merry, from Norfolk for Portland; Lizzie H Brayton, from Norfolk for New Bedford: Harold B Cousins, from Pensacola for Boston:

New York, March 8—Ard, schrs James W Paul Jr, from Fernandina; Horatio L Baker, from Port Tampa; P C Schukz, from Norfolk; Ralph M Hayward, from Wilmington; Benjamin T Poole, from Savannah.

Sid—Beg J B Rabel, for Brunswick; schrs Wm Neeley, for Brunswick; Carrie E Look, for Norfolk; Lydia Middleton, for Virginia; Ann J Trainer, for Norfolk; R T Rundlett, for Jacksonville; John H Jackson, for Norfolk; Instite V Kelsey, for Norfolk; Edith Olcott, for Fernandina; Stephen G Loud, for Charleston; Wm Marshall, for Charleston; Tyree, for Cados, etc; Josie R Burt, for Norfolk; Thomas H Lawrence, for Norfolk; Hope Sherwood, for Savannah; Bessie C Beach, for Philadelphia.

Montevideo, Feb 10—Ard, bqe Mabel I Meyers, from Boston.

Provincetown, Mass, March 8—Sid, schrs Edith L Allen, from St George (S 1), for Boston; Rebecca J Moulton, from Port Reading for Rockland; Brigadier, from St George (S 1), for Camden; Lena White, from Elizabethport for Rockport; M H Read, from Port Johnson for Rockland; Brigadier, from St George (S 1), for Camden; Lena White, from Elizabethport for Rockport; M H Read, from Port Johnson for St John; Georgia, rom Apalachicola for Halifax.

Boston, March 9—Sid, strs Canadian, Liverpool; Cambrian, King, Antwerp via Baltinore; bqetn Arlington, Linnekins Bay (Me.); chs Governor Ames, Norfolk; Henry Withston, coal port.

Below, sch Thomas W Lawson, from Newoort News gton, coal port. Below, sch Thomas W Lawson, from New ort News.

Portland, March 9—Ard, strs Cervona, Lonnon; Atlas (Nor), Christiana (Norway);

orth Star, New York; sch Wm Keene, Bos-Dr. Shoop's Rheumatic Cure, cost you ot a farthing, and I bear the whole cost

If it succeeds, the cost to you is bu Clu—Schs T W Dunn, Georgetown (Dem), falcolm Baxter Jr, coal port (latter sld.) Sld—Strs Unique (Nor), Louisbourg (C B); chewennau (Ger), Savannah (to load for utrope); bqc Lovisa, Bahia, Blanca, South merica; sch Manuel R Cuza, St John for mer Vertigen. Address-Dr. Shoop-Box 11, Racine, Wis York.

Annis, March 9—Ard, sch Clara Jane,
Annis, March 9—Ard, sch Clara Jane,
York for Calais.

1—Schs Fred B Balano, for Thomaston;
nie Doon, for Windsor.

W York, March 9—Ard, bees Reynard,
Wideo; Michaele Sallustro, Rosario,
Schs Eleazer W Clarke, Caibarien via
ware Breakwater; Oliver Barrett, Bruns-Simple cases often yield to one bottle of Dr. Shoop's Rheumatic Cure. (Druggists \$1.) But all druggists do not supply it on month's trial. You must write to me r that. Schs W E & W L Tuck, Bar Harbor Landell, Virginia; Willie L Maxwell K; William Churchill, Georgetown II; Fell, Wilmington; Daniel Brown Ia; James D Dewell, Crandall; Lavinia W. Mayaguez and Aguidalla; Eleanor ins, Tampa.

Undoubtedly the real cause of colds is germ, that is to say, a very tiny par-icle of living matter, too small to be visible to the naked eye, and only perceptible under the miscroscope when magnified several hundred times. These germs are continually floating about in the air we breathe, ready to pounce down apon the man or woman whose vital forces have become weakened by the inhalation impure air. Once they gain an entrance of impure air. Once they gain an entrance these germs rapidly multiply, and may, if unresisted, become very virulent. In some cases preparing the way for the inroad of other germs more destructive to life than themselves. If no germs existed we would never here of such ailments, as for Vancouver.

Boston, March 10—Ard, sturs Columbian, from London; Boston from Yarmouth (N S); Halifax, from Halifax (N S); schr Maria O Teet, from Newport News.

Sld-Schr Alice Holbrook, for coal port. City Island, March 10—Bound south, stur Manhattan, from Portland (Me) (passed last) would never hear of such ailments as colds in the head, or of colds in the chest

BIRTHS.

CORSE—In this city, on March 9, to the wife of George S. Corse, a son.

TAYLOR—At Boston (Mass.), on the 3rd inst., to the wife of Dr. W. M. Taylor, a daughter.

DEATHS.

wife and two children to mourn their sad loss.

COBURN—In Boston March 7, Margaret, beloved wife of homas Coburn, aged 33 years.

P. E. Island papers please copy).

GRADY—In East Boston, March 7, Johana, widow of Joseph Grady, aged 76 years.

McCABE—In Roxbury (Mass.), March 4, Alphonsus M., beloved son of Margaret and the late John A. McCabe, 22 years. (Cape Breton papers please copy).

CUNARD—At the residence of her son-in-law, Mr. Thomas Lawrence, 89 Paradise Row, March 7th, Mrs. Annie Cunard, widow of the late Robert Cunard, leaving two sons and three daughters to mourn their loss.

VAUGHAN—At Springdale (Mc.), on the 5th inst., Margaret, widow of the late Alexander Vaughan, formerly of Barnesville (N. B.)

HILL—In South Boston, March 8, John M.

please copy).

O'LEARY—In this city, on the 9th inst., Catherine, widow of the late Cornelius O'Leary, leaving four sons and five daughters to mourn their sad loss.

THOMAS—In this city, after a lingering illness, Lillie May Thomas, aged 30 years, daughter of Matilda and the late William Thomas. (Boston and Lynn papers please copy).

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"GENERAL QUARTERS," A Modern Naval Engagement on a Battle-

(London Leader). A fleet of six grey battleships is stea. A fleet of six grey battleships is steaming rapidly in a calm sea. Far ahead of the fleet can be distinguished the hulls and slender masts of several cruisers. These are the scouts; the "eyes" of the fleet, upon which the admiral relies for news of the enemy's movements. Other cruisers, out of sight of the battle-fleet, are scouring the seas upon some pre-arranged plan. Let us, however, confine our attention to the battle-fleet. These six great armorelads are all of one type, forming a homogeneous squadron. Each is of 15,000 tons displacement, of equal speed, and carry similar guns. To the eye of and carry similar guns. To the eye of the landsman they are alike as half a dozen dried peas, and their similarity is accentuated by the grey paint that covers them from truck to waterline. They are formed in two divisions, not, as yet, in order of battle. The two leading ships each flies an admiral's flag. The divisions are six cables apart (1,200 yards), but the space between each unit is but 400 yards, tained with an accuracy won by constant practice. Little smoke issues from the tall, grey funnels. In the smooth sea, the heavy ships have no perceptible motion, though you can see they are making progress by the white foam at the bows, and by the broad ribbon of foam churned up by the twin-screws of each vessel. The Enemy Sighted.

Presently a red and white "answering pennant streams from the masthead of the flagship. One of the distant scouts is signaling. She begins to close with the squadron. One perceives that other and more distant cruisers are also steaming back to the fleet. We guess the reason long before our keen-eyed signalmen can long before our keen-eyed signamen can distinguish the message. The enemy has been sighted, some twenty miles to the eastward. Such is the welcome news. At once the flagship runs up a signal: "Prepare for action; form the order of battle." For in these days of fast steaming, twenty intermal affords but comfortable

made for the coming battle. The game has been rehearsed often enough—so often, indeed, that we can hardly realize that this is, at last, the real thing, the grim reality. Take any ship at random. The same preparations are being made in all. Seven hundred men are going about their ordinary business. Suddenly a bugle blares out the familiar call to "general quarters," and ere the harsh notes have died away every man begins to run to his appointed station. Some make toward the great our station. Some make toward the great oar-bettes, where the twelve-inch guns are snugly sheltered; some for the armored casemates isolating the six-inch weapons others run to the light, quick-firers mounted upon the superstructure. Others again, and these most non-combatants (i any such can be in a ship of war), hurr below to the shellrooms and magazines.

The Barbette Guns. The great shells for the barbette guns are being placed on the hydraulic lifts. A lever is pressed, and up they go. Another moment and they have reached the breech of the gun. A gunner closes the heavy mechanism of the breech with one hand. "Bun out" onlers the officer of hand. "Run out," orders the officer of the turret. Another lever does the busi ness. The enormous weapons glide smooth ly outwards, their long necks projecting dozen men and one officer complete the erew of this pair of heavy guns. The officer stands upon a little iron platform, peering above the turret, with a voice tube at his ear. The captain of the turret s peering through the telescopic sights.

The Interior of a Casemate. Glance into one of the isolated case-mates. The thick armored door is shut now, enclosing the six-inch gun and its crew in a box of steel. The gun has beer cast loose, trained on the beam and loaded within four minutes of the bugle call. Re serves of shot and shell are being whipped up into the casemate through a roun aperture leading to the shellroom below. Twenty or thirty rounds soon accumulate, and the guns' crew will stake their lives against the entry of a shell through the casemate. Here, too, is an officer waiting directions through a voice tube. The men have stripped to their flannels and trous ers. A tub of limejuice stands in a cor

Down in the bowers of the snip, the torpedo-men are clustered round their submerged tubes. With great care they are adjusting the Whiteheads, and their movements are slower than those of the gunners, since the chance of a shot will not come early in the fight. Yet a lucky shot from the enemy might explode the torpedo come early in the fight. Yet a lucky shot from the enemy might explode the torpedo in its tube. They accept the risk, those quiet-looking men, and long for close range later on. Then they will show the gunnery branch what a Whitehead can do.

In the Conning-tower.

The captain and the gunnery lieutenan are in the conning tower—a cramped little structure bristling with voice tubes. It conatins a small steering wheel, and is in communication with both barbettes, the several groups of guns, and with the engine rooms. Reports are constantly being made through these numerous voice tubes. Thus: "All water-tight doors are closed, sir;" "Barbettes ready for action;" "steam ready for eighteen knots, sir," and so forth. The chief quartermaster, a bearded veteran, sprucely dressed, grasps the pokes of the steering wheel, and keeps n attentive eye upon the captain. Not a man can now be seen upon the upper deck, but, in the thinly-protected top on the foremast a few hands and a middy are clustered round a three-pounder gun.

All is now ready. The fleet increase speed, and the cruisers, closing in, one after another, take station to the rear. So we wait—a period of anxious suspense since searcely a dozen men of the 700 can since scarcely a dozen men of the 700 can see the approaching enemy. At last the twelve-pounder, which is our best range-finder, rings out with sharp report. We know that the hour has come. The captain gives an order through the tubes to each of the barbettes: "Leading ship of the enemy on the port how, range 4,000 yards," "All ready, sir," comes the reply. A moment later the two pairs of points within the state have been damaged by the Susquehanna flood and ice, to the extent of about \$199,000.

## THE FEDERAL LIFE ASSURANCE CO. OF CANADA. Twenty-Second Annual Statement

y of Canada was held at the hear office of the Company in H ch 1, 1904, the president, Mr. Levid Dexter, in the chair. owing reports Directors' Report. Your Director shave the honor to present the Report and Financial Statement of the Company for the year which closed on the 31st December, 1903, July vouched for by the auditors?

The new business of the year consisted of one thousand nine hundred and fiffy-seven applications for insurance, aggregating \$2.841.250, of which nineteen hundred and sixteen applications for \$2.748,172.50 were accepted.

As in previous year, the income of the Company shows a gradifying increase, and the assets of the Company have been increased by \$251.572.85, and have now reached \$1,893,900.70, exclusive of guarantee capital.

The security for Polici holders, including guarantee capital, amounted at the close of the year to \$2.763,930.70, and the liabilities of esserves and all outstanding claims \$1,711,200, showing a surplus of \$1,052.760.70. Exclusive of uncalled guarantee capital the surplus to Policyholders, was \$182,760.70.

Policies on seventy live became claims through death, to the amount of \$130, 231.62, of which \$2.000 was reansured in other companies.

Including Cash Dividends and Dividends applied to the reduction of premiums, \$41,770.78, with annuities, the local payments to Policyholders amounted to \$204, 018.49.

Careful attention has been given to the investment of first-class bonds, mortgage securities and loans on the secured for reserve. Our investments have yielded a for your approval show an The assurances carried by the Company which the Company holds reserves to the full and

ton of the Company's interests. The members of the office staff have also proved faithful in the Company's service.

Your Directors regret to report the death of Mr. T. H. Macpherson, the second Vice-Presidect of the Company and a valued of imber of the executive committee. The vacancy thus caused was filled by the election of the Rev. Dr. Potts.

DAVID DEXTER, President and Managing Director.

are for action; form the order pare for action; form the order pare for action; form these days of fast steaming, twenty miles interval affords but comfortable breathing space, unless the enemy decides to run away. If he is bearing down upon us, we may be within range of him in a quarter of an hour. Such, it seems, is his design, so our ships must form at once design, so our ships must form at once for the year ending 31st December last, and have certified to their accuracy. The Cash and Journal Vouchers have been glosely examined, and agree with the centries recorded.

Bonds, etc., in the Joseph of the Company have been verified to their accuracy. The Debentures, Bonds, etc., in the possession of the Company have been in-pected, whilst these deposited with the Government of Banks have been verified a certificate, the total agreeing with the amount as shown in the Statement of

The accompanying Statement, viz. Revenue and Assets and Liabilities, show the result of the year's operations, and also the financial position of the Company.

Respectfully submitted, H. S. STEPHENS, Hamilton, let March, 1904. Financial Statement for 1903. -8 574,196 10 SETS DECEMBER 31ST, 1903. Debentures and bonds. All other assets .. LIABILITIES 38,500 00 31,190 62 Other Liabilitie

Surplus on Pol .. .. ..\$1,893,960 70 cregoing reports and statements were received and adopted on the motion on David Dexter, seconded by Vice-President Lieut.-Col Kerns. etiring Directors were re-elected and it a subsequent meeting of the Director; Lieut.-Col. Kerns and Rev. David Dexter, President and Director; Lieut.-Col. Kerns and Rev. Doctor Potts, Vice-Presidents.

THOMAS ELLIS. Manager for New Brunswick.

## Farmers' and Dairymen's Association of New Brunswick

The 29th annual meeting will be held in the Church Hall, Fredericton,

MARCH 22ND, 23RD, AND 24TH, 1904.

Opening Sessions 2.30 p. m. Tuesday, 22nd.

A strong educational programme upon Live Stock, Dairy, Grain Growing and Fruit Growing topics will be carried out.

All Agricultural Societies and Farmers' Institutes in the Province are requested to send delegates and everybody interested is invited to attend.

The Railways will give the round trip for single fair on the certificate plan. Buy a single ticket for Fredericton and ask for a Standard Certificate.

Programmes will be furnished on application to the Secretary, Thos. A. Peters, Fredericton.

ericton.

SEED FARS AND FARMERS' CONVENTIONS.

Following the above meeting the same speakers will give addresses at the Seed Fairs and Conventions to be held at WOODSTOCK, March 25th and 25th; SUSSEX, March 28th and 29th, and a convention at CHATHAM, March 30th and 31st.

C. F. ROGERS,

President.

Cor. Secretary.



men think swiftly of home, of mothers, cives, sweethearts, of little children. A hell from the enemy crashes through a lightly armored section of the hull, bursts, and knecks two large boats into matchwood. Again the ship quivers and rushes Home is now forgotten. The mer turn their minds to the bloody work in

(Late R. N.)

\$100,000 Damage from Floods Port Deposit, M. D., March 10-Property a

The Kingship of the H IIs. Born in the purple, the red grouse cry;
Born in the purple, the whaups reply;
Born in the purple, the clouds are kings
Sailing away on their snow-white wings.
The eagle high on the ruby peak
Has the scorn o'the vale in his curling beak;
And every burn that goes dancing down
Has a purple robe and a silver crown! The lightning's flash like a jewel band;
The thunder rolls like a king's command;
With a palace roof of the windy stars,
Where God looks over His Golden bars.
Here, in the pride of all high-born things
The red deer go with the gait of kings;
And only a step from their cottage doors
The rough hill shepherds are emperors!

—W. H. Ogilvie, in Chamber's Journal.

THE SEMI-WEEKLY TELEGRAPH, ST. JOHN, N. B., SATURDAY, MARCH 12, 1904.



### ROUND THE TOWN.

Bright little bits which lifustrate the many sides of human life

He had evidently heard the sound of Bow Bells, and knew plenty of little facts about London towns of which you and I are in ignorance. He was a cockney, you see, and should have felt ashamed for permitting himself to be robbed, but when a man hits a new land with his purse in another's pocket he must swallow his pride and seek assistance.

and seek assistance.

The hier had just docked at Sand Point, and the passengers were landing, when our Londoner approached a policerman with the request that he help him find his pocketbook.

Then followed search and inquiry and though the machinery of justice worked overtime the quids and bobs were recovered, though it was as difficult to locate the eash as sit was to ascertain the cockney's pash as it was to ascertain the cockney's name, which was Hayes.

"What's your name?" inquired the of-

"No, no Eyes, hi' siay. Blimey, cawn't you 'ear?"
"How dy'e spell it?"

"My niame is Eyes-'ow can hi speak By and by the struggle subsided, and in making his report on the books the officer spekt it thus Hiyies.

I thought the incurable jester looked unusually melancholy, and though I destect curiosity I nevertheless made bold to mildly inquire what was wrong.

"Oh it's only that distressing incident down in — bakery. One can never tell the farreaching effects of this Russo-Japanese war"

the farreaching effects of this Russo-Japanese war."

"The war," I echoed.

"Yes, the war. Though but few are aware of it, the bakery just alluded to employs a couple of men, good bakers, who represent the countries across the seas now strangeling against each other.

"One of the men is a Russian—he's proud of the fact. The other has a dash of Japanese blood, you'd scarcely distinguish its presence, but he has it just the same. Well, as you can imagine, both are interested in the outcome of the campaign. Both are loyal and it wouldn't take much to send ofhem trotting back to their respective lands. Now regarding the disspective lands. Now regarding the dis-tressing incident I mentioned. The other mouning the Russ and Jap were preparing to go home. There'd been a night's heavy baking and both were tired. Just before

OBITUARY,

Mrs. Sarah Stites.

Czar Nicholas, autocrat of all the Rue sians, feels, so it is alleged, that in the present crisis he should proceed to the front and help direct the operations of his forces. He has been remonstrated with but his determination to share in the war

emains unchanged. The following has just been received from Count Tolstoi, the fearless Russian novelist and philosopher. The composition strikingly represents the author's frank and independent attitude toward his sovereign's resolve to proceed to the front. The count, through the columns of this journal, desires his view to be given to the English speaking world, as follows:—

Oh Nick Don't try to lick Past masters in tricks and slyness. Why perhaps
They'd capture your royal highness. Head of the house of Romanoff Don't have us to go a-rosmin' off,

We'd grieve, We'd heave Deep sighs of apprehension. Hear us, oh Nick And pray be quick

To grant us a bit of your attention. Oh Czar We are We are

Full conscious of your bravery

And your high officials' knavery.

But by the pate

Of Peter the Great

If you knew the hate

And the precise rate At which you are detested You'd smile The while
That the thought

I wot Of scrapping a scrap With the wily Jap. Had ever been manifested.

A policeman has lost his watch. He was returning it, as he thought, to his pocket but the timepiece slipped beneath his coat to the ground. A slippery trick, forsooth, for a watch to play on a watchman. It was gold-filled, but there must have been more or less bress in the comhave been more or less brass in the com-position. The watchman, who asserts he watched the watch as he returned it, or thinks he did, to his watch pocket, ha been watching people and places ever

There's a gentleman living in this city who can tell you how it feels to just miss owning \$30,000. Recently, for the consideration of \$2, he purchased a whole ticket in the Louisiana lottery. The number came perilously near winning the grand prize. If instead of an 8 there had been a 9—but to miss the target and try been a 9—but to miss the target and try the such assessment roll for lower and states after each his own view of the actual value of the property, which in all cases he declares to be very much larger than is estimated by the assessors.

The following reference is made to H. J. Logan, M. P:—

"No such entry on the assessment roll for lower and militian at Southamptor, N. B. March 7th—At a large There's a gentleman living in this city baking and both were tired. Just before starting out the Jap bought a paper. They mead a big scare head—Japs score again—Russians hard pressed—and all that.

"Well the bakers read every word of the news—or rather one read aloud and when he finished there was a kind of pawing the ground and bristling up and before you could wink the pair were at each other like fury. They were pulled apart and discharged and afterwards it was facetiously remarked that the whole trouble had originated in the yeast."

There's a gentleman living in this city who can tell you how it feels to just miss owning \$30,000. Recently, for the consideration of \$2, he purchased a whole ticket in the Louisiana lottery. The number of the ream perilously near winning the grand prize. If instead of an 8 there had been a 9—but to miss the target and try again is, I suppose, the way of the world. The \$30,000 prize was won by, say, 45789. The gentleman referred to he'd 45788. He didn't get \$30,000 but instead wins \$40.

#### tracted pneumonia and this morning about 4 o'clock he succumbed to the disease "Billy" was a familiar figure about the Hotel Brunswick, where he has been em-

Hopewell Hill, March 7-Mrs. Sarah Stiles, widow of the late Silas Stiles, died this mornnig at the home of her daughter Mrs. Surelia Colpitte, after a week's sick-Mrs. Surelia Colpitts, after a week's sickness of pneumonia, aged eighty years. The deceased was a daughter of the late William Rogers, one of the earliest residents of this county. Mrs. Stiles was very widely known and highly esteemed by all. She was a consistent member of the Methodist church and will be greatly missed in the community where she has lived so many years. She leaves two daughters—Mrs. Colpitts, with whom she resided, and Mrs. John M. Tingley, and one son, William R. Stiles, of Arlington (Mass.). The family have the sympathy of all in their bereavegment.

Henry A. Keirstead.

Fenwick, Kings Co., March 7—After a brief illness, Henry A. Kierstead, aged 70 years, died at his late residence, Fenwick. Kings county, March 3. Mr. Kierstead was a descendant of one of the most distinguished loyalist families that settled in Kings county. His wife, who was a daughter of Gershom Keirstead, survives him, and also the following sons and daughter: I. H., of Fenwick; Rev. J. W., of Campbellton; Rev. I. F., of Providence (R.I.), and Mrs. Lewis French, of Lower Milland Mrs. Lewis French, of Lower Mill streem. He was also an uncle of Rev. W C. Kierstead, Ph. D., of Chicago University, and cousin of Rev. E. M. Kierstead D. D., chancellor of Acadia University, and Prof. E. H. Ganong, of Harvard University. If it may truthfully be said of any one it may be said of him that "He wore the white flower of a blameless life.'

Funeral of Edward Bishop. Annapolis, March 7—Chief of Police G. S. Bishop returned on Saturday from Lynn (Mass.), where he went to attend the funeral of his brother, the late Edward Bishop, a former resident of this town, who died in that city of pneumonia. The funeral was very largely attended by the several societies of which he was an honored member. Deceased possessed the confidence of the officers of the Lynn & Swampsoot Electric Railroad Company, of which he was a trusted employe, as the many testimonials found in his possession bear ample evidence.

Marguerite Rees.

At St. Joseph's Academey, Tekoa (Wash.), on January 27 last, Marguerite M., aged twelve years, eldest daughter of T. D. Rees, of Spokane (Wash.), formerly of New Brunswick, died. Diphtheria was the immediate cause of death.

Mrs Edward Girouard. Moneton, March 9 .- Mas. Girouard, wife

of Edward Gironard, barrister, died this morning. Deceased was 45 years old and Such case leaves a husband and nine children.

Pills saved a Such case Dr. Williams.

Charles Fielding.

Harry Graves.

Moncton, March 10.—Harry Graves, a young man about 28 years of age, died very suddenly this morning of hemorrhage of the lungs. Deceased was a son of Hiram Graves, of the I. C. R. He was a car-penter by trade and returned from the States recently on account of ill health. Since returning home it was thought he was improving, but while about the house he took a hemorrage and expired.

Yarmouth, March 9.-Stephen Murce one of two French-Canadians who went to the South African war, died in a hospital at Boston today from injuries received while at work as brakeman on a railway running out of that city. Muree's family live here. The body will be brought home

CONSUMPTION CURABLE.

Good Blood Makes the Lungs Strong and Expels Disease.

The time to cure consumption is no after the lungs are hopelessly involved and the doctor has given you up. Con-sumption preys upon weakness. Strength sumption preys upon weakness. Strength is the only measure of safety. Do not let the blood become thin and watery. That is an open invitation to disease to take possession of your system. Dr. Williams Pink Pills are the best tonic and strength builder known to medical science. The proves conclusively symptoms of conhat taken when up, strengthens ent to a point ears. Here is a nd invigorates the

"While and soon found strength began t about two months taking the pi since experienced any sure Dr. Williams' Pink

Such case as these prove the power of Dr. Willia is' Pink Pills. They make new rich, red blood, and in this way cure all aged 85 years, father of Minister of Fin-ance Ffelding, died today at Noel, Hants county. He did business in Halitax pre-prious to 1859 in the victualing trade. erves. You can get these pills from any

William Knox.

Moncton, March 10.—The death occurred here this morning after a few days these of William Knox, better known as the steamers which ply on the Nile are cannow be penetrated without discomfort as the steamers which ply on the Nile are cannow be penetrated without discomfort as the steamers which ply on the Nile are cannow be penetrated without discomfort as the steamers which ply on the Nile are cannow be penetrated without discomfort as the steamers which ply on the Nile are cannow be penetrated without discomfort as the steamers which ply on the Nile are cannow be penetrated without discomfort as the steamers which ply on the Nile are cannow be penetrated without discomfort as the steamers which ply on the Nile are cannow be penetrated without discomfort as the steamers which ply on the Nile are cannow be penetrated without discomfort as the steamers which ply on the Nile are cannow be penetrated without discomfort as the steamers which ply on the Nile are cannow be penetrated without discomfort as the steamers which ply on the Nile are cannow be penetrated without discomfort as the steamers which ply on the Nile are cannow be penetrated without discomfort as the steamers which ply on the Nile are cannow be penetrated without discomfort as the steamers which ply on the Nile are cannow be penetrated without discomfort as the steamers which ply on the Nile are cannow be penetrated without discomfort as the steamers which ply on the Nile are cannow be penetrated without discomfort as the steamers which ply on the Nile are cannow be penetrated without discomfort as the steamers which ply on the Nile are cannow be penetrated without discomfort as the steamers which ply on the Nile are cannow be penetrated without discomfort as the steamers which ply on the Nile are cannow be penetrated without discomfort as the steamers which ply on the Nile are cannow be penetrated without discomfort as the steamers which ply on the Nile are cannow be penetrated without discomfort as the steamers which ply on the Nil

### OF CARLETON FREE BAPTIST CHURCHMEN

TABLETS TO MEMORY

Will Be Unveiled Sunday-Perpetuate the Memory of Rev. G. A. Hartley, D. W. Clark and A. C.

Three handsome mural tablets to com-memorate the names and work of three good members of Carleton Free Baptist church, who have passed from the activichurch next Sunday morning. They have been designed and made by John S. Seaton, the Charlotte careet marble worker.

Two are similar in design and the third is somewhat more embellished. All are of Italian marble and are three feet by two They will be placed to the memory of Rev Dr. G. A. Hartiey, for nearly forty-fiv. years pastor of the church, and D. W. Clark and A. C. Smith, deacons. That which bears the name of Dr. Hartley is a panel on a marble base, the whole two inches thick. The lettering is in black and the art work is black and gold. Over the name is an open B.ble. The inscrip-

Rev. George A. Hartley, D. D., Pastor. 1st July, 1858—15th February, 1903. "Faithful Unto Death."

The others are also lettered in black and the termining is in gold and black. The Inscriptions are: Daniel Wetmore Clark,

First Deacen
From the organization of this church, 30th Jan., 1855, until his death, 27th December, 1962.

Albert Colby Smith,

Deacon,
From 9th Jan., 1882, until his death, 27th
December, 1901.
Mr. Seaton designed the tablets, did the carving and lettering, and those who see the work will agree that taste and skill have been well employed.

## AFTER MR. LOGAN'S SCALP.

Amos Purdy of Amherst Makes Some Casual Observations,

Amos Purdy, of Amherst, has issued pamphlets criticising the assessment roll of that town. He quotes the assessors' valuation of quite a large number of proper

"Why not, I know not, but there may be reasons why not.
"You ride here, there and everywhere for pleasure and profit on a 'dead head' ticket (excuse the phrase), and drew over \$2,000 from the public treasury last year, for your personal attendance on the floors of parliament occasionally, when not other wise engaged in other matters of more

personal than public interest, besides, I have no doubt there may or may not be other sources of income to add. However, now in view of the fact that there may be a general election after the government (of course with your help) get that Grand Trunk Pacific railway 'elephant' trained to acting on the political platform, name good large sum to be placed on the assess ment roll for taxation, and then you might have the gall to say 'see how generous I am, please vote for me,' but the rate-payers are likely to tell you by the ballots, 'that is only a small part of our money that you have been getting year after the likest from our money how the year, direct from our money box, the treasury. Come now, pay back your share freasury. Come now, pay one ars, that you have been using for years, into our town treasury. What right have you to be using our government cars for nothing, when the poorest of us have to pay for every mile we ride on them, second class at that, and you expend yourself out in the Pull-

and you spread yourself out in the Pullman car for nothing?" GRANARY OF THE WORLD. Ex-Chief Justice Maguire Speaks on West-

ern Prospects. Montreal, March 8-Ex-Chief Justic Maguire, or the Northwest Territories, is in town. His Lordship has returned from ctive duty, and has come east for the ourpose of seeing some friends. Kingston in 1887, for the Northwest, and has been Chief Justice of the Territoric

or fitteen years.
His lordship speaks in the most glowing terms of the future of the Northwest, and especially of the Territories. These latte do not urgently need, or desire, autonomy Development, he stated today, was pro-ceeding rapidly without it. The southern portions might, in case autonomy was gracted, be disposed to be extravagant, a spend large sums of money upon parament buildings and the like, which the northern districts might not care to pay

There were, his lordship said, somethin like 239,660,000 acros of analle land in the Northwest. Half of this vast territor might be called wheat lands. There has might be called wheat lands. There has never been a yield less, even in the worst of seasons, than nine bushels to the acre. He calculated that with half of this wheat belt used for wheat purposes, the Northwest, in fifteen years from date, would be able to raise 350,000,000 bushels. Now, as England only inparted from all. sibilities of Canada would put an end t the argument that the United States must be placated, because the United States supplied a large proportion of the total amount of wheat which England needed

Population was flowing in from all paris the ex-chief justice remarked, and the prospects were of the best.



## NEW COMPANIES.

St. John is Interested in Several of Them.

THE NEW WINTER PORT.

Herring Cove Railway Company of Albert County Makes / pplication -W. F. Hatheway & Co, Ltd., In-

corporated--Local Firms Increase Capital Stock-The New Publishing Company. A Fredericton special despatch to The

lelegraph Wednesday night gave the fol-John D. Fraser, H. H. Parlee, Simon H White, H. P. Robinson, of Sussex, T. H. Estabrooks, George W. Slocum, of St. John and others have been incorporated as the Maritime Dairy Co., Ltd., with

capital stock of \$48,000. The W. H. Hatheway Co., Ltd., of St John, have been granted letters of incorporation with capital stock of \$70,000.

Incorporation has been granted to the Kincardine Burns Club, Ltd.

Supplementary letters patent have been issued increasing the capital stock of the St. John Foundry Company, Ltd., from \$6,000 to \$25,000; also to the White Candy Co., Ltd., authorizing increase in capital stock from \$30,000 to \$75,000. C. J. Osman gives notice that applica-tion will be made to the legislature this session for an act to incorporate the Her-

ring Cove Railway Company.

Archibald Steeves, C. J. Osman, Fred
M. Thompson, William Woodworth and
Albert McLaughlin are seeking incorporation as the Hillsboro Trading Co., Ltd.,
with capital stock of \$20,000 in forty

The New Brunswick Publishing Company, Ltd., is seeking incorporation to publish a newspaper in St. John. The proposed capital stock is \$95,000 in 150 shares. The list of applicants includes Thomas McAvity, Hon. H. A. McKeown, Chas. J. Milligan, Edward Lantalum, W. G. Scovil and D. J. Purdy of St. John; Kilgour Shives, Camhpbellton; C. S. Hickiman, Dorchester; J. B. McManus, Memramcook; Abner Reid McLellan, Riverside; Hon. C. W. Robinson, A. E. Peters, C. A. Murray, J. T. Ryan, Moncton; E. A. Smiph, Shediac; Albert S. White, Susvents in the sagain advanced and is now worth for the college of the sagain advanced and is now worth for the college of the sagain advanced and is now worth for the college of the sagain advanced and is now worth for the college of the sagain advanced and is now worth for the college of the sagain advanced and is now worth for the college of the sagain advanced and is now worth for the college of the sagain advanced and is now worth for the college of the sagain advanced and is now worth for the college of the sagain advanced and is now worth for the college of the sagain advanced and is now worth for the sagain advanced and the sagain advanced and is now worth for the sagain advanced and the sa The New Brunswick Publishing Com-A Smith Shediac: Albert S. White,

sex, and M. F. Keith, Harcourt. In reference to the last named compare practically completed. The arrangement for the building will likely be finished

Southampton, N. B., March 7th—At a large surprise party held at the Free Baptist on February 26, Miss Lucy A. Grant was presented with the following address accompanied by a copy of Shakespeare in eight volumes.

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To Miss Lucy A. Grant, organist, in the Free Baptist church, Middle Southampton: Dear Miss Grant,—Although this is a surprise party we do not know that you will be surprised if we tell you we have not been blind to the faithful way you have performed the duties, all these years, of organist of our church; for it would certainly not reflect much credit on our intelligence if we failed to recognize your regular attendance at all our meetings.

That we have not, long 'ere this, in a practical way, showed our appreciation, is not because we are slow to perform a duty incumbent in any congregation, especially acongregation whose music from year to year, and year after year, costs them nothing, but because we were waiting for some one to move in the matter.

Contrast the organist and choir expenses of many churches (ours included) with many others; as those of St. Stephen, Calais, Millown, Marysville, etc., etc., where these organists have a lucrative salary and each singer paid so many dollars per Sunday.

When we remember this we feel embarrassed to think that so long a time has passed without any tangible token of appreciation being extended to you. For this we know you are too generous to condemn us; that your thoughts and energy have been engrossed in the more earnest phase of life. It is, no doubt, true, that

"All the world's a stage, And all the men and women merely actors," And all the men and women merely actors,"
but in many walks of life there is much to
rouse the flagging courage of the "Hero in
the strife," while in others it requires much
more will power and real courage to perform
the every-day duties of life. Compare the
soldier in battle to the man or woman struggling with adverse circumstances in the social or business world, and tell me, will you,
which has the greater courage? Yet the one
wears the badges of honor upon his breast,
and marble shafts show the place where he
gave his life for duty; while the other lies
in a "neglected spot," perhaps not marked
by a common head-stone. It takes as noble
a heart to read to the blind to while away
the tedious hours, or nurse the sick, as it
does to man a life boat or fire a rifle on a
field of battle. It all depends on the doer
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### INDIANS SAVED SACRED VESSELS FROM CHUKCH FIRE.

Fine Work Done by the Indians of French Village, N. B., When Their Church Was Burning.

Rev. Father LeBlanc, of French Village, fork county, came to St. John after his hurch had been destroyed last week, to onsult with H's Lordship Bishop Cases as to future plans. Father LeBlanc paid tribute to the great work done by the Indians of the village in saving the church property from the flames. He was, in Fredericton at the time, yet all the church fittings and also the Bessed Eucharist were safely removed from the burning building.

Some one in Father LeBlanc's house saw smoke pouring out of the church and saw smoke pouring out of the church and hurried over to ring the church betl. The people, aroused by its tones, ran to the church, and soon the Indians were hard at work. They saved the stained glass windows, two of which were in place and two ready to be put in. They removed all the pour which had only recently been the pews, which had only recently beer placed, and carried to places of safety the a tar fittings, altar stove and altar cards Greatest of all was their desire to remove Greatest of all was their desire to remove the sacred vessels and the Blessed Eucharist, and if they hesitated it was their fecings of reverence which witheld them from placing hands upon what only the priests of the church may touch. However, the tabernacle was movable and, reverently lifting it, they carried it to Father Le-Blanc's home. The lady school teacher helped well in directing the work.

There was \$1,000 insurance on the church and Father LeBlanc hopes to begin reand Father LeBlanc hopes to begin re

### ST. JOHN MARKETS.

Sugar and Oatmeal Higher - To

bright yellow, \$3.90 to \$4; Faris lumps, \$5.10 to \$5.25; pulverized, \$5.50 to \$6.

Qatmeal has again advanced and is now worth for the ordinary \$5.35 to \$5.40, while the standard is held at \$5.50 per barrel.

Porto Rico molasses is somewhat easier at 36 to 39 cents.

Much dissatisfaction has hitherto been expressed among farmers because of the way in which they have been treated when buying timothy seed. The confusion has arisen from the fact that the American standard of 45 pounds per bushel has always been in use, although the Canadian bushel weighs 48 pounds. One wholesale house in this city proposes to overcome this difficulty by selling at so much per hundred pounds. We quote:—

 Common American, per 100 lbs.\$3.90
 to \$4.90

 Strictly prime American
 4.20
 " 4.30

 Choice American
 5.50
 " 5.60

 Choice Canadian
 5.50
 " 5.60

 Fancy Canadian
 6.40
 " 6.50

Fair red, per pound. 0.10½ " 0.11
Good red. 0.13½ " 0.12
Choice red. 0.13½ " 0.14
Good Mammoth. 0.12½ " 0.13
Choice Mammoth. 0.14 " 0.15
Fair Alsike. 0.08 " 0.10
Good Alsike. 0.10½ " 0.11
Choice Alsike. 0.12 " 0.13
Choice white. 0.24 " 0.25

St John's Growing Time.

All loyal citizens will read with a great deal of satisfaction the statistical state-ment in the regular advertising space of Manchester Robertson Alison, Limited, to day, which is a stirring testimonial to the claims of St. John as the natural winter port of this country. Words can be made port of this country. Words can be made emphatic at times but figures are ever forceful, as the numbers in the statement just mentioned will be found to be. It is an annual custom with Messus, M. R. A. to give out this table of importations for spring, and as years go by the increase in their own business, as well as the onwardness of St. John and Lower Canada's trade, can be paded. The list appears to trade, can be noted. The list appears to cover about everything the heart would wish in the lines of goods slated and parculars of the writing set forth most en chan holding its own as the natural inlet and exit for the winter trans-Atlantic ered the tariff has been practically un-changed, and that the duties on the M R. A. goods amount to \$13,000 more than for a similar period in 1903, it is naturally concluded the business of the port is booming and that St. John is retaining with even greater prominence her position as the chief distributing centre of the maritime provinces. Nearly every civilized country in the world is represented in the table of goods brought to the local house and when the freight charges, etc., are figured out in connection with these importations it would appear that the caim of this position and appear that the caim of this port as an advantageous point from which to distribute dry goods is backed up by hard facts.

#### Personal Intelligenca.

The following paragraphs are from the Newcastle Advocate: Miss M. J. Ingram left Tuesday morning to attend the spring millinery opening at St. John. Miss Helen Black leaves today for St. John to attend

the millinery opening.

Mis. A. Robinson left this morning to visit her daughter in St. John. Miss Minta she will enter the hospital to study nursing. Miss S. Creighton left this morning for St. John where she will spend two weeks in the wholesale workroom, study ng the latest spring fashions.-Chathan

Commercial.

The marriage of Miss Temple Day (New Brunswick), to Mr. Christie, of the Royal Bank (Fredericton), will take place on Thunsday, Mr. Christie is a brother of Mrs. D. R. Scott.—Toronto News.

Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Band, Cape Breton, are the guests of Mrs. Band's mother, Mrs. Birchall, of Huron street.—Toronto. Mayor James W. Day, of Parssboro (N. S.), and Mrs. Day and child are at the S.), and Mrs. Day and child are at the Mrs. A. M. Pound, who has been visit

ing in St. John for some months, left Wednesday for her home in Vancouver. Mrs. Austin Levy, of Grand Manar tho has been under medical treatment i St. John for some weeks, is home again hopes are entertained of her ultimate recovery.

## SUNDAY SCHOOL NEW BRUNSWICK TOUR.

Some Facts About the Work and Alfred Day, a Prominer Worker, Who is to Assist in the Campaign of Next May-June.



ALFRED DAY, Prominent Sunday School Worker, to Take Part New Brunswick Tour.

All Sunday school workers, and problems, will be specially interested in the accompanying picture, because it is that of Alfred Day, who will be a leading worker of the tour party, the plan of whose operations was fully lescribed in these columns some days ago.

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this success was won.

In course of time he yielded to atractions from across the border and is now the field secretary of Michigan State Sunthern Association with headquarters That he may comply with the solicita-

That he may comply with the solicitation of the executive of the New Brunswick S. S. Association he has arranged with the committee under which he labors for permission to spend the month beginning with May 8 and ending with June 8, in this province.

Much may reasonably be expected from the presence and services of such a man, for such a time with such a party, through such a field and in such a work.

And there is expected to be no disappointment if only all Sunday school workers throughout the province place and

with the plan of the tour.

A leaflet on organized Sunday school work, written by Marion Lawrance, general secretary, Toledo, Ohio, is here quotted for readers of this paper. It is as fol-

Question.—Please give your opinion on the value of organized Sunday school work. Can more good be accomplished by it?

Answer.—The "Organized Sunday School Work," which practically began with the National Sunday school convention held in Newark (N. J.) in 1869, has produced re-

## SUNDAY SCHOOL WORK

Provincial Field Secretary has been holding Institute meetings in Gloucester and Resti-gouche. On Sunday last he preached sermons in the interest of the Bible Society in Bathurst and Tetagouche and on Monday af-Bathurst and Tetagouche and on Monday afternoon and evening two sessions were held in company with the county president and secretary. Rev. J. Goldsmith and T. Mitchell Grant. The Presbyterian pastor was laid by with la grippe.

A meeting was held in Dalhousie on Tuesday where the pastor was also sick. After a day of storm the attendance was small. On Wednesday, 9th, in Campbellton, the work was of much interest. Revs. H. C. Thomas and A. F. Carr were also speakers. The meeting was presided over by D. C. Frith who, as superintendent and county secretary, is a man of much usefulness to this county.

A Sister's Influence.

The character of the young men of community depends much on that of the young women. If the latter are cultivated intelligent and accomplished, the young themselves should be upright, and gentlemanly, and refined; but if their female friends are frivolous and silly the young men will be found dissipated and worthless. But remember always that a siste is the best guardian of a brother's integrity of fait rity. She is the surest inculcator of fait in female purity and worth. As a daugh ter she is the true light of the home. Th pride of the father oftenest centres on his sons, but his affection is expended on his daughters. She should, therefore, be the sun and centre of all.

In time of peace the Japanese army consisting of 421,000 men, costs but \$18,500,000 a year.

# In short, if the Sunday school is any bet or more popular now than in the days our grandfathers it is due very largely the organized Sunday school work. The proval of God has been upon it. I was asked for my "opinion." expressed it but mildly, basing wh said not at all on the fact of n relation to it, but on thirteen yea servation, during which time I have as a student of this movement, every of the union, and nearly every province a territory. WAS NEAR TO DEATH

popularized Bible study, revolutionized day school architecture, made the If living thing, created a new Sunday literature, made the school a school Bible teaching a fine art.

It has induced thousands of schokeep open the year round which for closed in the winter. It has perfecte visitation, stimulated teacher training nified the missionary idea, extended to department, captured the babies mothers' arms, and their mothers them.

other agency.

In short, if the Sunday school is any bet

IN NORTHERN TOWNS, Willis the Skater Hurt in Iron Wor -Boy's Leg Broken-Workma Drops Dead.

> H. Willis, of Celebration street, tl kater, had a miraculous escape from deat in the St. John Iron Works yesterd morning at 10 o'clock. His clothing cau in the belting and he was carried rou the shafting. Fellow workmen thought aust surely be killed, but when they pa ed him up he was conscious, but que badly injured, being pruised across t bdomen. His clothing was torn I m ody and he was thrown from the sl ing to the floor, practically naked, forearm of his shirt and the shoes an stockings being all the wearing appare left on his body.

Dr. D. E. Berryman was summoned, and the young man was removed to his homen the ambulance. Doctor Berryman reports no bones broken, but Willis is severewish him rapid recovery.

The fourteen-year-old son of Robert Sancton, Charlotte street, fell on the ice yesterday and broke one of the bones in

nis leg. Dr. D. E. Berryman atter the injuries. The young fellow vinconfined to his home for some time.

Owen Russell, a colored man, a hod care rier at the new electric light station, fell dead yesterday afternoon while at work. Dr. D. E. Berryman and Dr. James Chrisie were summoned, but death had been inmediate. Deceased was thirty-five years old. He had been married only a short time and resided in Brussels street. He ad been working for the street railway ompany only a few days. There will be



