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ST. JOHN, N. B., TUESDAY, MARCH 21, 1905.

THE WEATHER. Sleet or rain predicted for tomorrow.

ONE CENT.

ST. PEETERSBURG FEARS FOR HIM.

Retreat of Linevitch, Successful So Far, May Have Disastrous Ending - - - Japs May Cut Off Russian Commander Before Goal is Reached.

St. Petersburg, March 21.—1.15 p.m.—General Linevitch's headquarters has been established, for the present, at Chenchlawazi, situated at the crossing of the Sungari river, whence he is directing the retreat of the three armies, and disposing of the fresh troops of the fourth corps just arriving from European Russia.

liberated upon the surrender of Port Arthur, had each and all sworn in writing, according to the terms of the capitulation, to the effect that they would not act contrary to the interests of Japan.

Linevitch's Report.

London, March 21.—General Linevitch's report to the Emperor, that he had inspected the newly arrived troops causes considerable speculation in London as indicating that the Commander-in-chief of the Russian army in Manchuria either has gone much farther north than had been supposed or that Russian reinforcements are still being sent south from Harbin.

The Japs Keep Up.

The Japanese are advancing over the grand trade route, 20 miles west of the railroad. However, they could probably live on the country, the road just before the opening of navigation of the Liao river being crowded with provisions on the way south.

Appeal For Peace.

The Trade World, in an article reviewing the suffering of industry in Russia, directly or indirectly, produced by the war, the immense losses suffered as a result of the 350,000 tons of grain left rotting in the Volga districts owing to lack of transportation, and the hardships imposed on the peasants by the many young and able-bodied men, sent to the front, makes an earnest appeal for peace, saying:

Have The Russians Fled.

Kaopozets, Mar. 19 (Evening) via Tien Tsin, Mar. 20.—(Delayed transmission.) A Norwegian trader accompanied the Russian retreat to the Pass and, with a single companion, crossed over to Fakoman. The Russians left Mukden with five columns of infantry, in the centre of which were two lines of commissaries with artillery flanking the body, and cavalry acting as screens farther ahead. The demoralized troops discarded their boots and equipments abandoned their transport carts, and left guns and cartridges, using the horses to save as many as possible.

ASHLAND MAN'S RASH ACT.

Henry Carter Shot Himself While Dispondent—Christian Science Convert Becomes Suddenly Insane and Causes Much Trouble.

Ashland, Me., Mar. 20.—Henry Carter, a well-known and respected farmer living a little over a mile from the village, committed suicide yesterday morning by shooting himself through the heart with a rifle. He has had much sickness lately and has undergone two operations for appendicitis this winter. He was nearly well and was able to go out-doors to do any work. He has not been able to work for five months, and it is supposed that he got discouraged on this account.

COAXING HIM BACK.



SIR WILFERID:—"Coo bossy, coo bossy! Don't be so suspicious. I won't hurt you."

JULES VERNE DYING.

New York, Mar. 21.—A Paris despatch to the Herald says that it is announced from Amiens that Jules Verne, the novelist, is dying. He is 77 years old.

A Boon To Students.

St. Petersburg, March 21.—In view of the increasing number of doctors needed at the front, an official order was published today permitting, during the war, the appointment of students to all posts and allowing foreigners to join the service.

Japs Grab Coal Boat.

Tokio, March 21.—The British steamer, Harparton, carrying coal to Vladivostok, was seized on Saturday by the Japanese.

The Taking of Kai Yuan.

Tokio, March 21.—The following announcement has been made: "Our detachment entered and occupied Kai Yuan Sunday morning, at 4 o'clock. On the same day, at 10.30 o'clock, the enemy's cavalry, about sixty strong, with three companies of infantry, attempted a counter attack, but was repulsed.

Asked For Peace.

Paris, March 21.—In the course of an interview, published in the Matin today, Viscount Hayashi, stating that M. Witte, when in Berlin last July, sent an emissary to London, asking the Japanese minister there to meet him to discuss peace. Minister Hayashi replied, but received no further communication.

SARMATIAN AT HALIFAX.

Halifax, N. S., Mar. 21.—(Special.)—The Allan liner Sarmatian from Glasgow, Capt. Rennie, arrived this morning after one of the most tempestuous passages experienced on the Atlantic this season and during which two of her officers were lost. The ship left Glasgow on the 2nd and arrived here on Monday 19th while on Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday she made 140, 122, 123 and 124 miles. On Saturday, March 11th, she met heavy head gales and seas and made but 29 miles. Next day she went 221 miles, but on the day following the gale again became strong and but 19 miles were made. On Tuesday it was even worse, but 10 miles being made, the ship drifting off her course. Next day she made 57 miles against heavy head seas and her daily runs from then were: Thursday, 187, Friday, 190, Saturday, 190, Sunday, 262, Monday 290, and Tuesday to Halifax, 296.

THE BIG STICK.

Willemstadt, Curacao, Mar. 21.—The Venezuelan government, it is announced from Caracas, has received a note from Minister Bowen, requiring an answer as to whether Venezuela will arbitrate the questions pending, and saying that in case of a refusal, the United States will feel free to take the steps which may be necessary to secure justice. The charge d'affaires of the Netherlands has advised the Venezuelan government that Holland will use coercive measures in view of the fact that she has been unable to secure the release from imprisonment in Venezuela of five Dutch sailors, who have been illegally kept in prison for seven months.

IT WAS REILLY.

Tinsmith Swears That He Arranged for Making of Bogus Ballot Boxes.

THE SCHOOLS CLAUSE.

An Ottawa despatch to the Times says that so far as can be ascertained, only two liberals, Bourassa and McCarthy, are opposed to the amended clause in the autonomy bill, and that several conservatives will likely vote for it.

INTERESTING ADDRESS.

At a meeting of the council this morning one of the aldermen made an eloquent speech on the Winding Ledges dam bill. He said that the members of the council could all speak feelingly on the question because their own craft was in great danger of running on a ledge on the 15th of April. They were also interested in dams, having a great many at the street corners all over the city, and being the indirect cause of a great many more. Moreover, he said, they knew something about the winding business, and when some of them were fairly wet by their sel-

BROCKTON TODAY SORELY SMITTEN.

Grief Stricken Relatives of Factory Horror Victims Haunt Morgue to Identify Bodies—Engineer's Statement as to Cause of Yesterday's Disaster.

Brockton, Mass., Mar. 21.—A realization of the extent of the disaster which had come to the city of Brockton yesterday in the wrecking of the great wooden shoe factory of the B. B. Grover Company and the ensuing terrific loss of life came more clearly to the citizens to-day. All night long, the work of searching for the bodies of victims of the explosion and fire continued. It was not until 7 o'clock to-day that the remains of a human being were found in the boiler pit, the first found since midnight. Considering the mystery attached to the disappearance of David W. Rockwell, the engineer, who was in charge of the boiler which exploded, the police believe the body found to-day was that of the engineer. Rockwell was reported to have been rescued yesterday, badly injured, and later to have died, but the police were not able subsequently to locate his body. It seemed more likely to the police to-day that Rockwell, near as he was to the exploding boiler, was among the first to meet death.

A more careful search of the boiler pit, in which the remains were found to-day, resulted in the finding of a watch, the rubber heel of a shoe and a torn piece of clothing, all of which were shown to Mrs. Rockwell, the wife of the engineer, and were identified by her as belonging to her husband. The police then became satisfied that the report yesterday that the engineer had been taken out on a bridge between 2 and 3 o'clock to-day was due to the confounding of Rockwell with another employee. The figures at hand early to-day showed that about 200 persons who were at work in the factory when the explosion occurred had been accounted for and that between 50 and 100 persons were missing.

THE AUTO BILL.

Provisions to Limit Speed of "Choo-Choo" Cars Discussed at Fredericton.

Fredericton, March 21.—(Special.)—The automobile bill was before the Municipalities Committee this morning, and most of its sections were passed. Messrs. Chestnut and Barrett, represented the Auto interests and addressed the committee, several times making suggestions. Motor bicycles and tricycles were excluded from the operations of the bill. This speeded the auto on a bridge being limited to 4 miles an hour, but this stands for the present.

REPORT HEAVY WEATHER.

The Tunisian and the Montrose in Port After Hard Voyage From England---They Had Many Passengers.

The Allan liner Tunisian, Capt. Braes, arrived in port from Liverpool via Halifax about 8 o'clock last evening. She brought out 43 saloon, 307 second cabin and 1,045 stowage, a total of 1,393 passengers. The steamer had an exceedingly stormy passage, gale succeeding gale on the 13th and 14th the storm raged with great fury, the sea running dangerously high. On those days she made only 154 and 174 miles respectively. Notwithstanding the bad weather, however, two most successful concerts in aid of the Liverpool Seaman's Orphanage were held on board and over £13 collected. The afternoon of Thursday last the big White Star liner Cedric bound for New York was passed and she reported, by wireless, having also encountered heavy weather.

THE TIMES NEW REPORTER.

Yesterday the weather man predicted rain or sleet for today. Today he says it will come tomorrow. There is excellent coaxing on several streets today. INTERESTING ADDRESS. At a meeting of the council this morning one of the aldermen made an eloquent speech on the Winding Ledges dam bill. He said that the members of the council could all speak feelingly on the question because their own craft was in great danger of running on a ledge on the 15th of April. They were also interested in dams, having a great many at the street corners all over the city, and being the indirect cause of a great many more. Moreover, he said, they knew something about the winding business, and when some of them were fairly wet by their sel-

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SHORT STORY.

Mrs. Busby's Idols.

COMPLETE IN THIS NUMBER.

Mr. Busby eyed the sky as he leisurely walked from the bars to the house. The morning sun was veiled by a heavy mist, while low in the southwest a bank of dark grey clouds was visible. After a prolonged scrutiny, Mr. Busby pondered the matter. It was not until he had washed his hands and face in the back kitchen porch and entered the room where his wife was taking up the breakfast, that he said: "There's like it might rain."

"That is what you always say if there's a cloud in the sky," Mrs. Busby said tartly. "I'll thank you to lift that boiler on just the same." "Gone to wash? It's most certain to rain."

"Let it rain. I haven't any patience with such weather," and Mrs. Busby rushed down cellar for a pitcher of cream. Her husband never hurried. He put the boiler carefully on the stove, built up a good fire, and, in obedience to a gesture from his wife, took his place at the table.

"Mrs. Busby stirred her golden brown coffee reflectively. "Perhaps I hope the people who need it look Mr. Ranton's life application. As for me, I once had an idol, but God took it."

"There's no idol, is it, Mirandy?" The good man of the house pushed back from the table. "Now, it doesn't seem just right to be so set on you all on this your work, except as you want to. It bears to me it might be an idol."

"I know, Mirandy, but maybe that's another idol. You see, you think a slight of such things." "Now, Joseph Busby, if you are going to talk such nonsense as that, you'd better get to work."

"They make weak hearts strong. They make shaky nerves firm. Mr. Ray V. Cormier had a very trying experience while at College; but, thanks to Milburn's Heart and Nerve Pills, he has been restored to health. He tells his experience in the following letter to us:— Wellington Station, E. E. I. Dec. 3rd, 1903. Messrs: The T. Milburn Co., Limited. Toronto, Ontario. Gentlemen,—Having been cured of a very troublesome disease, I find it my duty to write you a few lines. I was troubled with a very great palpitation of the heart and nervous prostration. I was attacked with it at College, and could not follow up the games of the University without being overcome with fatigue. I could not descend the stairs without resting half-way. I have left College, and am working in a general store, where I found your famous pills. I used three boxes, and am now completely cured. I cannot thank you for the purpose of benefiting anyone who is suffering as I did. My home is in Sackville, N. B., but at present I am on Prince Edward Island. I remain, dear sirs, RAY V. CORMIER."

dearest little fellow," she went on. "But I don't understand," and Joseph Busby's arms closed tenderly around the little orphan. The story was soon told. "Of course, we'll keep him, and do the best we can by him," Mrs. Busby said, by way of conclusion. "Dinner is ready, and the green peas and custard pie will taste good to little Joey. I guess you were right about my idols, Joseph," stopping to fasten a towel around the child's neck in lieu of a bib, "but they are overthrown. Now, I'll try and not make an idol of Joey."

"You are a remarkable woman, Mirandy," Mr. Busby said, wiping his eyes. "I have always said you were a remarkable woman, and I'm a little afraid I'm makin' an idol of you," New York Observer.

OF YAMA'S STRATEGY. The Greatest Master of Flanking Tactics Since Time Began. A correspondent of the Boston Transcript pays this tribute to the Japanese commander-in-chief— "The battle of Mukden designated Field Marshal Oyama as one of the greatest strategists which the world has ever seen. We may, without too much assumption, rank him not only with Von Moltke, Grant, Lee and the other noted generals of the past century, but indeed with Alexander the Great, Hannibal, Caesar, Marlborough and Napoleon Bonaparte."

"I couldn't give Leah's place to another," she whispered. "And you might make a place for him, too. Oh, my baby, I wish he still!" Withdrawing her hands from the sofa, Mrs. Busby crossed the sitting-room and entered the parlor. No one had entered the parlor. No one had even entered the house. Mrs. Busby's face was pale as she looked at the door. She opened the blinds and looked long and earnestly at the laughing sky.

"Do you want me to, dear?" she asked tearfully. "Do you want me to take a nosey, troublesome boy into this home? Is it an idol, Leah, my wanting everything so quiet and orderly?" Ten minutes later she was back at her washing. The parlor blinds were closed and all things were as they had been, excepting Mrs. Busby's eyes; there was a new light in their gray depths. At half-past nine the gray depths were on the line. Re-laid clothes were on the line. Re-laid clothes were on the line. Re-laid clothes were on the line.

"A what?" demanded Mrs. Busby, catching her breath. "A baby." It was plain to see that Mr. Vance was enjoying the situation. "A woman who was going to cast on a visit brought it from Kansas. Said it belonged to some of Mrs. Busby's folks. She left it in my care. It's down to the road in my wagon, and a trunk, too. The little fellow has cried most ever since the woman left him."

"Come to auntie, dear," she said coaxingly. "You want some bread and milk, don't you, and to see the dear little chickens?" Arriving, Mr. Busby again traversed the path from the barn to the house. Mirandy's line of snowy clothes dry in the sun brought to his mind the conversation of the morning, but he expected no reference to it from his wife. A surprise awaited him. The table was laid for three, and at the guest's place stood a clumsy high chair that for twenty years had stood empty in an upper room. And on the floor sat a happy-faced child, surrounded by a circle of empty bottles, a disused candlestick and a like collection of impromptu playthings.

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knots and steamed at a rate of 194 knots, which is pushing through the water at about 22 miles an hour. This is fast work for a vessel. The trial was held off Greenock and the steamship was found to work to perfection in every way. She goes on the route to St. John, N. B., immediately and will be followed soon afterwards by her sister ship, the Virginian. Thus the success of the turbine in a steamship of the size of the Allan liners, which are immense ocean greyhounds, seems to be assured. GERMANY AND MOROCCO. Kaiser's Approaching Visit to Tangier Gives Rise to Much Comment.

Berlin, March 20.—Discussing the supposition abroad that Germany has designs on Morocco and is opposing the plans of France, the semi-official North German Gazette refers to Emperor William's utterances at Vigo, Spain, in 1904, during his meeting with King Alfonso, that Germany sought no territorial advantage in Morocco of any sort but only desired a continuance of economic equality. Tangier, Morocco, March 20.—The announcement that Emperor William will visit Tangier, March 31, is causing great excitement among the natives. Even influential Moors occur to the belief that Germany will help the Sultan against the French and assert that the German Emperor's visit will be the death-blow to French influence.

The Lord—"Our stock is A1. Nothing better is there." "He had remarked so often that he had better buy you out-right." TURBINE BOAT A SUCCESS. (Portland Express, March 18.) Agent C. Richard Clancy, of the Allen Line, received this morning via the company's Montreal office, stating that the new turbine liner, Victorian's trial trip from Montreal to New York, was in every way a great success. The big flyer exceeded her contract speed of 18 knots.

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THE SCHOOL QUESTION. The separate schools clause of the autonomy bill has been amended. As it now stands it is much less objectionable to the west than it was in its original form...

A STRICKEN CITY. The shadow of a great sorrow rests upon the fair city of Portland, Maine, sometimes mentioned, though erroneously, as a rival of St. John in the winter port business...

DOUBLE TRACKING THE INTERCOLONIAL. Reid McManus, Contractor, Expects to Complete the Work by November. Reid McManus, the well known contractor of Monaromook, is at the Royal, Mr. McManus has the contract of double tracking the I. C. R. between Rockingham and Windsor Junction...

ALWAYS SPASMODIC. The sudden panic of the Maine liquor dealers, with its picturesque incidents of departing steamers overloaded with bar fixtures and cases of whiskey, does not mean that the penalties of liquor selling have been made any more drastic or the law any more inclusive...

FUNERALS. The funeral of the late Edith E. Reed, place this afternoon. Rev. Canon Richardson, conducted a burial service in Trinity church, and interment took place in Fernhill. The following gentlemen acted as pallbearers: G. C. Coaker, M. E. Campbell, W. A. McLaughlin, Charles Wards, W. A. B. C. Boyd, and Bruce Scovil. The funeral of the late James...

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EMMIGRATION FROM EUROPE. Some Interesting Figures In a British Publication.

Washington, March 17.—Emigration from the European countries of the world is decreasing. In a British publication which has just reached the Department of Commerce and Statistics, the discussion is based on the figures of the Board of Trade, the title of the report being "Immigration and Emigration from the European Countries of the World."

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Solo—Mrs. Cole.

Quartette—Miss Manning, Miss Fowler, Messrs. North and B. Fowler.

Piano solo—Scottish air, Mrs. J. M. Barnes.

Solo, The Swallows—Mrs. Froese.

Solo, Scots Wha' Hae—S. J. McGowan.

Character sketch, "The Two Scars," D. North.

Solo, Ash Grove—deWitt Cairns.

Vocal duet—Mrs. Cole and Mrs. Creighton.

Quartette—Miss Manning, Miss Fowler, Messrs. North and B. Fowler.

Mrs. Froese rendered "The Swallows" in an artistic manner, and her voice, under careful training, promises to become very fine. As an encore, she sang "Killarney."

Donald North created all the parts in his "Character Sketch" in a very able manner, and his encore piece, produced as happy an effect.

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DIFFICULTIES ADJUSTED BY COMPROMISE AMENDMENT.

This Is the Opinion in Regard to Laurier's Latest Proposal on the Objectionable Educational Clauses of the Autonomy Bill--Seeks to Conciliate All Parties.

Ottawa, March 20.—The amendment to the educational clauses of the bill representing the two Northwest provinces, which is regarded as a compromise and adjustment of the difficulties, was announced tonight, and is as follows:

Section 95, of the British North America Act, 1867, shall apply to the said provinces with the substitution for sub-section 1, of said section 95 of the following sub-section:

1.—Nothing in any such law shall prejudice any right or privilege with respect to separate schools which any class of persons have at the time of the passing of this act under the terms of chapters 20 and 30 of the ordinances of the Northwest Territories passed in the year 1901.

2.—In the appropriation by the legislature or distribution by the government of the province of any money for the support of schools organized and carried on in accordance with said chapter 29 or any act passed in amendment thereof or in substitution thereof, there shall be no discrimination against schools of any class described in the said chapter 29.

3.—Where the expression "by-law" is employed in sub-section 3, of said section 95, it shall be held to have its full meaning in the said chapter 29 and 30, and where the expression "at the union" is employed in said sub-section 3, it shall be held to mean the date at which this act comes in force.

It was found on careful inquiry that separate schools exist in the Northwest Territories, in such a modified form that they differ very little from those of the national schools. Liberals pretty generally, including representatives of the Territories, were willing that the existing arrangements should be continued, but not in any way enlarged. The general intention of the bill as prepared, was to give effect to existing conditions, but those who objected claimed that the language used was broader, and would in effect, grant rights and privileges not covered by existing laws. The provisions respecting school lands were particularly objectionable. Under the dominion lands act, certain sections of land throughout Manitoba and the territories are reserved for separate schools. These lands are already of considerable value, and as the years roll on will produce a steadily increasing fund. Those who objected to the bill held that the language would create new conditions as to the position of the separate schools in relation to these funds. The amendment now made continues the principle of separate schools but only so far as it has been acted upon and established by the territorial government.

The law, which is to be continued, is the one now in existence which was passed by the territorial legislature and which has been in operation for a long time with apparent satisfaction to everybody in the country. The school lands clause is omitted altogether from the bill. The only reference to public money in the amendment is in the clause which says that in the distribution of money which the legislature may provide for school purposes from time to time there will be no discrimination between schools of any class hereinafter defined. This means that the territorial ordinance and complying in all respects with local laws shall be treated alike.

SACKVILLE NEWS.

Mock Parliament Formed by Mount Allison Eucharistic Society.

Sackville, March 20.—An interesting temperance lecture was given in the Methodist church on Wednesday evening by Rev. Michael Kealey of St. Martin's. The members of the Sons of Temperance furnished the music for the occasion, under the leadership of Miss Jennie Parvett of Upper Sackville. L. C. Harper occupied the chair.

A baby son arrived Friday morning at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Turner.

Geo. Bennett of Botsford was convicted of Scott Act violation, before Justice Cahill on Friday. He was fined \$50 and costs.

Missionary sermons were preached in the Methodist church, Sunday morning and evening by Prof. Watson, Dr. Burden and Dr. Paisley. At the evening service the choir rendered special music, and by request the University Quartette sang "Ashamed of Jesus." Miss Webb presided at the organ. The pastor stated that the total income from Sackville circuit for the General Society last year was \$158.70; \$47.34 being from the Upper Sackville church. In addition to the above the Woman's Missionary Society had raised \$293.06 and the Upper Sackville Auxiliary \$29.64, making a total of \$711.10.

In the presence of its parents and grand-parents Douglas Treuman, the infant son of Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Treman, was baptized on Friday by Rev. Geo. Steel. The ceremony took place at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Tingley, Allison Avenue.

Mrs. Clive Mosher of Pennsylvania, N. Y. and her sister, Mrs. F. J. Wilson, who has been spending the winter in Washington, D. C., arrived home on Friday. At St. John Mrs. Wilson was joined by her husband, who is travelling for Kyla, Chesbrough & Co.

The mock parliament which has been started in the Eucharistic Society is now in full swing. E. S. McQuaid is president and the following is his cabinet:

The separate schools as now established by the territorial legislature and which are to be continued are not really separate schools as the expression is widely understood. They do not come in any way under the direction of any church. The examination and qualification of teachers, the books to be used, the method of instruction, and everything of that kind will remain absolutely under the control of the provincial authorities. The regulations for both majority and minority schools authorize the trustees to provide for religious instruction for half an hour each day from 3.30 to 4 o'clock. Where the majority of the trustees are Protestant such religious instruction would be in accordance with Protestant religious views and vice versa. Where the majority are Catholics the religious exercises would be in accordance with the Catholic faith.

In each of these cases the minority, whether Protestant or Catholic, may if they wish, obtain separate schools under conditions which are laid down. But such separate schools are subject in all respects to the laws and regulations of the trustees in the same manner as all other schools.

In all cases attendance at the half hour religious instruction is voluntary. Any child whose parents disapprove of the arrangement may withdraw from the school. In addition to the religious instruction above mentioned, which is strictly confined to the half hour from 3.30 to 4 o'clock, the trustees may permit the Lord's Prayer to be recited.

Most of the Catholic friends of the government, it is believed, will assent to the amendment on the ground that it secures to a reasonable extent the rights of the minority. Other liberal members who objected to the bills as originally introduced approve of the amendment because it clearly defines the extent of the separation which is allowed and limits it to the privileges which the territorial authorities themselves have granted and which have been generally accepted in the territories as satisfactory.

It is believed that the west-Italians, including Mr. Wilson, will assent to the compromise and support the measure in the new form.

There were a number of petitions presented today respecting the autonomy bill.

Mr. Laurier stated, on the orders of the day being called, that it was his intention to proceed with the autonomy bill on Wednesday as the first order.

In reply to Mr. Foster, Mr. Fielding said that in view of the fact that the business before the house, which was more immediately interesting, the budget and the postponed for some time.

The dominion annuity commission bill was reported.

Sir Wilfrid Laurier stated, in reply to Mr. Foster, that in view of the fact that the contract for the carriage of mails between St. John and St. Martin's (N. B.) was awarded to Henry Nugent in 1901 for four years, it expires on March 31, 1905. The contract price is \$774 per annum. A renewal has been granted. Mr. Nugent at the same rate for another term of four years.

The minister of communication with Prince Edward Island winter and summer was brought up by Mr. LeGacy. He maintained the service was not in keeping with the traffic and was not what the province was entitled to under the confederation act.

NEW PREMIER OF QUEBEC.

Hon. Mr. Gouin is the Choice --A Forecast of the Personal of His Cabinet.

Montreal, March 20.—A despatch from Quebec says that Premier Parrot on Saturday made up his mind to resign and will vacate office at once. Hon. Lomer Gouin will be called on to succeed to the premiership and it is said he will adjourn the house for three weeks in order to allow him time to form his cabinet and seek reelection.

The personnel of the new cabinet is not yet definitely known, but it is said that it is likely to be composed as follows:

Hon. L. Gouin, premier and minister of public works.

Minister of Trade and Commerce—L. Dixon.

Minister of Justice—C. Chapman.

Minister of Railways and Canals—H. Reed.

Minister of Marine and Fisheries—A. Melnyk.

Minister of Public Works—R. Long.

Minister of Militia and Defence—V. Black.

Secretary of State—W. R. Pepper.

Minister of Finance—F. B. Fuller.

Minister of Customs—C. Hickson.

Minister of Interior—G. Patterson.

Minister of Agriculture—J. McLaughlin.

Minister of Inland Revenue—Burl Russell.

Postmaster-General—G. Killam.

Without Portfolio—E. N. Des G. Mars.

Solicitor General—R. P. Bell.

The speaker is Mr. H. Backham, '05.

Miss Lowrigan has sold the Thos. Lowrigan at Forty Hollow to Bradford Carter. The price is said to be in the vicinity of \$2500.

N. P. Lewis of Pugwash, N. S., accompanied by Mr. Geo. W. Ayer and three others, arrived at Sackville last week, leaving Sussex Friday morning and reaching Sackville, Saturday night.

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(Corr. Toronto Globe.) Ottawa, Mar. 17.—At least in the Yukon territory have yielded a more prolific harvest of gold than any other territory...

Enormous Concentrated Wealth. The enormous sum of \$30,000,000, it was estimated, is now being hoarded in the Yukon...

A Discovery of Coal. A recent discovery at Tantalus of a fine vein of coal on the bank of the Yukon has created a great deal of interest...

Conditions on the Creeks. At the present time wages upon the creeks are \$3 a day and board, and there are not sufficient men available to supply the demand...

Separate Schools. Ottawa Minister Says Any Such Plan is Highly Undesirable. Ottawa, March 20.—(Special)—Rev. Dr. Spencer preaching last night in the Reformed Episcopal church...

ST. JOHN MEN ARRESTED. Quebec, March 20.—The young men, named O'Brien and Anderson, collected at St. John last week, when Sergeant Smith was recruiting for the garrison at Halifax...

KEPT HIM BUSY. "Are you an advocate of woman's rights?" asked the woman with the white hair...

MORNING NEWS IN BRIEF.

Local. John (Tip) O'Neil, left last evening for Milwaukee, to begin his work with the baseball team there.

General. An elderly man named White, fell on Prince street, Carleton, last evening, and injured one of his arms. He was taken to the hospital in the ambulance.

The joint entertainment to have been held last night, in the German Street Baptist church school room, by the Y. P. S. C. E. of Waterloo street Baptist church, and the German Street church society, was indefinitely postponed.

The tender of I. O. R. engine No. 56, was smashed at Model Farm, on Monday, and the end of a freight car was also badly damaged.

Eleven thousand six hundred and sixty deaths of such a nature that investigation was deemed necessary, just completed at the coroner's office.

A despatch from St. John's, Nfld., says—Incoming shipping together with advices from the northern and western coasts, where the seal fishery is now operating, report the worst ice blockade of modern times.

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Provincial.

Glouce Bay, C. B., and the adjoining colliery towns are the centre of a religious movement, led by Joe Mackay, an evangelist, who was at one time a conductor on the Inter-colonial.

General. Four officers and twenty men of the Army Medical Corps, with Major Carleton Jones in command, will be appointed to the Halifax garrison, and two officers and nine men, with Lieut.-Colonel Wilson, of Montreal, in command, will likely be appointed to Esquimaut.

Enough immigrants to people a city as large as Fitchburg (Mass.), Chattanooga (Tenn.), Canton, Ohio, or Auburn (N. Y.), are due to arrive in New York on the steamships from European ports this week.

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