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RUSSIAN FORCES ON YALU NOT STRONG ENOUGH FOR JAPS.

May--Kuropatkin Will Walt Till He Can Strike a Crushing Blow at the Enemy.

timed so as to apply to a superiority of numbers on land and sea simultaneously

The army is designed to attain the enormous total of half a million at the time scheduled for the reinforcement of Vice-

Admiral Makaroff's fleet with the Balti

drafting, are expected to reach Manchuri by the middle of June. The mobilization

f four other corps are announced by th

The news of the signing of the Anglo

French colonial treaty was cordially received here. In responsible official circles the understanding between the alies of the tree hallies are tree.

the two belligerants is regarded as the

when the war is over and if Ruccia is vic

orious, as an assurance that Great prit

ain will not try to prevent her from rearing the fruits of her trumph.

The Korean government has not com-plied with Japan's reported demand for

the recall of the Korean minister at St

ions with the Russian foreign office. In

Japan is insisting on my recall. The Jap

anese could not make such a demand with

ut violating the Anglo-Japanese treat

Yalu river.

General Rennenkampffs Cossack divi

ten days ago.
Vladivostock is held by 13,000 riflemer

Rear Admiral Rosjestenski will hoist his

ag as commander of the Baltic squadron

in July and will sail imme

the equadron to coal at sea.

Peter-burg, who continues in official rela

an interview with the correspondent of The Associated Press the minister said:

middle of next month and will start east

Anglo-French Treaty Well Received.

end of August.

The 17th and 10th army corps,

1840 a year adon, April 12—A correspondent of good relia climes at Seoul, cabling under date of date of climes at Seoul, cabling under date of large and 17, says:—

The plans are being worked out an aprience of the campaign.

is believed that the Russians north once for is believed that the runs numerous London, O 3 Yalu are not sufficiently numerous stand the Japanese advance for any between hevond the river." rable distance beyond the river." rding to the correspondent of the at Newchwang, who cables from ader date of April 8, the heavy

re flooded the railways and block-nads throughout southern Man-The field telegraphs have been Pigs of che. consider that Japan has lost the at time of d of occupying Newchwang, where central Han conservations as the control of the consider that Japan has lost the consider that Japan has lost the control of occupying Newchwang, where at time of d of occupying Newtrans.

Central Han ences are now amply sufficient to

FOR SALI attacks.

Tien Tsin correspondent of the the 11th d ard says that Russia has again program of the against the presence of Chinese ton, situated county; land buildings of the Manchurian frontier and has buildings of the cort Well. ran pait of the Great Wall.

ans Will Have 460,000 Men in Field

aris, April 12-The Echo De Paris this ning publishes the following despatch n its St. Petersburg correspondent:— The first, second, third and fourth army os have taken up positions in Manria and the fifth army corps is in west-Siberia, advancing toward designated in have not the slightest intimation from Seoul confirming the reports that th aimy corps, the Cossacks actually he Far East and the Caucasian cavalry being mobilized will bring the total ber of men in the army at the seat ar up to 460,800 by the end of May. neral Kuropatkin intends to have the

asian mountaineers operate in Corea, h they will enter when it is considthat the decisive moment has arrived rive out the Japanese, which will not

efore August. Petersburg Budget.

Petersburg, April 11—Exceptionally ble information regard ng the Russian these plans will not mature until lat he summer. They are of far greater nitude than is generally beneved ad and take into account all possible

ingencies. eneral Kuropatkin remembering the rience of Russia during her war with tey, when the Russian army of 39,000 ad in the field at the beginning had e more than doubled, had insisted that

IND MILITARY AUTHORITY

prado Judge Orders Arrest of U.

S. General.

18H BETWEEN CIVIL

BUDGET SPEECH BY ATTORNEY GENERAL

zar's Army at the Seat of War Will Be 460,000 at End of Premier Tweedie Too III to Attend DRUNKEN ITALIAN to That Duty.

> Estimated Surplus of \$21,000 for Ensuing Year--It is Expected That Crown Land Receipts Will Be \$75,000 Greater Than Previous Year-Large Revenue Expected from Coal Royalties -- Masterly Review of Province's Financial Condition.

> ture tonight Hon. Dr. Pugeley laid before federation the dominion governmen the house the estimates for the current the house go into committee of supply.
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> Hon. Mr. Pugsley said, in moving that you now leave the chair I would not be doing justice to my own technigs in the premier had been in evented by illness from being in his place to present the budget to the house as he has done for many years. He possesses so intimate a knowledge of the nances of the province and is able to exhibit them in so clear a manner that I feel my presentation of the matter must

In order that there might be no delay he has asked me to take his place, and in entering on the discharge of this duty. I am happy to say that the province of New Republication and approximately New Brunswick is now enjoying an era of prosperity unexampled in its history. Agriculture, which is our greatest industry, has made wonderful progress, but I shall have occasion later on to call attentions. piedging Korean independence."
General Kuropatkin is proceeding on an inspection tour of the outposts along the tion to what has been accomplished i

that direction and I am sure that the figures will prove most gratifying.

It is not many years since the government began and advanced its agricultural sion, numbering 10,000 men, has arrived on the upper Yalu. The fourth army corps reached Harbin olicy at a time when New Brunswick, instead of being an exporter of cheese, was importing that article and was hardly able to supply itself with butter. Now this province is an exporter of both, and our

Kings County Produced Half the Cheese.

six cruisers, and two cruisers, each carry ing 1,000 tons of coal. The Temperle conveyors, ordered in the United States are expected soon and they will enable The county which I represent, although not more fertile than other portions of the province, produced last year about one-half of the total of cheese and other dairy products made in the factory. In this way a great deal of money has been dis-The last possible difficulty regarding th passage of the Suez canal disappeared las week with the signing of the Angle way a great deal of money has been dis-tributed throughout the country and in-creased prosperity has followed it. I need hardly say that on the prosperity of our farmers largely depends the prosperity of the province. It has been well said that French colonial treaty, by which Gree Britain adheres to the convention of 188 agriculture is the true source of a country's wealth. I am happy to be able to

say that not only have we succeeded in producing butter and cheese for export, but that this business is likely to largely

increase.

At present our products go to the European markets through Montreal, but I look with confidence to the time when steamers leaving St. John will be equipped with cold storage both in summer and

Increased Reverues.

I will now call your attention for ort time to the receipts of revenue fo short time to the receipts of revenue for 1903 as compared with the estimate, and the estimate of expenditure as prepared with the actual expenditure.

The territorial revenue realized altogether \$210,089, the estimate being \$200,000. This was the largest amount of territorial revenue realized in the history of the province. There was an increase the receipts from timber land and also from game licenses, showing that our province is becoming more popular every year as a resort for sportsmen.

There was an increase in the fees of the provincial secrestary's office over the establishment.

ould receive from the dominion govern

ment for wharves, but the amount actu-

ally received was \$5,604 less than tha

Claim Against the Dominion Government.

Some few years ago the dominion government recognized the principle that the

night fairly contribute one-half of the ost of building wharves on the river St

get one-half, but at the end of the fiscal year only \$3,000 had been paid. After the

icans at a good rental. In this way the

of years of the rent from its own pro-erty and we claim this amount and we continue to claim it until it is paid. T

matter is not yet settled because the ma

chinery at Ottawa is very big and slow. But we have got this far that I suc-

There is

mate and also in taxes on incorporated The succession duties did not realize so nuch by about \$7,000, as was estimated. Mr. Hazen—Surely you do not regret ters and two sons. Funeral was held on Hon. Mr. Pugsley-When our peopl

Roger Flanagan, who has been running have come to the time when they muss shuffle of this mortal coil it is eminently to be desired that they should leave as large an estate as possible.

We estimated \$8,604 as the amount we

Dissolved After the Session and An Appeal be Made to the People.

we claimed from the dominion governmen for fishing leases. This sum has not been received. The claim erose from the do-minion government having taken possess Toronto, April 11-(Special)-The News tonight says that as soon as possible after the close of the session which will prob-ably come at the end of next week, the Ontario legislature will be dissolved, and the Ross government will submit itself to

3,000 Granite Cutters Locked Out. Barre, Vt., April 11-A general lockou in Tellunide.

Mr. Moyer will never be produced in court until Governor Peabady orders me to produce him unless he escapes and gets over the range on enowshoes."

peher, Northfield, West Berlin and Williamstown, was declared this noon at a meeting of the association held here.eThre thousand men are thrown temporarily out of employment.

Fredericton, April 11-In the legisla respect to the Halifax Award. After conprovince, not only the shore fisherics, but the river fisherics as we'll. They appoint-ed wardens over these fisheries and preyou now leave the chair I would not be doing justice to my own feelings if I did ing or renting the fisheries to other per sons. It was not until Judge Steadman and Christian A. Robertson took action to his place to present the budget to the had possession of the fisheries on river running through our crown lands, thus depriving the province of their rental. for this since 1866 and this claim with interest now amounts to \$134,750. We pro-

Then there is our claim for about \$2, 000,000 on account of the Halifax award. We have been urging the dominion authorities to agree to the statement of a special case and we thought we had succeeded a year ago. The case we wanted was whether the proprietary rights of the fisheries were vested in the crown for the use of the Dominion of Canada or of the four provinces. I have not the slightest doubt that if we can get the question submitted the answer will be in our favor. In presenting this claim we are asking no favors, but are simply demanding justice.

agree to a case as to whether the money had been paid over to Canada' clothed with a trust. We felt that we would b giving away our case if we consented to that not many weeks ago I received from the minister of justice a proposed state cally asked for was recognized. We hope to have this case before the supreme court

The total estimated receipts of last year

cession duties the receipts were in excess of the estimates, which shows that they

of justice \$18,242, the expenditure being \$2,242 in excess of the estimates. I suppose in regard to that item I will be criticized by those who say I ought to attend to more criminal trials. So far as the public business of the province is conerned I feel that I am giving it as earne and thorough a service as ever has been given by any one. If I was a younger man could go from circuit to circuit and sup plement my income by many thousands of dollars but if I did so I could not properl attend to my other duties as attorney

Mr. Pugsley Tells About Work of His De-

It has been said that Mr. Blair did atend many criminal trials but since then the other work of the attorney-general has stly increased. For instance, the amount of business connected with incorporated ompanies is double what it was in his y and is constantly increasing. I know one attorney-general in the United ates who received \$12,000 from this vas once filled by John James Fraser and eorge E. King and that they gave very little time to the trial of criminal cases I do not remember of Mr. Fraser ever trying a criminal case, but he was a man who njoyed the respect and confidence of the eople of this province to a remarkable

Before condemning me my critics ought o look at the records of such distinguish ed men as Fraser and King. They ought also to be able to show that the publi business has been neglected. They cannot do it. There has been no miscarriage of istice since I was attorney-general. During the past year there were many cases of unusual importance and the jurors' fees were very largely increased. They were the largest since 1898 and the extraord nary criminal trials in St. John and York ounty were responsible for this increase The leader of the opposition is fond o noting the example of Nova Scotia, bu if he will take up the public account book of that province he will find that the criminal prosecutions cost at least double what

ceeded in getting the minister of justice to say in the presence of the premier that the claim would be paid.

USES STILETTO

Liverpool, N. S, Chief of Police and Another Man Badly Cut.

DESPERADO SHOT

And Likely Fatally Wounded by the Officer, After He Had Received Two Serious Stabs-Citizen Who Came to His Aid Fares Badly,

Halifax, April 11-(Special)-Peter Alore, an Italian workman on the South leath at Liverpool from a pistol shot in the left breast, inflicted by the chief of ber of the house. While I am on my fee

Chief P. B. McAuliffe is at h's home sufwhich required ten stitches to close, another in the heat, but pointer of which other in the back, but neither of which is expected to be attended by fatal results), inflicted by the dying Italian. Are sults), inflicted by the dying Italian. Are thur Mulhall, merchant of Liverpool, is also laid up, the Italian managing to slip

his knife into his back also. Albro is a friend of the Italian now in Dorchester serving a life sentence for killing a man on the Shore road a year ago. He went into Liverpool on Saturday, got drunk and began to create a disturbance. The chief of police attempted to arrest him, but he ran down Main street to Bridge street and hid in a small store. From this place he was arrested and when he started to run again the chief grabbed him. Then the Italian drew his knife,

stabbed the chief in the neck, got clear and ran.
D. C. Mulhall and Arthur Mulhall joined in the chase and the chief, although badly wounded, continued after his man, who was again surrounded. This time the Italian drew two knives, one of which he plunged into Arthur Mulhall's back. —e chief then closed on his man and received a second stab. The Italian again secure his liberty and started to run, but the chief concluded that the man had done enough mischief and drew his gun and the Italian fell, the ball having pierced

BIG LUMBER CUT

Gregory and Dunn Got Out 3,000,-000 Feet Last Winter--Jas. M. Scott Had Narrow Escaps from Being Killed.

Fredericton, April 11--(Special)--Cor nelius Hagerman, who carried on lumber-ng operations on Lepreaux last winter for Gregory and Dunn, will dispatch a crew of fifty men to that stream tomorrow to commence stream driving. Mr. Hagerman has about 3,000,000 feet to bring out. Further particulars of the accident to Jas. M. Scott, of Scott Lumber Company, t Magaguadavic siding on Thursday, show that he had a miraculous escape from death. He had gone out on the track to flag the west bound Boston express and as it approached he made an effort to gain the platform. The train was traveling at full speed and the steam chest of the locomotive caught him in the small of the back, hurling him a distance of twenty feet but fortunately clear of the rails. The ource in fees every year while I do the train was at once stopped and he was chole of the work without any fees. My placed on board and taken to McAdam, rities also forget that the position I hold where medical aid was procured. Although padly bruised and shaken up, strange to

s now able to be around. Mr. Scott attaches no blame whatever to the railway authorities for the accident

WILL ACCEPT JOB OF

A. G. Doughty, Who Refused Appointment Some Time Ago, Changes His Mind.

Ottawa, April 11-(Special)-A. Doughty, Quebec, was appointed sometime accept the position on the grounds of salary and for other reasons. Mr. Doughty

AFTER A FIGHT THE BANK TAX BILL GETS THREE MONTHS' HOIST

Effort May Be Made to Resuscitate the Measure in the House -Vote 16 to 16, and Chairman Cast Ballot Against the Much-hammered Bill-Sharp Passages-at-Arms.

There is one matter which has arisen i nnection with the proceedings of this ouse to which I desire to refer and I de so with considerable pain. I am informed it has been stated by some opponents of the government in St. John that I have been retained by the Bank of New Bruns pendent position. Mr. Robertson Favors the Bill. wick to promote the legislation connected with the assessment of the banks in St John. If these rumors had been confine o that city I might have ignored them out to my surprise it has come to n nere. I can imagine no greater offence the legislature should receive pay t mote certain legislation and that he ould go into a committee and vote for bill under such circumstances. If I ha done that I would be violating one of the most sacred rules of this house. The state ment that I have had a retainer from the Bank of New Brunswick or from any other person is absolutely false. I am as free to vote on this bill as any other mem I desire to say that I think I can say the

on both sides of the house. I believe that

crown timber lands and to provide for a Mr. McLatchey introduced a bill to Mr. McLatchey introduced a bill to amend the act incorporating the town of Dalhousie for water, fire, light and police purposes. Mr. Whitehead a bill to provide further improvements for the water supply sy m of the city of Fredericton Also a bill to amend the act relating to the police establishment of the city of Fredericton Mr. Ryan a bill to incorporate the police of the city of the c Fredericton. Mr. Ryan a bill to incom porate the Herring Cove Railway Company. Mr. Legere a bill relating to fores fires in the county of Westmorland. Mr

Robertson a bill relating to the Free Pub lic Library in the city of St. John.

Want Sessional Indemnity Increased, Mr. Purdy gave notice of motion of resolution praying that the government would increase the sessional indemnity of the members of the house.

Mr. Tweeddale presented the petition of A. P. Barnhill, Henry Hilyard, John Stewart and others in favor of a bill to incorporate the Tobique and Campbellton Railway Company.

Mr. Hazen gave notice of inquiry in regard to fines in the county of Kent; also in regard to certain crown lands sales.

Hon. Mr. Pugsley introduced a bill to ncorporate the Bartibogue Boom Comof the county council of the municipality of Kings to three years. Mr. Copp a bill to incorporate the New Brunswick Conselidated Railway Company.

St. John Bank Bill Up.

The house went into committee, Mr

Jones in the chair. A bill relating to the levying of rates and taxes in the city of

tt. John was taken up.
Mr. Jones—I am opposed to the amendment added to this bill. The Bank of New Brunswick is provided for on the assessment law of St. John exactly the same as other corporations doing business there The common council did not ask for any change in the law relating to the assess ment of such corporations. Legislation is forcing a change upon St. John which the eitizens do not want. The Bank of Ne Brunswick is perfectly able, doing a large business, to pay a full burden of the city taxes and I cannot see why it should have preference over other corporations. Hon. Mr. Sweeney—Now that the cit council of St. John and the members from that constituency are in favor of the bill I think it would be discourteous to the nembers and also to the committee not

to accept its report.

Mr. McLatchey—It is a matter of great nterest not only in St. John but all over the province. It must certainly be a new rule if it would be discourteous for this nouse to dissent from the report of this

Mr. Hill-I am in favor of the principle of the amended bill as it is in the interest of justice and equity. Taxation in St. John has been discriminating most injustly against the Bank of New Bru wick, which paid a tax last year of \$7,419 while the branch banks did not pay half so much. If this is equitable why should not other towns seek similar legislation. The greatest virtue is justice and for this

Mr. Copp Supports His Motion.

Mr. Copp-I certainly think that St. John needs a new assessment law and I think it is a privilege and bounden duty of every member to take exception to any bill that he does not consider the interests of the province. I regret it very much that the honorable attorney-general and other members have taken up the question between the two banks in St. John. I feel that the Bank of New Brunswick had has re-considered the matter and it is understood he has been re-appointed.

Boers Condemn Countymen's Buffoonerv

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Krudgersdorp, South Africa, April 11—

General Bottha has been requested by the Transvaal Farmers' Association to cable to lise directors of the St. Louis exposition asking them to prohibit the proper manner.

It ake issue with the honorable gentleman that it would be discourteous for the Boer war buffoonery during the science of the St. Louis exposition to dissent from the report of the house to dissent from

Fredericton, April 11-In the legislature members in favor of this amendment esterday afternoon Hon. Mr. Pugsley Every member should exercise an independent opinion. I conscientiously believe that this is not in the interest of the province to impose a tax on banks as it finally comes out of the poor man's pocket. hope the members will assume an inde

Mr. Robertson-It is quite within the city council of St. John and the members re in favor of this bill it should pass the ouse. The city of St. John wished by his legislation to increase their revenu by \$2,500 and since the members are in favor it is a right it should be granted. I do not think the house should throw out this bill and thus establish a preceent unless some violent outrage is being

Three Months' Hoist Carried by Chairman's

Casting Vote. The house divided on Mr. Copp's moon that the bill be given a three months' nist as follows:-Yeas—Messrs. Copp, Burden, Campbell, Gogain, Barnes, Burns, Grimmer, Hazen, Hartt, Morrissey, Glasier, Loggie, Poirier,

Clarke, Morrison and Legere—16.
Nays—Hon. Messrs. Pugsley, Labillois,
Sweeney, Hill, Messrs. Carpenter, King,
Ryan, Ruddock, Tweeddale, Purdy, Robrtson, Smith, Young, Lantalum, Burgess

Hon. Mr. Tweedie and Mr. McLatchey were paired off, Hon. Mr. Farris with Mr. Allen and Mr. Osman with Mr. Whitehead. The motion was carried by the cast-

Mr. Pugsley Not Satisfied With the Vote.

Hon. Mr. Pugsley moved that the report be not received and that it be referred back to the committee for further consideration. He claimed first that it was not competent for the committee of the house to pass such a resolution and second the house had a right to refer the matter back to the committee of the whole and it was proper that this should be done as a member had been deprived of his vote and in his place when the nays was not competent for the committee o

Mr. Hazen—I think the honorable gentleman has taken a position entirely con-trary to the practice of this house in mak-

ing such a motion. I think it ought to be voted down by the house. Hon. Mr. Pugsley—Proper and fair consideration is wanted for important measures like this and I claim this bill has not een refused by a proper vote of the com-

nittee of the whole. Mr. Copp-I am surprised at the very extraordinary position taken by the at-torney-general in this matter. No later than Friday last my vote was rejected on the important measure under similar conditions. This matter has been fully discussed and defeated by the vote of the members and the decision should be taken.

Mr. Hill—I think the motion of the honorable attorney-general is entirely in order.

The house may or may not accept the re-

port of the committee of the whole.

The house took recess.

Bill Stands Over Till All Are Present. The attorney-general and Mr. Hill took the ground that the house had a perfect right to receive or reject the report of any committee. Mr. Pugsley also contended that in a question of so much importance to the province it was wrong to deprive any member of the privilege of voting as had been done in the case of Mr. John-

Mr. Copp expressed a willingness to allow the bill to be reconsidered providing it was done at a time when all the members were present. He was positive that in full house the bill would be defeated. The discussion, which was quite animated, lasted until 6 o'clock when the speaker left the chair.

When the house resumed after recess the

attorney-general suggested that the bank bill be allowed to stand over for two or three days to give the speaker a chance to look up authorities on the point of order raised and also to give all the members a chance to be present.

Representatives of St. John branch

banks who are here lobbying against the bill are confident that it will not pass the

MORE CRIMINALS THAN LAST YEAR.

Figures Show 36 More in the Penitentiaries Than in 1902 -- One-

eighth Were Youths. Ottawa, April 11-(Special)-The annual report of the minister of justice was issued today. There were on June 3, 1903,

Latter, Who is Adjudged in Contempt f Court for Not Producing Miners' Presi ent as Ordered, Defies Sheriff--Warm ime Likely.

luray, Col., April 11-District Judge ron Stevens today declared Adjutant ieral Sherman M. Bell and Captain kley Wells to be in contempt of court not complying with the writ of habeas pus which requires the officers to bring ore the court today Charles H. Moyer, sident of the Western Federation o nt at Tilluride. The court ordered 60 years old and leaves a wife, two daugheriff Corbell to arrest the two officers. lge Stevens severely criticized the irse of Governor James H. Peabody and military authorities, saying they ap-

torney David Howe, of Telluride, exsed his failure to produce Mr. Moyer very strong. the ground that he deemed it unsafe bring Moyer to Ouray or to reduce the alitary force in San Miguel county by so oing, and that the governor had ordered im to disregard the writ:

Judge Stevens said:

"The people of Ouray will rightly resent he imputation that General Bell or Capt. Vells could not come alone and in safety with President Moyer before this court.

"A very grave question is presented as to whether it is the striking miners or the governor of Colorado and the National Chand that are engaged in insurrection Guard that are engaged in insurrection and rebellion against the laws of the state "If there is to be a reign of military despotism in this state and civil authority is to have no jurisdiction the latter might

as well go out of business."

When General Bell was informed today that Judge Stevens had ordered himself and Captain Wells confined in the Ouray county jail for contempt, he said:
"If Sheriff Corbell takes us to Ouray is will have to be over the dead bodies of all the soldiers under my command in this county. He has not men cough to do that. The situation demands that we stay

ITHREE CHATHAM

PEOPLE PASS AWAY Miss Eliza Sinclair, Thos Mulhearn and Joseph Hache Join the Ma-

jority -- Other News, Chatham, April 9-Miss Eliza Sinclair died at the home of her nephew, A. S. Ullock, on Wednesday, after a short illness of la grippe. She was 77 years old. The funeral was held Friday, the interment being in the Black River cemetery. Thomas Mulhearn, aged 20 years, died the Misses McCarthy, on Thursday. He

was a member of the A. O. H., C. T. A. and St. Michael's Band. The funeral will be held Sunday afternoon. The death of Jeseph Hache occurred at his home on Wednesday. He was about

Friday. the Bowser House since July, has pur

ared to be in insurrection against the chased the Waverley Hotel in Campoell-

John and its tributaries in tide waters We claimed \$16,000 and thought we would It is Thought Legislature Will Be

of all granite outters employed by members of the Barre Granite Manufacturing Association in this city, East Barre, Montpelier, Northfield, West Berlin and Wilters

very inadequate in comparison with pose to press this claim and I think every one will say it is a just claim.

A \$2,000,000 Claim.

Receipts Slightly Less Than Estimatedwere \$809,398, while the actual receipts were \$901,410. Apart from this fishery claim which was not paid and the suc-

have been carefully framed. I come now to the expenditures of the year 1903. The first item is administration

pariment.

The item of contingencies shows an in crease over the estimate of nearly \$1,000. This account covers the cost of the equipment of the departmental offices and the egislature. The amount expended by the to say in the presence of the premier that the claim would be paid.

We have another large claim against lative assembly were \$7,809, an increase of the dominion government in regard to the fisheries. Quite apart from our claim in (Continued on page 6, third column.)

THE SEMI-WEEKLY TEJEGRAPH, ST. JOHN, N. B., WEDNESDAY, APRIL 13, 1904.

WOODSTOCK. Woodstock, April 7-Miss Frances Peters spent the holidays at her home in Fred-

Meesre. Ralph and Harold Waite spent Sunday with their parents in Andover.

Mr. W. D. Appleby, of Perth, is visit-ing his daughter, Mrs. R. Douglas. Miss Ethel Bourne is visiting friends in Mrs. H. P. Wetmore, of Truro, is visit-

ing her brother, Mr. Domald Munro.
Mr. E. J. Clarke and his daughter,
Maime, spent the Easter holidays in St.

Mrs. A. McFarlen, who has been spend-ing the winter with her daughter, Mrs. D. Munro, has returned to her own home, Broadway.

Mrs. T. Rutter, of St. John, is visiting her father, Mr. John Brittian, of Wood-

Mrs. A. G. McParlen has returned from a visit to her sister in Bridgewater. She expects soon to go to Lewiston.

Mr. John Brittain, jr., of the U. N. B., spent his holidays in Woodstock.

Miss Jennie Burpee has gone to Fredericton, after a pleasant visit to her sister, Mrs. A. Williams. Mrs. Staples, of Fredericton, has also been visiting Mrs. Williams.

Williams.
The Misses Lindon, of St. Stephen, are visiting their aunt, Mrs. Elleworth, Broad-Mrs. L. A. Pety, of Grand Falls, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Arthur McGib-

Mrs. T. W. Murphy, in Lynn. Mr. and Mrs. Alex, Dunbar, jr., spent Raster in St. John.

Mrs. A. F. Hale and children are visit-Mrs. Hale's sister, Mrs. H. W. Walker, fore leaving to join her husband in the

Mr. Richard Allen, of Moncton, spent Easter with friends in Woodstock. Miss Alice Boyer spent the holidays in

St. John.
Mr. Ned Dibblee, of the U. N. B., spent his Easter holidays at home.
Mrs. W. E. Saunders, of Lower Southampton, is visiting Mrs. W. S. Saunders, Connell street Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Hay spent Monday

Dr. J. Hatheway, of Boston, spent Easter with friends in Woodstock.

Mr. Hubert Seely and family spent East

Rev. M. S. Trafton, of St. John, spent Baster in Woodstock.

Miss Lucy McLean spent the holidays with friends in St. Stephen.

with friends in St. Stephen.

Mr. Charles T. Dakin spent Easter at
his home at Gondola Point.

Miss O'Brien, teacher of manual training, spent Easter at her home in Marys-

Miss Mair spent Tuesday with her brother, Mr. E. W. Mair, in Woodstock.
Mr. Charles G. Walker, of the Bank of Nova Scota, St. John, spent Easter at his home in Woodstock.
Miss Lathern, of Sackville, spent Easter in Woodstock, the guest of Miss Neales Mr. Wendell Farris, of the U. N. B., spent Sunday at the home of his uncle, Mr. W. W. Hay
Mr. J. H. W. McLauchlan, of the Peoples' Bank, Hartland, spent Easter at home.

days in Fredericton.

Mr. G. H. Harrison, principal of the Grammer School, spent his holidays in Chatham.

Mr. and Mrs. Percy Graham, Hartland, spent Elaster with Mrs. Graham's father, Mr. G. H. Smith. Mr. D. McQueen has gone to Frederic

Mr. D. McQueen has gone to Fredericton and St. John on business.

Rev. G. D. Ireland went to St. John Monday to attend the presbytery.

Mr. Brock, manager of the Royal Bank of Canada in Fredericton, spent Easter with Mr. and Mrs. C. L. S. Raymond.

Dr. W. D. Rankin, who has been in poor health for some time, has gone to Cairgago for a rest.

cago for a rest.

Mics Edna Higley, of the Ladies' Aca

demy, Sackville, spent Easter with U. S. Consul and Mrs. Denison.

Mr. Guy VanWart, of Halfax, spent Easter with his mother, Mrs. Stephen VanWart, of Woodstock.

Mrs. Fred Research St. Stephen Mrs. Fred Rose, of St. Stephen, spen Baster in Woodstock.
Miss Ruby Webber, St. Stephen, spent

PETITCODIAC.

Petiteodiac, N. B., April 7—Mrs. Seely and daughter, of St. John, are sojourning at "Netherhurst," the residence of Mr. Robert Seely.

The chief event in the social season of Petiteodiac was the leap year ball held at "Hillhurst" April 4. Invitations to the "Hillhurst" April 4. Invitations to the number of 100 were issued. Among the guests were several from St. John, Moncton, Salisbury and other points. The music was under the management of Professor Legere of Moncton. Under the well conducted chaperonage of Mesdames Goggin, Seely, B. Keith amusement was provided for all. The programme contained seventeen numbers, with an intermission for luncheon.

for luncheon.

To the efficient committee, Messrs.
Coreys, C. Simpson and H. Goggin, praise
in no small measure is due for making the
entertainment a success. The committee
epent neither time nor expense.

Miss Simpson, student at Mount Alli-

son, is in town.

Mr. Fred Corey, teacher, Penobsquis, spent vacation at home here.

Miss Fowler, teacher of the primary grades, spent her vacation in Moneton.

Mr. and Miss Hunter, of St. John, are visiting Mrs. Goggin.
Mrs. Hoar, of Moncton, is visiting her eister, Mrs. George McAnn.

BRISTOL.

Bristol, Carleton Co., April 9-The ice Teams are still crossing.

M. Welsh is shipping his birch timber to St. John on the C. P. R. He went to

Fredericton on Thursday.

The first wagon of the season made its appearance on our streets yesterday, an unusually late date.

Mr. and Mrs. Joyner Lamont, of West

Glassville, have returned to Vermont, where they formerly resided. Harry Harrington and family, Ashley Hayden and Thos. Lee, of Foreston, left

W. A. Fowler at Belleisle Station.

Miss Nellie Mitchell is going to St.

John next week en route to Boston. for British Columbia on Friday.

Miss Hope Crandall, who teaches at Rowena, is spending this week at home.

ter at Springhill (N.S.), the guest of their daughter, Mrs. Hannah. daughter, Mrs. Hannah.

Miss Gussie Anderson returned from a visit at Truro (N.S.), on Tuesday accompanied by her litle nephew Roland Mc-

Fred Anderson, B. A., of Jolicure, spent the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Job Anderson.

Messix. Arthur Ayer and Charence Thompson were in Monoton for Easter

Sunday.

Mrs. Silver and Mr. Rogers of Amherst
were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. James
Wheaton on Good Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Dobson are receivg congratulations upon the arrival of a

daughter.
Mrs. McLaughlan and daughter Lily, of Amherst, spent the Easter holidays with Mrs. George Ayer.
Mr. Eugene Bowser returned on Tuesday from a pleasant visit at Grand Pre (N.S.).

(N.S.).
Mayor and Mrs. F. B. Black are spending the week in Montreal.
Miss Ella Copp, of the High School staff, was the guest of Mrs. Colin Mathison, at Port Elgin during the Easter holi-

days.

Mr. Lloyd Dobson, of Sydney, was in town on Saturday en route to his old home at Bayfield (N.B.).

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Miller spent Eas-

ter at Melrose (N.B.).

Miss Carrie Barnes and Mr. Roy Barnes of Nappan (N.S.), are visiting Mrs. M. F

umber very pleasantly on Saturday even-

Moneton.

Professor Watson, of Mount Allison
University, recently spent a few days in Mr. and Mrs. Latter, of St. John, have Mr. and Mrs. Letter, or St. John, have removed to Sackville and are occupying the house recently vacated by Mr. and Mrs. James Wood. Mrs. Jack Martin and son have gone

to Montreal.

Mrs. Obed Weldon spent Easter at

ton this week.

Mr. Charles Fawcett has gone to New health. His son, Mr. H. Fawcett, accom-

panied him.

Mr. Eaton, of Aylesford (N.S.), and
Miss Kervin, of the Ledies' College, were
the guests of Miss Zena Tingley during
the Easter holidays.

H. V. Silhker was in Base Verte on Good Friday.

Miss Davis, of St. John, has succeeded Miss Wood as stenographer for the Standard Manufacturing Company.

Wm. W. Anderson returned to the Northwest on Tuesday.

Mrs. Amos Ogden is visiting her son, Rev. A. Lewis, at Aylesford (N.S.).

Mrs. Wiggins spent the Easter holidays in Halifax.

in Halifax.

Miss Margaret George gave a pleasant
party on Monday evening in honor of
her guest, Miss Edna Black, of Oxford.

W. W. Fawcett spent Baster in St.

John.

Miss Mabel Tuttle, of the Ladies' College, was the guest of Miss Jennie Fawcett on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Dobson, of Sussex, spent the holidays with their daughter, Mrs. William W. Fawcett.

R. Wilmot returned from Salisbury on Monday, having been summoned home on account of the death of his father, Mr. George Wilmot.

George Wilmot. Mr. and Mrs. B. C. Raworth and Mrs

Mr. and Mrs. B. C. Raworth and Mrs.
A. C. Fawcett were the guests of Mr. and
Mrs. Lee Raworth at Bayfield (N.B.),
during the Easter holidays.
Postmaster Read is confined to his home
with an attack of la grippe.
Mr. and Mrs. Willard Estabrook have

returned home after a three months' visit at Jersey City, New York.

Miss Helen Smith spent the Easter holidays at Baie Verte.

Mrs. Wm. McLeod gave a thimble party on Thursday afternoon, which was much enjoyed.

Miss Grace Estabrook has returned

home having spent the winter with her brother, Rev. Horace G. Estabrook, at Springhill (N.S.).

Miss Jones and Mrs. Babcock spent the Easter holidays at Miss Jones' old home

Easter holidays at Miss Jones' old home at Bayfield (N.B.).

Miss Bertie Brownell spent the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Brownell, at Jolicure (N.B.).

Miss Lila Barnes, teacher, at Maccan (N. S.), was the guest of her mother, Mrs. M. F. Barnes, on Good Friday.

L. Foster recently spent a few days with his friend, Wm. Anderson, at Midgic (N.B.). ton, en route to Denver (Col.), where she

gic (N.B.).

Roy Harper was the guest of Burwash
Dobson at Bayfield (N.B.), during the holidays.

Mrs. Frank Harper was in Port Elgin

HARVEY STATION.

on Good Friday.

Harvey Station, April 8-W. McMulkin and M. Day, of St. John, who have been fishing in the lake here for two or three

fishing in the lake here for two or three days past, returned home last evening, taking with them some fine trout.

Thomas Robertson is making preparations for driving lumber for James Murchie's Sons' Company on the Magaguadavic lake and loading it on the cars at the station. He has two or three millions to handle.

It was stated in the Sun yesterday morning, also in the Fredericton items this morning, that the two Bell boys who created a disturbance at McAdam on Monday evening and were heavily fined for it, were from Harvey Station. This is a mistake; the Bells do not belong to this place, but hail from further Tweedside on the Brockway road, about twelve miles from this place.

The bride wore a very becoming tailor-made suit of brown ladies' cloth, a cream stilk blouse and brown hat. She was unattended. After the ceremony the bride's parents, Duke street, where they purpose boarding.

Murray Tweedie and Walter Matthews, who are attending the U. N. B., spent miles from this place.

Highfield, April 6-Miss Bertha Pearson has been spending Easter in St. John. Harry J. Pearson and Robert E. Ward

Mrs. Aaron Keirstead, of Norton, is visiting friends here.

Charles I. Pearson is doing quite an extensive business in making maple sugar.
Our popular teacher, Miss Flora Murray, spent Easter at her home in Belle-

David M. Pearson is scaling lumber for

St. Stephen, April 6.—Although Easter eve was dull and cloudy, Easter morning dawned bright and clear, sunshine was every where, and though the wind was cold the brightness of the day tempted many out, and the churches were filled at every service. Christ church was taste at every service. Christ church was tastefully adorned with Euses, carnations and Easter lilies. No potted plants were used this year. The singing and Easter anthems were particularly good. The services in Trikity church were unusually interesting. The anthem and singing were excellent and much enjoyed by the large congregations present. There were no floral decorations. The Methodist church was beautifully adorned with flowers and floral decorations. The Method st church was beautifully adorned with flowers and potted plants. The singing was very fine, and the church was crowded. The Baptist church was most tastefully decorated with cut flowers and plants. The singing was and appropriate to the day. The

good and appropriate to the day. The Presbyterian church was made bright with vases of Easter liles and carnations. The singing had been carefully prepared and was very well rendered. The Church of the Holy Rosary was beautifully adorned with appropriate and was beautifully adorned with a superscript and was beautifully adorned. services, with an earnest congregation.

Mr. Everett Murchie left last week for

his home in the Western States after spending two months visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Murchie-Mr. W. C. H. Grimmer, M. P. P., spent Easter Sunday in Amherst with his son, Mr. Don Grimmer.

sarrived here Saturday to spend Easter Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John D. Chipman. Mrs. Thomson's friends were greatly pleased to see her and gave her a most cordial welcome.

Mr. Gilbert W. Ganong M. P., left Tuesday for Ottawa accompanied by Mrs. Tuesday for Ottawa, accompanied by Mrs. Ganong.

Mesers. John and George Black arrived.

from St. John Saturday night to spend Easter Sunday with their parents at "Westurkele." They returned to St. John Monday.

Monday.

Miss ava Fraser is at home enjoying the Easter vacation. She will return to Rothesay early next week.

Mrs. Irving R. Todd and Miss Helen Grant arrived from Boston Saturday after a pleasant visit of two weeks at the "Hub." Judge Gardner spent Easter week in Miss Miriam Eaton's friends welcomed

her home last week from Providence (R. I.) where she attends Miss Wheeler's school for young ladies. are receiving congratulations on the birth of a son on April 6. Mrs. William A. Mills and Mrs. Charles

Cook have issued invitations to an at home at their residence in Washington street, Calais, for Tuesday afternoon.

Miss Kimball, of St. John, is the guest

of Miss Meloa Johnson.

Miss Jane Todd will entertain a party of young lady friends at her home this evening. German whist will be the amuse-

Mrs. Percy Lord for several days.
Mr. and Mrs. Edwin C. Young have re Mr. and Mrs. Edwin C. Young have re-turned from Bangor. Mr. Young is still on the invalid list, although his visit to Bangor has benefitted him greatly. Miss Carolyn Washburne is enjoying a

delightful visit in Germantown (Pa.), the guest of Miss Mae Hopper. Mr. Russell Glover, of Washington, was a visitor to Calais during the past week.

Last Monday afternoon the Shakespearean Club was entertained by Mrs. Wilfrid

Miss Nettie McBride is visiting friends in St. John this week.

Judge Gardner has returned from Ban-

Mrs. John G. Murchie is spending a few days in Boston.

Mr. Walter Ganong has arrived home from Ontario, and will remain for a short visit with his mother, Mrs. James Ganong.

Hon. George F. Hill spent Easter in town, but returned to Fredericton early in

visiting Miss Helen Foster.

Miss Pritchard, of St. John, has been the guest of Miss Sue Ganong during this

Mrs. Ward, in Skowhegan (Me.)
Mr. and Mrs. John D. Chipman are spending this week in Boston.

Mr. Julius T. Whitlock left Wednesday for Boston.

Miss Irene Eaton left Wednesday for a short visit in Boston. Hon. George A. Murchie went to Augusta (Me.) Monday.
Mrs. Willard H. Pike has gone to Bos

intends spending a month.

CHATHAM. Chatham, April 6.-Misses Mabel and Anna Bentley who are attending Mount Allison, spent Easter at home.

Mrs. Michael Searle, of Fraserville,
Quebec, is the guest of Mrs. John McDonald.

Miss Maud Lawler visited Blackville

purpose boarding.

Murray Tweedie and Walter Matthews,
who are attending the U. N. B., spent

Easter at home.

Miss Gertrude Bryneton, of Millerton, who has been spending the last month with Mrs. A. E. Woods, returned home on Saturday.

Mr. Fred MacDonald, of Sydney, and Miss Annie MacDonald, of Boston, are in town, on account of the serious illness of their father, Mr. Andrew MacDonald.

Mr. J. E. Doyle, of Jacquet River, spent Easter with friends in town. Miss Sophie Benson has returned from a short visit to St. John.

friends in St. John.

An interesting feature of the monthly of the Ladies' 'Aid Society of St.

At a church was the presentation of churches was exceptionally good. In the

Miss Edith Prowse of Charlottetown (P is the guest of Miss Mamie Tweedie.

Miss V. C. Wright was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Wyse, Newcastle, part of

Miss Carrie Salter spent Easter with Miss Sieveright has returned from hort visit in Bathurst.

Mrs. John M. Marquis went, on Thurs day, to Halifax, where she will spend ne weeks with friends Miss Hazel McNeil returned last nigh rom a visit to Blackville.

Miss Nellie MacDonald left Monday for

t. John, where she will train as a pro-Mrs. James Connors and Mrs. Roge Flanagan are visiting friends in Campbell Mr. Fred Gibson, of the Bank of Mon treal, Glace Bay, was in town Easter.

MONCTON. Moneton, N. B., April 8 - Miss Creighn, of Newcastle, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. T. G. Gallagher, at their me in Alma street.

Mrs. George F. Crossdale, of Cross Point ecompanied by her two little daughters spending the Easter holidays in town rith her parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. Toombs

Mr. Walter Gallagher gave a very enjoyable dance on Wednesday evening to about seventy-five of his friends, at the Hotel Minto. Miss Marion Lea, who is attending Mt. Allison Ladies' College, spent the Easter holidays in town with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Lea.

Mrs. M. A. Addy, who has been visiting

riends in Moncton, returned to her home in Salisbury last week.

Mrs. George Peck entertained a number of friends at her home in King street on Wednesday evening. A most delightful

ernoon to visit her friends in Cincinnat and other western cities, and expects to be absent for the greater part of the sur ing Mrs. R. A. Borden, Bolsford street.

The home of Mr. and Mrs. Tom. Buck ham at Humphrey's Mills, was on Tuesday

vening was spent.

evening taken possession of by a party of about forty of their friends and acquaintances, it being the occasion of the fifteenth anniversary of their marriage. The evening was very pleasantly spent with music and games. A most pleasing feature of it was the presentation to Mr. and Mrs. Buckham of a beautiful dinner set, also a cut glass fruit dish. Mr. George Way read an address, expressive of the good wishes and congratulations of those present, which was very suitably replied to by Mr. Buckham in behalf of himself and his wife.

mitted his identity and when put into each cooler cried like a child.

The Fredericton Tourist Association will issue 15,000 copies of a handsome new book on the city and vicinity for distribution this season.

N. B., met with an accident while attenuating a game of basket ball in Fredericton. Mr. Jordan spent several days here at Christmas and made many friends who will regret to hear of his misfortune. Mrs. Hooper at the rectory.

Dr. Leonard C. Harris is spending his
Easter holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Harris. He expects shortly to return to Montreal to resume his duties on the staff of the Royal Victoria Hospital.

ome time in town visiting relatives. of Kingsclear.

Mr. G. W. Wells, at Baie Verte. Mr. Wells has been seriously ill for some time, and his condition is now considered very April 8-(Special)-Angue Bourgeois and George Bowser, two lads concerned with Philip Gogan in the al-leged assault and robbery of one James Fitzsimmons, Saturday night last were committed for trial by the police magis-

committed for treal by the police magis-trate today.

The inquest into the death of William Daley, who met his death as result of falling from the maritime express in Monc-ton yard Friday night last, was continued before Coroner Purdy today. Nothing new of importance was chicited and the inquiry was further adjourned until Mon-day next to get the evidence of Dr. Carn-wath, whom deceased was seeing away to waith, whom deceased was seeing away to Montreal the night he sustained the fatal

Moncton First Baptist church has ex-tended a call to Rev. J. M. Baird, of Brookfield (N. S.) to become assistant to

Rev. D. Hutchinson.

James Lyons, son of J. M. Lyons, get eral passenger agent I. C. R., has resigned his position in the Bank of Montreal in Quebec and returned to Moncton.

Robert Mitton, one of the oldest resi dents of Moncton, passed away today, aged 86 years.

SUSSEX.

Sussex, April 7-Mr. George Burnett spent Easter at home.

Miss Perkin, of Fredericton, is visiting er sister, Mrs. Robert Rossborough. Miss Grace MacKay returned to Halifax on Wednesday.
Mrs. Evelyn Harnott enterained

large number of friends on Friday evening with a dance. The house was tastily de-corated with ferns and palms. A very pleasant evening was spent.

The many friends of Mrs. James Mac-Intyre will be glad to hear that she is

occoverning.

Mrs. Jasper Daley's party on Saturday evening, given in honor of her guests, Dr. and Mrs. Price, of Moncton, was a very Mrs. Rossborough gave a small party on Tuesday evening in honor of Miss

Grace MacKay.

The Misses Howes gave a dance of Tuesday evening in their new home of Main street. The house, which was prettil lecorated, is well suited for entertaining Mr. Dufferin Harper, of St. John, sper Mr. and Mrs. George Morrison, of Moneon, were in Sussex on Saturday.

Mr. Ned Harris, of Moncton, spent

few days in town, the guest of Mr. Leon-

A very pretty wedding took place on Wednesday evening in the Baptist church when Mrs. Sara Carmichael and Mr. Harry Thomas Hayes were united in marriage.
The bride wore a travelling gown of grey with hat of black and white flowers, and was supported by Mr. Melbourne Titus. A quartette chair sang The Voice That Breathed or Eden, and Mrs. Harnott played the wedding march. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Mr. Camp. Mr. and Mrs. Hayes will reside at Upper

Catholic church Miss Alice Byrne sang The Palms; in the Ghurch Avenue Baptist church, Mrs. Vail sang The Plains of Peace, and Miss Hart in the Main street Free Baptist The Heavenly Song. In the Methodist church Miss Gough sang A Dream of Paradise. The anthems, too,

were of a fine order.
Sussex, April 11-A. J. McArthur & Co. have shipped three carloads of potatoes to the United States during the last few days. They are loading two more cars to

from here this morning and afternoon to St. John to hear Nordica sing.

At the vestry meeting of the church corporation of Trinity church held in the Medley Memorial hall on Friday evening to deal with resolution passed at the Eas ter Sunday meeting of parishioners, it was decided to commence at once the work of repairing and painting Trinity church and also to instal electric lights and a new pipe organ.

FREDERICTON.

Fredericton, April 8-(Special)-William Winn died at his home here this afternoon from la grippe. He was sixty-nine years old, and leaves two sons, Isaac, of Lewiston (Me.), and Thomas, of New York; also two daughters, Misses Janie and Re-gina, living at home. His son, Isaac, arrived home ab father's death. me about an hour before his

Company, returned today from a trip to his camps in the province of Quebec. He reports from three to five feet of hard snow on the St. John head waters, and says conditions have changed but little since he was there four weeks ago. Mr. Scott considers the outlook for stream driving quite promising.

Fredericton, April 10—(Special)—James M. Scott, of the Scott Lumber Company, was struck and knocked down by a loconotive at Magaguadavic on Thursday and sustained quite serious injuries. He was taken to McAdam Junction, where medical aid was procured. It was found that he was cut and bruised about the head. was rendered unconscious by the shock and remained in that condition nearly four hours. The injuries, although perious, are not of an alarming nature and at last acounts he was considerably improved. It rained heavily the greater part of last night and as a result there has been quite water has risen between two and three feet since yesterday and is still coming up

although it is getting black in places and there is open water along both shores. Gentlemen who drove down from Prince William this afternoon report water at into the river. Snow has nearly all disappeared from the roads in this section and wagons are now being used.

Policemen Rideout and King, shortly after 8 o'clock this evening, arrested Kennedy, the St. John negro who recently escaped the chain gang at St. John, and landed him in the lockup pending orders from St. John chief of police. Kennedy admitted his identity and when put into the

arrived here from Essex, England, some days ago, have decided to take up farming and have located with William Forrester,

The fight in the local legislature b tween the VanBuren Lumber Company and the Baker Brook Mill Company grows varmer as a result of the narrow majority by which the latter carried its charter of incorporation through the corporation committee on Thursday. As has alread been stated, D. Fraser & Sons are seeking incorporation as the Baker Brook Mill Company for the purpose of erecting a dam and saw mill on the Baker Brook, a tributary on the headwaters of the St John, where they have valuable timber limits. The only available mill site is two parties being unable to agree upon a price Messrs. Fraser ask for expropriation powers. The VanBuren Company is represented here by John M. Stevens, who fought the bill in the committee and who has now issued a circular letter to every member of the house.

BATHURST. Bathurst, N. B., April 7—If the old saying "Happy is the bride whom the sun shines on," be true, Miss Lulu Ramsay, who on Wednesday morning at 9 o'clock was married to Mr. Arthur Berry, will be very happy. St. George's Episcopal church, which was prettily decorated for the occasion, with cut flowers and potted plants, was crowded before the appointed hour with relatives and friends. The bride, who is one of Bathurst's most popular young ladies, dooked charming in a traveling suit of navy blue cloth with hat to match, and was given away by her brother-in-law, Rev. R. D. Southwood. Rev. H. Hooper performed the ceremony. The many friends of the happy young couple all join in wishing them much happiness. Mr. and Mrs. Berry left on the day express for Portland (Me.), and intend to reside in Campbellton on their return.

Mrs. Evans, in Montreal,
Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert are visiting in St Mr. and Mrs. P. Rive made a short

risit to Moncton last week.

Miss Duncan is visiting in St. John.

Mr. E. Crocker spent Easter with friends here. Mr. E. Johnston visited his parents luring the holidays.

Mrs. Hooper and Mrs. Carmen, who

were both ill, are able to be out again, to the delight of their many friends.

T. M. Burns, M. P. P., and Mr. N. A. Landry came from Fredericton to spend The friends are grieved to learn that Miss Emma Stout who such a short time ago recovered from la grippe is again quite

HOPEWELL HILL.

Hopewell Hill, April -- On Tuesday evenng Golden Rule Division, S. of T., elected ing Golden Rule Division, S. of T., elected the following officers for the ensuing quarter: Paul R. Tingley, W. P.; E. Collman Starratt, W. A.; Roy Tingley, R. E.; Evelyn Govang, A. R. S.; Maggie Archibald, F. S.; Nettie Prosser, treasurer; Fred G. Moore, chaplain; C. E. Govang, Con.; Dora Reynolds, A. C.; Fred J. Newcomb, I. S.; Ella Tingley, O. S.; Jennie E. Rogers, P. W. P.

Miss Rebecca Bennett, of Hopewell Cape, has taken charge of the school at Harris-

low Reid will teach the school in Caledonia, taught by Miss Bennett last term. Miss Mamie Stewart, who is teacher at Waterville, Westmorland county, has returned to her school after spending Easter

Mrs. George C. Moore, of Mountville who has been very sick for four weeks, ie improving slowly.

Lorne Steeves, of the I. C. R. works.

Hopewell Hill, April 8-Considering the bad weather that prevailed, the supper given by the ladies of the Baptist church at the residence of R. Chesley Smith last

at the residence of R. Chestey Smith last evening was very successful, some \$16 being realized. The funds are to be used to re-pair the church furnace.

The schooner Demoiselle, which has been ashore at Cape Meranguin since December with a cargo of plaster on board that was shipped by the New England Adamant Company here, was sold at auction this week for \$500. The cargo had been water soaked and frozen and was about worthless, only bringing a small amount. The death occurred at Salem today of Miss Lavinia Bray, an old and respected resident of that place. She was a sister of Simeon Bray, of Caledonia, and Thos.

ST. ANDREWS.

St. Andrews, N. B., April 6-Easter was very quietly observed in St. Andrews. Services were held in all the churches and were well attended. At All Saints the ser-vices were fully choral, and the church was prettily decorated for the occasion.

Mrs. W. D. Forster, of St. John, sent
some beautiful Easter lilies for the altar. During the evening service in the Mehod-ist church, Mr. Elmer Wiley's fine voice was heard in two solos which were greatly appreciated by the congregation.

Mrs. J. F. Dustan, of St. Stephen, was
the guest of her daughter, Mrs. T. O'Dell

Miss Carrie Gardiner spent Sunday with friends in St. John.

Miss Gwendolyn Jack, who has bee

here for some months the guest of her aunt, Mrs. E. Cockburn, left on Monday night for her home in Sidney (C. B.) Miss Jack will be greatly missed by a large been deservedly popular.

Mr. John Magee and his young son, of

Mrs. Howard Grimmer and Miss Bessie Grimmer spent a few days in St. Stephen last week.
Miss J. Hibbard, of St. John, spent

Easter with her parents here, Mr. and Mrs. George Hibbard.

Robert Clarke, who is attending the U. N. B., Fredericton, came home on Wednesday for the Easter vacation.

Mr. Fred Jordan, a student at the U.

Dr. George Grimmer spent Eastertide with his family in St. Andrews, returning to Montreal on Monday evening.

Mrs. Nelson Clarke, Jr., entertained number of friends very delightfully at a teaparty on Monday afternoon in honor

of Miss Peters of Hampton.

Miss Katie O'Halloran, who has been attending the Normal School spent the vacation with her parents.

Miss Bessie Grimmer returned to Hali-

fax on Monday.

Mrs. R. J. Langford entertained the ladies connected with the guilds of All Saints church at 5 o'clock tea on Friday afternoon, and was a most pleasant affair.

Mr. R. A. Stuart returned on Tuesday from a short visit to Houlton, bringing with him his little grandson, who will probably remain with Mr. and Mrs. Stewart for some time.

Mrs. Fraser arrived on Tuesday from Chethory and

Chatham, and is staying with her sister, Mrs. Charles Mowat, at Beech Hill Mr. George Hibbard and Miss Hibbard spent the day with relatives.

Mr. Cecil DeWolfe, of St. John, is visit-

Miss Duffy returned on Tuesday from Hampton where she had been spending

GRAND FALLS. Grand Falls, April 7-Mr. and Mrs. Robert Kirpatrick Debec, spent Easter in town, the guest of their son, Dr. C. A.

Kirkpatrick.

Mrs. Louise Lyons departed on Tuesday to visit her niece, Miss Ethel Duffy, at to visit her niece, Miss Ethel Duffy, at St. Basil avenue.

Miss Doris Henedrson and Master Vivian Carruthers returned home from St. Basile for their Easter holidays.

Miss Lillian Howard departed on Monday for Presque Isle where she will spend several weeks.

Misses Helen Costigan, Treasa Kelly, Mary Stafford and Beatrice Horesman passed the Easter holidays in town. They returned to their various schools in the country on Tuesday.

country on Tuesday.
Mr. and Mrs. G. M. Taylor entertained Mr. and Mrs. G. M. Taylor entertained a few friends on Wednesday evening. Among those present were Mr. and Mrs. Orrin, Davis, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Dixon, Mrs. J. J. Gallagher, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Churchill, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Wilson and Misses Alice Stroup and Maria Wilson and Messrs. W. M. G. DeBrisay, W. Wilson and McArthur.

The members of the Presbyterian Sunny Circle chartered Parents double mammoth

Grand Falls, April 10—The Presbyterian Synod has appointed Rev. John Bradley to Grand Falls Mission, and he will be inducted and assume charge of the Presbyterian church here on May 12, prox. On that day, Mr. Bradley will also be ordained a Presbyterian minister of the Gospel in the church here, Rev. Messus. Archibald, Pringle and others performing the ceremony. The Synod has appropriated \$150 towards the Grand Falls Mission.

The Victoria Court will open at Andoyer on Tuesday the 19th inst. Judge Carleton will preside for the first time, and the bar of the county and Grand jury will likely present addresses felicitating Judge Carleton on his promotion to the bench and extolling his high character, legal attainments, and expressing confidence in his

vills, Westmorland county, and Mrs. Lud- discharge of judicial functions. There is one criminal case in which an indictment was found at the last term, and the civil

docket is a large one.

The Baptist congregation here intend to erect a church this spring, and work on the edifice will commence as soon as the weather conditions permit. Charles Correspond to the around again.

The training of the S. & H. road came of the conditions permit. Charles Correspond to the Curles, the popular host of the Curles, the popular hos

The train on the S. & H. road came as far as the Hill last night and will get through to Albert today. This end of the road has been closed since the sixth of February but will now be open for regular companies. M. P. P., returned yester consider the large state of the results of the result

terday to his legislative duties at Freder the winter not only lingers in the lap of

oust the gentler season.

The Andover Amateur Dramatic Club The Andover Amateur Dramatic Club-played The Spy of Gettysburg in Bert-ron's Opera House, on Friday evening. A large and appreciative audience attended the performance, and generally applauded the decidedly excellent acting. Where all the different roles were so well enacted, it would be unfair to particularize. The following ladies and gentlemen took part: Thomas Lewson, H. Lee Bedell, Fred. W. Hoyt, C. H. Elliott, LeBaron Hofkins, Perley LeB. Miles, Misses Helen S. Tibbitts, L. Dougherty, and Mrs. H. Lee Bedell. A large number accompanied the club from Andover and after the performance a cocial dance was held and thereughly enjoyed by the visitors and

horoughly enjoyed by the visitors and are almost doubled. There is no reason for the increase, and general dissatisfac-tion exists. Perhaps the town council may compel the companies to adopt more equi-table and satisfactory rates. Even if the companies have obtained permission to erect their poles along the streets of the town, the same power that granted the franchise can withdraw the privilege. The town will probably enact a bye-law regarding the height, placing, and painting of telephone poles on the public streets.

ST. GEORGE.

St. George, April 7-The concert in Coutts hall Easter Monday evening for the benefit of the band was largely attended, filling the building from the pit to the realm of the gods. Miss Helen Lynott, a little miss, fairly charmed her listeners with her sweet voice. Mrs. Nase's piano solos were very pleasingly rendered. Mr. R. T. Wetmore and Mr. S. Lynott were Mr. John Magee and ms young.

Moncton, were in town last week.

Miss Flossie Peters, of Hampton, is the magnet of her cousin, Mrs. Frank Barnard.

R. T. Wetmore and Mr. S. Lynout were fine fine to the sound of the supers.

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At the superstance of the supers. O'Brien accompanied the singers. At the close of the concert dancing was enjoyed until a late hour.

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With so much pleasure going on there have still been some bereaved homes this week. The death of Mr. Henry Curran takes from our midst a young man highly esteemed by all who knew him.

The very sudden death of Mr. Gabriel Craig was a surprise to his many friends. He was confined to his home only one week

Mr. and Mrs. Miles Gillmor are mourang the loss of their twin daughter, Ethel, aged fourteen years.

Mr. Chas. Johnston, of St. John is vis-

iting his parents.

Miss Phoebe O'Brien, Miss Nellie Dougtas and Miss Maud Dick returned Tuesday to Fredericton after the Easter vacation. Miss Mersereau is the guest of Mrs. Alex. Milne.

Mrs. Guy Clinch was one of the host-

Mrs. Guy Clinch was one of the nostesses this week and her cherming party
Wednesday evening was very bright and
pleasant. Whist and pit held the close
attention of the guests the larger part of
the evening, and to the successful and
non-successful contestants prizes were
awarded. A dainty luncheon followed.
Miss Edith Baldwin will leave this week to visit St. John friends.

The ladies of the Presbyterian church intend holding a pink tea and sale in Coutts hall April 13.

Bath, N. B., April 6-These have been tirring times in Bath and vicinity. Of ate an unusual amount of rewdyism has been going on in outlying districts. Last week Elbridge Giberson, Robert Kinney and Israel de Merchant were arrested, charged with misbehaving at a social held by Rev. Mr. Stirling (Baptist), at Helmesville Corner. Police Magistrate Dibblee, of Woodstock, tried the trio. Giberson was fined \$20 and costs or two months' jail. He took the latter; Kinney paid his fine of \$10 and costs; de Merchant, who has been arrested before, received a sentence of six months, without option of a fine. ined \$60 and costs or two months' jail.

Jeseph Davenport, who lives at Moose Mountain, is being taken to Woodstock for selling liquor at that place. This is

his first offence.

George de Merchant ran into the arms of Sheriff Foster and Constable Wolverton at Buth today. He was arrested on an old charge of selling liquor in Wicklew. He was taken to Wodostock. The people are praising Sheriff Foster and Constable Wolrerton for their work.

The body of Michael McGrath, who met

with sudden death at Crossforks (Pa.), reacher here last Friday. The body was met at the station by relatives and friends. A funeral cortege, consisting of eighty or more teams, assembled at the station, and followed the body to the homestead at Johnville. Interment took place on Easter Sunday, immediately after mass. Generally, immediately after mass. eral respect was shown for deceased, as was testified by the large attendance at the last sad rights. John McCullough, uncle of deceased, arrived on Saturday's train from Lynn (Mass.), to attend the obse-

quies.

Priscilla McDougall, daughter of Peter McDougall, of Bath, died from typhoid fever at Millinceket (Me.) last week. fever at Millinceket (Me.) last week.

A petition is being drawn up and will be signed by citizens of Bath and Wicklow, across the river, calling for the construction of a new bridge. It will be presented to the local legislature at its present sit-

There have been many visitors here since the Easter holidays set in. Among those arriving were: Fred. Kilfoyle, who accompanied Michael McGrath's body from Crossforks. Mr. Kilfoyle has been in the western States as well as western Canada.

Miss Gilman and Miss White, school Hiss Ginalia and Julia McGin-ley are home from Malden (Mass.), visit-

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Ginley.

Lawrence Gallagher, who has been in Woodstock attending the funeral of his brother, arrived home Monday.

Rev. Father Dollard held the annual Easter social of St. John the Evangelist church, Johnville, at McCready's hall, Tuesday night. It was a success from start to finish, as many as fifty couples participating in the ball. Prior to the dancing Frank Doherty auctioned the baskets, the sale realizing \$130. The proceeds will go towards the erection of the new will go towards the erection of the new hall. C. F. Gallagher was master of ceremonies. He had a capable aide in Jeff. White, of St. Thomas. The orchestra conwhite, of St. Thomas. The orderesta consisted of Mrs. Colton, organist; Messrs. Hall and Mahoney, violinists. Rev. Father Dollard made a happy speech, thanking all for their assistance, also stating that another such event for the same purpos would be held in the near future. Although suffering for the past week from sore throat, Rev. Father Dollard had a pleasant word for everybody, and helped in a very great measure in making the

affair the success it was. Easter Sunday was quite stormy; that, however, did not prevent a very large attendance at service in Rev. Father Dollard's church, Johnville. The Easter offering amounted to \$230. Special music was given, and Mrs. J. W. Bohan and the choir are to be congratulated on their

Rev. Father Dollard's Sunday school is Rev. Father Dollard's Sunday school is a thriving institution. It has 125 pupils, who are taught by the reverend gentle-man, Misses Gilman and Miss Minnie Boyd. Tenders for the erection of the

new Johnville hall will close Saturday, the last writing with, if anything, a downward

river here; however, it is broken in some places, the water running free.

F. B. Carvell, K. C., was registered at

the Exchange yesterday.

Large numbers of young men in this vicinity are preparing for stream driving.

GREENWICH. Greefwich, N. B., April 7—The funeral of the late Robert Dougas, who died at Dorchester (Mass.), took place in Oak Point cemetery on Saturday. The floral offerings were many and beautiful.

An interesting event will take place on Tuesday, April 12. At the residence of S. Bart. Dalton, Staten Island, New York, when his sister, Miss Ethel Dalton, of St. John, and well-known here, will be united in marriage to Henry Kimball, of Shelton

Miss Margaret Belyea, of the Sussex Grammer, school teaching staff, spent the

L. A. Belyea, of Fredericton, spent a few days here this week. The Easter services in the different Anglican churches were very bright and hearty. Speciel music for the day was well rendered. The music in St. James was exceedingly well rendered, quite surpassing other years. Although the weather was not all that could be desired, good congregations attended the different

NEWTOWN.

Newtown, Kings Co., April 7-W llian Ryder, of Jordan Mountain, has rented the house and farm lately vacated by R. E. Sharpe and intends to move there this spring.

Jcs. Campbell has cent some of his heavy teams to Westfield, St. John county, to haul lumber for I. Murray, of Penobs-

quis.

Arthur Mace, who is teaching at Spring dale, and his sister, Miss Laura Mace, who is teaching at Canaan Forks, spent the

holidays at their home here.

Miss Lena Tawlyn, who is teaching at
Ward's Creek, s, ent the Easter vacation

Ira Wilcox is visiting at C. W. Tawlyn's.
Miss Ada Small, our teacher, has gone home to enjoy the holiday season.

Owing to the rough weather and the bad condition of the roads, there was no service in the Free Baptist church on Sun

TRURO.

Truro, April 6-Saturday evening Mrs. Joseph Gode, Arthur street, was quite badly hurt. While shopping in Blanchard & Bentley's she fell some feet down the basement steps. She is badly bruised and the doctor fears she has injured the lining of her right lung.

The Easter music Sunday in the churches

was better than any previous year, and was much enjoyed.

The congregation of St. Andrew's Presbyterian church have decided to fill their vacant pulpit, if possible, by calling Rev. A. B. McLeod, of P. E. Island. Mr. Mc-Leod has also a call to a large church in Winnipeg, as assistant paster.

The at home given by Mrs. D. P. Crowe Thursday was very enjoyable. Two little maids requived the guests, and Miss Spencer. Duke street, assisted Mrs. Crowe.
Prof. Edward Stuart has come back
from Lunenburg highly pleased with place and people. He was kindly received and seems to have won his way to all hearts. He gave two recitals in the Methodist church, and thus formally opened the new pipe organ. As a mark of special favor the mayor of the town had the chimes of the mayor of the town had the chimes of the Episcopal church rung, so that the music-loving professor might enjoy them. At his recital he was assisted by Miss May Conrad, of Liverpool, and Mr. and Mrs. McLaughlin. Prof. Stuart also gave a re-

cital in the Lutheran church.
Mrs. James McDonald, Arthur street, has been confined to her home by illness for some time. Her mother, Mrs. Timothy Johnon, is with her, and she hopes soon to

be about again. An organ recital is to be given in St John's Episcopal church this evening, by Prof. G. Wilson, of Sackville Conservatory of Music, assisted by the choir of St.

The Easter sale in the crypt of St. John's yesterday was quite a success, and about \$100 will be added to the treasury. Miss Stavles, of Newcastle (N. B.), is visiting Mrs. Howard Flemming, Main

Seven Million boxes sold in past 12 month

Ing their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Mc street. She will attend the wedding this Bank, who evening of Miss Harriet McCurdy and Mr. McDonald, at Clifton.

Several young people from Placentia (Nfld.), spent Sunday in town en route to the United States. Among the number were the Misses Cush and Helpyard, and Messrs. Arthur and Robert Shand, John S. Cummings, Jabez Bursey and Horatio Green.

Mr. Malcolm Swain, principal of the Antigonish school, spent Easter with friends at Bible Hill. Judge Chipman, of Kentville, was in

Mr. J. H. Stevens, proprietor of the Stanley house, left Tuesday for New Glasgow, accompanied by his daughter. Mr. W. Phillips, who has been spending a few days with friends here, left Monday or his home in Charlottetown. Miss Grace Huestis returned yesterday from a visit to her home in Halifax. Miss Louise Thomas, teacher in the Ar

gyle school, Sydney, spent Easter with her parents at Spion Kop.

Mr. Henry Hollingsworth, Sydney, is a guest with Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Murphy, Mrs. Grant, wife of Rev. H. R. Grant, Trenton, is visiting Mrs. R. S. Boyd, Do-

Mr. and Mrs. B. R. Brownell, Amherst re visiting at Mrs. Brownell's home, In-Mr. J. A. Irving, manager of the Union Bank of Halifax, spent Easter with friends

Mrs. J. D. McNutt has returned to he nome in Sydney. A Miss Alice Barnhill, of Two Rivers, a guest with Miss Bertha Barnhill, Willard

Mr. Burchell, of Sydney, and his wife, came to Truro to meet his daughter, who has been attending Mt. Allison Ladies' College. They all spent the Easter vaca-

The Misses Ida and Jean King, of New lasgow, who have been visiting Mrs. F. O. Linton, Pleasant street, returned home Mr. N. L. Cook, principal of the Manua

Training School at Glace Bay, spent part of the Easter holidays in Truro.

Miss Winnie Nairn has returned to Halifax to resume her studies at the ladies' Mr. Charles A. McCully arrived today

from New York to visit at his old home, Queens street. His mother has been sick Mr. Walter J. Hill., son of Mr. W. G. Hill, and Mr. C. W. Christie, son of Mr. J. W. Christie, left today for Fredericton to attend the military school. Mr. Hill has already been one year in the St. Vincent training ship, Portsmouth (Eng.)

Dr. Joseph Hayes, Parrsboro, was in town this week.
Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Faulkner, Sackville, Easter holidays at her home here.

Miss Gilliland, of the Brown's Flats school, spent the holidays at her home in Westfield.

Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Faulkner, Sackville, Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Faulkner, Sackville, The Many friends of Miss Kate Black who were spending the Easter vacation in town, have returned to their home.

Miss Bessie Halstead, who has been visit
Mrs. James Moffatt has returned home Miss Bessie Halstead, who has been visit-ing Mrs. Frank McMulkin, Arlington Place, left yesterday for New Brunswick.

Mr. George Frieze, of Moncton, is in Halifax, who have been visiting Mrs. John Stanfield, returned home Tuesday. Miss Mary Coffin has returned from a

pleasant trip to Halifax, where she visited Mrs. B. McC. Hart. Mr. J. R. Frizzle, of the Union Bank,

Berwick, was in town for Easter.

Miss Annie Bool, domestic science teach-

er at Wolfville, spent the vacation at her home here.

Mrs. Charles H. Murray, mother of one of the academy students, died at her home in Central Economy on Easter morning. Miss Murray has the sympathy of the Mrs. Charles of the Grand Country, who meet in Amherst on that date. The Hospital board has secured the service of Miss Sheridan, of New Glasgow, as superintendent of the Highland View Hospital. The hospital will be opened in a few days. Miss Murray has the sympathy of the many acquaintances she has made in town. Miss Rita Archibald, Bible Hill, is tway on an extended tour. She has arrived in Seattle, where she will visit her uncle, Mr. Silas Archibald. She purposes seeing Victoria, Tacoma and other places, and will spend some time in Ontario with her aunt, Mrs. Gordon McLellan. Miss Katie Hogg, who has been visiting at Mrs. H. W. Yuill's, Queen street, left

for her home in Picton county Tuesday. Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Jamieson, of Toron to, spent some days in town and have gone

Mr. Vernon Hart, of Halifax, spent Eas Miss Bessie Fulton, of Parrsboro, is visit-

ing at Mr. T. S. H. Harris', Dominion Mr. Charles Harris, of the Union Bank of Halifax, spent Easter with his parents.

Mrs. Melville Armour, of Moncton, has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs.

P. McInnis, Victoria street.

Mr. Forman Faulkner, of Amherst, was in town for Easter.

n town for Easter. Miss Jennie Pattillo, who is in attend-

ance at Acadia Seminary, spent her vaca-tion with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. S. Miss Augusta Anderson, of Sackville, has been visiting her sister, Mrs. M. A.

McLean, Arlington Place.

Mrs. Sarah V. Mack has been spending a few days in Halifax. Mrs. John T. Ryan, of Sydney, has been

in town visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. James McMillan. AMHERST.

Amherst, N. S., April 7-The voting contest for a name for the hospital, held n the parish house hall last evening, proved very interesting, and resulted as fol-lows: Highland View, 978; Royal Alex-

ander, 267 Mr. and Mrs. Howard Keith received an agreeable surprise, when about thirty of their friends waited upon them at their home on Monday evening to celebrate their | third wedding anniversary. During the evening an address was read, on behalf of their friends, and they were given a souvenir of the occasion. The evening was pleasantly spent in music and games, after which a dainty lunch was served. Before leaving, the party wished Mr. and Mrs. Keith, who made their guests feel very much at home, many years of happiness. Mrs. Dickie and two daughters, who have been spending the winter in Halifax. will return to Amherst this week. During their absence they have been greatly miss-ed, and society welcomes them back. Miss Gwendoline Main is visiting her sister, Mrs. Arch. Mcall, New Glasgow

is now convale cent.

Mr. Justice Weatherbee of Halifax was vartz, of the Royal

Mrs. J. L. Peters. and Mrs. Short Mr. Dennison is the The many friends of Mrs. A. McKinnon,

seriously ill with rheumatic fever. Mrs. H. S. Alexander, of Campbellton (N. B.), is the guest of Mrs. W. B. Murdock, Spring street. Miss Alice Alexande also spent a day on her way to Halifax, to take up her studies at the ladies' college Mrs. James Hickey, accompanied by he son, Mr. Charles Bowser, and her sister Mrs. Eagles, of Lynn (Mass.), and who have been visiting friends in Boston, New York and Philadelphia for the past number of weeks, returned home on Tuesday even

Havlock street, will regret to hear she is

have returned from Halifax, where they spent the Easter holidays with their brother, James A. Schimgeour, who sailed in the Oruro on Monday morning for Trini-dad to take a position of second master in Naparina College, San Fernando. Mr. H. J. Logan, M. P., left Saturday

for Ottawa. Mr. Kenneth Townshend, of the Bank of Montreal, St. John, who has been pending his Easter vacation with his other, Mrs. J. Medley Townshend, Vicoria street, returned to his work in St.

Miss Nita Bent, who has been spendin the winter with her sister, Mrs. H. A. Hillcoat, left this week for her home in New London (Conn.) Mr. Fred. Bent will accompany her as far as Portland

The many friends of Mr. Barry D. Ber will regret to hear he is still confined to his house, in Eddy street. Mr. Bent has been ill for about three weeks, and although a little improved today, his case is far from being satisfactory to his friends Miss Hartz, of Halifax, is in town, and will spend the spring months with her sister, Mrs. L. N. Campbell, Church street

lways a welcome visitor.

The Misses Helen and Marion Black students of Mount Allison College, Sack-ville, are spending a few days with their aunt, Mrs. Dimock Archibald. Rev. W. F. Gaetz, of Parrsboro, has been

nvited to become the pastor of the Am nerst Methodist church, invitation to take effect Jrne 1, 1905. It is not learned whether the reverend gentleman has exepted cr not

Messrs. Noel Black, Vaughan Black and Harry Rockham are among the students who are spending the Easter holidays with their parents in town. J. J. Tayler, C. E. and Mrs. Taylor, o

New Glasgow, and Miss Peters, of Mone ton, are the guests of Mrs. Cresswell, at The Many friends of Miss Kate Black

Mrs. James Moffatt has returned home after a pleasant visit with her daughter, Mrs. Wheeler, St. John West (N. B.) Miss Gladys Pettis, who has ben visit ng Mrs. W. G. Calhon, at the Terrace otel, returned to her home in Port Gre ville (N. S.) this week.

Mrs. Rodd, of Moncton, is visiting her daughter, Miss M. E. Rodd, this week.

The members of the Amherst Council Royal Arcanum, have issued invitations for a dinner to be given on Tuesday ever ing, April 12. The event is given in honor of the members of the Grand Council

a few days.

Mr. Garnet K. Chapman left today for
Montreal, on a business trip. Mrs. Chapman, accompanied him. They will be absent about two weeks.

Miss Jennie Cook, who has been visiting friends in town for the past month will return to her home in Moneton this week. Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Barris will ac-

company her to Moncton, where they will spend a month with their parents.

Amhenst, N. S., April 8—(Special)—Aulae station, on the Intercolonial Railway, midway between Amhenst (N. S.) and Sackville (N. B.) was totally destroyed by fire this afternoon. The fire originated from a defective flue and there being no appliances nothing could be done to save the building. The freight and telegraph instruments were removed by the train hands. This is an important station, ell the traffic from Westmorland points, Mt.

DIGBY.

Miss Peters, daughter of the premier Sunday in town visiting at the home of Prince Edward Island, is a guest at the her parents.

home of Dr. Du Vernet.

Mr. P. C. Hearrs, accountant of the Union Bank here, went to Halifax Good Friday and returned Monday.

Mrs. Gwen. Dakin and Mrs. Madge Stewart are visiting friends in Halifax. Mr. J. A. Irving, manager of the Unio Bank here, spent Easter at his home i

Mesers, Arthur Lane and Lloyd Irone. of the Bank of Nova Scotia staff here, spent Easter with their parents, the former at Yarmouth and the latter at Moncton. Mr. A. E. Williams and wife went to Yarmouth for Easter. Mr. James Meakel, of the Bank of Mon-

treal, St. John, came home on Saturday Mr. E. Hart Nichols returned Tuesday from a three days visit to Yarmouth.

Miss Lyle McCormick, of Bridgetown, s the guest of her sister, Mrs. W. B.

Dr. Charles Gates, of North Brookfield, spent Easter in Digby with his mother.

Mr. S. A. Vye has been quite id but

on a visit to Digby this week.

Mess Bertha Hawkesworth, of Marble-

Miss Nichols, of St. John, was here Easter with her mother, Mrs. Mary Nichols. Mr. F. C. Whitman, of Annapolis, was

n town Wednesday.

Miss Mary Buckler, of Annapolis, epent Easter here with Mrs. De Balinhard. Dr. Peters, of Annapolis, has been visiting his sister, Mrs. Du Vernet, for a few days, returning home on Monday.

Mr. J. Allan Loggie, of Chatham, who has been employed in the Bank of Nova-Scotia here for a couple of years, left to-day for Yamouth, he having been prooted to a position in the branch there. Dieby, N. S., April 8-A number of Digby county boat fishermen are placing orders for gasolene launches to be used instead of small sailing craft. These boats are being built at Port Maitland and Shel-

Capt. Howard Anderson, of the late firm of Anderson & Letteny, will continue the wholesale fish business alone on the premises occupied by the old firm at the

A number of new buildings will be erected in Centreville, Digby county, this summer, including a residence for A. Boutilier, of the firm of A. Boutilier & Co., one of Digby county's leading whole-sale fish firms. A number of new houses and considerable building improvements will take place in town during the spring

Albert Lutz, of Moncton (N. B.), in ends offering for sale his fast racing yacht Regina. This is the boat which won the nterprovincial cup from the Hermes in Digby waters during the summer of 1901. Work is progressing rapidly on the fish ers and riggers are in demand.

There were seven births in Digby during will spend the spring months with her sister, Mrs. L. N. Campbell, Church street. Miss Hartz has visited here before, and is Meteghan Tuesday from the West Indies and has gone on the marine slip for re-

The tern schooner Arthur M. Gibson Capt. Millburn, which towed from Bear River Wednesday with lumber for West Indies, went to sea this morning. Tern schooner Golden Rule, Capt. Nickerson, from Annapolis with lumber for the West Indies, sailed yesterday.
Schooner Genesta, Capt. Holmes, is on

the blocks at Granville Ferry.
Capt. Walter Morehouse, of Sandy Cove,
left yesterday for Vancouver to command

PARRSBORO.

Parrsboro, N. S., April 7-Quite a nur son; Miss Fauline Price, of Acadia Seminary; V. B. Fullerton and Karl McAleese, of Mount Allison.

Mrs. Francis L. Jenks entertained a number of her friends at a turkey supper on Thursday evening, giving them an op-portunity of meeting her friend, Mrs. Og-

Mrs. Ogden left on Tuesday to visit her son in Aylesford. son in Aylesford.

Miss Bessie Forsythe, of Amherst, spent her Easter holidays with her friends here. The ladies of St. James Presbyterian church held a social in the Band Hall on Monday evening, and was very much enjoyed by all present. About \$40 was realized and donated for church purposes. Miss Alice Smith, who are teaching at Five Islands, enjoyed their Easter vacation at their homes and returned to their schools on Monday.

Mrs. Johnson Spicer, Miss Lizzie Spicer, and Miss Beatrice Spicer left on Tuesday
for a trip to Boston. Miss Beatrice Spicer
will enter the New England Hospital to
go in training for a nurse.

A large number have taken advantage
of the fine surer weather and in parties.

have visited the maple groves where they enjoyed the hospitality of the sugar-makers. On Friday and on Wednesday Mr. and Mrs. Amos Hanna, of Lakelands, entertained some of their friends in this way. The "sugaring off" was a sweet experience to the rarties. perience to the parties.
Mr. A. Gaetz, brother of Rev. Mr.

Gaetz, has taken a position as book-keeper with Messrs. Fullerton & Son. Rev. D. K. Grant was inducted into the pastoral charge of St. James Presbyterian church on Tuesday evening. Mr. Grant has been acting minister of the congregation for several months, having been ap-pointed to the position by the session. His services have been so highly appreci-ated that a call was extended to him, which he has accepted. The induction service was in charge of Rev. Dr. Seds Digby N. S., April 6.—Mr. John E. Allen, of the Bank of Montreal, St. John, pleasantly supprised his friends here an Monday by spending a few hours with

ones. At 6 o'clock the young guests took leave of their little hostess and her mother. There were many pretty little

friendship gifts.

Mrs. John W. Ouseley and Mrs. Jennings, both of Habitax, are in Brooklyn, Hants county, where they intend making a lengthy visit at the home of their brother, S. M. Weeks, M. D.

Miss Isabel Clift, daughter of Rev. Mr.

nesday to visit at the home of Mr. Tre-maine's parents at Port Hood (C.B.). Miss Gertie Curry has returned from Montreal, where she visited Rev. J. A. and Mrs. Gordon. Mr. and Mrs. F. T. Handsombody went to Halifax Saturday to visit Dr. and Mrs. Bullock.

Hon. Dr. Borden was in town last Thursday for a short time, on his way to Canning.
To Miss Janie Curry and Miss Jenni Forbes is due the highest praise for the excellent Easter concert they were instrumental in getting up in St. John's Presbyterian Sunday school. The success of the concert and collection was most gratifying.

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Miss Ellie Burnham arrived in towns Saturday and will remain several weeks the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Charles deW. Smith.

Mr. Claude K. Eville, accountant of the Union Bank at St. John, came to Windsor Thursday last and remained for a few days with Mr. and Mrs. John M. Smith at "Island Home."

Miss Carrie DeWit, eldest daughter of Dr. DeWit, Wolfville, is visiting Miss Mary Smith.

Miss Antoinette Forbes has returned from Little Harbor, Pictou county, where her mother resides.

Among the Easter visitors was Miss Mary Dimock, of Halifax, who spent a few days at the home of Mrs. F. W. Dimock. She intends leaving for Toronto in June to visit her brother.

Miss Ella McCrowe, Halifax, is spending this week with Mrs. H. Bliss Murphy, King street. She presided at the Methodist church organ Sunday, and her playing was appreciated.

Thursday last Mr. H. V. Harris moved his family from Truro to Windsor and they are occupying Mrs. George Bradshaw's residence at Avonton. As manager of that Midland Railway, Mr. Harris will retain his head offices at Truro and will be in that town the greater part of Miss Gladys Ells, Miss Vera Ells, Alies Winnie Newcombe, Miss Meda Reagh (Middleton), Miss Beatrice Martin, Miss Winnie Newcombe, Miss Meda Reagh (Middleton), Miss Beatrice Martin, Miss Wings Winnie Newcombe, Miss Meda Reagh (Middleton), Miss Beatrice Martin, Miss Wings Winnie Newcombe, Miss Meda Reagh (Middleton), Miss Beatrice Martin, Miss Wings Winnie Newcombe, Miss Meda Reagh (Middleton), Miss Beatrice Martin, Miss Wings Winnie Newcombe, Miss Meda Reagh (Middleton), Miss Beatrice Martin, Miss Wings Winnie Newcombe, Miss Mindle Reagh (Middleton), Miss Beatrice Martin, Miss Wings Winnie Newcombe, Miss Middleton), Miss Beatrice Martin, Miss Wings Winnie Newcombe, Miss Cite Windelle, Miss Joseie Windleton), Miss Beatrice Martin, Miss Beatrice Martin, Miss Beatrice Martin, Miss Wings Winnie Newcombe, Miss Ells Wings Wings Winnie Newcombe, Miss Cite Windelle, Miss Joseie Wings Wings Winnie Newcombe, Miss Cite Woodworth, Mi ing was appreciated.

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The Misses Bullock, of Halifax, who are pupils at Edgehill, are spending the Easter vacation here with their parents, Rev. W. H. and Mrs. Bullock. Mr. Bullock has assumed the rectorship of Ohnist church, while the rector, Rev. S. Weston Jones, is traveling through the provinces in the interests of Kings College.

Mrs. C. P. Shaw, who, since breaking up housekeeping, has been making her home with her daughter, Mrs. Percy H. Smith, returned Monday from Halifax, where she has been visiting relutives.

After a delightful visit of several weeks with her sister, Mrs. Horace Longley, Bridgewater, Mrs. Nora Black has returned home. The Misses Bullock, of Halifax, who are

ed home.

Charles Hensley, manager of the Canadian Bank of Commerce, at Canning, spent Sunday and Monday in town.

Last January, Rev. H. F. Zuricker, rector at Newpout, was invited to take charge of the new mission at Inverness (C.B.), but has decided to remain at his present charge. This makes the third call the has received since going to Newport.

Mess Meda Reagn, or Middleton, is the guest of her sister, Mrs. A. M. Shaw.

Mr. F. B. Farrell, who has been spending the winter in Providence (R. I.), arrived home Wedneeday. Sydney, April 6.-Sydney has nothing to report in a social way this week owing to the action of the city council in orde ing the churches, schools and all public gatherings discontinued owing to small-pox in the shacks at the pier district.

The Masonic ball for which preparations were almost completed, had to be post-poned, also the bachelors' ball for which invitations were should be be post-poned. invitations were about to be issued.

Rev. W. H. Smith, of Summerside, has accepted the call of Falmouth etreet Presbyterian church and will preach here on

Sunday, April 24.
Dr. Kendall, M. P., arrived home from Ottawa to spend the Easter holidays.

Alex. Johnston, M. P., is spending the
Easter holidays at Hartford (Conn.)

M. S. Lou Thomas and Miss Logan are

visiting in Truro.
Miss Edgecombe is spending the holiday at her home in Dartmouth.

Miss Marr and Mrs. McNab have re turned from Moneton where they were called on account of the death of their

Prof. Horrigan left Monday for Windson where he will lecture on An evening with

Mrs. John Knox McLeod has been visiting her mother in Glace Bay.

Mrs. William McLeod, who has been visiting in New York for some time, is expected home in about a week.

Friends of Mr. and Mrs. Lefebvre will be corry to hear of their intended removal from Sydney.

Mrs. Rice, formerly Miss Dobson of Westmount, is making an extended visit at

KENTVILLE. Kentville, April 7-Monday night the

Monday by spending a few hours with them.

Mr. Ernest Fairweather, of Horton Academy, visited home here from Thursday to Monday.

Mr. C. Jamson went to St. John on Monday en route to Boston and will return Saturday.

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windsor, April 7—Mr. A. E. Jones, son of Lieutenant Governor Jones, of Halifax, spent Easter here, with Mrs. Nagle. Mr. Jones' two daughters, who attend "Edgerial" are spending their vacation with Mrs. Nagle, King street.

John Marsters, who is in charge of the D. A. R. office, Boston, was in town Tuesday evening, and left the next morning for Boston. He has been spending a few days at his old home at Kentville and attended the fancy dress ball given there Monday evening. Mr. Masters, for several years, was stationed here. He was elected president of the Canadian Club in Boston this year.

Margaret Eville, the three-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. E. Eville, had a number of her little children at a birthday party on Tuesday afternoon. The little folk seemed to thoroughly enjoy themselves. Tea was served, a number of Mrs. Eville's friends assisting her in looking after the wants of the little ones. At 6 o'clock the young guests took leave of their little hostess and her law of the little hostess and her law of the little host of the little host of the little host of the little host of the lattle host of the little host of the lattle host of the little host of the lattle host of the lattle

rually will remove all inflammation, and is a can keep in the house. It has cured for over a times as much, 50c. Sold by all druggists.

Hugh Simpson.

Misses Frances Crowe and Kate Moore,

upils at Mount St. Vincent, are home

Dr. Colin Campbell and Mrs. Campbell spent part of last week in Canning.

Miss Beatnice Blanchard, of Truro, is

the guest of Mrs. P. Gifkins.

Miss Grace Mennie, who is teaching in
Westville, Pictou, left Monday to resume

her work.

Mr. Burgess McKittrick, principal of Lunenburg Academy, spent Easter at his

old home.

Mr. and Mrs. T. R. Robertson with

Mrs. P. C. Woodworth entertained

TO FIGHT RUSSIA.

to Help the Japs.

On Saturday the Fredericton Gleaner an

ounced that John Jones and Frank Mc-

DONALD FRASER & SONS

Reply to Circular of the Van Buren Lumber

Fredericton, April 11.-Donald Fraser

Sons have issued a reply to the circular let-ter which the Van Buren Lumber Co. have distributed to the members of the house.

"The Van Buren Lumber Co., Ltd., whose

The circular of Messrs. Fraser states:

Company, and Give Straight Talk.

Manamin of that city had made application

Miss Meda Reagh.

REV. GEORGE E. LLOYD Gives Instructions to Persons Intending to Join the Barr Colony.

ON & CO., 232 Summer Street, Boston, Mass.

Immigrants for the British colony in Saskatchewan this spring are strongly advised by the older settlers in that community that unless they leave England before May I they had better not attempt to reach Lloydminster by way of Saskatoon and the 200 mile trail. The better route by way of the river, from Strathcona is urged.

The people in the Saskatchewan Valley, are evidently, expecting a large influx of new settlers from the old country this spring and are making preparations to receive them.

The following letter from the Rev. George Exton Lloyd, M. A., chaplain of the colony, is one of a number of communications written recently by parties well informed as to the new country, for the benefit of newcomers.

Mr. Lloyd says: "For the information of those who may have friends in the old-country who anticipate coming out here in the spring, I wish to say that only those who leave England before May I are advised to travel via Saskatoon and the 200 mile trail to Lloydminster.

"All those who leave England after that date (especially those bringing families) are advised to book through to Strathcoma (near Edmonton), and then come down the river to the colony landing place near Fort Pitt. From there it is only 200 miles by trail to Lloydminster.

"Those coming in from various places in Canada should reach Stathcona about May 21, and it is imperatively necessary. that those who intend to come of Strathcona and the river, should notify me of dietir finetention not less than one mouth ahead of sailing; otherwise the river, people may not provide sufficient formans of the Canadian agents in England. It contains valuable 6d, vice, for intending settlers,"

BAY CHALLUR SERVICE.

Mr. and Mrs. T. R. Robertson with Master Jim spent the week in town, the guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. Lovitt.

Miss Fulton, of Acacia Villa school, was the guest of Mrs. E. G. Morton for Easter Miss Jennie Ross, a former principal of the academy, was in town last week.

Miss Margaret McLaughlin, of Yarmouth, is the guest of Miss Alice Chipman M. Connolly Likely to Get the Con-

tract This Year.

The company organized for the purpose of tendering on the Bay Chaleur service have had to abandon the project this season, says: Campbellton Events, as they were unable to procure a suitable boat in time. They can be a suitable to procure the suitable boat in time. few friends at a musicale Tuesday.

Mr. C. P. Blanchard and Miss Dorothy
Blanchard were in town on Tuesday. to procure a suitable boat in time. The committee did eyerything in their power to buy a suitable boat and failing in this, fried to time-charter but without success. They have petitioned the government to grant the contract for this year only, to enable them to build or procure a boat for next season, making Campbelfton the western terminus. It is understood that M. Connolly in accordance with the expressed feeling of the entire Bay Chaleur, has signified his intention of putting a first class boat on the route this season with the terminus at Campbellton if he secures the contract. The new company had about \$70,000 capital subscribed and had the matter been taken up early last fall there is no doubt it could have been carried through successfully. The company met with a severe loss in the death, of Mr. John Nadeau who took a great interest in the project and who was really the promoter of the enterprise. Five Fredericton Young Men Want

The South's Power.

Manamin of that city had made application for positions on a bearer corps being organized in Montreal to help out the Japs in their scrap with the Russians. Thirty dollars a month is promised, and all expenses guaranteed during the campaign. The moment the Canadian volunteer sets sail from Canada across the Pacific for Tokio he has six months salary in advance put in his hand, to bind the agreement.

Since Saturday afternoon three more men have made applications for positions on the corps. Those referred to are Robert Phillips, who saw service with the 2nd C. M. R. in South Africa, Frank Valentine, who also was in the scrapping with the Boers, and William Doak, who was a member of the special regiment at Halifax some years ago. The young men, says the Gleaner, are all anxious to get to the front and hope to have satisfactory answers from their applications this week. The South was leading in industrial development in 1860, especially in railroad building. She had dominated this Republic, from its very existence, which she brought about. She will again dominate this country, not only commercially and industrial about. She will again dominered the try, not only commercially and industrially, but politically. The Southern people have before them a greater opportunity now than any other people in the world have ever had. We hope to see them reap the full benefit of this opportunity, for it belongs to them by right. While we are glad to welcome men with capital and enterprise from other sections, we think that our own people should awake to a realization of the glorious possibilities before them and make an effort to reap the golden harvest.—Dixie Manufacturer.

What is Electricity. What is electricity? The question is a difficult one. Its effects are known, but what it really is cannot be precisely said. That it is one of the various forms of energy there is no doubt, and it would certainly appear one of the most wonderful forms. Let it be clearly understood (a scientific journal points out) that electricity is not a power in itself: it is simply a form of energy; and as such can be produced only by the expenditure of an equi-The circular of Messrs. Fraser states:

"The Van Buren Lumber Co., Ltd., whose mills are on the American side of the St. John River, claim to hold all the important mill sites on the said river between Van Buren and Baker Brook, included, and have allowed those mill sites to remain idde for years. Though this Baker Brook Mill site has not been utilized for over seventeen years, scarcely had we acquired the timber limits on Baker, Brook some few years ago, before the Van Buren Lumber Co., Ltd., purchased three acres of land on the lower side of Baker Brook upon which lot of land it would be necessary for us to abut a dam if we erected a mill on that brook. The price paid was \$750. Shortly after we offered that company \$1,000 for those three acres, but they refused to accept anything less than four thousand. Should we have to pay at this rate to others, including the adverse claimants to be befored the building of a mill at Baker Brook could not be considered. On the 29th of March last and after the introduction of this bill the Van Buren Lumber Co., Ltd., obtained a deed of another piece of land, (where the mill will have to be built) on the upper side of Baker Brook opposite their above mentioned lot, from a party who we were previously advised, has no title whatever, either documentary or by possession. The consideration for this deed, was, it therein appears, the sum of \$1. Is it not fair to infer that it is the plan of the Van Buren Lumber Co., Ltd., to control all these mill sites for the very purpose of preventing the establishing of mills on the province side, which might compete with them? We point with confidence to the largely signed petition of the people of the locality in our favor.

"Are you desirous that an American Company should monopolize our (provincial) mills sites to the ext. of making it impossible for us to followed for the making it impossible for us to followed for the making it impossible for us to followed for the making it impossible for us to followed for the making it impossible for valent amount of energy in some other form-heat or mechanical work for in-

stance.-Dixie Manufacturer.

Few people realize how enormously electric roads have increased in this country during the last few years. Fifteen years ago, it is said, their total length was only eighty miles, with 172 cars in use. According to a government report of last June there were then 22,589 miles, 67,199 cars in operation. With few exemptions, they in operation. With few exceptions they are paying so well and are so generally patronized that their construction is rapidly increasing. They cost but little more to build than hard roads and all classes of people seem able and willing to pay the small charge for riding on them.—Dixia

Greenough-"By the way, doctor, is my friend Sleeper seriously ill?"
Dr. Slismart—"I'll be frank with you; his disease is really a dangerous one. He may be as well as ever tomorrow and he may not live the week out. In either case, you must see. I lose a patient.

Poetaster-"This line is out of plumb; I've got to put another syllable in it."
Admiring Friend—"Why not put in damn'? That's a good word; at any rate, avs takes with a theatre audience."

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Mr. William Sel

Clift, of Aiken (S.C.), is spending her vacation at the home of Mrs. Edward Dimock, "Thornton."
Mr. and Mrs. Hadley B. Tremain, mas-

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BEFORE THE CURTAIN RISES.

Once a battle has been fought there tale of both Japan and Russia will learn The capitals will send out official accounts, and following these will come the descriptive stories of those reporters who were lucky enough to be attached to the

The lack of definite news during the last few days has been ominous. Apparently upon despatches containing anything remen and generals find themselves in a situ at on like that now existing in the Far East they forget the outside world until there is news so good-or so bad-that it must be told.

THE MONEY.

Next year will be Fredericton's turn treceive the grant, the dates of the exhib tion here were announced last November and it would certainly be unfair for S John to grast the grant this year for the Champlain celebration, and then demand another for an exhibition next year.—Fred-

bercentenary programme, and the celebration will be on a scale which has never been attempted hitherto in this part of Canada. St. John may have an exhibition best ever held in the province. Frederic during these events than almost any other community, and all of them will be glad

"grab" any money at the expense of the Fredericton exhibition which will be held when the right time comes.

the legislators at Fredericton will vote reasonable aid to ensure the carrying out

of the programme in admirable fashion. The Fredericton Herald very properly remarked some days ago that the St. John river did not both rise and empty in this city, the stream being common to the de man has yet taken any but bration, St. John is confident that the money required will be forthcoming and pride. St. John will pay its full share ture will be expected to make a grant, just as it will, at another time, make a grant in aid of the exhibition at Fred-

OUR "FROZEN" PORTS.

The English make some woeful blunders Lord Strathcona and others are gradually are most harmful. In the British House of Commons recently Sir C. McLaren, M. P. for Leicestershire, who is a nephew of My Dear Sir,the late John Bright, tried to correct a

The Chancellor had intimated

winter as are Liverpool or London Lord always accessible; its navigation, even during the winter months, is never impeded

fect of ice here and at Halifax will not welcomed in the sister city. Halifax really deserves a less qualified certificate; but the general trend of Lord Strathcona's reply will be praised in Canada and should do somegarding ports which are constantly loading and discharging British liners throughout

Esquiment and Port Simpson. His lord-Canada, but, as this incident in the Commone indicates, the work is of discouraging magnitude.

THE ODDS AND THE COMING TEST.

While the world watches the Yalu and

cannot bring her weight to bear:

Napoleon's famous dictum applies in Jadown. He could turn slightly to one side, the Lilliputians could and did walk over tended wrist, as distant, comparatively,

St. Petersburg. sale killing. The proof of the real

PROHIBITION AND POLITICS The oracular reply of Premier Ross

clergymen who waited on him last Monto fulfil his pledges with regard to prohi-

"Deserted at the Altar," in which Mr. wise: "Whereby, why not? If so, what odds? Can any man say otherwise? No,

Premier Ross had pledeged himself to give an answer within forty-eight hours. He took three hours grace, and then handed out the following:

April 6, 1904.

desire to express my concurrence in the views presented by the different speakers, that nothing short of the prohibition of the sale of liquor in hotels and restrictions over sales for purposes generally recognized as proper and legitimate would fully protect society from the evil effects of excessive drinking so far as legislation can be invoked for that number of the property o

Your decided preference for such a measure as against amendments to the license law I understand to mean that you do not favor at present any other form of temperance legislation.

If the government is unable to give the measure desired this session it will be our duty to consider what means are avail-

able for further action.

Yours truly, W. G. ROSS.

the hope that something good was conceal- and for its stalwart defence of provin

"I have been praying for Mr. Ross for a long time," said Rev. Dr. Carman, general superintendent of the Methodist today with an easy conscience." But Dr. Carman added that he was hopeful concerning the whole situation.

Rev. Dr. McKay, of Woodstock, said: "It reminds me of an incident in the life of the late Sir John A. Macdonald. A friend of his, who was also a strong Liber have my prayers and sympathy, but I must give my vote to my party.' Sir John I would prefer that your prayers and sym pathy should go to the other party and house, and expects him to "stand by hi

oft-repeated pledge." One fact is quite noticeable in the vari dissociate temperance principles from political predilections.

A BURNING QUESTION.

watch the next chapter of the bill's history with keen interest.

and when, is this city going to only in levying and assessing taxes, but also in collecting them? The present system of assess

one, reflecting no credit upon its authors. And it is all the worse because it is not properly enforced.

of borrowing the money to meet all ex running up very rapidly, and the principa must be provided for some day. The cour

amount they should pay this year, about \$3,720. Adding on the Bank of New Brunswick's taxes, at last year's figures, there would be a total of \$17,391.

If the present bill is passed in the house, it will mean that the city will lose Bank of Montreal. Yet the present bill will reduce the taxes of these institutions,

The bill as originally pre no good reason why they should not pay their full share. Legislation which permits them to escape a part of their taxes is inthem to escape a part of their taxes is in-defensible. St. John's representatives in start this morning and is gradually break-In reply to the deputation which I the legislature should consider the city's ing up.

rights. The fruits of the enlightened agr ment in this particular has been of great value to the people generally, since, as the Attorney-General says, the success of the

The budget speech which Hon. Mr. length elsewhere, and deserves careful

amounts which our ministers are convinced the Dominion now unjustly withholds from

The directors of the exhibition associa government grant. If by this action they tion of the Champlain tercentenary, it will not add to the popularity of the exhibition. There is a possibility, however that the government may yet agree to give a small grant toward the tercentenary cele bration, which must be carried out.

Some curiosity appears to have been ex pressed on the subject of subscriptions toward the tercentenary fund. Any member of the exhibition association who desires to contribute will no doubt find an open door.

An exhibition is a good thing. The proposed Champlain celebration is a good thing. Neither should be allowed to kill the other. It would have been a gracefu celebration cannot be postponed, and cerbe abandoned. Doubtless the St. John trong plea for at least a small grant, and appeal again to the council. The position of affairs is anything but satisfactory.

THE ASSESSMENT LAW.

The St. John assessment law must be public services are increasing, and call for some of the banks would pay more; but two of them, the Bank of New Brunswick and Bank of Montreal, would pay less. After all the explanatory and apologetic talk has been poured into his ears, the citizen who will have to pay more taxes this year is still conscious of the fact that two of natural question: Who is better able to pay taxes than the banks and why should there be any reduction in the case of any one of them?

But the purpose of the bank as bill was to produce more money for civic for the increase will be but trifling Where, then, are funds to come from? Certainly the problem is not an easy one to solve, but the requirements of the public services will compel a solution of some kind within the next few years.

W. B. Snowball, manager of the J. B. Snowball Company, Ltd., has returned from Great Britain and the continent. He is not favorably impressed with the conditions prevailing in the deal markets on that side of the Atlantic. He found many who are usually ready buyers not disposed towards making engagements at prvailing prices, as they appear to think they may be able to do better by-and-bye. Mr. Snowball says the stocks on the other side are quite large, a fact which encourages a waiting policy on the part of buyers.—Miramichi Advance.

Woodstock, N. B., April 10-(Special)-

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GREATER OAK HALL,

fing Street, (or. Germain. St. John, A. B.

NOTE AND COMMENT. Mr. John Charlton's health has so much aproved that it is hoped he will soon be ble to take his place in parliament.

county, should have avoided the prefer-

prevent the banks and all similar institufull share of the civic burden. It is probable that the provincial budget

the house is not expected to conclude its

ome representing a Power virtually one of the Empire's allies. cient supply of water and the present al-

In Mr. Flemming's opinion, Hon. Mr. Labillois' prescription for that tired feeling will not be satisfactory to the suffering carriage makers. But the prescription

Fredericton continues to hurl at the St. John aldermen the charge that they do not know what they want. It is false. The aldermen always want what they did not want yesterday.

This country would feel a great deal asier in mind concerning the G. T. P. if money in the enterprise and had less in vested at Portland (Me.).

Wheat, which was quoted not long since at 110 3-4 in Winnipeg, was down to 90 3-8 one day last week, in the same mar ket. That should make considerable difference in the price of flour. Cape Breton has produced two prize

fighters. But perhaps they were compelled when they were young to listen to sermons preached in Gaelic. A too harsh judgment should not be pronounced without enquiry.

If we may judge by an article from a Chicago newspaper which is reproduced on another page, his Chicago congregation and at least one newspaper man have been most favorably impressed by Rev. Dr Morison. He is an able man and Ohicago sorely needs more like him. If Russia actually has 400,000 troops in

Manchuria there is material for some heavy fighting. Apparently, however, the Russians would not risk a conflict in northern Corea, where it had all along been anticipated that the first heavy engagement would occur. The study of Latin is optional with stu- MORE MONCTON MEN

dent teachers in Ontario. An effort is being made to restore it to the compulsory list. The Ontario Educational Association cided by a vote of 132 to 65 in favor of making Latin a compulsory subject in the examination for teachers; but the anti-Latinists are confident that the minister of education will not yield.

The total sum for these purposes is \$74, street sprinkling. The people of Toronto believe in clean streets. The people of St. John may have similar aspirations, but

The following statement appears in the Montreal Gazette: "The government of New Brunswick is desirous of making

province, but more particularly as to the orests of good timber which are there found. To this end they are conferring The Globe says Mr. Smith, of Carleton | ter. It is possible that the government may join with the company in a system once question. That is what Mr. Hazen of advertising the province's natural resources."

Wanted-An assessment bill that will One of the promoters of the Trans-Canada railivay declares that the company finally decided to build the G. T. P. line will be delivered at Fredericton today, but south of Lake Winnipeg, whereas the Trans-Canada takes a much shorter route | FORMER GOT TWO YEARS. north of that lake. "Besides being invalu-The tax rate is high, but it will be ports instead of one, namely, James Bay, higher next year if St. John has a suffi- the Saguenay and Quebec, and the shortest route to Halifax and St. John in win-

dermen still spend the money of the tax- ter." Although the franchise bill did not pass in its original form, the city council may be able to assist those citizens who are sibly it may devise some means of making them pay their taxes promptly. Then they will be able to vote, and the city will sethe amount assessed. That should make both parties happy.

> The Gazette intimates that Mr. George Robertson will not be appointed Surveyor General until Premier Tweedie has satischance for no one except Mr. James Barnes. Save the Review:-

"Some of the opposition newspap busy reconstructing the provincial govern-ment. The Sun publishes a rumor to the effect that the Surveyor-General-ship may go to York and that the claims of Kent o cabinet representation may be over looked. These reports are mere guess-work. The Surveyor-General should repre-sent a North Shore constituency and we believe that when the appointment is made t will go to Mr. Barnes, of Kent.

ALIFAX LAW STUDENT MAKES TROUBLE FOR JERE, MCAULIFFE.

Halifax, April 11—(Special)—Jere Mc-Auliffe and Manager Medealf, of the Academy of Music, appeared in the police court this morning on warrants issued by one John Wood, who claimed to had been held up to ridicule by one of the members of the McAuliffe Company.

Medealf was acquitted, but McAuliffe has to appear again tomorrow. The affair is creating considerable sensation.

HELD UP AND ROBBED

Moncton, N. B., April 10.-(Special)-Max Casey reported to the police yesterday that while going home to Lewisville last Thursday night he was beaten into insensibility and robbed. The alleged assault and robbery took place at Robinson's Creek bridge. Casey says his assailant got \$10, the rest of his renew heing in another. Another Lewisville man reports losing

\$52 on the same night. Both men are I. C. R. employes and received their pay on the night in question. The latter does not know how he lost his money but thinks he was robbed in some way. The police have had a busy time the last two nights, the lockup being taxed to One arrest last night was for carrying

Briggs-"Wonder what makes Bright Griggs—"I am told that he hasn't looked at a thermometer, winter or summer, for

FOR TORONTO MEN

SCOVIL BROS. & CO.

April 13, 1904

Deputy Returning Officers and Polling Clerks Sent to Prison.

And the Latter a Year Each -- Prisoners Were Found Guilty of Conspiracy in Civic Election -- Judge Scores Them Severely--Appeal to Be Made to Minister of Justice.

Toronto, April 10-(Special)-Judge Winchester yesterday in the sessions sentenced the election officers found guilty of conspiracy at the last civic election. The deputy returning officers got two years, less one day, and the poll clerks one year in the central prison. His honor refused the reserve case asked on behalf of Mr.

The men sentenced are D. Rose, Sam Thompson, Frank A. Gray, druggist; and A. Cahoon, painter, poll clerk; Lieut. Col. Gray and Thos. Kerr, a student. Judge Winchester, before pronouncing sentence, said to the prisoners:— "It is not the first time you have com-

mitted this offence, but it is the first time you have been convicted. You recognized that you had done wrong the first time, but still you continued to carry on the crime. If the men in whom the public this country go wrong, then the people will proper men, and anarchy would soon follow. You were well advised by your counsel when you pleaded guilty, but this crime must be stopped."

On behalf of the condemned officials an appeal will be made to the minister of jus-

YARMOUTH P. O. CLERK, INVOLVED, QUITS TOWN,

Yarmouth, N. S., April 8—Although in receipt of good salary as chief clerk in the post office here Max W. Allen was not content. About fifteen months ago he went into the livery stable business and secured a contract for carrying mails between Yarmouth and Tusket Wedge and intervening villages. As the old line continued to operate a freight and passenger service both lines were swamped. Allen became involved, although unkown to friends, to the extent of several thousand dollars.

On Monday he left for Bridgetown, having obtained leave from the postmaster to be gone until Tuesday. He said he was going to purchase horses. He wrote a note to his wife from Digby that he would return no more, as he was too heavily involved. The shock to his wife, who did not know anything was wrong, was great. The only creditor secured is J.R. Wyman, his backer in the livery venture. Others are filing attachments on his furniture. Much regret is felt here for the whole occurrence.

KEEP THE LITTLE ONES WELL.

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THE SEMI-WEEKLY TELEGRAPH, ST. JOHN, N. B., WEDNESDAY, APRIL 13, 1904.

LOCAL AND PROVINCIAL.

The lumber cut in Nova Scotia is a large one this year, considerably greater than last season's

Three vessels have been chartered to bring coal from New York to St. John, and four have been fixed to carry coal from New York to Fredericton.

The quickest run of the season for a cattle train from Montreal was made by the one which arrived Saturday morning over the I. C. R., having made the distance of 746 miles in 41½hours.

Mrs. Thompson Wells, formerly of Point de Bute, but now of Schuyler, Nebraska, died recently in a Chicago hospital. He was 37 years old and unmarried.

Miss Helen Wilson, of Carleton street, left Wednesday for Brandon (Man.), to live with her brother. The choir of the Mission church, Paradise row, of which she was a member, presented to her a pearl

Alex. Harron, Debec circuit steward, writes that the announcement that a call to Richmond, Carleton county, has been sent to Rev. W. J. Kirby, of Fairville Methodist church, is incorrect; that such

The Canadian government has granted patents to Wm. Albert Borden, Campbellton (N. B.), for clothes dryer; Murdoch E. Sutherland, Westville (N. S.), for rifle sight, and John McIntosh, Joggins Mines (N. S.), for a clothes pin.

E. B. Elderkin, of Amherst, is in the city, superintending the shipment of some breeding stock to South Africa by the Wyandotte, which sails on Tuesday. The shipment comprises hegs, poultry and sheep, and is consigned to the British South Africa Colonization Company.

Monday's Bangor News says: "The funeral services of Ella S., wife of John C. Fitzsimmons, were held at her home, 1 Centre street avenue, at 1.30 Saturday afternoon, Rev. D. B. Lethrop officiating. The remains were taken to Southampton (N. B.) for burial."

The five cattlemen who were found guilty of breaking and entering Duck Cove cottages, and sentenced to two years in Dorchester, were taken there by Turnkey Cunningham, Thursday, along with Carter the ticket-of-leave man, who has been sentenced to three years, and an additional time of two years of a former term.

World, hands out this suggestion to St. John yadhtsmen: "Charlottetown men are said to have designed and contracted are said to have designed and contracted for a 25-footer to compete for the Coronation Cup, now held by the Sydner Yacht Club. If the St. John men would build an enlarged Phantom, a little boat that very easily beat the St. John fleet on time allowance, they would have a fighting chance of regaining the trophy."

week from the following causes: Consumption and premature birth, three each; two each; sarcoma, meningiti cerebri, cancer of stomach, apoplexy of liver, carconoma of liver, one each. During the same period there were eight marings and eighteen births, eleven females and seven males.

Intumoer of the eventing being spent in singing and music. The bride received a large number of presents and the happy pair were congratulated by all.

PERSONAL INTELLIGENCE.

A Hammond letter to the Sussex Record says that Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Alexander intend going to St. John, where they will take the Hotel Wellington, at the Marsh

The Salisbury & Harvey railroad is now open for its entire length.

Many friends of Caleb McCready, of

The sale of bonds, etc., at Chubb's Corner Saturday was postponed by Auctioneer Lantalum on account of the heavy rain. The harbors of Pictou and Pugwash are reported free of ice. Baie Verte is still frozen over.

The Carleton Sentinel says that another town is offering large inducements for the woollen mills company to remove their plant from Woodstock.

The question of imposing a tax on commercial men was before the municipal council of Woodstock recently. No action

J. Harvey Brown's bill to incorporate his school for the deaf came up before the corporations committee at Fredericton yesterday. In the absence of the premier, who desires to be heard in the matter, the bill stood over.

The pastor, Rev. F. J. McMurray, and the congregation of St. Gentrude's church are justly proud of a handsome Axminster carpet, of a rich shade of red, handso ly figured, laid within the sanctuary Easter Sunday.—Woodstock Sentinel.

A certificate of qualification has been issued to Lieut. F. Gilman, of Springhill, York county, who holds a commission in the 8th Hussars. Lieut. Gilman recently took a course at the School of Cavalry, Toronto. The wardens of St. Clement's church

The wardens of St. Clement's church, Millidgeville, are Messrs. George Craft and Benjamin White; vestrymen, S. Tobin, R. White, W. E. Craft, Joseph Hugson, Arthur Codner, Joseph Stone, L. Craft, Walter Codner. The receipts were \$324.20; balance on hand, \$99.36. Edgar Tobin,

A New Brunswick industry has launched out along lines new to the province and is making splint baskets such as are used by grocers and fruit men for delivery purposes. The Aptus Veneer Company of West River (N. B.), of which Geo. D. Prescott is the head, recently started this work and a carload of the year attent has work and a carload of the new output has just reached the city. The baskets are good and satisfactory. The company has large timber areas from which to draw its

At 136 Rockland road, on Saturday afternoon, the marriage of Miss ammole Kate Collins, fourth daughter of Sidney Collins, to Arthur Tiley, took place. Both are of England. Rev. S. Howard performed the marriage ceremony and the bride was given away by her father. Miss Sadie Wolf and the bride's three sisters and little nicee who were attired in white. and little nice, who were attired in white, acted as bridesmaids. The bride wore a dress of pale terra cotta trimmed with cream silk and lace. In the evening a number of friends were entertained to

ed the Albion Hotel to William Kay, of Elgin. Mr. Freeze intends going west.

Jones Bros., of Apohaqui (N. B.), will, in another week, have two mills in operation. Their cut for this season will

ation. Their cut for this season will amount to about 6,000,000.

The North Sydney steam laundry has been absorbed by the Globe Laundry Company of Halfax, St. John and Sydney. The North Sydney branch will be under the management of Walter Sipp.

Reports from Joggins Mines say that in a few days the mine will again be in first class shape, says the Amherst Telegram. The last of the water was taken from the pit about a fortnight ago and men are now at work repairing the damage done to the bottom of the mine.

The Salisbury & Harvey railroad is now

Salisbury, will learn with regret that he has been confined to his residence for weeks by heart weakness. He is now about ninety-seven years of age.

Joseph Weatherhead and Miss Maude Weatherhead have returned home from their pleasant visit to Grand Falls. D. Dunlop, of Boston; Jos. B. Read, of Stonehaven, and Miss Isaacs of Bermuda,

Stonehaven, and Miss Issaes of Bermuda, registered at the New Victoria yesterday. Chas. Fawcett, who left Sackville a few days ago for New York to consult a specialist with regard to his health, stopped

in Boston. Dr. Bell, of that city, a native of Sackville, advised Mr. Fawcett to consult a Boston specialist. This was done and Mr. Fawcett learned that all he needed was rest and quiet; there was nothing seriously wrong with him.—Sackville Post C. E. L. Jarvis is in town on behalf of the insurance companies interested, adjusting damage done the store of the Atlantic Grindstone Company at Lower Cove by last Sunday's fire.—Amherst Tele-

The numerous friends of R. A. Estey will be glad to know that he is recovering from his recent severe illness.-Frederi

ton Herald.

Miss Edith Ramsey, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles H. Ramsey, of St. John (N. B.), visited relatives here this week.

Miss Ramsey has accepted a position in a private hospital in Boston as nurse.—

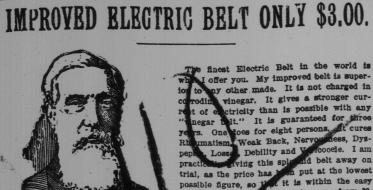
Cambridge (Mass.) Times.

Miss Muriel Hatheway, of Fredericton, is the guest of Miss Edna Bates, Duke street.

Mrs. Dodd, widow of Hon. Thomas Dodd, and formerly Mrs. James Coleman, of this city, is seriously ill.

Smallpox in Sydney.

A case was reported to the health officer A case was reported to the neath from Ward V on Friday, the patient an inmate of a house on Dominion streupied by a family named McLeod. house was quarantined and the patien moved to the hospital. There was a mof the board of health when the hofficer, Dr. McInttyre, gave a report of situation. There are now twenty saver.



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DASTARDLY ACT AT

REXTON, KENT COUNTY Mrs. Maria Potter, Formerly of

Dancing Party Were Dosed With Croton Oil.

Liquid Was Put in the Tea That the Young Folks Had With Their Refreshments-One Arrest Made of a Suspected Party.

Rexton, Kent Co., April 8-On Wedness day night a few of the young people of Rexton and neighborhood met in the pubhic hall to enjoy a quiet dance. The even-ing was pleasant, the company was gay, and the young folks enjoyed themselves most thoroughly. Their joy, however, was soon o'erclouded. Refreshments, consistsoon o'erclouded. Refreshments, consisting of tea and cake, were partaken of
about midnight. Those who partook of
the tea were immediately seized with
languor, soon to be followed by sickness
and vomiting. Dancing was of course out
of the question, and what had formerly
been a scene of mirth and fun became one of gloom and painful apprehensions.
One or two persons, not too sick to be oblivious of their surroundings, attempted to solve the mystery. A couple of men. to solve the mystery. A couple of men, not among the invited guests, had been noticed going into the kitchen. Suspicions as to their conduct were aroused and as the result of further investigation it has been found that croton oil had been purchased and presumably put into the tea. Evidence of an incriminating nature has, it is a said been collected expinit, one of it is said, been collected against one of the men, an adventurer by profession. Las night as darkness came on a constable arrested him when he was leaving for parts unknown. An act so dastardly has seldom been attempted in this locality, and as might be expected, great excite-

The Burrell-Johnson Iron Company are installing machinery in the little steamer Granville, which is to ply between Bridgetown and St. John, calling at Annapolis, Granville and Digby. The Granville will be ready in a few weeks. Captain f. R. Hill, hull inspector, and J. P. Esdaile, boiler inspector, made an inspection of the Granville this week and found her satisfactory.

Rexton, N. B., April 8—The sensation cocasioned by the poisoning of tea and coffee in the public hall on Wednesday might, has reached fever heat today. Some of the victims are still seriously indisposed, though all are expected to recover. The person accused of this fiendish act is one Thomas Ryan. He was apprehended also the Granville this week and found her satisfactory.

Those were short, and in many respects unsatisfactory. The prisoner pleaded guilty to the charge preferred against h m, and apologized for an act which was intended as a joke, but which had resulted in serious appropriate to spect thought in serious consequences to many, though is understood, was accompanied by an of-fer of \$100 to the complainants, the pay-ments of costs, and a promise to leave the town at once. This offer the prosecuting counsel, W. D. Carter, Richibucto, agreed

together unsatisfactory to the general public. It has given rise to rumons very disquieting in their nature. The accused, it is said, pleaded guilty and took the course had in the course of the did to course the said to course the did to course the said to cou he did to save the reputation of a young men belonging to the district. And why, it is asked, can croton oil be so eacily procured? Public sentiment may soon demand answers to these and other

SUPREME COURT

APPEAL DOCKET.

Fredericton, N. B., April 11—(Special) The following is the docket for the Easter term of the Supreme Court, which opens

Motion Paper.

Royal Bank of Canada vs. Jeremia J. Hale. Carvell to move to set aside an order made by Justice Landry, on 3rd March last and also an order of Justice

Landry made at nisi pruis on same date

Kennedy Island Mill Company vs. Mc

Inerney. Laforest to move for a new trial.
Grant vs. Canadian Pacific Railway
Company. Connell, K. C., to move to set
aside verdict and for a non-suit, etc.
The Tobique Salmon Club vs. McDonald. Connell, K. C., to move to set aside
verdict etc. verdict, etc.
Smith vs. Smith. J. P. Byrne to move to set aside verdict or for a non-suit, or for a new trial.

Lawton Company, Limited, vs. Maritime Combination Rack Company, Ltd. Gregory, K. C., to move to enter verdict Woodford vs. the town of Chathann McKeown, K. C., to move to set aside verdict for plaintiff and enter vertical for

County Court Appeals.

Read (plaintiff) appellant, and McGiv-ney (defendant) respondent. Crocket to support appeal from the York County Court. School trustees No. 9 Southampton (de

fendants) appellant, and Haines (plaintiff) respondent. Gregory, K. C., the like. Orown Paper,

King vs. John Delegarde, ex parte Nelson, Cowan et al. Landry, K. C., to show King vs. James G. Forbes and Charles H. Smith ex parte, Thomas J. Dean, E. P. Raymond, the like.

No Fog Bell for Grand Maran.

Grand Manan indignantly denies the imputation of a Pennsylvania paper which slaces it in the "fog belt." Writes the local correspondent: "We have the most lightful summer here, ever so long. We earnot chase the crowds away. We live earn that actually we get tired of living. They hang around here so late-summer visitors—they are in the way Heavens! Grand Manan in the fog belt:

Mr. and Mrs. J. Hugh Calder, of Fredericton, who have been spending the win-ter in Southern California, are now in New York and expect to reach home

WAS 96 SUNDAY

Smith's Cove, N. S .-- Is in Good Health.

Swampscott, April 8—Mrs. Maria Potter of this town will be 96 years old Sunday, and the event will be informally observed in her home, 68 Middlesex av., where she has lived with her son, John W. Marshell, for a number of years.

Mrs. Potter is a native of Smith's Cove, Hillsboro (N.S.), and she resided in that section of the country until after she was 20 years of age, when she came to the States. She was twice married, her first husband, Mr. Marshall, having been a seargoing man.

A few years later she married Mr. Potter, who died some 25 years ago. Mrs. Potter has a brother and sister—Howard Marshall and Mrs. Celia Hardy—living in Hillsboro, and both are more than 80

Hillsboro, and both are more than 80 years of age.

Mrs. Potter still enjoys excellent health for one of her age and is up an quite active about the house every day. Her eyesight is still good, but her hearing is slightly affected and she suffers some from lapse of memory.

Mrs. Potter has two grandchildren—Charles W. Manshall of Lynn, and Mrs. Ida M. Cook, of Boston, and the two great grandchildren are Charles Marshall and

CAPT. ALLAN PROMOTED

Is Now Captain of the Eastern S. S. Company's Steamer Governor Dingley.

notion conferred because of long and honorable service has been bestowed on Captain William H. Allan, who has been placed in command of the splendid 4,000-ton steamship Governor Dingley, of the Eastern Steamship Company, Portland division. Captain Allan, who has been steamboating out of Boston for 36 years, has worked his way up with steadiness, and during the last few years has commanded steamers State of Maine, Cumberland, St. Croix and Penobscot, and as much as any other commander knows the traveling public. His promotion has elicited general congratulations. Captain Allan lived in East Boston until three years ago, when he removed to Roslindale.

—Boston Post. and honorable service has been bestowed on Captain William H. Allan, who has

VIOLENTLY INSANE.

Fredericton, April 11.—For the past two or firee years there has been a man around own at different times named William W. Hallett. He came from Hampton and claimed to be a Divine healer and on that account was generally called Doctor.

For some time past he had been staying it Harry Lynch's residence and while there was taken violently insape on Saturday night. It is got undressed and ran around the house in a naked condition, frightening the women in children about the place.

"Doctor" Hallett, who says he is 74 years id, is a member of the Salvation Army and on Sunday Ensign Bowering went up to see how the old man was getting along, iallett chased him out of the house. Dr. Weaver was sent for yesterday after-oon and after examining the man he proounced him as violently insane. Officer Rideout was called to the house ist evening, and at the request of the lan's friends he took him into custody after man had been forced to put on his othes.

clothes.

The man is being held pending word from his friends in Hampton. He is too old and feeble to work but he lives on the income of \$6,000 which he has deposited in a bank.

Cain-Robertson.

The marriage of Miss Alice Robertson, daughter of Geo. Robertson, and William Cain, the well known hockey player, took place at the residence of the bride's parents at Marysville Thursday evening. Rev. H. H. Ferguson performed the ceremony. Only a few friends were present.

Wordworth Steen.

James Wordworth, of Burton, and Miss Dora Steen, of Hamiltown, were united in marriage on Wednesday by Rev. G. B. Payson at his residence, Fredericton. Ernest Haines was groomsman and Miss Ida B. Steen, sister of the bride, was

Had to Give up and so to Bed.

Several Doctors Attended But Did No Good.

Milburn's Hear and Nerve

charles learn, E.

Read what Mis L. L. Hanso Water side, N.B. sayet "I feel it at duty to express the ben fit I have recived from Milburn's Han and Nerve Fills. A year ago last spar I beg to have hear failure. At first I working and lie dow for a while I got so bad I had so give and go to bed I had attend me but hey had get no clivy Milburn failure. At first I would have to stop working and lie down for a while. Then I got so bad I had so give up altogether and go to bed. I had several doctors attend me but shey did me no good. I could get no clief until urged by a friend to try Milburn's Heart and Nerve Pills. Before I had used three quarters of a box I began to feel the benefit and by the time I had taken three boxes I was completely

nervousness, sleeplessness, palpitation of the heart, skip beats, and all troubles arising from the heart or nerves. Price 50 cts. box, or 3 for \$1.45, al

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STRIKES BLOW AT

ELECTION BRIBERY

Rev. Dr. Borden Speaks His Mind in Portland Methodist Church.

Rev. Dr. Borden, principal of Mount Allison Ladies' College, in preaching in Portland Methodist church Sunday evening criticised with frankness and vigor, party politics as practised in the dominion today. His remarks concerning bribery and corruption were listened to by a large and deeply interested congregation. The sermon, based upon the text that the church and the school are the two great factors upon which to rear the best citizenship, in its earlier passages, treated of knowledge and wisdom. Man's highest wisdom, he said, was revealed when he proclaimed his loyalty to God. The school and the church—the one representing knowledge; the other the embodiment of the highest forms of wisdom—stood as the grand work of the social fabric.

Today democracy was but becoming continuous continuous contents and the strikes in trade

grand work of the social fabric.
Today democracy was but becoming conscious of its strength. In strikes, in trade unions, in the war between capital and labor, was seen the smouldering discontent of the masses, and it was vital that power so vast should receive the knowledge and wisdom by which it could rule without harm to itself.

The country had problems, and one of

The country had problems, and one of the most serious was political corruption. The speaker knew of an election where \$100,000 was spent. It had been urged that the purchase of votes need not arouse adverse criticism. If a wealthy and ambitious candidate spent large sums during an election, why protest? There was the demoralization of the individual voter. By bribery the moral purity of the country

Dr. Borden told of the present gratifying condition of the Ladies' College, of the increase in number of students, and improvements and additions to the buildings

Provincialists Drowned.

The Gloucester fishing schooner Theo-dore Roosevelt, Capt. McHenry, arrived at T wharf, Boston, on Friday morning, with her colors at helf-mast for two of been out several weeks hanout fishing on the Grand banks. On March 20, while on the banks, Peter On March 20, while on the banks, Peter McDonald, aged 45, and George Bony, aged 24, strayed from the vessel while out in their dory, and the captain believes they were drowned. With others of the

erew the two men were hauling trawls when a fog shut in. All the dories gained the vessel with the exception of the one manned by McDonald and Buoy. The gale nicked up a tremendous sea and the tain and crew believe that the dory was McDonald had been fishing out Gloucester for nearly 30 years. He native of Prince Edward Island and was

married. Bouy was a native of Nov cotia and was also single.

The sudden death occurred Saturday forning at Nashwaaksis of Miss Maggie ailey, the 13 years old daughter of Mrs. Geo. Bailey, of that place. The death occurred in Fredericton on Friday of William Winn, aged 69 years, for many years a driver of the stage between here and Woodstock. He is survived by two sons, Isaac, who arrived home from Lewiston (Me.) on Friday, and Thomas, who arrived from New York on Saturday, and two daughters, Janie and

Regina, both at home.
Gideon Weldom, of Dorchester, died on Tuesday, aged 72 years. He leaves a widow, two sons and two daughters.
Michael Tobin, of Sackville, received a telegram Tuesday announcing the death ph. Deceased was unmarried. Sarah, wife of Allison Smith, of Sac ville, died Wednesday night. She was the daughter of the late Oliver Smith, of Mt. View. Besides a husband she is survived by seven sons and daughters. was 65 years old.

"Jesus Wept" Ye precious tears, that Jesus shed, Annoint my darkened sight, Quicken the conscience that is dead, And grant my soul more light.

That I may see about my path
The suff'ring I should stay,
So pluck the sting that sorrow hath
For others, on my way. Ye blessed tears, steal down my heart And moisten every thought, That I may find thee as thou art New life, by Jesus brought.

Oh who that watered by those tears
So full of searching love
Can fail to yield the fruit that bears
The blossoms from above.
April 10th p. m. E. SEA:

Moncton and Buctouche Road Open touche, N. B., April 11-(Special) The M. & B. train arrived this aftern

Mother-"Tommy, what did I say I'd do to you if you touched that jam again?" Tommy—"Why, it's funny, ma, that you should forget, too. I'm blamed if I can remember!"—Chicago Daily News.



and clean.

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MRS, GIBBON'S DEATH.

Her Body Found in Courtenay Bay -- Apparently a Case of Sulcide.

Monday morning about 7 o'clock as William Harrigan, of the I. C. R., was valking along the tracks on the western extension, he discovered the body of a woman floating in Courtenay Bay, near the foot of Elliott Row. He lost no time in communicating with the central police station, and in a few minutes Officer Mc-Collum was on the scene and with the aid of the bystanders, the body was soon taken out of the water and conveyed to

On the way there the body was identified by Thomas Hamilton, of Elliott Row, as that of his sister, Mrs. Gibbon. On arrival at the morgue, Dr. Berryman, who had been notified, viewed the body and ordered it to be removed to the home of Thomas Hamilton.

home of Thomas Hamilton.

Mrs. Gibbon was about 50 years old, the widow of Thomas Gibbon, of Collina Corner, Kings county. For the past two years she had resided with her brother on Elliot Row, and when she left the house Monday morning about 6 o'clock she seemed to be in her usual health.

Mrs. Gibbon leaves three brothers, Thomas, of this city; Oliver, of Boston, and David, of Highfield, Kings county, and two sisters, Mrs. Adam Murray, English Settlement, Kings county, and Mrs. Lester, of Fairville, besides a son in Boston and two daughters, one at home and one and two daughters, one at home and one

All who knew of the sad affair were amined by Coroner Berryman Monday afternoon, and after hearing their evilence he decided that an inquiry was un-

A COMMON MISTAKE,

Many People Weaken Their System by Taking Purgative Medicines. People who use a purgative medicine

People who use a purgative medicine in the spring make a serious mistake. Most people do need a medicine at this season, but it is a tonic that is required to give health, vigor and vim. Purgatives irritate and weaken—a tonic medicine invigorates and strengthens. Dr. Williams' Pink Pills are absolutely the but tonic medicine in the world. These pills do not gallop through the bowels—hey are gently absorb I into the systen, filling the veins with the pure, rich, ed blood that carries caling, health an strength to every part of the body. It. Williams' Pink Pills cure skin erupions, indigestion head ches, nerve sness, neuralgia, beauth of the book trougles. The world wages are about the same and if oth blood trougles. They are just ne to he you need for ms spring. Mr. Carpeau, lexand: Ont., says:

d—they will not di only for profit, offer their customers. See that the full name, Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People, is on the wrapper around every box. If in doubt send direct to the Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont., and the pills will be sent by well at 50c per box or six boxes

mail, post paid, at 50c per box or six boxes for \$2.50. The Calvin Austin Lost the Case In the admiralty court Monday Judge McLeod gave judgment in the case of the Yarmouth barque Reform, owned by Wm

Lovitt, against the Eastern Steamshi Company's S. S. Calvin Austin for dan ages sustained in a collision in Boston haror on July 30 last. Judge McLeod went quite exhaustively nto the evidence and quoted the harbor rules and cases bearing on the matter. He to blame, and will order a reference t ascertain the amount of damages paid. The fault of the collision, he found, was entirely with the Calvin Austin. The Austin failed to follow he first signal or to give a new one for h This showed there we navigation, and she

TO CUTE A COLD IN ONE DAY.

Take Laxat to Bromo Quinine Tablets. All druggists resuld the money if it fails to cure. W. E. Grove's signature is on each box. 25c

To Protect the Children. At the meeting of the, Bridgetown (N. S.), town council on Monday night, the following bye-law was added to the civic regulations of the town: "Every police officer of the town may take into his custody without warrant, any child under the age of sixteen years whom he finds after the hour of 7 o'clock in the evening of any day between the 1st day of October and the last day of April following, or whom he finds after the hour of 8 o'clock in the evening of any day between the last day of April and the first day of October following, walking the streets of the town of Bridgetown, and any such child shall be dealt with and punished as provided by section 246 of the towns' Incorporation Act."

Shipping Notes. The schooner A. P. Emerson, from St. John for New York, which reached City island Saturday was on Friday last during thick fog, run into by steamer Chelsea. The schooner was struck just forward of starboard rigging and was cut clear into the forward house. She filled with water.

Newtown, Kings Co., April 9-The warm weather and rains have taken the ice out of the stream and preparare being made for river driving e will be a much larger drive of log

have a meeting on Tuesday, April 12, to decide when to open the factory. There are prospects of a good season.

"Who was it who saw the handwriting on the wall, Freddie?" asked the Sunday school teacher. "The landlord, ma'am," quickly replied the little boy who lives in a flat.—Yonkers

LOOKING FOR ICE

Water at Indiantown Rising Steadily.

SOLID AT FREDERICTON.

Fishermen Bring Very Good Boat Loads to Indiantown--The Lumbering Outlook at the Various

The break-up of the ice in the Reach is now expected daily. The water is rising steadily. At Indiantown yesterday afternoon it was within a few feet of the wharftops. At all the points along the stream it is rising gradually. At Woodstock, last evening a rise of about eight inches was reported. The river was clear of ice between the bridges at Woodstock. Wild goose shooting is this spring a of ice between the bridges at Woodstock.

Wild goose shoering is this spring a very popular sport along the river. Nearly every day somebody arrives at Indianown with a bag ranging anywhere from one to half a dozen birds.

Yesterday appeared to be a profitable day for the gaspereaux fishermen. Boats carrying between 1,200 and 1,600 fish discharged their contents at the Indianowia wharves. The hauls had been unusually heavy. Nor were they all gaspereaux. whatves. The hadis had been all gaspereaux. Heake were caught, also bass and mackerel. In one net a monster codfish was captured—a rather unusual catch for river fish-

The exterior painting of the Star Line steamer Victoria will probably be finished by the end of the week. Then she will be in readiness for nevigation.

Another large load of passengers was brought down by the Springfield yester day.

rison has 4,000,000 on the Big Black, R. A. Estey, on the Miramichi, expects to start driving by the last week in April. Prospects are very good, there being more than three feet of snow in the woods.

Three crews of stream drivers left Fredericton yesterday. Cornelius Hagerman took twenty-five men down river, John McAllister took twenty-five to prepare for Cushing's drive, and David Wood, with fifteen left for where Hilyard Brothers are operating, near Campbellton.

Rev. W. C. Townsend and Wife the Recipient of \$40 from Their Friends--Other Items of Interest.

St. Martins, April 9-On Friday evening, 8th inst., a large number of the friends of Rev. C. W. Townsend and wife met at the Baptist parsonage. After a most en the ladies, after which Deacon A. W. Fownes in a few well chosen remarks presented Mr. Townsend with \$40 as a slight token of the universal esteem in which the reverend gentleman and his wife are held. Mr. Townsend replied in a very felicitous manner, after which brief addresses were delivered by Dr. H. E. Gillmor, Deacon J. P. Mosher, C. F. Black, Michael Kelly and Mrs. G. W. Masters. It being nearly midnight, the assembly broke up with many good wishes for the pastor and his estimable wife. J. P. Mosher, who is carrying on lumber operations both at Musquash and this place, has been spending a few days here.

or Mr. Mosher with their portable mill. The schooner Alaska is on Mr. DeLong's blocks, where she will undergo extensive repairs. The schooner Nellie Waters is locked for caulking here.

Rev. Hal. Smith, of New York, is visiting his mether-in-law. He purposes re-turning to West Africa to resume his labors as a missionary under the auspices of the New York Evangelical Alliance. A number of our public spirited young nen under the leadership of Samuel Mo-Curdy have been engaged in cleaning the sidewalks of snow. Their labors have been gratefully acknowledged by an apprecia-

largest ever seen in that section. The services were conducted by Rev. B. O. Hart-Make Your Poultry Pay. The poultry keeper who keeps a few hens, as well as the one who keeps and y is auxious to derive as much profit from them as possible. Many things aid or hinder in that desire. Sick fowls are unprofitable fowls. Fowls should be warmly housed and should have as much range as possible for exercise, right kind of feeding. For over 30 years successful poultry raisers have fed Sheridan's Condition Powder at all times of year, and have realized handsome increase in their profits thereby. Fed once a day, with the regular feed, it aids digestion, makes healthy fowls, and furnishes just the chemical disments needed to produce eggs in the laying hen, and to develop and mature the growing chicks. One cent per fowl pays the cost for further particulars to the makers, I. S. Johnson & Co., Boston, Mass.

The funeral of Mrs. Henry Charlton, of Little Beach, took place on Thursday afternoon. The funeral was one of the



THE SEMI-WEEKLY TELEGRAPH, ST. JOHN, N. B., WEDNESDAY, APRIL 13, 1904.

SATURDAY NIGHT 140 YEARS AGO.

Old Times and the Present Contrasted in Rev. Dr. Raymond's Historical Chapter This Week -- Habits and Life of the First White Residents of St John.

> W. O. RAYMOND, LL. D. CHAPTER XVII.

AT PORTLAND POINT -- (Continued, 4).

In their business at Portland Point, Simonds and White kept four sets of ac-一次在一个人的一个一个一个一个一个一个

In glancing over the leaves of the old account books the first thing likely t attract attention is the extraordinary consumption of West India spirits and New England rum. This was by no means confined to the Company's laborers, pensed as an ordinary act of hospitality and even the preacher cheerfully accepted the proferred cup. It was used in winter to keep out the cold and in summe to keep out the heat. It was in evidence alike at a wedding or a funeral. No jug, and in process of time the use of spirits was so habitual that Peter Fisher was able to quote statistics in 1824 to prove that the consumption of ardent liquors was nearly twenty gallons per annum for every male person above sixteen years of age. While the use of rum may be regarded as the universal custom of the day, at the same time tobacco was not in very general use. The use of snuff, however, was quite common.

In the course of a few years the variety of articles kept in stock at the company's store increased surprisingly until it might be said they sold everything from a needle to an anchor." The prices at which some of the staple articles were quoted appear in the foot note.* Among other articles in demand were fishing tackle, blue ratten and fear-nothing jackets, milled caps, woollen and check shirts, horn and ivory combs, turkey garters, knee buckles, etc. Among articles that strike us as novel are to be found tin candlesticks, brass door knobs, wool cards, whip-saws, skates, razors and even mouse traps. Writing paper was sold at 1s. 3d. per quire. The only books kept in stock were almanacks, psalters, spell-

Still though the variety at first glance seems greater than might have been expected, a little further inspection will satisfy us that the life of that day was one of extreme simplicity, of luxuries there were few, and even the necessaries of

One hundred and forty years have passed since James Simonds and James White set themselves down at the head of Saint John harbor as pioneers in tion. These were neither few nor small, but they were Massachusetts men and in their veins there flowed the blood of the Puritans. The determination that enabled their progenitors to establish themselves around the shores of the old Buy States upheld them in the scarcely less difficult task of creating for themselves a home amidst the rocky billsides that encircled the Harbor of St.

Today the old pioneers of 1764 would hardly recognize their ancient landmarks. The ruggedness of old Men-ah-quesk has in a great measure disappeared; valleys have been filled and hills cut down. The mill-pond where stood the old tide mill is gone and the Union depot with its long freight sheds and maze of railway tracks occupies its place. "Mill" street and "Pond" street alone remain to tell of what occupies its place. "Mill" street and "Pond" street alone remain to ten or has been. The old grist mill near Lily Lake and its successors have long since has been. passed away. It certainly was with an eye to business, not to pleasure, that Hazen, Simonds and White built the first roadway to Rockwood Park. Could our ploneers in trade revisit the scene of their labors and note the changes time has wrought what would be their amazement? They would hardly recognize their surwrought what would be their amazement. They would hardly regarded from the roundings. Instead of rocks and crags covered with spruce and cedar, with here and there an open glade, and the wide spreading mud flats at low tide they would behold the wharves that line our shores, the ocean steamships lying in the channel, grain elevators that receive the harvests of Canadian wheat-fields two thousand grain elevators that receive the harvests of Canadian wheat-fields two thousand miles away, streets traversed by electric cars and pavements traversed by thousands of hurrying feet, bicyclists darting hither and thither, squares tastefully laid out and adorned with flowers, public buildings and residences of goodly proportions and by no means devoid of beauty, palatial hotels opening their doors to guests from every clime, institutions for the fatherless and the widow, the aged, the poor, the unfortunate, the sick the insane, churches with heaven directing spires, schools whose teachers are numbered by the hundred and pupils by the thousand, public libraries, courts of justice and public offices of nearly every description, business establishments whose agents find their was into every nock and corner of old-time. noraries, courts of justice and public offices of nearly every description, business establishments whose agents find their way into every nook and corner of old-time Acadie, railways and steamboats that connect the city with all parts of the globe, splendid bridges that span the rocky gorge at the mouth of the St. John where twice in the course of every twenty-four hours the battle, old as the centuries, rages between the outpouring torrent of the mighty river and the inflowing tide of the heav

Saturday Night Then and Now-

A few years since the writer of this history in an article in the New Brunswick Magazine endeavored to contrast a Saturday night of the olden time with one of

Saturday night in the year 1764-The summer sun sinks behind the hills and the glow of evening lights the harbor. At the landing place at Portland Point, one or two fishing boats are lying on the beach, and out a little from the shore a small square sterned schooner lies at her anchor. The natural lines of the harbor are clearly seen. In many places the forest has crept down nearly to the water's edge. Wharves and shipping there are none. Ledges of rock, long since removed, crop up here and there along the harbor front. The silence falls as the day's work the water's rucking through the led at the little settlement, and the sound of the waters rushing through the falls seems, in the absence of other sounds, unnaturally predominant. Eastward of Portland Pond we see the crags and rocks of the future city of the Loyalists, the natural ruggedness in some measure hidden by the growth of dark spruce and graceful cedar, while in the foreground lies the graceful curve of the "Upper Cove" where the forest fringes the waters edge. We may easily cross in the canoe of some friendly Indian and land where, ten years later, the Loyalists landed, but we shall find none to welcome us. The spot is desolate, and the stillness only broken by the occasional cry of some wild animal, the song of the bird in the forest and

the ripple of waves on the shore.

The shadows deepen as we return to the Point,, and soon the little windows of the settlers' houses begin to glow. There are no curtains to draw or blinds to pull down or shutters to close in these humble dwellings, but the light, though unobstructed shines but feebly, for 'tis only the glimmer of a tallow candle that we see or perhaps the flickering of the firelight from the open chimney that dances on the

In the homes of the dwellers at St. John Saturday night differs little from any other night. The head of the house is not concerned about the marketing or telephoning to the grocer; the maid is not particularly anxious to go "down town;" the family bath tub may be produced (and on Monday morning it will be used for the family washing), but the hot water will not be drawn from the tap. The family retire at an early hour, nor are their slumbers likely to be disturbed by either fire alarm or midnight train. And yet in the olden times the men, we doubt not, were wont to meet on Saturday nights at the little store at the Point to compare notes and to talk over the few topics of interest in their monotonous lives. We seem to see them even now—a little coterie—nearly all engaged in the company's employ, mill hands, fishermen, lime burners, laborers, while in a corner James White pores over his ledger posting his accounts by the light of his candle and now and again mending his goose-quill pen. But even at the store the cheerful company soon dis-In the homes of the dwellers at St. John Saturday night differs little from any mending his goose-quill pen. But even at the store the cheerful company soon disperses; the early-closing system evidently prevails, the men seek their several abodes and one by one the lights in the little windows vanish. There is only one thing to prevent the entire population from being in good time for church on Sunday morning, and that is there is not any church for them to attend.

Then and now! We turn from our contemplation of Saturday night as we have imagined it in 1764 to look at a modern Saturday night in St. John. No greater contrast can well be imagined. Where once were dismal shades of woods and swampthere is a moving gaily-chattering crowd that throngs the walks of Union, King and Charlotte streets. The feeble glimmer of the tallow candle in the windows of the few houses at Portland Point has given place to the blaze of hundreds of electric likely that this far and to get windows have been placed to the blaze of hundreds of electric hights that shine far out to sea, twinking like bright stars in the distance, and reflected from the heavens, serving to illuminate the country for miles around Our little knot of villagers in the olden days used to gather in their one little store to discuss the day's doing; small was the company, and narrow their field of observation; and their feeble gossip is today replaced by the rapid click of the telegraph instruments, the rolling of the steam-driven printing press and the cry of the news-

*Flour pr. bbl., £2 3 6; Indian corn pr. bushel, 5 shillings; potatoes do., 2s. apples do., 2s. 6d.; butter pr. lb., 9d.; cheese pr. lb., 6d.; chocolate pr. lb., 1s.; per lb., 7s.; coffee per lb., 1s. 3d.; pepper pr. lb., 3s.; brown sugar 7d., per lb.; engar, 1s. 2d. per lb.; raisins, 9s. per lb.; tobacco, 7d. per lb.; ealt, 10d. per peck; fasses, 2s. 6d. per gallon; New England rum, 1s. 6d. per quart; West India do., 2s per quart; beef; 4d. per lb.; pork, 6d. per lb.; veal, 3½d. per lb.; cider, 12s. to

New Brunswick Magazine of October, 1808, p. 190.



A Cottage of Today.

boy at every corner; the events of all the continents are proclaimed in our

BUDGET SPEECH BY ATTORNEY GENERAL.

(Continued from page 1.) I believe there has been a disposition o every side to keep the contingencies down to the lowst amount possible.

The expenditure on education was estiwas \$202,847. A large part of this decrease arcse through the common schools, where the expenditure fell short about \$4,000. For the schools for the deaf and dumb in Halifax the sum of \$2,000 was estimated training the estimate was \$2,500 but only \$568 was paid.

Mr. Hazen-What is the policy of the government with respect to the deaf and

The Lancaster Deaf and Dumb School-

Hon. Mr. Pugsley-After the closing of of education took up the subject and as there is a good school at Halifax we thought the children might go there for the present. We had either to let this be superintendent of education and the premporary. We felt there was much to be said in favor of establishing a provincial cost money. About that time a gentleman who was taking an interest in this subject conceived the idea of establishing a school in St. John. It has since been esfor its recognition. The government has come to no conclusion beyond this that while no encouragement could be given to establishing a school in St. John yet if the school were established on a perman-ent basis with a satisfactory staff of teachers they would make the same allowance to pupils going there as to pupils going to Halifax.

Public Health Expenditures.

Under the expenditure for public health it will be seen that the amount of \$12.979 was expended on account of smallpox which was \$7,979 more than the estimate. I want my friends to have in mind the large sum we have had to expend on account of the public health. The smallpox has involved as in very large expenditures. Since and ancluding the year 1900 we have been ob-liged to expend \$76,060 on this account alone and there are outstanding claims

The estimates for interest not chargethe expenditure was \$3,105 less. The in-terest on the bonded debt is of course the chief item and amounts to \$129,572. During the year the question of a loan

came up. Some years ago the provincia secretary floated a loan of about \$1,000 000 of three per cent bonds at 96 net. At the present time when the rate of interest has advanced we cannot help calling to mind this very satisfactory loan which was the best ever made by any province Last year money was required for permanent bridges but the rate of interest had gone up and it could not be floated, three and a half per cent at 99 adding to the interest accounts \$1,000 charged until the resulting wards are get a total derthe law to public works we get a total of \$146,849. The interest received from the This is not credited in the general interest account but placed in the subsidy ac

There is also an amount of interest \$2,586 received on account of sinking fund investment. If we deduct these amounts we have as the net amount of interes

The rate of interest is a matter of in our interest account toegther we are paying three and two-thirds on our net debt. The cost of public printing was \$14,321.

I am assured that this work was done in a most economical manner. Included in this sum is the reprint of the budget depaign document but it gave the public a full report of all that was said on both sides during the budget debate. We think it a justifiable expenditure to employ an official reporter to furnish the newspapers the public interest to furnish accurate and full information. If that is desirable what more justifable expenditure can report, containing all that was said on oth sides with regard to the expenditure

of the province.

With regard to the portraits these were

of busy modern days, we like sometimes to escape and get a little nearer to the heart of nature and to adopt a life of rural simplicity not far removed from that which once prevailed at Portland Point, content with some little cottage, remote

against the public treasury.

Mr. Hazen—If the printing cost 100 per cent more than it ought, the portraits, perhaps, may have been thrown in.

Some Pleasantries Indulged In.

Hon. Mr. Pugsley—I remember when my honorable friend was not so particular with regard to the cost of printing. When the Sun was getting such vast sums on that account from Ottawa he never found

Mr. Hazen-Then you and I were both on the same side.

Hon. Mr. Pugsley—I was then only an humble follower that had no opportunity of criticizing the public expenditure, but of criticizing the public expenditure, but the leader of the opposition was a member of the house of commons and allowed these things to go and even approved of them until at last in 1896 the people de-clined to renew their confidence in him. Mr. Hazen—I was beaten by 119 votes while the attorney general lost his de-posit

Hon. Mr. Pugsley—Yes, but he was running as the candidate of a great party and he would not be surprised if some of the \$200,000 for the Harris land job went

politics I was an independent Conserva-tive. When it was proposed to make Portland for ten years the winter port of Canada I held a meeting in the county of Kings to protest against that monstrous injustice. Meetings were also held in St. John and the scheme was abandoned. From that time on they did not look upon me as a tame follower of the party. There was a small balance paid during the year on account of the royal reception This is a final settlement of the account which amounted a together to \$25,468. I have seen criticisms of the amount of expense incured but I would ask these critics to take up the vouchers and see if they can find there any expenditure that ought not to have been incurred. The everything he did was done with the

utmost economy.

I now come to the estimates of revenue and expenditure for the current year, they

nion subsidies

Abstract of Estimated Expenditure, 1904.

New Sources of Revenue.

of last year and \$65,000 more than the receipts. Of this sum we estimate \$150,000

of royalties. We estimate a great develor There is also satisfactory development of coal mining in Kent county. The Reesille mines are now connected with a railway and there is another company in that vicinity which has expended \$150,000 in coal developments. These two mines will very soon be capable of turning out 1,000 tons a day. The only question will be to find a market. There has also been a splendid development in Westmorland and there by the New Brunswick Petroleum Campager, who have the large transfer of the control of the c Company, who have already spent a very large amount of money in boring wells, sc

I think the cetimate of royalties a reasonable one and if there was nothing else upon which the government could co gratulate itself it could well afford stand on the vigorous manner in which has taken hold of the mining resources of

has taken hold of the mining resources of the province. The increased stumpage and mileage has been justified by the great presperity of the lumber industry for recently leased lands have been sold at a great advance on their original price. Holders of lum-ber land value them at a large m be-yond what was paid for them.

Government's Duty to Increase Stumpage. We would not have been doing ou had not exacted a larger revenue from our lumber lands but if the time should come when the lumber industry should become depressed the government will be prepared to make concessions on the question of stumpage and mileage. the expenditure will convince any candid person that the estimates have been carefully prepared and there is no reason to think the expenditure will be exceeded.

Remarkable Growth of Dairy Produc's.

I would like also to call attention to what rection and especially to the progress of agriculture. I have here a statement of the products of our cheese and butter factories from the year 1897 to 1903 ich shows the most marvelous progr In 1897 our cheese factories produced \$99, \$37,839 worth of cheese of which we exported \$37,839 worth. In 1903 the cheese produced at our factories was valued at \$205,-216, of which we exported \$127,147. Sure-

chieved in seven years.

In butter the result of the policy of the overnment has been still more remark-ble. In 1897 our factories produced only \$7,852 worth of butter, of which none was exported. In 1903 our factories produced \$182,423 worth of butter, of which \$30,580 worth was exported. Any one who would have thought such a development possible seven years ago would have been regarde to bonus butter and cheese factories w this is merely the beginning of our development in that direction. We possess the best province in Canada for diary purposes, with a most climate, a rich soil, and a market right at our doors. I may have refer to the splendid progress that here refer to the splendid progress that to pay some of the campaign expenses.

Mr. Hazen-Did not the attorney general support the government after the Harris land job.

These northern countries posses and it only needs the intelligent husban ry to bring them to the lighest degree prosperity. I have a few more observational countries possess. and it only needs the intelligent husband prosperity. I have a few more observations to make which will occupy but Hon. Mr. Pugsley-From 1896 when I short time. I therefore move that the de-The bill to amend the act incorporat-ing the Tobique River Driving Company was agreed to in committee.

The house adjourned at 11.10.

MACE'S BAY.

Bridge Carried Away-Lobster Fishing Poor -New Buildings

Mace's Bay, April 11-Wagons are in use again. The rain of Thursday night contributed largely to this result. The

Wild geese are very plentiful here now and the local sportsmen have succeeded in shooting quite a number.

Dipper Harbor bridge was carried away on April 2. A temporary structure has not been erected in its place and "low This makes the carrying of mails to and almost impossible. Robt. Mawhinney seems to manage this matter to the gensides of the harbor.

The many friends of Mrs. R. J. Maw-

hinney are glad to hear that her health is very much improved.

Mrs. Howard Ellis, who has been ill for the greater part of the winter, is improving slowly. Her complete recovery in the

A large number of the young people of the neighborhood assembled at the home f. Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Cassidy Easter Monday night and enjoyed a very pleasant early hour Tuesday morning, when all left with many good wishes for the future hap piness and prosperity of their genial young an invitation to "come again," which the will certainly accept at no far distant date David Wenn lost a valuable cow a short David Wenn lest a valuable time ago. His horse injured its leg a few days previously and has since been unit

Lobster fishing has proved a failure so far this season. In spice of this, however, the price is very low, but 15 cents each. John and Melvin Mawhinney, J. and F. Kiscaden and Henry Boyle intend seeking other fishing grounds farther up the bay. The general opinion among the fisher-men is that the laws with regard to lobster fishing should be changed. think that they should be allowed to eatch and sell lobsters at all seasons of the year, but that the clause prohibiting the sale

Herring were quite plentiful ar und Le-preaux and New River for the greater part of the winter but there was not a very good market for them. Many had to sell theirs for 20 cents a hundred.

The building boom still continues. R. T. Mawhinney expects to have his new Cassidy are rushing the work of completing their new dwelling houses. Among thes dences during the summer are Wm. H. McGowan, Melvin Mawhinney and Silas Mawhinney.

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Moncton Jury Decides That Albert Gates Recommended at Moncton

Moneton, April 11-(Special) -The ceased fell off, gave evidence, but nothing new came out.

be placed at the I. C. R. station similar

Apohagui Items. Apohaqui, April 11-The rain has mad

he water very high and bad roads. Jones Bros. have saw and lath machirunning here and will start another at nouth of Millstream in a few days. Mrs. D. Little is slowly improving. Dr. and Mrs. Burgess, of Monoton, are

Miss Flora Ellison is visiting in Elgin. Albert county.

Miss Smith, milliner for Jones Bros., has been very ill but is slowly improving.

G. Whitfield McLeed has bought the

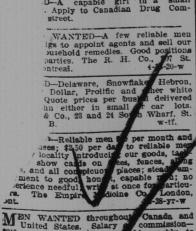
arm lately owned by Beverley Burgess. Mrs. Whetsel Moore, of Bedford (N.S.)

THAT BANK BILL.

County Man Fell from Train -- wick very materially and exempt its stock quest into the death of the late W. F. Daly was concluded by Coroner Purily to-branch banks pay a fair share into the day. Dr. Carnwath, the conductor and porter on the Pullman, from which deture assume that the Bank of Now Prints The jury returned a verdict of accidental is not anything like an equivalent for the leath, no blame attached to any person. taxes that should be levied on the stock







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Legislature Agrees That Wide Tires Must Be on All New Vehicles Put on the Market After a Year--St. John Exempted from New Highway Act--Other Important Matters Dealt With:

met at 3 o'clock. nform the house that the premier, owing wagon be and are three-inch in width or to illness, was unable to be present. He had intended to deliver the budget speech today, but was now confined to his bed, being threatened with pleurisy and slight congestion. If the premier was unable to being threatened with pleurisy and siight congestion. If the premier was unable to be in the house on Monday arrangements will be made by which the budget speech would be delivered by one of his colleagues. The government hope to conclude the most of the receive by the end of next.

Mr. Osman presented the petition of the Harvey & Salisbury Railway Company for Law in Effect in 1914.

a subsidy.

The speaker said this petition could not be received under the rules of the house.

Hon. Mr. Pugsley laid on the table the afth number of the collections of the New Brunswick Historical Society. At 4 o'check the lieutenant-governor came to the house and assented to all the bills which the house had passed.

The house went into commission on the bill relating to the city of Moncton. That Moncton Bill.

Hon. Mr. Sweeney explained that the sections of this bill had been passed except numbers four and five. The fourth section had been objected to because it gave the right to impose a license fee or tax on non-residents living outside who ame into Moncton to work. This was opposed by two of the Westmorland members, but an agreement was arrived at imending the section by excepting persons employed in the Intercolonial railway orkshops or on any government work, and also members of the learned profesons. When the bill was referred back to the committee, sections four and five were struck out regardless of the wishes of irrangement which had been now made be arried out. This is not new legislation for in 1870 the same right was given to the rity of St. John, and in 1898 to the town of Campbellton. He knew of no good rea-son why Moncton should not have the same kind of legislation, although person-

lly he might not approve of the principle my high into approve of the principle open which it is based.

Mr. Ryan said the amendment did not so quite far enough, for there were a numer of men who lived in his neighborhood and who worked in the factories in Mone-ton who had as good a right to be except-ed as these who worked in the railway workshops. If the section was not amend-ed so as to include them he would oppose

Mr. Osman thought the principle involv

ed in this legislation was a wrong one. We should not be building up walls around

Mr King Calls it Class Legislation.

Mr. King said that this was class legis-ation and against the interests of the lation and against the interests of the people of the province, and the fact that the people of Moncton were agreed upon it was nothing to the purpose if it interered with the rights of persons who did not relide in Moncton. If this section passed it would place every contractor and every person who went to work in Mone-ton at the mercy of the town council. The fact that other towns had similar legislation was beside the question, for such legis-lation was bad in principle, and it was not ne essary for the house to follow a bad

Mr Pugsley Opposed to Class Legislation. Hon. Mr. Pugsley said he was opposed to class of legislation which exempted any class of employes from taxation. He

would support the bill because the mem-bers from Westmorland wished it. Hon. Mr. Hill was opposed to both sec-

Mr. Morrison did not see why govern-ment employes should be exempt from tax-

ation.

Mr. King thought that class legislation should not be passed. The members who advocated the bill were opposed to it on principle and did not advance one single regument in its favor, simply to sustain their prestige as legislators they want this legislation on sympathy. The original section is absolutely bad, but the amendment s worse. Such class legislation should not be passed on the statute book.

The original section was then carried. Subsection two, to exempt the employes of the I. C. R. from taxation, was deferred. Mr. Whitehead presented the petition of the mayor and commonality of the city of Fredericton in favor of a bill to further, improve the water system of that city. He also presented their petition in favor

of a bill relating to the police system of the said city. The house took recess. Bill to Repeal License Tex on Non-residents

The house resumed at 8 o'clock. Mr. Osman introduced a bill to prevent the imposition of certain license fees. He explained that the object of the bill was to prevent legislation of a sectional charcter imposing licenses on non-residents and to repeal all legislation permitting

Fredericton, N. B., April 8—The house axle of 1½ to 1½ inches in width or for any wagon as aforesaid having an iron axle of 1½ inches or a thimble skein axle of 2½ inches or a thimble skein axle of 2½. two inches in diameter unless the tires thereof be and are three inches in width

2. From and after the first day of Janu ary, in the year of our Lord, 1914, no persons shall use or employ for draft purposes on any highway any wagon or wagons having axles of the dimensions as above specified unless the tires of said wagon or wagons are of the dimensions above specified. The owners or persons in charge of any such wagon or wagons shall for every offence against this subsection incur on summary conviction on complaint

aforesaid having an axle 21 inches in dis

of any person, a penalty of \$5.

Hon. Mr. LaBillois said during the recess he had consulted the agents of large manufacturers in the west, and also manu facturers in the province, and this section agreed with their views.

Mr. Fleming said that when the bill was before the committee he had pointed out that the width of the tire was greater than was in the interests of the public or of the manufacturers. This section did meet the views of many local men. and was obtained by the coordinate of jected to by three manufacturers in Woodstock, one in Andover, and the agent of an Ontario firm whom he had consulted on

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Hon. Mr. LaBillois said he had taken the opinion of Massey-Harris Company, Frost & Wood, and other manufacturers and they agreed with this section.

With regard to the benefit of wide tires, the best test on this subject had been made in the United States by the university of Missouri. He read from the Engineering News, an American railway journal, an account of tests, showing the value of wide tires.

The section was then put and agreed to. Hon. Mr. LaBillois moved that the following be section 56 of the bill:

The provisions of this act generally shall apply to all cities, towns or parishes or parts thereof, but only insofar as the same are consistent with any special or local laws concerning highways in force in any such city, town, parish or part thereof provided that when any such special or local law may be in force, the chief commissioner may appoint one or

special or local law may be in local, such chief commissioner may appoint one or more special commissioners for the purpose of expending all such moneys as may be set apart by the said chief commissioner from a provincial grant for expendature upon the highways in such locali-

Mr. Flemming—That means that the county of St. John is exempted?

Hon. Mr. Pugsley—It applies equally to any city or town that has a special local

Mr. Flemming—Every municipality in the province is taxed and the money handed over to the chief commissioner ex-cept St. John. Why have the government exempted St. John? Dr. Ruddock—Fairville and St. Martins

Dr. Ruddock—Fairville and St. Martins are towns and they work under a special act and spend large sums for keeping up their sidewalks. In Fairville they expended \$1,500 on sidewalks last year. It is for the sake of these sidewalks that they desire to continue under their special act.

Mr. Morrison—The amount that is expended is no reason why St. John should be exempted.

Hon. Mr. Pugsley—The section is not limited to St. John, but includes every place where there is a special highway law. In St. John county they have a law which applies to the four parishes and they spend every year from four to \$5,000 in the parish of Lancaster, and in such a case it is not desirable to interfere with local conditions.

Mr. Hazen Favors St. John's Exemption. Mr. Hazen-I do not find any fault with

the government for exempting St. John; indeed it would be an outrage if they did not. In St. John they have a local high way act, the business of the roads being managed by a board consisting of the the bill does not go further and exemp every county. The more it is talked about the more unpopular it becomes. This ex-empting of St. John is for the purpose of avoiding the unpopularity which the bill would occasion in that constituency. St. John is not the only county that has large towns and important centres of population and they all should be treated in the same way.

Highway Act Agreed To.

Hon. Mr. Pugsley—The honorable gen-tleman seems to realize the fact that this government knows how to meet the wish es of the people. We have also sounder public opinion and throughout the propulation of t ifimated 4,000,000 Acres

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Discussion on Wide Tires.

The house went into committee on the chair.

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Hon. Mr. LaBillois moved that the following be section 49 of the bill:—

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The hou ince there is an almost universal feeling in favor of the highway act. If the act proves to the defective in any particular we will be ready to amend it. All we de

I. C R. Employes' Clause Carried.

Hon. Mr. Sweeney's amendment, that section 4 be adopted with the amendment section 4 be adopted with the amendment exempting the I. C. R. employes was then carried on the following vote:
Yeas—Hon. Messrs. Pugsley, Farris, Sweeney, Robinson, Messus. Copp, Ryan, Hazen, Robertson, Morrisey, Legere, Burgess, Martin, Poirier and Gogain.
Nays—Messrs. Hill, Osman, Carpenter, King, Flemming, Loggie, Morrison and Smith.

Coverdale Exempted, Too.

Mr. Ryan then moved an amenda Mr. Ryan then moved an amendment that the provisions of the section shall not apply to Coverdale in Albert county. It was a tie vote, as follows:

Yeas—Hon. Mr. Farris, Messrs. Osman, Carpenter, Ryan, Flemming, Smith, Loggie, Hartt, Morrison, Burgess.

Nays—Hon. Messrs. Sweeney, Pugsley, Robinson, Messrs. Hazen, Robertson, Morrisey, Legere, Martin, Gogain.

It was carried by the casting vote of the chairman.

Hon. Mr. Sweeney moved that section Hon. Mr. Sweeney moved that section 5, providing for the exemption of the city bonds from taxation, be reinserted in the bill. He thought if the bonds of St. John were exempted from taxation, Monoton bonds should be exempted also. This section should be allowed to go through.

Tax Exemption of Municipal Bonds a Mis-

take. Hon. Mr. Pugsley hoped that the committee would not pass this section. The feeling of the legislative was that a great mistake had been made in granting exemption to St. John city bonds. If the legislature exempted all civic and municipal bonds the result would be to give them a higher value in the market then recover. a higher value in the market than provincial bonds. It was also wrong in prin-

Mr. Robertson did not agree with the Mr. Robertson did not agree with the attorney general. He hoped that from the standpoint of the benefit that St. John had received from the exemption of its bonds Monoton would have the same benefit. He thought provincial bonds might be exempted as well to place them on a level.

Hon. Mr. Pugsley thought the proceedings very irregular. On looking up the report he had found that the house had already struck out this section and, therefore, a motion for reconsideration was necessary.

necessary.

Hon. Mr. Sweeney moved that the section be reconsidered.

Hon. Mr. Hill thought it was very unwise and injudicious to exempt bonds from taxation as bondholders are generally well

Mr. Hazen agreed with the honorable member that it would be bad legislation to exempt bonds from taxation. It was very improper.

Mr. Morrison did not think that the bonds should be exempt.

House Votes Against Exempting Moncton's Bonds.

Hon. Mr. Sweeney's motion was then lost in the following vote:
Yeas—Hon. Mr. Sweeney and Robinson, Messrs. Copp. Robertson, Morrisey, Legere, Clair, Martin and Burgess.
Nays—Hon. Messrs. Pugsley, Farris, La-Billois and Hill, Messrs. Osman, Carpenter, McLatchy, Gogain, King, Tweeddale, Hazen, Fleming, Smith, Loggie, Hartt and Morrison.
The bill was agreed to as amended.

MARRIAGES.

SCHMIDT-FURLONG—In the Church of St. Leo, Dorchester (Mass.), on April 11, Kathleen, daughter of Thomas Furlong, of St. John (N. B.), to Edward Schmidt, of Montreal.

DEATHS

FRENCH—In this city, on April 7, Isabella French, aged 74 years.

MULLEN—In this city, on the 7th inst., Alice, wife of John Mullen, leaving husband, son and three daughters to mourn her loss. GARNETT—In Boston, on Wednesday, April 6th, Margaret, widow of the late Peter Garnett, of Garnett Settlement (N. B.), aged 89 years three months, leaving five sons and two daughters. Sons—Patrick, Robert, Matthew, Joseph, George, Douglas; Mrs. Kenney of Boston; Mrs. Oscar Godsce, of St. John, forty-two grandchildren to mourn their loss. STERLING—in this city, on April 5th, Julia, wife of William Sterling, aged 42 years, leaving a husband, three sons and two daughters.

O'CONNOR—On 9th April, Dennis, fourth son of the late Philip O'Connor, aged 47 years.

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KELLY—In this city on April 9th, Harold Frederick, infant son of Maggie and John E. Kelly, aged one year and twelve days.

Flynn'—In E. Boston, April 8, Mary A. Flynn (nee McNetl), aged 28 years, beloved wife of James J. Flynn.

(Cape Breton and Prince Edward Island papers please copy.)

McNAIR—At Charlestown (Mass.), April 8, Ellen Theresa, widow of Michael McNair.

(Provincial papers, please copy.)

DRURY—On April 8th, at the residence of her daughter, Mrs. C. H. Leonard, Sarah, widow of the late John Drury, in the 76th year of her age, leaving three sons and three daughters to moura their loss.

O'CONNELL—In this city, on the 19th inst., Annie, second daughter of Bartholomew and Mary O'Connell, in the 24th year of her age, leaving father, mother, four sisters and three brothers to mourn.—[Boston and Michigan papers please copy.

CRAWFORD—At his late residence, 705 Main street, James Crawford.

(Boston and New York papers please copy.)

HOPKINS—In this city, April 10th, John Hopkins entered into rest, in his 6th year, a native Bristol, England, leaving a wife, three sons and one daughter to mourn their loss.

CALLIAGHAN—In this city, April 10th,

CALLAGHAN—In this city, April 10th, at the General Public Hospital, Bernard Callaghan, in the sixty-seventh year of his age, leaving one brother and four sisters to mourn their loss.

WEATHEREDD—In Everett (Mass), April 10, Isaac Purrington Weatheredd, 47 years 9 months 14 days.—[Moncton (N. B.) papers please copy.

SHIP NEWS.

PORT OF ST. JOHN, N. B. Arrived.

Schr Coral Leaf, 374, Barhouse, Nevyork, J. W. Smith, coal.
Coastwise-Schr E Mayfield, 74, Merrian Parrsboro; stmr Westport, III, 49, Powel Westport; schrs Gazelle, 47, Duffy, Metalogical Cores

Stetson, Cutler & Co. Schr Onward, Wasson, New York, A Cush-ing & Co. Schr Lena Maud, Giggey, Portsmouth, A

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Cushing & Co.
Schr H M Stanley, Flower, Weymouth, A
Cushing & Co.
Coastwise—Schrs Temple Bar, Gesner,
Bridgetown; Yarmouth Packet, Shaw, Yarmouth; Wood Bros, Golding, St Martins;
Souvenir, Robichaud, Meteghan; L M Ellis,
Lent, Westport; Helen M Mills, Advocate
Harbor; Lloyd, Anderson, Annapolis; Silver
Wave, McLean, St Martins; Hazel Glen,
Nickerson, Anapolis.

Saturday, April 9.
Stmr Monmouth, Birchman, Bristol, C P R.
Stmr Bavarian, Macnicol, Liverpool via
Halifax, Wm Thomson & Co.
Stmr Concordia, Martin, Glasgow via Liverpool, Schofield & Co.
Coastwise—Schr Abana, McDonough, St
Martins; Agnes May, Kerrigan, St. Martins.
Monday, April 11.
Stmr Dahome, West Indies via Halifax,
Schofield & Co.
Coastwise—Schr Oronbyatekha, Phinney,
Back Bay; stmr Brunswick, Potter, Wolfville.

Stmrs Monmouth for Bristol, and Bavarian for Liverpool via Halifax. CANADIAN PORTS.

Halifax, N S, April 8—Ard stmr Canada, from Liverpool Sid—Stmr Numidian, Main, for New York. Ard—Stmrs Rocalind, from St John's (Nidd); Florence, from St John's (Nidd); Numidian, from Glasgow; braquentine Culdoon, from Carabelle (Fla.)
Halifax, N S, April 10—Ard stmr Halifax, from Boston.
Halifax, April 11—Ard, stmrs Beta, Jamaica, Turks Island Bermuda; Senlac, St John via ports.

BRITISH PORTS. London, April 8—Sid stmr Montrose, for Halifax and St John (N B.)
Oran, April 5—Sid stmr Ackworth, from Genoa, etc, for Portland.
London, April 9—Sid stmr Evangeline, for St John and Halifax.
Lizard, April 9—Passed stmr (supposed) Gulf of Ancud, Halifax for London.
Queenstown, April 10, 9.25 a m—Sid stmr Campania, from Liverpool for New York.
Liverpool, April 9—Ard stmr Etruria, from New York. Glasgow, April 9—Sld stmr Mongolian,for New York, London, April 10—Ard stmr Cambrian,from

Antwerp for Montreal.

Glasgow, April 11—Ard, stmr Lakonia, St
John and Halifax via Liverpool.

Cape Town, April 11—Ard, stmr Canada
Cape, St John.

Delagoa Bay, March 15—Sld, bark Regin,
Delhousia.

gor; Harry Barnett, Boston; Sarah W Lawrence, Providence.
Norfolk, Va, April 8-Cld schrs Florence M Penley, for Bangor; Charles Davenport, for Bangor; Dalight, for eastern port.
Sld-Schr Ellen M Golder, Boston.
New Haven, Conn, April 8-Ard schr Rebecca N Huddell, St John.
New York, April 8-Ard schrs Gypsum Queen, South Amboy for Windsor; William Marshall, from Washington (D C); William Marshall, Norfolk; Jennie D Bell, from Patohogue; Florence A Barren Island for Bangor; Ellen E Baxter, South Amboy for Bar Harbor.

C B); schr Edgar W Murdock, from Philatelphia.

Sid—Schrs Wellfleet, for Jacksonville; D Haskill, for Fernandina; Clara A Donnell, or Norfolk; Jennie French Potter, for coal ort; Alice E Clark, do; Baker Palmer, do; felen Thomas, do; Henry L Peckham, do; felen Thomas, do; Suthern port; Rebecca Whildin, eastern port; Susan Stetson, for final Haven; Reuben Eastman, for Bangor; faldare, for Bear River (N S); L T Whitnore, —; Lillian, eastern port.

Bootbay Harbor, Me, April 9—Ard schr fargaret C, from St John.
City Island, April 9—Bound south, schr raulien, St John via New Haven.

Eastport, Me, April 10—Sid tug Gypsum Ing, towing barges; Gypsum King and sypsum Empress, St Andrews for Windsor. New London, Conn, April 10—Ard schr ohn J Perry, from Perth Amboy for Rockind; Ida May, from Port Reading for Fredrickston. n (N B.)

w York, April 10—Ard stmrs St Paul,
1 Southampton; Umbria, from Liverpool;
orraine, from Havre.

i—Ship Maria Teresa, for Anjer (for or1; barques Westfield, for St Simon;
Allegro, for Marseilles; brig Curacoa,
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tland, Me, April 10—Ard stmr Turcofrom Bristol (Eng); barque Carrie
low, from Philadelphia.

-Stmr Southwark, for Liverpool; schrs
nor Ames, for Norfolk; Annie E
Myra Sears and Emma W Day, for rn ports.
—Schrs Annie M Allau, for St John
); Clara and Mabel, for New Harbor.
Sunday—Stmrs Canada, from LiverUnique, from Louisburg (C B); North
from New York.
em, Mass, April 9—Ard schrs Canning
et, from Lynn for Weymouth; Valdare,
Boston for Bear River.
dy Island, Del, April 9—Passed down
Caledonia, from Philadelphia for Hali-

delphia.

Below-Bark Rebecca Crowell, from Port Jobos (P. R.); schr Henry B. Fiske, from Brunswick (Ga).

Sild-Stand: Pottsville, from Philadelphia for Portland; schrs Chas G Endicott, coal port; J Holmes Brinsdall, do.

City Island, April 11—Bound south, stmrs Rosalind, St John's (Nfid) and Hallfax; schr Annie A Booth, St John.

Delaware Breakwater, April 11—Passed out 10th, schr Caledonia, Philadelphia for Halifax.

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ANOTHER BIG STRIKE

Men on Construction of Coal Wash ing Plant Go Out for Higher

Wages. Sydney, N. S., April 10—(Special)— More than 300 men, employes of Hayl & Patterson, the constructing firm for the new coal-washing plant of the Dominio Iron & Steel Company, went out on strike Saturday forenoon, ...e strike or g inated with Italian labor, who number more than 100, and soon spread to other employes. These Italians, many of wnon stood at the entrance of the works an proved effective. The cause of the strike was a demand for wages, which, they alleged, had been promised them—\$1.50 for laborers and \$1.60 for concrete men. They were given \$1.26 and \$1.35 respectively perg offered the laborers 13 cents per hour and concrete men 14, but this was no and concrete men 1s, but this was no satisfactory, and all work was enspended. There were about 75 carpenters on the works. They had been getting from 17 to 20 cents an hour. When the laborers

went out they demanded an increased t 25 cents an hour, but later returned t work for 22½ cents an hour. It is under stood that the employes o

RECENT CHARTERS

Coal for St. John and Fredericton---Lumber Fixtures of Local Interest.

S. S. Benedict, Halifax, 35s., West Coast

Br. schir. Tugera, 146 tons, New York to Sackville, sand, \$1.25.
Schr. R. D. Spear, 299 tons, New York to Sackville, sand, \$1.25.
Schr. R. D. Spear, 299 tons, New York to St. John, coal, 80 cents. Schr. Sebago, 254 tons, same. Schr. Lotus, 90 tons, same. Br. schr. Genevieve, 124 tons, New York to Fredericton, coal, \$1.30. Schr. Otis Miller, 98 tons, same. Schr. Priscilla, 102 tons, same; and back to Vineyard Haven, fo, lath, p. t. Schr Ida May, 119 tons, New York Yarmouth, corn, 3 cents per bushel. Schr. Keewaydin, 187 tons, St. John to Fall River, lumber, p. t. Bark F. B. Lovitt, 544 tons, Philadelphia to Yarmouth, coal, owners account. Schr. Grypsum Queen, 669 tons, Wentworth (N. S.) to Staten Island, plaster, season charter, \$2. Schr Gypsum Empress, 723 tons, same. Schr. Calabria, 530 tons, same. Schr. Ontario, 825 tons, same.
Schr. Calabria, 530 tons, same. Schr. Ontario, same.
Schr. Calabria, 530 tons, Elizabethport to St. John, coal, \$0 cents. Schr Fraulien, 149 tons, same.
Schr. Abbie Keast, 96 tons, Pt. Reading to St. John, coal, \$1.25.
Dan. sturr. Nordboen, 1547 tons, Hopewell Cape to W. C. England, deals, 35s. April. Ger. sturr. Cordboen, 1595 tons, (corrected), Miramichi to W. Britain, deals, 40s. Max.
Bark F. B. Lovitt, 544 tons, Yarmouth (N. Berk F. B. Lovitt, 544 tons, Yarmouth (N. Bark F. B. Lovitt, 544 tons, Parmouth (N. Bark F. B. Lovitt, 544 tons, Parmouth (N. Bark F. B. Lovitt, 544 tons, Yarmouth (N. Bark F. B. Lovi

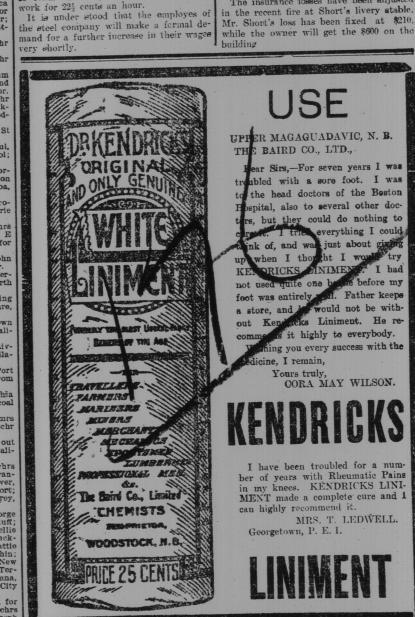
May.

Bark F. B. Lovitt, 544 tons, Yarmouth (N. S.) to Buenos Ayres, lumber, \$8.50; option Rosario, \$9.50.

Bark Northern Empire, 865 tons, Tusket Wedge to Buenos Ayres, lumber, \$3.

New York, April 11 .- A meeting of rail-

coad presidents will be held within a few days for the purpose of bringing to an end, if possible, the grain rate war between



THE SEMI-WEEKLY TELEGRAPH, ST. JOHN, N. B., WEDNESDAY, APRIL 13, 1904.

CARLETON BOASTS VIGOROUS LADY WHO HAS JUST KEPT HER 100TH BIRTHDAY.

Mrs. James Holt Talks Most Entertainingly of Incidents in a Wonderful Life--A Remarkable Lady, Well and Hearty, With Century of Life Behind Her.

across the north of Ireland, paused over Donegal that he might place in a Ballyshannon home a beautiful baby girl. Mr. and Mrs. McCann christened her Annie,

and Mrs. McCann christened her Annie, and the child, now Mrs. James Holt, of Watson street, Carleton, celebrated her centennial the fifteenth day of last month. She bears her burden of 100 years lightly. She is one of Father Time's pets.

With difficulty do you realize that she lived in the days before the thunder of Nelson's fleet was heard off Cape Trafalgar. She was budding into womanhood when the guns of Waterloo decided for all time the fate of the little corporal. Her years were approaching the half-century mark when Sebastopol surrendered. She had lived nearly as long again, when the great grandchildren of those who helped make British history in the dawn of the century, fought at its close on the plains of South Africa.

St. John was a miry village when Mrs. Holt took up her residence here in 1810. The Loyalists were hardly a memory them. The churches prayed for the preservation of good King George, pounds and shillings were recognized as the legitimate currency, and the "old burying ground" was not nearly so thickly populated as it is today.

is today.

"What couldn't I tell you reporters," said Mrs. Hott Thursday evening. "Why I could fill a newspaper—yes, six of them and more with what I've seen and heard. I remember King street in the city when it was like a village road. I remember Carleton when the place was nothing but woods. I mind the people—ah, but they are all dead now. The folks living here when I was a girl and the people living here now—why there's as much difference between them as there is between darkest night and sunshine. The men and women I used to know I wish we had now."

Is Wonderfully Vigorous If you call on Mrs. Holt do not expect to meet a woman made decripit because of a century of life. True, she is frail; her motherly face is crinkled, her hair silvered, hen form bowed, but what would you expect? She possesses these inevitable stamps of unusual age, but she can read without eye-glasses, can walk without a cane, her voice is within a tremor, her hand-clasp is firm and strong, her hearing has never been affected, and her memory—well, she recalls incidents of her childhood in Ireland, and is a breathing encyclopedia of local history for nimety-four years. Her recollections are undimmed despite the mist of almost a century.

"I can look back and see them," she says, "generation after generation. Oh, but it was a long time ago when father and aunt and myself landed here after being mine weeks on the voyage; woods and swamps and narrow bridal paths. I kept father's books. He was a well-to-do man then, but by and by along came the fire, and a great fire that was. We were burnt out. I don't mean the one that you remember—or perhaps you don't, for you're pretty young looking—but this fire happened years and years before 1877."

"Do you recall the fever and the imagrants buried on the island?"

Mrs. Holt, while conversing, regards you attentively. If you ask a question, knowing that she is particularly well qualified to answer, she has a habit of half rising from her chair and extending her hands toward you as if anxious to wave you from her presence.

Her recollections of the wave-washed county of her birth rare realistic and many. The legends and traditions of the rough west coast, absorbed in childhood, have not become obscured beneath the incidents of her birth rare realistic and many. The legends and traditions of the rough west coast, absorbed in childhood, have not become obscured beneath the incidents of the fever and experiences crowding each day of 100 years' active life.

Mos of richest milk. How he marvelled, and how, upon investigation, it was reviewly been over ninety years away from home,"

A century ago a stork, winging his way across the north of Ireland, paused over Donegal that he might place in a Bally. Several decades would have to pass before railways would be looked upon as practicable. Steam navigation was in its infancy. The broad canvas of brig and barque was sufficient. Conveniences crebarque was sufficient. Conveniences cre ated by electrical devices were unborn

ated by electrical devices were unborn. The ocean and the inland waterways were the great highways of commerce.

The settlers were just beginning to nibble at the resources of the province. Rude roads were being built through the country. It was a time of home-made clothing and crude beginnings. But if the region was not mellowed by centuries of white occupancy, there was to be found a freedom, peculiarly acceptable to the settlers—especially those from Ireland.

Nearly Half Century in One St eet.

Vinegar Hill and Robert Emmet bittered the thoughts of hundreds of her sons. Transportations and executions were not infrequent. Mrs. Holt had not been long in the land of promise before she married, and one of her early homes when her presided on wife and method. she married, and one of her early homes when she presided as wife and mother was situated near where York Theatre mow stands. Next month she will have lived forty-nine years in Watson street.

"My husband is dead two years the fourth of March," said Mrs. Holt, tand now let me count my children. There was Mary, who is dead; then Mrs. Farrell, of Halifax, is a daughter, and Mrs. Werner, of this city, is another. Then there's Bart; he lives here. William is down in St. Louis, and Mrs. Donovan, of Carleton, is a daughter. Matthew lives out in Colorado. Edward and James live over the harbor."

There are a few grandchildren, and great-grandchildren, too. Mrs. Donovan has six in the family, William has seven, James has two, and Matthew three. That makes eighteen. Then there's one married in Woodstock; she has three children, and I've another grandchildren."

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Her recollections of the wave-washed county of her birth are realistic and many. The legends and traditions of the rough

Mrs. Holt gravely nodded her lace-cap covered head.

"Do I?" she said briskly, as if slightly provoked; "and do I remember the war of 1812, and the time of the cholera, and the visit of the Prince of Wales, and the great gale, and the Fenian scare, and the loss of the Royal Tar, and the time we began using oil lamps instead of candles? Oh," drawing a long breath, "what couldn't I tell to those newspapers?"

Mrs. Holt was six years of age when she reached St. John. Her parents had previously come to Canada, but her father returned to the old land for his daughter and also her aunt. The harbor did not then have its edging of buildings. The period was even prior to the youth of "Wun Lung." The west side was practically uninhabited. Tide and forest met. Where today you see brick blocks, then

REV W. E. BATES, AMHERST NURSES' ASSOCIATION.

Pleasantly Entertained by Dr. Thos. Walker at His Residence Last Evening.

Dr. Thomas Walker and the ladies o his household entertained the members of the Nurses' Association last night at his residence. There were a good many of the nurses present, and Doctor Walker gave them an informal talk on the essentials of a nurse and the history of anti septic surgery. The nurses were urged to cultivate the qualities of tact and kindlitheir immediate charge, but to the members of the household in which they might be employed. The necessity of being good cocks was also insisted on, as well as the art of serving food in such a way as to tempt the jaded appetite. A love of their profession was one of the first essentials in a nurse, as without this they were apt to become discouraged at the difficulties

The great progress in antiseptic surgery since its first inception was told in an entertaining fashion, and the advantages t be derived from absolute cleanliness surgical operations by not only the paste but the surgeon and the profes

After Doctor Walker's very remarks those present partook freshments. As this is the firm members of the Nurses' Ass been entertained as a body Doctor Walker's hospita

CASTORIA
For Inante and Children. The Kind You Have Always Bought

The Pastor Whom Main Street Baptist Church Wanted is Going to Mystic, Conn.

Amherst, N. S., April 10-(Special)-At the close of this morning's service in the First Baptist church the pastor, Rev. Wel-come E. Bates, in a formal letter of resignation, asked to be released of his duties as pastor, the resignation to take effect on the 30th June.

His reasons for resigning, he states in his letter, are: "There has come to me entirely unsolicited a call to the pastorate of the Union Baptist church of Mystic (Conn.) and after careful examination and prayerful consideration, I feel sure that this door has been opened by the Lord. There is therefore only one thing for me

The announcement of Pastor Bates cam as a surprise to the members of the church and it will be with the deepest regret that they will part from Mr. and Mrs. Bates. is one of the oldest and largest churches in Connecticut and has a membership of bout 600. Its last pastor was Rev. Byrot Ulric Hatfield, a native of Port Greville,

Both Mr. and Mrs. Bates are natives of Connecticut. Mr. Bates was ordained to the ministry at Norwich, about 25 miles held the office of treasurer. He was also he ministry at Norwich, about 25 mile

Pater—"I am sorry to say, Charles, that leaves a widow, three sons and one ou do not seem to have learned anything daughter. The sons are Frank, Aquilla n your four years at college."

and Stanley. Miss Rese Hopkins resides at home. sorry, dad. It was my purpose not to learn anything. I desired to keep my mind intrammelled by academic influence, so that I might enter upon the duties of life Pater In other words, the handicap is

to remain with me,"

Hon. W. B. Vail. Halifax, April 10-(Special)-A cable re-

late Dr. Theodore Rand, of McMaster University, and of the late Edwin Rand, of British Columbia. Mrs. Enoch Griffin, of Woodville, is a sister of deceased. Corn-Woodstock, N. B., April 10-(Special)-Helen A., wife of James P. Hull, died at her home late last night, aged twenty-ix years and eight months. Decased has been failing in health all winter from con-sumption. She was the daughter of Stanley Street, formerly of this town, and a husband, two brothers and two sisters early hour Friday morning of Tobias Burgoyne, proprietor of the Lorne Hotel, Regent street. He had been ill since last November from consumption. He was a native of Kingsclear, but had been a resi-dent of Fredericton for seven years. For died within a short space of time, place on Tuesday.

dent of Fredericton for seven years. For a time he conducted the Albion Hotel, on Queen street, but has had charge of the Lorne Hotel for five years.

Mr. Burgoyne was sixty-three years of age and leaves a widow and family of six daughters and six sons. He had been twice married, his first wife being Miss Annie Cyr. About 1 years ago she died and later he married again, this time to the widow of the late Erank Michaud, of Digby, April 8-Thos. Titus died at his home in Westport yesterday morning, aged twice married, his first wife being Miss Annie Cyr. About I years ago she died and later he married again, this time to the widow of the late Frank Michaud, of Kingselear.

By his first wife the late Mr. Burgoyne (Mars), also first was one of whom. He is survived by two sons, Frank, who resides in Westport, and Rev. D. D. Titus, pastor of the First Baptist church of Brockton. Kingselear.

By his first wife the late Mr. Burgoyne is survived by ten children, four sons, John and Frank in Montana, Matthew and Peter at home, and six daughters, Barbara and Nellie in Boston, Cecelia and Mrs. Osborne in North Scituate (Mass.), and Fannie and Rebecca at home, while the king appropriate widow, he leaves two announced at the general public hospital

by his surviving widow, he leaves two sons, Leonard Williams and Edward Roy. Mrs. Julia Sterling There died Friday, at her home Julia, beloved wife of William Sterling, in the forty-second year of her age. ceased had been sick about ten months with cancer of the stomach, which was the immediate cause of death. Besides her husband, five children, three sons and two Mrs. Sarah Drury.

Mrs. Albert Clark.

The death of Mrs. Sarah Drury, aged 76 about 10.30 o'clock Friday night at the reidence of her daughter, Mrs. C. H. Leonard. The deceased leaves three sons—Samuel Charters, of this city, and H. A. Drury, of Cleveland; also Mrs. C. H. Leonard and Miss Isabelle, of this city, and Mrs. William Russell, of Vancouver. Miss Agnes, of this city.

John Chapman died Friday morning at his residence, Camden street. He was eighty years of age, was born in Kent (Eng.) and when fourteen years of age came to St. John. He followed the sector a while and then went to St. Martins where he apprenticed himself to Samuel Carson, with whom he mastered the ship-building business. He afterwards became a master builder, and constructed vessels at many places along the Bay of Fundy at many places along the Bay of Fundy. He bore the reputation of being an excellent mechanic. Mr. Chapman is survived by his wife, five sons and two daughters. His children are: Capt. William, St. John; George, of the C. P. R.; Thomas, of Yarmouth; Watter, St. John, and Harvey, of Boston; Mrs. H. Bolton, Boston, and Mrs. Blanchard Ferris, St. John.

OBITUARY,

Cornwallis, April 7-The death occurr

yesterday and the burial takes place to day, of Marchant Rand, of Hillaton.

eased had been ill for many months, and

was seventy years of age. He leaves widow, who was a Miss Cornstock, three

sons and a daughter, who is a nurse is Staten Island. He was a brother of th

Tobias Burgoyne.

The death occurred at Fredericton at ar

and respected residents.

Mrs John Mullen.

The death of Mrs. John Mullen, a na tive of County Tyrone (Ire.), but a resident of this city for upwards of fifty years, took place Thursday. She is survived by her husband and four children—John Mullen and Mrs. F. W. Hamilton, of Boston; Mrs. John McDonald, jr., and

James Crawford.

James Crawford, the Main street stationer, died at his residence, 705 Main street, Saturday afternoon. Deceased had been suffering for the past five months with organic heart disease. Mr. Craw ford was born in St. John and was pril cipal of a public school for nearly twenty years. In his younger days he was a great athlete, having won a large number of valuable prizes in running. He also took a keen interest in base ball and all kinds of sports. Mr. Crawford had conducted E. BATES, AMMERST

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Of sports. Mr. Crawford had conducted a wall paper and stationery business for the past twenty-five years, being one of St. John's most successful and respected merchants. His many friends, in this city and clsewhere will be very sorry to learn of his untimely death. He is survived by one daughter—Jennette C. Crawford. He also leaves three brothers and five sisters to mourn their sad lose. ive sisters to mourn their sad lose.

John McDonald

The death of John McDonald, aged fifty two years, took place at the Home for Incurables Sunday afternoon at 5 o'clock Deceased formerly lived at 66 High street. He leaves a wife and five children. The interment will be at Sand Cove cemetery.

Dennis O'Connor.

Dennis O'Connor, of Kingsville, who was taken to the Home for Incurables Thursday last, suffering from cancer, died on Saturday. He was 47 years old and a son of the late Philip O'Connor. He leaves his mother, five brothers and two sisters. Four of his brothers live in the United States. He was percy highly esteemed by States. He was very highly esteemed by all his acquaintances.

The death of John Hopkins took place Sunday after an illness of several nonths. He was a good citizen and was for almost forty years one of the mos tive and enterprising men in the busi-

He was born in Bristol (Eng.), in 1840, and had been a resident of this city since 1806. He was in business here since look and the establishment he founded is today being carried on by his sone. He was a life-long member of the Methodist church, and was an active and earnest worker in Sunday school superintendent, and atthe time of his death was a trustee. He

his day a well-known barrieter and Queens counsel of Sackville. Deceased had reached the age of 86 years. One son and three daughters survive. They are W. C. Milner, of Sackville; Mrs. J. W. Binney, of Monoton; Mrs. H. G. C. Ketchum, of this city, and Mrs. George E. Stopford, of Tidnish (N.S.).

death at Dover (Eng.), today of Hon. W

Mrs. James P. Hull.

Thomas Titus

The death of Bernard Callaghan was announced at the general public hospital Sunday morning, he having succumbed to injuries received in the I. C. R. yard last Wednesday. Deceased was sixty-seven years of age leaves one brother, Edward, and four sisters. The latter are Mrs. James Thornton, Mrs. David Colgan and Mrs. Mary Conway of this city, and Mrs. James Borden, sr., of Brooklyn. Mr. Callaghan came to this city from Ireland with his parents when quite young and since that time has been an excellent citizen. He was a prosperous stevedore and his hosts of friends along stevedore and his hosts of friends along the harbor front will miss him.

The sad death occurred at Sandyville, just above Marysville, Sunday night of Rhoda, widow of the late Albert Clark. sons, Albert, in Pennsylvania; Horatio, in Wisconsin; John, in Nelson, and Moses, of Gibson, and one daughter, Mrs. Dudley Bubar, with whom she resided.

Mrs. F. H. Wilson.

Yarmouth, April 10-The death of Mrs F. H. Wilson, wife of the senior partner of F. H. Wilson & Co., iron founders occurred in Milton last night. She was daughter of the late Andrew Homer, of this town, and was highly esteemed. She leaves a husband and one daughter.

Mrs J. P. Hull-

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CELEBRATED HIS

Joseph Sewell of Upper Pokemouche, G'oucester, Co., Hale and Hearty.

He Came to Miramichi Eighty-four Years Ago, and Had a Narrow Escape for His Life in the Great Fire That Raged There Many Years Ago.

Upper Pokemouche, Gloucester Co., April 8-Joseph Sewell, of Upper Poke-mouche, Gloucester county, celebrated his 104th birthday today.

It was a very quiet celebration, as one of his grandchildren is just now very ill. Although a relic of three centuries, Mr. Sewell is still as straight as a rush and His health at the present time is perfect, and all who called to see him today were greeted by a clean shaven man, looking not more than seventy at the most. Mr. Sewell came to this country eightyfour years ago, landing at the Miramichi

great Miramichi fire, having to take refuge from the flames on a vessel at anchor in the harbor. Mr. Sewell still repeats the story of his adventures on that night, remembering everything as though it hap pened a very few years ago.

Many of his friends were calling all

day today, and everybody remarked that Mr. Sewell looks as though a number of years of life were still before him.

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Mrs. Christopher Milner.

Fredericton, April 10—(Special)—The death occured at the residence of her daughter, Elmscroft, here today, of Mrs. Milner, widow of Christopher Milner, in

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HORRIBLE DEATH OF I. C. R. BRAKEMAN

Jos Laviolette of Jacquet THE ILLUSTRATED LONDON NEWS. River Falls Between Cars of Moving Train.

BODY CUT TO PIECES.

1041H BIRTHDAY Twenty-five Cars Passed Over the Unfortunate Man--It is Believed That He Tripped Over a Wire on His Way from Van to Engine --Train Crew Never Missed Him.

> Moncton, April 10-(Special)-Austin Laviolette, aged 20 years, a brakeman on the I. C. R., lost his life this morning near Catamount, about thirteen miles above Moncton, while on duty on Warman's

> As near as can be ascertained Laviolette who was forward brakeman and supposed to ride in the engine, was going over the missed his footing and fell between the cars of the moving train. The last seen of him by the conductor and the rear brakeman was when he left the van and started for the engine. He did not arrive at the forward part of the train and the driver and fireman, who last saw him at Canaan, where shunting was done, supposed he was in the van. Upon arrival at Moncton the conductor

> registered in the usual way but was not aware of his missing brakeman, as he supsed him to be in the engine and strange to say none of the crew were aware he accident until a report reached the dispatcher's office later that a man's mangled body was found on the track by eymour Sherwood, a section man, who vas going over the track. The investigation which followed the covery of the body showed that deceased had fallen between the cars about six cars from the engine and some twenty-five cars passed over him, dragging him

nearly 100 feet and cutting up the body He had apparently fallen from a car of umber and it is thought he tripped over he wire on the stakes. Deceased was a son of Jos. Laviolette, Jacquet River, and had been on the I. C. R. five months. One brother, Joseph, is brakeman on the northern division.

took the statements of trainmen and others

and decided an inquest unnecessary. The

body was brought to Moncton and will be

sent north tomorrow for interment. Margaret Anglin Back from Europe. New York, April 11-Margaret Anglin returned to New York yesterday to fulfill her engagement with Henry Miller in

Camille at the Hudson Theatre. Panama Strike Ended. Panama, April 11-The strike on the Panama railroad was brought to an end

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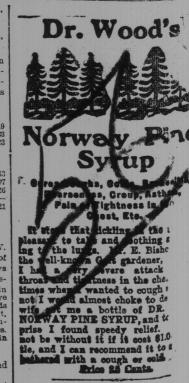
20,621 of All Ranks Fell in the Campaign. Arnold-Forster, the secretary for war, in reply to a question in the house of commons, stated that the total British casualies (deaths) in the South African war was

Non-Commissioned Officers and Men.

Advertising the Province.

George Hamm, of Montreal, and W .W. Hubbard, of St. John, advertising agent of the C. P. R., were in Fredericton a few days ago and interviewed the government regarding an advertising proposition to join with them in making known to prospective immigrants the large areas of ariable lands in New Brunswick valuable for settlement, and submitted a scheme. This the government will take into consideration and Messrs. Hamm and Hubbard will probably be in Fredericton again this week.—Gleaner. ago and interviewed the government re

At the Theatre-"I can't understand how you can laugh at those old jokes." "I'm not laughing at the jokes, but at the gall of the fellow who is getting them off, That strikes me as awfully funny."



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