cola.
ville, Feb 2, sch Adelene,
Vincent, BWI.
ck, Feb 2, bark Reform,
s Ayres (for orders)
ork, Feb 2, sch Melba, for mburg.

N. Conn., Feb. 2.—Sld., schr
John for New York; Abbie
for do: Emma McAdams,
for do: Crimes.

Ga, Feb 1, bark Savona

Liverpool.
Dec 19, str Capac, Sproul
k via ports), for Guayaquil.
ala, Miss., Feb 4, bark Bald-

afner, bound N. Feb. 1, lat.

EMORANDA. ard Haven, Jan 30, sch Nim-hn for New York. D, Jan. 31.—Bound south, from Parrsboro, N S, via

31.—Commander Arthur P.
se of this lighthouse district
at the bell buoy on the
Pollock Rip Slue, Vineyard
ne Horse Shoal buoy No. 5,
ported out of position, have
on their stations. This Poluoy, which has been reported
as been re-lighted.
AY, Jan. 16.—In port, bark
nan, for Barbados, to sail in

BIRTHS.

this city, Feb. 7th, 1901, to seph P. Turner, a daughter. his city, Feb. 7th, 1901, to seph P. Turner, a daughter.

ARRIAGES.

DEATHS.

this city, on Feb. 7th, Mrs. heron, aged 83 years.
this city, on Feb. 8th, Robst son of Daniel and the late
coll, in the 28th year of his

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mountain. The column rested

march was resumed southwest. Major Crewe was just touching the

four on the afternoon, when the

southern point of the mountain when a terrific rifle fire opened from a large southern point of the mountain

came general. The Boers outnumber

ed the British five to one, and were attacking them on both flanks and the

rear. The British "pom-pom" jam-med and became useless. Major Crewe

grasped the situation and by a bril-

liant move, got the convoy into a safe

Between seven and eight in the even

ing the Boers charged the position and turned both flanks. The British am-

munition became exhausted, and Ma-

abandon the "pom-pom" after the advance party had enedavored to save

A rear-guard action was fought by

Major Crewe into the came, where the

sonally superintended the retirement,

the Boers harrassing him throughout.

Entrenchments were thrown up during

When morning came, Major Crewe

started to join Gen. Knox, twelve miles

southeast. The Boers immediately re-

attacked him, compelling him to fight

a second rear-guard action for a few

miles. General DeWet personally com-

Major Crewe's force was only 700

Eventually the British officer joined

Gen. Knox and returned to Bloemfon

tein. Lord Kitchener has highly complimented Major Crewe upon the

LONDON, Feb. 10 .- Lord Raglan,

under secretary for war, informed the

peace commission is contemplated

is false from beginning to end," he

said. "The policy of the government is the very opposite of what would

Sir Alfred Milner reviewed 7,000 men of the new volunteer force and made

bable, is too silly to be argued with.

penetrate the extreme west and south

of Cape Colony, but they have reached.

one and are within a few miles of the

other. Therefore it is necessary to

take every precaution. Most men pre-fer to be called alarmists and to safe-

guard their property. That is better than to be called fine, plucky fellows

LISBON, Feb. 10 .- Portugal, it is al-

leged, is preparing to send troops to aid the British in South Africa. King

Charles will remain in London until

Great efforts are being made to secure a new treaty of alliance with

England superseding the antiquated

WILLISTON, Cape Colony, Feb. 11.—Col. De Lisie's column has arrived here. The Boers moved in three columns toward Van-

feat with a view of war.

LONDON, Feb. 12.—The Cape Town correspondent of the Standard says reports have been received there from Delagoa Bay asserting that the natives of the Northern Transvaal have risen against the Boers.

PEACE WITHOUT DISHONOR.

and to lose your property.'

report as to a peace commission

correspondent of the Associated Presi

manded the Boers, estimated at 2,500.

it and had sustained severe losses.

force of Boers who were in ambuse

SOUTH AFRICA.

Lord Robert's Mail Despatches Up to November Fifteenth Gazetted.

General Smith-Dorrien Defeats Louis Botha's Commando of Two Thousand Men-Major Crewe Does Some Good Work.

LONDON, Feb. 9.—Public attention has again been turned to South Africa by the lespatch of reinforcements and the publication of Lord Roberts' mail despatches. Rumors have been in cir culation that Mr. Chamberlain had reconsidered his South African policy and was contemplating a round table conference with John Morley and Sir Wm. Vernon Harcourt and the recall of Sir Alfred Milner.

able to assert on Mr. Chamberlain's authority that the whole story is a fabrication and that the government retains the most absolute confidence in Sir Alfred Milner.

Looking at all the circumstances, Lord Roberts says the campaign is unique in the annals of war." and he navs the highest tribute to the gallantry and worth of the troops, declaring that "no finer force ever took the field under the British flag."

There is a general idea that the despatches have suffered considerable excision at the hands of the war office. They do not throw any further light on the summary retirement of Gen. Colville or many other matters regarding which the public is anxious

The appearance of bubonic plague at Capa Town seems likely to add to the difficulties of the situation. The authorities there have decided upon a wholesale extermination of rats. Should the disease spread it will necessitate changes in the military arrange-

Today Sir Alfred Milner makes another earnest appeal to employers to allow as many men as possible to enroll in the colonial mounted defence

From Delagoa Bay it is reported that the British have occupied Ermelo and Carolina, which until recently were Boer depots. The Boers held up a Natal mail train near Vlakfontein. The few soldiers on board exhausted their cartridges and the Boers then robbed the passengers, afterward allowing the train to proceed.

LONDON, Feb. 8.-Lord Roberts' details of the mail despatches ranging from Feb. 6 to Nov. 15, 1900, were gazetted this evening. They fill 157 quarto pages and make up the official history of the war, although without throwing new light upon several in tacked Smith-Dorlen at Orange Campteresting disputed subjects, such as teresting disputed subjects, such as repulsed after severe fighting. Gen. the Sannas Post affair:

sloned officers and men are favorably mentioned, including Lord Kitchener, who is referred to in warm terms. Sir Redvers Buller comes in for criti-

Writing from Jacobsdal Feb. 16, Lord Roberts says:
"Gen. Buller, Feb. 6, wired that he had pierced the enemy's lines, but that to give his artillery access to the Ladysmith plain would cost from 2,000 to 3,000 men. I replied that he must relieve Ladysmith even at that cest. Buller telegraphed, Feb. 9, that he was not strong enough to relieve without reinforcements, and regarded the operation in which

he was engaged as impracticable. I

replied that my instructions must

BLOEMFONTEIN, Saturday, Feb. 2.—An influential burgher gives some details regarding the treatment of the peace envoys who went to Gen. De Wet's laager. It seems that they were ordered to remain with a cart until the mules arrived. As the Boers were breaking laager in the expectation of a British attack one morning, Com-mandant Froneman came up and asked them why they had not in-spanned. Morgendael replied that they had been ordered to wait for mules, whereupon the Boer commandant im-mediately jamboked Morgendael on the head and face and said he felt inclined to shoot him.

Gen. De Wet, oming up at the mo-"Why don't you shoot

Driving Hammers,

Pincers,

Rasps.

Blacksmiths'

Horse Shoes,

-Supplies.

him?" At this Froneman fired at the pom" to bear on the Boers, who, however, were found to be so numerous that it was impossible to head them. Orders were given to return to camp, about two miles from the envoy, who died of the wound. Mueller, another envoy, was jam-

CAPE TOWN, Feb. 8.-A Boer force pressing southward has been repulsed at Reddersburg. The losses were insignificant CAPE TOWN, Feb. 8.-Albert Cart-

wright, editor of the South African News, who was arrested yesterday charged with criminal and seditious libel, was formally charged in a police court here this morning and remanded in £2.000 bail. BRUSSELS, Feb. 8.—In the cham-

per of deputies today a petition inviting Belgium to offer to arbitrate between Great Britain and the Transvaal was debated at some length. The foreign minister, M. De Favereau, said the government did not object to the petition being referred to a committhe petition mistook the meaning of

article 27 of The Hague convention, under which it was desired to act.

M. Maenhout, reporter for the commission having the petition in charge, said he would support a petition sugtion in the South African war, declaring that Great Britain could not take umbrage at the intervention of Belgium because The Hague convention. to which England adhered provided

for arbitration.

M. De Favereau, replying, reiterated his statement that the authors of the petition were mistaken as to the import of article 27 of The Hague convention, adding that the spirit of the conference was that arbitration could be useful only on the eve of a conflict and that mediation could be propose only when circustances permitted. M. Janson proposed a motion ap-

proving the conclusion of the commis sion dealing with the petition. M. De Favereau repeated that intervention by Belgium was impossible, and that the motion was superfluous. The chanber, however, adopted M.

Janson's motion unanimously. LONDON, Feb. 11.-The war office has received the following despatch from Lord Kitchener, the commander-

"FRETORIA, Feb. 9.-The columns with slight opposition. A large force of Boers, estimated at 7. 000, under Louis Botha, retired eastward. About 800 wagons, with families, passed through Ermelo on the way to Amsterdam, and very large quantities of stock are being driver

"A peace delegate under sentence of death, and other Boer prisoners, were taken away by the Boers. Al the reports show that the Boers are exceedingly bitter. Fifty Boers sur-

ne Sannas Post affair.

Hundreds of officers, non-commis—Spruit was killed, Gen. Rendemeyer nets were killed, twenty of the Boer were left in our hands and many severely wounded. Our casualties were twenty-four killed and fiftythree wounded.

ported to have thoroughly upset all the enemy's calculations and created a regular panic in the district.

"Christian De Wet appears to be crossing the line south of the Jagersfontein road to the west this morning having failed to effect a crossing by the drifts east of Bethulie.

"In Cape Colony Calvinia has been occupied by Col. De Liste, who entered Feb. 6, the enemy retiring toward Kenhardt. Col. Haig is driving the Midland commando north past Aber-

EAST LONDON, Cape Colony, Feb. 9.—Details have been received here of severe fighting at Tabaksberg mountain, 40 miles east of the railway, and about midway between Smalldeel and Bloemfontein. Major Crewe, with a composite column, travelling south west, sighted the mountain on the morning of Jan. 31. He heard heavy firing and, knowing that Col. Pilcher's column was on the other side of the mountain, he concluded that this officer was in action. Consequently he hurried forward, only to meet the Boers streaming down and evidently retiring from Col. Pilcher's lyddite

Immediately Major Crowe brought

Rounding Hammers,

Bar Iron,

Hoof Parers,

PARLIAMENT.

Government Sprung a Surprise and Presented the Estimates.

The Total Promises to Surpass That of Previous Years By Several Millions-The New Brunswick Items-

OTTAWA, Feb. 11.-Hugh Guthrie, South Welington, moved the reply to the address from the throne, today. The attendance in the gallery was large, but quite a few seats on the floor of the house were vacant. Mr. Guthrie is a young man, whose effort torical standpoint, but his arguments were of somewhat an ancient order Mr. Guthrie first drew attention to

conservatives in 1896 and at the last election. Then he took the house in hand and endeavored to show them that the general depression in the ercial world, although it might effect all other civilized countries, could not reach Canada because of her great natural resources. So long as she was backed by Great Britain. the leader of commerce and finance, so long would she continue herself to grow unto greatness. The United States, he continued, would take no present conditions continue to exist. Preferential trade with the mother of Canada's future. The tariff of 1891 inaugurated by the McKinley regime had put its on our mettle, and trade with Britain was the result.

Mr. Cuthrie got into deep water when he revived the ghost of the policy of the Mackenzie government. He did no by telling them that in the today that Gen. Sir Evelyn Wood is not going to South Africa, and that no days of yore Canada was supposed to be the emporium for raw material. Now all was changed, and instead of logs, lumber was shipped, and dressed beef took the place of live stock. Conservative cheers and "hear, hear' greeted the announcement which was based on recognized na-tional policy lines. prompt such a step. Troops, not peace commissioners, are going to South Africa."

It is understood that Sir Evelyn Wood is less likely than any other high officer to be chosen for important duties, as he is now so deaf that his retirement is only a question of a short time.

CAPE TOWN, Feb. 10.— Yesterday Sir Alfred Milner reviewed 7,000 men of the new volunteer force and made

of the new volunteer force and made a spirited address to the officers. He expressed his gratification at the loyal response the colony had made to the call, emphasizing the great value of mounted men and complimented the officers and all concerned upon the excellent work already done in stembling the Boer invasion."

The how been said that the concerned the concerned that the house that so far as his own province was concerned, the race prob-"It has been said that the enemy would never come to Cape Town, but anyone who in the face of the events of the last few months will say a thing

Taking up the remarks of the mover's reply, he expressed himself as I am aware that I risk being called an not being clear on some points offer-alarmist, but it is better to be called ed for consideration. Not only was an alarmist than to run any risk. the house led to believe that prosper-"There was a time when it was re- ity had dawned on Canada when the present govrnment took office, but prosperity had dawned very shortly orable member from North Norfolk had expressed quite an opposite opinion, and he (Borden) could not do better than quote from Mr. Charlton's argument that Providence was responsible for any prosperity, which was quite beyond the powers of the Canadian government to produce.
Mr. Guthrie had stated that the conservatives had not seen fit to avail themselves of their apportunities in 1891, and that the present government had corrected the mistake. As to how they did it he (Borden) was

in ignorance. He could not see why they had allowed the imports during the last three years to increase from \$33,000,000 to \$37,000,000 so far as Great Britain was concerned, while those from the United States had jumped from \$59,000,000 to \$93,000,000. ent should also correct this state of affairs.

The statement that the conserva-tives had been unfortunate in strugcountry at the recent elections was misleading. The conservative party encouraged a progressive policy when brought to their notice, and such was LONDON, Feb. H. Sir Edward

Clarke, the former "solicitor general, following up his speech of Feb. 7th before the Holborn Conservative Association, has written a letter to a friend, citing Lord Roberts's rejection of the opportunity to propose peace terms in June, 1900, when Gen. Buller had prepared the way by conferences with Christian Botha, who asked what was offered. Lord Roberts replied, "Unconditional surrender," the privates to be sillowed to go to their farms and no promises to the commanders or to any who had taken an active part in bringing on the war.

"This," says Sir Edward Clarke, "put an end to all negotiations. So the war has gone on. The losses singe have been 124 officers and 1,554 men killed in action and died of wounds; 63 officers and 3,326 men died of disease, and 959 officers and 22,637 men fast Atlantic service and high commission which was so busily engaged several years ago in negotiations at Washington. In connection with the last question the opposition would also be pleased to know of the Alaskan boundary question and its outcome.

Mr. Borden finished by hoping that a royal welcome would be extended to Duke of Cornwall and York on his visit to Canada.

After Mr. Broder of Dundas had made a special appeal for the blind trooper, Molloy, Premier Laurier rose and after seconding congratulations fast Atlantic service and high commis

and after seconding congratulations to the mover and seconder of the reply, he answered Mr. Borden's questions. In regard to the pensions for the soldiers he assured the opposition that no action would be taken until after the course of the imperial gov.

ernment had been determined. Then if the remuneration was not considered sufficient, the amount would be in-

Laurier hopes to have another Washington picnic at an early date. The festivities will be renewed as soon as possible. In the meantime the temporary Alaskan boundary has been agreed upon, but there is no indication of a satisfactory final settlement. Then, to the astonishment of all, the reply passed, after being in debate for only two hours, the shortest time in the history of the house.

The annual reports of the post office, public accounts, interior, agriculture, inland revenue, and marine and fisheries, were laid on the table after a lot of horse play, following Clarke Wallace's request that the govern ment should not delay them, Mr. Fielding, in answer to Mr. Bor-

den promised to tell the house tomorrow when the auditor general's report From present indications it looks as if the session will be very short.

Peter MacDonald of West Huron was appointed deputy speaker.

THE ESTIMATES.

The main estimates were brought down today for 1901-1902, and came somewhat as a surprise. The government had evidently taken to heart the lesson of last year, when the unexpected collapse of the debate on the reply to the address found them utterly unprepared with public business and it was not until a month later that the

report was laid on the table.

The total for all purposes this year is \$50,398,823.56, of which \$19,912,444.89 is authorized by statute. In nearly all departments increases are provided for, except in the militia department, and when the supplementary estimates are submitted, the total promises to surpass that of the previous year by several millions.

The total amount to be voted on curent account is \$24,189,878.67. The statutory appropriations amount to \$19,912,444.89. This makes a total of 844.102.323.56.

In addition there is the following capital expenditure : Militia ... \$ 75,000.00 Railways and canals (capital) 5,124,500.00

704,000.00 Public works (capital Public works (Yukon) 240,000.00 Dominion lands Total expenditure\$50,398,823.56

The following are among the New Brunswick items : I. C. R. Estimates-To Increase Accommodation

In St. John post office, three stampers and sorters at \$390 per annum each are provided for. A messenger gets \$36 increase, and the increase for third-class clerks to-

St. John-Dominion public buildings -Repairs, etc., \$7,000.

St. John immigration buildings, \$11,+ Back Bay, towards extension of wharf. \$4,900.

Bay du Vin, to complete extension of wharf, \$2,750. Burnt Church wharf, \$3,000. Campbellton wharf, extension and repairs, \$3,000.

Campobello, Wilson's beach, repairs to breakwater, \$6,000. Chatnam custom house wharf, renstruction and repairs, \$1,600. Hopewell Cape, new wharf, \$12,000.

Lord's Cove, Deer Island, extension f wharf. \$1.000. River St. John, including tributar-St. John harbor-Negrotown Point breakwater, \$20,000.

St. John harbor, repairs to and extension of protection works at base of Fort Dufferin, \$1,500. Shippegan wharf at Lameque, \$3,-

3	200.	
l	Harbors and Rivers.	11
i	Nova Scotia	98,23
ğ	P. E. Island	42,50
	New Brunswick	74,95
	Maritime provinces generally	10,00
3	Quebec	277,90
9	Ontario	230,20
į	Manitoba	11,40
į	N. W. T	5,000
3	British Columbia	27,00
3	Generally	5,00
į	Dredging	392,00
	Slides and booms	30,00
d	Roads and bridges	45,00
	Tolegraph lines	38,50
	Miscellaneous	134,60
i	TOTAL SERVICE	2000

Total.. \$1,422,285 NOTES.

It is currently reported here that Hon. J. H. Ross of the N. W. government is to succeed Hon. Wm. Ogilvie ioner at Dawson. It is said to be the intention of the federal authorities to place the issuing of liquor licenses absolutely in the hands of the new commiss

MORE WORK LESS TALK.

VIENNA, Feb. 11.—Emperor Francis

Joseph today received in sudience the new president and vice presidents of the lower house of Reichsrath. His majesty said he hoped the better conmutate should be formed of the present and former governments to consider the matter. dition of affairs evidenced by the ex-

S. S. ERNA

Put in at Yarmouth on Monday Nine Days Out From Bermuda.

Terrible Experience With Heavy Northerly Gales Heavy Seas Damage the Ship -Carpenter Injured-Will Proceed

HALIFAX, N. S., Feb. 11. - The teamer Erna, from Bermuda for Jt John, put in at Yarmouth today for a supply of coal. She is badly iced up and experienced a hard passage. She left Bermude on the 3rd of February. Several seas boarded the vessel, which carried away some of the doors, flood-ing several of the compartments and doing some slight damage. She has been ordered to proceed to Halifax di-rect.

Another despatch from Yarmouth says: Steamer Erna, Capt. Bruhn, nine days out from Bermuda to St. John, put in at this port this morning short of coal. Captain Bruhn reports one of the roughest passages in his experience. They met with incessant northerly and northwesterly gales from the time they left Bermuda, Feb.

8th. On the 6th a terrific sea struck the steamer, flooding the captain's cabin and main saloon, breaking the windows and forcing the hatches. The carpenter while trying to repair the damage, was struck by a sea and driven against a plank, cutting his head open and rendering him unconscious. He is not yet able to be about. The Erna carries three passengers.

LI NCOEN'S BIRTHDAY

Mark Twain Tells How the Union Was Saved.

NEW YORK. Feb. 11.-Carnegie Hall was filled tomight with people who had assembled to commemorate the minety-second anniversary of Abraham Lincoln's birth, the proceeds of the meeting to go for the benefit of the Lincoln Memorial University of Cumberland Car. Tenn.

at Cumberland Gap, Tenn. Mark Twaln presided. Seated with him on either side of a bust of Lincoln, were Gen. Jes. Wheeler, Prof. Coin, were Gen. Jos. Wheeler, Front. Roberts, Majar Gen. John R. Brooke, Gen. Nelson A. Miles, Col. Henry Watterson, Gen. O. O. Howard and Gen. Jam's O'Beirne.

The chair read a letter from Presi dent McKinley expressing regret at being unable to attend. In introducing the speakers, Mr.

St. John, \$100,000.

To extend car shop, Moncton, \$25,.

Ol. Watterson is a great journalist, public speaker, rebel, and, better still, a reconstructed rebel. It is a remarkable fact that, with the whole country to pick from, you should have called upon two old rebels, Col. Watterson is a great journalist, public speaker, rebel, and, better still, a reconstructed rebel. It is a remarkable fact that, with the whole country to pick from, you should have called upon two old rebels, Col. Watterson is a great journalist, public speakers, Mr. federate service. Watterson here, as the colonel, rendered me such assist-ance as he could. If he had only strictly obeyed my orders I should have succeeded in my vast enterprise It was my intention to drive General Grant into the Pacific. I told Col. Watterson to surround the eastern armies and wait till I came. But he was insubordinate and the union was

> "That's the first time that secret has ever been revealed. Watterson saved the union and up to this very hour that man gets no praise.
>
> "We believed in those days that we were fighting for our homes and our sweethearts. Today we no longer regret the result. But we of the south are not ashamed that we made an endeavor. And you, too, are proud of the record we made.
>
> "We are here to honor the noblest and best, after Washington, that this land, or any other land, has yet pro-

THE GOLDEN NORTH.

TACOMA, Yeb. II.—Not less the dozon saling vessels will start for sad beinging in Apill and May. The Mills on the Yakon have resumed opfor the season, and every town betweenett and Dawson is building box

TRENTON, N. J., Feb. 11.—The New Englend Phonograph Co. this afternoon instituted proceedings in the United States court for an injunction and \$100,000 damages against. Thomes: A. Edison, the Edison Phonograph Works and the National Phonograph co. The injunction was asked to restrain the defendants from selling phonographs and parts of phonographs in New England, it being charged that the defendants are infringing patent rights which the New England States. Damages are asked for profits which it is alteged the New England Company has for the New England Company has lost by reason of the defendants, action.

MEMORIAL TO THE OUEEN.



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MONTREAL, Feb. 11.—At a meeting of the directors of the Canadian Pacific Railway Company today the usual dividend of two per cent. on the preference stock for the half year enting December last was declared, and a dividend of two and one-half per cent. for the same period was declared on the common stock.

ease, and 959 officers and 22,637 men sixty to seventy millions, devastating a country over willon we desire to rule. We do not seem a day nearer unconditional surrender than seven Sir Edward Clarke then says he earnestly hopes terms acceptable with-out dishonor will be offered to the

PARLIAMENT.

Short Session Friday and Little Business Transacted.

Address to King Edward-The Premier's Tribute to Her Late Majesty.

OTTAWA, Feb. 8.—Today's session occupied only one hour, and beyond routine business, the passing of the address to the King was all that

came up for consideration.

Sir Wilfrid Laurier took advantage of the opportunity to pay a high trib-ute to the many estimable qualities of Queen Victoria. The house had met under the shadow of a death which had caused more universal mourning than has ever been recorded in the pages of history. This mourning is deep, sincere and heart-felt in the mansions of the great and and in the cottages of the poor and lowly, for to all her subjects, whether high or tow, rich or poor, the Queen in her tong reign had be-come the object of almost sacred veneration. Sincere and unaffected grief prevails in all the nations of Europe who learned to appreciate, admire and envy the many qualities of Queen Victoria, those many public and do virtues which were the pride of her subjects. The genuine grief which was manifested in the neighboring ation of 75,000.000 inhabitants express ed the feeling of people by whom, at all times and in the darkest days of the sivil war, her name was held in high reverence.

Whittier expressed the feeling of his country in his exclamation: "We bow heart, but not knee, to England's

Queen, God bless her."
Wailing and lamentations were heard amongst the subjects and barbarian peoples, in the wigwams of the Indian tribes, in the buts of colored races of South Africa and of India, to whom she was at all times the great mother and living personification of majesty and benevolence, and mourn ing is also felt in South Africa, which is still devastated by war. For Queen Victoria was always held in high respect by those who are fighting her troops, as an example of justice, and perhaps her hand/was much relied upon when the supreme hour of recon-

ciliation should come. Undoubtedly instances of more passionate outbursts of grief caused by death were to be found in history, but it is impossible to find an occasion where death caused so universal, sincere and so, heartfelt expressions of

verdict caused by her death, it was mot tee much to say that the grave had closed on one of the great characters of history. What was great-ness, after all? To him (Laurier) the highest conception of greatness was that equipoise of a well balanced mind, equilibrium of faculties well and evenly ordered, sluminous insight and calm judgment so rarely found in one person, yet possessed by Queen Victoria.

These, combined with purity of soul,

Rindness of heart, generosity of dis-position, elevation of purpose and de-votion to duty, combined to form a character beyond compare. Her greatness was the greatness which is the foundation of the happiness and glory of a people under such a Sovereign. No reign in history had ever approached hers in glory and grande Glancing at the 64 years, Sir Wilfrid Laurier referred at length to the development of civilization, the advance of wealth, culture, legislation, literature, arts and sciences, and navigation and locomotion by land and

Of the literature of the reign, he would say that it reflected the influence of the Queen, and to the eternal glory of that literature be it said. It was pure and absolutely free from the defects and grossness which disgusted them in former ages, and which still unhappily is the shame of the literature of other countries. Such literature can be introduced into family circles with the assurance that while the mind is permeated the heart is delighted. In giving to the world such a literature Victoria had conferred not only on her own people, but the world at large, a gift for which sufficient appreciation cannot

Politically she was perfectly impartial. What her views were none knew but while revolutions shook the foun-dations of other nations and thrones tottered and tumbled, Victoria rose in the estimation of her people, while her throne was surrounded by security and

She saved her people from socialistic agitation, and the great prosperity of England is due not only to her wise and economic laws, but also to the personality of the Queen, and through her prudent conduct during her sixty

Calling to mind the rebellion which prevailed in Canada in the year of her affairs then with the present conditions, when Canada covered half a nt, and the only garrison was supplied by Canadians.

The cause of that marvellous change was primarily the personality of Victoria. Of course the visible and chief cause was the policy of self government by the colonies, but had It not been that England enjoyed such privileges it could hardly be expected that they would now obtain here. Under such a sovereign only was this

Victoria's reign had resulted in hetter understanding between Britain and the United States. The hatred of the past had disappeared or almost disappeared as a result of the wise policy of conciliation pursued during the years of her reign. When Palmerston threatened war over the Trent af-fair Cueen Victoria refused to sanc-tion such harsh measures, and happily averted disastrous consequences. When Lincoln died at the assassin's hands the message of condolence was sent not from the Queen of England to the wife of the president of the United States, but from the widowed Queen to the widow. Such were the acts that moved the people of the United States to flock to their churches to nor her memory. The two countries will probably never again be united

under one flag, but he hoped to see them bound together by a bond of good feeling as strong perhaps as if sanctioned by the laws of both govern-

ments. Her conduct had always been natural. She was a Queen but also mother and wife, with her full share of joy and sorrow. She loved and suffered Her life was one of the noblest ever seen. It was a happy life.

She sorrowed forty years, and per-haps they could apply to her the beautiful language of the French people: "In her first tears she drowned her heart.

"She is no more, no more," boldly, would he say, she lives in the hearts of her subjects and the pages of his-tory, and as her pure profile stands marked against the horizon line the verdict of posterity will ratify the judgment of those who were her subfects.

After expressing faith in the King, Laurier moved the following address to His Majesty:

To the King's Most Excellent Majesty Most Gracious Sovereign-We, your Majesty's dutiful and loyal subjects, the senate and house of commons of Canada, in parliament assembled humbly beg leave to approach your Majesty with this expression of our deep and heartfelt sorrow at the de- Fell a Vietim to Congestion of the mise of our late sovereign lady Queen

In common with our fellow subjects in all parts of the Empire, we deplore the loss of a great ruler, whose manifold and exalted virtues have for three generations commanded respect and admiration in the world.

As representatives of the Canadian people, we mourn for the beloved sovereign under whom our dominion first rose into being, and to whose wise and beneficent sway are due in no small measure its growth and prosperity.

May we venture to ado that above beyond these sentiments which the sad occasion naturally calls forth. there has come to each one of us a sense of personal bereavement, which, we say it with all possible respect and duty, makes your Majesty's sorrow our own.

We pray that the God of consolation may comfort your Majesty and the members of the royal family in their

It is with feelings not less deep and sincere than those to which we have just given utterance that we hall your Maje ty's accession to the throne of your ancestors. We beg to assure your Majesty of our devoted attachment to your Majesty's person and government, and to express our unclouded confidence that the glory and the greatness of the British Empire abroad, and the happiness and the well being of your Majesty's people at home, will suffer no diminution under

your Majesty's gracious rule. Mr. Borden seconded the address, and in a brief speech reiterated the sentiments of the premier. He promised cordial support, and then commended Laurier for his happy comparison of Canada's history, past and present, under Victoria's reign. When it began, Canada was made up of five or six disjointed provinces, with a hostile tariff between them. Northwest was a wilderness and Eritish Columbia unknown. Now all were united, and our soldiers were return-ing from fighting the battles of the

He spoke feelingly of the great interest the Queen had always taken in ence to Lady Macdonald, and her thoughtfulness in placing on Sir John Thompson's casket a wreath of lillies and laurel, were not forgotten.

He agreed with all that had been said of the influence of Her Majesty both in private and public life. Her great sympathy for all classes and creeds had endeared her to all her subjects. Victoria was great enough to recognize the greatness of truth, and to know that it had many sides, and he believed her influence in that respect would survive long in memory handed down of achievements

accomplished during her reign. He thought it would be well to quote as a nation, with respect to her, the touching words which James Russell Lowell addressed to his wife: Blessing is she, God made her so." He believed that nowhere in the Empire, more than in Canada sould her memory be honored and revered, and he thought they might add that in their sorrow for her death, in the fullness of her years, there is mingled note of triumph for the *haracter and example she has left behind her Mr. Borden recalled the laying of the corner-stone of the parliament buildings by King Edward when yet a young man. It was the corner-stone of a great dominion which had since grown up. Let them hope, as they all believed, that the structure which will be erected upon these foundations in the reign of King Edward will be stately ones, of which all the Empire

The resolution passed unanimously and the house adjourned to meet on

and not Canada alone may well be

NOTES. Attorney General Longley and Ar thur Drysdale arrived here today from Montreal on business in connection with the arbitration of the eastern exension claims. Hon. Mr. Fielding's evidence was taken in Montreal earlie

in the week. On Monday Mr. Davis of Saskatche wan will move to bring all rallway under the control of a commission which will have power to enforce sucl regulations as may be in the public

DEATHS OF PROVINCIALISTS.

The Sun's Boston correspondent vrites under date of Feb. 7, giving the following list of former provin cialists who recently died in and

around that city: Somerville, Benjamin Elston aged 70 years, father of Abraham A. Elston, formerly of St. John. In West Roxbury, Feb. 3, Charles B. Carty, aged 22 years, son of Wellington Carty, late of Centreville, Digby Co., N. S. In Arlington, Feb. 3, Mrs. Edith Florence Cooke (nee Russell), wife of Everett H. Cooke, formerly of Halifax. In Brighton, Feb. 6, William E. Akins, aged 24, son of James and Catherine Akins, formerly of Nova Scotia. In Medford, Feb. 1, William P. Barnes, aged 34, newspaper report-

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of it. Doctors are puzzled about it. If care is taken, it can generally be cured without serious results.

Stay in the house; go to bed; consult your doctor, and after the acute stage, take SCOTT'S EMULSION of Cod Liver Oil. It will renew your strength and prevent Pneumonia or Bronchitis.

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J. T. BULMER DEAD.

Brain.

HALIFAX, Feb. 9.-The city was surprised this morning to learn of the death of J. T. Bulmer, the well-known barrister and temperance reformer. He had been ill for some days with congestion of the brain. This morning he rose from bed and moved about the house, soon after complaining of a pain in his back. He lay down and in a few minutes passed away. was on Monday that he first took ill when he fell on the street in a fit, at that time he remained unconscious for more than a day. Mr. Bulmer had recently fitted up new offices and he had

John Thomas Bulmer was one of the most interesting and impressive characters in the circle where he moved He had a way of interesting people in the cause he advocated, and threw himself with wonderful energy and enthusiasm into any movement that appealed to him. He is better known perhaps, as an active leader during several years of the political prohibition party in Nova Scotla than in any other relation.

renovated his fine library.

Mr. Bulmer was born at Nappan, Cumberland County, fifty-three years ago, and grew up on a farm. cated at Amherst Academy, under Mr. J. T. Mellish, he studied the profession of the bar, and became a barrister in 1875. Before that he had becon interested in temperance work, and was one of the principal organizers of the Grand Lodge of Good Templars. After his admission to the bar he became greatly interested in local history and was made secretary of the Scotia Historical Society. Nova Through the instrumentality interested in the same persons studies, he received the appointment of librarian of the Nova Scotia legis lature, and in that capacity ransacked the whole province for books and files of newspapers published in the province. As a result of his activity the Nova Scotia legislative library is exceedingly rich in files of provincial newspapers and Mr. Bulmer himself obtained, perhaps, the largest private library of Canadian publications to be found in the Maritime Provinces with the exception of that of the late T. B. Aiken, which is now a part of the Nova Scotia Historical Society collection.

He was an unsuccessful applicant for the position of librarian of the Canadian parliament; but produced very strong recommendations for that nos

Mr. Bulmer did not allow his his torical studies and interests to inter fere with his temperance enthusiasm In his early career in Halifax he wa an active conservative, but finding neither of the political parties suffic ently advanced in temperance matter to suit his views, he assumed an in dependent position. In 1887 when Sir Charles Tupper returned to Canada from England to become a candidat in Cumberland, Mr. Bulmer ran as third party prohibitionist, and he was also a supporter of Mr. Casey and Mr. Elderkin, when they ran in the same interest. He was one of the founders of the Prohibition Society of the Maritime Provinces, of which his old school fellow and comrade Rev. William Brown, became the pres ident. In the election of 1896 Mr Bulmer issued one of his vigorou manifestoes against the late govern ment, which he condemned on temerance and other grounds. A fer years later, after the treacherous con duct of the liberal party in the matter of the plebiscite, Mr. Bulmer be came a vehement opponent of that ministry and two famous circular letters of his, published in a great aum ber of papers issued in Canada, are

During the last few years Mr. Bul mer gave his attention more to his law practice, and was said to have esablished a profitable business. Bulmer was married soon after he set tled in Halifax and leaves a family

WEDDING BELLS.

MACE'S BAY, Charlotte Co., Feb. 7 -A number of the relatives and friends of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Leon ard gathered at their home on the evening of Jan. 29th to witness the marriage of their daughter Dora and Bradford Brown of Little Lepreaux. The Rev. F. W. M. Bacon, rector of Trinity church, performed the interesting ceremony. The bride, who was attended by Miss Celia Brown, wor a pretty dress of blue cloth, trimmed with white safin. Archie Lomas dis charged the duties of best man. After a bountiful supper had been served by the hostess, the guests indulged in the usual round of amusement. A few evenings later a reception was held at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Brown, Little Lepreaux, in nonor of the newly married couple Mr. and Mrs. Brown will shortly take departure for Calais, where intend making their future

It is not the correct thing in polite society to return the visits of a physician.

We don't know the origin Farewell to His Old Friends and Supporters.

> Regretted His Absence From Canada Prevented a Personal Adleu - The Party's Reply to the Chieftian' Farewell.

The following is a copy of Sir Char les Tuppar's letter of farewell:

MONTREAL, Jan. 17, 1901. To the members of the conservative party in the house of commons Gentlemen:

"I regret that my absence from Canada during a period assigned for the meeting of parliament will prevent my bidding farewell personally to my old friends and supporters in the house of commons and in the senate. I shall be ungrateful indeed if I could retire from the leadership of the party you represent and with which I have been identified for 45 years, without expressing my appreciation of your devotion to its principles and your loy alty and kindness to me personally. "It must be a source of pride an gratification to you that the party, al-

though defeated, is thoroughly united and devoted as one man to the patriotic principles that have always characterized it. The four or five years spent in opposition have not been an unmixed evil if they have helped to bring about this result.

"That the conservatives are in on-

position is a matter of little moment compared with the fact that the principles for which they had contended against rigorous opposition, are now established on the firm foundation of the aprpoval of practically the whole people of Canada. It is a significant fact that during the very aggressive electoral campaign which has just ternainated, while our declarations were criticised and our intentions misrepresented, there was no word of condemnation for the great measures accomplished by the liberal conservative party in the face of the strenuous and sometimes bitter opposition of our political opponents. This, in my judgment, is the crowning vindication of the policy inaugurated and carried out by our great chieftain, Sir John A. Macdonald, his lieutenants, succes

and supporters. "The great principles for which they contended as a party are now accepted by Canada and generally prespective of party preference. Where is the Canadian who would willingly see the great work of confederation undone? Yet it was completed by the liberal conservative party against the determined opposition of the liberal party of Canada. The national policy of protection to Canadian industries was carried by the liberal conservative party in the face of an opposition which denounced protection as immoral, unwise and ruinous to Canadian interests. All kinds of fiscal nostrums were advocated by our opponents as substitutes for the national policy and the opposition was persistenly maintained until the opponents of protection attained office.

"Where is the Canadian statesman who today would advocate free trade, unrestricted reciprocity or commercial union? It may be left to the Canadian people to say to which party is due the credit-to the party that made the policy-or to the party that only adopted that policy to save itself from defeat. The Canadian Pacific railway policy of the liberal conservative party was denounced as a vis lonary project, incapable of accomplishment or of being operated if constructed. Where is the Canadian to day who will venture to say that the construction of Canada's transcontinental railway was a mistake? If there is one policy with which the liberal conservative party has been more consistently identified with that another it is the polcy of maintaining British connections. The completion of confederation, the construction of the Canadian Pacific railway and the repudiation of unrestricted reciprocity with the United States were all inspired largely by the determination to maintain at all hazards and at all costs Canada's priceless birthright as a part of the British Empire. "Even while the liberal conservative

party has been in opposition it has successfully enforced the duty of Canda to aid Great Britain in maintainng the integrity of the Empire. How reatly the status of Canada in regard to the Empire has improved during the liberal conservative regime is shown in the recognition by the imperial government, of Canada's right to a potent voice in the negotiation of treaties with foreign powers affecting Canadian interests and to be represented in international conferen "There remain two important planks on the platform of the liberal conser ative party yet to be made effectivethe establishment of a fast line of steamships between Canada and the United Kingdom, and the arrangement of a system of reciprocal preferential trade between the mother country and the dominion. When our party was defeated, the fast line service was an ccomplished fact, and the line would have been in operation in May, 1898. had not the liberal government by initiating new negotiations caused an indefinite postponemetn of the project. "If I may be permitted a word of dvice to the party upon retiring, it is to continue to work for inter-imper tal preferential trade; involving, as it does, the strength and unity of the ampire and the rapid develop all its possessions. This is the most important issue now before the people of Canada and in my opinion it will before long, become an issue of vital importance to the people of the United Kingdom. That you will continue as in the past to work for the best interest of Canada I entertain no doubt. The duty of her majesty's loyal opposition is to exercise its vast influence in retraining a tendency to pernicious legislation and in giving a loval support to proposals of the government which commend themselves as in the interests of the country while initiating itself such measures for the com-

men weal as are neglected by the administration. "In organizing the party will be

SIR CHARLES TUPPER's stimulated by the record of a glorious past and the great possibilities of the future. The opportunity will bring successful leaders to the pront providing all are united in a patriotic determination to consider only the best interests of the party and the country. My feeling towards the people of Canada is one of profound gratitude for the confidence reposed in my political associates and myself for so many years; and I accept with equal readiness the adverse judgment which places our party still in opposition. It may be that I acquiesce in this judgment the more readily as it releases me personally from duties and

> "I can wish my successor in the leadership no better fortune than that he should enjoy the same support and the same unfailing kindness that has always been extended to me. In the confident hope that the future of the liberal conservative party will be worthy of its past history, and that peace, progress and prosperity may continue to abound throughout every section of Canada,

> responsibilities too onerous for my

"I remain, yours faithfully, "CHARLES TUPPER."

The reply to Sir Charles Tupper's valedictory was given out tonight by the committee having it in charg-The wording of the communication had the full concurrence of the representative men of the party, and expresses the full appreciation of the advice and good wishes extended to them by their former leader.

THE REPLY. To the Hon. Sir Charles Tupper, Bart .: Dear Sir Charles Tupper, Bart.:

Dear Sir Charles—The conservative members of the senate and the house of commons of Canada desire to acknowledge without delay the touching farewell address you have transmitted to them upon the occasion of your relinquishing the leadership of our party, over whose destinies for the past five years you have presided with a devotion and unquestioned ability and an unfaltering courage, which have won for you our abiding gratitude and the sincere admiration of filends and opponents.

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You may rest assured that our party will carefully heed the reminder which your letter conveys, of its policy and traditions since the isolated provinces and territories of British North America have been confederated into our great dominion. Your own energetic and far-seeing statesmanship, and that of the founders of our Canadian confederation carried to its successful completion the great work of British union upon federation carried to its successful comple-tion the great work of British union upon the northern half of this continent. No member of our party, who listened to your words of advice, could refrain from this thought, that since the time, nearly half a century ago, when the fathers of confedera-tion initiated the idea of our Canadian com-monwealth, which has been so splendidly realized you have unsparingly given to your

monwealth, which has been so spieldidly realized, you have unsparingly given to your country the benefit of your takents, your cloquence and your energy.

It must be a subject of lively satisfaction for you to feel that the two main features of your programme during the past 30 years, namely British connection and the national policy, have been accepted so unreservedly by our opponents.

from the field of action with such a legitimate subject of pride.

Our friends beg to assure you, sir, that advancement of the fast Atlantic service, and
the promotion of that system of preferential
trade, which, more than ever, has become of
vital importance to the empire, must remain
objects of paramount importance to every
member of our party.

In conclusion we venture to express the
sincere hope that you and Lady Tupper may
be spared to enjoy for many years the repose
which your long and honorable public career
so well entitles you.

so well entitles you.

On behalf of the conservative members of the senate and house of commons of Can-W. R. BROCK, Chairman.

AN ONTARIO FARM

That Shows How Prosperity Follows Intedigent Farming.

Farming under scientific methods, with intelligent management, has become a lucrative employment, as is abundantly proved by the comforts and luxurles to be seen yearly more frequently in farm houses. To what an extent this improved condition of affairs has gone in Canada may be learned by the description of a modern progressive farm house which recently appeared in a Toronto paper. It is above the average, of course, but it shows the possibilities. The descrip-

tion is as follows: "On a 200-acre farm two miles from Port Stanley stands one of the finest, if not the finest, residences in Elgin county. It is owned by Frederick Johnson, and is a fair sample of what the careful farmer of the future will enjoy. Built upon an elevation, with a running stream a few hundred yards way, sewage disposal is thoroughly practicable, without pressure. At the kitchen sink sold spring water flows from one tap, cold soft water from another and hot water from a third. A bath room is similarly provided. The soft water is supplied from a tank containing 500 gallons of water at the top of the house. When that becomes exhausted a reserve supply is pumped from a cistern to the tank. In the basement is a cement floor laundry fitted with taps and tubs equal to weighted elevator supplies the kitchen with wood or coal, which is stored in great quantities in the basement. The ouse is heated by the latest improved furnace, which burns coal or wood, Acetylene gas supplies light. Electric bells, with indicator in the kitchen, connect with all parts of the house. The basement is partitioned, with a cool room for household supplies Hose, attached to a water pipe in the laundry and long enough to reach any part of the house, is a safeguard gainst fire. The building is of red pressed brick, fitted throughout with Georgia pine in the natural color. The floors are of hard wood, with expensively tiled vestibule.

"The owner of this splendid country esidence is a thorough farmer. He thinks that there is no calling equal to farming and few homes so comfortable or well-equipped as his own. He has made a study of farming all his life, and what he now enjoys is the result of his own efforts. He keeps a set of books as strictly as the up-todate merchant, and can refer back and tell what department of his farm has yielded the most income. He makes careful study of hog-raising, and for years his somewhat extensive sties have yielded a goodly profit. The farm of the future in Ontario, if like that of Mr. Johnson, will keep the boys and the girls also at home."

Children Cry for CASTORIA.



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You want the maximum wear out of your clothes. Don't have them SURPRISE is a pure hard Soap.

A MIRACLE WORKER

From Grand Lake Healing the Sick in North End

By the Laying On of Hands He Cures Many Diseases-Many Cures Reported. -A Big Sensation in Indiantown.

A man from Queens county, from the region of Grand Lake, has been going to and fro in Indiantown for the past two days performig almost miraculous feats of healing. It is gnother case of good things out of Nazareth, and although the heathen of the north end rage and some people imagine vain things, yet those that have been rured of grievous diseases unite with their friends in proclaiming in the highest terms the virtues and powers of the man whose wonderful treatment has made them whole.

The man who is causing all this sensation is by name Bayard Crawford, of age about twenty-five years, and comes from Newcastle Creek, Queens Co. His method of healing consists in the laying on of hands, and the source of his power he does not know, or at least is unable to explain. His marvellous ability to thus cure diseases was only discovered about a year ago, when his father suffered from a badly sprained ankle, which he was requested to rub. Im-mediately after this treatment the pain in the injured member ceased, and very soon afterward the ankle was entirely well. This gave the young man an idea of the power that lay in him, and he soon began to use it, with the result that he is credited with a large number of cures near his home, that almost border on the miraculous. The blind have seen the dumb have spoken, and the halt and maimed have thrown away their crutches. At least that is what re-

ports say. Seeking a broader field for his labors. Mr. Crawford came to this city day before yesterday and took up his abode in the north end. Even the first day he was here he had a few cases, and yesterday he was besieged with applicants. Although the time has been so short that an estimation cannot be made of the value and durability of the cures, yet everyone he has treated claims recovery in a greater or less degree, and nearly all have sincere faith in his ability to ultimately remove their trouble. Among the many cases reported, a few which

a Sun reporter investigated last evening alone will be mentioned. Miss Bessie Lingley of Main street, who has been without the use of her limbs for many months on account of rheumatism, was treated yesterday morning. The healer passed his hands over the affected parts and told her to move her limbs. She said it was impossible, but he insisted, and she found she could do so fairly easily. Last night her family said she was better, but could make no statement concerning her ultimate recovery. Joseph Lingley, an elderly man in the same house, said last night that he had also been treated, and could then walk and use his legs as he had not been able to do for four months. Mr. and Mrs. Fred Robinson have also received treatment, and claim good results. Mr. Robinson has known the healer since he was a boy and has faith in his power. Beverly Black of north end has been entirely cured of an acute attack of rheumatism, and Edward Dalton has also received great benefit in a severe and chronic case of the same disease. In spite of the short time Mr. Crawford has been in the city, a large number of similar cases have been reported, which for lack of time the reporter was unable to investigate. If any seeker after health will enquire of any resident of Indiantown he will obtain full particulars, with coplous elaborations.

with Mrs. Spence on Kennedy street. His intention is to remain in the city until some time next week.

It may be mentioned that he demands no fee for his services, though he is not averse to a gift if his work is satisfactory. He says that the recelpt of money interferes with the working of the charm.

WHY MILLIONAIRES CAN'T STOP MAK-ING MONEY.

A dozen of the wealthiest capitalists in the United States — men who wield obsolute control over immense business enterprises will tell the readers of The Saturday Byening Poet (February 16) why they remain in the race which they have already won.

Each of them writes frankly whether he makes money for its own sake, for the sheer joy of working, or to gain the power with which wast capital invests itself.

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Universal Rejoicin ding Breakfast-Wedding

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A QUEEN'S WEDDING.

Wilhelmina of Holland and Duke Henry of Mecklenberg-Schwerin.

Universal Rejoicing -A Gala Wedding Breakfast-Some Elaborate Wedding Gowns.

THE, HAGUE, Feb. 7.-The civil ceremony of the marriage of Queen Wilhelmina to Duke Henry of Meck lenburg-Schwerin was carried out at 11.30 a. m., in accordance with the programme. Immediately afterwards the procession started for the church, headed by fifty Hussars, the bride, the bridegroom and the queen's mother riding in a golden state carriage, drawn by eight horses. They were acclaimed warmly by the crowds assembled. The church was reached soon

The court chaplain, Dr. Vandervlier, standing before the bride and bridegroom, delivered an address. His text was a passage from the fourth Psalm: "Lord, lift thou up the light of thy countenance - upon - us," "the festal hour has arrived," said the pastor, "wherein the "tire people has its share of delight. The prayer contained in the text embodies the conditions for lasting married happiness, which does not depend on external things. but on the disposition of the heart. The prayer for the light of the Lord's countenance seems to suggest some darkness, and it is certain clouds will show themselves at times in the conjugal heaven

"This union, which we today are celebrating, has already demanded sacrifices. The husband has had to leave his country and people and the bride has had to leave the side of a dearly loved mother. In the future, too, be sure the reverses of life will fall to your lot. Do not then forget the pray-

"Lord; lift thou up the light of thy countenance upon us." It will be of Canada. We have no dislike for necessary for you if you fulfill thoroughly the duty of marriage to fulfill woman is the heart. The psalmist's prayer will also be your help when you have to bear your mutual burdens, for in marriage two sinners are united, each having his and her own faults. Finally it is indespensible to the unity whereto you have been cal-

According to the command of God, "these two shall be one." Now only love can form and pre serve this tie. But, if you wish this bond not to be loosened, your hearts must be filled with prayer. "Lord, lift thou up the light of thy countenance

After the chaplain's address and after the nuptial benediction had been pronounced, and bride and bridegroon exchanged gold rings, according to the Dutch custom, the whole wedding party then proceeded to the reception room attached to the church, where the Queen tenderly embraced first her mother and then her husband. The Queen's mother, too, kissed the latter. The bridegroom then kissed his bride and his own mother. The newly wedded pair received the congratulations of their families and drove to the

A gala wedding breakfast followed. The city today bears its most festal

Vast crowds were in the streets early and the trains poured in thousands from all parts of the country. The route of the royal procession to the Groote Kerk was decorated with large baskets of green plants, lightened by orange blossoms and white roses.

QUEEN'S WEDDING GOWN. THE HAGUE, Feb. 7 .- The queen's wedding gown, woven of the finest silver tissue, was embroidered at the school of art needle work in Amsterdam and afterwards was made up by Nicaud of Paris. It is ornamented with silver threaded seed pearls. The robe and train are lined with rich white silk. The bodice, which is plain and cut low, is trimmed with magnificent antique lace. The trails are covered with embroidery almost meetsing at waist and broadening out to the them. The court train is two and a half wards long, the embroidery running around in light trails. The queen's mother always wears en state occa-sions some shade of purple befitting ther figure. Today she appeared in a gewn of paruna violet, with a train of deeper shade. The hodice is cut low and trimmed with priceless Brusstone and mousselin de soie. gowns of the queen's trousseau are mostly pale greens, grays, blues and whites, these suiting her blende complexion best. Her bonnets are of a severe style for a young woman, most of them being close fitting toques, instend of the broad brimmed hats worn by most girls. For her public entrance into Amsterdam her majesty has a royal robe of white welvet, with a train trimmed with ermine, and a mantle lined with ermine. At one of the receptions in Amsterdam, after the ho eymoon, she will wear a gown of white satin embroidered around the hem bodice with a small tracery of oranges and leaves, and a court train of rich orange velvet, lined with white

She has an outdoor gown of delicate gray, combined with white and pale blue, scarcely showing embroidered steel and silver sequins. With this goes a large hat. She has also a soft hunting costume of dark bottle green, unormamented, and another of trimmed cloth applique. There is a walking dress of dark green with gold threads and another of green mignotte cloth, combined with white. The queen has four plain riding suits.

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FRENCH POET OF CANADA

Says He Feels Sure That the Dominion Will Some Day Become a Part of the United States.

BUFFALO, Feb. 8 .- Dr. Louis Frechette of Montreal, "the national poet of French Canada," arrived in Buffalo this morning, and will deliver an ad dress at the Independent Club banquet at the Elliot Club this evening.

"I used to be an active annexation ist," said he in speaking of his political opinions to a reporter for the News, "but that question is closed for the present. Still I feel sure that all of the dominion of Canada will some day become a part of the United States of America. We feel per fectly happy under the present reign, but circumstances some day will lead to a change, and that change will be annexation to the United States, brought about by diplomatic means There ought to be only one flag on this continent, and that flag is the Stars and Stripes. Social and political geographical and commercial considerations all point that way. There are no conflicting interests as between Canada and the United States, and there is advantage to both in union.

"But," added Dr. Frechette, "I am not an active annexationist now. I profess to be a law-abiding citizen and a loyal subject. I have no cause to complain. I refer to annexation to the United States as the ultimate destiny and desire of the French people the English, but our sympathies are with the United States. By the way, of love in your mutual relations. In few people in this country, probably that relation man is the head and the are aware that there are now living in the United States no fewer than 1,000,000 French-Canadians."

NEW INVENTIONS.

Marion & Marion, patent attorneys Montreal and Washington, D. C., furnish the Sun with the following list of patents recently granted to their clients by the Canadian and American gov ernments:

Canada. 69,876 -- Narcisse Leger, Valleyfield, P. Q., potato digger. 70,053--Joseph C. A. Labreche, Joli-

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Q., grinding mill. United States. 666,881--George L. Cyr, Brocks, Minn., rolling eoltor. 666,890 -- Robert J. Stroud, Milford Bay, Ont., wrench. 666,922--Charles

Pierre, Man., grain drill. The Inventor's Help, a 148 page book, containing practical information for inventors, the cost of patents in all countries and how inventors are swindled, will be sent to any address upon receipt of 10 cents.

EX RESS SAFE STOLEN.

SIOUX CITY, Ia., Feb. 10.-An iron safe, belonging to the U.S. Express Co. and said to have contained \$40,000, was stolen from a truck on the platform of the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul depot at Manilla last night. Three men, supposed to have been implicated in the theft, were arrested to-

The Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul train on which the safe was taken from Sieux City, arrived at Manilla at 8.30 last ningt. The Omaha train was late and the safe was placed upon a truck together with other express and baggage. Express Messenger Sturtevant left the truck for a few minutes to assist the baggageman and when he returned the safe was gone. A posse was assembled and owing to the fact that snow lay thick upon the ground, it did not take long to discover the tracks of two persons wh evidently had been carrying some heavy object directly from the truck as it stood on the platform, carried the safe a distance of about wagon, which had been left there waiting. The wagon was driven mile and a half into the country and there the safe was forced open and men there abandoned the safe and went their way on a new track. It was not difficult to trace them, however, and this morning John Jackson, John Stovall and Charles Hayes were arrested. All of the men live at Man illa, and are well known. Their reputations heretofore have not been bad. They stoutly protested their innocence but the authorities believe the evidence against at least two of them will prove conclusive. The stolen safe contained in the neighborhood of \$40,000 -twelve thousand dollars in cash and the remainder in drasts, checks and

various valuables. While the robbery undoubtedly was deliberately planned, as the horse and wagon were in waiting in a convenient spot, it is not believed that the men knew they were making so rich a haul. They had no means of knowing the contents of the safe, only that it was used for carrying valuables.

VIOLATED THE CHURCH LAWS.

MONTREAL, Feb. 9.—La Verite complains of the action of Premier Parent and other Roman Catholic dignitaries who attended the memorial services held here the day of the Queen's funeral. The paper declares they have violated the laws of the church, which prohibits them from taking part in the religious services of heretics. La Verite at tacks the Anglican bishop of Quebec for inviting Roman Catholic dignitaries to the service and thus placing them, it says in a nosition of disobeying a formel law of the Roman Catholic church, or of refusing the invitation and laying their action open to misconstruction.

C. P. R. Trains From Montreal Arrived Hare Sunday.

Twenty-Four-Passengers for England Miss Their Connection.

to approach a normal condition, thanks to the unremitting efforts of left Montreal on Friday night. further delay to the trains from Mon R. until the next boat.

Fredericton bank was cleared up weson the C P P at

On the Harvey-Salisbury line the at a place about six or seven miles from Hillsboro. All efforts to get the found to be impossible. Attempts Sun had no information of their sucbad condition, and travel over them is almost an impossibility. There i not much chance of rail communica

Saturday from W. C. Whittaker, who s at Caraquet, that the Caraquet and Gulf Shore line is snowed up, with drifts fifteen feet high, through which it is impossible to even pass with

H. S. Crosby of Yarmouth told Sun reporter last evening of a twoby himself and several other commer cial men on the Kent Northern line at noon on Tuesday, and about six miles out were held up in a drift, noon, when a relief expedition arrived from Kingston in a team and rescued them. For subsistence during their imprisonment they looted a freight car and found a box of soda biscuits and a couple of hams. The ham they cooked on a snow shovel over the car stove, and they managed to keep the wolf from the door until help arrived. At latest accounts the train was there yet.

IRISH JOAN OF ARC.

NEW YORK, Feb. 10.-Among the passengers on the steamship LaChampagne, which has arrived here from Havre, is Miss Maud Gonne, known as the "Irish Joan of Arc." She will land tomorrow morning and will be greeted at the pier by delegations of Irish men and women. Next Sunday Miss Gonne will de-

WASHINGTON, Feb. 10.-The Asso clated Press is requested by the Brit-ish ambassador and Lady Pruncefote, to express their heartfelt thanks for the many cards if condolerce and marks of sympathy which they have received on the occasion of the death of Her Majesty Queen Victoria, all of which it has not been possible, owing to the great number, to acknowledge

SNOW BOUND.

One Forty-Eight Hours Late the Other

(From Monday's Daily Sun.) The railway and postal service throughout the province, which has been in a state of utter demoralization for nearly a week, is beginning the railroad officials on the principal lines. The C. P. R. express that left Montreal Thursday evening, arrived in St. John yesterday at 11.45 a. m., about 48 hours late. At 1.45 p. m., 24 hours late, the express arrived that trains went through to Halifax. During Thursday night the C. P. R. was stalled hard and fast in a huge drift near Long Pond, Me., and required the work of a large gang all day Friday to extricate her. Saturday a snow plow and two engines were derailed near Greenville, about ten miles from Long Pond. Five men working in the plow were cut and bruised, but not seriously. Owing to the deep snow, the damage to the plow and engines was slight. This blocked all the trains from this direction and, of course, occasioned a treal, which were finally got through and arrived yesterday as stated, within a few hours of each other. The possengers, some of whom were seen by a Sun reporter last evening. spoke in the highest terms of their treatment by the C. P. R. Lunches were provided for them until a dlning car reached where they subsisted at the road's expense until the trouble was over. On the trains were ten passengers who intended to leave on the Lake Champlain, with which they failed to connect. They will be kept here at the expense of the C. P.

The wreck on the St. Andrew's branch, which occurred on Thursday, was cleared up Friday and transportation re-established. Another serious accident occurred on the same line Saturday. A despatch received last night says: The down train yesterday afternoon ran into a heavy snow drift across the track at the foot of Chamcook lake. The snow plow left the rails and the engine struck the end of the plow and had the side gear torn off. The iron boxes were ripped off of two freight cars and the baggage car. Driver R. Purton and Fireman Davis jumped from the engine, first shutting her off, and both escaped uninjured. Conductor Donoghue brought the mails to the station on a trolley. About five o'clock the disabled engine and train, minus the plow, reached the station. An engine is expected from McAdam to take out the train, mails and ex-

press Monday morning. The wreck at Russagornish on the terday and trains will run as usual tothis direction were transferred and 11.45 vesterday.

train with passengers and mails that left Salisbury on Thursday is stalled train through the heavy drifts were have been made to get the mails through by team, but last night the cess. The stage roads are in a very tions being opened up for some time

in that direction. The postal authorities received word

days' snow-bound experience endured ast week. They left Kent Junetion where they remained until Thursday

liver an address at the Academy of Music. Then she will make known the object of her visit to this country, which is said to be the forming omen's clubs to give moral and financial support to the movement re-cently started in Ireland for the perpetuation of the Irish language, lit-erature and art. She will also agitate in the interest of the Boer cause, the keeping of Irish youth from en-listing in the British army.

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NORTH BERWICK TRAGEDY.

Defence Will Account for the Accused's Whereabouts the Morning the Crime Was Committeed.

SACC, Me., Feb. 10 .- As details of the crime which last May aroused the people of North Berwick, were slowly sifted from nearly forty witnesses, the state, during the five days the supreme count was in session the past week, wove about the accused man. Edwin H. Knight, a net the lines of which if left intact by the defence, must have a weight before the jury of the gravest character in determining the respensibility for the murder of Fannie Sprague. But the defence, in the opening of its case by Attorney Higgins yesterday, maintained that it would account for the time Edwin H Knight spent on the morning of May 1st, moment by moment, and show that it was a physical impossibility for him to have committed the deed and reach his home at the time he did. The defence finds absolutely no motive that would lead their client to do so revolting a deed, but it does find motive and will bring witnesses to support the statement that Samuel Locke who employed the Strague woman was present at the scene of the tragedy shortly before its occurrence.

As a rule, the evidence given by the state witnesses was largely circumstantial with the important exception of Freddie Sprague, the little son of the murdered woman. He testified yesterday that he saw Edwin H. Knight in company with his mother enter the barn where the crime was committed: but the defence will set up The passengers and mails for the statement and maintain it by weight of evidence from at least three boy after the commission of the crime when he said he saw absolutely re one about the house on that morning with

the exception of Samuel Locke. Thus the case the defence will set up will be watched with nore than usual Interest, and it is expected that the greater part of the present week will be consumed in completing the evi-dence which is to come before the jury is called upon to decide as to the guilt or innocence of the accused.

CHINA TROUBLES.

Count Von Waldersee Very Much Dissatisfi-With the Conduct of the French Troops.

PEKIN, Feb. 10,-Count Von Wal dersee is very much dissatisfied with the conduct of the French troops near Pao Ting Fu and also with their avewed intention, in spite of his pro tests against it, to organize an expedition to take possession of the prevince of Shan Si. He takes the ground that expeditions except for police purpose or against bands of robbers, should not be undertaken during peace nego

deneral Bailloud, the French commander at Pao Ting Fu, says that he is acting in entire independence of Count Von Waldersee, and believes the wisest course to be to nip the incipient rebellion in the bud immediately. He asserts that he was attacked on three sides by a number of Chinese while out with a few men near Pao Ting Fu, and his theory is that the power of the foreigners should be shown, if possible, whenever an occa-

A staff officer of Count Von Walder see who investigated the Pao Ting Fu affair could find no evidence of such trouble as had been reported. On the contrary, he believes that there are grounds for supposing quite the oppo-site, although probably there, as elsewhere, considerable numbers of dangerous robbers infest the country dis-

At next Tuesday's meeting the foreign envoys will consider the plans submitted by the military committee for the legation defences.

Li Hung Chang asserts that the Em-press Dowager and Emperor Kwang Su never had more harmonious relations than they have now, and that the former quite agrees to the necessity for modern reforms. He had telegraphed to the court his refusal to agree to sentences of execution "fraught with extreme danger and threatening the dynasty itself." SHANGHAI, Feb. 10 .- It is reported here that the Empress Dowager,

yielding to foreign pressure, has allow-ed Emperor Kwang Su to resume the A despatch from Pekin asserts tha all the fortified passes beyond the territory held by the allies are being garrisoned by the Chinese, and that "boxers" are re-entering Pekin secret-

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MONCTON'S MISSING MAYOR.

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him there and will do so in the near

Letters have also been received from Mr. Snow which affirm that when he left Moncton to be lost sight of for further than St. John. He came here to make financial arrangements with some of the insurance companies he represented, and being unsuccessful, acted upon a sudden impulse and took a trip to China and Japan to look into to make financial arrangements with the train for Boston. Reaching there the company's interests in those coun-he immediately stepped on board a tries. This will occupy six or eight train for Montreal, whence he went months, and on his return Mr. McKay to Chicago and from there to St. Louis, where he remained for some erican agencies of the company. The time. He did not shave his beard or Flint-Eddy American Trading comtime he has experienced various degrees of fortune and is now beginning Ital of \$6,000,000 and interests all over to get on his feet financially. If he, the world. Mr. McKay's promotion to had been unable to do so, he says, he so important a position is an evidence would never have informed his friends of the high esteem in which he is held,

SCHOONER LOST.

New York, Feb. 10.—The Lampert & Since the Sun's announcement that J. McC. Snow, ex-mayor of Moncton, who mysteriously disappeared and for years was supposed to be dead, was still alive, information has been received that he is in the employ of a commission firm of Chicago and at present is travelling in the West Indies. Mrs. Snow, who is living in St. John, is making preparations to join him there and will do so in the near

AN IMPORTANT POSITION

George H. McKay, formerly of this city, and for some years with the years, he had no intention of going Flint-Eddy American Trading company, has just received a very importwill be engaged in inspecting the Amotherwise disguise himself. Since that pany is one of the largest mercantile establishments in America, with a capof his existence. His intentions are to and the news of his success will be repay his creditors fully at the earliest read with interest by many friends in this city.

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THE PROVINCIAL BY-EXECTIONS.

Three of the fire vacancies in the provincial legislature have been filled by the unopposed election of government supporters, and it is said that there will be no opposition candidate in Carleton. The fifth election, which happens to be the call one wherein the government is opposed, is postponed. The exposure of the attempt to stuff the electoral list with four hundired bogus names, obtained by conspiracy, and registered by the help of dorged documents, has caused the government to leave Kings county partially unrepre

The opposition had a fighting chance to elect a candidate in Westmorland and a fair prospect in Fork and Carle ton. In Carleton the opposition won the last by-election, and nothing has happened to show that the Tweedle government is more popular there than the one led by Mr. Emmerson. The unopposed election in York was an accident. Mr. Pinder had made all arrangements to take the field, and the election of Mr. Allen on nomination day is wholly due to a statutory requirement which could not be carried out in the absence of the candidate, who was detained by the snow storm. York must have had the effect of discouraging the opponents of the government in Carleton.

The Sun has no disposition to make light of these government victories. It is true that the seats were all held by the administration before, but that is no reason why they should remain in that position. The Tweedie-Pugsley government can only be turned out by the capture of seats, and the abandonment of all the opportunities now available is a poor preparation for the general election. Mr. Hazen can hardly be expected to keep up a struggle to give good government to the pronot to be opposed when they claim for the ministry the confidence of the constituencies. The conditions in Westmorland were certainly unsuitable for a contest, and no doubt the government displayed a certain low cunning in hurrying on the election in that county, while the district from which the opposition candidate would probably be chosen was under quarantine. The vacancy in Westmorland occurred last of the five, and that was the county selected for the first elec tion. It was a mean enough trick, but in view of the fact that four by-elections were to follow it would have been more in accord with the fighting traditions of the county if the party had refused to surrender, and thus establish a precedent for the rest

These by-elections are calculated to leave the false impression that the people are well satisfied with the administration, and have full confidence in Mr. Tweedie, Dr. Pugsley and their colleagues. From them the ministers themselves get the dangerous impression that their past conduct is endorsed and that the country does not desire better men or better measures. Thus they are encouraged in extravagance and corruption. A habit of surrender and of inaction, when once established in a party and a country, is hard to break, and the repeated failure to use the opportunities afforded for registance to had government, begets apathy and indifference on the part of the people to the conduct of their ministers. In this way they who should be the servants of the electors

These by-elections should have given to the legislature at least one or two more independent critical for the coming session. It does not yet appear that any one of the first three has done so, or that the action of the opposi-tion convention of Carleton will have a tendency in that direction Kings

its other two can be regarded as a check on Dr. Pugsley's deals. In these circumstances there is no virtue in professing to be satisfied with the of events. It is certainly not satisfactory to Mr. Hazen, though he and his colleagues are not likely to be deterred by these untoward incidents from the vigorous performance of their duty in the coming session.

MR. COOK AND THE SALE OF BENATORSHIPS.

Last autumn Mr. H. H. Cook a former member of parliament, who had been for a quarter of a century one of the most active and influential members of the liberal party, wrote and published a powerful letter, accusing the Laurier government of a direct violation of most of the pleages on which the ministers obtained office. Coming from such a source. this letter, which stated the case in detail, and contained full proof of the charges made, created a considerable sensation. To break its force the organs of the ministers stated with one ent that Mr. Cook's condemnation of the government was due to the fact that he had not been called to the senate as he desired, and that he would have been well enough satisfled with the government if the government had satisfied him in this matter. This was no answer to the charge that ministers had broken

their pledges, but was a strong reflection on the motives of the accuser Mr. Cook so regarded it, and came out with another statement, which he said that he felt free to make under the circumstances. He declared that he could have had the senatorship had he been willing to pay for it, and added that he had been approached by an emissary of the ministers with a proposition that the seat in the senate would be his for a sum of money. We believe that Mr. Cook mentioned \$10,000 as the sum. Later Sir Wilfrid Laurier denied that he had made or authorized such an offer, and since then the Toronto Globe and other government organs have repeatedly called upon Mr. Cook to give the name of the man who tried to sell him the appointment. As Mr. Cook has held his peace, Sir Mackenzie Bowell has taken steps to ascertain the facts. He gives notice. of a motion for the appointment of special committee of the senate to make inquiry into the matter. The government can hardly find an excuse for resisting this inquiry, and it will probably go in. It is certainly desirable that the charge should be investigated, and that if Mr. Cook has invented this story and circulated it for a malicious purpose he should be punished and general condemnation if there is no other penalty son the other hand, if there is truth in what he says, it is important that the public should know how many and what class of persons are implicated in the transaction.

TWO APPOINTMENTS

We are indebted to La Patrie and Le Solell, organs of the government in Montreal and Quebec, for announcements of two important federal appointments. Of late those who desire to get the first official in telligence of government action must look to the French and not to the English press supporting the government. Mr. Pacaud has a member of parliament for his Ottawa correspondent, and Mr. Tarte explained last year that he still kept his hand in by

writing for La Patrie. The Soleil announces the appoint nent of Hon. Charles Langelier as a special commissioner to go to St. Petersburg to study the history of the Alaskan boundary question. It will be his duty to make examination into the Russian archives, and to carry on his inquiry at any other European capital where anything can be learn-

Mr. Langelier is a politician with clains. He was a member of the Mercier government and was concerned in the Bale des Chaleurs af-Sir Wilfrid Laurier has had good campaign service from him, not only in Quebec but in this province. Mr. Langelier is an extremely practical politician.

From La Patrie we have this intelligence: "It is announced as very probable that the honorable A. D. Richard, a former minister in the Blair cabinet, will be chief census commissioner for the three maritime provinces. The honorable Mr. Fisher considers that the Acadians are so numerous in the maritime provinces and the Northwest as to make it necessary to nominate commissioners of their own race. It is proper to congratulate the minister of agriculture on his spirit of fustice and for the way in which he respects each nationality of the 'Canadian people."

Though it is declared that Mr. Richard is to be chief commissioner for the maritime provinces, the language suggests that his sphere of operations is confined to the Acadian people.

MOSSAGE AND REPLY.

Sir Charles Tupper's message to his party is simple and dignified. speaks of the past achievements of the

party as an encouragement to future service, and not as a theme for satisfied contemplation. While expressing his own sense of the pleasant relations which have existed between himself and the party of which he was one of the founders, Sir Charles urges his former associates and supporters to continue to maintain the loval and progressive traditions which they inherit. The veteran leader lays down his work as a party leader with the sense of relief that a tired man feels at the completion of a long task. He has done a great work in his day, and s well entitled to the repose which he may be spared to enjoy. When the history of Canada in the last half of the nineteenth century shall be written, a large place in it will belong to Sir Charles Tupper.

The reply of the liberal conservative senators and members of the house of commons to the farewell message of heir late chief is one that any setiring leader would like to receive from the men with whom he had been asso clated. It is sincere, just and direct suggesting deeper emotion than it expresses. To the Canadian people Sir Charles Tupper will always be recognized as one of the great imperial statesmen of his day, but the liberal conservative members of parliament who have worked and fought their battles by his side, will affectionately remember him in a closer and more personal relationship.

----THE FREE LIBRARIES.

The whole resources available for the maintenance of public libraries in this city are not nearly sufficient to provide for one such as St. John ought to have. Such a city as this should have a much larger collection of books and one far richer in more solid literature. The reference department requires many expensive publications that the commissioners have not money. to buy nor space to accommodate. In view of the large and numerous calls on the treasury the city is perhaps doing about all that should now be asked when the additional \$1,000 a year shall be paid. But there is a splendid opportunity for some opulent citizen to make himself a benefactor by coming to the assistance of the

payers. It would be better, if the whol enterprise were new, to concentrate the appropriation on one collection of books and one building, which should be in a situation most convenient for all. But it is not easy or pleasant to destroy an established order. The people of the North End have become accustomed to the library which was established there when the North End was a city by itself. Custom makes sort of vested right, and in practic it might appear to be quite a hardship for those who have been in the habit of frequenting the old stand to go to a new place. Yet while it may be necessary to concede something to tradition and usage, it is in the interest of the whole city that the gen eral public library should be greatly enlarged, and that advantages be brought to all parts of the town that are not now available to any part. The first step in this direction would probably be the public control of both existing libraries, if that would satisfactory to the vested inte

INTERCOLONIAL SALARIES AND

DISMISSALS. MIL' 189 The Halifax Herald understand that the new manager of the Intercol onial is to be paid \$10,000 a year, and that Traffic Manager Tiffin is paid in the vicinity of \$6,000 a year. This latter figure is Mr. Pottinger's salary, so that the three officers get \$22,000. This is a considerable advance from \$6,000 paid hitherto, except during the period when Mr. Harris was traffic manager at \$5,000 a year, and during the six months after he was retired, during which period his salary was continued. It happens somewhat unfortunately at this season that about forty workmen in the shops at Moncton have been dismissed. Some of them have large families absolutely without the means of livelihood. They are thought to have marked their ballots for Mr. Powell. We know of one who wrote to Mr. Emmerson and got a letter in reply stating that the member for Westmorland did not propose to cern himself about the case of those who were not his friends. Mr. Blair cannot buy his engines in the states and find work in the shops for men who do not vote for his candidate. But he might have allowed them to remain until spring, since the pay of the whole forty would only equal the salary of his two new offi-

MR. TARTE'S COMPLIMENTS. Mr. Tarte's Patrie does not bid Sir Charles Tupper a too courteous farewell on the retirement of the opposition leader from public life. It says: "The old baronet feels the need of giving his former partisans counsel to promote imperialism, and that is "all. He had better have addressed "ten lines to his friends and told them simply to abandon the warfare of hate and prejudice, the anti-French campaign, which they have carried "on with his assent and help for five

"Sir Charles . . . has tried to govern by evil passions, by race cries and by intelerant clamer. "The adieux of Sir Charles are sonorous and swollen like his five or

six hour diatribes in parliament They show the vanity and fatuity man who by a caprice of hi old and disordered brain, imagines "that he has established confedera-"tion and that the tory party would never have existed without him."

If the next tory leader who retire wants a good word from Mr. Tarte ha will take care not to "make imperialisin.

UNDER FIVE REIGNS.

Several valued exchanges have bee printing pictures and sketching the lives of men and women who have lived under five British sovereigns. A full list o. such veterans would be longer than many persons think, Every one who was eighty-one years old the day after the Queen died had lived under five British monarchs. In St. John alone many more than one dred persons have reached that age. Cumberland county, which recently reported a case, has at least one hundred and fifty others, unless there are fewer old people there than at the time of the last census.

The, late Mr. John Thomas Buimer who has been out off before he passed his prime, was a man of unbounded enthusiasm. He threw himself with wonderful energy into the particular cause which he advocated, giving his friends, his enemies and the world no peace until that matter was disposed of for the time. He seldom concerned aimself with more than one question at a time, and was accustomed to admit that he did not study more than one side of the question he had on hand, claiming that the issues which appealed to him had only one side to them. No cause could stagnate while Mr. Bulmer had charge of it. He was a born agitator with the disposition of a reformer, but without the patience and steadiness of a successful organizer.

The unknown individual who used the name of Mr. Miligan in mailing the bogus Rothesay list showed excellent judgment in his choice of an name the owner might have reserved it or at least have shown some sign of disapproval. He might even have taken steps to find the rascal who took such a criminal liberty with his name, Mr. Miligan's comple seems to have been foreseen, culprit, whoever he is, is evidently Considering the nature of the offence the man with the letter could hardly have asked for anything better than that Mr. Milligan should declare his act to be a matter of no importance

The Sun has expressed the opinio that the Hoeral conservatives in parliament should affirm and should support a more definite and advanced impolicy than has yet been affirmed. Whereupon the valued graph says: "Our morning contemporary deems it advisable to conagainst race, until it reaches the ultimate ambition of the tory party "in bringing on civil war in Canada. When did Mr. Tarte and Mr. Bourassa assume editorial control of the Telegraph?

Of the three measures mentioned in the speech from the throne one is a bill to readjust the payment of Can ada's share of the cost of the Pacific cable. Another is a bill to establish new dead letter offices. The third re lates to cold storage.

The new Grand Trunk programm already involves a summer service of three sailings a week from Portlan This would make the Maine city a serious rival to Montreal for the Candian export trade.

Lord Kitchener has not been saying much lately, but he has been doing good deal of getting ready. We may expect interesting news from South Africa within the next few weeks.

SHOT HIS SWEETHEART.

WINSTED, Conn., Feb. 11 .- Miss Winifred ook, aged 21, a teacher in the W. L. Gli-ort Home for Children, was shot and in-antly killed in the home this morning by or accepted suitor, John T. Hayes, formerly leutenant of Company I, 4th Regiment, U.

Lieut. Hayes afterwards turned his revolver upon himself, inflicting three bullet wounds in his forchead. His condition is serious, but there is a chance of his recovery. Jealousy is supposed to have been the cause of the act.

Miss Gook and Lieut. Hayes were engaged to be married, but the engagement was broken off by the young woman some time ago. Since then, however, it is gaid that Hayes has persisted in his attentions.

This morning the two were standing on Williams avenue, when Samuel Parsons, who was driving by in a sleigh, was halled by the young woman, who cried. "Take me to the Home, will you? I want to get away from this fellow." When she stepped into the sleigh, Hayes followed and seated himself beside her. She teld Mr. Parsons that Hayes had a pistol, but Parsons paid little attention to that or to the conversation. Lieut. Hayes afterwards turned his revol-ter upon himself, inflicting three bulle

Harvard has 576,900 volumes in its library, which is the largest of any university in the United States. Columbia, which is second in this respect, has 303,720 volumes.

Mrs. Lizzie Sargent of Elisworth, Me., short time ago saved a lumber camp and al in it from burning by holding a fire in check nearly two hours with an old, dipped in water.

NO BETTER TIME

For entering than just now. Large es of clever and ambitious students all working like beavers. Everything running as smoothly as a well oiled machine

Shorthand: The Isaac Pitman. Typewriters: The Underwood, Smith Premier, Densmore, Jewett, New Century. Every machine a new one he best system.



OTTAWA.

Successful New Brunswickers in the Spring Wheat Competition.

Arrangements for Recruiting for the South African Constabulary-Commissoner Ogilvie

Resigns.

OTTAWA, Feb. 10.- Prize awards have been made in the Macdonald manual training fund competition ccordance with the conditions und which the fund of \$10,000 was donated by W. C. Macdonald for the encour agement of seed grain improvemen by boys and girls. The winners of the oats prizes will be announced later. In the wheat competition the follow ing New Brunswickers were success Ethel M. Shaw at Tobique River, \$25; Jean Bte. Cormier at Elm Trees, \$20; LeBaron Crewdson at Burton, \$15; Burton M. Hill, St. Stephen \$12: Violet Howlett New Denmark, \$10 E. & E. Sleep, Upper Hayresville, \$6 John B. Nicol, Bathurst; Lillian Fisher, Chatham; Jean F. Fournier Green Point: Jos. A. Lagacy, at Green Point, \$5 each.

Militia order 32 provides that all men wilsted for Baden-Powell's constabulary at Ottawa or any point west thereof, will be mobilized at Ottawa, Filday, March 8th, and those enlisted it Montreal or any point east thereof at Halifax by Friday, March 8th. The maritime province orders are

fixed as follows: New Brunswick-Fredericton, Friday and Saturday, March 8 and 9; recruiting officer, acting district officer commanding; medical officer, Mator I McLaren.

St. John-Friday and Saturday and Monday, March 8, 9 and 11; recruiting officer, 2nd Lieut. C. W. W. McLean R. F. A.; medical officer, Surgeon Ma jor T. Walker, 62nd Regiment. Nova Scotla-Hallfax, Friday, Sat urday and Monday, March 8, 9 and 11

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Candidates will be required to sign allegiance to the King. Their enlist-ment will not be final until it has

een confirmed by Captain P. Fall, re cruiting officer for Canada. Medical officers will only examine such candidates as pave already un lergone examination and whose medcal report is embodied in their apolication, as may appear necessar; from personal observation, after which the previous medical report

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dation will be provided for such date. When enough men enlist from any one locality they will be formed into troop and will sprobably serve together throughout the period of ser

of enlistment, and railway accommo

The proportion of N. C. officers will be a sergeant to every 20 men and corporal to every 10 men. Temporary officers will be appointed to conduc the men to points of mobilization. It is reported here that at the next consistory to be held in Rome, Archbishop Bruchesi of Montreal will

appointed cardinal. A small sensation has been caused here by the resignation of William Oglivie as commisisoner in the Yukon No reason can be assigned for the action as the ministers are as dumb

as oysters concerning the affair. OTTAWA, Feb. 11.-A conference on the prevention of tuberculosis is called for the 14th inst. at the Normal school here by the governor gen eral and Lady Minto. Excursion rates have been arranged from all parts of Canada. The programme inoludes discussions on all subjects pertaining to the prevention of the

A cable from Milner to Lord Minto dated Cape Town, February 11th, an-nounces 352, Sgt. Major Patterson, killed; 49, Sgt. Bridin; 537, Sgt. Munzey, wounded, Marisburg, Feb. 4th, all Canadian scouts. Boyd of Kitchener's Horse, Montreal, is dangerously ill of enteric at

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The P. E. I. ballot box steal will be brought up by Hackett on Wednes day, and the government wil be asked what steps they have taken to bring the guilty parties to justice.

THERE STILL ARE JACOBITES.

LONDON, Feb. 11.-The Daily Mail makes the following statement: notice declaring Edward VII. usurper and 'Mary IV.' the rightful queen, was posted on the gates of St. fames palace and in the Guildball on the night Queen Victoria died. It was not signed and no one saw it posted at either place, but it is known to have been the handiwork of a member of the Tacobite league. Probably no action will be taken, but the incident explains why the legitimists were not allowed to place a wreath on the statue of Charles I., January 30.

IMPROVEMENTS AT MANILA.

MANILA, Feb. 11.-Bids will be advertised for in a few days for harbor improvements at Manija, for which \$1,000,000 of insular funds has been appropriated. rican forces have captured since American forces have ignited hundred ber eighteen eannon, eighteen hundred housands of bolos and ninety thousand housands of bolos and ninety thousand The Ame tes have been surrendered.

The orders of insurgent officers will mager be considered to mitigate crimes.

EX-KING MILAN DEAD.

The Turbulent Prince of the Servians Is Quiet at Last

VIENNA, Feb. 11.—The remains will be interred at Kronchol, a sacred monastic shrine in Syrmina, Slavonia, with the honors due a member of a reigning dynasty.

son of Ephraim Obrenovitch, was born in 1854. He was adopted by Prince Michael After the latter's assassination in 1868, Milan was declared prince and the government during his monarchy, was entrusted to a council of regency. Four years later he was crowned. Servia, under his rule, was engaced in several more or less suc-cessful wars, and in 1889 Milan ab-dicated in favor of his son, Crown Prince Alexander, in consequence of froubles arising and of his famous

quarrel with Queen Netalie.)
BELGRADE, Servia, Feb. 11.—King Alexander who was at Nish when he received the news of the death of his father, immediately summoned members of the cabinet to meet at Konall, where he communicated the information to them officially. King and Queen left Nish this evening for Belgrade, going to Vienna. The remains will be brought here.

mier, M. Yovanovitch, announcing the death of the former king, eulogized plete independence and territorial extension for Servia. "Although political circumstances of late caused his absence from the coun

try." said the premier. "these services will not be forgotten During the speech the entire chamber remained standing. A resolution

was adopted that the members of the house should attend the obsequies in a body at Belgrade. The sitting was then closed by royal decree. VIENNA, Feb. 11-The illness began

with influenza. Milan left his bed too quickly and the result was pneumonia. The doctors also found fatty degeneration of the heart, which was the actual cause of death, as the danger immediately arising from the lung trou ble had been overcome. Fearing a fatal issue, the doctors

caused messages to be sent to King Alexander and former Queen Natalie; but, although Milan desired to see them and himself sent messages requesting their presence, neither came. Natalie's reply, which was to the effect that she would come if her presence was really desired, reached him just before death

Emperor Francis Joseph, who sent an aide-de-camp to the death bed, has ordered a military funeral, as Milan was formerly the colonel of an Aus-

trian regiment.

It was Milan's written wish that he should be buried at Syrma. He said he had been greatly disappointed at the absence of his son, whose ingratitude has provoked much comment in Vienna. According to the Nue Frie Presse he said to his physician: feel that I must die, but it is very sad to be compelled to die at forty-seven."

IRISH JOAN OF ARC

Welland Canal Explosion-Talks About South Africa.

NEW YORK, Feb. 11.-Miss Maud Jonne, who has come to this country to agitate against the enlistment of Irishmen in the British army, was inerviewed today.

"Is it true that you were connected with the Welland canal explosion?

was asked "I never knew of that affair until some of my friends sent me a paper containing a story of it. I would not repudiate any attempt made against England, but I had nothing to do with the attempt to blow up the canal. I would not send my people into danger

when I could not share that danger. "The South African situation is very favorable. I am of the opinion that the Boers will be able to hold out for two years at least. I have talked nch officers who are familiar with the situation and with war correspondents, and they are of the same opinion. The trouble is that England cannot get men The frantic appeals of Kitchener for men show the conditions down in Africa. The list of heavy losses and the disease among the men has the effect of discouraging enlistment. The deaths in the Irish troops are 20 per cent. in comparison to 12 per cent. on the English. This they say is because the Irish are such great fighters; but Major Bride, when was in Paris, said that the Irishmen refused to fight and that many were shot down by companions

COFFEE KNOCKED HIM Couldn't Move for 4 Hours After Drinking

When coffee drinking affects a man's

2 Cups.

health so badly that he has to be put to bed for 4 hours after drinking 2 cops at dinner, it is high time he quit. That was the experience of Mr. Hood, in Geneva, Mich. His wife writes: "I consider that Postum saved the life of my husband. For 2 years he had been troubled with his heart, and kept getting worse. I finally induced him to make the experiment of leaving off coffee and taking Postum Food Coffee and he improved rapidly, but one day he drank two cups of strong coffee for dinner and had to lie on the bed four hours before he could move, since that time no coffee is used, but Postum altogether. He has entirely recovered his health, has no more trouble with his heart, and says he likes Postum better than he ever did like the oldfashioned coffee.

A number of our neighbors use Pos-

turn altogether to the exclusion of or-dinary coffee. Once in a while I find a person who has tried Postum and does not like it, but always find, upon inquiry, that they tried to make it by polling it 5 or 10 minutes, which absolutely will not do. It must be boiled 15 or 20 minutes after the boiling begins. Put in a little piece of butter to prevent it from boiling over, and you will have a delicious, palatable, and Ada Hood,

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CITY NEWS

Recent Events in and Around St. John

Together With Country Items trom Correspondants and Exchanges.

When ordering the address of your WEEKLY SUN to be changed, send the NAME of the POST OFFICE to which the paper is going as well as that of the office to which you wish Remember! The NAME of the Post Office must be sent in all cases to ensure prompt compliance with your request

Oats are very scarce in Sussex this year. So is hey.

Wanted, a case of headache tha Kumfort Headache Powders will not cure in ten minutes. Price 10d.

A quantity of cents can be had at the counting room of this paper in exchange for other money. Patrick Cassicy, of Houlton, is in jail in Bangor, charged with smuggling oats from New Brunswick. This is his

Tapley Bros. of Indiantown, the well known lumber freighters and tow boat people, are in financial difficulties and

have stopped payments. Says the Moncton Times: The report that C. C. Davison, foreman black-smith of the I. C. R., had received notice of dismissal, turns out to have

been incorrect. Bentley's Lindment relieves every form of Inflammation. Equally good for external or internal use. Direc tions with every bottle. Ask for Bentlev's and take no other. Price 10c.

The smallpox reported at Goshen Kings county, has not spread among the mill crew; only one man was sick The people from that section think that this case was from the effects of

The Woodstock Press states that Ludlow Wise of that town has been appointed a justice of the peace. He the first colored man who has been so honored in that locality.

To "Loyalist."-The Prince of Wales did not stop at the Waverley House when in St. John in 1860, but H. R. H. Prince Alfred made it his headquar-ters May 29, 1861, and so did H. R. H. Prince Arthur Sept. 8, 1869.

The Windsor Tribune says: The political axe has again been used in this county. This time it is the postmaster at Falmouth, who has been dismiss from the position he has filled, with general satisfaction to the public, for number of years

Steamer Truma, which struck a rock near Louisburg, while on a voyage from St. John to Tralee, Ire., with deals and put into Halifax, went on deals and put into Halifax, went on terson, Mactnaquac, Mrs. George the marine slip Thursday for perma-Small, Houlton; Mrs. (Dr.) Chas. H. nent repairs. Her forefoot is and several plates damaged.

The sword used by the late Lieutenant Blanchard in South Africa has been received by his father, W. H. Blanchard of Windsor, N. S. The sword and the officer's trunk of clothes were sent by mistake to Ontario, but have at last reached their destination.

Some anxiety is felt by the owners at Halifax for the safety of the bark Calburga (of Maitland, N. S.), Capt Douglass, now out about 80 days from Antwerp for New York. Forrester McDonald, a student of Dalhousie university, is a passenger on the vessel.

Of the late civic elections the Wolf-Wolfville there were no disqualifications because of unpaid taxes. This was not because there were no taxes unpaid, but because of a new law or new interpretation of an old one.

Croup has no terrors for the mothe who keeps Bentley's Liniment in the fall house. 10 and 25c.

Captain Charles Starkey, of the Star line steamer Victoria, writes home from New York that he is greatly improve in health. He and the late Cook Mabee were together for several weeks, taking the electrical treatment for the lungs, and were both attacked lightly with pneumonia. Mr. Mabee went south to Georgia and died suddenly, but the captain got over his attack in a short while.

The Daily and Weekly Sun are distributed in all parts of Canada.

WINTER

wonderfully Low Prices.

The steamer Clifton will be taken through he falls the first of next week to go on Hilvard's blocks for spring repairing. The Hampstead will also undergo extensive repairs during the first of next month.

> One of the lumber crew at the Hicks mill at the Cape, says the Albert Maple Leaf, having recently come from the smallpox infected! trict of Westmorland, the camp has been officially quarantined by the board of health

Hiram Smith, of T. McAvity Sons, who was in the Grand Falls oridge railway disaster, says he has been fully compensated for his suffering and loss of time by the Canadian Pacific railway. He is yet weak and not quite able to resume his duties on the road, but may in the spring.

R. C. Hubley of Sussex, one of the returned soldiers, is about to publish book dealing with the experience of the first Canadian contingent in the Boer war. Mr. Hubley contributed, very interesting series of letters to the sex Record, and the publication of his book will be looked forward to, no doubt, with pleasurable anticipation by many people.

A Salt Springs, Kings Co., corres pondent writes: "Messrs. Peters and Alexander are lumbering for E. Flewelling of Hampton, who recently pur chased the trees on Mrs. Jane Ro son's farm. They report the lumber of superior quality. Three of the tree when measured by Surveyor Camp bell scaled 3,001 feet, 1,229 feet and 1,000 feet respectively. Who in Kings can beat that?"

Liverpool, N. S., supplies its citizen with electric lights in their house and stores at a trifle over \$2 a year per light, all night service. Parrs boro lights its streets with 25 ar lights of 1200 candle power, all night service, for \$225. Stores pay 36 cents per month for 16-candle power, and dwellings 25 cents per month for each light all night service.

The body of Mrs. Matilda McQuirk, who died in Brattleboro, Vermont, on Sunday last, was taken to Woodstock. N. B., by Dr. James Conland, son-inlaw of the deceased. Mrs. McQuirk was the daughter of Stephen and Mary I. Tracey of New Brunswick. She was 74 years of age, and married a prominent clothing merchant of St John, where she resided until the great fire of June 20th, 1877.

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T. E. G. Armstrong has severed his ection with the Bank of British North America and entered the estab lishment of Manchester, Robertson & Allison. John Todd of Montreal has taken the place of Mr. Armstrong as accountant in the bank.

FREDERICTON NEWS.

Saturday's Gleaner.)

The death occurred vesterday at the home of her son, of Hannah, widow of the late Henry Kelly, aged 73 years She had been ill for about two years with paralysis. She leaves one son, P. Arthur Kelly, of Long's Creek, Kingsclear, and five daughters, Mrs. Co-burn, Musgrove, B. C.; Mrs. C. Pat-Long, Wisconsin, and Mrs. E. P. Slipp. Kingsclear.

The death occurred last night at the nome of Adolphus Sewell at Lincoln of Charlotte, widow of the late Jame Burchill, once a well' known mason of this city and who was for a number of years one of the board of as-sessors. The deceased lady, who was a daughter of the late Thomas Segee, of Lincoln, was in the 73rd year of her age. Mrs. Adolphus Sewell, at whose home she died, and Mrs. Henry Sim-

mons, of this city, are sisters of the late Mrs, Burchill. A An Eau Claire, Wisconsin, paper of Jan. 27th, just received here, gives the particulars of the sudden death of Mrs. William Finnamore, formerly ville Acadian says: For the first time this city, who was Miss Eliza Hand, in the history of town elections in a sister of Daniel Hand. Mr. Finnamore formerly resided. at Marysville She was 48 years old, and leaves 12 children. She died of paralysis.

BOGUS VOTERS' LIST DENOUNC-

ED. At the Sunday evening service at the parish church at Rothesay, the Rev. Allan S. Daniel referred in most scathing terms to political corruption and the heniousness of the offence of buying or selling a vote, or impersonating a voter. He also made al-lusion to the rottenness which characterized the bogus Rothesay lists and the recent attempt to foist it on the community.

QUEBEC, Feb. 9.-J. J. Mathews, for many years freight agent in this city, has been appointed to a similar position on the Intercolonial. Matthews is vell and favorably known by merchants and shippers and his appoints WINTER

(Times, 7th inst.)

and subden Death Of Dr. George H. Dunlap of Moncton.

Citizens were shocked last evening when they learned of the very sudden death of Dr. Geo. H. Dunlap, who expired of heart failure in Mr. LeBlanc's hotel on Duke street about twenty minutes to five o'clock. Dr. Dunlap had been troubled for years with or-ganic disease of the heart and re-marked to friends frequently that his life was likely to terminate suddenly in the manner in which it did. He had not been feeling as well as usual the past few days, but was able to be about and was around town as usual yesterday, spending some time with friends in different places of business, during the afternoon. Dr. Duniap had just entered the hotel in company with Adolphe Allen of the Dorchester penitentiary staff, and Gilbert LaBlanc, when, without uttering a word of war-ning, he suddenly collapsed in the hellway. A: Tait and Affen gently picked him up and carried him into the sitting room, where he was laid on the sofa and medical aid summoned as quickly as possible. The stricken man, however, never spoke, but expired im-mediately. Deceased had left his own home about five minutes before his death. He had accompanied his friends, who had called to see him, to the hotel, and had just reached there when death name in the form des-

Dootors McCully, Myers and White arrived on the scene shortly after the doctor was stricken, but he had passed beyond human assistance. Deceased was 48 years of age and eaves a wife and one son, about eight rears of age. Deceased's father, the late James Dunlan, also died suddenly of heart failure in 1879, while sitting in a chair in the kitchen of his

PERSONAL MENTOIN.

Misses Lyle and Annie Thompson eft this morning for Keene, N. H. where they will take a course in nurs ing at Elliot City hospital.—Campbellton Telephone, 5th.

Frank Stetson of St., John was at the House Tuesday. - Bangor Bangor News, 5th. Jas. A. McLean of Sussex, N. B. was in Truro last night en route to Syd

ney. While in town he called upon his old friend, Allan McLennan, whom he had not seen for eighteen years .-Truro, N. S., News, 5th.
A. E., Golding, editor of the Advo-cate, left last week for Halifax. He has been commissioned by the Halifax

Chronicle to write a series of articles on the industries, etc., of the province. Mr. Golding will retain the editoriat direction of the Advocate.—Newcastle N. B. Advocate, 6th. Senator Ellis of St. John was

guest of his son, George D. Ellis of the Beaver Mills last week.—Wolfville, N. S. Orchardist, 5th.

I. C. R. PARSIMONY.

(Railway News.) The many persons who have, to de ousiness with the W. U. Telegraph office at Sussex are much surprised when they learn that the salary of Miss Dodge, the operator, is some \$12 or \$15 less per month than usually paid to day operators. All railway work has to be done by the W. U. operator, and it seems the company pay, and the I. C. R. does not assist, hence they are getting the work done for much less than they would under ordinary circumstances. Surely this is hardly fair and should be remedied at an early day.

TRACADIE LUMBER CO. MEET. The annual meeting of the Tracadie N. B., Lumber Co. was held on Tuesday afternoon at the office of Tyler Fogg & Co., Bangor. Only formal business was transacted and officers elected for the ensuing year.

The directors are F. W. Hill, Charles D. Stanford, H. B. Foster, H. H. Fogg, L. C. Tyler, R. H. Wing and H. A. Fogs. The president is F. W. Hill? treasurer, Charles D. Stanford; general manager, H. B. Foster, and clerk L. C. Tyler. The company is in a prosperous condition and the prospects for business next season are as good as could be wished for.

During the present winter about 11, 000,000 feet of logs will be cut, mostly pine, with a little spruce and hemlock These are driven to the mill for about \$1.90 per thousand feet, which is sufficient to show the conditions under which the operations of the company are carried on.

LATE A. C. SMITH.

At a meeting of the board of trus tees of St. Stephen's church, held on the 6th inst., the following resolution was unanimously adopted: 1 1711

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Whereas, it has pleased Almighty God lith His wisdom and mercy to remove from our midst. A. Chipman Smith; and Whereas, Mr. Smith was a member of the first board of trustees of St. Stephen's church, elected on June 2nd, 1869, and from that day until his death, whether in office or not, never ceased to take a deep in terest in the welfare of this church, and was ever ready in any emergency with wise counsel and liberal hand; and

Whereas, His rare executive ability. his clear and sane ideas of congregational management, his honest utbershes of what he believed to be the wise and right policy of church work, will be much missed by those in charge of the temporal affairs of, the congregation, and his death will be felt as a personal loss by many in the church to whom he had lent a helping hand in time of need or spoken words of cheer and courage in time of trouble; therefore

Resolved, That this board of trustees place on record its sense of the great loss sustained by the congregation and its sincere sympathy with the members of the bereaved family it their sorrow; and further

Résolved, That a copy of this resolution be forwarded to Mrs. Smith.

BARK RITA ABANDONED.

LONDON, Feb. 1h. The British bark Rita, of Charlottetown, P. E. I., Captain Olsen, from Cardin for Para, before reported abanboned in a sinking condition and crew landed at St. Vincent, C. V. Jan 23, was dismasted in a gale on Jan 15, in lat. 35, ion. 17, and abandoned Jan II.

The Rita was a wooden vessel, built in 1888 at Bideford, P. E. I., registered 378 tons net, and was owned by Wm. Richards of Charlottetown.

6 H Grove This eignature is on every box of the genuing Lazative Bromo-Quimhe Tablets

THE STORM IN ALBERT, Drifts Sometimes as High as Twelve

Further details which have been received show that the storm that block; the Ingersoll Chronicle, celebrated aded the railroad in Albert county was a very severe one. A train started last Monday for Hallsboro, and by the hard-est kind of work reached Salisbury

Wednesday evening: The manager of the road, A. Sherwood, was on board. On Thursday an attempt was made to get back, but the second storm was worse than the first. and the train was stalled at Stony Greek, about ten miles this side of Hillsboro.

There were about twenty-five pas-sengers on board, ten of whom were ladles. The men turned out and assisted the train crew, but very little progress was made. Food was obtained from the farm houses in the vicin-ity of the road. On Saturday twenty-five men were sent from the Albert work, and finally the train was re-The wind had a splendid sweep from the bay and the weather was bitterly

cold, and was made even more dis agreeable by the driving snow. some places the road was banked to the height of ten or twelve feet, and the snow packed so hard that a horse and sheigh could be driven over in saftey. In other places a horse would sink to the back in an endeavor to get through Some idea of the state of the roads may be obtained from two St. John commercial men nine hours to drive shout sixteen miles.

A telephone message from Hillsboro today said that the train had reached that place last evening. The sick man reported on board is worse. An effort will be made to get back to Salisbury by Wednesday. The mails were brought through by stage.

TRAGIC DEATH

An Eau Claire, Wisconsin, paper of Jan, 27th, gives particulars of the merly of Fredericton :

"Mrs. William Finnamore died very euddenly at her home on Barland street yesterday afternoon. She arose at the usual hour in the morning and helped to get breakfast. At 8 o'clock she lifted her six months' old baby from the cradle and as she did so suddenly pitched forward, falling to the floor. Mr. Finnamore, who was up-stairs dressing one of the children, heard the fall and hastened downstairs, to find his wife stretched upon the floor. The child had escaped in-juries in the fall. Dr. R. R. Chase and Dr. E. S. Hayes worked over Mrs. Finnamore for an hour, but without avail. Death was probably caused by a stroke of paralysis. The deceased was 48 years of age. She left twelve

Mrs. Finnamore was a sister of Daniel Hand of Fredericton. Mr. Finnamore formerly resided at Marys-

THE SACKVILLE CONCERT.

SACKVILLE, Feb. 9.—Despite the most terrific storm of the season and the roads brocked with great drifts of show, the seniors concert, Friday evening, was a pronounced success The citizens of Sackville are a music loving people, and those who bravely faced the elements last evening were than repaid by the very excellent programme so ably rendered by Mrs. Spencer, and Messrs. Kelly and

Pidgeon of St. John.

Mrs. Spencer delighted the audien with her beautiful voice and by the gracious manner in which she so freely responded to the hearty encores. Mr. Kelly's voice is one of rare sweetness, and it won him many admirers. The singing of Mr. Pidgean was also a genuine treat. The power and beauty of Mr. Pidgeon's yolce are beyond description. In the 'Rosary' he was especially fine. The sacred trio, "Praise Ye," was a gem. The blending of voices was very beautiful. The club swinging by Arthur Likely was well appreciated and won him much applause from the Mt. Allison boys, who gave vent to

their feelings in frequent and prolonged college yells.

The senior class of '01 do certainly deserve the highest praise for their energy and enterprise in providing such an enjoyable entertainment for their friends in Sackville. The pluck they have shown in carrying it through in the fact of such fearful odds gives great promise for them in their future career.

AUSTRALASIAN CATHOLICS.

(The Tablet.) We now have an Australian hierarchy comprising five archbishops—one, His eminence Cardinal Moran—18 bishops and 1,114 priests. There are 3.975 nuns, 444 religious brothers, 1,394 churches and a Catholic population of 793,215 out of a total of about four millions. The growth summed up in these statistics was recently cetebrated by the meeting of the first Catholic congress and the consecration with great solemnity of the Catholic Cathedral at Sydney, near where the first mass was said said by an exiled priest less than a handred years ago.

\$600 FOR \$1.00. A Profitable Investment.

Jno. Blakely of W. Lebanon, Pa., reports that he got more value from \$1.00 worth of Grape-Nuts food than from \$600 spent in noted hospitals, trying to get well from stomach trouble. He says: "After all my experience, I had to come home thinking there was no cure for me. I was so weak and nervous I could hardly walk, and for three years I hadn't a good night's sleep. I was run down until I only weighed 120 pounds.

"I commenced using Grape-Nuts about a year ago and now I weigh 163 pounds and can do as good a day's work as any one. When I go to bed I sleep all night peacefully and am refreshed in the morning. I use Grape-Nuts food every day and know it is Jno. Blakely of W. Lebanon, Pa., re-

Nuts food every day and know it is the greatest blessing that ever was sent to suffering humanity. I believe if it had not been for this food I would have been under the sod before this." There is a reason. No food in existence contains, in a concentrated form, the elements that will rebuild the nerve centres and the brain, as Grape-Nuts, and the beauty of the food is that it is perfectly cooked at the factory and by the process of manufacture is predigested in a natural way, therefore requires but trifling power of the stomach to digest it.

MARRIED SEVENTY-TWO YEARS.

Mr. and Mrs. Christopher McMulkin, who live just west of the town in the township of West Oxford, says the 72nd anniversary of their wedding day on Sunday last. They are probably the oldest married couple in Canada living together. Mr. McMulkin was 92 years of age last June, and his aged partner in life was 92 years old on the 5th of December. Both are hale and hearty and are apparently good for a number of years yet. Mrs. McMulkin can read and knit without glasses. Both, the old people have wonderful memories, and they can tell interesting tales of the ntry in its earlier days. The lives of this aged couple are interesting to Owen Sounders, for one of their daughters is the popular Owen Sound lady, Mrs. Edmond Haines, of "Hin-ton Villa." Mr. and Mrs. Haines received pictures of Mr. and Mrs. Mc Mulkin this week. Mrs. Haines is to be congratulated on having her aged parents still alive and hearty.-Owen Mr. McMulkin, the veteran of 92

years, is an uncle of Ald. McMulkin of Indiantown.

DEATH OF ROBERT WILLS.

Robert Wills, an officer in His Majesty's customs, a prominent Orange-man and an indefatigable worker in the cause of temperance, died at his home, 110 St. James street, Sat urday morning, after a some-what protracted illness. Mr. Wills was born at Norden, near Corf Castle, Dorsetshire, England, on March 24th, 1835, and came to Canada when a youth of nineteen years. He carried on a blacksmithing business here for some years previ ous to his entry into the government's service in connection with the customs department. As an Orangemar the deceased citizen was at times quite prominent. He had the interest of the order at heart, and worked earnestly for it. In the Sons of Temperance h was a past grand worthy patriarch. Mr. Wills's family surviving consists of a widow, four sons and two daughters. Three of the sons reside in the United States, but the daughters are living in this city. As a citizen a friend, a member of the fraternal organizations to which he belonged, and also as a member of Carmarthan Street Methodist church the late citizen was greatly esteemed and -respected.

NEW CATTLE ACCOMMODATIONS

The live stock accommodations on west side are to be improved and made equal in convenience to the stock yards of the Grand Trunk 'railway at' Montreal. John Sheriden, a prominent Toronto horse and cattle shipper in the city at present inspecting the Sand Point cattle sheds for the dominion government. He will recommend that they be modernized at once. This will include enlarging, roofing, separate compartments for each shipper's cattle; a carroad of cattle for each compariment, etc. This is what has been needed for a long while on west side. The cattle sheds were entirely antiquated in more ways than one, and if the government thinks favorably of Mich Sheriden's recommendations it is to be hoped the work of improvement will not be hoisted along from season to season, but that it will be done at once.—Star

CHAMBERLAIN APPROVES.

CAPE TOWN, Feb. 11.—Joseph Chamber-lain, secretary of state for the colonies, has addressed a communication to Sir Alfred Milner, approving the remarks made by Sir Alfred in his reply to the Afrikander deputation sent to him by the Afrikander configress at Worcester, with resolutions addressed to Queen Victoria.

"The government has no intention," says the colonial secretary, "of changing the policy which it has repeatedly declared and which has been approved overwhelmingly by the Empire."

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The majors of the peninsula adopted a resolution calling upon the government to provide camps for the Kaffirs, so as to prevent overcrowding in the towns and the consequent of the second to the consequent of the second to the consequent of the second to sequent overcrowding in the towns and the consequent danger.

The government has decided to notify foreign nations of the fact that Cape Town is
infected with the bubonic plague. Another
native has died of the disorder; three additional cases are announced, and fifty persons who have been in contact with plague
victims have been isolated.

A temporary military hospital is being
erected.

HAY-PAUNCEFOIE TREATY,

LONDON, Feb. 11.—Previous to the publication of the Associated Press despatch regarding the reply to be sent by Great Britain to the United States relative to the amended Hay-Pauncefote treaty, the United States embassy in London was as uninformed as the public concerning the nature of that reply. that reply.

Ambassador Choate has had no intimation of any kind as to what its terms will be. He believes, however, that the counter proposals are most likely to bear upon those subjects which were left unettied by the Canadian which were left unretted by the commission.

In the opinion of those best informed as to the relations between the United States and Great Britain, these boundary matters form the only basis on which England could possibly formulate a counter proposal. It is quite possible, however, that her answer will contain certain requests for commercial and other privileges.

The canal itself has hitherto not been mentioned in the negotiations.

PROTESTANTISM IN PHILIPPINES.

MONTREAL, Feb. 11.-The trial of the Delpit case, in which E. Delpit seeks to have the civil courts affirm the decision of the

resentation of Gold Watch and

Chain to Bugler McMullen. SACKVILLE, N. B., Feb. 11.—Saturday evening there was a large gathering in the Music hall, when Bugler McMullen was presented with handsome gold watch and chain. The watch is the gift of the citizens and bears Mr. McMullin's monogram on the drout mase, while inside is en-

From his fellow citizens of Sackville, N.; B., to William McMullen, bugler of Company G, 62nd Batt., R. C. R., as a token of esteem for his conduct in the Transvaal war, Paardeberg."

The chain is from the ladies and is of beautifully wrought plain links, with square and locket attached. The lecket has the recipient's monogram on one side and on the other the following:

11 Bor brave services, from the ladies of Sackville. 'One nation evermore,' 1901."

The occasion was made a festal one. the band, one of whose members is Mr. McMullen's brother, gave several natriotic selections, the university quantette club gave an excellent vo-cal number, and Miss Dora Wood and F. Murray rendered most accept-able songs. Miss Wood is rapidly be-coming one of Sackville's leading soloists and sings very attractively.

Mrs. (Senator) Wood made the pre-sentation in a short speech, full of grace and good feeling. The young soldier rose to the occasion and replied with an unaffected boyishness (he is but 22) that appealed to every one present. In thanking the donors, he said that much as he valued the gift, if it was a choice of keeping the gift or again serving his country, he would go at a moment's notice to Africa. He gave a very vivid and realistic account of his experiences, his description of the hardships such that one wonders not at the deaths, but that any of our boys liv-

ed to return. After the speeches, the hero, the band, the vocalists, Mr. McMullen's mother and sister and a few town's people were entertained right royally at the house of the secretary of the Sackville, Red Cross Society, Mrs. A.

H. McCready.

Fred Mason, a young fellow in the employ of Amos Lawrence, while splitting wood, was struck in the eye with a solinter of wood, with such force that the eye ball has been cut in two. It is now feared that he will lose the sight of the other eye also.

W. C. Bulmer, Sackville's oldest inhabitant, died Thursday in his 84th year. He leaves three sons and one

sons and one daughter Frederick Scott, well known as the obliging post office assistant, writes that he is well pleased with his new occupation. Mr. Scott has left letters for the noble art of healing, and is in Boston.

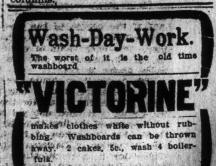
Another young man who thinks of going to the states for the same study is Gaius Fawcett. He will also be a loss to the town.

THE MATE N. K. CONNOLLY.

(St. John Star.) N. K. Connolly was an energetic, capable contractor, and in connection with his partners carried through some important works. Long ago he join-ed Patrick Larkin, who had been a heavy contractor under the Mackenzie government, and the firm of Larkin, Connolly & Co did a considerable business. The scanduls connected with the firm began soon after Owen Murphy, an exiled New York boodler, joined the firm and contributed his money and experience to it. Michael Connolly and Robert McGreevy joined the partnership, some members of which had contracts in Mexico. McGreevy's brother was in member of parliament and a Quebec harbor commissioner, and it was alleged that his influence was used to get contracts for the firm. The Mc-Greevy inquiry of 1891 took place before the privileges committee, and oc nearly three months. It dealt with the Quebec works and also with the Esquimault dock. The parliamentary investigation was followed by criminal proceedings, ordered by Sir John Thompson, at whose instance Mr. Mc-Greevy was expelled from parliament. The result of the prosecution was the imprisonment of Thomas McGreevy and N. K. Connolly. Murphy, who was the projector of the whole conspiracy, fied to the States, where he died before he could be extradited. He, with Robert McGreevy, had turned on their former partners. Robert McGreevy's death took place about the same time. N. K. Connolly had very little to do with the details of the contracts. He Esquimault. The convictions do not appear to have interfered seriously with the business of the Connolly's, who after the events of 1891 formed a partnership of their own. They had built a dock at Kingston before 1891. After that they had extensive contracts in Pennsylvania. Pennsylvania. They were awarded the contracts for the first Sand Point wharf built by the city, and afterward Mr. Blair gave them the contract for the Long wharf at a figure \$108,000 above the lowest tender. No such margin as this above the lowest offer was alleged to have been obtained by the Larkin-Connolly firm in the Levis

LONDON, Feb. 1.-"A solemn reaffirmation of the Anglo-Portuguese alliance is pending, I am in-formed, says the Lisbon cor-respondent of the Daily Mail, and England will request Porugal to lend Portuguese troops to guard certain points in South Africa in order to enable the British employed at those points to join the fighting

dock, or in the Esquimanit contract.



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ELGIN, Feb. 6 .- Manning J. Collicutt, unable to engage a mill to cut his lumber, recently purchased from Robb & Sons, Amherst, a new mill, which he has placed about three miles from here, and has begun sawing.

The recent heavy falls of snow have interfered with lumbering in the way of yarding logs, and nearly all have stopped and are now busy getting their lumber out. The roads are in a very bad condition, making it difficult for traffic outside and hard for mail drivers to make their routes on

The E. P. and H. railway has been running very irregularly of late, many days not getting in at all on account of the heavy falls of snow and bad condition of the rail. Mr. Simpson of Petitcodiac carries the mail when the train is not running.

A case of smallpox in a mill camp, Goshen, Kings Co., about seven miles from here, has made many of the residents here feel quite uneasy, as there is a great deal of traffic from there with this village. Two houses not far from here have been quarantined, as some of the inmates had been working there and came home when they found out what was the trouble. The school and church have been closed, but will re-open again on Monday if ther, are no new cases.

Some few are being vaccinated.

Miss Ella Smith of Moneton has charge of the primary department of the school here, in place of Miss Louisa Horsman, who is at Acadia this term. Mrs. George Dysart of Boston left for home today. Her trip here was a sad one, having brought home one of her children for burial. HAMPTON, Feb. 7.-In the probate

court here today, Judge Gilbert gave decisions in the following cases:

Estate of Robert McMahon of Rothesay. The acting executor, William McMahon, passed his accounts, and an order issued closing the estate, with the exception of a small mort-

gage which is still running. Stewart L. Fairweather, proctor for executors. Estate of Banjamin Gray of Springfield. Marion Gray, widow, and Fred Sharp, executors under the will, were sworn to administer the estate, which is valued at \$1,400 real and \$450 personal. Total, \$1,850. Wm. Wheaton one of the witnesses, proved the signatures of the testator, and the other witness, and Azor B. Spragg and Geo Keirstead were accepted as bondsmen

Fred Sharpe, proctor for executrix.

Estate of Henry Walton, Spper
Greenwich. J. N. Walton, executor, petitioned for a license to sell testator's right in the equity of redemption in certain lands, viz.: The Spoon Island Granite company's property, and the farm and homestead on which he and his family resided, the estate hav-ing realized insufficient means to meet its liabilities. It appeared from the petition that these properties are mortgaged to their full value, but it is hoped that the equity of redemption will bring in something to help matters The judge granted the license and advised that the sale should be held as near the properties as pas sible, as a means of obtaining the best offers. Four week's notice must be given, and the bondsmen, who were

tor for executor. Estate of Ann McLaughlin of Sus sex, spinster. Will proved and Silas C. McCully, executor, sworn to administer the estate, which is left to him on certain trusts, and is valued at \$1,-200, of which \$850 is real and \$450 personal. L. Allison, proctor for execu-

the decree issues. A. W. Baird, proc

The young man, Hober C. DeVoe, 19 years of age, who fell a victim to consumption, was buried in the cemetery here this afternoon. He was a son of Judson DeVoe, now of Dorchester, Mass., and grandson of Charles DeVoe of this parish. His mother, who died in 1885, was a daughter of William Fowler, who reached his 79th birthday on the sad occasion of his grandson's funeral. The exercises were conducted by Rev. W. W. Lodge.

MAUGERVILLE, Sunbury Co., Feb. 4.—Memorial day was rather more honored in the breach than in the observance in this vicinity. The various vocations were plied as usual. At nocto the vendors were doing their regular trade under the shadow of St. John'; church (half filled); where tor H. E. Dibblee and Rev. R. W. Colston were conducting the solemn memorial service at 11 a. m. The church was artistically draped for the occasion and special music rendered. At 3 p. m. Rector Colston and Rev. H. E. Dibblee officiated at Christ church which was neatly draped. After the solemn service the Dead March was rendered with much effect. Mrs. Col-

ston presided at the organ.

A memorial service was held in the Baptist chruch on Sunday, when Rev. O. P. Brown preached an able sermon from the text: "Behold, I die; but God shall be with you."

The "cake walk" in the lower hall on Monday night was a financial sucs, and \$32 was added to the repair

Col. F. R. Miles is expected to arrive at his old home here about the 10th inst.-Charles Magee, Albert and Duncan Johnson and Stephen Banks have returned from the Maine lum-

Mrs. Andrew Johnson of St. John is spending the winter with her brothers

WATERSIDE, A. Co., Feb. 6.-A party of young people drove to Har-vey recently and spent a pleasant time at the residence of Capt. and Games and G. A. Coonan. music were indulged in, after which uncheon was served and the party

Mrs. Frederick Munson of Cape Enrage has been stricken with apoplexy. The case is pronoun less. Mrs. Munson suffered a slight stroke about two years ago. Isalah Dickson and Miss Rebeack Cleveland were married by Pastor F. N. Atkinson at Alma, this afternoon, Mrs. C. W. Morton and little daughter, Henrietta, of Portland, Me., are visiting Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Fill-

There has been no mail here since Saturday night, Feb. 2nd, the result of the train not getting through to Salisbury on account of the road be-

ing blockaded. Mrs. Susie Copp and daughter, Jessie, have gone to Boston to visit friends. James Cameron has soid his place to Isaiah Dickson and intends moving to Portland, Me. HOPEWELL HILL, Feb. 3.-Yester-

was pretty generally observed as a day of mourning throughout this section. Places of business were closed flags half-mast, and public buildings draped in black. The memorial staylor at St. John's Church of England here in the morning was very largely attended. The rector, Rev. Mr. Smithers, delivered an eloquent and impressive discourse, having special reference to the life and works of England's noblest and best Sovereign, for whom all the world is in mourning. The choir sang the hymns, Let Saints on Earth in Concert Sing, We Are Dying Day by Day, and O God, Our Help in Ages Past: Mrs. M. B. Dixon of Riverside sang a solo, Peace, Perfect Peace, and the Minto Cornet Band played several selections, including the Funeral

March at the close of the service. The

church was appropriately draped, and

over the altar was placed a memorial

cross in purple and black, surmount-

ed by a wreath of purple flowers. Mrs. Eleanor Rogers, widow of the late John Rogers, died at the home of her daughter, Mrs. L. Archibald, yesterday morning, in the 90th year of her ige. The deceased had been confined to her bed for some months, but previous to that time had possessed an unusual measure of health and mental vigor, retaining a memory that carried her back to the early days of the century, of which she was able to talk most intelligently. The deceased was formerly a Miss Dodge of Massachusetts, but came to this county when a young girl, and resided with her uncle, Mr. Turnbull, one of the early settlers of Harvey. When quite young she was married to John Rogers of this place, who died some twenty years ago. Two daughters survive her-Mrs. Luther Archibald of Hopewell Hill and Mrs. Wesley Peck of New Westminster, B. C. She also leaves a brother, James Dodge of Boston. The deceased was a woman of very sound mental judgnent, uniformly kind and considerate,

Special evangelistic services are beng conducted in the Presbyterian church at Riverside by the pastor, Rev. R. Davidson, and Mr. Walden, evangelist. Much interest is taken in the meetings.

and was universally respected. The

funeral will take place here on Tues-

C. B. Moore of Mountville put his shoulder out of joint a day or two ago, Dr. L. Chapman rendered the necessary surgical assistance.

The officers of Mount Pleasant lodge I. O. G. T., have been elected for the current quarter as follows: W. J. Mc-Almon, C. T.: Mrs. Josiah McRae, V. T.; W. A. West, sec.; Mrs. Carney, A. S.; Janie McGorman, F. S.; Elmer A. Smith, treas.; Walker Perry, M.; Ora Mitton, D. M.; Martie Smith. chaplain; Leander Elliott, recorder; Dallas Conner, G .; Fred. Smith, S .; John Russell, P. C. T.

HOPEWELL HILL, Feb. 5.-The funeral of the late Mrs. Eleanor Rogers took place this afternoon, and was attended by a large number of friends and acquaintances of the deceased. The services were conducted by the Rev. not present, must be sworn in before F. D. Davidson, assisted by Rev. J. K. King. There were many ment took place in the new cemetery. A donation party by the Baptist cople of this place and Albert was held last evening at the residence of Rev. Mr. Davidson.

The Albert train failed to get through to Salisbury yesterday on account of the drifts in the cuttings. This is the first day this winter that the train has missed a trip. Rev. Mr. Davidson baptized seven

FREDERICTON, Feb. 8.-In the subreme court this morning, in King v. James McQueen, ex parte Alfred E. Holsted, Mr. Phinney, K. C., moves to make absolute a rule nisi to quash con-

converts at Hopewell Cape on Sun-

viction: rule absolute. Ex parte John M. Wilson--Mr. Atcinson moves for rule nisi calling on the county of Albert to show cause why a mandamus should not issue to compel them to examine into the cirtances and determine as to any and what amount should be paid by overseers of the poor of the parish of Hillsboro to applicant for the support of a pauper, one Rita A. Wilson; rule nisi returnable next term.

Court adjourned till Friday next at The heavy winds of the past three days still prevail, and communication by rail and road with the city is almost impossible. The trains which have reached the city today have all been several hours late. Conductor Hagerman's train from Fredericton

pected before 12.30. WHITE'S COVE, Queens Co., Feb 4.—A very pretty wedding took place at the residence of William B. Barnes, McDonald's Point, on the evening of the 29th ult., when his daughter Anna was united in marriage to Leslie E. Wright of this place. The marriage ceremony was performed by the Rev.

Junction, due here at 7 p. m., is not ex-



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K. Ganong, in the presence of a large number of friends. The bride was handsomely attired in white muslin, trimmed in satin and lace, and carried a wreath of orange blossoms. After the ceremony, about seventy-five invited guests sat down to a sumptuous repast. A rousing charivari was given during the evening in honor of the young couple. The presents to the bride were as follows: Mr. and Mrs. William B. Barnes, five dollars in gold; Mrs. David McDonald and Minnie Barnes, two dollars in cash: Wilhelmina, Della and David Barnes, rocking chair; Fred Smith, one dollar in cash; Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Dobson of Jolicure, silver butter dish; Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Wetmore of Amherst, N. S., china berry set and gold lined spoon; Matilda Olts, glass water pitcher; Miss Cora Smith, hot water pitcher; Arthur and Julia McDonald, blue glass set; Archie Carpenter, lemonade set: Elton and Minota McDonald, pair of vases; Miss Nettie Akerley, fruit set; Ernest Wright, pickle dish; Edward Chambers, ple stand; Mrs. Edward Chambers, cake plate; R. W. Wright, card receiver; Mrs. R. W. Wright, berry dish; Miss Alice Mc-Kiel, green glass set; Reud and Georgia Gaunce, glass set: Percy Day. cup and saucer; Nellie Lewis, preserve dish; Elliot Coleman, pair of Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Hicks of Dorchester, silver napkin ring and d'ovlies: Richmond Coleman, glass set; Wiley Ellison, glass set; Mr. and Mrs. C. W. White, White's Cove, gilt glass set; Ira D. Ferris of White's Cove, set of glass tumblers; Miss Mamie Jones, fruit dish; Miss Bessie Day, fruit dish; Willie Day, cup and saucer: Sadie McDonald, salt and pepper shaker; Mrs. J. F. Wright, glass cake plate; beautiful Mrs. W. A. Ferris of White's Cove, floral tibutes on the casket. Inter- pair of towels: Mr. and Mrs. Fred Bishop of New Glasgow, silver sugar shell: Hugh Cameron, ir., cash: Mrs. E. J. Wright, table cover.

Thomas Kelly, who has been laid up during the last few weeks with erysipelas in his hand, is somewhat better.

Capt. George Brannen of the May Queen, accompanied by Thomas Black of St. John, north end, passed through here on Wednesday. The captain's many friends here were pleased to see him looking so hale and hearty.

WHITE'S COVE, Queens Co., Feb. 6.—The weather of late has seriously interfered with lumbering operations. McLaughlin Bros. of Mill Cove are cutting cordwood on their farm at Den Settlement, hauling to Mill Cove. John McAfee and John Mullin are hauling hay to Chipman for the King Lumber Co., and A. L. Gunter is hauling to the same place for different par-

ties. Lee Knight is hauling hay to Newcastle for Dr. G. B. Crawford. Leslie E. Wright and bride, who arrived home on the 29th ult., were given a rousing reception, followed by

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WOODSTOCK, Feb. 8 .- At their convention yesterday the liberals nominated unanimously Stephen B. Appleby, K. C., as their candidate for vacant seat in the legislature for this county. The conservatives also had a convention, and in view of the short term which a member would serve, decided not to contest the seat. It is well known to liberals as well as to conservatives here that there would have been no difficulty in se curing a candidate had it been deemed advisable. Both parties desired to avoid a contest, and Mr. Appleby is far from objectionable to many conservatives. If Mr. White does not continue in the fied, Mr. Appleby will robably be elected by acclamation.

A young boy named Willie West, rhose father works in Dickinson's larrigan factory, had a narrow escape from a violent death this morning. He was in a team owned by H. N. Payson, which ran away and dashed furiously down Main street to the Meduxnakik bridge. The sled struck on the end of the bridge and slewed, throwing young West heavily on the edge of the sidewalk. He was just bout to slip through and would have fallen to the ice beneath had not passing woman caught him, thereby saving his life.

SALISBURY, N. B., Feb. 7.-A man was heard to remark here the other day "that it appeared to him that liberal rule and soup kitchens were synonymous terms." He may be right! The Salisbury and Harvey railway people have been experiencing a snow blockade this week on their road The regular train which left Albert on Monday morning did not reach this station until near midnight on Wednesday. Teams were sent out from here on Wednesday evening and the passengers were brought in from the train at the Coverdale crossing. Quite

others have been at the hotels here for some days waiting for the train. The Free Baptist parsonage of this place was the scene of a very pleasant time on Wednesday evening, when the pastor, Rev. Abram Perry, and his wife were waited upon by a large number of their friends. The nature of the gathering was what might be termed a pound party. The visitors had a very pleasant time, and the genial host and hostess were the recipients of many valuable additions to their purse and larder.

Rev. G. W. Fisher of the .Central Methodist church, Moncton, lectured in the public hall here on Wednesday evening, under the auspices of the Salisbury Methodist church. At the close of the lecture the ladies held a basket social. Owing to the stormy night the attendance was not as large as it otherwise would have been.

FREDERICTON JUNCTION, Sunoury Co., Feb. 6.-On Jan. 20th there died at Tracy station after a long and painful illness Jessie Steen, daughter of John Steen. Miss Steen was taken ill last winter with pneumonia while attending Normal school. After a partial recovery she returned to school, went up for examination and successfully passed for second class. On her return home all that medical skill and affection could do was done for her, but she gradually sank until the end

Sergt. Major Cox, one of Sunbury's distinguished sons who served in the Natal campaign, lectured to a delighted audience in the Agricultural Hall on Tuesday night. During intermission in the lecture the ladies of the Church of England served hot coffee and cake. At the close Major Cox was tendered a vote of thanks, three cheers and a tiger. The national anthem was then sung and the meeting dismissed.

RICHIBUCTO, N. B., Feb. 8.-The first election by acclamation in the history of Kent county took place today, when Coun. Richard Poirier of Cocagne was declared elected, in the presence of a dozen electors, to fill the vacancy in the local legislature caused by the death of the late Peter H. Leger.

The Kent Northern train reached the station this afternoon. The road will be cleared when the weather changes from its present stormy con-

ST. STEPHEN, Feb. 8.-Word has been received here of the death at Eureka of John A. Thompson, which occurred last month. Mr. Thompson was employed for many years in Fred Waterson's drug store, but went west some years ago. He served in the United States army in the Philippines and returned to Eureka in poor health. He was about thirty years of age.

ST. MARTINS.

The Mission Band of the Baptist church, under the capable leadership of Mrs. S. H. Cornwall and Miss Jennie Davies, held a concert at Fairfield on the evening of the 5th inst. The party left St. Martins at 3 p. m., arriving at Fairfield in time for a sumptuous supper, which they carried in their baskets, thus making a pleasant drive and picnic, although the snow lies deep on the ground, and the "hay rick" had to be on runners instead of wheels. The concert took place in Fairfield Temperance hall at 7.30. President Miss Kathleen Gillmor called the meeting to order, when spon; Mrs. A. N. Fowler, gold lined the following programme was well carried out: Opening chorus, Merrily Sing; recitation, Hannah Sweet; song Calendar, Annie Cogsley and Grace Fownes: recitation, Jennie Gough; Chorus, Let Us All Be Merry; recitation, Grace Vaughan; song, Marion Cornwall and Jessie Bradshaw: recitation, Alice Wishart; song, Shall I Show You, etc., three boys; recitation Marion Mack: dumb-bell drill: chorus. The Farmer Boy; recitation, Mabel Calhoun; song, Under the Sun, Kathleen Gillmor and Grace Fownes; reading. Elsie Wishart; chorus, The Old Clock, band; recitation, Annie Delong; song, Little Pebble, Joyce and Nora Wishart; reading, Bessie Osborne; song, Drifting With the Tide, Louise Kane and Maud Wood; recitation, Tilly Brittain; losing chorus, Good Night .

The proceeds are to go towards furfor the Baptist church. The party arrived home safely at 11

o'clock. The monthly meeting of St. Marting Agricultural Society took place on Monday evening. James Rourke, the delegate who attended the Farmers' and Dairymen's Association at Fredericton, gave an interesting report of the work. The society is in healthy condition.

La grippe is very prevalent, and in some cases whole families are sick. Mrs. Andrew Skillen is very ill, and the doctors hold out little hope for her recovery.

GAME POACHERS CAUGHT.

(Chatham World.)

A man named Petre, from the vicinity of Beaver Brook station, was before Police Magistrate Connors, a month ago, for killing caribou illegally, and was fined \$50, which he did not pay. On Thursday last John and Victor Fournier, men who work on the railway near Beaver Brook station, were before the magistrate for assisting Petre to get the carcass out of the woods. Mr. Butler offered a plea of guilty on their behalf, but the magistrate refused to accept a ples of guilty by counsel, and required the men to attend and plead in person. They said Petre begged them to help him get the meat out of the woods as his family was starving, and they didn't know it was illegal to do so They were fined \$50 each, and depart ed without paying. Game Warden Robinson, who was the complainant in each case, will ask the governmen to allow the fines to stand. Mr. Rob inson sold three-quarters of the confiscated caribou at auction in Chatham, the meat selling at seven cents

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FIRE IN BOSTON.

and although in very indifferent health Exciting Scenes in a Crowded Tenement District-Two Persons Killed.

> EOSTON, Feb. 10 .- A bad fire early this morning in the crowded tenement district on Harrison avenue caused the death of two persons and the serious injury of five more, who with others lumped from the windows. One of the victims, Mrs Frances Riley, died of suffocation, while the other, a little five year old girl, Nora Hart, jumped from the second story, with several others, and died from burns and internal injuries.
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> A shoe dealer on the first floor named Harris Lovin together with his wife were arrested this afternoon on suspicion of setting the fire

the fire.

The Levin family disappeared almost immediately after the flames were discovered, but they were apprehended.

The fire was attended by more thrilling scenes than have been witnessed in Boston for a long time. Men and women jumped from the burning buildings, and firemen and policemen rescued others from smoke-filled corridors and hallways.

The building was occupied by 17 persons, and it is a miracle that more were not injured or killed.

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The fire started on the first floor and was discovered by the watchman in a building of posite, who gave the alarm, but the building was enveloped in flames almost immediately afterward. When he reached the sidewalk the Levin family had just came from the building in their night clothes.

The second story was occupied by Daniel Hart, his wife, her sister and Hart's four children. Hart jumped from the second story windows seeing that exit by the stairway seemed impossible. Following him came his wife, her sister and all of the children being forced to jump. One of the children being forced to jump. One of the children heing forced to jump. One of the children being forced to jump. One of the children heing forced to jump. One of the children being forced to jump and died. Mrs. Hart, who is in a delicate condition, was badly hurt by the fall. She declined to go to a hospital, however.

The third story was occupied by two brothers, Daniel and Thomas Brennan. The latter, in a frantic endeavor to escape, worked his way out of a back window and was hanging to a sill and about to fall when he was rescued by firemen. Daniel wint to the top of the house, climbed through the attic and went through the skylight. From there he jumped three steries to a shed and suffered serious injuries in his lower limbs and may be injured internally.

The fourth story was occupied by Mrs. Frances Riley and Mrs. Barry, Mrs. Riley was overcome by the smoke and was suffocated. Her body was discovered after the flames had been subdued. Mrs. Barry jumped from the fourth floor and is in a precarious condition.

From the rapidity with which the flames spreadt hrough the building a suspicion of incediarism was aroused, and Levin and his wife were taken into custody. Mrs. Levin says she and her husband locked the store door at 11.30, put out the gas and went to bed, and that she knew nothing more till she was awakened by the fire and was forced to run for life. Levin's 13 year old daughte

was awakened by the fire and was forced to run for life. Levin's 13 year old daughter is said to have told the pance, however, that her father did not come in to go to bed unu claims entire ignorance of the manner which the fire started. ome time after his wife.

HE VISITED ST. JOHN And Now Has a Pork Packing Factory

in Ontario. The Stouffville, Ont., pork factory commenced operations Feb. 4. Precisely at 4 p. m. the squealing of the first pig announced to the onlookers that bacon was being manufactured for the British market in the new factory. Mr. Pakenham, the head of the firm, showed his wonderful skill in dressing the first hog himself.

The large building formerly occupied by the vinegar works has been remodelled and equipped with the latest and best machinery obtainable, making it one of the most modern establishments in Canada. The business men of the town and the farmers of the surrounding district, who have always taken a lively interest in the factory were present, and congratulated Mr. Pakenham on the auspicious opening of the new industry.

COLUMBIA REVOLT.

KINGSTON, Ja., Feb. 10.—Advices receive today by the British steamer Trent, Cap tain Farmer, from Colon, show that there is a continuance of insurgent activity in man quarters. Last week there was severe fight ing between the government troops and the revels near Panama, and the latter wer then pressing toward Panama and Colon spite of the government reinforcements. According to that same authority there is a serious deadlock in Colombian trade, an business interests are sustaining considerables while the people are "disgusted". business interests are sustaining considerable losses, while the people are "disgusted at the inability of the government to end the rebellion. The government, meanwhile, is "selzing property and doing everything to raise the money in order to prevent a collapse."
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The same having been levied on and seized by me, the undersigned Sheriff, under and by virtue of an execution issued out of the by virtue of an execution issued out of the Supreme Court at the suit of Frank B. Leonard and Charles W. Leonard against the said John E. Fitzgerald.

Dated at the City of Saint John, this 29th day of December, A. D. 1900. H. LAWRANCE STURDER, Sheriff of the City and County of Saint John. 1446

Information Wanted.

Wanted to know the whereabouts of the lescendants of Matthew, John or Mary Jane Brown, who left Ballinaloob, County Autrim Ireland, about the year 1835. Supposed to have settled in St. John or St. Andrews, New Brunswick.

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health In heart and soul and mind, nor ever seemed of doing, to contribute to her peoples joy and peace:
Yet she is dead: Oh, Death, thy triumphs never cease.

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The lovliest memory that is cherished now,
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Uplifting men and Empire as the shades
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Dear Life-dear Queen-Ye two with us are The speeding years will echo this, echo till devoted to impressing other boys of time is done.

Our children's children mark Viotoria's happy reign And Britain's work is all the more made plain; For Noblest Woman thou still livest in Life of life Example of proud motherhood, of wife to tors, and so firm set was the belief in Still all the while bearing the nation's standard thro' the strife.

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One of the greatest wasters and destroyers is alcohol. Strong drink produces an abundance of fdleness. slackness, of fear, of mistrust, and of personal disregard for Jesus Christ. Buried money could not produce more need, more poverty, more hunger, more suffering than money worse than wasted in strong drink and in idle company. The surliness and churlishness and grumbling spirit of the one servant form the dark shadow which throws into relief the joyful, patient fidelity of the other servants, and the destiny of such a dark spirit is to pass into the outer gloom, where all sorrow, sighing and weeping shall find

Non-productiveness was the great wrong of the unfaithful servant. There is no element in our modern life that has so little to show for the money spent within its limits as the licensed liquor traffic. A whole evening spent by young men in treating and car-ousing, produces nothing of value. Many fortunes and many farms and many businesses have been wasted in drink. Health has been shattered by strong drink and happiness lost. Our ehildren should have these truths impressed upon them in our homes, in our Sunday schools, and in all our When the pupil learns concerning his brain or his heart, he should not only learn the structure and use, but also the hygiene, the conditions of health for these organs and all others. When the scholars learn concerning health, wealth, influence, home and character, they should learn that abstinence from strong drink preserves and promotes everything that is valuable. "Temperance education is a remedy peace-ful, philosophical, radical, far-reaching. It trenches on no man's rights. appeals only to the power of truth. It is the echo of God's primordial decree, 'Let there be light.'"

THOUGHTS ON THE GOLDEN TEXT.

(S. H. Graham, Editor Templar Advocate.)

We do not always take account of the fact that God will hold each one of us to account for his political acts. We almost universally agree that the sale and drinking of liquor is an evil. Many people, however, have taught thomselves to believe that the drinking usage is a necessary evil, although God's laws do not for a moment telerate such an idea as a ne-cessary evil. There is probably not a more fallacious idea in the human mind than that a necessary evil is a possible moral proposition.

However, having adopted the idea that liquor drinking is a necessary thing, we accept it as a solved prob-lem morally, and adopt every means possible of making money out of it. We become its partners—every one of us-and collect large revenues from it, dominion, provincial and munici-

It comes to us in the nature of blood money, and we use it to pay public expense. About \$20,000 a year of the governor-general's salary and household expenses is drawn from our part nership with drink. Over \$1,500 of the premier's salary comes from the same source. We allow this evil to pay our personal dues to the public trea oury, and we shall have to account

There was an actual increase of convictions for drunkenness in Can-ada during 1900. The figures for all the provinces are not yet printed, but those of Ontario show an increase of 20 per cent. There was also an increase in the consumption of liquors, and consequently in revenue. though we sent several hundreds extra to prison cells, we drew an in-oreased dividend from our partnership with the great evil. Whenever our trade in liquor flourishes it means full We cannot expect to profit from vice without assuming personal responsibility to God. We must not be like the Indian who had escaped conviction for stealing a shirt. The judge in dismissing him said that there could be little doubt of his guilt,

but that the evidence was weak. Howver, he would have to answer for the theft before the bar of God. It was only put off for a time. "Well," said the Indian, "I will take another

Besides the great losses Canada suffered last year through the ravages one hundred million cigarettes and fifty-five million cigars. The total cost of cigarettes was \$1,756,000; cigars, \$3,100,000; tobacco (chewing and smoking), \$3,150,000. These degrading habits carry with them personal re-

shirt on the same conditions."

Young Pearson, who was recently hanged at Hamilton, and Morrison. who was the other day hanged at Regina, each wrote startling confession showing how they drifted on into crime, through cigarettes and drink, never thinking they would be called to account. Their last words were

upon them. People used to drink intoxicants on the advice and responsibility of docthe efficacy of alcoholic liquors to cure all ills, that many teetotalers and earnest Christians of today would be afraid to have their houses without a bottle of liquor to use in emergen-

All physicians of any note of today have cleared themselves of their responsibility by declaring that its use can only tend to evil effects, whether taken as a beverage or medicine. The responsibility for the use of drink now falls on the individual, and each will have to account for his own sins.

THE PARABLE APPLIED TO THE TEMPERANCE MOVEMENT.

(Rev. W. A. McFray, D. D., Pres. Ont. Prov. Alliance, Woodstock.) The man travelling into a far country represents our Lord going into heaven: the servants represent Christ's professing people, and the talents com-

mitted to the servants are our various opportunities for doing good. Our money, our time, our health, our strength, our position in society, our advantages as possessors of the Bible, are just so many "talents" given up by God, which we are to use for good, and for the right use of which he will yet "reckon" with us. In short, our opportunities are our talents. With this solemn sense of our per-

sonal responsibility to God, we seek to apply the parable to the great temperance reform of our day. And, alas, this is by no means a narrow application. Our subjects are everywhere. We see them in the young Arabs prowling about our streets at night, and, all uncared for, fast preparing for our jails and penitentiaries. We have them in the young men who visit our bar-rooms, where they see only impurity and filth, hear only what is profane, and come under an influence that rapidly sinks them into physical, moral and spiritual degredation. What a subject for the exercise of our "talents" we have in that poor besotted drunkard in his cheerless home; or in the drunkard's pale, care-worn, heartbroken wife, or in the drunkard's neglected and sickly child. And a no injunction of this parable is when we use all our talents in seeking to reand village in our land.

inion. Their souls are in a sad condithey are wretched themselves, and a source of wretchedness to many others. But how can we reclaim them? There is one sure remedy-abstinence, total abstinence. Hence if we would reclaim the drunkard, we must, with God's help, persuade him never to touch strong drink. But to do this we must abstain ourselves, thus identifying ourselves with him, not in his sin, but in his method of recovery. Thus abstinence becomes not a mark of weakness, but the spirit of Him who, "though he was rich, yet for our

sakes became poor." 2.-Again, if we would use our Godgiven opportunities aright we must fight the liquor traffic as a foe to whom no quarter can be given. And here cur great difficulty is that the law of the land comes in, and gives its sanc-tion and protection to the dealers in strong drink. In that wonderful book, Pilgrim's Progress, there is a scene in the house of Interpreter. Christian is shown a fire which continues to burn brightly in spite of the efforts of an individual to extinguish it by constantly pouring water into it; and when Christian cannot understand this apparent anomaly, he is taken to the other side of the wall, where he sees another man perpetually supplying it with oil. That scene, I know, has a sacred significance in the Christian's experi-ence, but, alas, it has a terrible fulfilment in the license liquor traffic of to-

Christian ministers and magistrates, and temperance reformers, male and female, are all seeking to throw water on the devouring fire of intemperance, which is constantly burning in our any former year in the history of the province. Why? Because when we look on the other side we discover our! lawmakers licensing bar-rooms, liquor stores and other drinking places, and thus pouring in oil to perpetuate the flame. But our lawmakers are chosen by the people, and so we, the people, are pulling down with the one hand what we are seeking to build up with the other. This is not a right use of our talents. We must not "frame mis-chief by a law." The tree that brings forth evil fruit is not to be trimmed and protected, but to be "cut down and cast into the fire." The franchise, or the power to choose our own lawmakers, is a "talent" entrusted to us by God, and for the right use of which he will "reckon" with us.

May the Holy Spirit be poured out on us until Christian people, young and old, realize their duty, first to abevil; and then to cease putting stumbling blocks in the way of others. We are the "servants" of Him who came

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STEAMER FOREST OUEEN

On Which Prince of Wales Sailed to Fredericton.

Some Interesting Information About Early Steamboating on the St. John River and the Days When Sloops Were the Only Means of Communication Between the Commercial Metropolis and the Provin-

The steamer Forest Queen, in which the present King of England when Prince of Wales made the trip to and from Fredericton in 1860, was built by Frederick W. Hatheway at Spring Hill, five miles above Fredericton, in 1848, to ply on the river between St. John and Fredericton. She was a vessel of about 320 tons. Otis Small bought a half interest in the steamer in 1850. The firm of Hatheway & Small was dissolved by the death of F. W. Hatheway in 1866, and a few months later Mr. Small formed partnership with Captain Charles H. Hatheway, brother of the deceased who had been master of the Forest Queen from 1849 till 1860, having a third interest in her from 1854. The Forest Queen was fully refitted and greatly improved for the accommodation of the Prince of Wales and suite

boat on the St. John river. Previous to that time communication was carried on by means of sloops. In 1808 and thereabouts there were three sloops running regularly on the river between St. John and Frederictonthe Industry, Maria and Jane, commanded respectively by Captains Se-gee, Pine and James—besides large scows, similar to the later day towboats, which were used to convey troops from Fredericton to St. John and vice versa. These were rowed by about 20 men, ten oars on each side carried 80 soldiers with their baggage, and were generally known as carried on the regular passenger and freight service. During the war of 1812 a large number of American prizes were brought into the harbon of St. John, and as the sloops running on the river were growing old and rather rickety, several parties purchased prizes, which were sold at auction, to replace them. Among these were the Minerva, purchased by Capt. Segee; the Shelburn, by Capt. Benjamin Creighton, and the Harriet, less laudable way of carrying out the purchased by Capt. James Akerley. The Coxes on Grand Lake bought the Alligator, and the Youmans of the move as far as possible the tempta- same place bought the President, both tions to intemperance now planted and for service on those waters. General protected by law in every city, town Coffin, who lived at the foot of Long Reach, purchased two of the prize schooners, and one of these when 1.-Let us then seek to improve our talents, few or many, by reclaiming loaded with green wood sank in the drunkard. It is reckoned there are Grand Bay. Over 40 years later her at least 5,000 drunkards in this dom-, masts and rigging were brought to the surface of the water by a raft tion, for "no drunkard shall inherit that was swinging in Grand Bay. The the Kingdom of God." In this life other schooner purchased by Gen. Coffin was sold by him to James Drake, who owned a fishing establishment at Grand Manan, for trading purposes. She was known as the Martin, and ran on the Bay of Fundy waters until about 1830, a life of fully

The first steamboat to run to Fredericton was the General Smith, which was built at the head of Long wharf, Portland, by a company, at the head of which was Hon. Hugh Johnston, Major Ward and other prominent St. John people, which pos sessed a ten years charter. The General Smith was about the size of the present May Queen, but had no houses on deck, all the cabins being below the main deck. She was a sidewheeler and was com nanded by Capt. Segee. The steamer St. George, built by the same company, followed the General Smith, and was also commanded by Capt. Segee. These boats only ran one trip per week between St. John and Fredericton, and pasway. They left Fredericton every Monday at 7 a. m. and St. John every Friday at the same hour, and usually made the run in fifteen hours. The St. George ran alone till about 1836, when the steamer Fredericton, built at Portland, St. John, and commanded by Capt. Robert Wiley, came on the route. The late Capt. David Currier of Fredericton succeeded Capt. Wiley in command in 1839, and ran her a couple of years. In the same year the John Ward and New Brunswick were launched, Capt. Wiley taking the latter, and Capt. Chestnut, land, but all seem to be in vain. More father of Henry Chestnut, merchant licenses, more violations of law, and of Fredericton, taking the former. more money invested last year than in Thus there were four boats on the

route in 1839. The Fredericton was the first boat on the river that was fitted with berths for night service, and was run as a night boat by Capt. Currier. The others were day boats only. Shortly after this the Meteor came on as an opposition night boat. In an exciting right race off Long Island the Meteor and Fredericton collided, with the rehind some flour barrels on the Meteor's deck was crushed to death. At this time there were no regulations as to which side one boat should pass another, but this catastrophe brought matters to a crisis, and the respective owners of the Fredericton and Meteor made a regulation which, the following winter, with others relating to th river service, was embodied in an act of the legislature.

In this same year, 1840, another ac stain from the very appearance of cident took place, which was thus described by Capt. Currier of the Fred-

"His Excellency Pollett Thompson

governor general of British North America, arrived in St. John and expressed his desire of going up river to Fredericton. There was great rivalry among the various boats as to whom should fall the honor of carrying his excellency and staff, and the duty fell to the New Brunswick, which happened to be leaving St. John on the morning required. Only the governor general and suite were allowed to embark on the New Brunswick, much to the chagrin of the government officials who had come down in state from Fredericton to escort the governor to their city. I followed in the Fredericton the same night and they embarked with me. I had in all probably 140 passengers that night. On our way up we met the steamor John Ward. It was quite dark, and she, taking the wrong side of the river, ran afoul of us near Musquash island. The shock ers' Association. of the collision was such that many of on examination we found that the Fredericton had escaped almost uninjured. We both grounded after the collision, and the John Ward was the first to back off. We followed shortly and continued our way to Frederic ton, but for about two miles could see the lights of the John Ward apparently stationary. We did not learn the cause till the next morning at our wharf at Fredericton, when hanging to our prow we discovered a rotten plank from the Ward's side.'

Soon after 1840 the first high press ure boats, the Novelty and Water witch, were put on the route by James Whitney of St. John. The Novelty was the first steamboat to sail above Fredericton. She once made an attempt to reach Grand Falls, but running aground at Hartland was compelled to return. The service above Fredericton was then taken up by the Reindeer, built at Nashwaaksis for Thomas Pickard by Benjamin F. Tibbitts. Capt. Currier used to make the run with the Reindeer from Fredericton to Woodstock on four cords of wood, whereas it takes fully double that quantity of fuel for the steamers of the present century. About 1850 two American built boats, the James D. Pierce and the Ben Beveridge, wer put on the river by Messrs. J. & S. Glasier. The Beveridge exploded her boiler one June morning, was torn to pieces and three of her passengers killed. The accident took place at Government House point, above Fredericton, while the Beveridge and Reindeer were racing. The engineer of the ill-fated steamer fled to the United States to avoid arrest

Talking to a Sun reporter a few

years ago, the late Senator Glasier The first steamboat, the Smith, came up the river in 1816, the year the American war closed. The General Ward came on the river about 1821 and the St. George about 1825. While the Gen. Ward was running, Wilmot & Peters put on a boat operated by horse-power like a bark mill. Col. Hayward, the engineer, sa on a box cracking a long whip and driving the horses, eight of which were used in shifts, four on and four off, the horses being attached to long bar radiating from the driver's box. The boat proved a failure, and after being used the next winter as a bar-room and boarding house at and converted into a woodboat.

Most people will agree with Senator Glasier's statement that the Rothe say was the best boat ever put on the

Of the famous steamer Reindeer, the Senator said: "I knew that boat well. Her engines were built by B. F. Tibbitts, and she was the first steamer with combined high and low pressure engines in this part of the country. Mr. Tibbitts had previously fitted out a steamer in the same style in Upper Canada, and Charles Eagles went on, bought the vessel and brought her down here as a tug boat. Mr. Tibbitts was born at Grand Lake, and at his death his remains were interred there. The vessel which Mr. Eagles bought took fire in the wheelhouse one day while towing a raft on Grand Lake and grounded and burned to the water's edge, depositing her bones within sight of the very spot her gifted engineer was sleeping his last sleep. The condensing principle, which Mr. Tibbitts first applied to engines, is now followed by the world's great makers. Like many of the greatest of inventors, Mr. Tibbitts profited little or nothing from

the fruits of his genius." STORMS AND ACCIDENTS. Montreal and Portland Trains De-

layed by Breakdown of Engines. The heavy snow storms prevailing throughout the west have demoralized the railroad traffic from that direction No freights were run yesterday, and with great difficulty, all the trains from that direction being many hours late. The eastern division also has troubles of its own, and two snow plows were kept on the road between

here and McAdam all day yesterday. The delays caused by the storm were greatly increased in two instances by accidents. The C. P. R. from Montreal was announced last evening as eleven hours late, about seven hours of which were occupied in digging the When she was clear of the worst district and had reached Tracy station, near Fredericton Junction, the engine blew out a cylinder head, which occasioned a further delay. The train was expected to arrive in the city about o'clock this morning, about sixteen

hours late. The Portland express was announced as thirty-five minutes late, but an accident about a mile outside of Fairville, in which the engine broke its light driving rod and was thrown off the track, delayed this train also. An engine was sent out from Fairville to bring the crippled train, and arrived in St. John between three and four this morning.

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VIENNA, Feb. 10.—The condition of former King Milan of Servia, who has been seriously ill for some time, has taken a turn for the worse. Both his lungs are congested, the heart is very weak and his malady has ertered an extremely oritical stage. VIENNA, Feb. 10 .- The condition of form-

Arrived. 7-Str St Croix, Pike, for Boston, W twise-Sch John T Cullinan, Cameron

for Alma.

Feb 10—Str Aberdeen, 1887, Anderson, from
New York, Wn Thomson, and Co, coal.

Tug Springhill, Cook, from Parrsboro,
with a barge.
ST. JOHN, Feb. 8.—Arrived at Partridge,
Island, str Amarynthia, Abernethy, from
Glasgow, S Schofield and Co, general cargo,
Feb 11—Str Manchester Trader, 2,126, Heath,
from Manchester via Halifax, Furness, Withy,
and Co, general. from Manchester via and Co, general. Str Loyalist, 2,525, Heeley, from Glasgow, Furness, Withy and Co, bal. Str Dagama, 2,245, Cole, from Bristol via Halifax, Troop and Son, gen. Cleared.

At Yarmouth, Feb 4, bark Lakeside, Fancy, rom New York; sch Wellman Hall, Knowing, from do.

At Louisburg, Feb 7, ss Cunaxa, Lockhart, com Genoa from Genoa.
Feb. 8.—Str Lake Champlain, Stewart for Liverpool via Halifax.
Str Norden, Isdahl, for Las Palmas via Str Manchester Important via Hallfax.

NB, for Buenos Ayler,

BROW HEAD, Feb, 5.—Passed, str Lake

Island f o.

Sch Westfield, Dallan, for Al
Ontario, from St John and Hallfax for Liver-Coastwise—Sch Westfield, Dallan, for Alma; barge No. 1, Wadman, for Parrsboro.
Feb 11—Sch C R Flint, Maxwell, for City Island f o.

DOMESTIC PORTS.

from Bordeaux for Delawar, but coal).

HALIFAX, Feb. 8—Ard, strs Degama, from Barry via Queenstown for St. John; Silvis, from St. Johns, NF; seh Ralph F Hodgson, from Burin, NF, for Gloucester, Mass, for shelter (and cleared).

HALIFAX, Feb. 6.—Ard, stmr Ontarian, from Glasgow and Liverpool via St Johns, NF, and cleared for Philadelphia.

HALIFAX, Feb T—Ard, Schis Daisy, from Boston; Victoria, from New York.

Sailed. Louisburg, Feb 8, str Cunaxa, Lock-or St John. hart, for St John.

From Halifax, 6th inst, strs Storm King,
for St John's, NF; Pro Patria, for St Pierre,
Miq; Contre Amiral Caubet (cable), for sea;
str Corean, for Philadelphia.

From Halifax, 7th inst, str Ontarian, for hiladelphia.

From Halifax, 6th inst, strs Halifax, for loston; Corean, for Philadelphia.

BRITISH PORTS. Arrived.

At Turks Island, Jan 20, sch New Era, ohnes, from Antigua (and sailed 22nd for unenburg); 28th, str Beta, Hopkins, from Islifax via Bermuda (and sailed for Jamica); 30th, 2ch Gypsum King, Harvey, from ort de France (to sail about Feb 5 for New ork).

At London, Feb 5, str Zanzibar, Robinson, At Cape Town, Feb. 4, bqtn Florence B.
Edgett, Kay, from Boston.
At Antigua, Feb 7, sch Belle Wooster,
Somerville, from Baltimore (for Port de
Paix, to load for N of Hatteras).
At Savana-La-Mar, Ja, Feb 6, bark N B
Morris, Suttis, from Rio Janeiro (to load for orris, Sutus, 1704 story Sarmatian, GLASGOW, Feb. 4.—Ard, story Sarmatian, Take from Boston.

QUEENSTOWN, Feb. 5.—Ard, str Lake
Ontario, from St John, NB, and Halifax for
Liverpool, and proceeded.

LIVERPOOL, Feb. 6.—Ard, strs Lake Ontario, from St John, NB, and Halifax.

GRENADA, Feb 8—Ard, sch Wanola, from
Wilmington.

From Turks Island, Jan 21, son Chara, Ernst, for Mahone Bay.
From Cardiff, Feb 5, ship Cedarbank, Robbins, for New York.
From Kingston, Jan 28, sch Mildred, Håim.
for Lunenburg via Turks Island; 27th, sch Demozelle, Corbett, for Pascagoula.
From Bermuda, Feb 3, str Erna, Bruhan (from Demerara, etc), for St John, NB.
LIVERPOOL, Feb. 7.—Sld, str Tunisian, for Portland. for Portland.

LIVERPOOL, Feb. 6.— Sid, stmr Damara, for Halifax via St Johns, N F.

QUEENSTOWN, Feb. 6.—Sid, str Lake Superior (from Liverpool), for Halifax and St John, N B.

FOREIGN PORTS. Arrived.

At Colon, Jan 28, sch Potomac, Page, from San Blas Coast.

At Point-a-Pitre, Mart, Feb 2, sch Gypsum Queen, McKenzie, from New York.

At Rio Grande do Sul, Jan 6, sch Leonard Parker, Christiansen, from New Kork.

At Fernandina, Feb 5, sch Syanara, Verner, from Porto Cabello.

At Jacksonville, Feb 5, sch John S Parker, Ernest, from Laguayra.

At Pensacola, Fla, Feb 5, bark Albatross, Chambers, from Bahia via Barbados.

At Tocopille, Feb 7, bark Low Wood, Utley, from New Whitcom.

At Santiago, Feb 4, sch Sirocco, Holder, from Savannah.

At New York, Feb 8, strs Trave, from Brefrom Savannah.
At New York, Feb 8, strs Trave, from Bremen; Normadic, from Liverpool; Germanic,

men; Normadic, from Liverpool; Germanic, from Liverpool.
At Darien, Ga., Feb. 5, bark Valona, Thompson, from Liverpool.
At Rio Janeiro, Feb 3, bark Auriga, Johns, from Pensacola.
At Havana, Feb 4, sch M D S, Gould, from Kingsport, NS. At Havana, Feb 4, Sch M D S, Gould, Roman Kingsport, NS.

PORTLAND, Me., Feb. 5.—Ard, schs General Scott, from Calais for New London; Loduskia, from do for Boston.

BOOTHBAY, Me., Feb. 5.—Ard, schs Emma D Endicott, from St John; Thistle, from do; Alaska, from do; Valdare, from Parrsboro, N S; Lizzie, from Yarmouth, NS; Ayr, from Halifax; Roger Drury, from St John (reports encountered heavy weather and lost two fibs and tore sails; will repair and proceed).

HAVANA, Feb. 4.—Ard, str Origen, from Halifax.

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DUTCH ISLAND HARBOR, R. I., Feb. 6.

Ard, schs Jennie C, from St John for Bridgeport; Seth M Todd, and Sarah Eaton, from Calais for New York.

PORTLAND, Me. Feb. 6.—Ard, sch Griquland, from Parrsboro, NS, for New OYrk.

NEW YORK, Feb T.—Ard, sch A P Emerson, from Port Reading for Dover, NH.

BOSTON, Feb 7.—Ard, sire Saxon King, from Rotterdam and Antwerp; Symra, from Louisburg, CB; Boston, and Prince Arthur, from Yarmouth, NS; Halifax, from Halifax, NS.

NS.
NEW LONDON, Conn., Feb. 8.—Sid, sehs
John M Plummer, from Grand Manan, N. B,
for New York; Jessie Hart 2nd, from Calais
for New York.

BOSTON, Feb. 8.—Ard. str St Creix, from
St John, N B, via Eastport and Portland;
sch Loring B Haskell, from Bay of Islands,
N F, via Gloucester sch Loring B Haskell, from Day of N F, via Gloucester
At Nortolk, Feb 10, sir Platea, Purdy, from
Savannah for Bremen—sailed last night.
At Santiago, Jan 24, sch Arthur M Gibson,
Milbury, from Mobile.
At Valparaiso, Jan 26, bark Ochtertyre,
Crosby, from Newcastle, NSW.
At Tocopilia, Fab 7, bark Lew Wood, Utley, from New Whatcom.
Cleared.
Kalverdale.

At New York, Feb 5, bark Kelverdale, Brown, for Adelaids. At Mobile, Feb 7, seh Boniform, Jones, for YORK, Peb. 5.—Cld. str Heim, for NEW Halifax.
At Ship Island, Feb 9, bark Robt 8 Beshard, Andrews, for Montevideo.
At Savannah, Feb 9, bark Veronica, Shaw,
for Buenos Ayres.
At New York, Feb 9, sch Harry, Patterion, for St John.

om New York, Feb 5, brigt Ohio, for From Rio Janeiro, Jan 1, bark Bristol, awrence, for Barbados; sch Severa, Kerr Lawrence, for Barbauos, sch Several
for do.
From Iquique, Feb. 2, bark Neille Troop,
Owen, for United States Atlantic port.
From Norfolk, Feb 5, bark Peerless, Eldridge, for Demersar.
From New York, Feb 6, bark Emma &
Smith, for Masico.
From New York, Feb 7, bark L W Norton,
for Manzanilla; sch A P Emerson, for Ports-From Boston, 7th inst, str Wildcroft, for From Valparaiso, Dec 31, ship Troop, Fritz,

for Tocopilla (and New York or Philadel-

pbia).

From Portland, Me, 8th inst, str Numidian, for Liverpool; str Turret Chief, for Louisburg, C. B.

BOSTON, Feb. 5.—Sld, str Boston, and Prince Arthur for Yarmouth, N.S.

NEW LONDON, Conn., Feb. 5.— Sailed, sch Clifton, from New York for Halifax, NORFOLK, Va., Feb. 6.—Sailed, str Aladdin, for St John, N. B.

SAVANNAH, Feb 7.—Sld, str Platea, for Bremen via Norfolk.

HAMBURG, Feb 5.—Sld, str Sheldrake, for Halifax.

Howard D Spear, from southern port for Bath.

SALEM; Mass, Feb ?—Sld, schs Sam Slick, for St John; Beaver, for do; Ray G, for Parrsboro, NS.

From New London, Conn, Sth inst, strs Norwegian, Moar for Glasgow; Britannic, Nelson, for Louisburg, CB.

From Boston, Sth inst, strah Capei du aano them are the most of them en who are FromNew York, 7th inst, bark Norton, for Manzanillo.

From Portland, Me, Sth inst, sch Prohibition, for Yarmouth, NS; strs Numidian, for Liverpool; Turret Castle, for Louisburg, CB.

BOSTON, Feb 9—Sld, strs Symrs, for Louisburg, CB; Halifax, for Halifax.

Bark Prosterino, Dedero, from St John, NB, for Buenos Ayres, Jan 8, lat 30 S, lon

MEMORANDA. MEMORANDA.

CITY ISLAND, Feb, 3.—Bound south, bark Falmouth, from St John, NB; sehs Ayalon, from St John, NB; Abbit and Eva Hopper, from St John, NB; Clifford I White, and Abbie Keast, from St John, N B.

CITY ISLAND, Feb. 2.—Bound south, sch Nimrod, from St John, N B.

Passed Sydney Light, Feb 4, str A R. Thorp, Hansen, from St Johns for Sydney, Jrd, str Florida, Hensen, from Daiquiri for Sydney.

In port at Bermuda, Jan 25, sch Monitor, Eisenhauer, from Turks Island for Boston, discharging, will go on marine slip for repairs.

were without food they kept the week having disappeared so far as the fact can be determined by soundings in the vicinity.

NEW YORK, Feb. 6.—The inspector of the Third Lighthouse district gives notice that a a red and black horizontally striped spar buoy has been established in 39 feet at mean low water to mark the wreck of a barge sunk in the East River, New York, on the following magnetic bearings: Man o' War. Rock, N½E; end of Creen street pier, S by E½E; SW. end of 28th street pier, WNW ½W. There is 12 feet of water over the wreck.

Notice is also given that the iron can and nun buoys in the beys and harbors of New York, except as stated below, will be taken up for the winter, and spar buoys of the same color and number in each case will be kept in place, unless their removal should be compelled by running ice: Gedney entrance (main channel), G E 2; Southwest Spit, No. 12; innetion buoy.

At each of the following named stations a black steel winter buoy will be placed out the port side of the channel: Entrance to main (Gedney) channel, G, in white; Bay Side range, B 1; Bay Side range, B 3; Chapel Hill range, C 5; West Knowls (north end), No. 7; False Hook (southeast end), No. 11: West Bank (east, end), No. 11.

DEEDER ISLAND. E½E; SW. end of 28th street plet, while wreck.

Notice is also given that the iron can and nun buoys in the bays and harbors of New York, except as stated below, will be taken up for the winter, and spar buoys of the same color and number in each case will be substituted for them. At each of the following named turning points the iron buoys will be kept in place, unless their removal should be compelled by running loe: Gedney entrance (main channel), G E 1; Gedney entrance (main channel), G E 2; Southwest Spit, No. 12; Junction buoy.

At each of the following named stations a black steel winter buoy will be placed on the port side of the channel: Entrance to main (Gedney) channel, G, in white; Bay Side range, B 1; Bay Side range, B 3; Chapel Hill range, C 1; Chapel Hill range, C 3; Chapel Hill range, C 5; West Knowle (north end), No. 7; False Hook (southeast end), No. 1; West Bank (east end), No. 11.

REPORTS.

PRAWLE POINT, Jan. 28.—Passed, ship larvest Queen, Forsyth, from Savannah for

Harvest Queen, Forsyth, from Savannah for London.

ANIER, Dec. 17.—Passed, bark Ancents, Salter, from Manila for Liverpool.

BOSTON, Jan. 31.—Notice is given by the Lighthouse Board that the bell buoy on the broken part of Pollock Rip Slue, Vineyard Scrrd, and Stone Horse Shoal buoy No. 5, which were reported out of position, have been replaced on their stations. The Polleck Rip gas buoy, which has been reported exting ished, bas been relighted.

Half Way Rock buoy, red and black horizontally stripped spar, reported adrift 23rd from its position in Isles of Shoals Harbor, has been replaced.

BERMUDA, Feb. 3.—The American bark Addie Morrill of Boston, Capt. Andrews, which sailed from Buenos Ayres on Nov. 23, bound to Boston, and the American schr. Break of Day, of Rockland, Me., Captain Peterson. from San Domingo for New York, have both arrived here in distress.

CHATHAM, Mass., Feb. 7.—Northwest gale continues tonight.

CHATHAM, Mass., Feb. 2.—The northwest continues tonight.
CHATHAM, Mass., Feb. 8.—The northwest gale moderated slightly at sunset, permitting a large fleet to proceed over the shoals.
VINEYARD HAVEN, Mass, Feb 10—Drift ice in Vineyard Sound and on Nantucket shoals has increased considerable during the past few days.

DEATHS.

BALLOCH—In this city, on the 9th February, Alexis, daughter of the late Alex. Balloch. ruary, Alexis, daughter of the late Alex.
Balloch.

GAMERON—In this city, on Feb. 7th, Mrs.
Elisabeth Cameron, aged 83 years.

HOYT—On Jan. 24th, 1901, at Hayelock,
Kings county, Alzor Hoyt, aged 83 years.

HORNBBOOK.—At Goshen, Queens Co., N.
B. January 13th, Joseph Hornbrook, in the
19th year of his age.

HOLDBR—On February 6th, at Machias,
Me., Robert P., son of the late Howard
and Margaret Holder, in the 27th year of
his age.

LACY—At East Boston, Jan. 28, Roy, aged 9
years and ten months, son of F. LeBaron
and Eveline Lacy, formerly of Oak Point.
LEONARD—Suddenly, in this city, on Feb.

LEONARD.—Suddenly, in this city, on February 5th, of pneumonia, Susia, wife of B.
I. Leonard, and daughter of Mr. Samuel
Stafford of Lepreaux, N. B.—(Boston
papers please copy).

MABEE—At Vadoosta, Ga., on Feb. 3rd, A. C. Mabee, aged 29. C. Mabes, aged 25.

WILLS—In this city, Saturday, Feb. 9th, Robert Wills, sen. in the 65th year of his age, leaving a wife, four sons and two daughters to mourn the loss of a kind and loving father and husband. "Asteep in Jesus, beloved sleep." (Boston and Providence papers please copy).

For Fifty Hours Sailors Starved and Frozs on the Sound,

Another Twelve Hours Would Have Finished Them, But the Whitney Hove in Sight-Four in Hospital- May Lose Their Feet Rescuers Thought Their Ship an Iceberg

(New York Sun.) Capt. John Hallett of the Metropolitan Line steamship James S. Whitney, which arrived yesterday from Boston by way of the Sound, phserved at sunrise yesterday, when his snip was off Guilford, Conn., what he surmised was a two-peaked iceberg. When he got closer to the crystalline apparition he noted that there were men aboard and that they were feebly trying to signal for help. were up to their armpits in an icy pit, which they had hewn with axes for shelter. Capt. Hallett, after a close inspection of the unusual vision through his glasses, decided that she was a dismasted sailing craft of some sort in Arctic disguise.

There was not a vestige of spar or sail visible. Forward there was a mound of glimmering ice, fifteen feet high. Amidships, the waves played across a deck concealed under tons of ice plating, and aft there was a little hill of ice. The Whitney stopped within a hill of ice. The Whitney stopped within a ship's length of the wreck and Chief Officer L. W. Crowell and a boat's crew launched the starboard lifeboat. Capt. Hallett halled the men in the ice pit and found that the two-peaked borg was originally the 89-foot two-masted schooner Clayola, Capt. Albert M. Willis, master, bound from St. John, New Brunswick, for this port with a cargo of teths.

Sydney.

In port at Bermuda, Jan 25, each Moritior, Eisenhauer, from Turks Island for Boston, discharging, will go on marine slip for replants, and the state of the state of

DEER ISLAND.

On Tuesday evening, Feb. 5, an English dinner was given to a select few at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. Arthur Thompson Those prese were as follows: L. Forester Appleby Miss Mabel Chaffey, Henry Hooper Miss Maud Fountain, Rev. R. J. Campbell. The room in which the dinner was served looked very charming being decorated in the national colors. F. Steadman Cummings acted as caterer for the evening, serving six courses. Rev. R. J. Campbell was toast master for the evening, who gave several appropriat toasts, which were heartily resi

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Syrles expec to leave for the Pacific Coast, where Mr. Syries wil become a partner with J. D. Young, formerly of Eastport, in

Gorden McNeil, eldest son of Frenont McNell, expects to leave soon for McGill College, where he will take a course in law. A very interesting race took place on Leonard's lake between Almont now owned by Frank Fountain, and Carlo C., owned by Gilbert Green. The race was very interesting, Almont

winning in 2.45 1-4. ALBERT CO.

There Is Too Much Snow-Meeting of County Lodge L. O. A.

HILLSBORO, Feb. 7.—The snow has the S. and H. R. cars pretty wel hemmed in The train left Alber Monday morning. The last heard of her she was somewhere between Tur-tle Creek and Salisbury. The mails arrived by team from Moncton last

Snow is so deep in the woods the lumbermen are very much troubled about getting out their lumber. Albert county Orangemen held their annual session on Tuesday last. We

ADRIFT ON ICE-CLAD HULK Charles W. Anderson, Treas.; Richard Price, D. of C.; Millage Vrennie, Lect.o; The following resolutions of ondolence were passed in open lodge by a standing vote, and God Save the King was sung by the worthy Bro. Ottls Cannon, an Orangeman upward of 70 years of age:

"The County Lodge L. O. A. of Albert county, N. B., at their annual session lat Harvey, Albert county, with Shepody L. O. L., No. 15, desire to place on record their profound sor-rew on the death of our illustrious and beloved Queen Victoria, at Osborne House, Isle of Wight, on the long reign the principles of our noble order have been maintained and safeguarded. Religious liberty has been unrtammeled and bigotry and superstition held in check. We recognize and appreciate her many virtues and qualities, which have made her model queen, wife and mother. Her influence has purified the court life and elevated the national moral life. Her life was pure. Her judgment was wise and prudent. She loved her people and sought their good. She trusted in God and was led by His We honor her memory and desire to emulate her virtues.

"To the new King, Edward VII., we pledge our allegiance and devotion May great prosperity come to the nation during his reign. God Save the King."

FREDERICTON.

Corporal Seymour Sentenced to Fifty-six Days Imprisonment and Reversion to the Ranks

FREDERICTON, Feb. 11.-Corporal Seymour of No. 4 Co., R. R. C. I., woo was court martialed a short time ago for neglecting duty, was sentenced today to 56 days imprisonment and reversion to the ranks. Seymour was corporal of the guard on the night of the Walker Bros. scrape.

Recruiting for the South African mounted police takes place here on Friday and Saturday, March 8 and 9. A large number of men are expected to go from this city.

Sergt. H.D. Pickett, staff clerk at the D. O. C.'s office, has purchased his discharge, which takes effect at once. Mr. Pickett will enter the office of Col. J. R. Armstrong at John and take up the study of law he having been admitted as a student at last Michaelmas term. Mr. Pickett has also been appointed physical instructor at the Rothesay Boys' School and will give instruction in gymnastics, physical exercises and military drill two days each week.

The popular Valentine Stock Co. pened a four nights' engagement in this city to a large and appreciative audience tonight. Peaceful was the bill and the play gave ample scope for the company to display its ability. Ben Horning as Hosea Howe made a big hit. Miss O'Brien as Virgil Rand was also well received. Miss Kate Blancke and the balance of the company were fully up to the stand-The advance sale of seats for the rest of the engagement points to bumper houses.

CAPTAIN DIED AT HALIFAX.

HALIFAX, N. S., Feb. 11.-Captain Andrew R. Adair of the steamer Laura, bound from Hamburg for New York, and which put in here on Sunday short of coal, died suddenly this afternoon. He was sick when the steamer arrived. Deceased was 36. years of age and leaves a wife at Monisieth, near Dundee, Scotland. The steamer was almost ready to proceed for New York when the captain's death occurred.

It transpires that the captain's death resulted from an overdose of laudanum, taken to promote sleep after the strain of the long voyage of 25 days

from Hamburg. Chief Officer Middleton will take the steamer to her distination. The Laura sailed tonight for New York. It was Captain Adair's first command. He had been married only eleven months. peditious election of officers would be

"Get to work," said the emperor, "that is the most important and most urgent duty of all."

SALISBURY.

SALISBURY, Feb. 11.-A nice looking lot of beef cattle were shipped from this place on Saturday for the St. John market. Ten of the lot, from the barns of A. E. Trites, were exceptionally fine steers.

Lumbermen are complaining just now on account of too much snow. The recent heavy storms have seriously impeded the lumber industry in this section and the roads throughout the country are almost impassable. The Salisbury and Harvey railway train which left here on Thursday reached Hillsboro Sunday morning after an exceedingly hard trip. Advices received here today are to the effect that the management will endeavor to keep the road open between Hillsboro and Salisbury this week and not attempt the through trip until better weather.

SUSSEX NEWS.

SUSSEX, Feb. 11.-Major T. E. Ari nold is having plans made for a large house, which is to be erected on his lot near Geo. H. Barnes. Wm. Langstroth of Hampton is engaged to de the work.

The agents of the Massey Harris, Frost & Wood and McLaughlin Carriage company have gone into part nership under the name of J. A. Mc-Arthur & Co., with J. Albert Camphell as manager

Fred C. Morrison, lately with the Sussex Mineral company, leaves for his home in Seaforth, Ont., tomorrow. He will be much missed in Sussex.

STRÁTHCONA'S HORSE.

HALIFAX, Feb. 11.- Strathcona's Horse, numbering 425 officers and men, who are now expected daily at Liver-pool by the s. s. Lake Erie, from Cape rown, leave the former place by the s. s. Numidian, of the Allan line, for Halifax direct, on the 23rd of February, as per telegram to S. Cunard & good wishes very highly. Co, this afternoon.

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of its good effect upon their children."

Castoria. "Castoria Is so well adapted to children

children. Mothers have repeatedly told me that I recommend it as superior to any prescription known to me."

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APPEARS ON EVERY WRAPPER.

CHINESE MINISTER To U. S. Refuses to Dine With General Otis.

Wu-Ting-fang, Chinese minister to the United States, has put himself on record as refusing to sie at the same banquet table with Major General Elwell S. Otis of the United States

army. The Chinese minister took pains to explain that, while he felt only respect for General Otis as a rallitary commanded and esteem for him personally, his course in declining to share the honors of the feast with the general, was du to General Otis' attitude while governor general of the Philippines in enforcing there the objectionable features of the Chinese

This, the Chinese minister said he could not possibly approve, and he would not put himself in the position

of seeming to indorse it.

SHOT DEAD BY A CORPSE.

Bright presages for future years we gather from thy face,
from thy face,
The clear blue eye, the noble front, the calm SHOT DEAD BY A CORPSE. where those who died lying, and as they marched among our dead they saw a sergeant lying at full length, shot through the brain, yet even in death the man looked like some fighting machine suddenly gone out of order. His rifle was pressed against his shoulder, his left hand grasped the barrel on the under side, the forefinger of the right hand pressed the trigger tightly, the barrel rested out upon a rock and his death-dulled eye still glared along the sights, for dissolution had come to him just as he bent his head to fire at those , who shot him, and now his hands had stiffened in the unbendable stiffness of eternal sleep. A Boer soldier saw sergeant as he lay, and with rude hands grasped the rifle by the barrel and tried to jerk it from the dead man's grip; but as he pulled he brought the rifle in line with his own Sounds like a journalistic lie, does it

breast, and the unyielding finger on the trigger did the rest, the rifle spoke from the dead man's hand, and the builet, passing through the Boer's heart, laid him beside the Briton. not? Read it in a novel, and you would laugh, would you not? But it is the eternal truth, all the same, for the comrade of the Boer who died that way, killed by a dead man, told the tale himself, and he was one of those who planted the dead Dutchman on the slope of Spion Kop.-London News.

FRENCH SENATE.

PARIS, Feb. ii.—During the discussion of the foreign office budget in the senate today M. D'Aunay called attention to the situation in China. He said it was pregnant with difficulties, and he feared the powers would impair the integrity of China.

M. Delcasse said his initiatives had always been directed towards the restoration of the normal situation by the powers. The latter's adhesion to the French propositions showed the interests of each were thereby safeguarded. Some impatience at the slowness of the negotiations was displayed, but events proved that the powers held the maintenace of the concert to be superior to everything else. The powers' conditions had been accepted, and it was now necessary to have them carried out.

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M. Deleasse added: "If we are ready to defend tenaciously our interests and our rights, we profess the same respect for the rights of others. Chinese affairs have afforded the opportunity to prove the community of interests of France and the United States, and the common action of France and Russia in China, as elsewhere, showed that the alliance was being strengthened by the equal advantages which each of the powers drew therefrom. France desired that party spirit should end where the grave interests of the country began." Hearty applause followed this statement. his statement.

PRESIDENT TO QUEEN.

WASHINGTON, Feb. il.—The following message of congratulation was sent to Queen Wilhelmina by the president on the occasion of her marriage:
"Her Majesty Wilhelmina, Queen of the Netherlands, Sgravenhage:
"I pray your Majesty to accept the sincere congratulations I offer for myself and my organizatulations in a supicious occasion of congratulations I offer for myself and my countrymen upon the auspicious occasion of your Majesty's marriage. "(Signed) WILLIAM McKINLEY." Following is the Queen's reply: "President of the United States, Washing-ton:

"(Signed) WILHELMINA."

WELCOME To the Prince of Wales on Visiting Canada

in 1860. ne, thou princely scion of a noble line of kings, O'er all our broad Canadian land triumphant

O'er all our broad Canadian land triumphant welcome rings
O'er forest, lake and river, thro' hamlet and thro' town.
On cannons' roar and lightning's flash, the gladsome sound has flown.
And loyal hearts and loving lips have bless'd the fav'ring gales
That wanted to our western shores old England's Prince of Wales. Welcome, a thousand welcomes, to thy mother's first born son. Helr to her mighty fortunes, to hearts and

kingdoms won, Not by rude hands of warriors whose swords have carved a place,
But by her royal virtues—and over all
"God's grace."

Queen of earth's mightiest nation, a loving
people halls,
And we bless thee for thy mother's sake,
thou youthful Prince of Wales.

For thine own sake also, welcome; our hearts leap forth to thee With overflowing gladness, young star of

and manly grace;
And deep within our bosoms a loyal love prevails,
And we bless thee for thy coming, Albert Edward, Prince of Wales. And thronging in a patriot breast, what thoughts thy coming brings,
Of old historic memories of thine ancient line of kings,
Of the faith our fathers bore to thine, the hoble and the free,
Earnest of that in after years, our sons shall bear to thee. bear to thee, And may Canadians still be first if ever foe

assails,
To strike for Britain's glory and the triple
plume of Wales. Welcome, a thousand welcomes! to this young land of ours,
Tho' she boasts not of her palaces, nor old ancestral towers,
She has her mighty rivers, deep woods and inland sees
Her thunder-voiced caratracts her stalwart sons—all these
She brings with loving loyalty, with faith that never fails,
And lays them at thy youthful feet, Bri-

tannia's Prince of Welce.

Welcome, "Cead mille failthe"—Oh, ever
may be the hands

That knit us to our motherland be strength
ened by thy hands,

And in the far-off future, the brightest May Canada forever be in Britain's diadem.
And while prayer of loving people at heaven's high throne prevails.
We'll pray, God bless and keep thee safe, our own lov'd Prince of Wales.

August 10, 1860, [The above spirited verses were written by the mother of the late Sir James Edgar, speaker of the Canadian commons.]

BLACKVILLE ITEMS.

BLACKVILLE, Feb. 9.-We have had a beautiful winter so far, with the exception of the last two weeks, which have been very stormy, making the roads very bad, Grippe has a firm hold on quite a number at the present time. William McLaggan is very ill. Walter Crocker, clerk for Jacob Leighton, has been sick, but is better. A. Connolly of Woodstock was here yesterday. A. Gibson, M. P., passed through here yesterday en route to Ottawa.

PROVINCIAL POLITICS (Fredericton Gleaner.)

It is said that Mr. Porter, of Vic-toria, will be nominated by the gov-ernment for the speakership in the egislature, the position having been made vacant by Speaker Hill's acceptance of a seat in the executive. It is said that Mr. White, who issued his card as an independent, will not oppose Mr. Appleby, the govern-ment candidate, and that the opposition will not likely put up a man, believing that there will be but one session of the present house,

ST. LAWRENCE CHANNEL

MONTREAL, Feb. 11 .- At the weekly meeting of the harbor board today, a letter was read from Hon. J. I. Tarte, minister of public works, saying that if he could obtain the assent of the government he intended dredging the St. Lawrence river channel 30 feet deep and 450 feet wide within the

KING

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The Speech From Duke of Cor

LONDON, Feb. ment of the re VII was opened King in person. companied by Duke of York at of Connaught, an royal family. Th mony of the when Queen Vic ment accompani ort, and since ter nothing equa been witnessed tion with the

Not since the Prince of Wales andra has the used today been of the capital. the King and Qu ingham palace to minster. The route of th

lay through th Guards parade. ment street, wa thousand soldiers doners packed & ered the route ed the windows, Five carriages uniformed officia household, each with postilions procession. Next state chariot, the could be plainly s

glass windows:

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Driving Pincers,

Rasps,