

FOSTER DISPLAYS HIS OLD TIME VIGOR. Emmerson Cannot Answer Questions Concerning the Intercolonial--House Got Down to Real Business.

OTTAWA, Jan. 19.—The house got down to real business this afternoon for the first time this session and put in three hours largely in passing estimates for the civil service.

RAILWAY DISPUTE. NORTH SEA ENQUIRY Grand Trunk - Intercolonial Meeting of International Agreement Discussed. Commission League

MONTREAL, Jan. 19.—Before the arbitration board in the Grand Trunk-Intercolonial railway dispute today the agreement between the Intercolonial and Canadian Pacific with regard to freight arising along route of the I. C. R. in maritime provinces throughout territory over which C. P. R. held running rights was discussed.

Some Facts About Letters Which Have Gone Astray.

The report of the postmaster general has recently been issued. Among the reports of abstraction from or loss of registered letters containing money are the following:

York Theatre. FOR LIMITED ENGAGEMENT COMMENCING Monday, Jan. 16th The Great PAULINE Hypnotist and Mind Reader.

Prices: 15, 25, 35 and 50 cents. Sat. Matinee 15 and 25c. Queen's Rink! Don't Miss the Big Hockey Night. Friday Evng., Jan. 20th. Mohawks vs. Sackville. Neptunes vs. Moncton. Admission 25 cents. Watch for the DAWSON CITY vs. ST. JOHN CITY Match.

STOCKHOLDERS OF THE PEOPLE'S BANK Encouraged—York Council Entertained. FREDERICTON, Jan. 19.—At the annual meeting of the stockholders of the People's Bank this afternoon the old board of directors, H. F. Randolph, Senator Thompson, George N. Sabitt, W. G. Clarke and R. F. Randolph, were re-elected.

WILL BE RESUMED. Gun on Citadel at Halifax Was Not fired Because It Affected A Patient. HALIFAX, Jan. 19.—The time-honored noon gun, that at half-past nine p. m., fired from the Citadel, has not been fired since the explosion of the gun on the Citadel in 1893.

MISSING FROM UNREGISTERED LETTERS. There were in all 1,033 unregistered letters reported as not having reached their destinations or to have been received without their contents.

CANADIAN PACIFIC Atlantic Steamship Service. From Liverpool, St. John, N. B., Jan. 19—Lake Erie, Jan. 23. From Jan. 24—Lake Manitoba, Feb. 11. From Feb. 7—Lake Champlain, Feb. 25.

THE DONEGALL FAMILY. London Paper Contains Items on Frederick Girl and Her Child. (Modern Society.) The Marchioness of Donegall is in rather frail health, and her physicians think it may be needful for her to pass some time in a warmer climate.

ELECTION FORECAST. TORONTO, Jan. 19.—The News, after careful inquiries in every constituency in Ontario, has published its views upon the probabilities for election day: Conservatives, 53; Liberals, 30; doubtful, 10.

AMOUNTS MISSING. Of the registered letters, the total value of the estate is \$16,000. Mrs. Thomas Stratton Buried Yesterday—Sudden Rise in Temperature. HAMPTON, Kings Co., Jan. 19.—In the probate court of Kings county today Judge G. G. Gilbert granted probate of the will of the late Alfaretta Fowles of Havlock, widow of the late Benjamin F. Fowles.

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TRINIDAD ELECTRIC CO. HALIFAX, Jan. 19.—An analysis of the year's earnings of the Trinidad Electric Co. shows a total net profit of \$117,025. The sum of \$25,000 is necessary to pay the interest on the bond issue of \$70,000, leaving \$92,025 available after paying the fixed charges.

SEVENTEEN SIGNED THE PLEDGE. Mrs. Seymour of the W. C. T. U. with a number of lady helpers held a very pleasant social service at the City Hall, and organized by electing J. H. McRobbie chairman.

TOO MUCH FOOD. Every time you eat too food, cream too much food into the stomach, you offend a law of nature and will probably suffer from indigestion, headache, biliousness and all the ills which attend it.

WE ARE ALWAYS POSTED. Where to get the best butter and eggs. Farmers bring their best produce to us, because they know we can use it, and are willing to pay a reasonably good price for it.

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ASSESSMENT COMMISSION. The assessment commission met last evening in the City Hall, and organized by electing J. H. McRobbie chairman.

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