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FIENDS INCARNATE. his chains. The can was lifted over the negro's head by three or four men and its contents poured over Sickening Details of a Horrible

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him. By this time a good supply of brush, pieces of fence rails and other firewood had been placed about the negro's feet. This was throughly saturated

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One By One.

a Crisp, in the Presence of a Mob

Two Thousand Strong.

NEWNAN, Ga., April 23 .- In the

presence of nearly 2,000 people, who sent aloft yells of defiance and shouts

of joy, Sam Hose, a negro, who com-

mitted two of the basest crimes, was burned at the stake in a public road one and one-half miles from here this afternoon. Before the torch was ap-

plied to the pyre, the negro was deprived of his ears, fingers and other

portions of his body. The negro pleaded pitifully for his life while the

mutilation was going on, but stood the ordeal of fire with surprising for-titude. Before the body was cooked, it was cut to pieces, the bones were

erushed into small bits and even the

tree upon which the wretch met his

fate was torn up and disposed of as

NEWNAN, Ga., April 23. Sam.

Hose, the nurderer of Alfred Cran-

ford, and the ravisher of his wife,

was burned at the stake two miles

from here this afternoon, in the pres-

ence of 2,000 people.

Sheriff Brown, to save bloodshed and the destruction of the jail, turn-the negro over to a big party of cit-

A procession was quickly formed and the doomed negro was marched at its head through several streets of

the town. Soon the public square was reached. Here former Governor At-kinson of Georgia, who lives in New-nan, and Judge Freeman, came hur-

in a buggy, importuned the crowd to

The assemblage heard the words of

the two speakers in silence, but the instant their voices died away, shouts

of "On to Palmetto; burn him; think

of his crime," arose and the march

Mrs. Crawford's mother and sister

who are residents of Newnan, identi-

"To the stake," was again the cry, and several men wanted to burn the negro in Mrs. McBiroy's yard. To this she objected strenuously and the mob. complying with her wish, started for

Leaving the little town, whose Sun

day quiet had been so rudely disturbed, the mob, which numbered nearly 1,500 people, started on the road to Palmetto. A line of buggles and vehicles of all kinds, their drivers fight-

ing for position in line, followed the

procession, at the head of which,

One and a half miles out of New

closely guarded, marched the negro.

nan, a place believed to be favorable

to the burning, was reached. A little

to the side of the road was a strong

pine tree. Up to this the negro was

marched, his back placed to the tree

and his face to the crowd, which jos-

tled closely about him. Here for the

WAS ALLOWED TO TALK.

He said: 'I am Sam Hose. I killed

Alfred Crawford, but was paid to do

it. Lige Strickland, the negro preaches

at Palmetto, gave me \$12 to kill him."

At this a roar went up from the from the crowd. The intelligence im-

parted by the wretch was spread

"Let him go on; tell all you know

The negro, shivering like a leaf,

"I did not outrage Mrs. Cranford

The mob would hear no more. The

clothes were torn from the negro in

en instant. A heavy chain was pro-

duced and wound around his body.

He said not a word to this proceed

ing, but at sight of three or four

knives slashing in the hands of sev-

eral members of the crowd about

him, which seemed to forecast the

terrible ordeal he was about to be

put to, he sent up a yell which could

be heard for a mile. Instantly a hand

grasping a knife shot out, and one of

the negro's ears dropped inito a hand

ready to receive it. He pleaded piti-

fully for mercy and begget his tor-mentors to let him die. His cries went unheeded. The second ear went

the way of the other. Hardly had he

been deprived of his organs of hear

ing than his fingers, one by one. ware

among the members of the yelling and

now thoroughly maddened crowd. The shricking negro was quickly deprived of other portions of his anatomy, and

the Words: "Come on with the oil." brought a huge can of kerosene to the foot of the tree where the negro, his

Somebody else did that. I can identify him. Give me time for that."

about it," came from the crowd.

continued his recital.

first time he.

let the law take its course.

AND A MATCH APPLIED Negro Chained to a Tree, His Ears quekly over the pile of wood. As it licked the negro's legs he shricked once and began tugging at his chains. As the flames crept higher and the smoke entered his eyes and mouth Hose put the stumps of his hands to the tree back of him and with a terrible plunge forward severed the up-per portion of the ha'ns which bound And His Body. Saturated With Oil Burned to him to the tree. His body held to the tree only by as far as the thighs, lunged forward, thus escaping the flames, which roured and crackled about his feet. One of the men nearest the burning negro quickly ran up and pushing him back said: "Go back there into the fire," and quickly coupled the disjointed links of the

> The road for a distance of half a mile on each side of the burning negro was black with conveyances and was simply impassable. The crowd surrounded the stake on all sides, but none of those nearer than 100 feet of the centre were able to see what was

Yell after yell went up, and the progress of the flames was communi-cated to those in the rear by shorts from the eye witnesses.

The torch was applied about half-

past two, and at three o'clock the body of Sam Mrse was limp and life-less, his head hanging to one side. The body was not cut down. It was cut to pieces. The crowd fought for places about the smouldering tree, and with knives secured such pieces of his carcuss as did not fall to pieces. The chain was severed by ha the tree was chopped down and with such pieces of the firewood as had not burned were carried away as

The negro's heart was cut into sev eral pieces, as was also his liver. Those unable to obtain the shastly relies themselves paid their more for-tunate possessors extravagant sums for them. Small pieces of bone went for 25 cents, and a bit of the liver have, in response to these repeated riedly upon the scene and standing up crisply cooked said for 10 cents. As adv soon as the negro wals seen to le dead there was a tremendous strug- produce of Canada preferential treatgle among the crowd which had witnessed his tragic end to secure the souvenirs. A rush was made for the stake, and those near the body forced against it and had to fight for their freedom. Knixes were quickly produced, and soon the body was dis-

membered. PALMETTO, Ga., April 24.—The eacher, who was implicated in the Cramford murder by Sam Hose, was found swinging to the limb of a persimmon tree within a mile and a warter of this place early today. Before death was allowed to end the sufferings of the negro his ears were cut off and the small finger of his left hand was severed at the joint. These

On the chest of the negro was a piece of bloodstained paper attached by an ordinary pin. On one side of this paper was written: "New York al-We must protect our ladies;

The other side of the paper contained a warning to the negroes of the neighborhood. It read as follows: Boware all darkies. You will be treated the same way."

The mob is still on the hunt for other negroes, and probably more will

fensive black man.

be lynched. One report says they have killed Afbert Sewell, a very of-

A VANCOUVER FRACAS.!

City and Federal Government Dispute the

Claim to an Island.

VANCOUVER, B. C., April 24.-A sensation was caused today by the arrest of Theodore Ludgaire, the representative of Stewart & Wells of Chicago, and the workmen he took out to Dead Man's Island to build a out to Dead Man's Island to build a saw mill there. Messrs Stewart & Wells, the representatives of a Chicago syndicate, obtained the lease of the island from the department of militia at Ottawa, but the city claims the island. Mayor Garden warned Ludgate that he would not be allowed to prepare with the most. to proceed with the work. Ludgate publicly announced that he would start the work of clearing the island this morning. The mayor ordered the police force out, and when the Chicago party arrived they were warned off. They persisted in landing, and were arrested as trespassers. The case will come up in the police court

FREE AT LAST.

this afternoon

ST. JOHNS, N. F., April 24 .- The Canadian liner Gaspesia arrived here today, convoyed by the sealer Kite, after being eighty days from Paspebiac, sixty-five of which she was frozen in ice floes in the Gulf of St. Lawrence. The Gaspesia is considerably damaged through being nipped among the floes. Her rudder being body covered with blood from head disabled, she was steering by mean to foot, was striving and tugging at of spars.

PARLIAMENT.

The Estimates Brought Down By Hon. Mr. Fielding

Show How Utterly False Were the Promises of Retrenchment Under Liberal Rule.

The Oil Barons Have More Friends in the Cabinet Than Have the Maritime Farmers and Fishermen.

OTTAWA, April 21,-This was gov-

In the senate this afternoon Hon. Mr. Ferguson enquired if the government steamer Stanley made a special trip between Pictou and Georgetown on Sunday, the 16th inst., for the purpose of conveying Frederick Peters of Victoria to Prince Edward Island, and if a special train on the Prince Edward Island railway from Georgetown to Charlottetown was run on the same day and for the same purpose. If so, by whose orders were these special services rendered and at whose expense?

Hon. Mr. Scott said the minister of n orine authorized the Stanley to convey Mr. Peters across either on Saturday or Sunday, he being a member of the Prince Edward Island legislature. Mr. Peters was absent from the last session of the legislature and vould have lost his seat had he not been there in time. He had no knowledge of any special train. Mr. Peters palld his fare.

Senator Prowse pointed out that Mr. Peters had been a resident of Prince Edward Island and had gone to British Columbia to live. He had left his constituency unrepre last session and now wanted to get to not think the government had any right to put its hands into the treasury to pay for a special trip of the Stanley and special trains. It was

When Hon Mr. Fielding moves the house into supply, Mr. McNelli will offer an onendment re the statem of Mr. Chamberlain and other im ial statesmen in favor of imperience to make propositions in made any attempt to secure for the ment in the markets of the United Kingdom, which would be of invaluable value to the farmers and other producers of Canada, would set in motion a great tide of immigration to our shores, people the vast wheat areas of the west enhance farm values in the older provinces, pro-mote the unity of the empire, and especially deliver it from dangerous dependence upon a foreign power."

OTTAWA, April 24.—Answering Mr. Bell of Pictou, Hon. Mr. Blair said that the Canada News Co. had a three years' contract for the privilege of for capital account. selling papers on the Intercolonial, paying \$12,600 for that period, \$11,100 in cash and \$1,500 in advertising. The same company paid \$200 a year for the news stand privilege at Halifax and \$500 a year for the same privilege

Replying to Mr. Powell, Hon. Mr. Blair said that 400 men were employ-ed by the Intercolonial shovelling snow on or about the 18th of February, the date of the provincial election. Mr. Blair stated that the snow fall on that occasion was unprecedented. The cost of shovelling was

was \$1,400.

Mr. Pope asked some questions about the appointment and dismissal of Mr. Harris, late traffic manager of the Intercolonial. Mr. Blair's reply in full is as follows:

"Mr. Harris's services were dispensed with after some months' experience that, though an active, cap-able, energetic officer, he showed a lack of judgment in his method of dealing with the public in connection with the business of his office, which led to unnecessary friction and dissatisfaction. Upon leaving the service he was paid six months' salary as a retiring allowance, having ren dered valuable service in connection with the agreement made with the Grand Trunk for the use of terminals in Montreal and of their line from Montreal to St. Rosalle. Mr. Harris was in the government employ from November, 1897, to August, 1898." Hon. Mr. Sifton explained that the mounted police force in the Yukon

numbered 264. Mr. Davis of Saskatchewan moved his resolution that oil should be on the free list. This western member, who supports the government, contended that the oil duty was a great injury to the west, and that it enabled the Standard oil people, who had bought out the Petrolia industry, to make undue profits of three quar-

Mr. Fraser of East Lambton (liberal), who represents one of the oil districts, protested against the abolition of the protection on oil. He claimed that if oil were made free the Canadian industry would be placed in danger and a large number of men would be thrown out of employment. He read testimonials prove that the Canadian oll was better oil than American. Mr. Ellis supported Mr. Davis' mo-

tion, stating that \$600,000 worth of oil paid \$400,000 duty, or 66 p. c. This duty ought not to stand. It was paid by farmers, fishermen and others, who could not use gas or electric light as a substitute. The tax was especially ounts to \$2,834,000, the largest item becomes the country of the largest item because of the country of the country of the largest item because of the country of the largest item because of the country o oppressive in the maritime provinces, which last year paid \$110,000 duty on \$189,000 worth of oil. He said Hon. Mr. Fielding, as a maritime man, ought to be willing to remove this op-

Pressive tax.

Hon. Mr. Fielding moved that debate be adjourned. He said the tariff should be dealt with as a whole and the house would do well to make no declaration until the budget was brought down.

Mr. Davin opposed the amendment, advising Mr. Davis to divide the house in order that the government might learn what the opinion of parliament was.

on the subject of coal oil.

Mr. Beattle (conservative) of Lon-

don, said that both governments had made mistakes in reducing the oil duties. The changes of duty had reduced the price received by the producers for crude oil without reducing the price to the consumer:

Mr. Johnston (liberal), the recently ected member for Lambton, made

his maiden speech in favor of protection to the oil industry.
Mr. (diver (liberal) of Alberta, said e on the whole supported the government tariff policy, but was not so

ould not be 'mproved. He maintain ed that oil being an article of general consumption by the poorer people, ought to be taxed a little lower than the average, or say 20 per cent, in-

Mr. Richards (liberal) for Lisgar, said that the understanding in Mani-toba when he was a candidate, was e no duty on oll or farm imprements. He thought the government might ablish the duty and give a bounty in-

Mr. Morek (conservative) of Jacdes, said in his campaign Mr. Haur-er had made a campaign speech con-tenning protection on oil Mr. Monck had him self agreed to advocate aboli-tion of the duty.

After further discussion, Mr. Davis closed the debate, still insisting that oil should be free. Being a good party man, he said that he would accept Mr. Fleiding's motion to adjourn.

This occasioned derisive laughter, which increased when Bergeron, Davin and other opposition members stood up to demand a recorded vote.

Mr. Fielding's amendment was carded by a vote of 68 to 30, Legris, Snet-

Mr. Ellis was paired, but took occasion to explain to the house that if he had voted he would have voted egainst the amendment.

After some discussion on the quesion of seeds, grain and liens in the Northwest, the house adjourned. Hon. Mr. Fielding explained that the budget speech will be made next Tuesday.

Before the house rose, Mr. Fielding submitted the estimates for next year. THE ESTIMATES. The total expenditure estimated in this first draft for 1899-1900 is \$41,528,-

900 for current account, and \$4,758,000 The proposed increase in current expenditure over the current year is \$555,000. There is a nominal decrease

in capital expenditure, but these accounts are usually largely deferred to the supplementary estimates.

The increase in the public debt charge is very large, namely, \$421,000,

and \$270,000 additional is to be spent cn the Yukon. The savings pank interest is charged at three per cent, showing that Hcn. Mr. Fielding has changed his his mind permanently as to reduction

The civil government salaries' increases are \$19,000. In 19 cases in the civil service payments are to be made "notwithstanding anything to the contrary in the civil service act." Mr. Mulock carries off the honors by increasing the cost of his inside

Mr. Fisher asks for \$80,000 instead of the previous vote of \$75,000, for experimental farms; \$40,000 instead of \$30,000 for agriculture and dairying, and puts on a new item of \$20,000 for an Illustrating station. There is a lecrease from \$80,000 to \$60,000 for advances for milk and cream at dairy stations, and one of from \$85,000 to \$70,000 in the cold storage appropria-

Militia pay and allowances are slightly increased. The annual drill is raised from \$300,000 to \$400,000; military properties, from \$131,000 to \$164,600; the Royal Military College, from \$55,000 to \$70,000; the cartridge factory, from \$50,000 to \$103,000; defence of Esquimault, from \$75,000 to \$109,000.

Monuments for the battlefields of Stoney Creek and Burlington call for

\$886,000 charged to capital is to be spent on artillery and fortress arma-ment, as against \$281,000 this year. Dr. Borden provides for 12 days' drill of the entire militia.

The appropriation for militia clothing is increased from \$150,000 to

The railway department's pre capital expenditure includes \$445,000 for increased accommodation at St. John; \$100,000 for strengthening iron bridges; \$20,000 for air brakes; \$5.000 for new machinery at Moncton; \$15,000

Canals—charged to capital; amounts to \$2,834,000, the largest item being for the Soulanges, Gallops, Trent Boston and

and Welland canals.

The sum of \$354,000 is to be spent or the St. Lawrence ship channel. Chargeable to income are \$12,000 for Halifax drill hall, \$15,500 for the Kentville building, \$12,000 for the Liverpool building, \$3,500 for the Windsor build-ing, and \$1,900 for a drill shed in that

New Brunswick has only the Marysville building, \$4,000,
Mr. Tarte will spend \$100,000 on pub-

HARBORS AND RIVERS. HARBOAN

New Brunswick—
Buctouche—Repairs to wharf, \$1,000,
Burnt Church—Wharf, \$8,000,
Campbellton—Repairs to Ballas

pairs to Custom House wharf, \$6,000. Olifton breakwater—Creosoted block stone tallus and repairs, \$9,500. Cocagne—Repairs to wharf, \$1,500. Dalhousle—Repairs to Ballias harf. \$2,500. Main River Bridge Wharf, \$1,200.

Richbucto—Pier repairs, \$4,000. River St. John—Including tribu-taries, \$16,000. River St. John—Dredging between iver and Grand Lake, \$1,500. St. John harbor-Negro Point breakater, \$5,000.

St. John harbor-Hydrographic sur-St. John harbor-Repairs to and ex-

er.sion of protection works at base of Fort Dufferin, \$800. Shippegan harbor-Extension and epairs to protection work, \$2,400... Prince Edward Island—
China Point, \$1,500.

McGee's pier, \$1,500.

Miminigash—Harbor works, \$1,000.

Miminigash—Breakwater, \$1,600.

New Lindon—Repairs, \$350.

General repairs to piers and break Souris Kinight's Point breakwater

tc. \$16,000 Summerside harbor-\$30,000. Tignish—Repairs to breakwater and xtension, \$3,000.
Total for P. E. Island, \$68,450. OTHER ITEMS.

The appropriations for the Queen's statue is increased from \$7,000 to \$12,-No changes are yet proposed in the

No changes are year mail subsidies.

In the lighthouse service, the salary of F. J. Harding, St. John, is increased from \$1,400 to \$1,600.

There is an apparent decrease in the inspectors and

office inspector is raised to \$2,600. A vote of two thousand dollars is sekel for the widow of John Camp-bell, ratiway mail clerk, New Bruns-wick division, who was killed in a rallway accident in 1889.

The minister of finance gives notice of two important government bills tonight. One is to implement the promise last year when the Soms of Englard incorporation bill was before
parliament, viz., that the ministry at
this session would introduce a bill affecting fraternal societies in general. The title of the proposed measure is "Respecting the incorporation of benevolent societies." The bill will be closely scrutinized, representatives of the different fraternal organizations being here enquiring about the meas-

ure already. The other bill is to amend the insurance act. It proposes to furnish a means whereby companies may be in-corporated by letters patent, instead of having to come to parliament for ncorporation.

WOODSTOCK.

WOODSTOCK, April 24.—The mayor has been in communication with Mr. Carvell, M. P. P., with regard to having the bill to allow the town to take stock to the extent of \$50,000 in a Tulp mill or other enterprises altered so that instead of taking spock the town may give a bonus of a certain The immigration expenditure is in such an enterprise. This is a result creased from \$258,000 to \$350,000; the such an enterprise. This is a result of negotiations now going on between parties in the town and an agent of parties in the town and an agent of a party of capitalists willing to en-gage in the pulp business. A deputa-tion is ready to start for Fredericton at any time, but Mr. Carvell does not think that it will be necessary for them to go. If the deputation goes it will consist of the mayor, H. P. Bard, Alex. Henderson and Hugh'

1 The Presque Isle express this afternoon was delayed some time, the track near Caribou being under

This afternoon fire broke out in the attic of Mrs. R. K. Jones' house. After some difficulty in getting at the fire the flames were easily subdued. The damage was not at all heavy. DOMESTIC ECONOMY.

Mulligan—The grocer charged me 30 tints a count for this mate.

Mulligan—Bedad! an' thot's too high. A mon mud how to ate half a dozen pounds in order to git his money's worth.—Judge.

St. John, Halifax. Montreal Markets

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NOVA SCOTIA NEWS.

HALIFAX, N. S., April 18.— The Maritime Electrical Association held its annual session here today. A half dozen papers of interest to the members of the profession were read. Tonight a banquet was given to the vis-

itors by the Halifax men.
T. G. McMullin of Truro will erect

a big pulp mill on the Salmon River, Colchester county.

The civic campaign is well under way. Mayor Stephen held the first of a series of public meetings tonight. He will be followed in the same line by ex-Alderman Hamilton, who is pushing him have.

by ex-Alderman Hamilton, who is pushing him hard.

HALIFAX, N. S., Aprils 19.—The board of trade today, unanimously, adopted a resolution asking the dominion government to erect a new post office building in this seity. At present the customs and post office departments are in the same building, and merchants claim that it is increly large enough for one department. The board also decided to telegrath the Ottawa authorities to secure for Halifar the same regulations as to customs permits as was formerly cure for Halifar the same regulations as to customs permits as was formenly in vogue, here, and which have recently been made the rule in St. John. WOLFVILLE, April 15.—The annual reception of the Athenaeum Society of Acadia was given in College hall on Friday evening. J. W. Ferris and G. F. Dixon, predent and vice-president, received the guests. A number of Kling's College students were present, with the badges of white and blue. The Seminary was well represented. An excellent programme of music was given. A vocal sole by Mr. Pidgeon of St. John was a special feature of the evening.

The Masons of Wolfville held their first meeting on Friday evening in their new hall in the McKenns block. The formal dedication will take place later.

Mrs. David Freeman who after a wisit to Eritish Columbia, spent the winter in Blanfon at the home of her sun, New Chanles Freeman, has returned to working and

amendment. Beattle and Craig, government supporters, voted for the amendment. Dayls, Richardson and Oliver coursed laughbor by supporting the amendment.

The mounted police in the Yukon will cost \$500,000, or \$150,000 more than this year.

The sum of \$40,000 is to be spent in surveying all Canadam railway routes to the Klondyke.

\$38,000 worth of new plant is to be put in the printing bureau.

An additional \$15,000 will be voted for future expenses of the International convention.

The salary of the Nova Scotia post office inspector is raised to \$2,600.

methods of caring for and protecting the grounds.

William Harnis of Wolfville, Acadis, '33; Frederick Young of Paradias, Acadis, Mand T. E. Armstrong of Middleton, graduate this month from the College of Physicians and Surgeons, Baltimore.

J. M. Terry, formerly of this county, is prospering in Denver, Col. His has recently become the owner of a bullding on. Third avenue valued at \$10,500.

The Recording Index, presented to the college library, by the junior diass of Acadia, is a very useful present, and the gift is the more appricated as the members were obliged too day themselves, the planture of possessing a class flag in order to make this conation to the institution.

The old parsonage at Berwick, which has been the home of so many Baptis, ministers in the past, has been sold, and a site secured on Commercial street, where a new and commodious dwelling will be erected.

Rev. W. Weeks, marbor of the Walmerstreet Baptist church, Boronto, with Mrs. Weeks, has returned from a three months'

Rev. W. W. Weeks, master of the Walmer street: Baptist church, Derento, with Mrs. Weeks, has returned from a three months' trip to England.

The Stott act prosecutions against the liquor sellers of Kentzille still go on. Some time ago the temperance people agreed not to moilest the hotel Reepers, providing they sold liquor only to gnests. The pledge was troken, an as a result several dealers have been fined.

Mrs. (Rev.) Charles Freeman has arrived from Brandon, Man, and will spend the summer at the home of her father. Dr. Baten, Canning, Rev. Issiah Wallace, with Mrs. Wallace, is spending a well sarned holiday at the home of his son, Rev. W. Wallace, the esteemed pastor of the Elmira Baptist church, New York.

IFALIFAX, 'Apxil 21.—Nathan Gris-

HALIFAX, 'April 21.—Nathan Gris-wold was drowned in Bedford Basin this afternoon a squall striking his load in sight of his home on the Dartleast in sight of his home on the Dartmouth side. Griswold is jut out of Dorchester, having served a term of two years for a burglary committed within six mouths of his marriage. For thirty years the Griswold family, father and sons, have from time to time been in and out of Dorchester penitentiary. A brother is row in Dorchester, and several of them are dead. The unfortunate main who was drowned today was 26 years old.

An instance of red tape at the Victionial general hospital was furnished tonight. Patrick Leblanc, a sailer tendefat. Patrick Leblanc, a sallor from a schooner, broke one of his arms. The hospital ambulance was belephoned for and arrived. The injured man rose to get on the conveyance, when the official in charge said that if the sallor could stand he could walk to the hospital or get on his own team, and he drove off. A cab was then obtained and the wounded man got there alhead of the ambulance, which irove out empty.

EXTENDED TO ALL.

WASHINGTON, April 24.— Assist-Secretary Melklejohn of the war de-partment, has issued an order extend-ing the immigration laws of the Unit-ed States to Cuba, Porto Ricq and the Philippine Islands,

BOWLED OUT.

The Government Do Not Want a Secret Ballot.

And Led By Attorney General White, the Mass of Its Supporters

Side-tracked Mr. Hazen's Resolution Declaring that the Election Law Should Be Amended in This Regard.

In the local legislature on Thursday Mr. Hazen, seconded by Mr. Melan son, moved his secret ballot resolution Mr. Hazen said he thought it was desirable to have a -ecret ballot for provincial elections similar to that now in use in dominion elections. There vas no secrecy about the pre-sent system, which had originated forty years ago, when the conditions were different. Today there were so many large corporations, factories and railway companies that there was not the same freedom of choice as formerly. In nearly every civilized country the secret ballot has been adopted. He thought the principle was one that must commend itself to the house, especially to liberal members, as the secret ballot was an essential plank of liberalism everywhere. It was a well known fact that under the present provincial law employes were not able to vote at all times according to the dictates of their own conscience, for that would mean loss of their employment. He believed the resolution was one that found favor everywhere in the province. He desired the motion to be treated entirely irrespective of party politics. If carried by the house he would not regard it as a party triumph.

Hon. Mr. White said the liberal par-

ty was sometimes accused since its

accession to power of borrowing the

policy of the conservatives. The re-solution of the hon, member indicated that he had become a convert to liberal modes of thinking. The present dominion ballot became law under a liberal governmeat. not wish to be understood as favoring the repeal of the present dominion hallot. It was sometimes the case that an existing law should not be repealed, though if it were not in existence it ought not perhaps to be enacted. If it was proposed to repeal the present local ballot some serious and substantial arguments that would over balance the expense and inconvenience of the change should be shown. The hon, member was taking a great risk in laying down as the foundation stone of his proposed law that the voter should be enabled to exercise his franchise in fraud and deceit. (Applause.) Would the hon. member's resolution, if carried into law, dispense with employer's seeking to use their influence? Not at all. Its avowed purpose would be to enable the employe to vote one way after making his employer believe he was going to vote another. Such a law would be unwise, almost immoral. The hon. member intimated that labcise of their franchise than they were forty years ago. There never was a in the history of the province when the laboring man was as free and independent as he was today. This was a day when laboring men bound themselves together and were a power in the land. Forty years ago the voter went to the ballot box and openly and above board declared for who n he voted. There was no secrecy about it it. It was not with a view to greater secrecy, but for greater expedition and convenience that the present system was adopted, which is a secret system if the voter wishes that it should be. Was there any less intimidation now than forty years ago? Under the old ballot corruption was almost unknown. Mr. Hazen—You had a very differ-

ent electorate them.
Hon. Mr. White—If the electorate is not as good as it was, then it is because our present system has degraded it. How can you expect a man to exercise his franchise in an independ-ent man fashion when the law encourages him to vote in fraud and deception? Would any one venture to say that under the present domin- largely carried by bribery, intimidaion secret ballot, elections are less tion and fraud. A guilty conscience corrupt than under the local system? needs no accuser. His hon friend The very reverse is the case. There (McKeown) denied most emphatically may be other arguments that could that he used improper influences in the advanced in favor of a change, but the St. John election. He (Shaw) was the hon member's argument was not not prepared to say that he had, but sufficient. It did not require a great he would say that if the hon memdeal of penetration to discern why the at the present time. The effect of its day. passage would be a declaration or admission on the part of this house that they were returned at an election where the voters were intimidated. He could quite well understand that the hon, member and his party mi not be satisfied with the present law, nor any other law under which they received so disastrous a defeat. He could well understand why the hon. member wished to create the impression that the system was radically wrong. But if the hon, member in the exercise of his new born zeal sin-cerely desires to effect this supposed reform, he should have chosen a time to introduce it when it would be free Abe considered on its merits. Although the (White) would not ask the house to vote against the resolution he felt what it was a matter requiring very careful consideration. The matter of expense alone was one that should make the house hesitate. He would, therefore, move, seconded by Mr. Farris, that further debate and consideration of the resolution be adjourned to this day three months

Mr. McKeown said he thought when this motion was presented that some good reasons would be urged for the adoption of so vital a change. hon leader of the opposition could not divest the motion from a certain suspicion of political infirence. It was Mr. Shaw—I think not. I also heard all very well to allege high ideals and that the hon, member was exceeding-to cover up political designs with a ly active in influencing government coak of phariseeism. The house was not unaware that subsequent to the had a slight altercation with Dr.

hoped the hon member would have ventilated those charges today, so hat they could either be substantiated or disproved. A great deal of stitude is customarily allowed defeated parties in explaining their defeat, but there should be some limit to the gravity and frequency of such charges. He would like to ask the l'on. member (Hazen) whether or not any alleged circumstance that took place on election day in St. John had moved him to introduce this resolution? No man was innocent or silly crough to say that the hon, member and moved this resolution from mo-

tives of abstract idealism in politics. Political parties do not move along those lines. When they introduce reforms they are rather influenced by a desire to further their political fortunes. It was difficult for him (Mc-Keown) to believe that such intimidation prevailed as the hon member had indicated, and he was here to say distinctly and positively, and to chalenge contradiction from any quarter-that there were any grounds connected with the election in the city of St. John that would justify a moion of this kind. The remarks had been well made that it was impos to corner human ingenuity. were still lingering in the air the hoes of fraud in connection with house had altogether forgotten the scandal that took place in the county of Queens under the ballot system the bon, gentleman now wished this province to adopt. Had the history of our own provincial affairs ever disgraced by such a transaction as that? It was incumbent upon the hon. member to show that there was some prepondering advantage of the ominion ballot over the present local pallot before he could ask the house to make this change. From his (Mc-Keown's) experience it had never seemed to him that the secrecy of the ballot was observed any better under he dominion act than under the provincial act. The attorney was quite right in saving that the foundation of the ballot system should laid in the quicksands The present system worked well for forty years. change it now? The passage of this resolution, as the hon, member well knew, would be a practical admission

cent election in St. John so far as he was himself concerned. Mr. Osman said it was not a pleasant thing for hon, members to turn around and abuse the bridge that had carried them safely into the house. In his own county he had never heard any objection to the present law. In fact, he had most emphatic evidence in his possession that the present system was satisfactory. He produced a letter he had received from a very old and valued friend, who was so hearty in his approval of the election that he commenced by thanking God:

ers returned at the last election. He

was prepared to meet at any time

and place any statement of misdoings

or of fraud in connection with the re-

"MAPLE GROVE Feb 97 1899 Dear Mr. Osman-How thankful we all are to God for the great victory gained over our political foes. laid Trites and Napoleon prostrate on the battle field. met their Waterloo and bones are now bleaching on the battle field. Foster, Hazen, Stockton and company have been swept from the earth by the storm of public opinion and they are sunk deeper than the buried cities of Merculaneum and Pompeii, and buried beneath the ashes of a New Brunswick vesavius. They sleep their last They have fought their last battle, and no earthly trump can wake there again to glory. They have fallen like the leaves to rise no more. So be it and so it is. Amen. (Great laugh-

Mr. Shaw said he had been considerably surprised to hear the attorney general argue that it would be fraud and deception on the part of the voter he voted according to the dictates of his own conscience instead of that of his employer. A man who would seek to enforce his employes to vote against his wishes, deserved to be deceivel. He thought the principal reason why the government was unwilling to have the resolution carried. was that it would operate as an admission that the recent election was ber's statement was correct, he was the most belied man in St. John to-

Mr. McKeowu-I think I am. Mr. Shaw-For I never heard so much said about a candidate using threats and intimidation of all kinds as was said about my hon, friend. I think he ought to move for a committee of inquiry. (Laughter.) I was told that in a speech delivered at a ward meeting in a building owned by Mr. Murphy, the hon. member stated distinctly that any man who voted against the government candidates would be dismissed.

Mr. McKeown-What is that man's name? Mr. Shaw-I will tell you privately. I do not care to name him publicly

without authority. Mr. McKeown-Whoever it was, he made a most false statement. Mr. Shaw-He said that you said you warted it distinctly understood that the name of any man who voted against the government ticket would he handed to the minister of railways and his dismissal recommended.

gets the benefit of his statement it ought to get the benefit of his name. Mr. Shaw-I am not authorized to give his name. I will tell you, but I want his consent first. Mr. McKeown-He was pulling your

Mr. McKeown-I think if the house

that the hon, member was exceedingemployes how to vote. recent election the orposition sup-porters and press had made certain tion day. It was generally reported

grave and startling charges. He had that he used a great deal of intimidaernment is unwilling to adopt the secret ballot because it would not be to their advantage.

> Hon. Mr. Tweedle said the opposttion always seemed to think it neces sary to impute unworthy or improper motives. What necessity had the Had he shown that any more secrecy would be attained by adopting the don.inion ballot? Had he shown any injury done to any person? He simply thinks something should be done because his party was defeated. There was today more secrecy under the election system of New Brunswick them under any other system, because while under the dominion system the voter has to mark his ballot in a particular room and the ballot is afterwards handed by an official, under the provincial system he can mark or write his ballot at home, fold it and place it in his pocket, and nobody interfere with him when he deposits it. All this talk in the press was simply to mislead the people-idle talk and windy sentiment. He would labor, or minister of the crown, could make a voter show his ballot unless he wished to. Because some other rovince used some other system, was to reason why New Brunswick should adopt it. Some hon gentlemen seemed to think that we should look to Australia. Cape Colony, or Ontario, for legislative authority-that nothing could be produced in New Brunswick was any good. We should rather stand by our own institutions and up hold our own laws because they are based upon intelligence. Talk about the poor man being intimidated. He was the most independent man in the country. He was not intimidated. He was able to hold his own at public meetings and in every other way. Mr. Shaw-If you give him \$5 he

Hon. Mr. Tweedle-Well, you would give him \$10 if you had it. The hon, gentleman knew perfectly well how elections were run, and that there was more bribery in dominion elections than in provincial elections. He regretted to learn that St John was a very corrupt constituency, and that the limit there was high. There was 10 country in the province where little bribery was employed as in Northumberland The candidates run their elections there on their shapes (Laughter.) If a candicate wished to run a pure election in any county, they could do so under the ballot sys tem of New Brunswick as well as un cer and other system. If a voter wished to keep his ballot secret, he could do so as well under the Brunswick law as any other, He had yet to learn that many voters were intimidated. Oertainly, as far as his experience went, civil servants were not interfered with unless they took an active part. He had yet to find that either government, whether liberall or conservative, interfered with the man wind exercised the right

vote and nothing more, Mr. Rebinson said the county of Westmorland had received undeserved notoriety by reason of the misleading reports published in the Montreal Star. It was stated in that paper by Mr. Sumner that he (Robinson) had personally intimidated men in the took the ballot out of the hand of a voter and compelled him to vote in opposition to his wishes. He (hobinson) wished to take this opportunity of denying that statement. He wished to state that he did not in that election, nor in any election, take a ballot out of any voter's hand in Westmorland, nor any other county, and to state further, that he had offered a ballot to an elector who had none, and it was taken out of his hand by the other party, and that was done in the case of several voters. In the election which he had run in 1896, with the whole power of the dominion government against him, employes of the I. C. R. came to him and said that the authorities were after them, and were going to send them to ampbellton, and they did not know what to do, and he lad told them to go out on their train, that he could afford to lose theh votes better than they could afford to lose their situations.

The debate was continued by Melanson, Veniot, Burchill, Carvill, Gibson, Humphrey, Wells and Porter, and Hazen closed the discussion in a lengthy speech.

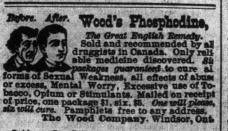
The amendment was carried, the vote bein.: Yeas-Enmerson, Tweedie, White, Dunn, Labillois, Farris, Lawson, Thompson, Wells, Whitehead, Scovil. Osman, Burchill, O'Brien (Northumberland), Fish, Robinson, O'Brien (Charlotte), Porter, Barnes, McLeod, Gibson, Campbell, Veniot, Pugsley, Robertson, McKeown, Carvill, Todd, Russell, Laforest, Carpenter McCain, Gagnon, Legere, Poirier-35. Nays — Hazen, Shaw, Melanson, Humphrey, Glasier — 5.

LADY SCOTT MISSING.

LONDON, April 24.—The family of Sir Samuel Edward Scott, conservative M. P. for West Marylebone, is in a state of great consternation over that the press favorable to the oppo the disappearance of Lady Scott, who was Lady Sophie Beatrix Mary Cadogan, daughter of the Earl of Cadogan, ord lieutenant of Ireland. The Daily Mail says her ladyship drove shopping on the 17th, dismissed eschman in Bond street and has not been seen since.

PIONEER BAPTIST DEAD.

LEXINGTON, Ky., April 23.- Rev. Robert Ryland, probably the oldest Baptist clergyman and educator in the United States, died here today, aged 94.



BY AGREEMENT.

Hazen Holds Over His Bridge Charges Till Next Year

Because All Members of the House Wish to Get Home as Soon as Possible.

nd the Investigation Might Keep Them At Fredericton for Six or Eight Weeks.

FREDERICTON, April 22.—After routine Hon. Mr. Emmerson said, be-fore proceeding further with the business of the house I desire to make reference to the investigation nov before a special committee of this house relating to the construction of permanent bridges. Intimations have been made to me by many member of the house that at this late day in the investigation vell stand till the next session of the house. There is one feature of the charges which affect myself personaltine opposition charges me with personal dishonesty in the discharge of my duty as chief commissioner, and I feel that such imputations should not rest upon me longer than the earliest possible moment when they can be investigated. Beyond that I fully appreciate the desire of hon, members to get released from their legislative duties, and would be willing to meet their views if it were possible to do so. In case the matter stands over the committee would, of very serious moment indeed with under the rules of the house, have to be discharged. I make this statement in view of intimations which have been made to me. (Applause). MR. HAZEN

I desire to say that when I mad these charges on the 18th to the house made them in good faith, with the intention of producing my witnesse before a committee, and was, and am still, prepared to do so. However, intimations have been made to me, as to the hon chief commissioner, many members of this house, to the effect that at this season of the year they would be suffering a very great less if compelled to stay here any gate these charges properly many witnesses would have to be examined, some of them to give expert testi-mony, and several weeks of the time of the house I am satisfied would be taken up, so I informed those hon. members if an agreement could be come to, honorable alike to the chief commissioner and myself, I was certainly willing to be a party to it. I appreciate the position the hon. chief commissioner takes. I would like to say to this house, and every one who has followed the campaigns in the country will agree with me, that on no occasion did I impute political dis- nimou- approval of this legislature onesty to the hon, chief commisslover. I desire to state that I did has been entered into between the not, during the late campaign or at hon. gentlemen this occasion. (Apamy time, charge the chief commis- plause.) sioner with personal dishonesty, while maintaining, as I still maintain, that as a result of the course adopted by him of detting the contracts without tender the province had paid two At this time of the year, the opening prices and in some dases even more above current market rates. I fur- investigation I was prepared to stay ther state that in the charge which I here for weeks. In view of the wish made to this house on the 18th day of of this house that the investigation April instant I did not intend to im- should stand over, I for one will not pute personal dishonesty or corrupt motives to my hon friend, the premier and chief commissioner, and if the words used by me can be construed as having any such meaning, which I do not think can fairly be done, I hereby withdraw them, at the same time reaffirming all that I have charged as to the prices paid for the bridges being largely in excess of what I belive they would have been if the chief commissioner, instead of pursuing the policy which he did, had be well for the committee to make t pursued what I claim would have report to the house before that was been proper business methods If that statement is satisfactory to my hon. friend, then in view of his statemen and whalt seems to be the general desire on both sides of the house, that the session may not be prolonged, as the business interests of many members would thereby be greatly inter-fered with, I would, with the consent of the house, withdraw the whole of the charges, reserving, however, the right to take such action at the next session of the legislature in respect to the construction of such bridges as I may be advised or think necessary in the public interest. (Applause). think the arrangement come to is one honorable to the chief commissioner and at the same time honorable myself, and I would like to express the wish here that, as I believe in the withdrawal of this matter from the committee, the chief commissioner is actuated by exactly th same motive as I am, namely, a consideration of the convenience and personal interests of the members of this house sition in the province will make no reflection upon the chief commissioner in consequence of the course he

has taken. (Appleuse). HON. MR. EMMERSON. It is with pleasure that I rise to make acknowledgement to the words and expressions that have just fallen from my hon. friend. Having, as he says, had no intention of imputing to me dishonest or corrupt motives, it is creditable to him that he has taken the opportunity of thus expressing to the house and the country in a manly and most generous way his views and feelings with reference to the matter, and while he has given expression to his desire that his friends throughout the country will not, in consequence of the understanding reached, in any way reflect upon my course as a public man or private citizen, I am certain that I would be remiss in my duty, as well as in my inclination, if I did not express the wish that my friends would accord to him the same treatment. My hon, friend has certainly taken a manly course in giving expression to his withdrawal of any imputation against myself as the then proceed.

chief commissioner of this province I have pleasure in making this acknowledgement personally. I also feel that in view of the statement my hon, friend has made and in view of the charges which are reported on the journals of the house, which made on the 18th, that it would be but right and fair that the statement which he has made and the statement which I have made in this house should appear on the journalsin the very records in which the original charges appear. If that is done I would certainly feel that there would not be any necessity for a further investigation during this session, and my hon, friend having withdrawn his charges, there is no necessity for the committee further proceeding with the reference which was made to them. I would, therefore, if it would be proper, as I think it would be under the rules of the house, move, seconded by Mr. Hazen, that these stateme should appear upon the journals. (Ap plause.)

MR. ROBERTSON. As one member of this house who took the responsibility of presenting to the leader of the government, as well as to the leader of the opposition the great inconvenience that it would be to the members of this legislature to continue in session for what might be said to be an indefinite time at this season of the year, I pointed that in this house, as far as I could observe, were gentlemen who represented the most important interests in our province, the lumbering interest, the farming interest, and other interests that needed their per sonal attention at the opening of the summer season, when the material interests of the province can only be prosecuted, and feeling that in my own case, beacuse I was only speaking for myself, that it would be a matter respect to the public undertakings that I have on hand, you can fully understand, Mr. Speaker, how fully appreciate, and venture to state my fellow members do also, the state ments just made by the leader of the government and the leader of the opposition. (Applause.) I am sure you will agree with me that the statements are alike highly honcrable to both of these members. I am sure that the house will feel that these statements will be considered in after years a record in the history of provincial government. While we may differ in our views with respect to the policy of the government, while leader of the opposition may feel that he is in a position to prove the charges with respect to the cost of these bridges, yet how gratifying it is to find that he has so manfully stood up on the floors of the house and withdrawn-yes, repudiated the idea that there was aught personally dishonest charged against the leader of the government, (Applause.) In view of the agreement entered into, I feel that I am not assuming too much when I tender, if I may be pardoned for using the term, the thanks of this legislature for the statements made to us today, and I hope that the una-

will be given to the agreement which

As a member of his special committee, from a business standpoint, I would like to get away in a few days. of navigation, my work commences, that for permanent bridges but as a member of the committee of oppose it. (Applause) On motion of Hon. Mr. Emmerson, seconded by Mr. Hazen, it was resolved that statements just made by the premier and leader of the opposition be entered on the journals as part of the statements made, and the that many of the members wanted to be relieved from their public duties as early as possible a formal motion

> lect committee. However, it might report to the house before that was

AN OCEAN TRAGEDY.

might be passed, discharging the se

The Captain and Over a Dozen of the Crew of the Steamer General Whitney Lost. JACKSONVILLE, Fla., April 22.-A special to the Times Union and Citizen from Oak Hill, Fla., says: The steamer General Whitney, Capt. Hawthorne, sank fifty miles east of Cape Canaveral. One boat of sixteen, attempting to land at Mcsquito Lagoon house of refuge, was upset and

were drawned. The chief engineer, assistant en gineer, firemen and one sailor were saved. The captains body has been recovered. Ffteen men in another boat are still unheard from.

twelve men, including the captain,

SPANISH ELECTIONS.

MADRID, April 23.-The senatorial elections for the new cortes were held today and passed off tranquilly throughout the country. They resulted in giving the govern-

ment a larger majority in the senate than it had secured in the chamber of deputies. It is reasserted, in different reliable quarters, that the attempts of Don Carles to raise a loan on be security of his Italian and Austrian estates have failed.

ARRIVAL OF MANITOBAN.

HALIFAX, April 23.—The steamer Manitoban, from Liverpool for St. Johns, Nfid., and Philadelphie, before reported off Cape Race in distress, arrived tonight under her own steam. She was not disabled, but she laid several days outside the ice on the Newfoundland coast seeking an en trance to St. Johns, which she failed to find. She will coal here and prob-ably discharge her St. Johns cargo for transhipment to its destination, and SUPPRISE SOAP Pure hard Soap

lasts long, lathers freely. 5 cents a cake.

ST. CROEX SOAP M'F'G. CO., St. Stephen, M.B.

PLUTON'S WRECK. It is Literally Riddled With Six Pound Shot.

SANTIAGO DE CUBA, April 21,-The wreck of the Spanish torpedo boat destroyer Pluton, which was sunk in the battle that resulted in the destruction of Cervera's squadron, was discovered yesterday about three miles west of Morro Castle, in eight fathoms of water. It was found by divers .'rom the Yankton, who made a thorough inspection, finding the hull lying on the port side and with no indication of having been struck by a heavy shell, as was originally reported. The vessel, however, is badly stove and iterally riddled with 6pound shot. Evidently the Gloucester did her work well that day, for the Pluton is utterly ruined and no attempt will be made to raise her.

LIBERAL VICTORY Brockville Captured By Means of Ballot Rox

Stuffing and Corruption. BROCKVILLE, Ont., April 20,-The liberals won today's election, but only by practising corruption on a scale unequalled in Canadian politics. The conservatives have evidence of a ballot box stuffing. In one Brockville poll a man was detected presenting a bogus ballot. There is other evidence

demonstration as soon as the result Mr. Comstock's majority is given as 395, with three polls to hear from, which will reduce the majority.

that other than legal ballots were in circulation. The liberals held a great

The vote was as follows: White Comstock Brockville city 754 Totals. 1,508

Majority for Comstock, 249

COMMERCIAL UNREST

In Jamaica Caused By a Threatened Discrif the U.S. minating Tariff on the part o.

KINGSTON, Jamaica, April 21.-The lespatch from Washington referring to the tariff here discriminating against American trade continues to exercise the public and is creating a feeling of general unrest in comm cial and industrial circles. In the legislature Mr. Burke, leader of the representatives, voiced this feeling feeling denouncing discriminaton aganst America, and urging that the

hreatened retaliation meant min. The Jamaican newspapers express the hope that the threat of retaliation from Washington will compel the sec-retary of state for the colonies, Joseph Chamberlain to nermit nego tiations for a reciprocity treaty.

MR. BERRY LEAVES FOR MON-TANA.

James Berry, for the past eighteen years a member of the Sun staff, left with his family Saturday for Butte, Montana, where a fine position awaits him. Mr. Berry filled in succession the positions of compositor, reporter and city editor, and was one of the most active and untiring news gatherers in St. John. When work pressed or the staff was temporarily weakened, no man was more ready to share the extra labor, some more jealous of the reputation of the Sun as a paper that gave the public all the news. He leaves this office regretted by all his associates and with heir most sincere wishes for success in the distant field which will henceforth be his home. Friday evening the editorial and news staff of the Sun presented Mr. Berry with a farewell address, expressing their regret that they would meet no more as fellow workers, their pleasure : hat the change he was making was one that offered better worldly prospects, and the assurance that among the host of friends he left behind none would more heartily rejoice over his future prosperity than his old comrades on the Sun. Accompanying the address was a gold chain. Last evening a number of Mr. Berry's friends entertained him at supper at the Cafe Royal. After the good things set before the company by Mr. Clark had been disposed of Ald. McGoldrick, on behalf of the gentlemen in attendance, presented Mr. Berry with a beautiful scarf pai, an opal surrounded by emeralds. Ald. McGoldrick made an appropriate address, to which Mr. Berry responded

in fitting terms. There were addresses by Mayor Sears, T. L. Bourke, James Kelly, John Walsh, Capt. J. E. Farris D. Dias, P. W. Lantalum, Thos. Dean and others. Mayor Sears, one of Mr. Berry's warmest friends handed that gentleman a pipe which his worship said he hoped Mr. Berry would live long to use. It was a thoroughly representative gathering, and Mr. Berry was assured that the people of St. John would wish him very success in the west.

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LOCAL LEGISLATURE.

Urging Dominion Government to Buy Canada Eastern Railway.

A Lot of Bills Advanced a Stage and Business Being Rushed Through.

FREDERICTON, N. B., April 19.-Hon. Mr. White introduced a bill to prevent the profanation of the Lord's day; Hon. Mr. Emmerson, to amend chapter 66, Consolidated Statutes, University of New Brunswick; Hon. Mr. Tweedie, to authorize the town of Chatham to issue debentures to provide water and sewerage in said town; Mr. Shaw, in the absence of Mr. Purdy, to amend 53rd Victoria. chapter 67, as well as a bill to enable the city of St. John to obtain information with reference to assessable

with reference to Succor Brook bridge, Queens Co.

Hon. Mr. Emmerson said the tenders were four in number: Anderson Gay, \$300; Chas. W. Anderson, Wm. How, \$248; Daniel E. Smith, \$290. Hemlock abutments were called for. Accompanying the tender of Chas. W. Anderson was the offer to put in cedar abutments instead of hemlock for this amount of \$250. He had accordingly awarded the tender to Mr. Anderson, thinking that it was cheaper and more in the interest of the province.

Mr. Hazen presented his inquiry as to whether the amounts named in the public reports gave the full cost of the Mill Cove and other bridges named. Were there still any unpaid balances due for super-structures of any of these bridges? Hon. Mr. Emmerson said as far as

he could gather from the secretary of the department and from the records. the amounts given in the public works report gave the full cost of superstructures of the bridges named, excepting the Four Mile bridge, cerning which he would state that there was pending in the department a claim for extras amounting to about \$300. This was brought to the attention of the house last session, and it had been frequently urged that the claim of Mr. Fraser should be paid. As to the Nelson Palmer bridge, the cost of inspection had, he thought, been paid since the accounts of the year were closed. With respect to the Bayard bridge, \$60 towards the cost of inspecting the superstructure had been paid. He knew of no unpaid bills due for the superstructure of any of these bridges except the one named, and was informed by the secretary and treasurer of the department that no amounts had been paid on account of the superstructures of any such bridge since the close of the fiscal year, with the exceptions named. He was under the impresison there was an amount not adjusted upon the Blackville bridge, but was not ertain as to that. He knew of no

Mr. Hazen inquired what items of expenditure were included in sundry inspection payment of \$735.45, in the public works report for 1897.

Hon. Mr. Emmerson said this mat-ter was inquired into the other day before the public accounts committee, and that he had been given a statement with respect to this item of \$735.45. One item was \$497.57, paid to Mr. itindress, inspector of sub-structures. Alfred Haines, for sundry expenses and inspection, had been paid different amounts aggregating \$159.83. He thought that related to clearing out the river. Then there were some items of expenditure made by the chief engineer, Mr. Wetmore, for taking soundings and employing men for that purpose and getting cement tested at Montreal, amounting in all to \$78.05. This made the total of \$735.45. He did not think that any portion of the cost of flooring or painting the

bridges were included in this sum. Mr. Hazen gave notice of motion for Friday asking for a statement in detail of payments of all amounts paid by government from October 31st to March 23rd, not included in the statement of warrants issued during that period, nor in the statement of payments made by the board of works department during that period al-

ready laid on the table of the house, Mr. Todd committed a bill to amend and consolidate Act 36th, Victoria, Chapter 183, incorporating the town of Milltown, and several acts in amendment thereto. Progress was re-ported with leave to sit again, and on motion, Hen. Mr. White, seconded by Mr. Todd, the bill was referred to a special committee for further consid-

Hon. Mr. White introduced a bill to amend the probates court act.

Hon. Mr. White introduced a bill in further amendment of the liquor license act of 1896, which was agreed

Hon. Mr. White committed a bill to amend chapter 119 of the Consolidated Statutes, which was also agreed to, and the house adjourned. FREDERICTON, N. B., April 20.-

Mr. Venoit, from the standing rules committee, and Mr. McKeown, from the municipalities committee, submitted reports.

Hon. Mr. Dunn introduced a bill further amending the general mining

Mr. Humphrey moved, seconded by Mr. Glasier, for a statement by the chief engineer giving the estimated weight of the metal in each of the three spans of the substructure of the Kingston bridge, now under construc-

Hon. Mr. Emmerson said that while willing at all times to furnish every possible information that was in the public interests, he could not consent to comply with the present motion, as t would not e in the public interest that he sould do so. The bridge was under construction, and it was not desirable that the contractors should know what the government's estimate of the weights of the span was. There could be no objection to giving the information when the bridge was completed. The contract for the bridge was not at so much per pound.

Any one desirous of getting a fairly correct estimate of the weight of each span might figure it out from the plans and specifications—work out the strains-but it was not desirable that the estimate of 'he government engineer should be known to the contractors before the work was com-

Mr. Hazen said he failed to appreciate the position taken by the leader of the government. His (Emmerson's) statement that the weights could be figured out from the plans and specifications answered his declaration that it was not in the public interest that the contractors should know the weights.

The motion was lost on division, but the names were not called for.

Hon. Mr. Tweedie introduced a bill in amendment of and in addition to the towns incorporation act, 1896. Mr. Carvill re-committed the bill authorizing the town of Woodstock to take a vote of the ratepayers of the said town on the question of taking stock in a pulp mill or other industry to an amount not exceeding fifty thousand dollars. He explained that Mr. Hazen presented his inquiry he had this bill stood over so as to hear from the Woodstock authorities. He had heard and his information was that the council did not feel like incurring expense in sending any one here to support the bill; and he would therefore leave it to the house to deal

> On motion of Hon. Mr. White, progress was reported. Mr. Robertson committed the bill in addition to certain acts relating to public slaughter houses in the city and county of St. John, which was agreed to with amendments.

with the bill as they thought best.

Mr. Humphrey gave notice of inquiry: Have contracts been let for any other steel bridge superstructures than the Kingston bridge? To whom has such contract been let? What is the length of each span and the estimated weight of metal in each, and the total cost of each superstructure? Adjourned.

FREDERICTON, April 21. - Mr. Shaw rose to a question of privilege He was represented in the official report of yesterday's debate as intimáting that the independence of the poor man could be bought for \$5. What he had said was a remark made to the Lon, provincial secretary acress the house, that if he (Tweedle) gave the voter \$5 he would like to see how he voted. He exonerated the reporter from any wish to misrepresent him. There were other classes of people that could be bought just as easily as he working man.

Hon. Mr. Tweedie said he was rather surprised to hear the hon, member say the working man could be bought. The hon, member's remarks were taken down in shorthand, and he was satisfied the reporter put down the words used as he understood them. He hoped the hon, member would be more cautious in future. (Laughter.) Mr. Shaw -The government has probably found out by this time that nearly every man has his price. Hor. Mr. Tweedie-We have no

triel you yet, but we can get you when we want you. (Laughter.) Mr. Carvell made a report from the special committee investigating certain bridge expenditures stating that Mr. Robinson, a member of such cominfice, having stated to the committee that he was a stockholder in the Record Foundry Machine Co., did not think he should remain a member of this committee. It had been moved by Mr. Veniot, seconded by Mr. Gibson, that in view of Mr. Robinson's statement the chairman report the matter to the house and ask that Mr. Robinson be relieved from further duty on such committee, and that some other member of the house be appointed in his place; and the committee als requested permission to sit during the essions of the house.

Report was accepted, request com-plied with, and Mr. Speaker appointed Mr. Mott a member of such committee. Mr. McKeown, from the municipaliies committee, and Mr. Burchill, from the corporations committee, submitted reports. The former committee re-ported against the law further amending the laws relating to the levying and assessing of taxes in the city of

Mr. Humphrey, seconded by Mr. Shaw, gave notice of motion for statement in detail of all debentures issued by the government from 31st Ocober last to the 23rd day of March. Mr. Hazen presented his motion for statement in detail of all amounts paid by government on account of public service from Oct 31st to the 3rd March, not included in the statement of warrants. No statement of payments by board of work department laid on the table of the house. Hon. Mr. Tweedie-The information desired by my hon. friend will be

furnished without the formality of an address. Hon. Mr. Tweedie, seconded by Hon. Mr. Farris, gave notice of a resolu-tion for Monday next, that it would be greatly to the benefit of the province, as well as of advantage to the Intercolonial railway, that the dominion government should acquire the Canada Eastern callway, and that this house urge the federal government to acquire the road, and oper-

ate it as part of the Intercolonial system The bill to amend the act to authorize the city of St. John to supply water to the inhabitants, manufac turers and corporations in the parish of Lancaster, and for other purposes, was agreed to with amend-

ments. The bill to incorporate the Imperial Dry Dock company of St. John was agreed to.

Hon. Mr. Tweedle committed the bill further to provide for the calling and redemption of certain debentures and in amendment of 54 Victoria, chapter 2, an act in aid of the construction of railways. Hon. Mr. Tweedie said the bill was to enable the government, without special legislation, to call in debentures at maturity by the issue of debentures hearing interest at a rate lot exceeding three per cent.-Agreed to with amend-

ments. Mr. Robertson re-committed the bill incorporating the Carleton Electric Light and Power Co., which was agreed to with amendments. Mr. McKeowa committed the bill. relating to the value of real and personal property of the St. John Sulphite Co., at Mispec, St. John Co., for taxation purposes, which was agreed to with amendments.

Mr. Shaw committed the bill relating to the appointment of treasurer or chamberlain of the city of St. John, and to the appointment of constables for the said city, which was agreed to with amendments. House then adjourned.

FREDERICTON, April 22.
Bills were introduced as follows: By Hon. Mr. Dunn, respecting the protection of game, and by Hon. Mr. White, amending the public health act of

Mr. Shaw withdrew the bill amend ing the laws relating to the levying and assessing of taxes in the city of St. John, owing to the opposition against it and the fact it had been reported against by the municipality committee; and Mr. McKeown withdrew the bill providing for submitting to the electors of the city of St. John the propriety of the common council of said city making a grant towards holding an exhibition in said city. Hon. Mr. Tweedle committed

bill relating to the making and issuing of debentures by muricipal and other incorporated bodies; also the bill in amendment of and addition to "The towns incorporation act of 1896," which were agreed to, the latter with Hon. Mr. Dunn committed the bill

further amending the general mining act, which was agreed to with amend-Mr. Thompson committed the bill to revive and continue the act incorporating the Fredericton, Gibson and Marysville Electric Railway Co.-

Agreed to. Hon. Mr. Tweedie committed the bill to authorize the town of Chatham to issue debentures for providing a water and sewerage system for said town.—Agreed to with amendments. Mr. McKeown, in the absence of Mr. Purdy, committed bills amending chapter 53, Victoria, chapter 67; and to enable the city of St. John to obtain information with reference to assessable property. Both were agreed

to with amendments. Mr. Humphrey made his inquiry How many contracts have been let for any other steel bridge superstructures than the Kingston bridge? To whom have such contracts been let? What is the length of each span and the estimated weight of metal in each and the total cost of each superstructure?

Hon. Mr. Emmerson said he could understand the inquiry as it

Mr. Humphrey said he meant since the close of the fiscal year. Hon. Mr. Emmerson said he thought the Brookway bridge had been contracted for before the close of the fiscell year, and if that was so then there had been no contract let since other than for the Kingston super-

Mr. Melanson gave notice of fuiry: Have tenders been asked for the building of a bridge in the parish of Acadieville in the county of Kent? How many tenders were received for the building of said bridge? What was the amount of each tender and who were the parties who To whom was the contract awarded, and at what price?

Mr. Melanson gave notice of inquiry: Is it the intention of the govcrnment to grant further and by way of bonus to any of the flouring mills which have already received any such aid. If so, to which of such mills will further bonus be gramted and to what amount in each case? Hou Mr. Emmerson presented the

petition of Wm. S. Starratt, Ralph Colpitts, Solomon Woodworth and ten other ratepayers of the county of Albert, praying that the bill giving power to Albert municipality to make cams up to \$10,000, and the bill offering inducements to industrial establishments might not pass and become Paw.

Hon. Mr. Emmerson presented a like petition from Wm. C. Downey, Levi Downey, Solomon Steeves and 350 other ratepayers of said county, and a like petition from Geo. Barnett, A. Steeves, John F. Beatty, D. C. O'Connor, A. O. Hanley, James Mc-Kinley, George W. Killam, C. W. Tucker and about 500 other ratepayers of said county. Adjourned.

INDICTMENT DISMISSED.

NEW YORK, April 19.-The indictment charging Roland B. Molineux with the murder of Mrs. Kate J. Adams was today formally dismissed by Justice Williams in the supreme court. The order which he signed to that effect is very short, and gives as the reason for the dismissal of the indictment that it was found on illegal evidence. The order provides for the submission of the case again to the grand jury.
Asst. Dist. Atty. Osborne said that

Justice Williams' order did not pro-vide for the discharge of Molineux

MORE BRITISH BRUTALITY.

The football beam of Oxford University is now in Austria to play several matches. We do not know whether the introduction and popularization of this game is an advantage. It is a brutal pastime, which tends to animalize the players; and just as it suits the "boxing" Englishman, so we think it will not sult the continental an with his more refined tastes. Hirlan (Budapest).

WEAKNESS FOR BOMBARDING.

It is remarkable how the English are always the first in the field when there is a little bombarding to be done in some part of the world. Just at present the doughty Anglo-Saxons are endeavoring to demolish Apia, a little place with 300 European and a few hundred native inhabitants.—Aligemeine Zeitung (Vienna).

The lobster catch is light this year as compared with past seasons

Children Cry for

OFF TO THE STATES.

A Large Emigration from the Eastern Townships.

The Movement to the South Is Very Large This Spring.

SHERBROOKE, April 20.—The rush of French Canadians to the United States which for the past year or two has been less marked than formerly, and which it was hoped and believed by some was on the wane, has been renewed this spring with a vigor which promises to surpass all previous emigrations.

Sherbrooks may be considered the gateway for French Canadian emigration to the states and every train that arrives these days from the north, east and west brings dozens of families bound for the factory towns of New England. The Boston and Maine has been obliged to add several extra cars to its evening express and it is estimated that over one thousand emigrants have been conveyed across the border over this road within a week. The Central Quebec, and Lower St. Lawrence districts contribute by far the greater portion of the out-ging Canadians, while Fall River, Lowell, Manchester and Salem are the chief points of destination.

A marked feature of this emigration is the evident intention of families to remain in the states. The travellers are not composed of young men and young women seeking work for a few months or a year in the manufacturies of the American cities, but of whole families, with their househ furniture and effects. They apparently have no intention of returning after they have earned a little money, to their Canadian homes. Father, mother, children and relatives, make up the groups which may be seen at Union Station every night.

A man appeared at the wicket the other evening to purchase tickets for his family, which consisted of wife and twelve daughters. The oldest of the girls was eighteen.

A year ago, just at the beginning of the war with Spain, the Boston and Maine emigrant trains were headed rorthward, and hundreds of French Canadian came back to their native land. The hard times in the states previous to that time also brought many home, and it is two or three years since there was any seri ous rush of Canadians to the south from this point.

Returning prosperity across the line, however, has renewed the drain upon Canada's population.

FROM ANOTHER POINT. FARNHAM, Que., April 20.—If ome of the liberal members of parliament who make the assertion that the exodus has ceased would linger about the Canadian Pacific railway station here almost any evening as the several trains are departing, they would soon be forced to make the admission that their statements lackevery ticket agent in the Eastern Townships would be able to give statistics in regard to the number of people who continue to

factories that would be simply surprising. The exodus has not ceased, more's the pity. Every week nearly every local correspondent of the county papers has among his items that John Smith or Maggie Brown left on such and such a day for Manchester, or Springfield, or some other great fac-

find their way to the New England

tory centre. Among the French people, whole families move away. Among the English-speaking portion of the population, it is usually the young men or young women. They cannot afford to study a profession or enter into business for hemselves. They are compelled by force of circumstances to earn their own living as soon as they leave school. "Situations" are scarce at home, so they are absorbed by the mills of Massachusetts.

(Bras D'Or Gazette, April 19.) Peter Campbell and daughter of Arichat left for Boston recently, where they will reside in future. A great many young people are leaving Inverness for the United States. A number left Brook Village for Bos-

ton recently. John A. McInnis of Claverhouse left last Thursday for Boston, Mass. Too bad to see so many of our young people going away. James F. Mc-Donald of Dunwegan while on his way to Boston last Tuesday called on his many friends at Lake Ainslie to bid them adleus. Angus Fenguson of Frambois and John A. McLeod and D. K. Morrison of Lower St. Esprit left for the Hub last Monday. Alex. Munre, W. A. Boyd and Angus W. McDonald left Salem for Boston on the 14th inst. They will be much missed from the several societies of which they were active members. Mrs. Muray, who left Tuesday morning for Boston, was given a surprise party by the young people of Salem Road on the evening before she left.

(Charlottetown, April 19.) Misses Florence and Annie McCalder and Master Willie McCalder leave today for Montana, where they will in future reside with their uncle, Daniel Buchanan, formerly of Long Creek, Lot 65, P. E. I. Wilbert Dockendorff, son of Benj. Dockendorff North river, who left home about a week ago for Boston, has su in securing employment.

P. E. ISLAND. CHARLOTTETOWN, April 21.-At-

torney General McDonald gave notice in the house of assembly today that the government of Prince Edward Island was prepared to enter into an arrangement with the dominion government for the building of a bridge for railway and vehicles across the Hillsboro river, on which the city of Charlottetown is built. If the federal government will build this bridge the Prince Edward Island government arer prepared to pay into the federal treasury \$12,000 annually. The bridge would be a toll bridge.

SUPREME COURT. The supreme court at Frederictor delivered the following judgments Fri-

day morning: Ex parte David Grant-Rule nisi for mandamus commanding Jas. Kay, police magistrate of Moncton, to issue a summons in a civil suit without having his fees paid in advance. Ex parte Anson Miller-Rule refused for certiorari to remove proocedings on review had before county

count judge of Westmorland in suit of Nason Stevens v. Anson Miller. Hesse v. St. John Railway Co.—The chief justice stated that, the cours being divided, the rule for an attachment against Mr. McLean and for sequestration would be refused. Ex parte Minnie Wilbur—Rule re-

fused for certiorari to remove conviction for keeping a disorderly house, rer chief justice and Judges Haningon and McLeod; Judges Landry and Vanwart dissenting.

Ex parte Margaret Bentley-The Ex parte Michael P. Doyle-Rule absolute to remove conviction: for seiling liquor contrary to provision of

Liquor License Act. Queen v. Wells, ex parte Moncton Sugar Refining Co.—Rule absolute for certiorari to remove an order made by county court judge of Westmorland setting aside garmishee proceed-

In re David I. Welch estate-Appeal from probate court of Westmorand allowed with costs; chief justice Ex parte Aaron Geldart-Rule ab-

solute for certiorari to remove an order made by clerk of peace of Westnorland discharging William C. Hoar from custody. Ex parte Duncan Stevenson-Rule

refused for certiorari to remove conviction made by police magistrate of Moncton for unlawfully pointing a firearm at Annie Pearson; Hanning-

ton dissenting. Ward v. Hall-This was a special case, involving construction of a covenant in lease. The court held lessee was not entitled to payment of compensation.

Ex parte Ingraham, two cases Rules discharged for certiorari to remove Scott Act convictions. Ex parte Weyman-Rule discharged for certiorari to remove Scott Act driven from strong entrenchments at

conviction. Prince v. Flood-Appeal from St John county court, allowed with Pittfield v. Young-Rule refused to

set aside verdict for plaintiff and enter a verdict for defendant. Budd v. Sherwood-New trial re fused in a trespass case tried in Kent. Ex parte J. Francis Rice-Rule refused for quo warranto calling upon Pius Michaud to show cause by what authority he exercises function of

secretary treasurer of Madawaska. The following common motions were made: Queen v. John Nevin ex parte Roger Flanagan-J. H. Barry moves for rule nisi to quash Scott Act conviction;

Ex parte William L. Anderson-Thos. Lawson moves to make absolute rule nisi for certiorari to remove an order of discharge made by Judge

Wilson: rule absolute. Queen v. Municipality of Queens, ex parte John Gale-J. R. Dunn moves for rule absolute to quash resolution appointing a Scott Act inspector; rule

absolute. Ex parte Edwin C. Lockett-J. R. Dunn moves for an attachment against Charles P. Weyman and Daniel Mott for disobeying order of chief justice, staying all proceedings under a resolution of Queens county council appointing a Scott Act in-

spector; rule refused. Ex parte Edwin C. Lockett-J. R. Du in moves for rules nisi for certiorari to remove Scott Act convictions; refused.

Queen v. Municipality of Restigouche-J. H. Barry moves for rule absolute to quash assessment; rule absolute on Mr. Mott filing consent. The last case on the docket, Mayberry and Rogers, appellants, and Hunt et al, respondents, was then taken up. Thos. Lawson supports appeal from St. John county court; C. J. Coster, contra; now before the

SEVERE EARTHQUAKE.

WASHINGTON, April 21.-The department of state has been informed by the consul at San Salvador that the city of San Vincente had recently suffered from severe earthquakes, and that no telegraphic communication could be had with that city, which was reported in ruins. Enough. however, is known to show that help was necessary, and a committee was formed to raise subscriptions for immediate relief.

The shocks were also felt in San



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Seven Officers and Men Killed and 44 Wounded.

Col. Stetsenberg of the 1st Nebraska Regiment Shot Dead While Leading a Charge.

The Filipinos Fought Bravely Behind the Entrenchments, But Were Finally Driven Out.

MANILA, April 23, 9.30 p. m,-In an encounter with the Filipinos today near Quingua, about four miles northeast of Malolos, seven Americans were killed and 44 wounded.

The following were killed: Col. John M. Stotsenburg of the first Nebraska regiment, formerly of the sixth cav-

Lieut. Lester E. Sisson of the same Two privates of the Nebraska regi-

ment. Three privates of the fourthcavalry. Most of the wounded belong to the

first Nebraska regiment. The Filipinas retreated with slight loss. WASHINGTON, April 23.-The following message, signed Otis, regardthe fight at Quenga, was received at the war department, dated Manila, April 23, and addressed to the adjutant general: "A reconnaisance on: Quenga, a place six miles northeast of Maloloc, made by Major Bell and troop of cavalry this morning, result-

ed in contact and battle, in which four

battalions of infantry and four pieces

of artillery became engaged. Enemy

Quenga with considerable loss. Our casualties quite severe." MANILA, April 23, 9.30 p. m.-The engagement developed into a disastrous, though successful fight. The insurgents had a horse shoe trench,

about a mile long, encircling a rice field, on the edge of a wood. Capt. Bell, with forty cavalrymen, encountered a strong outpost, one of his men was killed and five wounded

by a volley. The Americans retired, carrying their wounded under fire and with great difficulty, being closely pursued, the fog enabling the enemy to creepup to them. Two men, who were carrying a comrade, were shot in the

arms, but they continued with their Captain Bell sent for reinforcements to rescue the body of the killed cavalryman, and a battalion of the Nebraska regiment, under Major Mufford, arrived and advanced until. checked by folleys from the enemy's

The Americans lay about eight hundred yards from the trenches behind rice furrows, under fire for two hours. Several men wene sunstruck, one oying from the effects of the heat as they lay there waiting for the artillery to come up.

Finally the second battalion arrived, and then Col. Stetsenberg, who had spent the night with his family at Manila, came upon the field. The men immediately recognized him and raised a cheer. He deciding to charge as the cheapest way out of the diffi-culty, led the attack at the head or his regiment. He fell with a bullet in the braust, dying instantly, about 200 verds from the breastworks. Lieut. Sisson fell with a bullet in his heart, the bullet striking him near

the picture of a girl suspended by ribbon from his neck. In the meantime the artillery had arrived and shelled the trenches. The Filipinos stoc-i until the Nebraska troops were right on the trenches, and then they boilted to the second line of

intrenchments, a nile back. The Nebraska regiment lost two privates killed and had many wounded, including two lieutenants. The Iowa regiment had several wounded. The Utah regiment had one officer and three men wounded.

Thirteen dead Filipinos were found in the trenches. Their loss was comparatively small on account of their safe shelter. The Americans carried the second rench with small loss, and are hold-

ing the town tonight. Col. Stetsenburg had won a reputa-tion as one of the bravest fighters in the army. He always led his regi-ment, and had achieved remarkable ropularity with his men since the war began, although during his first colonetcy the volunteers, who were not used to the rigid distenting of the not used to the rigid distepline of the regular troops, thought hm a hard

The loss of the Nebraska regiment in the campaign is the greatest sustained by any regiment, and today's disaster has greatly saddened officers and men, who promise to take fierce vengeance in the next fight

WASHINGTON, April 22 From espatch received by Secretary Long from Admiral Dewey today, it is evident the latter is still in the dark respecting the whereabouts of Lieut. Gilmore and party of the who. it is thought, were ambushed and captured by a party of Filipinos while on a voyage to rescue Spanish pris-oners near Balere. The admiral says he is endeavoring to ascertain the situation of the lieutenant and

A NEW WEAPON.

party.

VIENNA, April 21.—The military papers announce the invention of a fifteen barrelled quick firing rifle, carrying fifteen cartridges at a time and firing to per minute. The weapon has been successfully tested at the imperial arsenal.

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THE BRIDGE CHARGES.

Mr. Hazen has withdrawn his bridge charges for the present session in deference to the expressed wish the members of the house, who, having about completed their legislative work, are anxious to return home a soon as possible. The investigation of the charges would have taken sev eral weeks, and the members very maturally objected to being compelled to remain in Fredericton a month or two longer. The charges will keep. They can be formulated again at the opening of the next session? when there will be ample time for the full-

est investigation of the syllaton in temporarily withdrawing his in dictment of the government for its bridge building policy, the leader of the opposition seized the first oper-tunity since he formulated his charges to remove the erroneous impression existing in some quarters, that he had accused the chief commissione of public works of personal dishonest and corruption. The charges he had made were against Mr. Emmerson's official acts as a minister, and these charges he was prepared to pres whenever it suited the convenience of

The premier gracefully accepted Mr. Hazen's explanation in the spirit in which it was made, and both the leader of the government and the house that they would not in any was attempt to make party capital out of the postponement of the investigation until the next session of the legisla-

THE INTERCOLONIAL EXTENamounted stomb that made of

Mr. Blair gives notice of a resolution for the purchase of the Drum mond railway, which is now operated under a rental of \$64,000 a year The purchase price to be paid is \$1,600,000 As the government borrows money at 21-2 per cent., or allowing for discounts at 23-4 per cent, it will abe seen that the purchase will reduce the annual charge to \$44.000 a servine of \$20,000. This saving is entirely due to the action of the senate in rejecting the deal of 1897. The bargain made and Mr. Blair involved the payment of \$64,000 a year for ninety-nine years. This was equivalent to a cash payment of \$2,090,000, instead of the cash payment of \$1,600,000 montions My Greenshields is now willing to accept. The price is still too high, and gives nearly \$400,000 on an investment of having headed off the deal which was much better for Mr. Greenshields.

manently committed to the operation somewhat in line with this assumpof the Drummond and Grand Trunk tion. But he is not alone. His declarlines to Montreal, it is obviously bet- ation of the principles of opportunism ter that this scheme of purchase at however degrading to public life in \$1,600,000 should be completed than may be in the view of persons whose that the lease at \$64,000 should be con-1 ideals represent something more than timued. But there are some other personal gain, is also the declaration considerations which must not be of the leaders of the party now in overlooked. The government is pay power in New Brunswick, and at Oting the Grand Trunk rallway \$140,000 tawa. a year rental, and if this purchase is made will be more or less under the necessity of giving permanence to the "would enable the voter to exercise his arrangement with the Grand Trunk. franchise in fraud and deceit." He This rental is outrageously high. It thinks an employe might promise his is made up so far as the use of the employer to vote one way and take terminus at Montreal and of the line advantage of the secrecy of the ballot from Montreal to the Drummond line to vote another way. Such a law, he is concerned by fixing a valuation observes, would be almost immoral. for the properties jointly used. Hav- There does not appear to Mr. White ing decided that the property is to be any immorality in an employer. worth \$4,000,000 the rental value is whether a private individual or a govfixed at five per cent, the govern- ernment, taking an employe by the ment paying this rate on half the throat and giving him his choice of value, or \$2,000,000. This makes the voting one particular way or losing annual rayment to the Grand Trunk his means of livelihood. The attorney \$100,000, which with \$40,000 paid for general's argument appears to favor the use of the Victoria bridges makes an open ballot which would open the the total sum of \$140,000.

paying interest on the whole value of zen's resolution would be considered which has at least four times as ornment party in the recent election.

ompleted a new deal with the Grand Trunk should be made. If the government is going to be so generous as to bear an equal share with the Grand Trunk in the cost of the road, while enjoying less than a quarter of the use, it should do as it has now done with the Drummond people and pay a lump sum equal to half the assumed value of the property. A payment of \$2,000,000 cash would cost the government at present \$55,000 a year instead of \$100,000. The saving will be still more in future as interest rates go

THE CHEESE INDUSTRY

The output of cheese in New Brunswick was considerably larger last year than in the preceding one. The Hon. Mr. Labillois anticipates a future increase during the season which will shortly open. The total cheese experts from Canada last year were less by over 200,000 boxes than in the year previous, when the total was 2,586,413 boxes. Shipments from the United States to the old country last year showed a still larger falling off. The dency of the British market during the winter has been upward, and stocks are now greatly reduced . A recent cable reports the London market firm. Prices are twelve to fourteen shillings higher than a year ago Supplies for immediate demand cannot be got on this side, and New Zealand has failed to send forward the expected supply from that market. Dutch cheese has also been late getting on the market, and thus the deal ers in England have been able to advance prices. There is thus the pros pect of a very favorable opening for the Canadian product this season. The Ontario factories are now turning out fodder cheese, for which the price has advenced from 9 and 9 1-2 to 10c. at the factory. The British market does not take kindly to this early make of cheese, and importers do not care to handle it unless at low prices or in times of great scarcity. The course of the cheese market, owing to the ten dency toward speculation by operators on both sides of the Atlantic, is not easy to predict, but the conditions for the coming season are at least more favorable than those of last year, and to that extent there is cause for satisfaction.

NO SECRET BALLOT.

It was to be expected that any change in the provincial ballot system A H and hot normand itself to Mr H A McKeown. On the evening after the late election Mr. McKeown made a speech, in which, according to the Telegraph's report, he thus expressed

He spoke of one feature of the contest-the fact that government employes, the men holding office, had Voted against them in many cases. He had been astonished as he noticed that in the ward where he worked. It was a matter for serious "consideration by the libera' party." Mr. McKeown worked in Victoria ward, where a great many railway employes voted. In the remarks quoted with Mr. Greenshields by Mr. Tarte there is a frank admission that the ballot is not secret, and an unblushing declaration that the party in power should make support of that party the condition of any man's employment in the public service. In his speech in the house on Thursday Mr. McKeown laid down the principle that when a Mr. Greenshields alone a net profit of political party introduced reforms they were influenced by a desire to less than half that sum. But it is further their political fortunes, rather better than throwing away an addi- than by any other motives. One tional \$490,000. But the senate will might fairly expect a man who would never be forgiven by Mr. Tante for make such a declaration to be troubled very little by scruples of any sort so much worse for the country and so where the furtherance of his own political fortunes was concerned. Mr. If the country is finally and per- McKeown's political record has been

The Hon, Mr. White's objection to secret, ballot appears to be that it way for wholesale intimidation. To Now as the government borows this extremity is he forced by his money at 21-2 per cent, it is really anxiety lest the adoption of Mr. Hathe property. The Grand Trunk, a reflection on the methods of the govmuch use of the road and terminus His contention that a secret ballot as the Intercolonial, actually gets its tends to corruption would, if it were own use of the property for nothing. true, be answered by the simple state-Before the Drummond purchase is ment that the system prevents a still

more flagrant corruption and violation of the rights of the people. That a law or system does not absolutely prevent the evil at which it is aimed should not move the attorney general to agitate for the substitution of a worse che

The speech of Hon, Mr. Tweedie was characteristic. He began by charging the opposition with imputing motives. and immediately proceeded to impute unworthy motives to Mr. Hazen, in the face of the latter's declaration that he desired his motion to be treated irrespective of party politics. Mr. Tweedie has discovered that an elector can get a ballot, take it home, mark it, fold it up, and then go and vote. Why the elector should be put to all this trouble does not clearly appear. And if for purposes of detection one party uses ballots of a particular tint. his trouble would all be in vain. It may be, as Mr. Tweedle observes that there is less bribery in Northumber land during an election than in other counties. There is believed to be a case on record where a very liberal concession granted after an election as able to secure for a government the support of the Northumberland members. Mr. Tweedle is not at his best when he assumes the role of critic on this subject.

With the aid of a complaisant folowing, the government has postponed for a time a reform that is needed and unheld a system that in its works ing out, as illustrated in the last election, is a disgrace to the province.

MANITOBA AND THE FRENCH

Sir Wilfrid Laurier has weclared that the Manitoba school question has been satisfactorily settled. This view is not shared by the Roman Catholic bishops of Manitoba and the Northwest, who are probably a better authority. In a collective letter to their colleagues of Quebec province, they ask financial aid for the Northwest separate schools, and add these signi-1 leaves a wife and one son, A. ficant observations:

"The public and separate schools where they exist, have in certain places but a precarious existence. You do not ignore, venerable lords, that the school question is far from being definitely settled in Manitoba, and even in the Northwest, in conformity with the principles of our faith and the simple rules of equity and justice. Faithful to the protection granted by the Holy See, we wait, in the hope that our imprescriptible rights will some day be restored to us in their integrity."

In the face of this letter, Sir Wilfrid's boasting is sadly out of place. He is flatly contradicted by the histions

But the western bishops have man ped out a much more ambitious programme and one in which they will no doubt have the cordial sympathy of Sir Wilfrid and his master. Mr. Tarte. They desire to "secure for the Catholic faith and French speaking element preponderance in this land" (the great west). To this end they desire a large immigration from Quebec province, to offset the "multitudes of heretics or sonismatics and even tribes that cannot be numbered among the Christian community." A French Catholic country west of the lakes to the mountains appears to be the goal of their ambition. It is needless to remark that their hopes will hardly be realized. What they say, however, coupled with their attitude on the Quebec question, would seem to indicate a 'arge field for the exercise of Sir Wilfrid's "sunny ways of conciliation." At whose expense will they be exercised?

The Hon. Fraderick Peters, though resident of British Columbia, is still a member of the P. E. Island legislature. That body is now in session. Mr. Peters came across the continent, and arrived last Sunday afternoon in Charlottetown. He took his seat in the legislature at the opening on Monday, and on Wednesday made a speech on the address. On Friday. according to the Guardian, he left again for British Columbia Mr. Peters has to perfection the grit knack of holding on to office.

An era of railway building in China has created an enormous demand for lumber from British Columbia, and mills are working overtitme to fill

Mr. Comstock, the new grit member for Brockville, is a native of the state of New York.

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RECENT DEATHS.

The death occurred at one o'clock Saturday morning of Dr. J. C. Hathe-way, one of the best known and most respected citizens of this city.

Dr. Hatheway was born July 31st,

1820, at Burton, Sumbury county, came to St. John when very young and received his early which he afterwards completed at the Bantist seminary. Fredericton After engaging in a mercantile bust ress in St. John for several years, in 1847 he removed to Philadelphia, studied medicine there, and graduated from the Philadelphia College of Medicine in 1850. Subsequently he perfected himself in dentistry. Hatheway returned to St. John in 1552 and started the practice of dentistry, which he continued to proseeute until very recent years. Philadelphia College of Dentistry conferred the honorary degree of doctor of deatal surgery upon him in 1854. Dr. Hatheway took considerable in

terest in Masonic affairs, receiving his Masonic light in St. John lodge in ember 1863, and in due course vanced to the F. C., M. M. In the proceeding years he filled many im ortant offices. He was created overeign prince of the Rose Croix degree on the 28th Oct., 1870. the 32nd degree of A and A. the Harrington Consistory on rite in

under the authority of grand lodge, and was elected to instruct in the secret work on accoun of his familiarity with the ritual deceased leaves two sons five daughters. The sons are Canby Hatheway and W. H. Hathe way, and the daughters Miss Amelia Augusta and Mrs. G. W. Fairweather of this city, Mrs. F. A. King of Toronte, Mrs. S. J. Robertson of Brook-lyn and Mrs. A. M. Bauld of Halifax.

A. A. Malbee, sash and door manu facturer and builder, died at his residence, Aldelaide road, on Saturday morning after an illness of severa ter stages developed into heart failure. His end was without pain. Mr Mabee, who was one of St. John's most upright and most esteemed cit zens, was in his fifty-third year. Mabee, and one daughter to mourn Mr. Mabee was a native of Kars, Kings Co., and was of loyalist de scent. His father was the late Abra ham D. Mabee A. A. Mabee been engaged in business in this for over thirty years. His first venture was in partnership with R. Wet more, since deceased, after which h was employed as foreman for severa years with Simon Hawes, City road His present business on Main street was established in 1887, and has bee successfully conducted ever since that As a contractor he has left be hind him many monuments of thor ough workmanship and up-to-date carrentry, such as the Main street church. Hillianst hottel Rothesay, the Crookshank terrace on Mecklenburg strest, Thos. Cogge handsome new place on Rockland road and many of the Woodman's point cottages on the river. Court Lovalist H. O. F., and was also a Royal Forester and member of the New Brunswick by Encampment, Hein which he held the office of treasurer. In religion he was a Free and a regular rittendant of the Vice toria street F. B. church.

Daniel Monoahan, who for many years did business on Dock stree died at the residence of his daughte in Charlestown, Mass., last week, He retired from active work some four years ago. Mr. M. leaves seven children including one son, Daniel, in St John. He was 87 years of age.

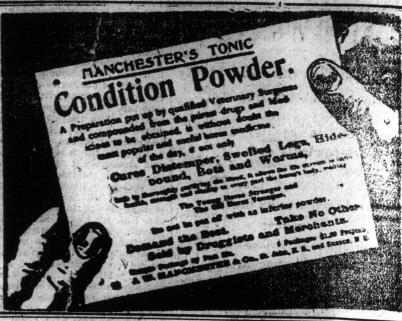
The death occurred Monday afternoon, after a lingering 'illness, of Henry Thomas, who was for over half a century a St. John pilot. Mr. Thomas had a record of which any man might have felt proud. Neve during all the veus that he acted as pilot on vessels entering the port did the vessel of which he had charge meet with any accident. Mr. Thomas was respected by all who knew him was a favorite among the shipping people. He left a widow, four daughters and two sons.

Robert Coleman, clerk in the water ioners' office, died on Monday morning after a brief illness with con gestion of the brain. Mr. Coleman was a worthy citizen, and his death will be sincerely regretted. Mr. Coleman vas born in the West Indies sixty-four years ago. His father was a soldier in the British army, and while a mere lad Mr. Coleman enlist ed and served his full period of twenty-one years, rising to the position of sergeant. He retired with pension at the end of his time, set tled down in St. John, and for nearly thirty years filled a position as clerk in the water commissioners' office Mr. Coleman continued his connection with the service by joining the 62nd Fusiliers and for many years was ser geant, He was also active in the different Catholic temperance and fraternal societies, filling many positions. For a long period he was financial secretary of the Irish Literary and Benevolent Society, and at the time of his death was captain in the Uniform Rank, A. O. H. Sergeant Coleman leaves a widow and one daugh-ter, Mrs. J. Walsh of the north end, and two sons, living in the States.

NEW FOUNTAIN AT FERNHILL

J. R. Ruel has presented to the Fernhill Cemetery company an elegant fountain of iron and bronze, six and one half feet high, canopy top ard basin, supported on four iron pil-It is being erected in the secof Fernhill where the avenue tion from the Marsh road enters the oper cear the residence of Supt. Clayton That portion of the cemetery has been raided up and trees planted along the evenue, and with the new fountain will be very attractive. Mr. Ruel's generous gift will be highly appreci-

Read the SEMI-WEEKLY SUN.



KINGS CO. ALMS HOUSE.

To the Editor of The Sun Sir-In your issue of Wednesday morning there appeared a short note from a Norton correspondent making certain instructions against the taker of the Kings Co. alms house which savor both of presumption and 2nleehn 130 Along with the other members of

the board of commissioners I have visited this institution several times, charges made by the Norton corres nondent cannot be sustained.

The food provided is far superior to that to which most of the inmates were previously accustomed, and is fully as good as those maintaining the institution are as a rule willing to provide. As a matter of fact I have heard different parties criticizing our regulations in this very respect and suggest that the bill of fare is better than is necessary. The food is well prepared, and the instructions of the commission have been faithfully car-

Oup Norton correspondent should remember that the death rate in an institution comprising the aged and infirm must necessary be high, and best les the past season has been very severe on old people.

Concerning the attention that th sick have been receiving, I happen to know of one person who recently lost his wife there, and spoke freely and gratefully of the faithful and kind attention she had received. The rules and regulations are accer

sible to any interested persons and are open to criticism, and if there is any blame, it belongs to those who have framed these rules and regula tions. It is both mean and cowardly to insinuate charges that are ground ess and false against the caretaker, who so far has given every satisfaction in the performance of the duties that devolve upon him, JAS A MOORE Yours.

Waterford, April 22, 1899. PRINCE RUPERT DISARLED

Fast D. A. R. Steamer Met with a Mishap While en Route to Digby Yesterday.

The D. A. R. steamer Prince Rupert evening till 10 o'clock. The steamer was detained in consequence of an acciwhich occurred in the morning on the way over to Digby. None of the officers or crew are able to tell just how the thing happened, but some of the arms in the paddle wheel on the port side were broken and some of the floats rendered useless. This occurred when the boat was about seven miles from Digby light. The injured paddle wheel was disconnected, and the boar ran to Digby with the other paddle She was about three hours late in reaching that place. The run back from Digby was made with the one wheel, the steamer averaging 14 knots on the run. There is no telling how long it will take to repair the damaged wheel, but it is likely if any number of days will be occupied in putting it in working order that the Prince Edward will be put on the

THE VETERANS MEET. (Fredericton Farmer.)

The surviving veterans called in April 10th, 1866, to go to the from to meet the threatened Renian invasion, held a reunion at Hatt's Cafe en Monday evening.

Those present were A. F. Street, Andrew Lipsett, J. D. Perkins, A. D. Thomas, Fred Coy, Thos. Smith, Thos. Sampson, Wm. Lockhart, James Ruel and F. J. Todd . The guests were Mayor Beckwith, Major Hemming, Dr. Bridges, H. C. Rutter, Wm. McGunn and E. J. Payson. A letter was read from Lieut. Col.

Maunsell, regretting his inability to accept the invitation to be present. The Fenian Raid Medals were referred to and the hope was expressed that they would be forthcoming before a great while.

Oate er Hatt had a handsomely spread table prepared in a private room and served a charming light re-After the wants of the inner man had been amply provided for a round of toasts suggested by the oc-casion was heartly honored. After a very enjoyable evening had

been spent together. Chairman Street brought the meeting to a close by the company singing Auld Lang Syne. A STRONG PROOF.

The appointment of Baron Russell of Killowen as Lord Herschell's successor on the joint high commission should be accepted in this country as a strong proof of the desire of the British government to contribute by overy means in its power to a just and amicable settlement of all the questions in dispute-New York Tribune

VICTORIA'S FRENCH SABBATH BREAK-ING.

(Wesiminster Gazette.)

We find in a report on Sabbath observance just prosented to the Free Pusbytery of Lorn by the liev. Ewen Macleod of Obanthus statement: 'The Queen and royal family, it is deeply to be depleted, have not shown a happy example to the people in the matter of Sabbath diservance. Her Majesty's recent jeurney to France and arrival there on a Sabbath day must have been a wrief to every enlightened Christian subjoot of her own, and very pernicious in its influence over the giddy and godless French."

MARINE MATTERS

ner Frances Shubert, Capt. Starkey, from Philadelphia, carried away Rotherfield, Capt. Cox, from Mo-Norfolk for Liverpool, has passed Point, supposed with machinery Loche's Point, supposed with machinery slightly deranged.

Chase Wrecking Co, have started to float seh. Sadie Wricutt, wrecked at Vineyard Haven in November last. The cargo will be taken out and re-shipped, to New York.

Vessel's hull in good condition.

Ship Creedmoor, Capt. Kennedy, when leaving the Boca (Buenas Ayres) on the 15th of March for Newcastle, N. S. W. fouled bark Indus, and caused damages to the extent of 120,000, as valued by the master of the last mentioned vessel. (The Indus arrived at Buenos Ayres, Feb. 21 from Mobile).

C. W. Brundage of Oxford is now loading tis winter's cut of deal—over one million leet—at Londonderry station for Halifax, having sold them to George McKean of St. John. James W. Swan of East Wentworth the logs, and had a had the contract for the logs, and had a crew of 28 men during the winter at Folly Mountain, two miles from Lendonderry

Capt. Patrick McLauchlin has the frame Capt. Patrick McLauchlin has the frame up for a schroner of about 110 tons register. This is the only vessel which will be built at Parrsboro this season. At Port Greville H. Elderkin & Co. have a small schooner well advanced: Captain J. E. Pettis of the same place is building a large schooner. These are the only vessels in course of construction on the whole range of the Parrsboro shore.

318.85 McImac, Capt. Meikle, arrived yesterday from Newcastle-on-Tyne in baliast.

he encountered strong northwest and ortheast winds. She crossed the Banks in 5 and had it hazy. The temperature of the rater was 35 which indicated icebergs in

in ten Jays.

Rark Osberga was 120 days in the passage from St. John to Melbourne.

The Whilebock str. Parret Court arrived Saturday of the Start. She is 1,187 tons register and brought over 2,931 tons of coal.

Crew of fishing sch. Arthur D. Story reached Roston on the 20th on str. Halifax, from Halifax. The vessel was forced ashore by ice at Behring Head; N. F., about four weeks ago, and all pushably prove a total loss. Captain remains on the scene in the interest of the owners. Vessel partially insured.

sured

Str. Cumberland, which arrived at Boston on Friday from St. John, reports passing the top of a polit house, painted brown, and fragments of what appeared to be a steamer's saloon, 12 miles northeast by east from Thatcher's Island, barly Friday morning. Capt. Allen concluded the wreskage belonged to the str. Pentagoet, wrecked last November. A St. Johns, Nfd., despatch states the

Allan line str. Manitoban, Capt. Buck from Liverpool, April 1, for St. Johns, an and Philadelphia, was sighted off is believed her machinery is disable steamers are seeking her. Sun's Hopewell Cape corresponde under Friday's Cate: Sch. Ruth Ro writes nuder Friday's Cate: Sch. Ruth Robinson arrived to load plaster at Hillsboro todey. Sch. E. V. Glover will be hauled of at next tide and towed to St. John for extensive repairs. Sch. Maggis Lynds is on the Cape blocks, having new shoe put on. She will be graved and caulked also. The sch. Glad Tidings has been bought by Capt. Western Crocker and will be required at once. The St. John and Petitcodiac river packet Henry Nickerson sailed today for St. John.

THE MILLS

Stetson & Cutler's mill at Indiantown started its season's work on Saturday. Jordan's mill having completed its winter's cutting, will be closed down for a fortnight for necessary repairs, after which it will start up to its full capacity. New machinery, including an edging machine, will be put in. The difficulty at Cushing's mill has been settled, the men giving in to their employers' terms.

QUICK DESPATCH WIA THE C. P. R.

A car load of flour was wired for from St. John on the afternoon of the 14th inst. The car arrived in St. John on the 19th and was delivered on the 19th inst. This is the usual time taken for carriage of freight from Toronto to St. John via C. P. R. The time from Montreal, is thirty-six hours.

A CONSTABLE'S NEW SCHEME. A Fairville constable took an unusual means to collect a bill owed to a Carleton merchant. Knowing that the infant child of the debtor was to be buried at Cedar Hill cemetery on Friday afternoon, the constable went there. He waited until the religious ceremonies were over, and then as the grave-diggers finished their work Te started to serve his papers on the latter took erlef-stricken parent. The to his heels, but was sooon overtaken and captured. The sad affair caused great indignation among the spectators -Globe

Jarvis, the man who was missed from an emigrant train near Truro some days ago, has turned up at his home in Upper Canada.

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CITY NEWS.

Recent Events in and Around St. John,

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THE SUN PRINTING COMPANY, issuing weekly 8,500 copies of THE WREKLY SUN, challenges the circulation of all papers published in the Maritime Provinces. Advertisers, please make a note of this.

Evangelist King baptized a number of converts at Marble Cove on Sun-

Str. Angers, bound from Philadelphia for Parrsboro, passed up the bay

There were nine marriages and 36 births reported to Registrar Jones

The Prince Rupert brought over a large lot of mayflowers from Digby on Saturday. Tug Dirigo left Saturday for Fred-

ericton to look after the swinging of the booms near there. Andrew Ruddick's new tug, in precess of construction on the Strait shore, is almost ready to receive its

engines. Stode of other is 1 of the other o and wounding Maurice Breen, was admitted to bail on Saturday in two

At last week's marine examination Capt. J. A. Carlson received a master's certificate and B. H. Moorehouse a certificate as second mate.

sureties of \$1,000 each.

In the vicinity of \$400 was netted by the benefit performance at the insti-tute for the children of the late Edward Cassidy.

John C. Carr, brother of Rev. A. F. Carr, pastor of St. Andrew's Presbyterian church, Campbellton, has been elected a circuit court sjudge of the State of Michigan. With the state of Michigan.

The catch of lobsters in the bay amounts to nothing in comparison with former years. A leading design said on Friday that over-fishing had ruine i the industry.

Henry Conwell returned on Saturday derry station. from a shooting and fishing trip up the Nerepis. They brought back some duck and wild geese and a few fish.

The death occurred at Boston last this city, of heart failure. Interment took place at Calvary cemetery. De-ceased was a brother of David Colgan

Rabbi Rabinawitz, the new rabbi for the Jewish synagogue, arrived en Friday from Bridgeport, Pa., and was welcomed at the station by a number of his congregation.

Engineer Jameson, who built the C. P. R. elevator at Carleton, has been engaged to construct the L. C. R. elevator, for which he prepared the plans. Work will be commenced at

Ten burial permits were issued last week, two for consumption and one each for old age measles, spina biffa. natural causes, cerebral hemorrhage, of the lungs, and cerebro spinal cle-

of Chatham, died from exposure March 5th, near Teslin Trail, 75 miles from Telegraph Creek, on March 5th. He left Nelson, B. C., in March, 1898, for the Klondyke. His parents had not heard from him since July last.

Application has been made by Wm. Vassie, James A. Seeds, Arthur Kirkpatrick, Edward H. Henry and Arthur R. Melrose for incorporation as Vassie & Co., Ltd., with a capital of \$87,000 in \$100 shares, to carry on the s now owned and controlled by John Vassie & Co.

A good cup of tea, if it is to be had, is always the resort of the wearled and worried. Union Blend is a good tea, and is winning the hearts of the people everywhere.

It is reported that J. A. John-son, general agent of the Mutual Life Ins. Co. of New York, and Hon. Robert Marshall, coshier, St. John office, se-cured a \$100,000 application on the life of Harry R. McLellan, Esq. This makes \$120,000 he has in this commakes \$120,000 he has in this com-pany, and brings his insurance up to

The burial of Miss Mary Lowery of Scutth Bay was held on Friday, and conducted by Rev. Messrs. Fisher, Marshall and Morton. There were no pall bearers and 'nterment was made in Cedar Hill cemetery. Only a few months ago Miss Lowery's three brothers were buried from home at one

The St. John market is entirely bare of pickled herring. In dry fish it is Tractically bare of pollock, and cod are scarce. Fresh halibut, cod and haddook are more plentiful than they were a few weeks ago. Smoked herring are a little higher. They have been selling better lately in the Am-

John Kelliher, formerly of Frederic ton fell down stairs at Rumford Falls, Me., recently and broke his teck Kelliher some years ago married Daniel Hanson's widow, who was then proprietress of the Victoria hotel on Regent street. De was a brother of John and Barney Kelliher, formerly of that city.

Mrs. Thomas Cosgrove, who died after an illness of some months, at her home on Sidney street, Thursday morning, was buried Saturday morning from St. John Baptist church. The deceased, who was sixty-two years of age, was a highly esteemed and much respected rest dent of the city.

G. S. Mayes is pushing along the construction of the new government wharf as rapidly as possibly under existing circumstances. The cribs are in the slip back of the C. P. R. property, near the Carleton ferry and a large number of men are employed. The wharf is being built of the very best birch and most solidly constructed.

Invitations have been issued for the marriage of Miss Mabel Margaret Dunlop, second daughter of Joseph R. Dunlop, to Edwin Leonard Beer, son get Colonel Beer of Sussex, which is announced to take place at the bride's home, Coburg street, on Satbride's home, Co Dunlop, second daughter of Joseph R. groom elect is at present located in the west

C. W. Brundage of Oxford, N. S., is now loading his winter's cut of deal, over one million feet, at Londonderry station, for Halifax, having sold them ton George McKean of St. John. Jas. W. Swan of East Wentworth had the contract for the logs, and had a crew of 28 men during the winter at offly Wm. Pugsley, Albert Palmer and Mountain, two miles from London-

> CHATHAM, N. B., April 21.-Michael Conway, a laborer about twenty-two, son of William Conway, was found this morning at nine o'clock hanging by the neck from a beam in the loft of his father's barn, his feet barely clearing the floor, and an overturned chair beside them. The corpse was cold. It is said he left his room at daylight, and that he had been drinking hard. Coroner Benson will hold an inquest.

The Petitodiac correspondent of the Monoton Times writes: "Never in any one spring since the I. C. R. was built have so many persons left this neighborhood for the states. Whole families in many instances have gone, William Mitton, who lately sold his farm in Graves settlement, left on Monday last with several others for Uncle Sam's territory to try and get employment. There is nothing here. they claim, to do, so they are com pelled to go elsewhere for employ-

Children Cry for CASTORIA

vork yesterday morning clearing away for the erection of the new I. C. R. elevator. A portion of the old car shed, about two hundred feet in length, is being torn down in order to make room for the elevator. The other parts of the shed will be used as workshops and for storage pur-poses. The contractor's plant will arrive in a very few days and will be installed in the premises. Eventu-ally, the whole of the old building will be destroyed.

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OTTAWA LETTER.

Dominion Alliance Struggle With the Prohibition Problem.

While Apostle Spence Bows Down Before the Shrine of Sir Wilfrid Laurier.

Mr. Henderson, M. P., Holds That as the Government Is An Impassable Obstacle in The Road, The Only Thing To Do Is To Remove That Obstacle.

OTTAWA, April 21.—A rather in-

teresting parliament was held yester-day in the railway committee room to deal with the question of prohibition. Mr. Dougall, Mr. Spence, the Rev. Mr. Kettlewell, Mr. Featherston of the Royal Temphars and a few other lights of the prohibition party were present, together with such members of parliament as chose to appear as prohibitionists. That tried and venerbible apostle of prohibition senator Vidal, occupied the chair, and the first business was the reception of a report of the sub-committee. Mr. Flint's report was accepted, and Mr. Dougall moved a resolution based

Mr. Dougall moved that as government said that the vote the plebiscite would not justify it in passing a prohibitory measure, and while strongly maintaining the desirabilty of total national prohibiton, be it resolved , that at the present time the temperance reform would be ma-terially aided by the enactment of legislation upon the following lines:

"1. An act totally prohibiting, so far as the constitution permits, the importation, sale or manufacture of intoxicating liquor for beverage purposes in any province adopting or bringing into force such an act by a vote of the duly qualified electors. "2. Voting on the question of the bringing of such legislation into force,

in any province to be at the time of lolding a general election in order to save expense and secure the largest possible vote upon the question. "3. Such legislation when adopted by any province to be unrepealable for a period of time long enough to ensure a fair test of its effective-

of the principles embodied in the Canada Temperance act, the constitutionality of which has been affirmed, and which act might be so amended as to include the further legislation suggested.

"That a committee of members appointed to draft and introduce into the house of commons a bill embody-ing the legislation herein suggested

Mr. Garong moved in amendment "To ascertain, if ossible, whether such a hill as we desire can, under cur constitution, be introduced in the house of commons, without the special sanction of the governor-genera in council being first obtained (there being a difference of opinon prevailing on the point). Then, if such sametion be necessary, to get some mem ented to his excellency in council, stating that the large majority of the votes pulled in resignse to the gov eroment's official enquiry of the electorate makes it desirable to comply with the mandate of the electorate by enacting such a law, and praying his excellency to grant the necessary sanction to the introduction of such a bli in the house of commons. Any member has a right to move such an address and the government, if it think fit, can make it an open question, not necessarily involving resig-

"That should it be found that the governor's sanction is not necessary a motion be made that it be resolved that this house regards, the recent plebiscite vote taken in connection with constitutional usages, and giving a majority of 13,916 in favor of pro hibition of the liquor traffic for which it is bound to comply, and that the government should take immediate action to prepare and submit to the desire of the electorate as indicated by their response to the question sub-

misted. We do not believe that the exten-sion of the Canada Temperance ac to apply to provinces would at al meet the approval of those who have set their minds upon total prohibition for the dominion, even if its present requirements were largely modified to facilitate its submission to the people who have no desire for more electoral contests, now that the question has been so fully answered."

The discussion became rather heat ed in a short time. Mr. Spence, who was accused by some of the members of being strongly disposed to help the government out of the difficulty, made some admissions which seemed to be a considerable departure from his previous programme, and especially from his representations to the government after the vote was taken He seems now quite disposed to aldmit that it would not be fair to im-pose prohibition on Quebec in the face of the strong adverse vote. This is not what he said to Sir Wilfrid Laurier before the government had anmounced its position, which seem to show that the government, has more induence over the opinions of Mr. Spence than the opinions of Mr. Spence have on the government.

When Mr. Spence urged that prohibition should be enacted by the provinces Mr. Henderson put to him the pertinent question whether it was any more right for the rest of On-tario to impose prohibition on unwilling Toronto than for the rest of Can-

Davin, who says he has not been and is not now a prohibition propagan list, explains that his constituency is in favor of prohibition, and that he has promised to do what he can to have the wishes of his people: carried into effect. He deems it increfore his duty to point cut that the acceptance of a certain part of Mr. Flint's report is a decided retreat from the prohibition position. Mr. Davin thought the resolution was "an insidious attack" on the principle of prohibition and on the movement in that direction. Exception was taken to the word "insidious" as conveying. a reasonal reflection upon the promoters of the resolution Mr. Davin said that there was such a thing as insidieusness in effect as well as in motive, and though he seemed disposed to attribute both kinds to the netical of Mr. Flint and some of his associates, he admitted at once that Mr. John Dougali "was an Israelite without guile."

Kettlewell, representing Methodist conference, expressed his regret that anything less than prohiwas disposed to accept what could be got, seeing that the government positively refused to proceed on the vote of last September. He admitted the disposed to proceed the vote difficulties in the way and moved that the matter be referred back. Members of the sub-committed difficulties in the way and difficulties in the way and was anxious to get out of it all that could be produce a resolution upon which the obtained. In the evening Mr. Kettlewell rather surprised the meeting by suggesting that the government should take over in Ontario and other provinces outside of Quebec the distilling business. This, he said, would, settle the question of compensation to distillers, because the government would buy out the distilling plant. Mr. Kettlewell ventured to think that all would agree to this part of the proposition. He was quickly undeceived. Mr. Oliver of Alberta said that he for one decidedly did object to the government going into the distilling business, and his remark was applauded by many present.

The clause in Mr. Flint's report to which exception was taken is this Though public opinion in the province of Quebec appears to be hostile to prohibition, yet, in our opinion this fact should not operate to deprive the people of the other provof Canada of the relief they have asked for in the plebiscite, but on the contrary, forms the strongest claim for such action by parliament as will afford to the utmost extent constitutionally possible, the prohibition of the liquor traffic in these prov-

Mr. Richardson, who, like Mr. Oliver, is a supporter of the government, thought it would be a great mistake if the alliance should weaken in the case. This body had always stood as the advance guard of prohibition. The adoption of a principle short of that or the justification of a refusal of prohibition by the government, would be a distinct hadling down of the flag. The alliance should line up the memthat proceedings is taken on the folact pledges from the candidates and every one who broke his pledge should be a marked man. For himself he desired to give effect to the will of the people in Liggar, who a very large majority for prohibition. They did not vote for prohibition by provinces, and he did not know that they would have done so. They voted, as the people in the other provinces outside of Quebec voted, for prohibition all over the country. If this alliance adopted a shilly shally policy what could they expect of the house and of the people. He was going for the Ganong amendment.

Senator Vidal protested against the assumption that the plebiscite had been asked for by the temperance people, and especially that they had asked that it should be taken at a time when the people were not called to the polls on other issues. He declared that the temperance seople had no responsibilwhatever for the plebiscite, and had nothing to do with it except to make the pest of it when it was given.

Mr. Featherstone, who represented the Royal Templars, the W. C. T. U., and some other temperance bodies, explained his position. He wanted to get all the prohibition possible now, but he did not think he would be justifled in endorsing a backward move-He was of the opinion that ment. both parties were seeking their own advantage more than the cause of temperance, but he had apparently serious objections to the course of the present government because he held that it had violated its pledge. He had always been a liberal, and was a member of the Reform club, but he proposed to vote against the Laurier party at the next opportunity on account of Sir Wilfrid's treachery this matter.

Mr. Henderson of Halten, who, it may be remarked, is not a supporter of the government, explained that in his view prohibition under present circumstances was impossible; for one obvious reason. This government, which controls the present parliament, had declared that nothing less than 50 per cent of the total vote would be accepted as a preliminary to prohibition. That was an impossible vote. The government was, therefore, an impassable obstacle in the road, the only practical thing to do was to "remove the obstacle

Mr. Bell, the new member for Prince, P. E. I., spoke at considerable length. Mr. Bell believes that the minister of justice is wrong in his opinion that the provinces have the power to prohibit the liquor traffic. He stakes his opinion as a constitu-tional lawyer against that of Mr. Mills, and says that he is backed up by Mr. McLaren, who argued the case before the privy council. Mr. Bell considers that no private member has the power to introduce a measure in parliament which will affect the re-

differences of race and tradition in the shipment of liquor from one prov-Quebec which greatly affected the nee to another, as the B. N. A. act declars that the products of one province may be freely admitted into other provinces.

> to apply to cases in which general regulations for the good government of Canada prevent the traffic in liquor in a part of the country. Mr. Bell had his way, however, and went on to argue that since no one but the government had power to act in the matter it was the duty of the prohibitionists not to antagonize the govern ment. Mr. Cochrane, who is given to plain speaking, observed that Mr. Bell evidently wanted a measure that would help the government and do no good to anybody else.

The time for closing the meeting arrived, and nothing had been done Mr. Taylor, the conservative whip, claimed that the sub-committee aptee were disposed to protest against this, explaining that they could not themselves could lagree. Meanwhil Mr. Spence and the other advocate of Mr. Flint's scheme were pressing for a vote, while others were asking of an indefinite adjournment. Finally the chairman, who proved quite unable to cope with the tumult that crose, being an elderly man with a voice not as strong as it used to be determined to submit the question whether the vote should now be taken Mr. Spence as secretary unidertook to counit the votes. Three times the question was put, three times Mr. Spence counited, and three times his arithmetic was disputed. Mr. Logan, who counted from the rear of room, though he voted with Mr. Spence, disagreed with his count, and a suspicion grew that Mr. Spence was padding the returns. However, the chairman on the third occasion accepited his finding and decided that the vote was parried by a majority of one.

The same thing occurred in the vote on Mr. Ganong's amendment. The vote was taken by a show of hands, and Mr. Spence pronounced the number 17. Some others thought they saw 18, but after two or three counts 18 was accepted as the right figure. Mr. while Mr. Taylor maintained that there were 17. There was a good deal of shouting back and forth, and some demanded that a new teller should be appointed. Mr. Cochrane and some others intimating in rather severe terms that Mr. Spence was do ing some tall counting in order to help the government out of a hole. But the count was official and prevalled. On the main motion Mr. Spence counted eighteen again, and this vote was not seriously questioned. In the negative he reported 17, while everybody else made it either 18 or 19. Finally Mr. Spence admitted that he had refused to count one rand, alleging that the owner of it was not a member of the alliance Mr. Spence got so excited that he continued to hold his own hand up while the negative side was being counted, and some maintained that this brought the vote up to 20. On this occasion the chairman apparently did some counting on his own be-half, and Mr. McMuilen, who supported the motion, arose and announced that he himself had made a majority against his side. The result was that the motion was declared lost and the alliance had arrived at nothing. Mr. Taylor and a number of the supporters of the Ganong amendment

well as they could. The evening discussion took a

other difficulties, chiefly that of the manufacture of liquor. It was concluded that that part of the subject better be left alone, as most of the Ontario members held that if the manufacture of liquor was to be allowed at all in the dominion, it might as well be permitted in Ontario, where it was now carried on, as to have it confined to Quebec. One of the speakers said that if Quebec was to e allowed to continue the liquor trade prevent Ontario supplying the commo dity. The meeting found that great difficulty would arise if it proved that the shipment of liquor from one province to another could not be stopped. Finally a wide motion was passed affirming a general principle, and a committee was named to which was given the extensive contract of working out the details. This is the resolution as it now stands:

prohibitory law, and the fact that, with one exception, every province and territory has recorded a substantial vote and a large majority in favor of such legislation, your committee, while urging prohibitionists to maintain their agitation for total prohibiton, believes that at the present time the temperance reform would be materially aided by the enactment of le gislation upon the lines hereinafter ada to impose prohibition on unwilling Quebec. Mr. Spence evaded this question by stating that there were liament cannot pass a law prohibiting for beverage purposes in any province 5,000 Bushels Oats I

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adopting or bringing into force such an act by the duly qualified electors; dopted by any province, to be irreenough to ensure a fair test of its ef-

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THE FAR WEST.

A Late New Brunswicker's Fortune - Lovers in Death.

VANCOUVER, April 23-Sir Hibbert Pupper left this afternoon for Ottawa. Mr. and Mrs. James Russell of this lumber king of Miramichi, N. B. EDMONTON, N. W. T., April 23.-

Wm. Rolland and Lottle Brunett committed suicide last night by taking strychnine. They were deeply in love-but the match met with opposition from relatives. Both were highly respected.

AT BRITAIN'S OPTION.

MANAGUA, Nicaragua (via Gal-veston, Tex., April 23).—President Ze-laya has granted an option, in force until Jan. 1, 1900, to Charles Nicoli,

The steamer Hampstead, which went up river on Friday, did not return Saturday, as was intended. A big rin of ice made navigation dan-gerous and the boat laid over. Stetson, Cutler & Co.'s big mill at Bugtown started sawing Saturday, after receiving a thorough overhalling. The start was delayed for some few days on account of a lack of logs, which were locked in the bay by the

Emery Sewell's .ugs have made start for the up-river booms and will force through as soon as possible. Messrs. Glasier's boats are all ready for the season's work, and will go up river just as soon as there is any chance of their getting through.

Capt. Porter's steamer Star will run as usual on the Washademoak route. The steamer has been carefully over-

cerebro spinal meningitis, oengestion James, eldest son of James Mountt

No objection was taken to this last lictum of Mr. Bell, though one would think that it was open at least to discussion. The obvious intention of the Union act was to prevent the levying of duties by one province against another or in the interest of one provwurely doubtful whether it is intended

Spence counted 18 in the negative, thereupon announced their intention of departing without further ceremony, and proceeded to carry out the programme, but those who remained arranged for another meeting in the evening, inviting the sub-committee to meet in the meantime and arrive at

Mr. Ganong and Mr. Moore, with Mr. Vidal, concluded that they could not arrive at anything different from their previous determination, but in the evening they stood out of the way and allowed Mr. Flint, Mr. Bell and Mr. Spence to arrange their plans as

rather wide range, bringing in some

"That' in view of the refusal of the government to accept the plebiscite as sufficient mandate for a national

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(2) Voting upon the question of the bringing of such legislation into force in any province to be at the time of the holding of a general election, in order to save expense and secure the largest possible vote upon the question; (3) Such legislation, when pealable for a period of time long fectiveness."

city are said to be heirs to a milliondollars bequeathed by an almost forgotten relative, Mr. Miller, a late-

British consul at Managua, or to any company he may organize, to purchase the railways and steamboats of Nicaragua, with the workshops ap-pertaining to them, for the sum of 6,500,000, pesos (silver). INDIANTOWN NEWS

hauled and is as bright as a new / button. Although it will be some little time before the ice runs out of the lake, the Star in the meantime

will run to the Narrows, or as far upas she can go. The steamers May Queen, David Weston and Victoria will be the last of the river boats to leave winter quarters. The Queen and Weston laid at their Indianaewn whenves all win-ter and have been put in first class shape for the season's work. The steamer Victoria is being painted at Marble Cove and looks better than at

any time since she was built. Helen, the five-year-old daughter of Pilot Bart. Rogers, was frightfully burned at her father's home, Brittain street Sunday evening The child was playing about the kitchen and Mrs. Rogers having occasion to go to another part of the house, left her alone for two or three minutes. On her re-turn to the kitchen, Mrs. Regers found the child's hair and clothing in flames. It is supposed the little one's hair caught fire from a lamp in which her mother had left a pair of curling tongs. The flames burned the hair almost completely off the child's head, and her clothing was entirely consumed. Mrs. Rogers called for help, and John McGonagle, who owns the house in which the Rogers family reside, assisted her in extinguishing the flam's. Drsi Sheffield and Daniel, who were called in, did everything possible to illeviate the sufferings of the child, and later on she was sent to the hospital. The little one's face is fearfully burned, as are also her neck, left arm and the front part of the body.

The physicians have very little hopefor her recovery.

Mr. Rogers is out in the pilot boat

Howard D. Troop. About a year ago a young son of Mr. Rogers' was drowned at Lower Cove almost opposite his father's home.

ST. ANDROWS. C. O. F.

On April 21st R. J. Stuart, organizer for the Camadian Order of Foresters, organized a court at St. Amdrews, ers, organized a court at St. Andrews, N. B., and installed the following officers: J. P. C. R., Judge M. N. Cockburn; C. R., R. E. Armstrong; V. C. R., E. A. Cockburn; R. S., Spencer Farmer; F. S., Albert Thompson; treas, P. G. Hanson; chap, Rev. A. W. Mahon; com, Wm. J. Burton; S. W., Jus. Cammings; J. W., Theo. Holmes: S. R. Horace Gove: J. B. Holmes; S. B., Horace Gove; J. B., Frank Kennedy; ex-physician, Dr. H. Gove; trustees, Dr. H. Gove, Grimmer; finance committee, M. Max-well, J. W. Peacock, F. Stinson; audi-tors, W. A. Robertson and Amos Greenlaw. The court will be known by the name Brunswick and will meet the last Tuesday in each month.

SHIP NEWS.

PORT OF ST. JOHN.

Arrived. April 21—SS Micmac, 1,599, Meikle, from Newcastle-on-Tyne, J H Scammell & Co. Newcastic-on-lyne, 3 H Scalmen & Co, bal.

Coastwise—Schs Tethys, 9, Johnson, from fishing; strs Westpert, 48, Powell, from Westport; Centreville, 32, Graham, from Sandy Cove; Jamet, 14, Spicer, from Apple Piver; Nina Blanche, 30, Crocker, from Preeport; Ellha Burritt, 3, Spicer, from Port Williams; Temple Bur, 44, Longmine, from Bridgetown; W E Gladstone, 19, Ingalis, from Grand Harbor; Hustler, 44, Gesner, from Bridgetown; Wawbeek, 99, Edgett, from Joggins; Fawn, 17, Ogilvie, from Cheverier. m Cheverie:

pril 22-8 S Turret Court, 1,197, Marcurfrom Louisburg, R P and W F Stair, Annie Harper, 92, Golding, from Los-Sch Annie Harper, 32, Gotting, Fom Boston, master, wire.

Coastwise—Schs Seattle, 56, Taylor, from Hass River; Helen M. 62, Hatfield, from Dyggins; barge No 3, 439, McLeod, from Parrsboro; schs Lizzte, Magee, 14, Holmes, from Back Bay: Maitland, 44, Merriam, from Bort Greville; Maud, 33, Mitchell, from Hampton.

April 22—Sch Bonnie Doon, Chapman, from Elizabethourt, bal. Elizabethport, bal. Sch Vineyard, Cummings, from Boston,

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Sch John C Cattingbam, from Boston, tal.

Sch Ella, Brown, from New Haven.

Sch Ann, from Bootchbay, bal.

Ap. 11 '4-Str l'ushing, logersoll, frem Grand Manan via Eastport, Merritt Bros and Co, malls, pass and muse.

Brigtn Sceptre, 142, Dexter, from Poncc, Merritt Bros and Co, melasses, etc.

Sch Sparmaker, 23, Livingstone, from Eastport, J W Smith, bal.

Sch Jessle Hart 2nd, 212, Murphy, from St George, D J Seely and Son, bal.

Sch Romeo, 111, Campbell, from Providence, P McIntyre, bal

Sch Alaska, 118, Mehaffey, from New York, F Tutts, coal.

Sch Quetny, 123, Hamilton, from New York, J M Taylor, coal. York, F Tutts coal.

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Sch Gazelle, 47, Morris, from Eastport, J W Smith, bal.

Sch Bonnie Doon, 124, Chapman, from Dorchester, bal.

Sch Vineyard, 176, Kelty, from St Andrews, master, bal.

Sch Im, 111, Hanselpacker, from Boston, Elkin and Hatfield, wire.

Sch Irene E Miservy, 232, Malbrook, from St George, D J Seely, bal.

Sch Canaria, 245, Brown, from Boston, master, bal.

Sch Eric. 124, Harrington, from New

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Sch Eric, 124, Harrington, from New York Miller and Woodman, bal.
Sch Lizzle, B. 85, Beyea, from, Flomaston, Elkin and Hatfield, bal.
Coastwise—Schs Beulah, 80, Seely, from Quaco; Brisk, 20, Wadim, from Campobello: Buda, 20, Stuart, from Beaver Harbor Glide, 30, Tuits, from Quaco; Lida Gretta, 67, Ells, do: Henry Nickerson, 10, Brewster from Hillsboro; Sussis N, 38, Marriam, from Windsor; Alfred, 28, Small, from Tiverton; Fin Plack, 7, Ingersoll, from NorthHead; E. M. Oliver, 13, Harkins, from fishing: Brnest Fisher, 20, Gough, from Quaco; West Wind, 24, Post; from Digby: Alph B Parker, 28, fighthouse, from Tiverton, Ilarry Morris, 35, McLean, from Tiverton, Ilarry Morris, 35, McLean, from Quaco; Swar, 16, Stevens, from Freeport: Thistie, 12, Guistoris, 98, McLean, from Quaco; Swar, Stevens, from Freeport; Thistle, 12, Gurfrom Grand Harbor; Druid, 97, Tults, n Quaco; Myra B; 90, Cale, do; Miranda 99, Day, from Alua; Margaret, 19, Elde, from Beaver Harbor; Vesta Pearl, 40, y, from Westport; Yarmouth Packet, Shaw, from Yarmouth; Thelma, 48, Milfrom Annapolis;

il 21—SS Manchester Enterprise, nt, for Manchester via Halifax. Bessie Parker, Carter, for New York. Clara E Rogers, Cator, for New York. Canary, Wasson, for Vineyard Haven Sch Eltie, Howard, for City Island fo.
Sch Fraulein, Strage, for New York.
Str State of Maine, Colby, for Boston.
Coastwise-Schs Bessie G. Oglivie, for
Quaco; Morning Star, Edgett, for Moncton;
Nina Blanche, Crocker, for Freeport; strs
Westport, Powell, for Westporte Centreville,
Grahum, for Sandy Cove; Lennie and Edna,
Blans for Freeport.

Avaion, Wagner, for New York, Maggie Miller, Granville, for Hing-Mass. Sarah Potter, Haffield, for City Island Sch S A Fownes, McKeil, for Salem f o.

CANADIAN PORTS. Arrived.

At Louisbury, April 18, strs St. Marnock crento (bunkerel and sailed for Montreal) reemona, Messina bunkered and sailed or Montreal 19th, 19th, str Rydal Holme Tayal, for Montreal; str. Cacouna, for Port At Hillsboro, April 22, sch Ruth Kobin son, Theale, from Portland Me.

At Hillsboro, April 21, sch Henry Nick

From Louishung April 10 5 Turret Crown for St John From Hillsboro, April 21, sch Georgie S Pickson, Anderson, for New York

BRITISH PORTS. Arrived.

At Barbados, darch 30, bark St Paul, Skaling, from Pernambuco; brig Boston Marine, Potter, from Demetara; April 1, sch W R Huntley, Howard, from Brunswick.

At Port Natal, March 23, bark, Grenada, Gardner, from Buenos Ayres.

At Buenos Ayres. April 20, ship Stalwart, Cann. from Buenos Ayres for Tusket Wedge. Salled

From Barbados, March 39, sch E Merriam, terriam, for Antigua; Opal, Focte, for Yaris, for Valparaiso.

Newcastle-on-Tyne, April 22, s s sea Kehoe, for Miramichi.

Cardiff, April 19, bark Angola, r, for Cape Town.

Barry, April 29, bark Swanhilda, zie, for Cape Town.

Cape Town. March 21, ship William Abbott, from Newcastle, NSW. Newcastle, NSW. April 21, barks Ruth ugu sta, for do. nanghai, April 22, ship Brynhilda, From Liverpool, April 21, bark Norman-vik, for Liscombe.

FOREIGN PORTS.

Arrived. At New York, April 21, sch. Evolution, Fitzpatrick, from Santiago.
At Norfolk, at quarantine April 19, ship kings County, Salter, from Rio. Janeiro.
At Mobile, April 19, sch. Boniform, Jones from Roller. At Havana, April 17, str H M Pollock, Newman, from Philadelphia. At Guantanamo, April 5, rch B. C. Borden, Taylor, from Barbados, to load for New At Montevideo, March 17, bark Antilla, At Montevideo, March 17, bark Antilla, Read, from Buenos Ayres.
At Mobile, April 20, sch Boniform, Jones, from Havana.
At Grantanamo, April 12, bark St Paul, Dill, from Baibafos for New York.
At Norfolk, April 19, set Jehn J Hill, Mc-Lean, from Joston (and cleared to return.)
At Boston, April 22, sch Harry, Patterson, from New York.

· Cleared. At Boston, April 15, sen Canaria, Brown, for Partridge Island I o.

At New York, April 19, brig Acacia, Hart, for San Andreas; schs. Clifford C, Pederseu, for St John; Cora May, Harrington, for St John; W H Waters, Belyea, for St John; Reporter, Gichrist, for do; Frank and Ira, Alcorn, for Port Reading.

At Mobile, April 19, ship Monrovia, Hibbard, for Liverpool.

At Pensacota, April 20, bark Kelvin, Rominson; for Brems Ayres.

At Philadelphia, April 20, sch L A Plummer, Foster, for Boston.

At New York, April 20, sch fayr, Brenton,

At New York, April 20, sch Ayr, Brenton,

At Ship Island, April 21, bark Tuskan, Pennant, for Sharpness.
At Port Reading, N J, April 22, seh Frank and Ira, Alcom, for St John.
At New York, April 22, ser Manuka, Bovey, for Grindstone Island. Sailed.

From Mobile, April 17, bark Annie Bingay, for Burrow; 19th, ship Harvest Queen, for From Guantanamo, April 8, bark Hornet,
Nobles, for New York.
From Montevideo, April 15, sch Fred H
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been reported sailed from Paysandu 17th for From Roches Point, April 18, Bertha, fo From Bahia, March 7, schs Mola, Parker or Barbados; 15th, Golden Hind, Landry

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From New York, April 20, brig Acacia, for San Andreas: achs W H Waters and Reporter, for St John; Viols, for Halifax; A P Emerson, for Bar Harbor.

From New York, April 22, schs Thistle, for St John; Ruth Shaw, for Gloucester; Blenheim, for Huifax.

From Norfolk, April 22, brigta Moss Glen, Hire, for St Stephen.

From Quantanamo, April 11, bark Altona, Collins, for New York.

MEMORANDA. In port at Guantanamo, April 8, bark Altona, Collins, for New York, loading.
In port at Montevideo, March 15, barks Luarca, Starratt, and Chas E Lefurgey, Read, for New York.
In port at Black River, Js, sch Allan A McIntyre, Sommerville, from Port Spain, ard March 21, for United States.
Passed down at Reedy Island, April 19, str Passed down at Reedy Island, April 19, str Angers, for Parrsboro.

Ship Theodore H Rand, lat 42.24, N, lon 8, by str St Marnock at Louisburg (wisaed to be reported all well).

Bark G S Jenry, Dagwell, from Beifost for Miramichi, April 16, lat 50 N, lon 12 W. In port at Hollo, March 15, ships Gloscep, Spicer, and Nordwood, Roy, for Delaware Brentwater; Canara, Swatridge, for United States.

In port at Guantanamo, April 14, sch B C Borden, Taylor, from Barbados for New Borden, Taylor, from Barbados for New York, ldg. In port at Nassau, April 18, ship Kambira, Brownell, from Rio Janeiro for Norfolk, Va (in South West Bay anchorage.) In port at Manila, March 15, ship selkirk, Crowe, for United States.

SPOKEN.

Ship Cumberland, Irving, from Inique for Hamburg, March 5, lat 20 8, lan 25 W. Bark Trinidad, Card, from Port Spain for New York, April 20, 50 miles 8 E of Cape Henlopen.
Ship Charles S Whitney, from Manila for Beston, April 22, lat 40.36, lon 70.41.
Ship Theodore H Rand, Morris, from Mibile via Barbados, March 19, for Havre, no date, lat 42.2; lon 38.
Ship Cumberland, Irving, from Iquique for Hamburg April 19, let 49 N. lon 13 W. date, lat 42.2; lon 38.

Ship Cumberland, Irving, from Iquique for Hamburg, April 13, lat 49 N, lon 13 W.

Bark Sagona, Thompson, from Liverpool for Richibucto, April 18, lat 49, lon 18.

Bark Corryvechan, McLeod, from Leith for Rio Janeiro, April 5, lat 13 N, lon 23 W.

NOTICE TO MARINERS. TOMPI INSVILLE, NY, April 19-Notice is given by the Lighthouse Board that a fixed red lantern light has been established to mark the sunken coal barge Satanella in Reritan Bay, NJ. Two masts of the barge are standing, and the light is shown from her starboard fore rigging. The wreek heading SE, lies in 19 feet mean low water on the following magnetic bearings: Uld Orchard Shota Lighthouse, N%E; Romet Phoal Lighthouse, E%S; Sandy Hook mainlight, SE%E.

PORTLAND, April 21—Notice is hereby given of the following changes in aids to avigation in the First Light House Dis Sorrento Harbor, Maine.

Jones Ledge budy, red No 2, was changed from a spar to a second-class nun for the summer season April 18 Sullivan Harbor, Maine. Dram Island Ledge buoy, red, No 2, was changed from a spar to a first-class nun for the summer season April 17.

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Bean Island Ledge buoy, black, No 3, was changed from a spar to a second-class can for the summer season April 17.

Ingalls Ledge buoy, red, No 6, was changed from a spar to a second-class nun for the summer season April 18.

Moon Ledge buoy, black, No 5, was changed from spar to a second-class can for the summer ceasen April 18.

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South Point Mosquito Ledge buoy, No 0 a red spar, reported April 15 dragged show 600 feet to the northward and castward, was found in its proper position April 20.

WASHINGTON, D C, April 21—Notice is given by the Lighthouse Foard that ou o about May 15, 1849, the characteristic of the fog rignal (a 10 inch steam whistle) at the West Quoddy Head light station, on the ST about May 1, 1879, the characteristic of the fog rignal (a 10 inch steam whistle) at the West Quoddy Head light station, on the Si side of West Quoddy Head, SW sice of the entrance to Quoddy Roads, will be changed to sound blasts of 5 seconds duration, sep-arated by silent intervals of 15 seconds.

MARRIAGES.

ARTHURS-ARMSTRONG—In the Silver Falls Methodist church, on April 9, by Rev. W. B. Tenuant, James E. Arthurs to Alice M. Armstrong, both of Silver Falls. COLE-ELLIOFT—On April 19th, by the Rev. I. N. Parker, Charles E. Cole of Cole's Island, Queens Co., N. B., to Miss Edna May Elliott of Young's Creek, Queens Co., N. B. N. B.
KERR-BEALS—At the residence of
brides father, on April 18th, by Rev.
G. Dienstadt, William Kerr to Ida M., e
est daughter of Watson C. Beals, both
Mt. Middleton, Kings Co.

DEATHS.

COLEMAN—In this city, on April 24th Rober: Coleman, aged 64 years. (Bosto and Newfoundland papers please copy.) HAMILTON—On April 20th, at Young's Cove Queens Co. N. B., William Hamilton, age 72 years. HATHEWAY—In this city, on April 22, Dr. Joseph C. Hatheway, in the 79th year of HATHEWAY—In this city, on April 22, Dr. Joseph C. Hatheway, in the 79th year of his age.

IRONS—On April 10th, at Young's Cove, Quens Co., N. B., James Irons, a native of Doncgal, Ireland, but for many years a resident of this place, aged 89 years. LUNN—In this city, on April 24th, William, son of William and Amelia Lunn, aged 5 years and 8 months

MABEE—In this city, on April 22nd, Alfred Abraham Mabee, aged 53 years, leaving a wife, one son, one daughter and a large circle of friends to mourn their sad loss. (Boston and New York papers please copy.) McCONNELL—In this city, on April 23rd, of mentingetts, Horace Edward, beloved son of John and Ispeella McConnell, aged 1 year and 4 months.

FREDERICTON.

Death of the Relict of John Pickard, M. P .-Cathedral's New Organist.

FREDERICTON, N. B., April 24. Word was received in the city today of the death in New York of Mrs, Pickard, widow of the late John Pickard, for many years York's re-presentative in the house of com-mons. The deceased lady was sixtyseven years of age and had been in ailing health for some time past. The remains will be brought to this city for burial. Hon. F. P. Thompson, M. P. P., is a nephew of the deceased At the York county court this mor ning David Westle pleaded guilty of the charge of assault upon Constable Currie of Nashwaaksis, and was sentenced by Judge Wilson to a fine of \$15 or ten days' imprisonment. Fred Blair of Chatham, N. B., is to

be the organist at the Cathedral. He assumes his duties next Sunday. Col. Markham is at the Queen.

Str. Manchester City, from this port via Halifax, reached Manches-

LOCAL LEGISLATURE

After Some Debate the House, By Unanimous Vote

Adopts Hon. Mr. Tweedie's Resolution Urging the Dominion Government

To Take Over the Canada Eastern Railway as Part of the Intercolonial System.

FREDERICTON, N. B., April 24 .-Mr. Melanson asked for particulars as as to Russel Brook bridge in the parish of Acadieville, Kent Co.

Hon, Mr. Emmerson-I would say that tenders were asked for twice. The last time four tenders were received, viz.: From L. J. Wathen, \$260; Abraham Veneit, \$300; Solomon Allen, \$225; Irvine Anderson, \$395. The contract was awarded to the lowest tenderer, S. Allen.

Mr. Melanson inquired: Is it the ntention of the government to grant further aid by way of bonus to any of the flour mills which have already received assistance "?

Hon. Mr. Labillois-I would reply that the flour mills that have received aid got all the law provides under the act for the encouragement of agriculture

Hon. Mr. Tweedie introduced a bill to aid towards holding provincial and and county agricultural exhibitions throughout the province. He explained that the bill authorized the government to grant aid to exhibitions throughout the province to an amount not exceeding \$5,000 in any one year, subject to such conditions as the lieutenant governor in council may impose.

Mr. Legere, in the absence of Mr. Johnson, introduced a bill to continue the act incorporating the St. Louis, Richibucto and Buctouche railway, Mr. Humphrey, seconded by Mr. Shaw, moved for a detailed statement of all debentures issued by the government from October 31st, 1898, to 23rd of March, 1899.

Hon. Mr. Tweedie-The information will be furnished without the formality of an address

Mr. Hazen said that the chief commissioner had promised on the 15th instant to submit returns containing plans, contracts and specifications reference to certain bridges. with When might he expect that return to be brought down? Hon. Mr. Emmerson - The return

will be brought before the house right away, probably in a day or two. Hon. Mr. White committed a bill to amend the probate courts act, which was agreed to with amendments. Hon. Mr. Dunn committed a bill respecting the fisheries of New Bruns-

Hon. Mr. White said that the report Notice is hereby given that Harricane ledge buoy, spar, red. No 4, reported adrift with the minister of fisheries upon of the committee appointed to the fishery question was laid upon the table early in the session and it would appear from that report that there was some doubt as to the extent of the jurisdiction possessed by the government. How far the province and dominion respectively possess these rights, one against the other, and how far they possess them con-currently as to some fishing rights still remains in doubt. This doubt exists particularly with reference to fisheries within the three mile limit below low water mark. There may be some doubt as to the fisheries between low water and high water mark. It is very desirable to have a bill framed that will fully cover the fishing rights of the province, and it will be readily understood that in the somewhat uncertain state of the law it is a matter of no small difficulty to frame a bill that will reach the fisheries we have power to regulate, and at the same time that will not transgress beyond the line to which we have the power to act and thus render the bill ultra vires. This difficulty the bill was intended to overcome. Whether it would accomplish it or not would doubtless be ascertained hereafter. It was absolutely necessary, however, to provide for the regulations of fisheries: the matter could not be allowed to go by default. The bill followed the Ontario act, with some material modifications. The bill was also a consolidation of the provisions with reference to surface fly fishing, and all other fishing laws of this province are without any change, embodied in the bill. Power is given for the government to make almost any concelvable arrangement with the nion. It could not now be told ju what course it was desirable to fol-Some hon, members had expresse fear that section 8 would take away proprietary rights. That section was

"The grant by patent, legal struction or implication of the bed of any navigable water or of any lake or river in New Brunswick, whether or after the passing of this act, shall not, unless such exclusive right of fishing is expressly granted by such patent, be deemed to carry or include navigable waters which cover or flow over the land so granted, any statute law, usage or custom to the contrary notwithstanding."

He did not think there was any case existing in the province where property rights in the stream had been given in the case of navigable waters and lakes. If there was, this tection would certainly take away, the exclusive rights. He did not think small lakes or streams could be called navigable, though what was navig able and what was not was now somewhat doubtful in law. Until recently it was supposed that navigable waters meant tidal water, but some recent decisions had thrown doubt upon

Mr. Thompson-Why not change it to read "tidal waters?" Hon. Mr. White-I think it is adhere to language that will give us the benefit of the decision of the Mr. Hazen—It seem sto me that sec-

tion 8 should be changed so there would be no doubt about its meanirg. It is well known that ripariar owners have the exclusive right to the niddle of the stream. I think it is doubtful whether this bill will not take it away.
Hon. Mr. White-Well, that don't

refer to navigable waters.
Mr. Hazen said that small streams vere navigable water. Take for instance the Nepisiquit river. Logs are driver down and tow boats and canoes pass up and down. The old definition that navigable water was only tidal ater was exploded long ago. This section would take away from these people the proprietary rights they have there.

Mr. Lawson said the same argument would apply to the Tobique river. On that river are valuable fishing rights held for twenty or thirty years by the owners of land, and he would fear that this section ould interfere with them and would be a great grievance. He thought the I ill should be made perfectly clear on

this point.
Mr. Russell said the bill would take away valuable proprietary rights in Charlotte Co. which had been bought

and paid for years ago.

Mr. Hill said he would consider navigable water meant water navigable by boat. It might apply to small lakes. He thought the riparian rights of owners on small lakes and rivers would be very much jeopardized.

of navigable waters was very much in doubt. Perhaps the section had beuter stand over. Mr. Mott regarded the section as dangerous. On the section of the Restigouche river between the tideway and Metapedia the proprietary

rights would be absolutely taken away. It was within his recollection that steamboats had run there. In any case he would confine the sections to grants issued hereafter. Mr. Hazen thought the section

should be struck out altogether. Mr. Carvill thought the section was directly opposed to the ruling of the supreme court in the case of Venning v. Steadman.

Hon. Mr. White-Well, we will let il at section stand. Mr. Speaker thought the bill should stand over till next year. In the bill meantime the promoter of the should visit Charlotte county learn something with respect to subject of the fisheries

After further discussion and the rassing of 44 sections the house took A bill to incorporate the St. Croix

Water Power Co. was recom to be withdrawn at the request of the promoter, Mr. Todd, as the St. Croix is an international river and the bill would encroach n international After recess, the bill respecting

fisheries was further considered. Mr. Lawson strongly objected to sub-section 2 of section 45, which made it "compellable" for defendants to give evidence. He thought this was against every principle of British justice and shocking to any man's sense of right. Was the house going to make an offence against the fishery law much more easily prosecuted than If he allowed that bill to go through without raising his protest against this section, he could count the votes he would receive upon the Tobique upon the fingers of one hand, Harsh features in game and fish laws should not be pressed, but the people educated to a respect for such He moved, seconded by Mr. Carvill, that the words "and "comnellable." struck out.

Mr. Carville thought the second lead to wholesale perjury. section Mr. Hazen thought informers, received one-half the fine would information on no evidence, but upon the bare suspicion that the defendant would convict himself. He thought this would lead to a large amount of perjury.

Hon. Mr. White said for pounding offences under the Canada Temperance Act it was compellable for the parties accused to give evidence. The principle, therefore, was not a new one. The section would harm no innocent man. Mr. Lawson's amendment was then

put to the house and carried. Progress was reported upon the with leave to sit again.

Hon. Mr. Emmerson submitted re turns in answer to motion number 9. Hor. Mr. Emmerson introduced bill to authorize the municipality Albert to effect temporary loans; Mr. Todd, a bill to authorize the town of St. Stephen to aid the Imperial Manufacturing Co.; Mr. Barnes, a bill to authorize the municipal council Kent county to lease the public wharf at Richibucto; Mr. Thompson, a bill to aid in the collection of rates, taxes and assessments in the city of Fred-ericton, and Mr. Osman, a bill to authorize Albert municipality grant exemption from taxation onuses in certain cases.

Hon. Mr. Dunn recommitted the bill to amend the general mining act, which was agreed to with amend-Hon. Mr. Emmersen committed the

bill to amend chapter 68, Consolidated Statutes, University of New Brunswick.-Agreed to. Mr. Humphrey introduced a bill to further amend the law relating to sewers and marsh lands. Hon. Mr. Emmerson committed the bill to, amend section 39 of the muni-

cipalities act .- Agreed to with amend-Hon. Mr. Tweedie introduced the appropriation bills.

HON. MR. TWEEDIE made his motion respecting the advisability of the Canada Eastern rail-way being acquired by the Dominion government, and made a part of the Intercolonial railway system. said if it were not so late in the session he would have asked to have the matter deferred, as he was somewhat indisposed. Some hon. members might think the resolution went beyoud the jurisdiction of the house. As a general principal it was well that matters referring to the federal government should be left to that government to deal with, but in this What is

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awaiting development. If the Canada Eastern were made a part of the I.

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vould be made for the Queens county coal. It meant a great deal of differ-

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covernment as compared with a pri-vate corporation, because it would be

run in the interest of the people and

not so much as a commercial specu-

lation. The policy of the federal gov-

ernment is to increase the mileage of the I. C. R. so that it will be a pay-

ing institution. He believed that the

emtrance secured into Montreal by the

I. C. R. was a wise policy on the part

of the minister of railways. It might be said that this was but the enter-

ing weige, and that a demand would be made upon the dominion govern-

that such a policy would be the best

thing that could happen to the prov-ince of New Branswick. Some of

vant of capital and were subject to

changes in tariff rates by reason of

being subject to the exigencies of pri-

vate capitalists, and he moved the

acoption of the resolution, seconded

Mr. Ponter believed it was a move in the right direction along the lines of provincial development. He be-leved that all provincial roads should

development of the country was greatly retarded by the fact that the

avenues of commerce were controlled

by grasping private comporations.

Many industries might be developed if we had cheaper means of trans-portation. The I. C. R. had greatly

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developed the industries of the North shore, while the St. John valley had been retarded because that road was root extended up the river. It had been said that the taking over of rafi-roads by the government would add to the debt, but it was better that the

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MR. HAZEN

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the province to the taking over of the Canada Eastern by the Intercolonial. The Canada Eastern had done a great

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Hon. Mr. Farris.

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matter the two governments were work in developing the country co-partners, as they had both sub-sidized the road. Mr. Tweedle gave a the sentiment of the people was that sketch of the history of the building if the road was to pass into other of the road, the contract for which was entered into by Mr. Gibson and Mr. Snowball in 1884. The road was a monument to the pluck and enterprise of these gentlemen, and was today one of the best operated roads in the province. The road was today a signal success. It was however, a great load for one man to handle. It was well that the people should have the assurance as early as possible that it would become a part of the I. C. R. The central part of the province of New Brunswick had received no aid from the dominion government except the bare subsidy given; ft was a matter of justice to this section of the province that the government should take over the load. This part of the province had contributed largely to the canal sysof free traide, or of prote tem of Ontario, and it was nothing more than its just due that it should upon the Yukon railway or other be taken over by the government, questions of dominion policy? It was had been something wonderful. The Chatham branch had been acquired in 1885; the Black brook extension built in 1895, and the total mileage of the road was now 135 miles. Boiesdown, Blackville, Doaktown and other country villages had been wonderfully developed and improved by the wad. The passenger traffic of the toad had shown a remarkable growth. Besides that there were great possililities for the road. It was only a short distance from Point Escuminac to Prince Edward Island, and there vas no doubt that in a few years the summer travel by that route by steamer connection with the island Hon. Emmerson, and the was carried unanimously.

House then adjourned. railway would be very large. The counties of Queens and Sumbury, with their coal industries, were much interested in securing connection with this road, thus securing convenie wecess to the outer world. There were millions of tons of coal in Queens

The committee of inquiry into the bridge charges met this evening for a short time, all the members of the committee being present. The only matter before the committee was the passing of bills for expenses con-tracted, in all amounting to \$124.16. The items were as follows: G. A. Mc-Carthy, witness fees and expenses from Montreal and return, \$47.40; Mr. Hazen telegraphing to witness, \$15; F. H. Listeen, stenegrapher, \$20.20; Miss Mowatt, stenographer, \$14; Sheriff Sturdee, serving subpoenas, \$1.38; D. J. Stockford, serving subponas, \$3; L. S. Keith, Moncton, serving subpoenas, \$5; McMurray & Co., books, \$1.15; telegraphing, \$2.08; G. Y. Dibbooks blee, clerk of the committee, \$15. The committee will recommend house the payment of these bills and will meet again at the call of the

The corporations committee morning had under consideration a oill relating to the Little Girl's Home in connection with the Women's Christian Temperance Union, St. John. This bill was before the committee on Friday and stood over at the request of Mr. Laforest, who this morning added the following section: "This act will not apply to or affect any infant child or children of the Romen Catholic faith." The bill was recommended by the committee

FATALLY BURNED.

Terrible Accident in Queen's County-The Woman's Husband Now at Sea

The Sun's correspondent at Cody's writes under date of the 24th inst:

A sad and it is feared fatel accident took place on Saturday atternion, near the Narrows, when the wife of Gil. Thorne was terribly burned it appears that Mrs. Thorne had been raking up rubbish from about the door yard, and had carried if a little distance from the house, and set fire to it, when the fire began to run in the grass towards the house and barn, and as she was atrail of the buildings taking fire she went to stamp it out, and in doing so her clothing caught fire, burning her in a terrible manner all over the front part of her body. Dr. Macdonald of the Narrows was summoniced and all all in his power to alleviate the poor woman's suffering. The was summored and did all in his pow-alleviate the poor woman's suffering, case is a sad one, as her hisband is at sent at sea in the schooner Jollette, and children, one only an infant, are to be

hands it should pass into other hands it should pass into the hands of the louision government. At the frederictor and of the road that was the unaffimous feeling, as the people wanted to see the competition between this road and the C. P. R. While he was a representative at Ottawa he had expressed himself in favor of the common government taking over all these branch roads, thus enabling them to do more efficient service to the country. He thought, however, that the hon gentleman was asking the house to travel outside its proper sphere in dealing with this resolution. It was Turely a matter of policy that should be decided by the federal government.

If the house commenced with this question where was it to end? Would the house be asked to decide in favor with, and if they decided to adopt this policy it would meet with little opposition in this house or province. Mr. Burchill said he did not think this was an ordinary question of dominion politics. It was a question that affected the province at large. The house in no way proposed to dictate to the dominion government what action should be taken by it, but simply proposed to assure the dominion government of its approval of such a course. The debate was continued by Messrs. Lawson, Robertson, Hon. Labillois, Carvill, Thompson, O'Brien of Northumberland, Fish, Osman, and

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PROVINCIAL NEWS

RICHIBUCTO, April 12.—Ephraim Pine lost a valuable horse on Monday morning. He was coming up from the beaches when the horse broke through the ice and perished before assistance arrived.

Kingston expects a big building boom this summer. Some ten houses are to be erected there during the coming season.

The funeral of the late Alfred Mundle of St. Nicholas River, took place on Monday. Rev. D. Fraser conduc-

cile of St. Nicholas River, took place on Monday. Rev. D. Fraser conducted the services.

FAIR HAVEN, Deer Island, April 17.—It is with seep regret that we record the death of Mrs. Frank Calder (nee Miss Patience N. Doughty); which occurred at the home of her mother, Mrs. Sarah Doughty, on Thursday evening. Deceased was well and favorably known, having served in the teaching profession for ten years. In Sept., 1877, she was united in marriage to Frank S. Calder, one of our deserving young men, and entered into her new sphere of life with bright prospects for a happy future. But a cold contracted a few months after brought on that dread disease consumption. In spite of all that loving hands and medical skint could do, she gradually faded, and last Thursday the end came. As the evening shadows gathered, her sun sank too, and the grief stricken friends whom she had asked to gather at her bedside saw her pass away, to "be forever with the Lord." Although her antierings for the last tew days had been intonse, and it was feared that the end was near; yet when the message came that the angel of death had come and claimed her as its victim, all hearts were touched, for all felt that they had lost a personal friend. Since childhood she had been a friend of the F. C. Baptist church and an active worker in all the recruices, but especially in the Sunday school and Christian Endeavor. In fact, she was aiways ready to assist in any line of work that had for three years previous to her marriage, she will long be remembered as a faithful and, earnest worker. In all the affairs of life she seemed to be influenced by the admonition of the apostle: "Whatsoever ye do, do 4t heartily, as unto the Lord." Although the relatives are overwhelmed with grief, yet they have the blessed assurance that another link is added to the chain that binds those-gen earch to those in heaven. They know her day's work was done, and well done, and she has gone to receive the reward that God has in store for those who are faithful unto the end. She lea

West Quaco, where they have been rescouse at whiter.

Miss Archuretta Breascombe, who has been in the hospital at St. John for some months past, studying to be a trained hurre, arrived home this week on a visit to her mother. Mrs. J. Fred Perry of Salmondale, who is very sick with acute cheumatism. Scott K. Focter, who has been engaged for the last few months with Vail Brus, of the Globe Laundry, St. John, arrived here on Wedneeday last on a visit to his home at Starkey's. Starkey's.

Mrs David McLeam of Long Oreek, who has been very sick for some months. its somewhat improved under the care of a trained nurse.

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CODY'S, Queens Co., April 11.— James from, who resided with his son, W. J. Irwas of Young's Cove toad, died yesterday in his minetieth year, after only a few days illness. The deceased came from Ireland when quite a young man, and has resided on Grand Like mest of the time. He was a plasterer and bricklayer by trade. His wife died about 20 years ago. Two soms end one daughter, a Mrs McLean of Grand Lake, who is a widow, are left to mourn.

B. Perry of Thorntown has in his possession a farge erg laid by a common hen owned by him. The egg weighs a quantier of a jound and measures 64 inohas in circumference.

Geo; it. Ordy, miller, of Cody's, also went has been first mate in the Annie E. Bliss, is here ready to resume com-mand of the E.V.Glover. His brother,

C. B. Parker, lumber merchant, of Colle's Island left for St. John today by Central

The gang mill at Demoiselle Creek, owned by John L. Peck, is now run-ning with night and day crews. The spring is unusually backward, and a lough easterly snow storm prevails here today. Frank Hutchins, who spent the win-

John Joyce, has taken his place on the

Frank Hutchins, who spent the win-ter in the United States, returned on Saturdayto his home here.

J. Atton Tingley, whose marole and granite works is one of the chief in-dustries of this place, has engaged the services of an expert granite worker from St George.

Capt. Henry A. Calhoun is advertising by posters the famous Albertite mines property, consisting of houses, bams, a church, etc.; also his large and well equipped farm here at the Cape, for sale.

James R. Milburn has invested in a very fine French Canadian stallioni bred on one of the best stock farms in the province of Quebec. 17.—Fred Durost, Ernest Durost and Joseph McFee left on Saturday by the

Central railroad for Uncle Sam's do-

On Thursday night Wm. H. Gunter had a valuable new milds cow killed by another animal breaking loose and goring it to death.

Mr. Murphy of St. John passed through here last week, buying cattle Mr. and Mrs. James Stephens are both prostrated with sickness.

Whooping cough is still prevalent in this place, and nearly all the young

this place, and nearly all the young children are down with the disease.

COPYS. Queens Co., April 19.—Richard Hetherington of Chipman, who has purchased the Hazen Starkey estate at Jenkins, took possession yesterday.

E. G. Evans, superintendent of the Central railway, passed through Cody's Station today on his return from Chipman.

The residence of David Hughes, near Cole's Island, caught fire last week and would have been burned up tut for the promptitude of Geo, and Fred Elliott, who reside near, in giving the alarm and assisting in putting it out.

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A public hall is being erected at Chipman. At a meeting held a few days ago nerrly \$300 was subscribed towards the building fund. The hall will be 50 feet long, 26 feet wide and 19 feet high, and when finished will be one of the best in the county.

A cheese and butter factory is also about to be started at Chipman.

GRAND MANAN, April 19.—Blackbirds made their first appearance on the 10th inst. Some of the school children picked white violets a week ago.

The Burnham-Morrell lobster factory started in for the season's work on the 17th inst. Lobsters are reported more plentiful now and prices are good.

A petition has been in circulation for a light in Cheney's Passage. It was quite interally signed. This would be a great high to the navigation of those passages.

Your correspondent, with four other members of Southern Cross lodge, K. of P., of Eastport, on the 13th inst., and too much praise cannot be bestowed upon the members of that lodge and the Pythian Sisterhood in connection with it, for the generous and knightly treatment received by the visiting brethren at their hands. The working of the 1st, 2nd and 3cd ranks by Lubcc, Calais and Anchor lodges was beautifully done, and showed an intimate knowledge on

New York, and two grand officers of New Prunswick.

WOLFVILLE, N. S., April 19.—The Fixes Masons are represented at Wolfville by St. George's lodge, N. 20, A. F. A. M., the second oldest in the province, having held their charter for 107 years. On Friday evening they took possession of their new natin the McKenna block. It is large and beautifully fitted up, and has no equal, as a lodge room, outside of the city. The following officers were installed for the ensuing year: G. H. Wallace, W. M.; T. L. Harvey, S. W.; J. D. Chambers, J. W.; F. A. Dixon, secretary; J. W. Wallace, treasurer; F. M. Logan, S. D.; G. M. Burrell, J. D.; Rer, J. E. Donkin, chaplain; M. Pick, I. G.; S. Baker, S. S., F. M. Godirey, J. S., and G. Hunter, tyler. The ceremony was performed by J. W. Miller, D. D. G. M. or Scotta todge. During the evening refreshments were served by Dr. McKenna, proprietor of the hlock, and at the close of the regular work, speeches were made by Rev. Canon Brock, Kentville; J. W. Ligelow, W. H. Chase, Rev. J. E. Donkin, A. M. Hoate, Halifax; Ross Chipman, H. H. Cochran and others.

chers.

The Acadia Athenaeum Society has been fortunate in securing for next Monday evening Owen W. Smiley, the celeorated comic clocutionist, who delighted the people of the provinces several years ago. He is accompanied by Miss Hilda Davis, violinist, and Theresa Flancon, soprano.

CODY'S, Quients Co., April 18.—Mrs.

J. A. Mann of St. John has been spend-

ing a few days with her sister, Mrs. E. M. Armstrong of Thornetown, and returned to town today, accompanied

by her sister.

S. Proctor, blacksmith, who has been home all winter, returned to his work in New Hampshire today.

Coun. J. Leonard & Sons commenced the driving of their logs on the North East branch today. Elisha Perry of Thornetown is expected to go up to his brows at Canaan tomorrow to be-

gin the driving of his logs. Alfred Wert, merchant, etc., of Cole's Island, has added quite an addition to his store, which was necessary owing to an increase in his extensive busi-

MEMRAMOOOK. April 19.-The students of St. Joseph's college are enjoying a holiday today, the occasion being the visit of the Rev. Fr. Dion, C.S.C., provincial of the Holy Cross order in Canada. At 8.30 a. m. the faculty and students assembled in Lefevbre hall, formally to welcome the reverend visitor to their college home. Addresses on behalf of the students were read in French and English by Ant. LeBlanc of College Bridge and Michael Collins of St. John. The latter gentleman departed somewhat from the stereotyped style, which has grown so familiar to college audinces, and made an excellent impression upon both the provincial and his fellow students. Fr. Dion spoke in reply at some length, thanking the students for their many words of kind welcome, recalling the memory of Fr. Lefevbre, and proffering sage counsels to all. He also announced that he would give two special premiums to be competed for by the students, one for Greek and the other to be left to the discretion of the college authoritles. IThe orchestra enlivened the

reception with some choice selections

from their well stocked repertoire. The Rev. Fr. Regnault, assistant superior general of the Eudist order in France, visited the college last week. The exodus from this county to the United States has been very large this year. Last week a large number from Memranoook and College Bridge left Memramoook and College Bridge left MONOTON, N. B., April 23.—While to seek their fortunes in that country. Chief of Police Tingley was arresting FRERERICTON, N. B., April 21 .-The At Home given by a number of members and their wives in the par Thomas Donnelly, who secured a larg town yesterday.

HOPEWELL CAPE, Albert Co., liant and successful affair. Upwards April 17.—Capt. Albert Stilles will of 300 guests were present and were again command the sohoomer Victory.

Alden Peck of Hopewell will be his Mrs. Emmerson, Mrs. Tweedie, Mrs. first officer. Capt. Amos Joyce, who White, Mrs. Farris, Mrs. O'Brien, Mrs. Labillois and Mrs. Osman. At 10.30 dancing began in the large main hall, the old court room being reserved for that purpose. Offen's orchestra furnished music for dancing, while the 71st Battalion band, stationed in the gallery overlooking the assembly chamber, furnished a choice programme for promenading. A sumptuous supper was served in the library at midnight. After supper dancing was resumed and was kept up till an early hour in the morning.

ST. ANDREWS, April 20-Mrs. Russell Bradford has fitted up her house for the accommodation of summer visitors. The house is in a central and convenient location, and from the windows an unobstructed view of the harbor is bad, as well as of the neighboring coast of Maine. The fishery protection steam cruiser Curiew, looking as neat as a new pin, made her first appearance for the season in the harbor on Tuesday. The genial Capt. Pratt looking resplendent in the gold trimmed and buttoned

uniform, was heartily greeted by his numerous friends when he came ashore. The steamer sailed again vesterday for the fishery stations. Ladies of All Saints church held a coessful tea meeting in the Sunday school room last evening; object to

raise funds in aid of the parish lib-Rev. J. C. Berry is able to resume

the duties of his pastorate.

Percy, son of W. D. Forster, has secured a position in a Philadelphia wholesale house. Percy is a good boy, and given the opportunity, will make

R. J. Stuart of Brankfort, Ontario high court organizer of the Canadian Order of Foresters, is registered at Kennedy's. He is arranging to estab-lish a court of the order here, and is neeting with good encouragement.

Although the International Steamship Co. advertise that their steamers connect at Eastport with steamer for St. Andrews, so far this season they

WHITE'S COBE, Queens Co., April 19.—The remains of the late Francis McDeumott were interred in the Roman Catholic cemetery at the Den Settlement on Monday afternoon, and despite the down-pour of rain and bad travelling, a large concourse friends were present to pay the last tribute of respect to the departed. In the absence of the parish priest, Pat-rick Maloney of Washademoak read

the burial service. Miss Lucretta Kelly is prostrated with grip. She is attended by Dr. McDonald.—Mrs. John Mullin is in ill health.—Bernard Kelly is suffering from a severe cold.—Harry Wright is prostrated with whooping cough, and the family of Le Baron Hanselpacker are all down with the same disease. The infant son of John Kelly is suffering from la grippe.
Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Young are re-

inth of a son. McLaughlin and Kelly left yester day for Cold Branch, Kent Co., to

tream drive their lumber. George Parks, jr., of Cherry Hill has moved with his sister to the house on the Scovil farm at Meadowlands, recently vacated by James

On Monday while John Durost was taking a colt to water, the animal kicked him severely on the arm. The ice in Grand Lake is yet solio, and teams are still crossing. DALHOUSIE, N. B., April 22.-

Daniel Mercier while removing a small building today was caught be-tween it and another. Dr. Crocket, who was summoned, found his head and chest badly crushed, profuse bleeding from the nose, mouth and ears. Mercier is a married man with a family. He will not recover. SUSSEX, April 22.—The funeral of

Robert McCully, whose death has been previously mentioned in these columns, took place yesterday afternoon from his residence in Dutch valley to the Upper Corner burying ground, and was largely attended. Five sons of the deceased acted as pall-bearers, and the services were conducted by Rev. Mr. Hamilton, paster of the Methodist church, assisted by Rev. Mr. Hubly of the R. E. church. The death of Squire McCully is the first break in the entire family, to whom the sympathy of all

Margaret J., wife of Robert J. Mc-Farlane, miller, of Ward's creek, was buried in the Kirk Hill cemetery, whither the remains were followed by the largest funeral procession that has been seen in Sussex for some years. The deceased was in the 34th year of her age, and leaves a husband and one child to mourn their loss. Rev. Mr. Sutherland conducted the

funeral rites at the hom and grave.
Dr. McAllister has rented from J. M McIntyre the house and premise in connection with his present offices and which have been occupied by Messrs. McIntyre, Mitchell and Sherwood for about one year and a half. The doctor will take possession the

first of May. A valuable property, formerly owned by Thomas Ellison, deceased, and lately under mortgage from his widow, was purchased today at auc-tion by Seth Jones, proprietor of the Sussex Vale poultry yards for \$2,040.

It is understood that Mr. Jones will erect a targe poultry breeding estal lishment on the property, which lie about halfway between Apohaqui an Sussex station, on the line of the

William Duggan, recently arrest in St. John and lodged in Hampto jail under a warrant for an offen alleged to have been committed ! him about four years ago, was yeterday brought before William Fow er, J. P., for a preliminary examine tion. As no witnesses were presenthe justice adjourned the hearing for one week. in order to give the ort cipal witness, who was ill, an oppor tunity to be present. The prisone was released on bail. J. M. McIntyr will defend the accused.

William Donnelly yesterday afternoo for drunkenness, he was assaulted b smith shop and aimed at the chief' head. The blow was partly warded of but struck Tingley on the breast ove the heart, inflicting nasty injuries Both Donnellys were captured.

Last night while two residents o Humphrey's Mills were going hom they were set upon in a lonely part of the road. One of them ran, but the other stood his ground and was struck over the head with a club and left for dead. It is feared complications may set in that may result

Geo. Cole, I. C. R. employe, replacing carbons in an electric light on the roof of the verandah of the depot here Saturday evening, caught his foot in the ladder while attempting to descend and fell head first on the hard pavement, a distance of 12 or 14 feet, dislocating his shoulder and

received other injuries.
FREDERICTON, April 23.— The Fredericton Bicycle and Boating club will open for the summer on Monday, May 1st. At a meeting of the club held last evening, R. S. Barker and T. C. Allen were elected directors in place of W. Chestnut and F. W. Porter, resigned. It was decided to borrow \$400 on a bond of the directors to clear off an old indebtedness of the club. A considerable number of new applicants for membership have been received and a very successful year

is unticipated. At the county court chambers yes-terday morning, Judge Wilson gave judgment in the replevin case of John Macpherson v. Dudley, tried by him without jury this week. Judgement was for defendant, and directs the horse, the subject of dispute, to be delivered over by the sheriff to defendant. Plaintiff gave notice of appeal. C. E. Duffy for plaintiff; G. F.

Gregory, Q. C., for defendant.

J. W. Tabor of this city fell from a window on the second storey of his factory, yesterday. The fall rendered him unconscious for a few moments, and he was taken to his home suffering ocnsiderable pain. Otherwise he was uninjured.

The first storey window frames in the shoe fatcory were placed in posi-tion yesterday. The work on the building is going on rapidly.

INSANE INCENDIARY.

YUBA CITY, I. A., April 21.-Richard Willis, insane, confined in the court house, set fire to the building today and was himself burned to death. The jail adjoining was also death. The jail adjoining was also destroyed. There were no prisoners in the jail. The loss is \$40,000; insured.

GALLOWS' FRUIT.

SAN QUENTIN, Cala., April 21 .-George Cowens was hanged for mur-der here today. He confessed his crime on the gallows and died brave-

Read the "Semi-Weekly Sun."

THE MARKETS.

Revised Every Monday for the Weekly Sun.

ST. JOHN. MARKETS.

In the country market larger supplies have eased the egg market a little. In cured meats, hams from P E Island are offered a little lower than prices have been ruling here. Creamery butter from Montreal has lately been placed on the New Brunswick market at a lower than the prevailing rate. Fresh meats are steady. In poultry, turkeys are high and scarce. Maple sugar was a little scarce last week. Honey is lower, but has a wide range as to quality.

Ontario oats are higher than a week ago, also middlings and bran.

Case oranges are out of the market. Both Egyptian and Bermuda onions are now in stock. Bananas are selling fairly well.

The molassos and sugar markets are firm, the tea market very strong. Flour and meal are steady and quiet. also the provision market. ST. JOHN, MARKETS.

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Two Hundred Thousand Cigars With Bogus Stamps Seized.

CHICAGO, April 21.-Bogus stamps were discovered by local internal revenue officers today on several hundred boxes of cigars which they say came from factory No. 3,731, in the district of Pennsylvania, the proprietors of which have been arrested in the east. The counterfelt certificates were found only on boxes containing 50 cigars and were readily detected by the obscure stars in the letters of the rebels, cruised around the coast the war of Upolu, burning villages and carry telegraphed to the commissioner at ing off all the boats of the natives. Washington and instructions were recrived to seize all the contraband goods, which were at first only de-Over 200,000 cigars which came from the factory of the eastern counterfeiters have already been lo-

MILITARY MATTERS.

OTTAWA, April 21.-Third New Brunswick Regiment-To be captain, Lt. B. R. Armstrong, vice S. D. Crawford, appointed quartermaster, 4th April, 1899.

71st "York" Battalion of Infantry-Capt. J. D. Perkins having reached the age limit, 's retired under the provisions of paragraph 45, Part I., Regulations and Orders for the Militia, 1898, and permitted to retain the rank of captain on retirement, 24th March, 1899. To be captain: Lt. H. F. McLeod, vice J. D. Perkins, retired 24th March, 1899.

I. C. R. OPERATORS.

Conference with Supt. Price in Regard to the Proposed Schedule.

(Moncton Times, 21st.) A number of operators and members of the Order of Railway Telegraphers, from different sections of the I. C. R., were in the city yester-day to meet W. V. Powell, grand chief of the O. R. T., and talk over the schedule, relating to salary, etc. drawn up by the I. C. R. wire tappers some time ago, and which has received considerable attention the past year or so. A delegation, repre-senting the operators, headed by Chief Powell, had a conference with J. E. Price, general superintendent I. C. R. yesterday, and the schedule which the men have been endeavoring to have adopted by the management of the I. C. R., was talked over. It is understood that the main features of the schedule submitted by the operators were practically egreed upon yester-day, and the men have hopes that some of the objectionable stipulations to the management will be eventually accepted. The management have, it is understood, offered the operators the same terms as are in exstence on thte Grand Trunk, but as there are some clauses having special reference to dismissals and scale of wages in accordance with the length of time in the service, which are essential points in the interest of the men, the adoption of the schedule almost in its entirety is being urged by the O. R. T. Another meeting of the O. R. T. was held last night.

WILL BE ENORMOUS.

BUFFALO, N. Y., April 21.-There is a project on foot to erect a \$15,000,-000 steel plant here.

IRISH POET DEAD.

LONDON, April 21.-Michael Hogan, the Irish poet, who visited the United States about 1680, is dead.

SAMOA.

British Cruiser Porpoise is Crippling the Rebels.

Michael Davitt Asserts that All the Trouble Is Due to English Intrigues and the London Missionary Society.

LONDON, April 21.-According to a letter received here today from a British maval officer at Apia, dated March 18, the British cruiser Porpoise Captain Sturdee, in order to cripple the rebels, cruised around the coast

These the Porpoise brought to Apria As their boats are regarded by the Samoan islanders as their most valuable possessions it was believed that this plan would really inflict greater hardship upon them than the destruction of their villages.

BERLIN, April 21.-Herr Wilhelm Liebknecht, the socialist leader, has received a letter from Michael Davitt, wationalist member of the British parliament for South Mayo, in which the writer says he is able to confirm from his own knowledge the charges recently brought in London Truth against the London Missionary society by Lloyl Osborne, stepson of the late Robert Louis Stevenson, who characterized the society's antago-nism to Matsafa, a Roman Catholic, as the "whole cause of the quarrel

in Samoa. Mr. Davitt describes Chief Justice Chambers as "nominally an American but in reality an Englishman who is anxious to promote an Anglo-American alliance." He expressed hatred of England and warns the Germans "against making the American nation answerable for the blameworthy attitude of one or two per-

"All the trouble," says Mr. Davitt, "is due to English intrigues. You may rely upon the United States setthing matters honorably and fairly as soon as they know the real origin of the rlots."

CHINESE IGNORANCE.

Bitter Hostility Being Shown Towards Foreigners-Their Latest Approved Weapon.

PEKIN, April 23.—The reactionary attitude of the Chinese government toward foreigners is creating for them an intolerable situation which cannot be prolonged. Promises made by the Tsung Li Yamen are of no value unless approved by the grand council a majority of whose members are bitterly hostile to foreigners and foreign in-fluences. Unless some change takes place soon, it is believed the powers will remonstrate directly to the Em-

rress Dowager. As an illustration of the ignorance of the grand council, what body has just given its enthusiastic approval to a new invention by the general comnuanding the troops in the province of Pe Chi Li, Gan Kangau, a sharp, shovel shaped implement, capable of decapitating an enemy at a single

. There seems little likelihood that Li Hung Chang will return to power.

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ST. GEORGE'S DAY.

Special Service at Trinity Church on Sunday Afternoon,

Attended By St. George's Society, With Marborough Lodge, Sons of England as Its Guests.

Sermon By the Society's Chaplain, the Right Rev. Bishop Kingdon - At Home and Smoker-Annual Dinner Tonight at Hotel

The Anniversary service of the St. Georges society was held Sunday afternoon in Trinity church and was largely attended. The day was fine and the members of the society, accompanied by Marlborough lodge, Sons of England, marched from the rooms of the society to the church. The banners of both societies were in the trocession. The president of the St. Andrew's society. Judge Forbes. walked with President Jarvis of the

St. George's society.

The church was througed with people, and the service was an impressive one. The singing by the choir of the church was far above the average. The service was intoned by Rev. J. M. Davenport. The lessons were taken by Rev. Messrs. Mathers and Dickerson of Hampton. The anthem, Awake Up My Glory, etc., was admirably sung.

The sermon was preached by the chaplain of the society, the Right Rev. the Lord Bishop of Fredericton, and Bishop Kingdon took for his text the words: "Honor thy father and thy mother," and spoke as fol-

Our Blessed Lord in the context is showing how the Rabbis of His day perverted a clear commannd by a vague gloss. The Scribes and Pharisees had approached, eager to find some fault, and they fastened upon a breach of an unwritten law. They blamed the disciples for not keeping the traditions of the elders. The Lord at once answers by showing how dangerous it is to regard human laws, which are really indifferent in their character, as commandment binding the conscience. To illustrate this. He adduced one instance which would be most obvious to the understanding. The first commandment of the second table of the law, enforcing the duty. of children towards their parents was one the necessity of which was re-cognized by the heathen. It was, therefore a commandment from which a deviation would be more easily which the casuistry of the Pharisess evaded, and that in more ways than one. They said the law must give when it could supersede so plain a law of divine and moral sanction? In two ways they said the law was not

cass the so-called higher law was one of their own invention. First they said that when the interest of a teacher clashed with that of a parent, the teacher was to be preferred. But the teacher was to one who had not only taught the Scriptures, but also the oral law, or the traditions of the elders. They said that if a man had the means of releasing one from slavery, and one only, he was bound to release his rabbi teacher and leave his father to

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This is the meaning of the 'er or If a man shall say to his fath mother, It is Corban, by whatse thou mightest be profited by me, shall be free, and ye suffer him L more to do ought for his father or his mother. The words Corban denoted a sacred gift or offering, and was commonly used in the Old Testament for a sacrifice. It a man therefore said to his parents, whether deliberately or not, whether in a rage or "Let your maintenance at my hand be Corban," he was absolutely precluded by Pharisaic casuistry from supporting his parents, though he did not offer any part of his debt in the temple. Of such an oral law our Blessed Saviour said with deepest frony, Full well ye reject the com-

mand next of God by your tradition. This 11th commandment then is distinctly and manifestly emphasized by our Blessed Lord as we should expect; and this commandment is the very basis and foundation of loyalty. We do not elect or choose our parents. They are appointed to us God, and God commands that we honor them. It is not said, honor them because you owe them a debt; because they have done so much for you; because they have been kind and effectionate to you; but simply because they are your parents. They may be indeed the reverse of kind and loving, yet by God's command they are to be honored. By the appointment of God they are our superiors, and whatever their moral excellence or their moral deficiency, they are to be honored. And this may receive wider application. For as a family is a kingdom in miniature, so a kingdom is a family extended; and God appoints rulers for us, as He provides parents for us. Even in the repub- the scheme.

lics it is only a majority that elects, and the minority may be very large; and if the duty of obedience rested merely upon choice, the minority would be justified in active opposition, if it had force enough to resist. But the duty of obedience does not rest on our choice; our duty it is to obey those who are by circumstances placed over us. The true Christian will say,

There is no power but of God; the powers that be are ordained of God.
Happy is the family in which a wise and pious parent is honored and loved by dutiful children; worldly blessing as well as spiritual is promised, and ordinarily will rest upon it. Happy is that nation in which the subjects can look up to the sovereign as to a parent, while a patriotic ruler is laboring for a people's good with all a parent's love. Happy are we, living is we do as citizens of a kingdom while our liberties are secured, our allegiance is due not merely to an abstraction, not merely to a system of laws, not merely to a constitution, but to this and also to a royal person.

This enables us to feel a high, elevating and ennobling, because selfforgetting enthusiasm. This stirs within us that joyous sentiment of oyalty which makes the pulse beat guick and the spirits rise when our national anthem is uttered by thou-sands, who, however much they may differ in political views, yet are one in their devotion to the w their country, one in honoring her who has been placed by Providence at the head of one country now for sixty-two vears.

happy are we members of St. George's society. Lovalty is our watchword Fides patriae salis—loyalty is the safety of our country. It is our motto. It is on our badge. It is on our lips, and I believe it's no lip-service only-it is on our hearts. We all say we are nothing if we are not loyal. We don't allow petty, selfish, casuistry to make us swerve aside from the one chief loyalty on earth. That would be condemned by the deep frony of our blessed Lord: Fall well ye reject the commandments of Godteaching for doctrines the command-

ments of men This surely is, and should be, trainng us for a still higher loyalty hereafter. We are in training for loyalty to the King of Kings, to whose service we were pledged in one baptism, and certainly part of our training is the true and hearty and real discharge of the duties of loyalty to one earthly sovereign.

Here then, as evenywhere, we follow the analogy of nature; and a law of nature it is, that beginning at a scarcely discernible point our faculties expand gradually. We begin with childish things, which we throw aside at man's estate. Principles, ents, affections begin here, and all are eventually to rest upon God Himself. Towards this perfection we advance, as ever, gradually. From

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About 10 o'clock this morning' we hard all our thoughts to be About 10 o'clock this morning' we ing of loyalty every affection will be absorbed. As from simple colored rays all compound colored rays and formed, and all colored rays combined make one white light, so at the last will all our principles and all our affections be combined in the one yearning of loyalty and love to the great King over all the earth the Godman, who as in this Easter-tide over-came all enemies for our sakes, in whose strength we may overcome, and reign with Him according to His promise. Him that overcometh will I give to sit with Me upon My throne, even as I overcame and am set down with my Father upon His throne.

The sermon over, the choir and 68 feet long and 19 feet beam. congregation sang the national anthem. The collection taken up was in aid of the charitable fund of the society.

Saturday afternoon a reception was held at the residence of Mr. Jarvis, the president of the society. Miss Jarvis was assisted by Mrs. Kingdon, Mrs. R. W. W. Frink, Mrs. Dr. Addy in the reception of the guests. Re-

freshments were served. In the evening an informal smoker was held in the society's rooms. There was a large gathering, and several hours were pleasantly spent. There Armstrong, Dr. Thos. Walker, Dr. recitation by Wm. Robson. During B. Foster of the same city. we evening C. E. Macmichael, who

VSUMPTION CURED. An old phy the had placed in missionery the table remedy for cure of Consumption Assistant and a serious and a ser

THE VICTORIAN ORDER.

committee having in hand the matters connected with the Victorian Order of Nurses at the residence of Mrs. G. F. Smith. Saturday evening. All the G. F. Smith. Saturday evening. All the committee were present except Geo. Robertson, M. P. P., including Mrs. Robt. Thomson, Mrs. J. V. Ellis, Mrs. Dever. Mrs. D. McLellaa, Mrs. Geo. F. Smith, Mrs. Palmer, Judge Forbes, Judge Ritchie, W. F. Hattheway, T. H. Bullock and Dr. Walker. Over \$800 has already been subscribed towards providing the nurses, and the committee aim to raise \$400 more. It was arranged to hold a public meeting on Momday, May 8th, to further promote the scheme.

CLEVELAND, April II.—Tom L. Nahnson, the widely known street car magnets, in an interview here, is quoted as saying: "Flie time is going to come when the reofle with ride free upon the street cars run and operated by the minicipality, the same as they now set heir lefters delivered to them by the rotal system."

"Minicipal control is as easily handled as governmental control. Politics would not be able to cut any figure. In every separate organization, where the secrents of the committee to examination by public sentiment, where free access to the inner workings is made necessary, no concuption is found. "It is only in the hidden byways that pollitical machinery can be 10 to 10.

FIND WATERY GRAVES

Eleven Men Were Lost With the Schooner Eliza.

Particulars of the Wreck of a Beverly Vessel on Rose and Crown Shoal.

NANTUCKET, April 18.-At 1: 0'cleck this morning the fishing schooner Eliza of Beverly, Capt. Hopkins, which sailed from Hyannis yesterday for the fishing grounds, struck on Rose and Crown shoal, and 11 of the crew of 14 men were lost.

The men lost were: Capt, Martin Hopkins, Seth Hopkins, the captain's brother; Emmerson Hopkins, the captain's brother; Oscar Hopkins, the captain's cousin; Lorenzo Smith, the cook; Herbert Smith, John Smith, brother of Herbert: Kinsman Smith. Moses Bethel, James Mathewson, John Mathewson, brother of James. The names of the survivors are: Gilbert Doane, Belver Nickerson and

George Miller. only member of the crew, beside Capt. Hopkins and his relatives, who lived in Beverly. The others of the crew came from Nova Scotia

Doane, one of the survivors, said to Herald reporter this afternoon: Fortunately the 17-foot dory, our nly boat, was on the weather side. only boat, was on the weather and was hoisted up by the topping lift against the fore poom, and secured. but that soon went, and we cut the stern clear. She swung free and two of us got in, while the rest went into the fore rigging. We urged the captain and men to join us, but they said our dory could not live in those awful breakers on the Rip, and preferred to take chances on the vessel, believing that in the morning we would be seen and rescued.

The third man finally joined us, and we continued to urge the others, but without avail. Our dory was stove in, but we kept at it with two buckets, while one man kept at the oars. could hear the vessel creek and crash and knew she must be going to pieces

fast. We hurg around as best we could, but when daylight broke there was no trace of her, and we were satisfied that our 11 ship nates had found watery graves.

Our thoughts were then for our own safety. We were favored with fine weather, and it was fine when we struck, but how it occurred we can't tell, as all three of us were below at

the time. We headed for Sankaty, and when we went through the Rip on Rose and advance, as ever, gradually. From Crown we held our breath; we just dutiful honor of a sovereign on earth were hurled through—that's all I can we must rise to a sanctified loyalty tell—and came out safely. All the toward Him who reigneth for ever while the buckets were flying, keeping

loyal to our King in heaven. Then were seen by dory fishermen off Sias-shall we not be disturbed by wars conset and they put off to our aid, and rumors of wars; for these will reone. They said the law must give way to a higher law whenever one came into collision with it. But of what kind could any higher laws be, triumph and glory. In this one feel-plied by the good people there, who provided a team and drove us to Hantucket, where the authorities have done everything for our comfort. Doane, who appears to be a very intelligent man, was a brother-in-law of

> the captain, and is very much broken down over the affair, Last night was beautifully clear. with just a good breeze, and how the vessel came to run on the shoal will probably never be known, as Kinsman Smith and Oscar Hopkins, who were on watch, are among the lost.
> The three survivors will leave for Boston tomorrow morning. The schooner Eliza was built a

The news of the loss of the schooner Eliza reached Beverly early yesterday afternoon, and was conveyed the widow of Capt. Hopking by friends. She was prostrated by the sudden shock. She has three children, the elidest about 12, and the others, twins,

Salem in 1877, and was of 47 tons gross,

about six or eight. Capt. Hopkins had been very prosperous in his fishing voyages, and had laid aside quite a comfortable sum. He and his wife were about to begin building a house, and intended to have their own home before next winter. were addresses by the president, the The captain was about forty years of first vicepresident Dr. Addy, Lt. Col. age and well known in Beverly, The captain was about forty years of where he had many friends. He own-Daniel, Sheriff Sturdee, Hon. T. R. ed three-fourths of the Elliza, and she Jones, Capt. Beck, U. S. Consul had been having very good tuck of Myers and others. Songs were given late. One share was owned by Fred by Dr. Daniel, Alfred Porter and a Haskell of Beverly and one by George

badge.

C. E. Macmichael, who past winter and did not make institution of the served as treasurer for many spring trip until about three weeks ago. He was a member of the Jubilee Yacht club of Beverly.

HYMN WRITER DEAD.

John R. Swiesney the dayrs writer and musical director, died Mountry at his home in Checler, Pa, at the age of 61. He wrote 'Feulah Land' "Claivary." Mer's 'Peulah Land' "Claivary." Mer's 'About Jesne. Showers of Bleesings, "Little Ones Like Me," and hundreds of other hynns. He edited over a score of constant books. The royalties from his copyrights were large. Yrof. Sweeney was much in demand as a feater of the singing at religious essent ies and he was a familiar figure at Owan Orsive, R. und Lake, and the Thousand Islands. During the civil war ne ted the Third Delawar. Regiment band. For many years he was a professor of music at the Pennsylvania Min tary College at Obester.

FREE RIDES FOR THE PEOPLE. Thomas L. Johnson of Clevels of Talks of

CLEVELAND, April 11. Tom L. Johnson.

SATURDAY'S FIRE.

Dry Room in Connection with Haley Bros'. Factory Destroyed Along with a large Lot of Stock.

Saturday afternoon at about half-

past four Jos. Johnson, an employe of

Haley Bros., discovered smoke issuing

from the drying house in connection

steamers responded in quick time, and arrived almost simultaneously on the scene. Number one took up a post- of tion on Charlette street, while number two was posted on Brittain street Dense clouds of smoke, with occaevery appearance of materializing into a masty conflagration. It had evidently made its first appearupon that side of the building there were no windows or openings by which the firemen could get at the flames. Men, however, were quickly sent upon the roof of the building and also upon the roof of the adjoinirg building, a barn belonging to Peter McDermott. They quickly made an opening at both the top and the side, and through these streams of waiter were poured. Upon the other side of the building the work was not apparently so difficult, yet it was evident that even there the work of the firemen was well cut out for them. Three streams of water from number engine were thrown on the flames. and the steam, combined with the heat of the building, made, work in the room aimost unbearable. After about three-quarters of an hour of hard effort the fire was under control although the flame still burned fiercely in different parts of the building. About six o'clock the fire was dechared out; and the water was shut

The building was badly damaged. and will have to be rebuilt from the second stary up. Fortunately there vas no wind during the fire, or it would have been found almost impossible to have kept the adjoining buildings from the flames. Between the factory and the drying house, in which was stored all last year's lumber, a substantial brick wall is built. which no doubt materially alded in keeping the flames from spreak into the main building. There is some doubt as to how and where the fire started, but the generally accepted opinion is that a spark from one of the nearby dwellings fell in between the drying room and Mr. McDermott's barm, and lighted under the sill among some tinder. It is evident, how tinder. It is evident, however, burning long before it was discovere by Mr. Johnston. The barn was not badly damaged at all, and what there was is fully covered by insurance. The damage done in the drying room was quite extensive, not only to the least temporarily by water and fire. Below the second stery no damage floor. The damage amount to about \$2,000, not taking tenances to the same belonging or in into account the loss in time which any manner appertaining.

will be sustained by the firm, which: The above sale will be made under fourth time.

lowing companies: Commercial Union, \$2,000; Norwich Union, \$2,000; Union, \$2,000, British American \$1,000, Phoenix of Harbford, \$1,000. About \$1,500 will be obtained upon the portion destroyed, which will be paid by

AT GARIBALDI'S TOMB. The Famous Patriot's Daughter Pleads for

these companies pro rata.

Clemency for Political Prisoners.

CAPRERA, Island of Sardinia, April 23.—King Humbert and Queen. Margherita, who left the Bay of Aranci this afternoon on board the royal yacht Savoia, the squadrons saluting,

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Distinguished et ur Superior Delicacy of Flav. tive Proquality. and Nut. grateful perties. Specially to nerand comforting to 1. Sold vous and dyspeptie. siled only in 1-4 b tins, lab. d., JAMFS EPPS & CO. La. Hemæspathic Chemists, Loi. don, England.

BREAKFAST.

To John 2. Grear of the Parish of

Simonds, in the City and County of Saint John, in the Province of New Brunswick, Farmer, and Catherine L, his wife, and Ann Vance of the Parish of Kingston, in the County of Kings, in the said Province, Female Earmer, and all others whom it may

old at Public Auction at Chubb's with their woodworking factory on Corner (so called), in the City of Saint Broad street. He at once sent in an John, in the Province of New Brunselarm from bex 45, and Nos. 1 and 2 wick, on SATURDAY, the THIR-TEENTH day of May next at twelve e'clock noon, ALL that certain lot, piece or parcel

of land situate, lying and being in the Parish of Simonds, in the City and County of Saint John, known and de scribed as follows, that is to say: Beginning at a marked birch tree on sional outbursts of flame, were issu- "the side of the road leading from ing from the building. The fire had "Little River towards Black River, "which said tree is in the eastern line of lot number three, in the class or range of lots heretofore laid out by the Honorable Ward Chipman, on arice in the northwest corner, and "the southern side of the road heretofore opened and laid out by the said Ward Chipman, leading from the mouth of the Little River to Loch Lomond, thence from said tree by the magnet in 1820 south thirteen by the magmet in 1820 south thirteen degrees and thirty minutes east on the said line of lot number three, thirty-five chains sixty links to the marked birch tree at the southeast erly corner of said lot number three, thence north seventy-six degrees thirty minutes east on the rear line of low number for the southeast. of lot number four in the same class or range of lots ten chains to the western line of lot number five in "the same class, thence north thirteen two chains sixty links, to the Black "River Road, and thence along, the said road westerly twenty-seven chains to the place of beginning." Also all that certain other lot, piece or parcel of land situate in the said Parish of Simonds, comprising the remainder of the farm known as Park View, and bounded and described as follows: "Beginning at a small fir tree, marked, standing on the north-erly edge of the Black River read, in the westerly side line of a lot of land formerly owned by Matthew Graham, thence by the magnet needle north ten degrees thirty minutes west eight chains fifty links, or to a stake set in the south erly edge of a by-road leading from said road to George Matthews, the along the same north seventy-three degrees east ten chains fifty links, or to meet the easterny said Graham's lot run by Deputy said Graham's lot run by Deputy O'Kelliher, in one thousand eight hundred and thirty-four, thence along the same ten degrees east twenty-two chains, or to meet the continuesterly edge of said Black River Road, thence along the same north fifty-one degrees west sixteen chains twenty-five links, or to the place of beginning," said two pieces of land comprising the farm known as Park View, owned by the late Thomas Panks, being the premises conveyed to the said John. R. Grear by the heirs. building but to the stock, consisting of the late Thomas Parks, by deed mainly of white wood and birch, all dated Ninth September, A. D. 1890, reof which was of course spoiled, at corded in the Records of Saint John least temporarily by water and fire. City and County, in Libro. 37, folies Below the second story no damage 44, 45 and 46, and by said John R. was done by fire, but there was at Greer and wife conveyed to said Ann least three feet of water on the ground Vance, together with the buildings and will improvements thereon and the appur-

now has been visited by fire for the and by virtue of a Power of Sale contained in a certain Indenture of Mort-The factory is insured in the fol- gage dated the Sixteenth day of March, A. D. 1896, made between the said John R. Grear and Catherine J. Grear, his wife, of the first part, and the undersigned, Annie Freeze, wife of the undersigned George A. Freeze, of the other part, for securing the payment of certain monies therein mentioned, and registered in the Registry Office for the City and County of Saint John, in Libro, 57, folio 443 to 446, default having been made in payment of a portion of the monies secured by said Mortgage.

Dated this Eleventh day of April,

A. D. 1899. ANNIE FREEZE,

GEORGE A. FREEZE, R. ARMSTRONG, Solicitor to Mortgagee.

yacht Savoia, the squadrons saluting, arrived here after a comfortable trip and left for Rome this evening.

While in the Caprera, their majesties visited the tomb and monument of Gariboldi and the room in which he died. They remained in the apartment a long time, inspecting souvenirs and conversing cordially with Signor Menotti Garibaldi, the son of the famous patriot, and with other members of the family.

SHERIFT'S SALE.—There will be seen at Public Auetken on SATURDAY, the third day of June next, at fifteen minness past twelve o'chock, in the city of Saint John, in the Province of New Brunswick, all the cettal, right, title and interest of William Country and Country of Saint John, in the City of Saint John, in the City of Saint John, in the City of Saint John, in the Province of New Brunswick, all the cettal, right, title and interest of land, situate in the Parish of Simones (formerly a part of the Parish of Portland), the country of Saint John, in the City of Saint John, in the City

Signor Menotti Garibaldi, the son of the famous patriot, and with other members of the family.

It is said Signora Canzio, Garibaldi's daughter, addressed to the king before her father's tomb an appeal in his name for elemency to political prisoners.

According to the reports, King Humbert replied: "My heart is not opposed to elemency and I shall not fail to seize the first favorable opportunity of acceding to your request."

The question has often been asked—has it ever been answered Hes anybody found out ye; what becomes of all the plus."

"Mary, I saw the baker kies you today, I sthink I shell go, down and take the bread in future." "Twendhi't kins you cos he promised he'd asver kias an body else but me.

Children Cry for CASTORIA.

CASTORIA.

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OTTAWA.

United States Cannot Prohibit Importation of Canadian Lumber.

OTTAWA, April 23.—Advices from Washington state that the attorney general of the United States has given it as his opinion that under the present law the government has neauthority to prohibit the importation of Camadian lumber, and that it will e necessary to obtain legislation in ter to bring about this prohibton. NOTICE OF SALE

To Dennis Lawlor, of the City of Saint John, in the Province of New Bruns-wick, Cartman, and Elizabeth, his wife, and to all others whom it may

TAKE NOTICE that there will be sold at Public Auction, at Chubb's Corner (so called), in the City of Saint John, aforesaid, on Saturday, the Pwenty-ninth day of April, next, at Twelve O'clock noon.

ALL that certain lot, piece and par-

cel of land situate, lying and being in Duke's Ward, in the said City of Saint John, and bounded and describ-ed as follows, that is to say:-Commencing on the western side of Charlotte Street at a point distant seventyfive feet (measured along the said western side of Charlotte Street) from the intersection of the said western side line of Charlotte Street with the northern side line of Saint James' Street, thence running northwardly along the said western line of Charlotte Street twenty-five feet, thence running back westwardly on a line parallel with the northern side line of Saint James' Street staty feet, thence at right angles southerly, and parallel to the said western side line of Charlotte Street, twenty-five feet; and thence eastwardly parallel to the northern side line of Saint James' Street sixty feet to the place of beginning, making a lot of twenty-five feet front on Charlotte Street and extending back westwardly, preserving the same width, sixty feet, together with a width, sixty feet, logether with a right of war along and over a certain alley or passage way of eight feet in width leading from Charlotte Street, aforesaid, and lying along and immediately adjoining the northerly side of the lot hereby conveyed as is reserved and will appear in and by a ertain Deed from said Dennis Law lor to one John Collins, duly recorded in the Office of the Registrar of Deeds in and for the City and County of Saint John in Libro. XXXIII. of Records, pages 75 and 76, together with all and singular, the buildings, fences and improvements thereon, and rights and appurtenances to the said lands and premises belonging or in any wise appertaining.

The above sale will be made under and by wirtue of a Power of Sale con-tained in a certain Indenture of Mort-gage dated the tweaty-ninth day of August, A. D. 1892, made between the said Dennis Lawlor and Elizabeth his wife, of the first part, and me, the understaned, George Armstrong, of the second part, for securing the payment of certain monies therein mentioned, and registered in the Registry Office for the City and County of Saint John, in Libro. 44, folio 456; to 459, de-fault having been made in payment of the monics secured by said Mortgage. Dated this Twenty-first day March, A. D. 1899.

GEO. ARMSTRONG. J. R. ARMSTRONG. Soliciton

TAKE NUTICE that there will be sold at Phille Austion at Chipbb's Corner (as called) in the City of Saint John, in the Province of New Brurawick, on SATURDAY, the TWENTIET! day of May next, at twelve o'clock naon.

ALL that certain lot or piece of land stitute, 'lying and being on Long Island, in the Kennebeccasis River, in the said County of Kings, known and disting ished as the back or rear half of lats rumber twenty-two and twenty-three (2) and 23), and containing fifty acres more or leas, being the tract of land diverse three of the containing fifty acres more or leas, being the tract of land dynamics of the said Ann Vance by deed dated twentieth day of August, 4 D. 1836, registered in the Roccogs of Kings County, in Book N, No. 4, pages 36 to 385.

ALSO all that certain lot, piece or parcel of land 'king and being son Long Island, in the Kennebec-asis River, and on the south side of said river, 'lying between the said river (and the mann road, containing 'me acre, being a part of the tot formerly granted by Puter Lynch to one Austin Hornbrook and addomin's the lands of one Frank Gallagher; the said last inentioned lot having been conveyed by the said Elizabeth Hornbrook in the Records of Kings County, in Book N, No. 4, pages Mil and 51.

ALSO all that certain lot situate in Kings County aforesaid, described in the deat third day of February A D, 1837, registered in the Records of Kings County, in Book N, No. 4, pages Mil and 51.

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A LITTLE TOO PREVIOUS.

Chairman (at concert)—Ladies and gentlemen, Miss Discordant will now sing "Only Once More."

Sarcastic critic—Thank heaven for that: Chairman (coming forward again)—Ladies and gentlemen, instead of singing "Only Once More," Miss Discordant will sing "Forever and Ever."

Collapse of S. C.—Answers.