Bell buoy at Sister's

Boston for Buenos S., lon. 34 W.

dense fog has hung and the arrivals have sels are believed to be on Light, including the

in good condition. 3—The British bark Montevideo, arrived of Chief Officer Snow, Hatfield, having died phoid lever, contracted lying at that port, years of age, and for-Graville, N. S. During e on Jan. 4th, a sea-att of Halifax, N. S., sening the upper top and was drowned

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and Deaths occurof subscribers will in THE SUN. In the name of the pany the notice.

TAS.

n, N. B., Jan. 7th, to eves, a daughter.

AGES.

Breen of Moss Glen Elmsdale, Kings Co. residence of the et, January 13th, by C. Mctt, M. D., to

lle, N. B., Jan. 5th, Iva V., infant daugh-Frank T. Atkinson, is city, on Jan. 11th,

Annie and the late

on, Jan. 10th, William years. Burial private. s please copy. at Springhill, Jan. 18 Albion residence, 18 Albion Lewisham, Eng., of Rowe, aged 85 years,

E. CANN'S WILL

h Times.) Cann's will was The following bey the deceased: Sandford, a sis-00. Upon the death said sum and all of trustees to go dchildren of Mary

daughter of Jona Stella Harris, Anrris. daughters of one share.

niece, \$5,000. Annie Kennedy te Kennedy and children of Eveeach. a nephew, son of

sum of \$15,000. nephew, son of the sum of \$10,000.

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wo sons of John of \$1,000 each. a former house

Thurston, a half

ie sum of \$1,000. son of Jonathan tilda Foote a half sum of \$500. of said Matilda

ton, son of Mrs

William street is Beatrice Harris irniture and chatto said Beatrice tely. All the resibequeathed to his is Bent, with all erefrom, for and uld the said niece

a widow, leaving ing, the residuary follows: nephew. Rudolph

Kenealey and his

mong the grandter, Mary Harris,

to receive \$5,000

full of all comge H. Guest and valued, but is es-

YOU SHOULD ATTEND

Fraser's Great Reduction Sale of Clothing, now going on before stock taking. Fraser's prices, always low, are still reduced at this sale. Come and bring your neighbors, or write us for what

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The "Star" Fence STRAIGHT BARS IN A HEIGHT OF 4 FEET Farmer's Best Friend!

The government is between the devil

eaded by Mr. Heyd, M. P., and ex-

chalf of the Farmers' Bindery Co. of

Speaker Ballentyne of Ontario, the cheese king, saw Hon. Mr. Fielding on

Brantford, an establishment started

to fight the combine and which had

been a great success. They say un-

less they get a protection of 121-2 per

capital of the concern is \$80,000, sub-

scribed chiefly by persons of small

It is semi-officially announced that

The government will not permit the

ble the C. P. R. to commence expro-

The French-Canadians of this sec-

are not tetting their fair share of

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st was issued today.

December by \$10,000.

John carry Manitoba.

short notice!

ext Tuesday Hon. G. Ross is to come

The militia list corrected to January

Hon. Mr. Sifton will not permit any and grant in the Yukon till the re-

Tenders for timber berths will b

received up to January 25th, a very

OTTAWA, Jan. 14 Sir Charles

Tupper returned from the west to-

day. He says all his investigations

have satisfied him that it is impos-

slible to over-estimate the great min-

that taken in conjunction with the attention drawn to the Canadian

Yukon will result in a great influx of

people to Canada, much of which will

no doubt remain in the country. He

says the political outlook in the west

is bright, and expects to see Hugh

The importance of prempt meas-

ures being taken to secure a

Alaskan boundary dispute is empha-

sized by the incident reported to the

government today by Collector Milne

of Victoria. Mr. Milne was advised a

few days ago that United States Com-

of the United States a strip of Can-

adian territory at the southern end of Lake Bennet close to the disputed boundary line. The United States flag was hoisted by a number of Am-

ericans, but the mounted police sta

the flag was hauled down.

tiloned at that point protested, and

Commander Spain goes to Hallifax

omorrow to see what repairs are

fleet before the spring work com-

nences.
Alexander Macdonald, the alleged

Yukon surveyor, turns out a fraud

and a humbug. Mr. Ogilvie receive

telegrams today from New York showing that Mr. Macdonald had

Mr. Langelier, M. P., was appointed judge in Jette's place, who becomes

leuterant governor.
The trade department has been no

thied that the government of Great Britain has ratified the treaty with

France respecting the Tunisian trade

A feature of the convention is that the British colonies is exempted from the operation of the favored nation clause. The government has decided on a fixed royalty of ten per cent, applicable to all mines in Yukon.

The Canadian Pacific Navigation Company's steamer Danube, plying from Victoria to Skagway, has been seized by the American authorities for the coasting laws.

alleged violation of the coasting laws.

forged his name to a message he

eent out to T. C. Davis, a promin

issioner Smith occupied in the name

wealth of British Columbia, and

dress of the country, are better

priating the right of way.

MANUFACTURED BY THE WIRE FENCE MANUFACTURING CO., ST. JOHN N. B.

are nearly ready.

mates for next year.

A. J. MACHUM, Manager. E. B. KETCHUM, Secretary ONTARIO AND QUEBEC regulations for the Yukon country

Blair and Harris Confer With Grand Trunk Officials.

New Member for Temiscouata Will Move Address in Commons.

New Yukon Mining Regulations—Quebec Murder Trials Proceeding.

OTRAWA, Jan. 11.-At the railway control of the read until it is put in much condition als to withstand the saviest trulle, and this, it is said, some of the present bridges on the coad will not do. They will have to

on was filed with the minister of the interior today by E. C. chase of one mile on either bank of the White river from the United States boundary to Yukon. This is a ninary step to securing author ther get the grant. It will give them a great alwantage over applications. The Canadian manufacturers of

electrical machinery are up in arminegainst Mr. Tarte for his latest exhibition of "business is business principle. Mr. Pitcher, representing the Canadian General Electric Light of Peterboro was in Ottawa today ter of public works regarding the sup-plying of electrical mathinery for the government buildings. Mr. Tarte fra given an order for four Westinghouse h. p. electric motors and fou Worthington pumps at a cost of near ly \$30,000 to an Ottawa firm. Aheart & Soper, without tender, aithough when the matter was under discussion promised positively that the govern ment would ask for tenders. Mr Tarte's action is all the more surpris ing when it is remembered that the Comadian General company is composel almost entirely of leading lib

The customs department has issued regulations in respect of goods imshipped by water from one port to another port in the dominion. The design of the regulations is to enable the ports where such goods are entered and whence they are shipped to be advised that they have been duly and delivered into custody of the customs at the p

department to rigidly insist upon officers of the force qua in equitition before they can secur

OTTAWA, Jan. 12.-Advices from were received here today by telegraph from Victorie. This is the quickest time on record. They report that the which has discovered turns out to canard. Fully one thousand coming out to the gold or claims to sell. Rich trikes are reported at Sulphur

Humker Creeks. Premier Murriy and Attorney Gen-eral Longley of Nova Scotta went east today. They have pressed the claims of the province for the amount of subsidy of \$600,000 given to like lastern Extension radiway, now, part

of the government railway system.

Alex. Macdosald, the Alaskan sur veyor for the United States govern ment, has received a lucrative from a New York company to become their engineer, but he has declined the

The increase in salary to the civiservice will not take place this year although it is likely there will be larger amount given than last The increases will be given for in torious work on the recommendation of the deputy heads.

with Washington to secure the releas

OTTAWA, Jan. 16.—The writ for day. Nomination is on the 24th of Jamuary, and polling on the 31st. The government will ask parfiament to vote \$10,000 for the relief of the The fund to date amounts to \$32,072. Represnitatives from the Montreal Ottawa board of trade, acting the government yesterday on the insolvency question. The deputation was received by Messrs. Laurier, Cartwright, Mills, Scott, Davies, Fielding and Tarte. Strong speeches were de-

ern and Greenshields of Montreal, and Messrs. Ross and Henderson of Otawa. They asked a bill embodying those features: 1. Complete doing away with pre-

2. Equitable distribution of assets of insolvent del and Railroad pur poses, but is suitable for gardens, lawns, &c.

ome length. The discussion assuming an interogatory character the ministers asked ow the banks would regard such a heasure as that proposed. The ruply ceived from the Bankers Association and board of trude that they could find common ground to stand upon. Sir Wilfril asked who was sug-

gested to act in place of the official of the court should in the first in stance be in charge, at a mere worsinal sum, and at the first meeting of the creditors they could elect an ac-

strong feeling in parliament to exempt farmers from the operation of of justice, who added that it would go a long way towards doing away with the feeling of distike that the con-trading classes had against simply to traders

Premier Laurier-You will see, genlemen, that the question is not free from difficulties. With this remark the proceedings terminated.

there will be a big cut in the esti-Hon. Wm. Pugsley has two partia-mentary notices in this week's Gazette One is for a dominion harter to the St. Lawrence and Maritime Provinces r.filmen along the Ottawa an extention of time for depositing the mill Railway Company, which has now a New Brunswick chanter. The other refuse into the river. Some mill owners are already making preparations to consume the sawdust. The time limit is up on let of May next. notice is for a federal charter to the Dominion Land Grazing and Cattle Co., with power to do a trading and Sir Wm. VaniHorne was in the city today and had an interview with Hon. transportation business in British Columbia and Yukon. Mr. Blair in reference to the proposed C. P. R. branch from Robson to Rossland. Mr. Blair has so far refused to approve of the place, which will en-

The minister of justice has made as produtment for tomorrow with the eath for poisoning her husbard. strong pleas for a respite are being

Mayor Bingam took the chief of ro tice with him today and waited upon P. D. Ross, editor of the Journal, and demanded a retraction of a certain oution. Mr. Bingam is at loggerhead not scare him, and aw no reason to

P. H. C. Benson has been appoin to fill Thos. Crimmen's place in the Chatham (Minimizal) custom house Patrick Connor has been appointed in place of W. T. Connors in the Chatam custom house, now temporari filled by Geo. B. Fraser, Mr. Fraser ervices have been discensed with.

MONTREAL, Jan. 11.-The London correspondent cables: Dr. Borden sails for home tomorr The statement is published that has arranged with the war office for an elaborate re-arrangement of Can-adian defences, including new depote for British troops at Vancouver and elsewhere on the Pacific, and much inoreased armaments. It is officially stated, however, that while Hon. Mr. Borden naturally discussed the latest necessities of Canada's defences, no elaborate plants of this kind are in view. The fact of credence being given to this statement shows that Canada's growing importance from an imperial standpoint, in view of the coming struggle between England, Russi Japan and America for the supremacy

of the Pacific.
Dr. D. McEachren, chief veterinar argeon of the dominton, is here. It understood he has hopes of inducing the board of agriculture to remove the schedule from Canadian cattle. s most improbable. Not even Cham-erlain, with all his Canadian sympathies, can act against the interests, supposed or real, of the British far-QUEBEC, Jan. 11.-It is reported

here on good authority that Louis Freshette of Manireal, the poetaureate of Camada, is to be appoint uccessor to Lieut. Governor Mackin MONTREAL, Jan. 12.—The Star's London correspondent cables: The Board of Trade returns for 1897 show that while the imports from all coun tries increased two per cent. over 1896 the imports from Canada increased 2 per cent. The chief increases are Theat, £782,000; cheese, £760,000: butter, £195,000; eggs, £15,000; timber, £1,303,000; castle, £487,000; fish, £91,-£103,000; sheep and lambs, £30,000; bacon, £172,000; hams, £105,000. The exports to Canada decreased meanly 6 er cent., and the exports to all coun-

ries over 2 per cent. imited, has presented a petition for he liquidation of James Huddart's Canadian-Australian Royal Mail madian-Australian Royal eamship Company, Limited. The

LONDON, Ont., Jan. 11.—The

MANCHESTER, ROBERTSON & ALLISON.

St. John, N. B. Dry Goods, Clothing, Carpets and Furniture

Men's Ulsters.

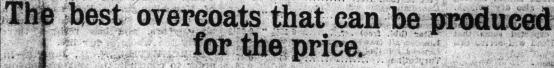
Heavy Frieze, well lined, Deep Storm Collars. \$5.00, - \$6.00, - \$8.00. Extra Qualities \$10.00, \$12.00.

Men's Reefers.

Grey Frieze, Deep Storm Collars \$5.00. Extra Quality Blue Beaver \$7.50, \$10.75.

Men's Overcoats.

Blue Beaver \$8.25, \$10.00. Black Beaver \$6.75, \$12.00. Black Melton \$10.00, \$13 90. Blue Melton \$1390, Dark Grey Cheviot \$15.00,



Manchester, Robertson & Allison.

SOUTHAMPTON, Ont., Jan. 13.-Indian reserve died Wednesday, aged 106, one of the survivors of the war of 1812. He was with Tecumseh during a part of the war and was also

at Queenstown Heights when Sir Isaac Brock was killed. WINNIPEG, Jan. 12.—Sir Charles Tupper left for the east this afternoon, going to Ottawa and thence to

BOMBAY, Jan. 12.-During the pas deaths from the plague and 167 fresh

TORONTO, Jan. 14.--In the legislature today Premier Hardy announced that the government had decided to withdraw the Lord's day ame act. He read a two column state giving the reasons. A spirited debate followed, in which Thomas Gibson, one of the oldest liberal members, de-clared his intention of voting against the government. The bill was originally introduced to please the Sabbath observance element, and imposed further restrictions on Sunday labor. Strong protests made from various sources, determined Hardy to abandon the programme. OTTAWA, Jam. 17.-The cabinet

was in session tonight discussing Mrs. Sternman's case. All the papers will go to the governor general The german counsel for the prisoner had a three hours' conference with the ministers this morning urging

Deputy Surgeon General Oliver of Halifax arrived here to arrange with the militia department for the manu-

for the militia. Lt. Tharp, A. D. C. to the governor reneral, has been promoted to the captancy and command of a company in the Rifle brigade.

General Manager Hays and Assistent General Manager Wainwright of the G. T. R. were engaged all afternoon with Messrs. Blair, Schreiber and General Traffic Manager Harris of the I. C. R., discussing the arrange-ments for the through extension of the government railway to Montreal and the terminal facilities there. Although it will be spring before the Drummond county road will be taken over, Hon. Mr. Blair wants to settle the details with the Grand Trunk be

Gauvreau, the new member for Temiscouata, will move the address ere will be a change in the inspec orship of fisheries for Manitoba short-

ly. Lateuche Tupper, the present in-spector, is to go because he is a "poi-titical partisan." He will be succeeded by Col. Clough, the former grit member for the Manitoba legislature. The Yukon mining regulati which will be promulgated in a few days, are a vast improvement on those adopted last August. The size of the claims is increased from 100 to 250 feet frontage, and while the royroyalty will be charged an any claim where the annual return is less than

the cost of recording a claim is reduced to \$15, with \$15 annual renewal A dredging license for rivers in five mile sections is \$500 per mile yearly. BELLEVILLE, Ont., Jan. 17,-Geo Licwlor, tramp, was sentenced this morning to six months and twelve lashes for criminally assaulting a six

TORONTO, Jan. 17.-The Ontario egislature was prorogued today Sir Oliver Mowat. This is the ession of the present house. NAPIERVILLE, Que., Jan. 17.—The apterville Woollen Mills, the property of A. Merizzi, were burned to the ground tonight. The loss is \$12,-

JOLIETTE, Que., Jan. 17.—The total Thos. Nulty for the murder of his three sisters and a brother was opened her this afternoon. The jury was easily secured, only ten challenges being made. Mr. Dugas for the crown stated he would attempt to prove that the murder was carefully and deliberately planned. The defence expects to prove insanity. The trial will probably last all week

ST. SCHOLASTIQUE, Que., Jan. 17. In the trial of Sam Parslow and Mrs. Isidore Pointer for the murder of the woman's husband, the crown will endeavor to prove that the woman first life, and then, with the assistance of were examined.

FREDERICTON.

Senator Wark Purchases Property Mrs. G R. Parkin Returns to Toronto.

FREDERICTON, Jan. 17.-It is un nstood that Senator Wark has purased the property where he now resides. The property is on the corner of Brunsivick and York streets, opposite the Baptist church, and is one of the finest residences in the city. Sensitor Wark, who has recently completed his ninety-fourth ammiversary. s still hearty and vigorous, and looks forward with considerable interest to the opening of parliament next month. Mrs. Geo. R. Parkin, who has been on a visit, returned to Toronto

PRONOUNCED INCURABLE.

No Case of Catarrh Too Acute, or of Too Long Standing but Ur. Agnew's Catarrhal Powder Can Alley and Cure—When All Else Fall it Cures— Try it First and Save Experiment

We used all known Catarrh cures, and treated with most skilful physicians for over three years, and her case was pronounced chronic and incurable. Last winter we hear of the wonderful cures effected by Dr. Ag-new's Catarrhal Powder. A bottle was procured, and I here state for the benefit and

HALIFAX.

The Bermuda Cable—Call to Rev. J. B. Mc. Kay of Dorchester.

HALIFAX, N. S., Jan. 17,-The extension of the Halifax and Bernuda cable to Turks Island was in opera-tion today for the first time. Messages were sent from Turks Island to Hom. Joseph Chamberlain, the presi-dent of the United States and goverdent of the United States and gover-ror general of Canada. The message to Lord Aberdeen was: Cable from Turks Island opened today. May it tend to increase the commerce be-tween the Dominion of Canada and there islands." The entension through to Jamaica will be completed in a

chester. The call was forw the afternoon train. The date of inthe afternoon train. The date of in-duction is fixed for February 1st.

The Kentville board of trade today elected officers as follows: President, C. S. Nixon; vice-president, C. L. Dodge; secretary, C. E. Calkin.

The city council will hold a meeting

tomorrow night to discuss a resolu-tion voting \$125,000 for the construction of a grain elevator at this port. The trial of Capt. Street, charge with sinuagiling, is still on at North Sydney. The whereabouts of the cap-tain, who escaped from jall Friday, are yet unknown. The jail is guarded night and day so as to make sure the crew will not escape. After the trial of the captain and crew is completed, proceedings against the citizens will

Dissatisfaction exists in the London office of the Dominion Atlantic railway on account of the poor showing of the company's new steamer Prince Edward, Capt. A. N. McGray, running between Yarmouth and this city, and which has falled to come up to her contract speed. She was built by the Earle Ship Building company of Hull, Eng., and was guaranteed speed en knots an hour. Sim was placed on the route she has failwas placed on the route she has failed to average more than sixteen knots. General Manager William R. Campbell of London requested the resignation of Chief Engineer William J. Mine, who was taken from the steamer Prince Rupert and placed on the former vessel. The ship building company sent over Engineer H. Gardner Smith, who has not obtained any more speed than his predecessor and she speed than his predecessor, and she may be thrown back on her builders' hands.—Boston Post.

Diggs Is your daughter improving in her plane playing? Biggs—She is cither improving or else we are getting used to it; I don't know which—Chicago News.

"Do you seriously wish to be un stood, Miss Howlames, as saying a, man can't love but once?" sir. I wish to be understood as say that a man can love but once."

| Retail | R

 Rabbits, per pair.
 0 15

 Butter (in tubs).
 0 14

 Butter (lump), per lb.
 0 14

 Dairy roll.
 0 20

 Butter (creamery)
 0 20

 Eggs, per doz.
 0 20

 Eggs (henery), per doz.
 0 28

 Cranberries, per quart.
 0 00

 Apples, per peck.
 0 20

 Lard (in (ubs).
 0 13

 Mutton, per lb.
 0 08

 Beams, per peck.
 0 25

 Potatoes, per peck.
 0 20

 Cabbage, each.
 0 05

Cranberries, per doz.

Cranberries, per quart...

Apples, per peck
Lard (in tube)...

Mutton, per lb.

Beans, per peck...

Potatoes, per peck...

Cabbage, each

uash, per lb.....

FISH.

per lb, finuest.... 0 22
per lb, gc d..... 0 18
per lb, common... 0 11
per lb 0 30

GRAIN, SEEDS, HAY, ETC.

FLOUR, MEAL, ETC.

FRUITS, ETC.

There are very few changes. Currants are very firm. Valencia oranges are higher, or-

wheat meal, gray..... wheat meal, yellow oba hard wheat lan high grade femily.

This list is without change this

musical voice:
"Aimee, are the "No, Monsieur; world. My father no friends. I ha give them! but I mee, in a troubled "Is there no o asked Le Noir, in "Monsieur, I am reared by a tende mangled in the socie It may be that I d is," and she blushed in the socie It may be that I d is," and she blushed in "If you had look town it," said Le tone. "If there you could giadly di you could waste the night in endles being whom you whose every spoke whose every spoke sweetest music, a in the night and i sighs; whose voice your dreams, and ing and happy wit tores; one for who jealous that you in sleep, so that h you bask in the have you ever love "No," said the No, said the Aimee.

"Then you have Noir, white with phas awakened like icy brooks still hand there a spot sorgsters trill a fechilly breast. Ballove. When love incorrial summer.

silent a moment,

imperial summer. ates with life, a and margin of a ings to Heaven. scm. Heavens, loved!" "Why would M loved thus?" ask "Because," he would have you with him to who with him to whor this may be your "Then," said Ai lower, "there was love thus. He was ne. He is an A face of a hero and He is great in h have let him pres telk to me of lov day on earth. Car shall carry that I ven!"

The face of the and he shivered a spoke again in a lo "It is pride in hyou call love, or a But be honest whose his beauty beauty the space when the ship is the sh gence gone from brown curls all t and the drivelling lips. Suppose his the hand while s timbling step Aimee looked

as the helpless the of a noble race, never mate with impossible. You picture to torture "Ah," said Le never loved. Starit was to be low pure child's facel a cloud of sunny O God, pure as the ed his brow and said: "Your God you think He was to get the said of you think He w Well, then, Aime day to send your or east you into t men, to be consor fate do you choo show you first. took her trembli her after him. I of the old abbe curses of a drund er and louder in was pushed open old refectory of t of Le Noir's gand table deep in a dr they saw their v "It's the Capta Captain! And so cage. Ah the lit two sprung to al "For God's sal tain! The othe die." and, shive Captain's arm.

THE MARKETS. Revised Every Monday for the Weekly Sun. COUNTRY MARKET. The scarcity of strictly choice potatoes is still noted, and any offered bring a high price, but there are plenty of poor grades. Poor quality butter is too plentiful. The ange of price in poultry is very wide, as setween the poorer frozen and the best fresh tock. Meats are unchanged, also eggs, and regetables generally. Wholesate.

Beef (butchers') per carcass 0 07
Beef (country), per qr lb. 0 02
Lamb, per lb. 0 05
Pork, fresh, pcr lb. 0 04
Shoudders 0 08
Hams, per lb 0 11
Rabbits, per pair 0 08
Butter (in turs), per lb 0 12
Butter (creamery) 0 00
Dairy (roll) 0 16
Apples, per bll 2 00
Fowl 0 20

 Bananas
 1 50

 Cal. Navel oranges
 4 00

 Can. onions, per bbl
 0 00

 Val. oranges, case
 4 50

 Oranges, per bbl
 0 00

 Malaga grapes, per bbl
 6 50

 LUMBER AND LIME. Shippers are not buying and shippers are not buying and ther prices are purely nominal. A leading per last week offered to send a cargo ward and sell it, but he would not himself. An encouraging feature is placing of some orders, likely to be creased, for France and Spain, and cargoes are shortly to go to South Am and Australia. The British market i dull as ever, and the American no bet Spruce deals, city hills 0 00 shingles, N. 1 0 00 Spruce boards 6 00 Spingles, No. 1, extra 0 00 Shingles, clears 0 00 Shingles, clears 0 00 Shingles, extra 0 00 Arostook P. B., shipping 0 00 Pine shippers 0 10 ERFIGHTS. market is lifeless, and

Cod are unchanged, Grand Manan herring have lately turned easier; also dry policek. Frozen cod and haddock are easier. One dollar per 100 is asked for Dark Harbor frozen herring. It is expected some that were caught off North Head will arrive this

> Old Mines Sydney 000 per ton..... 0 0 IRON, NAILS, ETC.

> > TOPIALT PORTIONAL MINERY SETTING "Your little Jim seems to be popular ith the other small boys."

lar? The other day he asked me if he

could give each of his boy friends an

apple, and when I came down stairs

entire barrelful was gone."-Detroit Free Press.

RUNNING SORES.

There is nothing that will so waste and wear away the health as a running sore. Burdock Blood Bitters heals, and dries up sores and ulcers. no matter how large or of how long standing, by cleansing the blood of all impurities and sending rich pure life-giving blood to the diseased part, thereby supplanting the decaying tissue with healthy healing flesh.

Mr. Stephen Wescott, Freeport, N.S., found (Burdock Blood Bitters) a wonderful blood purifier and gives his experience as follows: "I was very much run down in health and employed our local physician who attended me three months, finally my leg broke out in running sores with fearful burning. I had thirteen running sores at one time. from my knee to the top of my foot.
All the medicine I took did me no d, so I threw it aside and tried B.B.B.; when one-half the bottle was gone, I noticed a change for the tter, and by the time I had finished two bottles my leg was perfectly healed and my health greatly im-

OVER THE PROVINCE. Campbellton's Outing Club Reception

a Great Success.

YMAUWAL News of Interest from Upham, Parleeville Honewell Hill, White's Cove, Fredericton Junction and Other Places -Albert Municipal Council.

WOODSTOCK, Jan. 13.-The nominations for the mayor and town councillors were held today. There is no opposition to Mayor Hay, who retains the office for another year. All the old councillors, B. Jones, A. Henderson, R. B. Ketchum, J. A. Lindsay and John Graham, were re-nominated, and two new candidates, James Carr and David Hipwell.

The county council was in session all day, and an interesting and ex-

naustive debate arose over the means of enforcing the Scott act. There was quite an elaborate enquiry into the Scott act accounts, and inspector Colpitts and Police Magistrate Dibblee were called upon to give a report of the accounts handled by them. A resolution was passed that the resolu-tion of June, 1894, authorizing the enforcement of this act, regardless of costs, be rescinded. It was moved that the inspector's salary be increased from \$300 to \$400, and an amendment made that the salary remain as it is, \$300. Finally an amendment was agreed upon and carried, under which the inspector shall be paid the salary of \$350 a year.

RICHIBUCTO, Jan. 13.-The political power known as Blairism was turned on again this week. Leslie J. Wathen, who has the contract of carrying the daily mail from the express rains at Harcourt to here, a distance of twenty-seven miles, has had his factory. contract cancelled. Mr. Wathen has been the contractor for the past ten years or more, and he has been giving a splendid service, especially during the winter storms, rarely if ever miss-ing a trip. The new contractor is Hugh M. Ferguson of Kingston, who wrote the famous lenter to Col. Dom-ville last winter, signed Mr. Ferguson, J. P., of Kent, containing false changes against Dosithie Richard, inspector of weights and measures. Fer-

guson says the government has been coaring him for some time to take the mail service. He also states that his bundamen are two cabinet ministers, so that the whole job appears to be a solkl one. The Farmers' Institute held three

ins at Kingston yesterday. Mrs. Grogan, wife of John Groga of Kouchibouguac, died suddenly a few days ago. The deceased was aged sixty years, and has resided there nearly the whole of her life.

DORCHESTER, N. B., Jan. 13.-In v. McNaughton et al, an evening session of the circuit court was held this evening. On reassembling at seven o'clock Judge Hanington in a charge of two hours' length stated the facts of the case as they appeared, and the This suit has been most thoroughly argued, and the addresses by counsel representing both plaintiff and defendant trong and convincing. Hon. Judge McLeod reached here this afternoon, and tomorrow morn-

ing will try the suit of Winters v Peters. This is an action for damages done a building owned by plaintiff by water which flowed against the ellar wall from a hole dug by waintiff on his own land. Messrs. Teed and Powell for plaintiff. Messrs. Chandler and Welch for defendants. DORCHESTER, Jan. 13, 1 a. m.-The fury in Bigelow v McNaughton have just returned linto court. Upon their finding the learned judge direct ed a verdict for plaintiff as follows Damages for breach of bond value of the estate of late P. P. McNaughton. \$516.90; pllaintiff's claim, \$902.51. Great has been manifested in this suit , and fully fifty were present when the verdict was returned.

MONCTON, Jan. 13.—The funeral of the late John L. Harris took place this aftennoon and was very largely sittended. The funeral cortege was the largest ever seen in Moncton, citizens generally and many friends and business acquaintances from outside points being present to pay a last trioute of respect to the deceased gentleman. Flags were at half mast over the city building, the public schools many business establishments and private residences, while blinds were drawn during the funeral hour. The funeral service was at the family denice and was conducted by Rev. J. Millen Robinson, pastor of St. ohn's Presbyterian church. choir of St. John's church lead in the singing of deceased's favorite hymns singing of deceased's ravorice hymns. There were many beautiful floral tributes, including the following furnished by Gould's conservatory at Sussex: From Keith lodge, No. 23, F. and A. M., of which deceased was a past master, Moncton, large square and compass of crimson white carna ions with letter "G" of white hyanths; from Botsford Royal Arch Chapter, of which he was a past high priest, a beautiful triangle of red and white carnations, bonvarile and malden hair fern; from Ivanhoe Preceptory, Knights Templar, of which he was a charter member, large wreath of heather and smilax surrounding Maltese cross of carnations, hysteinths and lifty of valley. The pall bearens were Senator Wood of Sackville, J. DeWolf Spurr of St. John, Dr. E. B. Chandler, R. A. Borden, barrister, and J. W. Binney, collector of cus-

Adolphus Li Mitchell, engineer in the I. C. R. shops, was attacked with a rush of blood to the head this afternoon, and died tonight about 9 o'clock He was about fifty years of age, and leaves a wife and family.

FREDERICTON, Jan. 13.—In county court today the case of Brewer v. Lawrence was finished. A verdict was given for the plaintiff for \$118.50; Vanwert, Q. C., for plaintiff and Beck-Rice v. Moffatt is now before the court, an action for wages. J. D.

nney, Q. C., for plaintiff and Mr. Last night two men drove to the on at Upper Corner was discovered to alms house after ten o'clock, rang the be on fire. The sound of the alarm keeper's bell, and when the official was promptly given for the Sussex came to the door he ound a crying fire department building at Lower baby wrapped up on his door sten. baby wrapped up on his door step and saw the parties driving away from the gate. This morning the autheir equipment, were on their thorities placed the case with Detective Roberts, who succeeded in tracing the parties out. The mother was found and also the parties leaving the child, who were compelled to admit their acts and take the child home. It is understood that at a meeting of the provincial board of health held here last night the government will cows of the province tested for tuberculcsis next summer. This will be a good job for somebody if carried cut. The Sun is asked to state that the statement as to the St. Dunstan's parish library is in one point not correct. The library is open to everyone, whatever be his religion or his lack of religion. Among other books of reference is the Encyclopedia Britaninea and the historical books including authors such as Alzog, Gibbon, Lecky, Montalembert. A large part of the library as left by Rev. Father Mc-Devitt is composed of books on Holy Scripture and dogmatic theology in French. It is hoped that within the text two or three months a number

of English recent books will be added.
MONCTON, Jam. 14.—A largely atended ag icultural meeting was held at Fox Creek tonight. Premier Emer-son, Hon. C. H. Labillois and local members were present. An address in English was presented to Premier Emmerson and in French to Minister Labillois. Hon. Mr. Emmerson reolied in English and Hon. Mr. Labillois in both languages. Addresses were also delivered by representatives from the experimental farm, local members, Father Legere and others. The meeting lasted till midnight, and much interest was displayed. Hon. Mr. Emmerson stated that the policy of the government was not yet given a fair trial.

At Victoria the rush of miners for the Klondyke region has commenced, and outfitting firms report an encouraging demand. General business is good for the season, and payments are most satisfactory. At Vancouver the outlook is generally good, and

there is an increase in shipping.

The annual meeting of the York municipal council meets here on Tuesday next.

DORCHESTER, N. B., Jan. 14.-In the circuit court, Winters v. Peters, with Messrs. Teed and Powell for plaintiffs, and Chandler and Welch representing defendant, came up be-fore Justice McLeod this morning and has been pushed forward rapidly. It is however, an intricate question, and it is thought will not be finished until the middle of next week. As the full court meets at Fredericton on Tuesday, the 25th, it would appear that some one of the cases set for trial at this circuit will have to stand over. CHATHAM, Jan. 14.—Senator Snow-

bull's business manager here is pre-paring to have extensive repairs made on the Snowball mill. Four new boilers and a new furnace will be put in. Mr. Mooney of St. John has the contract for the brick work, and is expected here in a few days. The report of the president of the

Miramichi Steam Navigation company showed an increase in the earnings of the steamer Nelson and a deficit, without the subsidy, in the earnings of the steamer Miramichi. An amount was set apart for a reserve fund and a five per cent. dividend was ordered to be paid. The same officials were re-elected.

Capt. and Mrs. Pelly of the Salvation army will "farewell" here on Sunday. They have been assigned to west end, St. John. New officers are expected to take charge here. Hon. Mr. Adams of Newcastle, who

has been confined to his home with liness for a couple of weeks, is able to be about again.
The funeral of the late Mrs. Curran

of the Welllington street school teachens' staff, was held at 9.30 Wednesday forencon and was largely attended. The schools were all closed and about 400 scholars over twelve years of age, under the management of Dr. Cox, preceded the hearse. The casket was adorned with beautiful floral offerings. The interment was in St. Michael's cemetery.

SUSSEX, Jam. 14.—The Board of Trade meeting at the offices & King, last of White, Allison evening was well attended, various matters discussed connection with business of Sussex. A proposition looking towards the formation of a canning factory was discussed and correspond ence received on the subject ordered to be continued. The committee on re-naming the streets and cost same made recommendations, which were briefly discussed and given another month in which to present further information. The subject of the incomporation of Sussex was fully discussed, a number of the members pre-sent addressing the meeting, among them being John H. Richmond, H. H. Dryden, C. Mitchell, Col. Beer, W. J. Mills and Ora P. King. The was quite thoughtfully gone into, but was had A resolution was passed authorizing a committee of three to correspond with officers and others of various towns in the maritime provinces so as to have the data of their experience in the matter of incorporation, and as to the taxes arising the upon, said committee consisting of Murray Huestis, Ora P. King and W. J. Mills, and to report as fully as possible next meeting.

At a little after nine o'clock

nerning the handsome and costly re-HOPES FULFILLED.

The following letter tells what ple think about Laxa-Liver Pilis: Dear Sirs,—I gladly testify to the virtues of Laxa-Liver Pills. I used to be troubled with severe headarnes and coastipation for a long time and tock these pills, hoping for a cure and my hopes were rapidly fulfilled.
I have found them a never-falling remedy, and heartly recommend

MRS. S. LAWSON,

Corner and soon the fire laddles, with to the burning building and would no doubt have saved it had a sufficient a most envilable record as a temperquantility of water been obtainable. As ance society, will celebrate its forty it was, no doubt through their noble and presseworthy exertions, all the outbuildings, which contained large quantities of hay, grain, farming implements, stock, vehicles and other materially usually found in a well! equipped place like the Messrs. Tufts possessed would have been wholly destroyed. The insurance on the dwelling was eight thousand dollars, distributed as follows: \$2,000 each in Royal of England; Liverpool, London and Globe, and Imperial and Lanca-shire; and on furniture, \$2,000 in the Liverpool, London and Globe. James Tufts, sr., and \$600 in Norwich Union for James Tufts, jr., which companies are represented by Major T. Edwin Arnold, insurance agent in Sussex, who was promptly on hand to watch the interests of these companies. The greater part of the furniture was removed from the building, although erably damaged. It is understood that the Messrs. Tufts, with their families, will be able to move into a comfortable building within a short distance from their farm, owned by Mrs. Marvin, which is fortunately un-

Lever Bros. (Ltd.), manufacturers of Sunlight soap in England, some time ago offered a free trip to England to twenty-five merchants in the different provinces in Canada selling the greatest quantity of the Sunlight during the year 1897. Today Messes. Huestis & Mills. merchants of Sussex, received word from the head office that they were one of the successful competitors for the province of New Brunswick, and are in onsequence entitled to a free trip to Sumlight and London, G. B., during the coming summer.

Frank Ross was united in marriage

by Rev. Father Savage, P. P., on Wednesday evening last to Jennie Morgan, daughter of Patrick Morgan of Carsonville. A number of the young folks of Sussex attended the tieing of the nuptial knot, which took place at the Roman Catholic church at Millstream. Studholm.

UPHAM, Kings Co., Jan. 14,-A quiet wedding took place at Mrs. Hannah Fowler's on Wednesday, the 12th, at 5.30 p. m., when her daughter, Morence Alberta, was married to William D. Fowler, son of Wm. Fowler of Lakeside, and clerk in the employ of the G. & G. Flewelling Co. at Hampton Village. The ceremony was performed by Rev. L. J. Wason in the presence of a small number of relatives and immediate friends. At 10 p. m. the bridal couple left for their new home at Hampton Village

Dr. J. H. Allen of Ontario, a graduate of McGill College, has lately located at Barnesville. His office is at the house of Samuel Bell.

Much sympathy is felt in the com-munity for Jonathan Titus, who through reverses has been compelled to vacate his farm at Titusville, on which he has lived for many years. Mr. Titus, who is a deacon of the Bapwarm interest in all church affairs will be greatly missed. The farm is now the property of Walter Belf of

Rev. Mr. Hubley of Sussex Reform ed Enteronal church administered the nent of the Lord's supper in Upham hall on Sunday evening last. Great inconvenience is being experi enced by people in this neighb on account of the absence of the bridge near Tracy's crossing, on the Ham-mond river. The old structure was removed last spring, and the new approaches have been ready for some nths. It is high time that the government officials who are responsible for the erection of the new bridge were attending to their business.

PARLEEVILLE, Kings Co., Jan. 13. This place is losing some of its most popular young people. Some time ago Hery Parlee left for St. John; Victor Parles recently secured a position at Norton; Miss Smith has removed to Carleton Co., and Sterling Parlee will spend a few months in Toronto; while Miss Ella Humphrey will leave next week for Melrose, Mass. Mrs. Dr. Second is also about to remove to

Carleton Co. Miss Allice Evans of St. John paid a short visit to friends here last week. Mr. and Mrs. Edmund Parlee spent Christmas with their daughter, Mrs. Copp, Jolicure, Westmorland Co. Inspector R. P. Steeves paid the school a visit Jan. 10th.

BELLEISLE CREEK, Kings Co. Jan. 13.—One of the most popula young men of the place, S. L. T. Me-Kniight, who recently returned from a trip to Manitoba, left Jan. 1st to take charge of a school in Port Elgin Westmortand Co. The evening before his brother Foresters of Court Belle-isle presented him with a handsome fountain pen. At the same time Mr. and Mrs. Edward Northrup and Mr. and Mrs. William Murray were preented with a half dozen silver spoons.

New Year's day with Mr. and Mrs. Menzile, E. S. Settlement. It is reported that next time he comes he will carry off their only daughter. HAVELOCK, Kings Co., Jan. 13.--

spain of horses attached to a sled, and owned by Zebulon Corey of Caanan, ran away last evening, and although search was made for them they could not be found. However, today they were found, apparently mone the worse for having been out in the cold all

Mr. and Mrs. Robinson of the Elgin and Havelock railway are receiving congratulations of the birth of a

The lumbermen are all in the woods present, but comparable with ber will be gotten out this winter LeBaron Dimock of the Elgin and lavelock railway has purchased a fast

Wilfred Corey, who went to the States a few weeks ago, has returned home. He reports times very duil.

Mr. Sterett, principal of the super-tor school of Havelock has moved his ntily here. They will occupy the use owned by John Regan.

HOPEWELL HILL, Albert Co., Jan 13.—At a recent session of Golden Rule division, S. of T., a specially prepared programme of ententainment parel programme of entertainment was presented and a most enjoyable evening spent. Coffee, cake and other refreshments were served by the lady members, toasts given and addresses

eighth anniversary at an early date.

Edgar Cannon was in the village this week in the interests of the Daily and Weekly Sun. Frank E. Hoar, son of S. S. Hoar, formerly of this place, has formed a law partnership with Judge Mead at Shell Lake, Wis. Mr. Hoar recently passed his examination for attorney

the press of Shell Lake as a young man of much promise. His friends here are glad to learn of his success. The schooner Nellie I. White was at the Fathom the first of the week, and passed down the bay Tuesday night. Moses Prescott of Eastport, Me., is visiting his son, Geo. D. Prescott, the well known lumberman of West River. Pitt Murray, son of Dr. S. C. Murray, has gone to St. John to resume his studies at Kerr's Business Col-

on Tuesday and broke her forearm.

S. S. Stevens of Memel recently had a six months old calf that had never had any teeth. The animal had to be

MEDUCTIC, York Co., Jan. 13.-Rev. Mr. Baker of St. John has been holding special meetings in the Reformed Baptist church at Lower Southampton, Rev. Mr. Sherwood of Gibson has charge of the church there

and at Meductic. Rev. Mr. Williams has taken charge of the F. C. Baptist church at this Rev. Mr. Todd is now holding week-

ly services in the Baptist church. The on Sunday next at three o'clock, when Rev. Mr. Todd' will preach an appropriate sermon.

The old superior school has changed Mr. Girdwood has had charge of the school for nine years. He has gone to the superior school at North Head, Grand Manan, He is succeeded by A. E. Pearson of Apohaqui, Kings county.

Lack of lumbering caused by low

prices is making business dull along the river this winter. Formerly the people of Meductic hauled tan bark to Benton, but prices

have been lowered fifty cents per cord nothing is being done in tan bark. Miss Moore is lying dangerously ill. Dr. Watson of Houlton is in attend

E. Moore, who has invented a numter of things, has just completed and is now having patented at Ottawa and Washington an electric switch for electric railways. He has had it at Woodstock, and finds that it works perfectly when attached to the dynamo. He is now at Washington. He has been offered a good figure by a Woodstock man for a half interest. Two Mormon elders are holding spe cial meetings in this community.

WHITE'S COVE, Queens Co., Jan lic auction. The cows sold very low ranging in price from \$7.50 to \$10.50. A large quantity of hav is being hauled from the intervales along the St. John river. About fifty loads pas

through here daily. The residence of Peter Knight caught fire on Wednesday and burnt quite a large hole in the roof before it The subscribers in this place to the

Weekly Sun are expressing them-selves highly pleased at receiving the first part of that paper on Saturday. Francis McDermott has carpenters at work finishing the interior of his

Christie and Blair Kennedy are get ting out a large quantity of soft wood for the Rockland market. Harry and Fred Cross are engaged in the same Mr. and Mrs. C. W. White spend

Sunday at English settlement, the guests of Mr. and Mrs. I. D. Pearson Mr. Patterson of Coady station visiting at Francis McDermott's. Roads have been staked on Grand Lake from Robertson's Point to

Scotchtown and from Fanjoy's Point Joseph Hattfield of Fredericton is doing this place, repairing clocks and

Randolph Ferris of Newburyport is here spending the winter.

John Mullin exchanged his trotting mare with Lee Knight for a draft

CAMPBELLTON, Restigouche Co. Jam. 13.—The reception given by the Campbellton Outing club in their rooms tonight was the social event of the season, about one hundred guests being present. The bank kindly gave use of the hall and rooms for the occasion, the other tenants of building also throwing open rooms. The building was very fully decorated and a most enjo evening spent. The chaperons were Mrs. J. S. Benedict, Mrs. H. F. Mc-Latchy and Mrs. W. I. Cates. Among Miss Benedict, Mr. and Mrs. Wm Rennels, Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Mc Latchy, Dr. and Mrs. W. I. Cates. Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Patterson, Dr. and Mrs. Murray, Dr. and Mrs. Doherty, Mr. and Mrs Flett, Mr and Mrs.

LA GRIPPE SCOURGE.

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Who Has Not Been a Vietim? — Who has not had Just the Experience of Mr. Curtis?— Who may not Have the Relief South American Nervine

"As a result of a severe attack of la grippe suffered greatly from weakness and loss of appetite. I saw testimonials of the curative powers of South American Nervine and determined to give it a trial for my case Purchased it, and almost immediately began to improve. My strength returned to me very rapidly. When I had taken three bottles I had developed a voracious appetite. I am as well today as ever I was, and am safe in saying that I can attribute it to South American Nervine, and no words of mine in recommending it could be too strong." C. J. Curtis, Windsor, Ont. Witnessed by F.F. H. Laing, druggist.

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By a Well-Known New York Author.

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SECOND PART.

on her couch and ate heartily of the rough viands spread before her. Then, with the same simplicity she would have used at her father's knee in childhood, she knelt down, and closing her eyes, she prayed. Did some old spirit that had long haunted these sacred ruins while in the flesh, pow come back in the spirit to find a purer soul in childish tones putting up a prayer of simpler falth than he ever knew? Let us hope so. It will do us no harm, and it may be a comfort to us in trial to dream that ministering spirits care for human that ministering spirits care for human sufferings and human aspirations. When sufferings and human aspirations. When the melting tones ceased and she arose, she saw that she was not alone in the room. Captain Le Noir stood with his arms folded across his breast, gazing fixedly at her. Did she imagine it, or was there moisture shining in his gleaming black eyes? He stood silent a moment, and then asked, in a musical voice:

Then she knelt with her face to the wait and silently prayed. As she prayed with absorbed attention, she did not notice the distorted features of Le Noir.

"Almee, are there many whom you to ve?"

"No, Monsieur; I am lonely in the world. My fether is dead and I have no friends. I have enemies, God forgive them! but few friends," said Aimee, in a troubled tone.

"Is there no one whom you love?" asked Le Noir, in a sterner tone.

"Monsieur, I am but a girl. I was reared by a tender father, and never mangled in the society of the great world. It may be that I do not know what love is," and she blushed and hid her face.

"If you had loved, you would have known it," said Le Noir, in a passionate tone. "If there were one being whom you could gadly die for, for whose smile you could waste the day in watching or the night in endless toil: if there were a being whom you could geast your eyes upon from the foot to the head: one whose every spoken word should be the succetest music, and you would awake min the night and imagine you heard his sighs; whose voice would came to you in your dreams, and you would awake smiling and happy with the echo of his tores; one for whom you would be so jealous that you would touch his face in sleep, so that he might awake and let you bask in the light of his eyes—girl, have you even loved like the did not hear him groan and say:

"It is because she is pure as an angel that he gave her his love. God would not give so black a heart such a love. Pure, pure—O God, she is pure."

Almee did not see the transformation taking place behind her—a cap tossed away and black ringlets parted in the middle pouring down on a trembling breast in the long military cloak which lay upon the couch. She did not see the transformation taking place behind her—a cap tossed away and black ringlets parted in the middle pouring down on a trembling away of a man's coat and the draping of a swelling breast in the long military cloak which lay upon the couch. She did not see that casting away of a man's coat and the draping of a swelling breast in the long military cloak which lay upon the couch. She did not see that casting away of a man's coat and the draping of a swel in sleep, so that he might awake and let you bask in the light of his eyes—girl, have you ever loved like that?"

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"Then you have never loved," said Le Noir, white with passion. "Your nature has awakened like a late spring with icy brooks still hidden, but with here and there a spot of green. Shivering sorgsters trill a few thin notes in your chilly breast. Bah! and some call that love. When love comes it is king, like imperial summer. The very earth pulsates with life, and every little mound and margin of a pool sends up its offerings to Heaven. Every bough has its scng-bird, and every little weed its blossem. Heavens, child, you have never loved!"

Why would Monsieur know if I have loved thus?" asked Aimee with bowed

head.

"Because," he answered fiercely, "I would have you as honest with me as with him to whom you prayed. Aimee, this may be your last day on earth!"

"Then," said Aimee, as her head bent lower, "there was a man whom I could love thus. He was a prisoner here with me. He is an American. He has the face of a hero and the heart of a saint. He is great in heart and soul, and I have let him press his lips to mine and telk to me of love. If this be my last telk to me of love. If this be my last day on earth. Captain Le Noir, then I shall carry that love with me to Hea-

The face of the Captain grew pale, and he shivered as with cold, but he spoke again in a lower tone:

"It is pride in his beauty, then which you call love, or mayhap in his courage. But be honest with me, Aimee. Suppose his beauty blighted and the intelligence gone from his eye. Surpose his brown curls all tossed about his head, and the drivelling of ideocy on these red lips. Suppose him a child to be led by the hand while strong men laughed at his stumbling steps. Could you love him then?"

Aimee looked up in surprise, and an-

"I loved him as a man! I loved him for his intellect gleaming out of his eyes! I cannot conceive of my noble Captain as the helpless thing you picture, I am of a noble race, Le Noir, and would never mate with such as that, But it is impossible. You only paint a horrible picture to torture me."

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"Ah." said Le Noir, "I knew you had never loved. Stand up; let me see what it was to be loved. A child's face-a pure child's face! A girlish form, and a cloud of sunny hair. But pure, pure-O God, pure as the snow!" and he clasped his brow and shuddered. Then he said: "Your God you were praying to-you think He will save you from ill. Well, then. Aimee, know this; I am to-day to send your pure soul to Heaven or cast you into the hands of my savage men, to be consort with them and to be dragged down to their level. Which fate do you choose? But wait—I will show you first. Come with me," and he took her trembling hand and dragged her after him. Down the vacant aisles of the old abbey, with the songs and curses of a drunken crowd growing louder and louder in her ears; then a door was pushed open, and they stood in the old refectory of the abbey, where a score of Le Noir's gang were sitting at a long table deep in a drunken carousal. When they saw their visitors a shout went up. "It's the Captain! Live the little black Captain! And see! his s ag-bird for the cage. Ah the little beauty!" and one or two sprung to approach her.

"For God's sake, take me away, Captain! The other fate, Captain—let me die." and, shivering, she cump to he Captain's arm. Back in his prison, she sank down on her conch with a cry of despair. "Oh, why must this fate be mine?"

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"You had been here before," said the crone. "Then you had company and money was able to ransom you, but you are not here for money now. I think you are in the old abbey to stay," and she chuckled.

"Then I am in the power of Le Noir, the bandit captain. He is so young he cannot be hard. I will soon be free," said Aimee, with clasped hands.

"Yes," said the crone, "Le Noir is young in years, but old in deviltry. But I know nothing of his plans, my pretty bird; he will do as ke wills; no one says him nay but once, and his objection is generally his epitaph. Good-bye, my bird," and she hobbled away, chuckling to herself.

Aimee founded hopes on the discovery that she was again at the old abbey and in the power of Le Noir. She sat down on her couch and ate heartily of the rough viands spread before her. Then, with the same simplicity she would have used at her father's knee in childhood, she knelt down, and closing her eyes, she prayed. Did some old spirit that had long haunted these sacred ruins while in the flesh, pow come back in the superfluous in the way of others. It is that marvellous English theory of Monsieur. Barwin—the law of celection. The weak go to the wall, and the strong live and prosper. It is a grand theory for ban-dits and red-handed murderens, and your God does not interfere. Society grinds its flour, its Canaille, its bran. The poor are in the mud, and the rich make road-ways of their bones. The poor but beautiful women have only a resting-place for a time among the demi-monde, and then the law goes on. Do you choose to de. Mademoiselle?"

"Yes, Monsieur-I til did. You shall put your pistol to any head and send me the administration in the way of thee Marquis Larue. You shall prove the wall, and the strong live and prosper. It is a grand theory for ban-did source in the law goes on the society of the Mally of the make of the wall, and the strong live and prosper. It is a grand theory for ban-did source in the law of others. It is flour, its Canaille, its bran. The pow are in the may of the make whole world, and they died with pure hearts and firm hopes on the Son of God. I forgive you, Captain. See! I lay here a ring. It was my mothers, tiere is a little ring my tather gave me at my last birthday. You will send them to the office of the American them to the office of the American Minister for the brave man I spoke of,

notice the distorted features of Le Noir. She did not hear him groan and say:

black horse; and on each steed rode a woman's willowy form. That night Aimee dismounted at the door of 'he American Legation and was felled in the embrace of Napoleon Smith, and the name of Le Noir, the bandit chief, was only heard in stories of the past. He had perished from the earth, apparently, and only lived in his deeds and their memory.

CHAPTER XVIII.

In the joy of once more meeting his love, my friend Napoleon Smith had apparently forgotten his immense treasure. As he walked my office to and fro, with his lips pouring out that detestable habit indigenous to the United States—for I know no other nation that expresses surprise by a whistle, or indicates deep thought by the tone of the same human accomplishment, or gives vent to joy by the same shrill sound—I noticed that it was a happy note he warbled with such unction, and his favorite air. So I remarked in a vexed manner:

"Smith, you might allow your mouth to assume its natural appearance for a moment while you ask about that buried treasure. A man does not come

buried freasure. A man does not come into possession of eight or nine tons of gold coins often enough to make it a commonplace event."

"Ah, yes, Mr. Secretary, how about that money? Eight or nine tons, you say; I never supposed there was that quantity of gold in the world," and he attempted to which seems to the second of to whistle again.

"There is many times that quantity in circulation in the world, but it is often quiet and unseen. It is represented in bank bills, and often a nation does business for years without an eye scarcely seeing the real gold which the paper money represents. But in our case we have eight or nine tons of gold coin. It bears the stamp of all nations. Have you given any thought to the problem of getting it home to the United States? I have it in the cellars here, packed in boxes and old kegs and barrels, and it is a matter of great responsibility to me."

"But," said he, "I leave that entirely to you. When peace comes get a permit to export marble or bronze works of art. Ship it as marble or ornamental

ironwork. It is mine, and I may do with it as I wish."
"Smith," said I, earnestly, "you do not "Smith," said I, earnestly, "you do not realize the vast wealth you will control. You will be the richest man in the world. You will be able to assist governments or to make them trouble. You may organize great improvements, You may organize great improvements, lay out vast railway and steamboat projects, assist the commerce of the whole world, and enlarge the field of civilization and education. All this is in your power. Or you may be a sybarite and satisfy every passion or appetite of your nature, while you look out with a dulled vision on the struggles of your fellows, and smile as your recline is the struggles.

vision on the struggles of your fellows, and smile as you recline inside the wall your wealth will build about you. Which course will you take?"

"Do you know," he answered, "I have given this sucject more thought than oyu think I have. Will the world be any richer for my unearthing of four or five hundred million dollars in gon.? Will there be any more bread or meat in the world after my find than there was before? Will there be any more coal in the mines or any more timber in the forests? Not a loaf of bread more. Not a coal more. Not a stick more of timber. How, then, is the world any richer for my discovery?"

"Sit down here," said I, "and I will follow along your lead, and will discuss a question which has shed more blied in its settlement than ambition." I avarice. These howling Communists

ask the same question you ask, and then answer it with howls of anger, and shed blood to emphasize the answer. Your question will be asked in the streets of the great cities in the United States in a few years, and blood will mark the answer in red italics on the page of history, for, my friend, it is the question of Capital and Labor. You hold that labor and labor only adds another loaf of bread to the world's store. Labor and labor only adds the timber and the coal to the world's work. Is that your idea?"

"Even so," said Smith. "The gold is

"Even so," said Smith. "The gold is not bread, nor coal, nor timber. Gold is an idea."

"Very good, my friend," said I. "Now here is a vast sum in gold. It is idle.

Let us go back to America with it and set it at work. It is only an idea. Can you for a million of this gold buy a mountain in Pennsylvania which contains coal?"

"I suppose on" said South

mountain in Pennsylvania which contains coal?"

"I suppose so," said Smith.

"Can you for a few millions more build a railway to the mountain of coal and bring it to the doors of the poor of the great cities?"

"Certainly I can," he said.

"Very good," I said. "Then your gold, which is but an idea, can put more coal in the world and make it really so much richer. Will you follow the idea farther and open with your golden key the storehouse of bread in the West, and lay iron tracks to bring it to the East, and then your gold will be bread? Or shall it become an axe and cut do. yn the forest, or a saw and form the beam and board to build a house? Bah! this struggle of Capital and Labor is the fight of the right hand against the left. The right hand of Labor holds the hammer and toil, and the left the gold of capital to reward the toil. The gold is most certainly an idea only, for without the brains of Capital the right nand of Labor would be palsied with hunger. The Jewish nation revere to this day the name of Jacob because he dug a well and opened a fountain in a thirsty land. The man of Capital stands in a thirsty land of toil, and where he puts down his foot a fountain will spring up if he wills it, or the channels of water thirsty land of toil, and where he puts down his foot a fountain will spring up if he wills it, or the channels of water will go on their way beneath him, forever unseen. Let me enthuse thee, Napoleon Smith. What fairy spun a slender thread and threw it across the seas for electric thought to travel on? Capital. What brawny hands laid the iron road four times across our entire continent? Capital. What genii scattered the black hulks of steamers and white sails of merchantmen on every sea? Capital. Blot out this idea of gold, as you call it, and we should be quarreling over hawberries and groundnuts in the woods, and be wearing wolf-skin garments won in the chase by the use of wooden spears and flint knives. You hold a wand in your grasp, my friend, which will evoke a thousand spindles, or a thousand whirling carwheels, or a million picks and shovels from the earth, and with another touch and a broad slice to the poor man's loaf of bread. I pray God you may be wise."

"Amen!" said Smith, feelingly. "And now, Mr. Secretary, I will say after your wise address that I know no man so well calculated to care for this immense trust as yourself. I cannot divest myself of apprehension as I recall that time of forgetfulness when I lay at the door of death in the hospital. Such a time may come again. I know it may look childish to you, but I think for a moment of my terrible experience, Now, I wish to leave a paper giving you absolute control of this money, and I know of no time so good as the present. Draw up such a paper, and call in Mr. Washburne to witness it."

"I accept the trust, Mr. Smith," said I, "not from my selfish motive, but from an idea which I have that it is a matter of national importance. Is there any suggestion you would make as to the disposal of any part of this wealth?"

"Yes," said he; "I may call Sinclair-ville, Maine, my native place. They down his foot a fountain will spring up if he wills it, or the channels of water

"Yes," said he; "I may call Sinclair-ville, Maine, my native place. They were kind to me in my boyhood days. If ever this treasure reaches the United States safely, then write the authorities States safely, then write the authorities of the town that a million dollars has been donated to the village by the old little gamon they once knew as 'Nap. Smith.' Tell them, when they decide how it shall be expended, to draw on you for the amount. I cam do no less for my old home than this."

"It shall be done, Mr. Smith, Is there any one else you would benefit among relatives and friends?" I asked.

"As I told you before, I have been a

"As I told you before, I have been a lonely boy and a lonely man. I have no relatives or friends," and he sighed as he looked out of the window at the

as he looked out of the window at the wintry landscape.

"All shall be done as you say, my friend, and I trust your apprehensions are without foundation. Sign your name here and we will complete the paper," and thus I became the manager of the immense treasure. I heard a light step at the door, and knew it was Aimee. In hopes that her presence would cheer my comrade up, I silently withdrew into Mr. Washburne's office.

"Aimee, my darling," said Smith, as he seated the little maiden on the sofa, "I have been arranging my business affairs. You know but little of business, I suppose?"

"But little, my captain," said Aimee.
"I had a father who stood guard over
my life, perhaps too tenderly, for now 1
find I am all unprepared to fight the
battle of life alone."

"Not alone, Aimee. Let us fight it together. But it will be no fight—only a skirmish—for I have that which brings peace or war. I have that which brings peace or war. I have that which brings walls around the home to shut out cold in winter and heat in summer, that which shuts out care and makes the home vocal with song and laughter. Aimee, I never cared for money as I care for it now. If it can keep one pang of pain from this little heart, or smooth one line of care away from this brow, then money will be dear to me." "Is Monsieur so rich?" she asked. "Rich? Aye! rich indeed, now, with your love, but richer beyond what your heart can conceive. Aimee, if you dream of tall castles or wide domains, I can build vaster houses and overlap your domains with a thousand acres. Do you love art? Then the deftest hand and most skilful brush shall paint for you, and the chisel of the greatest sculptor shall dream in marble for you, and wake in snowy beauty at your call. Do you love soft carpets and rich tapestries? Then the world will be ransacked to feast your eyes. Ah! I grow poetic now, and worship the power of money because it will show my love."

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NOVA SCOTIA.

CORNWALLIS, Jan. 12.-The steamfor the winter, her trips betweeen ped till the spring opens.

Allen Morton of Billtown made \$57
out of fourteen barrels of apples this

Cornwallis has recently lost two aged people, Mrs. Starr of Church street, aged 92, and Joseph Steele of

Scott's Bay, aged 94 years. At a meeting of the town council in Kentville last week the resignation of Frank Eaton as town clerk was accepted and John Caroll elected in his place. Mr. Eaton resigned on account of ill health, and is taking up

The Methodist parsonage in Kent-ville, caught fire last week and was burned considerably. The insurance amounted to \$800, which will more than cover the damage done.

Rev. Arthur Kempton of Wisconsin

work in Vancouver. B. C.

was married recently to Annie Wy-He was formerly graduated from Acadia University.

HALLIFAX, N. S., Jan. 14.—The Lake Winnipeg arrived at six o'clock from Liverpool. She landed all her saloon passengers and fifty tons of freight, and proceeded to St. John at ten o'clook. Boisterous weather and head winds were experienced. Spurgeon Davidson became entangled

in the rockbeater belt at the Richardson gold mine at Issac's Harbor, today, and had both legs broken. One was amputated by Dr. Churchill, who doubts whether the injured man can

HALIFAX, N. S., Jan. 16.-The emnual statement of the Bank of Nova Scottia shows the net profits for the year were \$218,871; \$100,000 is transferred to the reserve fund, making \$1,600,000. A dividend of four per cent. on the last half year is payable on

February 1st, The supreme count has granted an order restraining the stipendiary magistrate from trying the charges of servile labor on Junday preferred against the employes of the Hallifax Electric Tramway Co. The court holds the act is ultra vires of the local

The assessors of the town of Windsor have finished their work. The total this year is \$1,214,120, compared with \$1,411,332 before the great fire. The reason for the smallness of the difference is that under the old as sessment the values were fixed at onehalf or two-thirds, whereas now they

Hon. James Fogo, ex-judge of pro-bate for Pictou, and father-in-law of John F. Staars, died Saturday, in his elighty-seventh year. He was a na-tive of Glasgow, and came to this

country with his father in 1817.

The pastoral letter from Archbishop
O'Brien was read in the Catholic
churches in this city today. It was
practically the same document as
read by Archbishop Begin in Quebec

and the crew of the schooner John Millard, which was seized at this port some weeks ago for smuggling. The men were arrested at the instance of Fred L. Jones, chief of the customs preventive office of Canada, who is now in town. The trial of Capt. Street was commenced yesterday before two justices of the peace, and was adjourn-ed until this morning. Street and his crew were confined in jail, and although ample security was offered, the court would not accept bail for the captain's temporary release from pri-son. Notwithstanding this precaution for the prisoners' safety, the justices this morning on re-opening the case were apprised of the fact that the dewere apprised of the fact unat the de-fendant had been spirited away, either willingly or unwillingyl during the night. According to the sworn testi-mony of the jailor, a hatch leading from the court room to the jail below was forced open, and the prisoner thus made his escape. The trial, however, is proceeding, and lacks nothing in interest by the defendant's absence The fact that Mr. Jones has laid information against several prominent citizens of the town, implicating them in the smuggling business is what causes the great interest in the case.

The trial has been adjourned SOUTHAMPTON, N. S., Jan. 12.-Charles Brown has returned to the bosom of his family.

James B. Nelson, contractor for mining timber, has made a record for himself during '97 that is worthy of note in a season of financial depression elsewhere. His business transactions have amounted to \$24,000, while \$30 will cover all losses met. Of course the profits have not been commensur-ate with the volume of business done, but this could scarcely be expected these hard times.

these hard times.

John Sproul returned on Saturday from a pleasant visit with his mother and sisters in Boston.

Mountain Rose lodge, I. O. G. T., Leamington, will celebrate its thirtieth anniversary in March. The society is the oldest in the county. A handsome elembered has been procured which signboard has been procured, which will be placed over the entrance to the temperance hall on the occasion of its anniversary,

Four Springhill boys bent on amus ing themselves, as a sout of diversion hanged a fifth. When the rope began to take effect the boys all fled from the consequences of their acts, but some one came along and released the boy in time. The quartette were ar-rested, and after a reprimand were

Mrs. Hibbert Smith and George Atkinson have received telegrams informing them of the serious filness of their mother, Mrs. Wotton in Massa-

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to visit her. Mrs. Wotton was seized and there are small hopes of her re-

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were granted Friday to Joshua and Leonard B. Knight, executors named in the will. The estate consists of \$11,000 personal property, and is divided by Mrs. Knight as follows: To Heddle Hilliard of Oldtown, Me., hus-band of her daughter, Bessie, deceased, \$500; \$100 each to her grandsons, Ernest, Charles and Henry, sons of Joshua Knight, to be expended for their education; \$100 each to John, Edward, Stanley and Sewell, sons of Heddle Hillard; \$100 for the care and beautifying of the lot in the burial ground, where her husband is interred; \$1,200 each to her daughters, Harriett Robinson Knight, Carrie Webster Knight, Lucy Alma Robinson, wife of Wm. C. Robinson, and Fanny Thomas, wife of Herbert Thomas of Lepreaux;

Among the obscure tribes of the Malay archipelago when a young girl dies her eyes are out out, and those of the next world she will be better able

STRENGTH CAME BACK.

The Anvil once more rings with the strokes of his hammer.

Mr. Thos. Porteous, the well known blacksmith of Goderich, Ont., tells how sickness and weakness gave way to health and strength. "For the past four years my



nerves have been very weak, my sleep fitful and disturbed by dreams, consequently I arose in the morning unrested. I was frequently very dizzy and was much troubled with a mist that came before my eyes, my memory was often defective and I had fluttering of the heart, together with a sharp pain through it at times. In this condition I was easily worried and felt enervated and exhausted. Two months ago I began taking Milburn's Heart and Nerve Pills, since that time I have been gaining in health and strength daily. They have restored my nerves to a healthy condition, removed all dizziness and heart trouble, and now I sleep well and derive comfort and rest from it. That Milburn's Heart and Nerve Pills are a good remedy for Nervousness, Weakness, Heart Trouble and similar complaints goes without saying." Price 50 ots. a box at all druggists or T. Milburn & Co., Toronto, Ont.

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NORTH SYDNEY, C. B., Jan. 14.— MRS. KNIGHT'S ESTATE.

Considerable excitement has been aroused in North Sydney over the arrest and imprisonment of Capt. Street

Mr. Institute E. Veright, of Missing Wedden to Miss Rose Malay, also late of the Transcript staff. The ceremony was performed by Rev. H. A. Meahan, The groom was supported by John Cillard of the L.C. R. shops, and the bride was attended by her sister. Miss Lottle Malay of Newcastle. The Miss Lattle Malay of Newcastle. The groom's present to the bride was a handsome seak collier and to the bridesmald a beautiful gold bracelet. The bride was the recipient of many useful and costly presents, among which was a handsome dining suite, presented to her by her uncle, John Morrissy of Newcastle.—Moncton Transeriot.

A Baby Boy Covered With Eczema

and Cured by Dr. Chase. wife of Herbert Thomas of Lepreaux; wife of Herbert Thomas of Lepreaux; \$1,200 to her daughter Ella Ludgate. The sum of \$1,425 is left to each of her sons, Joshua, Leonard B., Justus E. and Henry P. Kniight. A. P. Barnhill is proctor.

Among the obscure tribes of the Macured him.

PROVINCES AWAKENING (Boston Herald.) (Boston Heraid.)
In answer to a demand on the part of the thousands of American tourists who amuelly visit the maritime provinces for better hotel accommodation, there has been formed a company whose object is to bring about the erection of public houses at all the more favored resorts in and about the Annapolis valley. The first move-ment will be made at Wolfville, N. S.

where it is proposed to put up a modern structure, to be known as the Acadia Inn. If success attends this enterprise, other buildings of a similar character will follow. It is an admitted fact by Nova. Scotlans themselves that their prov-ince is not properly equipped with hotels, and that something must be done in the way of providing better accommodations if it is hoped to increase the number of American tourists to their country. At the same time, they have felt that it would be next to impossible to interest suffi-cient local capital with which to sethe above company was, therefore, organized, in which are a number of Boston and Cambridge gentlemen, in order to give the project a promis

Incess.

The Dominion Atlantic railway is taking an active part in the movement, and, through its wide influence in Nova Scottia and this section of the United States, will prove an important factor in the realization of the desired end.

(Chicago Chronicle.)

As for the government of the mixed crowd that will flock into Dawson City, we may trust the Canadian government to attend to that. Our friends across he border have a fashion of eaforcing law and order even in the most remote districts of the dominion which we may well envy. The argonauts, therefore, are reasonably assured of reaching the Yukon, of having enough to eat when they get there and of safety for their goldif they find any.

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THE COMING SESSION.

In a little over two weeks we shall have the announcement of the gov ernment programme for the third session of the present parliament. Down to this stage the eighth parliament has not been fruitful in measures. The government came in with a variety of promises of reform, but as yet the ministers have not found much to change except in matters of administrattion, where the changes have mainly been in the interest of a few favorites. The tariff of tast session did not, to any appreciable extent, redeem the pledges of the party, and there is now a strong agitation among influential supporters of the government to unio some of the few radical changes that were made. It is not probable that a great number of conflicting railway the government will open up the tariff projects were before the committee question again if it can possibly be helped. The experience of last year, when the tariff bill, as brought down, was withdrawn and brought back again with one hundred changes, and when the amendments were again amended and re-amended, affords an awful lesson.
The measures promised in

speech from the throne at the begin-ning of last session included a franchise bill. It was introduced and withdrawn after several days' debate n the course of which the premier clared that the bill would be forced rough if it took all summer. Anthich was not even introduced. There were also certain measures relating to the sivil service which were drooped. The bill of fare included the Dram-mond counties deal, which was deleasted in the senate, and the fest nship service act, which was ted, but has not as yet given any suit. The Crow's Nest bill, the taroff, and the railway subsidies bill represent the effective government gislation of last year, if the latter

can be called effective. The franchise bill and the plebiscite will no doubt be on this session's prothe same as that of last year, it will be resisted. The measure of last year was not a franchise bill at all, but an not of abandonment. It proposed to hand over the control of the federal election list to eight separate tocal legislatures, each authorized to prepare a system of the own, and to decide what classes of men should be entitled to vote for members of the central parliament. There is no more reason for the provincial legislature to fix the federal franchise than for the federal parliament to lay down the terms on which the members of the local legislature should be elected. At the same time it will not be wise for the opposition to contend for the perpetuation of the existing system. The points for which the contention may well be made are, federal control; simplicity, cheapness and uniformity; and the inclusion of all who are now entitled to vote. These features can be obtained by a simple manhood residence franchise, with registration. Such is the principle which this jourmal has supported, and we shall be glad to see parliament adopt it.

Whatever different opinions may prewall about problibition, there can be mo question that the government is hound in honor to submit the question squarely to the people of Canada. There is only one fair way to put the question, and that is to state it simply and plainly, unencumbered by any other issues. It is understood that at one tilme last year the ministers had about decided to add to the question another, in which the people would be asked to say whether they were arepared for direct taxation. If the sovernment proposes to adopt the princliple of government by plebiscite any question of tariff or revenue policy may be submitted to popular vote. Sir Willfrid can ask the people to vote on the question of suffrage. Mr. Blair may ask them to vote "yes" and "no on the Drummond railway question Mr. Fielding may submit the alter mative of protection and free trade. But we may expect that the honest imbers of the two houses will insist on the presentation of the prohibition issue in its simplest form. We have the impression that the practical visdom of this course has been borne in before this time on the ministers them-

If there is to be no direct amendment to the tariff bill, we have the pledge made by Mr. Fielding in England that the government will give Great Britain and the low tariff colonies a preference over foreign councomplete change in the preference flause of the tariff law. As it stands the law gives preferential terms not n the basis of nationality but on the ground of reciprocal tariff advantages. This principle, which Mr. Fielding Mr. Paterson and Sir Richard Cartwright commended so highly a few months ago, is now, according to the inance minister, to be abandoned al-

While in England Mr. Fielding tecame much impressed with the importance of enacting for Canada am insolvency law. It is possible that such a measure may be introluced. The framework of it may be found in a bill which occupied the senate during a great part of a recent session No doubt the new bill, if introduced at all, will be handed over to the senate to be dealt with, though there is rea son to fear that Mr. Mills will be a good deal at sea with it. On the whole, it is hardly probable that an insolvency law will emerge from pardament this year.

The indications are that some of the most exciting scenes of the coming session will be willnessed in the rail way committee of the commons. The ession of the parliamentary term will not be allowed to pass without a great exploiting of railway schemes. The Kootenay, the Klondyke and all the west are now the paradise of the promoter. Last year while many others were promoted which some of the western members conceived to be hostile to public interst. The liberal revolt in Quebec is complicated with questions of railway charts and subsidies, and we look for a resumption of hostilities over an application for incorporation or for special privileges. Sorer hearts are sometimes made over these matters of business than over questions of principle. The coming session will probably be one in which Mr. Blair and Mr Tarte will enjoy rare opportunities.

THE CHRALOTTE ELECTION: Mr. J. D. Chipman is authorized to ake his seat as one of the members for Charlotte, though the people of that county do not appear to have had much to do with the matter. The new nember semes to have been in the first instance the choice of the government, whose selection was ratified by majority vote of certain delegates for St. Stephen and Milltown. The election may be claimed as an exhibition of confidence in the ability of the ministers to make choice of a member for Charlotte. How much farther it is a sign of confidence it would be farmer has prospered in the same exthe safe promise to support Mr. Emnerson in all good measures, which ledge would probably be taken by any member of either party. He reerves to himself the right to go with the conservative party in case provincial politics should be conducted on party lines. It is not quite clear whether the leader of the opposition would have Mr. Chipman's support in stablishing such a line of political policy, though that point will perhaps be settled before the next session is over. If the new member for Charlotte had marked out for himself some clearer course and not left it so much to-others to decide his future he would have made a stronger impression in starting out in his career as a membe of the legislature. Mr. Chipman is a nan of large business influence and of good repute in his county and throughout the province. He ought to have come into public life with a learer declaration of principles and under better auspices.

A TEMEPERANCE GAIN.

The report of the license inspecto for Ontario for 1897 is described as the most favorable from the temperance andpoint ever presented. The Globe, dealing with the subject, points out that the total number of license squed was 3.160, compared wih 2.191 in 1896, and 3,560 in 1889. In 1884 there were 4,201, and in 1874 the numbe was 6,185. The 3,160 of last year inbeer and wine licenses. The decrease in ordinary licenses since 1889 is 464. In 187 of the 812 municipalities no lienses at all were issued: in 261, only one or not more than two. In 673 municipalities, or 82 per cent., no shop icenses were issued. In 1889 the comnitments to jail for drunkenness were 4,797; in 1897 only 1,716. Of the latter 1,200 were in the six counties containing the cities of Toronto, Hamilton Ottawa, Kingston, London and Brant-

ST. JOHN NOT IN IT.

The Sun has received from the minister of the interior a copy of a handsomely printed and illustrated "official hendbook of the dominion of Canada." It is a splendid volume of 115 pages, on thick toned paper, containng scores of engravings and giving much information to immigrants. In order to start the colonist right he is nformed that "Quebec and Halifax are the principal ports of entry in Canada for colonists, and the government at these points maintains

r care immediately on arrival.

If they are provided with through tickets before sailing which "is strongly advised, their steams 'tickets are exchanged at these sta-'tions." This is at page 29. Turning to page 30, the enquirer learns that the Canadian Pacific ratiway also offers a special rate to emigrants from Quebec, Montreal or Halifax to Manitoba or other points in the .west." On page 33 the enquirer finds a large type, double column catechism. It begins with the question:

"Where shall I arrive in Canada?" "Answer-At Quebec, between 1st May and 12th November, or at Halifax between 12th November and 1st May or thereabouts."

The next question and answer instruct the stranger what he shall do when he lands at Quebec. Then comes the question:

"And if I errive in winter?" "Answer-You will find the s kind of accommmodation and the same officials at Halifax." St. John is not mentioned in any or

Premier Emmerson told the farm ers at Hillsboro the other day that the discussion of his wheat policy would do good and that people would grow wheat next year who had not thought of it before. The farmers of the province should congratulate themselves on having two such experienced and timely advisors as the premier and his commissioner for acrimulture whose merest suggestions have power to make the wilderness a grain field. Possibly it will not be necessary to utilize those old threshing machines in the manufacture of cheese, after all.

In connection with the contract warded by the government for the substitution of electric light for gas in the parliament buildings at Ottawa, and for fire protection, the Toronto Globe enters a mild protest against the practice of letting such contracts without tender. "It creates," says the Globe, "an undesirable precedent for practice that may be abused." It also shivers another plank of the grit platform, but this does not come with the shock of a great surprise.

The retiring president of the Winnieg grain exchange, in reviewing the rast season's trade, said at the annual meeting last week that the Manitob farmers had an average quantity of wheat for which they received nearly double the current price for the preceding three years. He felt, he said, he could truthfully declare "that there is no place in America where the of Manitoba and the adjoining terri-

The following item is deemed of sufficient importance to be given a place n the New York Herald: "No new eaks or breaks were discovered ves terday in dry dock No. 3 at the navy vard" The American nation is to be congratulated.

In his annual report on the asylum for the insane Dr. Clark of Toronto discusses causes of insanity, and in the course of his remarks observes that much injury is being done b overwork in schools.

MR. ROBBINS DEATH

(Springhill, N. S., Observer.) The death occurred at noon Sat-urday of Alexander Robbins, an old and well known resident of Springhill Though in poor health for the past came as a sudden surprise to his re latives and friends. On Saturday morning he showed a stight disposition to drowsiness, and though his medical attendants were at once summoned and everything possible done Mr. Robbins sank gradually, and before even the members of his family who were away from home, could be summoned he had passed painlessly way. Mr. Robbins was very widely throughout the county, and vas universally esteemed for his kindly generous disposition. A stannel ervative all his life, he took the most lively interest in political ques-tions until his death. Among the dif-ferent denominations much sympathy was expressed for the bereaved family. Four sons and three daughters sur vive him, one of whom is Miss Mary St. John Progress. Mrs. Robbins died five years ago, and a son, James Robhins, was killed in the explosion here in 1891. To the remaining members of the family universal sympathy is ex-

Sad Experience-"I had the worst experience of luck in the Klon-dyke," said the returned gold-seeker, Didn't you find any gold?" asked his friend. "Oh, yes,' I found gold. But every time I had three of a kind I was dead sure to run against a full

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BOSTON LETTER.

Six Murders in the State Within Seven Days.

Tuberculosis in Maine-A \$250,000 Fee-Bram Case for March.

The Gigantic Trust-Lumber Trade Dull-Fish Market a Little Better.

(From our own Correspondent.) BOSTON, Jan. 15.-Those who deight in reading the accounts of murders in the newspapers had nothing to complain of this week. There have been no less than six persons murder ed in this state within the past seven days, and in the neighboring state of Rhole Island an old man is being triel on a charge of murdering one member of a family which was wiped out of existence one night last sum mer. About a week ago, a farmer, his wife and daughter were killed in their home at Brookfield, this state. All three were killed with an axe. A farm hand, who has been missing since, is suspected. The usual weekly murder occurred in this city.

although some branches report trade dull. The wool business, of which Boston is the centre, has been good, due to the strong demand from the them having been shut down while the Wilson tariff was in operation, under which wool was admitted free of duty. Business in the cotton mill centres is very dull, owing to the genis more or less affected thereby. Strikes in Providence, Lynn and else where have also hurt business

The following provincialists were in the city this week: H. A. Austin, Vigo Pederson, J. E. Knight, John Kling, P. McGoldrick, Elizabeth McGoldrick. St. John; George F. Gregory, M. A. Tweeddale, Fredericton; Fred Moore, Woodstock; R. McMinch, Hillsboro George S. Boak, J. H. Johnson, A. E. Donovan, Halifax; T. I. Sears. Wolf-

Josiah Fowler of St. John was in the city this week, attending the an nual reunion of the 44th Mass. Regiment, in which he served in the war of the rebellion. Mona Q. Sprague, formerly of St. John, died in East Cambridge Jan, 12.

Miles McInnes, a native of Halifax, died here recently, aged 65 years. Wil-Reade Matthews, a Nova Scotian, died in this city Jan. 10, aged 56. The Maine cattle comm port that the number of cattle killed under their direction last year for rculosis was 415, against 202 in 1996. The commissioners say that they are not searching for the disease, and are killing only those cattle the owners of which make request that the animals be slaughtered. This state of affairs is due to the fact that the comoners have no funds, and Dr. George H. Bailey, chairman of the board, says that the members of the present commission will not care continue in office unless the legisla ture sees fit to appropriate enough to carry on the work in a business like

A. C. Burrage, a Boston lawyer, received as his fee for services in nego-tiating the sale of the Standard Oil properties in Boston to the Whitney yndicate the sum of \$250,000. The Whitney syndicate by co-operation of Standard Oil now controls the Boston gas fields as well as the coal mines at Cape Breton. The Standard Oil Company, as is well known, is the most powerful corporation on the continent. The leading directors are John D. Rockefeller and Walliam Rockefeller, two of the wealthlest men in the

United States.

It is now thought that the celebrated Bram case will not be tried before March 15. The delay is due principally to the fact that the barkentine Herbert Fuller, the vessel upon which the mur ders were committed, will be unable to reach here before that time She was not here at the first trial, but both the prosecution and the defence considered that it would be advisable to have her in port this time. One reason why the presence of the craft is desired is so that an experiment can be made before a jury, for the purpose of ascertaining beyond any doubt whether a man at the whee could see another in the captain's cabin through the small window. It will be emembered that the seaman Brown, who was said to be at the wheel at the time of the murders, testified that he saw the mate, Thomas Bram, strike several blows with an axe. Brown swore that he saw Bram in he cabin by means of the window, and that he (Brown) did not leave the wheel at the time. The defence me tained that a man could not be s listinctly under the conditions named Bram will have the same lawyers at second trial, and Mr. Cotter, his the state. The prosecution will be un der the disadvantage of having a new district attorney to handle the case. It is said that the defence has learned more of the career of the man Brown since the last trial. Brown's right name is Westerburg, and at one time be was confined in an asylum at Rotterdam. The defence attempted to shift the crime onto his shoulders at the trial. It is understood that the defence will examine another witness who was on the Fuller at the time, more rigidly than before. All those who were on board the vessel when she reached Hallifax, with the exception of the student Monks, are still here in custoly of the United States. The principal event of national in terest this week was the election of Mark Hanna to the United States sen ate. Mr. Hanna's election disc at least one half of the republicans who appreciate that his triumph means the loss of thousands of votes in many states. Whichever way the contest went, it is the general opinion that the republicans will lose Ohio at the next election. Hanna, who is

etimes known as the American

Warwick, is the old man of the sea in

politics, and although it is ad

years does not meet with the approval of the better class of republ The exports of flour, meal, etc., to the provinces by water this week wer as follows: 600 barrels flour, 200 sacks do., 100 sacks middlings, to Mahond Bay, per schooner Abana; 125 barrels flour, 40 bags wheat, 30 bags barley, 20 bags bran, to Yarmouth, per steamer Boston: 150 barrels flour 375 barrels cornmeal, to Lunenburg and Liverpool, per schooner Bessie A.; 300 barrels flour, 700 barrels cornmeal, 100 bags do., 60 bags wheat, to Clementsport and Annapolis, per schooner Emma E. Potter.

The lumber trade continues rather dull, with the general demand limited. The cedar shingle market has been relieved by the closing of the Oregon shingle mills. They will not open until Feb. 1, when an attempt will be made to advance prices. New Brunswick shingles are selling fairly well, Spruce is selling slowly. Prices are follows.

Spruce-Random cargo lumber. to 12.50; frames by car, ten inches and under, \$13 to 14: 12 in., \$14 to 14.50: 14 in., \$15 to 16; yard random, \$12 to 13: coards, planed one side, \$11 to 12.50; coards, planed one side and matched, \$13 to 14; kiln dried floorings, \$20 to 24; No. 1, \$17 to 19; No. 2, \$15 to 16; air dried, \$14 to 17; extra clapboards \$30; clear, \$27 to 28; second clear, \$23 25; shingles, 15-8 in., \$2.10 to 2.15: io., 11-2 in., \$1.85 to 1.90.

Pine, hemlock, etc.-Eastern pine coarse No. 2, \$16 to 17; outs, \$9 to 9.50; matched boards, \$19 to 22; extra clapboards, \$35 to 40; clear, \$30 to 35; second clear, \$28 to 30: No. 1 eastern emlock, \$10.50 to 11.

tle better. Mackerel are firmer and stocks are much smaller. Barrel herring continue in small supply, with the arrivals small. Sardines, sters and cod are also firmer. resh fish are plentiful and easy. The obsters from Yarmouth on one trip this week. Prices are high and are likely to remain so for some time. Smelts are selling fairly well at about seven cents for the ordinary N. B. fish. Quotations at first hands are as

Fresh fish-Market cod, 21-2 to 3c. per lb.; large cod, 3 to 31-2c.; steak, 51-2c.; haddock, 11-2 to 23-4c.; hake, 2 to 21-2c.; pollock, 2 to 21-2c.; white halibut, 18c.; gray, 15c.; chicken, 15c.; frozen salmon, 11 to 12c.; eels, 9 to 10c.; herring, \$1.25 to 1.50 per 100; New Brunswick smelts, 6 to 7c.; extra, 9c.; natives, 14c.; lake trout, 10c.; live lobsters, 14c.; bolled do., 14c. Salt fish-Large No. 3 mackerel \$14

to 14.50 per bbl.; medium No. 2, \$17 to 18; large No. 2, \$19 to 20; Bay No. 1. \$21 to 23; shore No. 1, \$24 to 25; extra No. 1, \$28 to 30; large dry bank cod, \$4.50 to 5 per quintal; medium, \$4 to 4.25; large pickled bank, \$4.50 to 4.75; medium, \$3.50 to 3.75; large shore and Georges, \$6 to 6.50; medium, \$4 to 4.25; pollock, \$2.50; haddock, \$2.75 to 3; Nova Scotia split herring, \$5.50 to 6; Newfoundland, \$6; medium, \$4.75 to fancy Scatteri, \$8 to 8.50 round shore, \$4 to 4.50; medium scaled box herring, 13 to 15c.; No. 1 12 to 13c.; lengthwise, 12 to 14c.

Canned fish - American sardine quarter olls, \$2.85 to 3.25; three quar ter mustards, \$2.25 to 2.50: lobsters flats. \$3; uprights, \$2.75 to 2.90; mackerel, one pound ovals, \$1.40; 2 lb. do. \$2.25 to 2.50; 3 lb. do., \$2.75 to 3; Al aska salmon, \$1.25 to 1.30; Columb River salmon steak, \$1.50 to 1.70.

CAMPBELLTON.

Word Received of the Drowning of D. G. Mott, Brother of W. A. Mott, M. P. P.

CAMPBELLTON, N. B., Jan. 17.-Word was received tonight of the lrowning of David Gordon Mott, son of the late Wm. Mott. and brother of W. Albert Mott, M. P. P. for Restigouche county. He was born at Camp-bellton in 1863; removed to Boston about 1882, where he lived until 1885 since when he resided at Colon, Col-umbian republic, being for a number of years past master mechanic of the Pamama railroad. He was of sterling tegrity and natural genius. He narried Miss Mary Mowat, day of the late John Mowat of this pla who, with an infant son, survive him

BRITISH POSTAL RATE. The following notice to lostmasters is been sent out by the government ostmasters are informed that th proposed reduction in the postage rate m Canada to Great Britain and other parts of the Empire to 3 cents per ounce has been suspended, rend-ing a conference with the imperial and colonial authorities in regard to the subject of inter-imperial restage and in the meantime the old letter rat of 5 cents per 1-2 ounce continues in force. It is hoped that the postmas-ters will do all in their power to cause that letters may not be sent forward short-paid and so subjected to coilection of double the deficient postage of delivery.

Condition Powder.

VETERINARY DEPARTMENT

Conducted By J. W. Manchester V. S., St. John, N. B.

THE WEEKLY SUN takes pleasure in notifying its readers that it has perfected arrangements with J. W. Manchester, V. S., whereby all questions with respect to diseases of the lower animals will be answered by him, and treatment prescribed in those eases where it is asked for through the columns of THE SUN All enquiries must be addressed

VETERINARY DEPARTMENT. Weekly Sun, St. John, N. B.

Farmer.-I have a nine year old tallion rather cross, lately have had difficulty in putting on his bridle; he eemed swelled back of the ears. A few days ago he broke on on side is the trouble and what the cure? Ans. The trouble is poll evil, caused

blow or pressure of halter or bridle. The case would require a rather severe operation, as the openings discharging matter would have to be freely opened and dressed with caustic. You had better employ a good veherinarian:

P. S.-I have a four year old and very valuable horse which carries tongue out of side of mouth. Can I do anything to stop it? Ans.-You can get a bolting bit to remedy the trouble. It often effects a cure, especially in a young horse.

M. T. C.-Have a very fine driving mare, four years old, that went lame about two months ago. She has a lump on back of her hock joint, which gets warm after driving, but cools off if she rests for a few days. What is the trouble and what would you ad-

Give complete rest and blister with Hydg, Biniodide one part to lard four parts. Repeat blister as often as necessary at intervals of three w

took the distemper. Since then he has way; am afraid he is going to take the heaves. He is in good condition and feeds well. Please Ans.-Feed very little hay and that at night, water often and feed plenty of good, sound oats. If bowels are costive give a little linseed oil every

day; also give daily one ounce of Ounce coses of Lobelia Pulv. given daily might be beneficial.

NEW BRUNSWICK BOY HONDRED

(London Daily Mail, 1st. Jan.) The list of honors conferred by the Queen at the commencement of the new year was issued last night. In this list we find, among the promotions tions in and appointments to the Most Exalted Order of the Star of India the name of Thomas William Holderness of the India civil service, C. S

(Companion of the Star of India). Mr. Holderness was born in Richioucto, is 46 years of age, removed from there with his parents, many years aco, to England, where he was edu-cated; graduated from Oxford University, and afterwards passed his examination for the India civil service and is now resident at Simia. Mr. Holderness is a nephew of George McLeod of this city.

THE POLITICAL AXE

(Halifax Herald.)

Nathaniel Ashton, postmaster at dcum Secum, Guysboro county, has gned except that he was suspected of being a conservative. Last prov-incial general election he was threat-ened with dismissal by one of the grit ites if he voted. He did not ote, but he has been dismi

Captain James Hemlow, postme at Liscomb, in the same county, has also been dismissed. His only offence was that he did not support D. C. raser at the last election. Richard Densmore, section foreman

on the L. C. R. at Shubenacadle, and for 30 years an employe on that road, has been dismissed within the last few days. "Offensive partizanship" was charged against him after th general election, but was not proved Nor could it be proved, for De his duty and paid small attention to politics. His dismissal at this season is bitterly resented by his ne ubenacadie, quite irrespective politics.

> - THE WHERT. Starbuck the Winner.

PHILADELPHIA, Jan. wenty mile bicycle race between Frank Starbuck and Edouard Taylore vas a disappointment. After going les Taylore fell and was so seriously injured he had to be carried from the track, and Sharbuck, who was 11-2 laps behind him, was declared the winner. CITY

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CITY NEWS.

SECOND PART.

Recent Events in and Around St. John

Together With Country Items from Correspondents 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

The Sun has received from Archie F. Morach of Lumenburg, N. S., a pianoforte piece entitled the Buckingham March. This march is descriptive of the jubilee in England, and is

The pope's encyclical on the Manitoba school question was read in the cathedral and in the various Catholic churches throughout the dioceses a high mass on Sunday. The letter wa published in last Monday's Sun.

a splendid composition.

Rev. Honore Ouellet, stationed at Notre Dame, Kent Co., who gave up his work in October last because of ill health, died recently at St. Cungonde, Montreal, from pneumonla. Mather Quellet was forty years of age.

Toronto Globe correspondence from Skagway makes Colonel Domville say that "Skagway will be a city of 50, 000 people within two years." Colonel Domville added that his son would go to Skagway and engage in business.

At Chubb's corner Saturday W. A Lockhart offered for sale 100 acres of land situate at Springfield, Kings Co., and owned by Louisa Green. The land was sold to satisfy a mortgage claim, was knocked down to the bid of C. H. Fairweather at \$175.

A quiet wedding took place Friday evening, when Rev. John Read united in marriage at the bride's residence, 91 Orange street, Dr. J. C. Mott and Mrs. Lydia M. Green, Their many friends will join with the Sun in wishing them a happy and properous journey through life.

The government veterinary inspector, Dr. Frink, went to H. H. Mott's farm at Cambridge, Queens county with Mr. Mott and examined Mr. Mott's herd of 12, half of them American registered Jerseys. All were found perfectly healthy, and with no

James Sirols of Grand Falls, who owes the McLaughlin Carriage com-pany \$118, was examined before Judge Forbes yesterday morning and ordered to pay \$5 per month. H. H. Pick-ett for the McLaughlin Carriage company and L. A. Currey for the defen-

The steamer Taymouth Castle arrived on Friday from the West Indies after a very favorable round trip, the weather being fine. She brought a light cargo and the following passengers: Capt. Kirkham, from Barbados Jas. Woods wife and child, Miss Cadwell, from Bermuda, all for Halifax Also three Chinamen for Montreal

In the window of the Dominion Express Co. James Hunter has four improved long distance telephones, made to order for J. E. Stewart, Andover. N. B. These telephones have the latest improvements, granulated carstable arm transmitter, 1,000 ohnus bridging bells, double battery box and 450 ohms coils for long dis tance work.

Superintendent Timmerman of the C. P. R., talking on Friday with a Globe reporter of the new contract with the I. C. R. to bring coal from Springhill, said the two reasons that brought about the termination of the barge arrangement were that the winter port business had made a greater demand on the coal supply than the barges were able to keep up with, and the coal deteriorated considerably because of the amount of handling it gets.

A new firm of ship, steamship and insurance brokers has been recently started under the name of Geo. T. Steeves & Co. Mr. Steeves was formerly associated in the shipping business with his father, G. M. Steeves the well known ship owner of Liverpool, England. The new firm will combine the business of ship and in surance brokers for which it pos special advantages in both departments. The offices of Geo. T. Steeves & Co. are in the Morris building, corner Broad and Beaver streets, New York city.—N. Y. Maritime Register.

Judge Wallace has just received another annual remembrance from Test-er Bros. of Hamburg, Germany, for whom he has acted as Canadian agent for years. He has in the past been the recipient of many handsome gifts from these people, among which has been a French clock, pair gold spec-tacles, silver pitcher and a came. The last present is a very pretty pair of gold rimmed eye glasses and chain, which was accompanied by the cus-tomary letter expressing best wishes for the holiday season. The judge prizes these gifts very highly.—Sussex

A great run of fish was secured off Halifax harbor Thursday morning, and one of the biggest catches ever made by Halifax fishermen was brought to the city. Over 200,000 pounds, mostly cod and haddock, were captured by the schooners Emerald, Flora and other craft. All of the fish were marketed in the city. Fish dealthan reported, and prices are ruling high in Bonne Bay. A vessel which recently went down for a cargo re-turned with only 50,000 herring, which was not more than one-eighth of a

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Mrs. Mary A. Gross of Surrey, Albert county, desires to return her sincere thanks to the many friends who extended kind sympathy in her sad ent. Mrs. Gross has received letters of condelence from different organizations with which her late husband was connected.

The Tobique river gold regions still furnish a prominent topic of conver-sation. Charles Hurley came down to Andover this week and brought the tarting news that Frank Ferguson of New Hampshire had found a rich vein of gold-bearing ore twenty-three miles above the mouth of the Serpentime river, where it enters into the Tobique. Hurley said that Ferguson had shown him a small bag filled with pure gold and several bags of white quartz. It did not require the aid of a glass to satisfy a man that it was gold. In some of the quartz he said there were the veins of gold that would satisfy any man.—Hartland Adver-

George Greer a few days ago started out to raise a fund to purchase artificial limbs for Peter Harding, who, it will be remembered, was run over by an I. C. R. engine some time ago. Mr. Greer got \$102 and Harding will go to the United States, and it is probable John Walsh will accompany him. James H. Slater, who got up a benefit for Harding, which realized somewhere in the vicinity of seventyfive dollars, has so far refused to hand the money over. An effort is to be made to compel him to pay the amount to Harding.

THE DEATH ROLL. The death occurred Monday morn ing of John Corrigan of Chapel street, after an illness of about two months. Deceased was seventy-three years of age and a well known fisherman

Wm. O'Brien, the well known waterman, died quite suddenly on Monday morning. He was about on Saturday apparently well; early yesterday moring he died from heart failure. Mr. O'Brien was one of the best known men in the port of St. John. For more than thirty years he has been on the water boats, the greater part of it in the employ of James Knox-a good natured, honest and reliable man, at whose death there will be much regret. He leaves four sons.

SUSSEX NEWS

SUSSEX, Jan. 17.—The municipal councillors for the county of Kings will meet at the Court House in Hampton for the transaction of business at 11 o'clock tomorrow morning. It is rumored here today that C. W. as Scott act inspector.

D. P. Kent, who has become famous as a borer of artesian wells, is now engaged in boring one for Gordon Mills on Church avenue, and has got to a depth of one hundred and eighty feet. This well is intended for a new building soon to be built for Mr.

It is said that the Messrs. Tufts, whose costly residence was burned a few days ago, will immediately begin the erection of a new dwelling on the old site.

C. G. Armstrong, the manager of the Sussex Mineral Spring company's works, who has spent several week's ontario, returned home on Friday last. It is understood that Mr. Arm strong arranged during his visit for very large shipments of their summer drinks to be sent to the principal towns in Ontario as soon as the spring in Foremost, Medical Consequence

DOWN ON DOMVILLE. A gentleman from Westfield, No. 2, a supporter of Col. Domville, informs the Sun that great dissatisfaction exists there regarding the mail service He says the service was re-arranged to suit the convenience of two men, who wanted a daily mail, or as near that when he himself sends a letter to a place in Kingston parish, less than twenty miles away, he gets an answer in nine days. The letter comes to Millidgeville and St. John, then to Kingston and the answer returns the same way, being delayed on the routes where there is not a daily service. Another man who wrote a letter to a neighbor three miles away, got an answer in six days. On the main river from the front of the Reach main river from the foot of the Reach to Kingston post office, only eight of the twenty miles is covered by four mail drivers. The grits took the post office from Albert Whelpley at Carer's Point, where it was on a main road and at a steamboat landing, and gave it to a man who lives on a hill if the main road some distance away rom the landing. The contract for parrying mails, formerly held by Mr. Flewelling, was given to Capt. Gibbox, who, the Sun's informant says, has done the work faithfully, although those who wanted him to get the job have been growling about it since. Beore the grit leaders made a mess of It for their own purposes, the mail service was satisfactory to everybody except them. Col. Domville's supporter observes that he is very sorry the colonel has lost so many friends brough the scandalous way the people have been treated in this mail mat-

A point of interest to owners who send vessels to Santos (Brazil) has arisen in the case of bark Virginia. The charter contained the clause that the yessel should be free of wharfage. This was held not to exempt her from payment of dues of dock company, and Capt. Pettigrew paid bills of that corporation amounting to nearly \$300.

P. E. ISLAND NEWS.

Important Meetings of Charlottetown Council and Board of Trade

Society Election of Officers—General Matters of Interest from the Island Capital.

CHARLOTTETOWN, Jan. 13.-The unnual meeting of the P. E. Island auxiliary of the B. and F. Bible soclety, held in Grace church last week, was a great success. About one hundred pounds sterling had been collectwhich was remitted to the parent society in England. The officers for the current year are as follows: President Mayor Dawson; secretary, Rev. D. McNeil; treasurer, H. J. Cundall, and an executive committee representing the churches of the city. The addresses at the public meeting were de-livered by the chairman, T. C. James, and the Revs. G. M. Campbell and

Eton lodge, Sons of Englan stalled officers for the year 1898 on Thursday last. The deputy, J. D. Lap-thorme, was the installing officer: Past president, William Peardon; president John H. Wonacott; vice-president Thomas Dover; chaplain, Rev. W. J. Kirby; secretary, Andrew T. Newson, treasurer, Theo. Moore; 1st commiteeman, A. Williams: 2nd, Silas Whitlock; 3rd, E. Heartz; 4th, D. W. Swam; surgeon, Dr. H. D. Johnson; trustees, J. D. Lapthorne, Albert Douse, Hobbs; auditors, W. W. Clarke, G. M. Phillips, H. T. Higgs.

A social on Brackley Point Road, under the auspices of the Presbyterian church, realized Thursday night between \$60 and \$70. John Lockerby reached his one hun-

dredth birthday anniversary on Friday last, the 7th inst. There are two or three other persons in this city who who have reached the same age, one in the poorhouse who is said to be

Wildey lodge, I. O. O. F., installed officers for the ensuing term as follows: W. G., D. D. Morrison: V. G., John McLaughlin; R. S., Trevor M. Waller; P. S. L., Frank Muncey: treas., John McNevin, P. C.; warden, Frank C. Batt; cond., Phillip Bridges P. G.; I. G., Edmund Waller: O. G. G. Chester Acorn, P. G.; L. S. N. G., R. H. Jenkins; R. S. V. G., W. R. Boreham, P. G.; L. S. V. G., J. E. Mathews; R. S. S., Wm. Flood; L. S. S., James Bateman; chaplain, A. Ken-nedy; J. P. G., A. H. Clements; organ-dist, Albert Miltchell; D. D. G. M. Phillip Bridges was the installing officer. The Silsby Hose company elected officers on the 6th as follows: Captain,

Thomas Ronaghan; lieutenant, A. N. Large, jr.; secretary, J. M. Hennessey. The son of E. W. Taylor, jeweler of this city, was accidentally burned on Friday last. The little fellow was standing before the open grate, when his clothes caught. His mother was fortunately present, and succeeded in saving him from being burned to death. He was burned about the neck On Monday night the Y. P. S. C. E.

of Zion Presbyterian church elected efficers as follows: President, John T. McKenzie; vice-president, Miss Annie S. Frazer; sec., S. A. McDonald; cor. sec., D. A. McKinnon; treas., Miss M. Stewart; look-out com., Laura Mc-Leod; visiting com., Bessie Aitken; social com., Miss Ina McMillan; music com., Mrs. S. C. Moore; relief com., Miss Arthur; temperance com., Mrs. Mattheson; prayer meeting com, P. McInnis; poor house com, Winfield Matheson; literary com, Winnie Mc-Leod; flower com., Irene Rowe; mis-Monary com., D. A. Bruce; supt. juy work, Miss T. McIsaac; supt. miss. ball, David McInnis.

The city council board met on Monlay might in annual session; the reponts of the year's work giving genera tisfaction. The balance sheets \$336.75 to the credit of the city. The balance from previous years, viz., \$5,-197.85, added to the above, make a total of \$5,574.60 to the city's oredit in the Merchants' Bank of P. E. Island on the 31st of Dec., 1897. The receipts from taxes for the year 1897 were \$37,-535.80, an increase over 1896 of \$737.59. The total amount of receipts from all sources for 1897 was given at \$75,-306.06, and total amount of expenditure \$75,269.31. The mayor gave a word of praise to the city clerk and to the collector of taxes for the faithfulness displayed by them in their official capacities during the year. The sewerage question was brought forward by Councillor Nicholson and was discussed, but nothing definite was done. A resolution approving of the sugges tion of the water commissioners to purchase a new engine and pump for the water station, was carried on a divided vote, four for, three against. After a warm discussion on the ap-pointment of an electrical engineer, the tenders submitted and the whole question was laid on the table by vote of four to three. A bill for refreshments, on the evening of the Queen's jubilee, given in the council, caus a good bit of discussion, the mayor re-fusing to sign it unless given in de-tail. The amount was for \$52.25. It appears \$22 was for refreshments pur-chased at W. F. Carter's, and the balance was for wines and cigars not sed there, but placed in ame bill. The matter was satisfactorily settled and about 11 o'clock the

ouncil adjourned.

The wife of John Whear died in this city on the 10th inst., aged 68 years. She was a daughter of the late Jabez Barnard and very much beloved. She daughters to mourn her decease.

Court New London, I. O. F., installed the following officers for 1898: C. R., D. A., Wedlock; V. C. R., A. K. Henry; R. S., G. W. Simpson; F. S., J. S. Wedlock; Treas., Capt. D. Sutherland; Chap., G. F. Found; S. W., W. R. Taylor; J. W., Geo. Morrison; S. B., Harlan P. Found; J. B., George Morris, Court Deputy, N. Nicholson was installing officer.

John McLaughlin has retired from the staff of teachers in West Kent school on account of 111 health. His fellow teachers made him a presena till og Transport fransk af after a frænsisk.

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poems and an address a few days ago.

District Lodge, L. O. A., met with
Tauton Lodge, Brookfield, on Tuesday, and after the routine business
was through the grand master instalded officers as officers.

led officers as follows: W. D. M., Wilflam Drake: W. D. D. M., William Cooper; W. Chap., William Ward; R. Secretary, Angus Beaton; F. Secre-tary, Fred Wise; Treas., Geo. S. Mc-Leod; D. of C., John Crabbe; Lectur-er, N. R. Nicholson; Bro. to grand odge, G. S. McLeod.

The annual meeting of the board of trade was held in this city on Wednesday evening. The reports were excellent and showed a great amount of work done during the year. There had been an addition of fifteen new members. The officers were: Presilent, Horace Haszard; vice-president, ed during the year, nearly all of W. D. Aitken; sec.-treas., E. T. Higgs; all re-elected; council, D. Farquhar-son, T. Handrahan, L. L. Beer, George Auld, S. W. Crabbe, Nelson Rattenbury, James Paton and John Newson; auditors, T. A. McLean, James Paton, John Newson, W. D. McKay, George Auld, F. Perkins, Mark Wright, J. T. Crockett, W. W. Clark, F. D. Beer, H. W. Langstroth and R. McMillan; delegate to maritime board of trade, Hon, David Laird. A committee was appointed to confer with the governent regarding a second steamer for inter service, and the extension of the railway along the shore front. A resolution pressing upon the water commissioners the necessity of plac-ing another boiler and engine in the water works was unanimously car-ried. The president's address showing the amount of good accomplished by the board of trade and other interesting matters is ordered to be printed

HIS NINETY-FOURTH YEAR.

Robert F. Christie of St. Stephen Celebrates Today.

Rev. John Murray's Opinion of Methodism and St. John 100 Years Ago.

(From Tuesday's Daily Sun.) Robert F. Christie of Ann Mount, St. Stephen, enters his ninety-fourth year today (Tuesday, Jan. 18.) His reminiscences of Rectors Andrews and Clarke, of Pagan, Frink, Gerrish and other loyalists are intensely inter-

More than fifty years ago Sabine wrote: "Men who, like the loyalists, separate themselves from their friends and kindred, who are driven from their homes, and who become outlaws, wanderers and exiles, such men leave few memorials behind them. papers are scattered and lost and their very names pass from human re-

Mr. Christie remembers having seen Dr. John Caleff, physician, making ional calls in St. Stephen. Dr. Caleff was born in Ipswich. Mass, in 1726. He was one of the stretches in all directions, thus perpail bearers who bore the remains of mitting vast quantities of the raw the Rev. George Whitfield of the material to be readily obtained free Holy Club to the tomb, when that celebrated divine was buried at Newburyport in 1770. Dr. Caleff's fatherin-law, the Rev. Jededlah Jewett, delivered the funeral sermon.

A letter written to Dr. Caleff by the Rev. Mr. Murray of Newburyport reads as follows: NEWBURYPORT, Mass

June 18, 1788. "Dear Sir-I am greatly obliged to you for your favor, with its enclos-"It will ever give me sensible pleas

ure to be assured of your happiness and that of all yours. "The religion of Jesus is the true masonry; it forms a friendship among its disciples which no incidents or diversities on other subjects, no local selarations, no changing scenes can

"The friendly cord between you and me was at first twisted and tled, I trust, by that celestial principle. I still feel its attracting and connecting force, and it is no small refreshment to my heart to read in your letters so much of your wonted vein of plety. "I think it must require such pow as could keep a live coal burning in the midst of the ocean to maintain Christian zeal in its fervor in the city of St. John.

"Who can tell but that God, who delights to work wonders in the dark, has ordered the mysterious Providence who separated you so far from all your old friends, with a design to make you an instrument of setting up and supporting the kingdom of our dear Immanuel in a dark corner where satan's seat is?

"I desire humbly to adore and bless the Lord for thrusting out two such promising labourers in your quarter. Pray give my love to them. "I feel my heart deeply interested in and I trust they bring you no other gospel than blessed Whitefield did. "The late Mr. Alline I hope was

plous, but I fear he did much harm to the truth in Nova Scotia. Wesleyan Methodists may be, and I doubt not many of them are, good men; but they have grievously

departed from the faith once deliver ed to the Saints. "I cannot take them by the hand. cor rejoice in their success. No man, however, can say that there is not here and there a jewel among the heap

The Lord knoweth them that are "If an European war should take place I fear your country must have "I hope these states will be wise

enough to keep clear. "The new constitution will undoubt edly prevail—eight states have already adopted it, and perhaps eleven before day. The consequences are yet in the cloud that covers all futurity. "It is enough that the Lord reigns. All mine join me in every salutation of friendship to you and Mrs. Calef and your whole house.-With sincere esteem, I am, Dear Sir,
"Your affectionate friend,

"JNO, MURRAY." Dr. Calef.

nyson's | LETTERS FROM THE PEOPLE.

The London Society for Promoting Chris ity Among the Jews.

To the Editor of The Sun:

Sir—Archdeacon Brigstocke writes to inform me that "It is quite a mistake to suppose that he is secretary for any diocesan auxiliary of this society; that he had never concented to hold such office, and had requested the agent in Canads to have his name erast in that connection."

Just why the rector of Trinity is still officially reported to be secretary is, therefore, somewhat of an enigma. The Rev. J. J. Hill, the agent to whom he wrote, has been dead some time, and so can neither explain nor defend himself. I can only suppose that—if the archdeacon's letter did not miscarry through the mails—Mr. Hill, knowing him to have been a loyal supporter of the society for many years, was loth to remove such a well-known name from a list of officers where it had stood in company with the perhaps equally-known names of Benson, Temple, three other archbishops, 55 bishops, the governor general and a host of other noblo right honorable, and, if humbler yet not lets worthy people who are patrons of and workers for the society.

It certainly seems, however, "quite a mistake" to put Archdeacon Brigstocke's name To the Editor of The Sun:

It certainly seems, however, "quite a mistake" to put Archdeacon Brigstocke's name on such a list; and since the mistake was given the publicity of your columns, it seems only just that the correction should be as widely circulated.

The Rectory, Shediac, Jan. 8th.

PULP INDUSTRY

BENTON, Jan. 11, 1898. To the Editor of the Sun:

Sir-In scanning the pages of your journal I have been much interested by your contained articles bearing on the "pulp industry," whose works are, doubtless, to be erected in St. John in the early spring. Truly St. John ap pears to be the favored site for suc a vast provincial industry, and would be an excellent location for an industry which, if carried on, will add to the commercial importance of the province and wealth of currency to St John and its suburbs: but since the water supply at St. John appears to be a barrier in the sight of the promoter towards the erection of the works, why would not the promoter, Mr. Julius Spiro, be justified under favorable circumstances in selecting another yet more favorable point for his central erection, if such can be found and favorable inducements are held out to him? Now, since Mr. Spire has not fully resolved on taking St. John as a centre for his industry, why may we, on behalf of his own interests, not ask him to test the water power of Eel River by making a call at Benton, Carleton Co.? And again, we have many other strong reasons very favorable to the erection of, if not a "giant pulp mill," a mill whose works will prove most successful to the manager and capitalists, and satisfactory

1st. The water privileges on Bel River are nowhere more flavora" |> for harnessing than at Benton; and, as has been remarked by persons who have availed themselves of the use of the same, "this water force has no equal or superior in the maritime provinces," and this water is now free.
2nd. Benton for many years has been a noted mill centre, and much of the machinery or works of one of these mills, which closed work last June, may be employed as aids to the pulp industry, if desirable.

3rd. Land studded with pulp wood

tral point above named.

4th. The communications and local

tion cannot be surpassed, as Benton is a railway centre, situated on the main C. P. R. line about 120 miles from St. John, 15 miles from Woodstock 5 miles from St. John river and 17 miles distant from Houlton, Me. 5th. The taxes, which must alway be taken into account, are at a low rate, while laborers can be easily obtained at a reasonable allowance When, if Benton be not made a pulp centre (as nature has pointed out that spot and favored it wit hall natural requirements), why not establish a branch here, while the privileges can be availed of?

Trusting that this matter may eive further consideration I remain, Sir, sincerely yours

ONE INTERESTED. CRAWFORD-STRANG.

Last evening, at the house of the bride's father, 132 Peel street, Allan Gray-Crawford, formerly of St. John, N. B., son of Major Crawford, and Miss Evangeline E. Strang, daughter of Albert Strang, the well-known contractor of this city, were united in marriage. The ceremony was per-formed by the Rev. Dr. Mansell of Dominion square Methodist church. and the bride was given away by her father. There was a large gathering of friends and relatives (over two hundred being present), for whom there was ample accommodation in the extensive and prettily furnished apartments of the house. The bride was dressed in white satin (pearl trimnings and orange blossoms), and car ried a bouquet of white roses. The bridesmaid, Miss Susie Aggett, was very prettily attired in a gown of pink silk covered with white muslin. The flower girls, fittle Miss Laura Strang, sister of the bride, was charmingly costumed in pink silk, and little Miss Eva Taylor (daughter of Charles Tayor of the Taylor Hydraulic Air Compressing Co.), was becomingly attired in a pale green silk. W. R. Allen of this city acted as best man, and Geo. S. Bolton of this city and M. McIntyre MacCallum of Ottawa acted as

The presents expressing good will and good wishes were numerous and costly, making a very pretty showing, that of the groom to the bride being a diamond and pearl brooch. Following the ceremony the guests were entertained to a sumptuous repast, and spent a very pleasant evening socially, a very enjoyable feature being the rendition of the "Crawford" waltz specially composed for the occasion and performed by W. R. Allen. Mr. and Mrs. Crawford will take up house on St. Antoine street west; and when the arrival of early summer flowers makes travelling more pleasant, will take a trip through the maritime provinces, including a visit to the home of the bridegroom.

During supper numerous telegra expressing congratulations and good-will were received from St. John, N. the new teeth I want.—Philade B., Halifax, Boston, P. E. Island, Ot. North American.

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tawa, New York, Toronto, Brockville and numerous other places from friends of the happy couple—Mon-treal Daily Witness, Dec. 22.

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ST. JOHN'S LUMBER TRADE.

The following complete statement, for which the Sun is indebted to the courtesy of Mesers Stevens and Gleecon in the statistical department, shows in a comprehensive manner the total exports of forest products from this port during the calendar year 1897: British Islands.

\$2:585.593 \$1,153,610 Other Countries

\$199,199

SSFUL ST. JOHN BOY At the last pharmacy examin in the state of Maine says the Kenmelbec Journal, only seven out of twenty-one were successful. Among the seven was a St. John boy, W. C. Hawker, second son of Wm. Hawker, the well known druggist of this city. W. C. Hawker is chief clerk with Alden & Dechan of Walterville, Me. For some nine years he was employed as a ma-chinist at McAdam, and in Portland and Waterville, but finally gave up that work and accepted a position with the drug firm of Alden & Deehan in Western ille. His friends in New Brunswick will be glad to learn of his recent success. The Kennebec Jour-nal says of him:

"William C. Hawker, the popular clerk at Alden & Decham's drug store, is feeling considerably elated over the receipt of a notification from Secretary Partridge of the state board of pharmacy that he had passed the ex-amination taken at Portland last week. Mr. Hawker has won his dipl diligent study and hard work. It is not as easy to pass the exe now as it once was, and Mr. Hawker we fear, has at times had some mis givings as to the probable outcome of conducted without assistance from anyone. 'Billy' has a host of friends in the city, who will be glad to learn that he has succeeded."

THE SCOTT ACT IN KINGS.

APOHAQUI, Jan. 15. To the Editor of the Sun: Sir-In today's issue of the Sun your Sussex correspondent says the re-sumed hearing of the Scott act cases before Justices Folkins and Creighton were further adjourned for want of sufficient evidence. The truth of the matter is there were four cases before those justices, two against Patrick Doherty, one against John Doherty, and one against Andrew Parlee. One of the Patrick Doherty cases was dismissed, the other three cases were proved, and the defendants were put

Yours truly, C. W. WEYMAN A BIG CAST.

There was cast at the Londonderry Iron works on Friday a water pipe which the company claim is the largest pipe of the kind ever manufactured in Camada. The pipe is forty-two inches in diameter, made of Nova Scotia iron, and weighs nearly three tons. It was ordered for a current on the P. E. Island raliway and will be placed in position in a few weeks. The largest water pipe heretofore cast was thirty-six mohes in diameter, and the casting of this monster 42-inch pipe was watched with some anxiety, but the process was very successful. This class of water pipe is now being largely used in the construction of railway culverts.—Chronicle.

Maket—I'm getting a new tooth in my mouth. Ruth—Oh, that's nothing. My pap's a dentist and I can have all

SCOTT ACT IN ALBERT

A Warm Discussion at the Municipal Council

Between Inspector Steadman and Members of a Temperance Delegation

Who Asked for His Dismissal - History of Mr. Steadman's Operations.

HOPEWELL CAPE, Jan. IZ.-Albert county council resumed business The by-laws committee recommended

that no amendment be made to the

by-laws this session.-Adopted. The highways committee reported that there was a total delinquency of \$215 from the whole county. The committee considered the returns ended that satisfactory, but recommended that better forms be furnished commis-

There was considerable discu the report, the principal fact brought out being that delinquencies had been left too much to collecting justices and constables, with the result that after a few years they were

lost sight of. The finance committee reported that an examination of the treasurer's books as compared with the auditor's report showed everything correct, except an error of \$436.59 in the account of the parish of Hillsboro, making the bal-ance against that parish \$1,518,48, in-

The warden submitted the report of the county board of health, as pre-pared by Chairman Starratt. The board's expenses for the year were \$25. Six cases of diphtheria had been reponted in the year, three of which proved fatal. Two cases of scarlet fever and one of typhoid fever were also reported. Dr. G. G. Melvin, secretary of the board, had resigned, and the appointment of a new secretary

Dr. Melvin's resignation was accepted, and G. H. Fairbanks was

elected in his stead. ation was then read from Brunswick, of which G. F. Hill, M. P. P., is president, and J. S. Armstrong, secretary. The association rec. E., secretary. The association requested the appointment of a delegate from Albert county to the general convention of the association, to be held in Frederiction. Feb. 17th and 18th. Mr. Osman M. P. P., who was present, was invited to take part in the discussion, and he strongly favored the sending of a delegate.

It was decided to comply with the association, and it was moved by Coun.
Cleveland, seconded by Coun. I. D. Prescott, that Coun. Stevens of Hills-boro be the Albert delegate. Coun. Ryan of Coverdale moved in

delegate.
The emendment was lost. Ryan, Leeman and Goggin. Nays— Clevland, I. D. Prescott, G. D. Pres-cott, Barbour and Steeves, and Coun. Stevens was appointed by reverse vote, with Coun. Goggin in the majority.

(For proceedings of first day's session of council see page seven.)

HOPEWELL CAPE, Jan. 13.—Yes-

terday afternoon a deputation consist-ing of A. C. M. Lawson and ex-Scott act Inspector Jonah, representing the temperance element in the county, waited upon the council and asked for the dismissal of the present Scott for the dismissal of the present Scott the ground that he had not done his duty, refusing to prosecute cases after complaints had been laid with him and evidence funished. After a some-what protracted discussion, the mat-ter was laid over until the evening session, when the temperance commit-tee submitted their charges in writ-ing, pressing for Steadman's dismissal ing, pressing for Steadman's dismission and asking for the appointment in his place of E. E. Peck. There were many spectators present, and Mr. Steadman, having permission from the council, spoke at great length in re-ply. He entered quite fully into a history of the operations of the act dur-ing the period of his inspectorship and was quite personal at times, his statement calling for many interruptions from parties whose names he called in question. He accused E. E. Peck of use he had refused to have any-

Otther speakers were E. E. Peck, A. C. M. Lawson, Clerk of the Peace Dickson and Stipendiary Magistrate Stewart. Mr. Peck squarely contradicted Mr. Steadman in many essential particulars, and the feeling of the temperance element at least was strongly in his favor and against Mr. Steadman. The flow of oratory was only stopped by the adjournment of only stopped by the adjou the council at 10.30, it being under-stood that the discussion would be resumed in the morning.

thing to do with Peck.

ondence of the Sun.) acial correspo HOPEWELL CAPE, Jan. 12.-At the session of the municipal council this afternoon the report of the Scott act inspector for last year was asked for, and quite a lively discussion proving out of some charges preferred against the inspector by a temperance deligation, occurred between the inspector, Geo. H. Steadman, and mem-

Mr. Steadman had not a written re port prepared when called upon, but proceeded to say that he had brought cases against Frederick Brewster of Hopewell Cape and Mrs. Copp of Roshea. Bach of these parties had been fined and the fines paid to the secrethary-treasurer and handed over to him. Judging from the reports he saw in the press and had heard on structs, the council was to upon by a committee would arge upon the council the dismissal of the Coverdale inspector. He did not care so much, he said, as to the result of this committee's recom-mendations as he hoped that the counwould be actuated by a desire

mty, as he was a pup of ithat kind from the committee in question, was appointed at the last meeting of the district lodge, I. O. G. T., of Aibert to wait upon the council in the matter of Scott act enforcement. The ask the council to dismiss the present Scott act inspector, and at the district lodge meeting referred to reasons were advanced why the inspector

Judson Jonah, ex-Scott act inspec tor, added a few remarks. He said the district lodge, I. O. G. T., referred to by Mr. Lawson, represented 800 people of Albert county, who had in hand temperance legislation for the county. At the meeting it was decided to ask that the present Scott act imspector be dismissed, on the grounds of inefficient enforcement of the Scott

Inspector Stendman said he was in favor of bemperance, but there were some people who thought they owned the earth. Council had not the power to dismiss the Scott act inspecto without cause. The act, however, had een amended and power given municouncils in the province to disthis position at the hands of the council he had stated that he would hand mation whenever it was asked for by the council and he thought he was speaking to twelve centlemen, who would not turn him out without giving him a hearing at

Affter some further remarks it was decided to hear the committee prefer verbal charges.

want to knock these gentlemen out in the first round, he felt that for the purpose of facilitating matters the Mir. Jonah proceeded to give the board an outline of the charges which the committee had been asked to bring to their attention. He said perhaps many of them were aware that for nine or ten months fast year noth ing was done in regard to the enorcement of the Scott act. The first ease brought, he thought, was in October, and thus they could see that for nine or ten months no work had been done by the Scott act inspector. Evidence, he said, was given him or different occasions, and he was told that parties were selling in different parts of the country, but no attention was paid by the inspector. The re-sult had been that filegal selling had em on the increase im Albert county mpts had been made, apart from the inspector, to enforce the act, but he had done all in his power to hinder these parties in the prosecution. In some cases, unless parties had been osecuted and sent to jail, they had some one's influence been set at

Proceeding, Mr. Jonah charged the inspector with not doing his duty, and furthermore charged him with refusing to act when the evidence was of-

Mr. Jonah, under cross-exa by Mr. Steadman, said the cases he referred to were the Lutz and Tower cases, and he had reported them himoff Mr Jonah further said he b also asked the inspector to go to El-gin to prosecute parties there in conequence of information given by one the councillors of that parish. Mr an did not go, and the matter was taken up by the people there and the party fined. The committee also complained that Mr. Steadman had not formulated any charges previous

Mr. Lawson in substantiation of the charge of neglect of duty on the part of the inspector, referred to a letter he said he had received from Harry Wilbur, of Alma, in August or September fast inquiring who the Scott Act inspector was. He replied that Mr. Steadman was the incumbent of able to attend to his duties outside of the three mile limit. He advised Wilbur if he could not get help from Steadman to write to E. E. Peck. The complaint was that liquor was being ought in there by vessels and con-

Mr. Steadman in reply to Mr. Law son said he had not received any letters elither from Wilbur or Lawson, or any information about vessels bringing in liquor that was sold in the lower part of the county. Replying to a question from Mr. Lawson, he said he had received two letters from I. C. Prescott with reference to the Taylors selling Mquor. Inspector Steadman further said that Mr. Prescott was about the only ten man who had furnished him with anything like information to act upon in Scott Act prosecution. He did not fore them to justify them in dismissing him from office, which scarcely any ent man would take.

At this juncture further di was postponed until eveni At the evening session of the council, Mr. Lawson submitted the charges of the committee in writing, first reading a recommendation from the district lodge, I. O. G. T., to the municipal Peck as Scott Act inspector for

county of Albert The charges were substantially those verbally made during the afternoon with the exception that the inspector was specially charged with not doing his duty for the first nine months of the year, and especially in taking no action in connection with the cases at Turtle Creek, Riverside, Eigin, Albert, and Waterside, to which his attention

had been directed. Mr. Steadman's reply was certainly as full as the council could wish for. He addressed the board and a large number of spectators for an hour and a half, during which he entered an elaborate presentation of Scott Act enforcement since his appointment. His introductory remarks bristled with humor, pathos, sarcasm, ancient history and flights of oratory, and it is safe to say that his case lost nothing in its presentation. He said they had spent over an hour in the afternoon hearing a general statement of the inability of the Scott Act inspector to do his duty. But it did not meet the requirements which he had suggested it should meet, and because the comdo what was in the interests of the mittee was somewhat confused the

council had agreed with him and given general charges as given in the after-noon, but he did not consider the arges very serious. He claimed that had not been given the proper infor-nation up on which to base an infornation upon which to base an inforthat if you smelt liquor on a man's breath, you had the right to place him in jail. Prefacing his remarks by re-ferring to annual pfigrimages made by nmedans to the grave of their hero Mohamet, he said in this whole county of Albert, there were certain people who made yearly expeditions to tals council for the purpose of giving the Scott Act inspector a "boost." He referred to what he termed the palmy days of temperance when he said a politician who was endorsed by the societies of his constituency was sure of success. But now temperance, he aleged, had fallen from grace because men got into the lodges to further their own ends, the result being that a decent man would not now be found dead behind a lodge door. He was going to show the council that the this particular district lodge of L O. G. T. undertook to do was the work of an old mischief worker from away back. He would show them that there was somebody at work trying to oust the inspector in order to get his osition. He proceeded to say that as soon as he and E. E. Peck had disagreed in regard to Scott Act enforce-ment, and Mr. Peck had failed to get appointed constable, then the latter egan to work for his position. Mr. in then proceeded to review Scott Act enforcement in Albert since he hiad occupied the position of in-spectior, referring at length to the work done by himself and also the edings taken by other parties. Referring to the prosecution against one Taylor family, he charged that the placing of old man Taylor in jail was crime which the banners of the I. O. G. T. district lodge would never wipe out. The case in question had

not been brought by him , but by Mr. Inspector Steadman claimed that me reason why enforcement of the law had not been sharper was because the council litself had limited his power by repudiating responsibility in

the matter of costs. It may be explained for the information of those who may not be aware how the act is operated in Albert, that the municipal council allows the inspector \$100 a year salary and all the fines, the inspector to pay all the costs of carrying on the prosecutions. In condusion, Mr. Steadman cau-

tionel the council to beware of ap-pointing Mr. Reck, lest before the end of the year they would have to don crinkled crupe and wear mock sympa-In this defence of this course as in-

spector Mr. Steadman came into col-lusion with constables, justices and hotel keepers, who were present, and who took occasion to contradict in several particulars. These variations not only relieved the monotony of the bour, but afforded an opportunity for the uninitiated to learn something of the inward working of the C. T. A. in of Hillsboro, was one of those found it necessary to resort to extreme language in contradicting Mr. lman. He charged the inspector with prosecuting him for the purpose of a revenue and allowing other offenders to go free when the chances were not very good for the collections

E. E. Peck replied to Mr. Steadman contradicting several of his statements with reference to him, and was packed up by some of those familian with the transactions which had been Muled to by Mr. Steadman, Mr. Peck made particular reference to compromises made in a number of cases where fines were imposed and charged that this was contrary to the law, and therefore should not be miced. He changed Mr. Steadman with altering a summons in the case of the prosecution against the Tower family. He also explained that he had taken proceedings against the Taylor family because he had been renuested to by Coun. Prescott and other ratepayers of that section, and he proceeded to show what kind of a family this was which Mr. Steadman hought should not have been prosecuted. Referring to the release of some parties from jail Mr. Peck remarked that they did almost anything in Affect county when they took the notion. He claimed that Mrs. John Lutz and Hanley Tower, the parties referred to as being released from lall, should not have been let out. The Scott act had not been enforced as it should have been. Personally he does not want the inspectorship, but because the district lodge of I. O. G. T. had nominated him for the po-sition he had decided to let his name go before the council.

Explanations were also made by J. Howe Dickson, clerk of the peace, and Daniel W. Stuart of Riverside stipendlary magistrate for the parish of Hopewell, with reference to their connection with certain transactions with which they had to do in connec-

tion with Scott act prosecutions.

A. C. M. Lawson remarked that Mr. Peck had not sought the office of Scott act inspector, but the district lodge which nominated him had sought him. If the council would not appoint Mr. Peck, then the committee from the lodge was authorized a seconid choice

It was stated by Mr. Peck that h had conducted ten cases during the year as follows: Mrs. Lavinia Taylor, John A. Taylor, and William Taylor, John A. Taylor, Hugh Nelson, Geo. Betts, Susan Copp, Mrs. John Lutz and Hanley Tower. Convictions were secured in every case where summons were served, but in the case of Hugh Nelson. Mr. Peck also claimed that if proper returns had been made to the secretary-treasurer there would be \$300 on account of this work. Two persons laid out their term in jail, and

on one no service was effected. During all this discussion it may be readily understood that those present had considerable light thrown on the mode of operating the Scott act in the ure in the prosecutions and retaliations on the part of some of the friends of the offenders was the fact

some of the merchants in the enforce-ment of the act for selling bay rum. It appears that one Charles Archibald, in order to get even with some of the merchants who were the caus chants who kept bay rum as a tollet article. Two of the cases came to trial but were dismissed, it being shown that the bay rum had not been purchased or disposed of as a bever-age by the merchants against whom the cases were brought. The witnesses who bought the article, how-

ever, had used it as a beverage, unto Another matter which was ventilated to a considerable extent was the releasing of Mrs. John Lutz and Hanley Tower of Hillsboro, from the county jail at Hopewell Cape. From the discussion of was learned that these parties had been arraigned before Stipendiary Magistrate Stewart in the parish of Hopewell, convicted and sent to jail. Before they had been there many days some one got the idea that Mrs. Lutz and Tower had been illegally committed. J. H. Dickson, clerk of the peace, communicated with Justice Stewart, advising him that these par ties had been wrongfully committed to tail and that he should undo the wrong as soon as possible and save an ac-tion for damages against himself. Po-lice Magistrate Stewart hastened to the office of the clerk of the peace and upon his advice that he had jurisdilction in these cases, he took steps which resulted in Tower and Mrs. Lutz being released from jail, In the discussion it was contended by Mr. Peck that Police Magistrate

tewart had jurisdiction in the cases and that the parties should never have been released from jail. He further claimed that once the justice committed them to jail his power was gone, whether he had made a mistake or

Mr. Dickson, on the other hand, argued that Police Magistrate Stewart had no jurisdiction to try Scott Act cases outside of the particular parish for which he was appointed. Any man who knew anything about law at all he said, knew this, and it was because of this he had advised Justice Stewart to undo the mistake he had made in committing to jall parties from an outside partish tried before him.

Justice Stewart said he had the oninion of the clerk of the peace in West morland, C. E. Knapp, against Mr. Dickson's contention. The clerk of the peace in Westmorland informed him that a police magistrate of any parish could try cases from any other part of the country. But Mr. Stewart said he was bound to take Mr. Dickson's adrice and he had acted upon it. Mr. Dickson still contended that the

clerk of the peace for Westmorland was wrong and here the matter rest-The question was deferred till Friday morning for a legal opinion on the

HOPEWELL CAPE, A. Co., Jan. 14.

—At the county council today Scott act matters were further threshed out and the result in the end was the re-employment of Steadman as Scott act inspector at a salary increased to two hundred dollars a year and ex-

WINDSOR RETURNS THANKS.

The Woman's Relief Committee Express Their Gratitude to People of New Brunswick.

To the Editor of the Sun: Sir-On behalf of the members of he Woman's Relief com Windsor, N. S., I desire to thank the kind and generous friends in St. John and other parts of New Brunswick for all they have done for us. As a committee, we have tried to distribute what has been sent to us to the best advantage, and though just at first we had a little confusion, owing to the want of proper accommodation for our boxes and their contents, as well s the difficulty of finding and claiming what belonged to us, we soon got into working order, and since then everything has been done systematically and carefully. Each church has had lits equal representation on the ees, and all meetings have een faithfully attended. The goods sent to us have been divided and distributed by the committee to each church in proportion to the numbers of people burnit out in each. We have received a quantity of beautiful cloth-ing, as well as bedding and all sorts of useful things, and these have come from places far and near-some from Ontario, some from the eastern states, but most of course from our own naritime provinces, and we wish speclally to express our grateful thanks to the members of the Woman's Council of St. John for their untiring work on our behalf, and for their many generous donations. We shall not soon forget their kindness and sym-pathy in our hour of need. One box that came to us from St. John has given our Windsor children a gr deal of pleasure. It arrived just be-fore Christmas, and contained forty dolls, all beautifully dressed, each with a little note attached from the child who sent it, giving the dolly's name and asking for an acknowledgment from the child into whose hands came. We hope all the little girls and boys will accede to this request. us by Miss Annie Dimock of Mt. Pleasant avenue, Fredericton, Wood-stock, Hampton, Sussex, Carleton have all seat us contributions time and again, as well as many other places in New Brunswick, and each of our churches has received generous gifts from members of the same com-munion, to be given as needed by the dergymen at their discretion. We sope that with all the help that she has received Windsor will before long ecome once more the prosperous, thriving and happy town was before the fire.

Latest news in THE WEEKLY SUN

Yours truly, LILLIE WESTON JONES, President W. R. C. Windsor, N. S., Jan. 11th, 1898. N. B.-We wish to thank the railways, steamers and express comdeception, no sand tion by a company of high humanestion by a company of high humanestion by a company of high humanestion by a company write to the ERIE MEDICAL COMPANY.

BUFFALO, N.Y., and refer to seeing the account of their offer in this paper. panies who delivered all our goods to us free of charge.

ST. JOHN MEN IN LUCK.

A Successful Investment in a Colorado Gold Mine.

A St. John Lawyer Has an Option on Four Thousand Shares.

A number of St. John and New

ing business men are congratulating aves upon their foresight, judgment and good luck in an investme made by some of the more fortunat ones several years ago, and by others who, though later to grasp the golden opportunity, are still almost as forunate as those who may be described as the originators of the company. To be more explicit, the property that today bids fair to make them all wealthy, or to increase greatly the wealth of those that are now looked upon as being on the sunny side of wonderful money meridian is a gold mine A real bona fide gold mine with its tunnels, tramways, crushers and the greatest of all, seemingly un-limited ore—not property in the Klondyke, miles from civilization, but vast righmose within hail as it were of a railroad, and that railroad the well known Denver and Rio Grande. The mine is situate in Colorado, in t'e county of San Juan, and the crus er s about eight miles from Silverstone. quite an important town.

Years ago what is now known as the Gold King Mining and Milling Co. property, was merely a claim and bid air never to be much else than an maginary source of wealth in the eyes of a few. Later a few developments were made and an effort was commenced to get rid of the property and so the sequence. Two years ago or so, under the to put in 20 or 30 more stamps and in

Maine state law, the Gold King Mining and Milling Co. was formed. This, of course, was after the property had been secured at a price that today eems to reflect upon the acutem and speculative abilities of those that sold and to magnify the penetrative powers and-well, luck of those who today are laughing at their friends who twitted them of their ambitions to bare in the fortunes of the wondrous

The company is governed by nine directors, five of which are residents of this city, two live in Waterville Maline, one of whom is the president a Mr. Garrett, and the remaining two

The company was formed with a capital stock of \$500,000, the first block of which sold in Boston at about 25 cents on the dollar. Then there was period of depression, or more correctly speaking, expectancy, during which the market value was far under the pair value. Here is where the St. John men profited. They held their stock and some even bought more, at what figure they will not say, until today they hold over half the capital stock, the price of which is jumping higher and higher as month follows month, with its announcements of increasing prospects and magnificent best medicine for coughs

following St. John gentlemen are shareholders: E. C. Elkin, R. C. Elkin, F. A. Jones, Wm. Wheeler, Lieut.
Col. Geo. W. Jones, J. F. Merritt, W.
W. Turnbull, Wetmore Merritt, J. M.
Robinson, Lieut. Col. Armstrong, C. F. Kinnear and J. D. Chipman of St. Stephen, as well as some others, began the work of development, improving the property and adding greatly in-creased facilities for handling the output. In this connection was fitted up a ten-stamp mill, and a gravatition tramway, which is nearly a mile long long, extending from the mine to the crushing mill. This tramway, which cost some \$15,000, has been and is a great saving. It is so arranged that the loaded buckets going down carry back the empty ones, and the whole is looked after by one man. The tram-

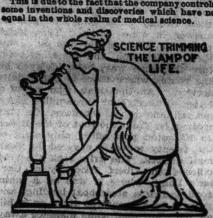
Free Trial To Any Honest Man

The Foremost Medical Company in the World in the Cure of Weak Men Makes this Offer.

HEALTH AND ENERGY ASSURED. HAPPY MARRIAGE, GOOD TEMPER, LONG LIFE.

In all the world to-day—in all the history of toorld—no doctor nor institution has treated a world—no doctor nor institution has treated and restored so many men as has the famed ERIE MEDICAL CO. of Buffalo, N. v.

This is due to the fact that the company controls some inventions and discoveries which have no equal in the whole realm of medical science.



way is built two feet above the mark of the highest snow, and so far has been run night and day, winter and ummer, without a hitch

Previous to the building of the tramway all the work it now does was performed by mules, and the cost of moving a ton of ore was \$2.50. The present cost is less than twenty-five

The mill that was erected cost over \$30,000, and steven power sufficient for 75 stamps was put in, which, with electric lights and other improvements, ran the cast of these up over \$100,000. In many other ways numerous improvements and modern appliances were added, and now, where a system of gravitation is doing the work of burros, a dividend of at least 1 per cent a month has taken the place of the expenditure.

Since September last 1 per cent. a month has been paid, and on the 22nd of December an additional ten stamps were added to the mill, and a greatly increased output is anticipated, and considerable excitement prevails, as the first clean up of the increased mill is expected to take place today. In connection with the above in should be stated that an immen body of ore has been opened up, the first report of which stated that there was plenty in sight for ten years, and

the last that the present owners will not live long enough to see it exhausted, and this in a property the stock of which at one time went begging at twenty-five cents on the dollar. The last advices from the superintendent who by the way on the formation of the company received \$15,000 wortth of stock, which he then said he would not take \$30,000 for, says that the lowest tunnel, the third, shows a body of ore 30 feet wiide and counsels those interested not to sell their stock at any price, and so stock is quoted today at nearly \$2 a share Further improvements are to be added, and it is intended before spring

crease the other necessaries in pro-From the above at will be readily seen that the fortune that has fallen to the people interested is one that is seldom chronicled in New Brunswick annals, and is a bonanza in the truest

Last evening a Sun reporter called upon several of the city gentlemen who are interested, but all objected to be interviewed, and while admitting the facts as above stated said they preferred not to say anything about the property until they hear from the next clean up. It is under-stood that E. C. Elkin and F. A. Jones have visited the property and made a thorough and tareful inspection, which satisfied them of the richness of the mine.

A young lawyer has an option of four thousand shares. When spoken to yesterday he said he was not advising any person to purchase, but if any person desired to purchase he would sell at 175.

THE BEST EVER USED

essus. T. Milburn & Co.: Dear Sirs,-I can reco Woods' Norway Pine Syrup as the sore throat and weak lungs which I The present company, in which the have ever used. Yours truly, WM. FERRY, Blenheim, Ont.

ST. ANDREWS.

John D. Chipman Elected to Represent Charlotte County Without Opposition

ST. ANDREWS, N. B., Jan. 15.-The nomination of candidates for the representation of the county of Charlotte in the local legislature, caused by the death of the Hon. James Mitchell, was opened in the county court house at eleven a. m. today, Sheriff Stuart presiding, who stated so far he had received one nomination only, that of John D. Chipman of St. Stephen, and that the court will remain open till twelve o'clock for reception

Hon. Geo. F. Hill, at the suggestion of Mr. Chipman, made a short speech, in which he explained and attempted to defend the action of the St. Stephen convention in nominating a candidate without consulting the electors in the lower end of the county.

At twelve o'clock the sheriff stated no other nominations had been re-ceived, but that the court would, as by law required, remain open until

Mr. Chipman then addressed the electors present. He first pronounced an eulogy on the late Hon. James Mit chell. He spoke of the steps taken in St. Stephen, which resulted in his be-ing tendered the nomination by a majority of the twenty-four conservative and twenty-four liberals who formed the convention. He said that previous to the vote he told them that in federal politics he was a conservative. With large majority he was tendered th nomination. He continued a ed amplifying speeches of Mr. Emmerson, leader of the local government, and Mr. Stockton of the opposition, that this was a coalithis was a coali-tion government. He (Chipman) would support the present government in all good measures. He did not see why dominion issues should be introduced into local politics. So far he had seen no evidence of it, but should such a ing occur, he (Chipman) would be und taking his stand with the conutives. At two o'clock p. m. Sherelected by accelerate

LIMB PAINS.

ntract Rheumatism and You Will luffer Untold Agonies—Use South imerican Rheumatic Cure and You will Have Relief in a few Minutes, and a Cure in Three Days—Testi-nony Proves it.

was for three years a great sufferer -pains in my limbs were every known remedy but received no bene-it. I was advised to give South American Rheumatic Cure a trial. I purchased two settles. When I had used one and a half ottles I was perfectly cured. I consider it wonderful remedy, and take pleasure in scommending it." F. Nugent, Niagara alls, Ont. OVER THE

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OVER THE PROVINCE.

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tumes were worn by the ladies. The curling season is now in full swing, and the first series of the cup matches is nearly completed. The club is making preparations for an expected visit from St. John rinks A bonspiel on the north shore would be something new for St. John players, and though the distance is rather long, the Campbellton club believe can offer inducements that will well repay foreign clubs to pay us a

Fire broke out in the residence of T. W. Brown on Monday evening, but was speedily extinguished. The loss is rather heavy for the extent of the fire, as Mr. Brown's library was almost totally destroyed by fire and

This seems to be a particularly fatal season for children in this place. Mr. and Mrs. David Graham lost their youngest child on Monday last, and Mr. and Mrs. B. Cyr their infant daughter the same day. Both funerals book place yesterday.

Rev. E. Bertram Hooper of Monicton is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. J. S.

NORTHESK, Northumberland Co., Jam. 12.—The rain of tast week settled the snow, and the sleighing is excellent. Lumbering is not done nearly so extensively as last winter. Therefore we have a great many lidle men, partly owing to the lumber busin but more especially to the scarcity of fish in our river, which is the farmers main support in the winter months

Miss Sadie McKay of Strathadam and Ernest Hare of Whitneyville were made happy at the Baptist parsonage, Newcastle, on Wednesday, the 5th. Rev. Mr. Baker officiated. The bride wore a pretty suit garnished with steel groom was supported by Loran Mc-Kay. After the ceremony the young Hare, Whitneyville, where they wellcomed by a few invited guests. sumptuous repast was served, a

merry conversation and social cha-The Whitneyville division, Sons Temperance, had their social time Friday evening, the 7th. A very pl sant evening was spenit with mus recitations and speeches. A lunche was served, to which all did am justice. At an early hour they sep atted.

Miss Evelyn Keys of Red Bank the guest of Miss Helen Deyarmonic

Mr. and Mrs. Falkoner of Dougl town paid Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Strathadam a visit this week, Miss Bessie Whitney, who has b

home on a vacation, returned to Tr on Saturday, where she will finish course of kindergarten. Miss Ade Swanson of Douglastown accompan her from Newcastle.

Rev. Mr. and Mrs. Murray were guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. P. Whitr

The eldest daughter of Parker M Lean is very ill with rheumatic fev Major McTavish is improving slow Mrs. Archie Menzies while combing her halid injured the sight of her eye by striking it with the comb. She has suffered severely.

Peter Forsyth is able to drive out. Miss Robertson and Miss Bernice Jones were the guests of Mrs. James Brander last eventing.

FREDERICTON JUNCTION, Sunbury Co., Jan. 14.-The young people of this town held a concert and literary entertainment in the hall last evening. The audience was large and apreciative. The sum of \$20 was re-

The health of one or our most worthy citizens, H. A. Thomas, is not satis-

The dog special with dogs for the Klondyke lost one of their canines here. The animal is now in possession of Thos. Wm. Alexander.

FREDERICTON JUNCTION, Jam. 15.—Yesterday while John E. Smith was driving a load of hay the sleds slewed on the loy road, upsetting the load and precipitating Mr. Smith on to a fence. He received painful bodily injury, besides being badly cut about the face. Dr. Murray dressed his wounds, but is retilicent regarding internal injury.

HOPEWELL CAPE, Jan. 14.—The Albert municipal council concluded its tusiness this afternoon. It was ordered that the court house be re-painted, any color but black or

white to be adopted. It was also ordered that the roof of the jail building be raised several feet to make increased accommodations for the jailor.

The jailor's bill of \$115.83 was ordered to be paid.

PARISH OFFICERS. Lists of the officers for the various parishes were submitted and adopted, the principal officers in the different parishes being as follows:

Eligin—Parish clerk, Theo. R. Constantine; collector of rates, John B. Balboock; assessors, Geo. M. Khlarn,

Alfred G. Parkin and Daniel overseers of the poor, Jos. T. Horsman, Benj. Prosser, and Jos. W. Robinson; commissioners of highways, G. Graves, division No. 1; Benj. L. Prosser, No. 2, and Jas. R. Collier, No. 3. W. Brown, Rev. Jas. Spencer, Mrs.

Coverdale—Parish clerk, W. J Smith; assessors, Harvey W. Gaskin Chas. Colpitts and Isalah Steeves: commissioners of highways, Lane Colpitts, division No. 1; Blair E. Chapman, No. 2; Millage Crossman, No. 3; overseers of poor, Alfred E. Gaskin W. R. Wallace and Henry Smith; collector of rates, R. H. Chapman. Harvey-Overseers of poor,

Turner, David Oliver and Henry Copp; assessors, Chas. W. Anderson, H. D. Cleveland and G. M. Reid; parish clerk, Gilbert E. Smith; collector of rates, Edgar Cameron; commissioners of highway, Bernard Duffy, No. 1 S. S. Smith, No. 2; David Barbour, No.

Alma-Overseers of poor, John Connor, Miles Akerley and John Long; assessors, John Hickey, Robt. Thompson and Francis E. O'Connor; con missioners of highways, Jas. Hyslop, No. 1; Andrew Martin, No. 2; T. J. O'Connor, No. 3; collector of rates, Robt. Thompson; parish clerk, Thos. J. Keirstead.

Hillsboro—Overseers of poor, Geo. Carlisle, J. D. Steeves and J. J. Sim-mons; collector, Judson Jonah; parish derk, H. S. Wood; comm highways, John P. Beatty, W. J. Baiz-ley and Wm. Wilson; overseers of poor, J. M. Gross, W. L. Dawson and

Hopewell—Overseers of poor, Jas. O. McClelan, Robt. Bacon and Crane Bennett; commissioners of highways Nicholas Pearson, Levi Woodworth and S. S. Calhoun; collector, Hugh Wright; parish clerk, G. W. Newcomb; assessors, J. A. Fullerton, Jahlel Peck and S. T Rose; special constable, Gildeon D. Reid.

The names of David Gillespie and Judson Jonah were submitted to the board as collector for the parish of Hillsboro by Couns. Steeves and Stevens respectively. Mr. Jonah was appointed collector by 7 to 4.

Coun. Cleveland nominated W. B.

Jonah for county auditor, and Coun. Ryan moved the appointment of Ralph Colpitts, auditor for last year. Mr. Jonah was appointed auditor by a vote of 7 to 5.

The question of enclosing the pro-perty in connection with the court house received considerable attention from the council. It was finally ordered that a fence be erected along the south side of the grounds within two rods of the south line, thus leaving space for a roadway for the people living in that vicinity who had been in the habit of travelling over the court house grounds.

The council voted \$5 for lighting the county jail. Count Carter, the clerk of the peace and the secretary-treasurer were ap-

ointed a jail committee. Coun. Steeves, I. C. Prescott and secretary-treasurer were appointed a printing committee. It was ordered that 50 copies of the

by-laws be sent to the different par-ishes for distribution among the rate-On motion of Coun. Cleveland Albert S. Mitton of Hopewell, Mariner T. Steeves of Hillsboro and Brazillai Connor of Alma were appointed a

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magistrate was this afternoon en gaged in taking the preliminary examination in a case in which Samuel Chaoman, harness maker, of Sussex, is informant and complainant, in the interest of the Pleasant Lake Fishing club, of which he is a member, v. Frederick Brydon, alias Frederick Gibons, and Annie Rushten, both of the town of Moncton, who are charged with having at the parish of Waterford, in Kings county, on the twenty-ninth day of November last, broken into their cot and steal-ting therefrom ten woollen blankets, one coffee pot and two carving there's the management of the Pleasent knives, the property of the Pleasant Lake Fishing club, valued at about twenty-five dollars. The parties were arrested at Moneton and brought to sussex to be dealt with. Three nesses were examined and the prisoners were remanded to Hampton jail until Tuesday aftermoon next, when the hearing will be resumed. The members of the club, who had built a meat little cot by the side of the lake in Waterford, are determined to slift this matter to the bottom, as an example to others who have taken too great a liberty with fishing cots, fitted up at a good deal of expense and

trouble.

A spirited horse attached to a sleigh, owned and being driven by Col. Beer, ram away last evening on Church avenue. The colonel and Mrs. Fenwick Arnold, who was with him, had a narrow escape.

only popular remedies, but are also the best known to medical science for the treatment of the nervous membranes of respiratory organs. Dr. Chase compounded this valuable syrup so as to take away the unpleasant tastes of turpentine and linseed.

Mothers will find this medicine invaluable for children, it is so pleasant to take, and will positively cure Croup, Whooping Cough and chest

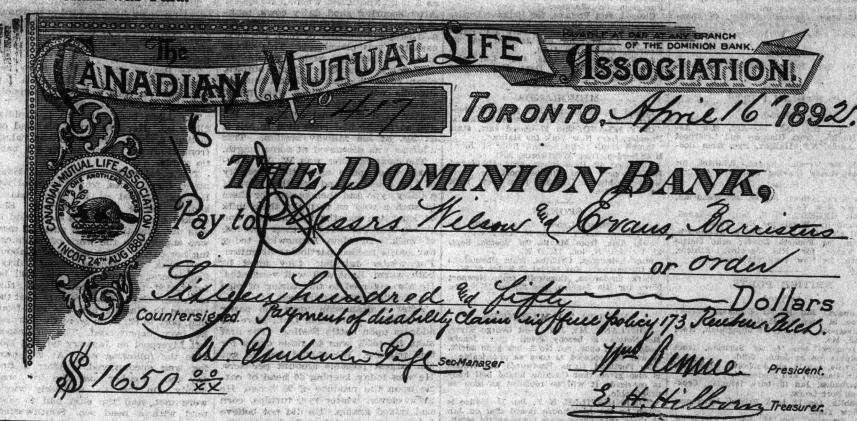
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The Story of a Man Who Suffered the Agonies of a Living Death.

PRONOUNCED HIM INCURABLE AND HE WAS PAID A LARGE DISABILITY CLAIM.

The Case Probably the Most Wonderful in the History of Medical Science-Brought from Hopeless, Helpless Inactivity to Health and Strength-A Reproduction of the Check by Which the Disabilit Claim was Paid.



No other medicine in the world has ever offered such undoubted proof of merit.

WHAT

DR. WILLIAMS PINK PILLS have done for others they will do for you, if given a fair trial.

From the Meaford, Ont., Monitor. Albout two years togo the Monitor procured an interview with Mr. Reuben Petch of Griersville, in order to ascertain from his own lips if the re-ports were well founded that he attributed his most astonishing return tributed his most astorishing return to health to the use of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People. The result of the interview was published in the Monitor under date of Jan. 17th, 1866. Mr. Petch's case was certainly one of the most extraordinary in the annials of medicine in Canada—if not in the world. He had been ill for five years, and in that time he consulted no less ity was steady and certain. than six of the best physicians he could find, but none could give him the least relief. His limbs and body were puffed and bloated to such an extent that he could not get his clothes on, and for two years he had not dressed. He had lost the use of limbs entirely. His flesh seemed to be dead, and pins could be stuck into various parts of the body without being felt or creating the slightest sensation. He could not move about and if he attempted to get up would fall and would have to be lifted up. He was unable to oper his mouth sufficiently to take solid food, and had to be

to examine him, and they pronounced

him incurable and permanently dis-

abled, and in accordance with their

That a man, whose limbs and body were all but dead, who had been examined by medical experts, and pronounced incurable, and on the strength of their report was paid a large disability claim, should afterwards be cured by Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, was looked upon as a marvel. Many were skeptical; not as to the cure-for the fact that he was actively going about proved this-but they did not believe it would prove permanent. In view of the doubts then expressed the Monitor fed with a spoon like a child. The doctors said his trouble was spinal determined to watch the case closely, sclerosis, and that he could not posand now, nearly two years after the case was first published, has again interviewed Mr. Petch, with the result sibly get better. He was, in fact, nothing more or less than an animated corpse, so helpless was he. He was a member of the Canadian Mutual Life Association, and was under their rules that we are in a position to say most emphatically that this remarkable cure has proved permanent. entitled to disability insurance and made a claim for it. Two doctors, on behalf of the association, were sent

On being again questioned, Mr. Petch said:—"You see those hands—the skin is now natural and elastic. Once they were hard and without sensation. You could pierce them with sation. You could pierce them with a pin and I would not feel it, and what is true of my hands is true of the rest of my body. Perhaps you of his statements. report he was paid a disability insurance of \$1,650.00 This was about two

A BOY MURDERER.

three years more he lingered in the

condition above noted, utterly heip-less, and a burden to himself and

friends. He was then advised to try

Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. He did not

hope that they would help him, but in

his sad condition he was prepared to

The publication of the interview, containing the facts above noted,

created unusual interest, not only in this section, but throughout Canada.

years after his sickness began. For have observed that I have now even ceased to use a came, and can get about my business perfectly well. You may say there is absolutely no doubt as to my cure being permanent. Indeed I am in even better health than when I gave you the first inter-

began the use of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. To this wonderful medicine I owe my release from a Mying death I have since recommended Dr. Will Pink Pills to many of my friends, and the verdict is in their favor. I shall always bless the day I was induced to take them."

The above are the chief statements made by Mr. Petch in this latest interview, and the Monitor may remark, from a long acquaintance with him, from a long acquaintance with him, that we consider his statements absolutely true and reliable. He has no interest to serve other than a desire to recommend the medicine that has done so much for him, and we feel sure that if any sufferer will write Mr. Petch, enclosing a stamp for reply, he will endorse all the statements made above. We want to be statements made above. We may further add that Mr. Petch's remarkable recovery leaves no doubt of the wonderful curative powers of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, and it seems reasonable to in-fer that they will do for others what they have done for him—restore health and vitality.

The check at the head of this article

VILLIERS, M. P., DEAD.

WWW.

The Father of the British House of Common Passes Away.

LONDON, Jan. 16.—The Right Hon. Charles Pelham Villiers, M. P. for South Wolvernampton, and known as the 'Father of the House of Commons," having sat continuously in the house since 1835, died at 9 o'clock to-

In addition to being the oldest member of the house of commons, he was faither of the English bar, for he was "called" at Lincoln's Inn in 1827. Mr. Gladstone, seven years the junior of Mr. Villiers, entered parliament two years before him, but while the service of Mr. Villiers had been continuous, that of Mr. Gladstone was broken when he retired from the house of ommons. Mr. Villiers was returned for Wolverhampton three years after tipe passage of the great Reform act and the last parliament of William IV. Fesides being the oldest member of parliament, he was the oldest sur-viving parliamentary candidate. Not-withstanding his extremely advanced age his memory was singularly retentive, and he was able to entertain

tive, and he was able to entertain friends for hours at a time with lively scenes in the house of commons during the first half of the century.

RECENT FUNERALS.

A very large number of people attended the funeral of the late John Chamberlain, which took place from 166 Mill street on Friday afternoon. The deceased was identified with many societies, which turned out in regalia to attend the tuneral The casket was completely covered with flowers, sent by friends from all over the city. A

very beautiful mailtese cross of lilles, don delivered an address, in which he roses, carnations, azalias, hyacinths and ferns, with the letters I. O. F., in spoke of the late Mr. Chamberlain as a man, as a citizen, as a member and purple across the centre, was sent by Court Loyalist, 121, I. O. F. New Brunswick lodge, K. of P., sent a very pretty shield of yellow, blue and red; as an office-bearer of the church. He referred to the heavy loss incurred by his death, and in conclusion spoke words of comfort to the family. After the service the procession re-formed and proceeded to Cedar Hill via Doug-las avenue and Lancaster, the bands and New Brunswick lodge, No. 22, F. and A. M., sent a square and comlas avenue and Lancaster, the bands playing appropriate music. The offices of the pall-bearers were filled by deacons of the Main street church.

The funeral of the late Miss Matthe Robb took place from the residence of John Jackson, Gilbert's Lane, Friday pass. The square was of red roses and ferns, and the compass of white roses, azalias, hyacinths and ferns. Shoam lodge, I. O. O. F., sent three links, one of white roses, one of blue violets and one of red carmations. The three stood on a base of ivy. A large standing wreath of yellow and white roses, azallas, hyacinths and ferns was afternoon. Rev. Mr. Eatough conducted the services, and interment was in the Church of England buriat from District lodge, No. 1, L. O. A. The deacons of the Main Street Bap-tist church sent a floral remembrance in the shape of a large bouquet of procession was very long. Preceding the hearse was the Artillery band, New Brunswick lodge, K. of P., and mem-A Philadelphia Lad of Fifteen Supposed to bers of other lodges; Court Loyalist, No. 121, I. O. F., and deputations from other courts; members of the Temple of Honor; members of Siloam lodge, No. 29, L. O. O. F., and delegates from other lodges of Oddfellows; Carleton Cornet band; officers and members of Johnston lodge, No. 29, L. O. A., and sider lodges. Next to these years the

Have Killed a Five Year Old Boy. PHILADELPHIA, Jam 16.—The body of five year old Percy Lockyear, who is believed to have been mur-derd on Friday night by fifteen year old Samuel Henderson, was today found in the bottom of Reddie's creek, 60th and Catherine streets, and there seems little doubt in the minds of the police that young Henderson is guilty of the crime. He is now locked in a cell at police headquarters. The body of the child when found was weighted of the child when found was weighted by two heavy stones, one about his neck and the other around his ankles. His skull was crushed in and there was a knife thrust just above the heart and similar wounds on his breast, side and forehead, while on the side of his face was a long cut ex-tending from below the eye to the chim.

WOODSTOCK EXPORTS TO THE U. S. Statement showing the value of declared exports from the consular district of Woodstock, N. B., to the United States during the quarter ended December 31st, 1897;

Clap boards \$1,657 60

Bark \$5,593 00

Beef cattle \$554.50

Products of Maine forests, serevised laws of United States:
Lamber
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Shingles HAMPTON MASONS.

Corinthian Lodge, No. 13, R. and A. M., at Hampton, was offically visited fast evening by Grand Master Walker and grand officers, in all about fifteen members of the craft from the city. The grand hoge worked the third degree and the grard master installed the following officers: T. Ernest Whittaker. W. M.; Dr. Percy H. Warneford, S. W.; Geo. M. Wilson, J. W.; Dr. Fred H. Wetmore, Chap.; Frank M. Humphreys, Treas, Cecil S. March, Sec.; Leonard W. Peters, S. D.; Ralph A. March, J. D.; Wm. Langstroth, S. S.; J. Pope Barnes, J. S.; Thos. Gilliland, I. G.; Wm. Jackson; Tyler; R. G. Earle, I. P. M.

Van Jay—"The bridegroom was to meet the bride at the church." Hortense—"But what did the bride do when the bridegroum did not put in an appearance?" Van Jay—"She left the church without any peremony."—Brooklyn Life.

PORT OF ST. JOHN.

Arrived. Jan. 18.—Sch Westneid, 59, Cameron, 170m Eastport, master, bal. Sch J W Durant, from Kingsport to Ha-vana, potatoes—in port for barbor. Tugs Eleanor L Wright, 48. Lambert, and Mary J. Finn, 48, Lambert, R C Elkin. Coastwise—Sobs T W McKay, 97, Buller-well, and Hattie McKay, 73, Durant, from

Jan. 16.—R M str Lake iWnnipeg, Jones, om Liverpool via Halifax, Troop and Son, general cargo.
Jan 17—Stmr Flushing, Ingersoil, from
Grand Manan, Merritt Bros & Co, mails, Cleared.

Cleared.

Coastwise—Schs Susan and Annie, Merriam, and Dora, Corning, for Parraboro; str Westport, Payson, for Westport; schs Valkyrie, Bancroft, for Grand Manan; Miranda B, Day, for Quaco.

Jan. 15.—Coastwise—Schs Susie N, 28, Merriam, for Port Greville; Zina M, Newcomb, for Parraboro; Rex, Sweet, for Quaco; Wanita, Magarrey, for Annapolis; Jona, Norris, for Advocate; brigs No. 5, Warnock, and No. 4, Salter, for Parraboro.

Jan 17—Stmr Livonian, Whyte, for London.

14th-Str Cape Breton, Patoine, for Lou-

CANADIAN PORTS.

Arrived. HALIFAX, NS, Jan. 16.—Ard, strs Assyria; Hughes, from Glasgow and Liverpool via St Johas, NF; Halifax, Pye, from Bos-Salled, str Ursala Bright, Whitson, for lampton Roads (having coaled).

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From River Hebert, Jan 11, sch Wandrian, Wood, for New York.
RIVER HEBERT, N S, Jan. 11.—Sailed, schr Wandrian, Wood, for New York.
HALIFAX, Jan 17—Sid, bark Antoinette, Ljunberg, for Penarth Roads; schs Hattie May, Vance, for Rio Janeiro; Athlete, Knowitoa, for New York via Lunenburg.

BRITISH PORTS. Arrived.

At Leades, Jan 14, str Damers, Patterson, from St John via Halifax.
At Liverpool, Jan 14, str Mongolian, from Pottland, Me.
At Glesgow, Jan 14, str Siberian, from Palladolphia via St Johns, Nfid.
At Moville, Jan 14, str Anchorts, from New York for Glasgow, and proceeded.
At Barbades, Jan 18, bark Douglas, Crosby, from Port Louis. At Dublin, Jan 12, bark Bristol, Lawrence, from New York.

From Swames, Jan 12, bark Alexander Black, Buck, for Bahls.

From Gubraltar, Jan 4, sch Vamoose, Crowell Con Chemister. Sailed, str Lake Huron (from Liverpool), for Halifax and St. John.

At Barbados, Jan 11, bark Linwood, Dougas, from Cape Town.

At Liverpool, Jan 17, str Lake Superior,
rom St John via Halifax.

At Newcastle-on-Tyne, Jan 17, bark Sanaritan, Desper, from San Franciscs via merara, Jan 13, ship Sheffa, Coll-

At Bermuda, Jan 4, stmr Duart Castle, eley (from St John, NB) for West Indies;

LONDON, Jan. 15.—Sailed, str Mantines, for St. John.
From Cape Town, Dec 26, bark Austria,
Anderson, for Newcastle, NSW.

FOREIGN PORTS.

Arrived. Portsmouth, Jan 12, sch Etta A Stim-Hogan, from Perth Amboy.

Mobile, Jan 12, sch Walter Sumner, Mc-from Savana-la-Mar; Harold Borden, Barkhouse, Hawana,
Fernandica, Jan 12, sch Sainte Marie, house, from Martinique.

Manila, no date, bark Hamburg, Cald-from Newcastle, NSW.

Montavideo, Dec 3, bark Kathleen, Da-from Paysandu for England (and sail-At New York, Jan 13, sch Wellede, Brooks, from Natal; Jan 15, strs St Paul, from Southamiton; Paris, from Newport News... At Tybes, Jan 13, bark Calcium, Smith, from Cienfuegos. fom Cientuogos.
At Key West, Jan 14, bktn Sunny South, leet, from Laguayre.
At Fernandine, Jan 13, sch Omega, from avana.
VINEYARD HAVEN, Mass., Jan. 15—Ard.
ch Severn, from St John for New York, and alled.

SALEM, Mass., Jan. 15.—Ard, sch Pefetta, 10th St John for New York.

Salled, schs Bonnie Doon, and Clarence, or St John.

for St John.

CITY ISLIAND, N. Y., Jan. 16.—Ard, str
John Englis, from Portland, Me; schs Kolon, from Sand River, NS, via Noank, Conn;
Sarah Eaton, from Calais, Me.

BOSTON, Jan. 15.—Ard, str Psince Edward, from Yarmouth, NS; sch Forest Bell,
from River Hebert, NS.

Cleared, str Tyrian, for Hallfax, N S;
schs Arrie, for Salmon River, N S; Lizzie
Dyas, for Belleveau Cove, N S.

Sailed, str Pavonia, for Liverpool; Hallfax,
for Hallfax, N S. Salled, str Pavonia, for Liverpool; Halifax, for Halifax, N. S.

At Mobile, Jan 14, ship Harvest Queen, Forsythe, from Cape Town; schs Lena Pickup, Roop, from Havana; Weiter Sumner, McLean, from Savanna-la-Mar, At New York, Jan 14, bark Landskrona, Starratt, from Barbados; 15th, stmr Micmac, Meikis, from Bordeaux.

At Buenos Ayres, Jan 16, bark Veronica, Robinson; Dec 2, bark Ensenada, Toye, from Port Gamble.

fuegos, Jan 11, seh Iolanthe, Spurr, Pensacola).
VINEYARD HAVEN, Jan 17—Ard, schs Walter Miller, from Elizabethport for St John; Mary F Corson, from St John for New York; Harvard H Havey, from St John for

Fall River.

Pased, sch Marion, Reicker, from St John
for New Haven.

MACHIAS, Me, Jan 17—Ard, sch Alaska,
from Spancer Island, NS, for New York;
Lexington, from Sand River for New York,
SALEM, Mass, Jan 17—Ard, schs Nellie I
White, from Sand River for New York;
Abana, from New York for Quao.

BOOTHBAY, Me, Jan 17—Ard, schs Bonnie
Doon, from New York; Madagascar, from
do.

Sid, sch Clifford I White, for Frankfor BOSTON, Jan 17-Ard, str Boston, f imouth, NS.

Cld, etr. Norse King, for Antwerp via.

Itimore, sch Ella and Jennie, from Grand

ASTPORT, Me, Jan 17—Ard, tugs, Elec-L Wright and Mary J Finn, with dredge d three scows in tow from St John bound for Boston,
CALAIS, Me, Jan 17—Ard, sch Amy D,
King, from Parrsboro.
RED BEACH, Me, Jan 17—Ard, sch Wm RED BEACH, Me, Jan 17—Ard, sch Win Cobb, from St Androws. BUCKSPORT, Me, Jan 17—Ard, sch Han-nah Coomer, McLinnis, from Souris, PEH. FALL RIVER, Mass, Jan 17—Ard, sch Sallie E Ludlam, from St John. LYNN, Mass, Jan 17—Ard, sch Hattie

FARMERS' MEETING.

Jan 12, sch Bartholdi

At Wilmington, Jan 12, sch. Bartholdi, Grafton, für Baftandes. At Philadelphia, Jan 13, str Salamanca, Reynolds, for Havana. At New York, Jan 13, sch. Walter Miller, for Wilszackhort, N. J.

for Elizabethport, N. J.

At Philadelphia, Jan 14, bgt Ohio, Mitchell, for Vera Cruz; bark Alkaline, Houghton, for St Lucia.

At Montevideo.

ton, for St Lucia.

At Montevideo, Dec 7, bark Unanima,
Habadan, from Barbados,
At Buenos Ayres, Dec 9, bark Albertina,
Dill, for New York.

At Mobile, Jan 14, sch Beniform, Jones,
for Bustan.

for Rustan.

PORTLAND, Me, Jan 17—Cld, sch Nellie

Crocker, Henderson, for Pisarinco, NB.

From Montevideo, Dec 7, bark Mozam-olque, Strachan, for New York. From Fernandina, Jan 12, sch Canaria, Brown, for Martinique. From Jacksonville, Jan 12, sch Evolution,

MEMORANDA.

Ship Astracana, Griffiths, from Chemainus for Queenstown, Nov 18, lat 57 S, lon 64 W. Park Stadacona, Cogswell, from Newport News for Rio Janeiro, Dec 27, lat 28 N, lon

NOTICE TO MARINERS.

PORTLAND. Me, Jan 12—St George River, Mc—Netice is hereby given that Jenoks edge buoy, spar, red No 2, has gone adrift. twill be replaced as coon as practicable. To Portland (from Eastward) Me—Notice s also given that Cushing Island bell buoy s capsized. It will be replaced as soon as practicable.

Wilbur's Point—A black spar buoy, No 9, in: 17 feet, low water. Old Colony Steamboat Wharf, S % E; Borden's Flats Lighthouse, SW% S. PORTLAND, Me, Jan. 13.—To Portland from Bestward—notice is hereby given that Cushing Island belt buoy, recently reported capsized, has been replaced.

REPORTS

NEW YORK, Jan 17-Captain Trites of the

British bark Nellie Troop, which is anchored off Liberty island, today told the harbor police that one of his seamen, John Sweeney, 50 years old, of St Johns, NF, had dropped dead on board while making up a rope. Sweeney's remains were brought to this city and removed to the morgue. The coroner will investigate the case.

NOTICE TO SUBSCRIBERS

Births, Marriages and Deaths occurring in the families of subscribers will be published FREE in THE SUN. In

all cases, however, the name of the

ender must accompany the notice.

BIRTHS

BLAIR.—On Seturday, January 15th, the wife of Gordon M. Blair, Bank of Montreal, of a daughter.

CARRUTHERS—At North Head, Grand Manan, on Tuesday, Jan. 4th, to the wife of J. U. Carruthers, a son.

HENRION—At St. John, west, Jan. 14th, to the wife of Frank S. Henrion, a son.

MARRIAGES.

MAWHINNEY-GUILFOIL—At Holy Trinity church, on Jan. 12th, by the Rev. J. J. Walsh, D. J. Mawhinney to Kitty Guilfoil, both of this city.

DEATHS.

CROW.—In this city, on January 15th, Mary Crow, a native of Westport, Ireland. HOLSTEAD—At Belleview, Florida, Dec. 18th, Kathleen, infant daughter of S. A. and L. R. Holstead.

O'BRIEN—On Jan. 17th, at 128 Mill street, Wm. O'Brien, in the 62nd year of his age, leaving four sons to mourn the loss of a kind and affectionate father.

SPRAGUE—At East Cambridge, Mass., Jan. 12, Mona Q. Sprague, aged 7 years and 9 months.

months.

EYSEY.—At North Lake, in the County of York, on January 1st, Hiram H. Veysey, in his 70th year, leaving a widow, two sons and two daughters to mourn the loss of a kind husband and affectionate father.

NEWCASTLE.

Northumberland County Council - Dogs

Bound to the Klondyke.

NEWCASTLE, Jan. 17.-The North-

imberland county council meet here omorrow, in the council chambers, at

Two car loads of dogs passed through here Saturday night, bound for the Klondyke.

LONDON, Jan. 17.-At today's hear-

ing of the suit brought by Daniel Jay against Lady Tatton Sykes, to **cover

the time was occupied with expert evidence to the effect that the signs-

tures were forgeries. Sir Tatton's Yorkshire banker testified that the

SYKES' CASE.

dresses Delivered by T. C. B. Mulbery, W. W. Hubbard, Col. McRae, Premier Emmerson and Others.

HILLSBORO, Jan. 15.—There was village today than perhaps ever be-fore in the history of the place. The occasion was the visit of the commissioner of agriculture and a staff of agricultural speakers. Quite a number of prominent farmers from Har-vey, Hopewell and Coverdale came in sed with the speakers mat-

Ship Island.

From New York, Jan 13, schs L A Piummer, for Philadelphia; Winnie Lawry, from Edgwater for Portsmouth; Thos W Holder, for Sydney, C B.

BOUTHBAY, Jan. 16.—Sailed, schs Stephen Bennett, for St John, NB; Ella May, for Boston; B L Eaton, for Eastport.

PORTLAND, Jan. 15.—Sailed, str Laurentian, Brown, for Liverpool, NEW YORK, Jan. 15.—Sailed, strs Lagascogre, for Havre; Umbria, for Liverpool; Furressia, for Glasgow.

Cleared, strs Premier, for Halifax; Portia, for Halifax and St Johns, NF.

From New York, Jan 5, bark J C Hamlen, Jr, Lowery, for Rio Janeiro; sch St Maurice, Orane, for Asua.

At Fernandina, Jan 15, schs La Plata, Sican, for Demerara; Dove, Esdale, for Martinique. The first speaker at the afternoon ression was T C. B. Milbery, a private dairyman of Wicklow, N. B. Butter making was his theme, and he must be thorough and complete in the dairy business. Clean stables, clean cows, a clean milkman and tin as without crevices were prime Passed Lundy Island, Jan 13, bark Alexander Black, Buck, from Swansea for Bahia.
OUTY ISLAND, Jan 17—Pased east, stmr
Premier, from New York for Halifax.
Bound south, scha Severn, from St John;
B C Borden, from Wentworth, NS.
Anchored off Bass River, scha Abbie and
Eva Hooper, from Blizabethport for Portland; Freddie A Higgins, from New York
for Pembroke. ities. He was able to make his butter at a total cost of 13c. per lb., and so far he had been able to sell it at 20c. at his railway station. This address was discussed at some length.

address was discussed at some length. The next speaker was W. W. Hubbard, who spoke upon the necessity of first selecting and breeding cows of a dairy type and then caring for them in such a way as to make them milk at least ten months in the year and give in that time not less than 5,000 for of milk. In New Brunswick today our barns needed particular attention. For winter dairying they must be

our barns needed particular attention. For winter dairying they must be both warm, light and well ventilated. He also referred to the raising of pigs for English bacon purposes.

After a discussion upon the paper Col. McCrae of Gueiph, Ont., gave an address upon cattle feeding. The first step, he said, was to raise crops for this rupose. We should aim to get and mixed grains. He did not believe in manuring land heavily but in giving it a little mamure often. He has a three year rotation. One year rotation then that fall the sowed winter rye among the new clover after the grain was taken off with a grain drill. The rye came up and dying down helped to shelter the young clover. Next spring rye and clover came on tospring rye and clover came on to-gether, and he often cut three tons to the acre of rye and clover hay. This was out when the rye was dirst coming into blossom. That fall he plowed the second growth of clover under after he had allowed his cattle to run upon it. Next year he begun eggain with come and roots. egain with corn and roots.

M. P. P., and Dr. Lewis, M. P., were the first speakers, followed by the commissioner of agriculture: W. S. copie of this section for their success in growing trees. One gentlemen grew successfully some ten or twelve varieties of apples, several of plums, sr all fruits in abundance and fairly good crops of pears.

J. S. Armstrong, C E., followed with an admirable address upon road con-struction, and illustrated his talk with lantern slide views, after which W. W. Hubbard gave a short talk upon animal conformation and threw upon animal contornia views of famous thereford, Shorthorn, Guernsey, Jer-

sey and Ayrahire cattle.

Cot. McCrue spoke upon Tuberculosis. This disease, which was almost
as old as history itself, was, he said,
gradually diminishing, and if we correctly understood its nature there was no reason why it should not decrease very much more. We were learning nore and more about it every day, and already there were some rules which if observed would greatly lessen its danger. The germ of tubercu-tosis flourished best in damp, dark, illy-ventilated places. Sunlight would kill the germ in a few hours. Consumptive people and consumptive animals should therefore have all the fresh air and sunlight. Fully onefresh air and sumlight. Fully one-third of all the people who had tuber-culosis never knew it. Their system was strong enough to combat and conquer the disease. The same was true of cattle. Tuberculosis was not believed to be hereditary. Prof. Bang of Denmark had raised hundreds of calves from tuberculous mothers, and by separating these calves from their mothers at birth and feeding them upon boiled milk they had grown up entirely healthy and at eight years old now showed no signs of the disease. There was no need of any great scare regarding this disease. There was no danger from using the meat of tubor-culous animals when the disease was culous animals when the disease was not in the muscles. Prof. Nocard of France had for years been trying to set up the disease by feeding raw tuberculous meat and had so far entirely failed. Meat, cooked would be entirely safe. Milk was more dangerentirely safe. Milk was more dangerous. He thought all milk should be boiled, especially for children and deficate persons. To persons in good health there was very little danger. In people this disease was communicated principally by the germs in the spittle or what was coughed up. This should never be thrown carelessly about, but spittloons should be used, which could be burned or distinfected frequently. When the spittle dried the germs floated about in the air.

The tuberculin test was the only sure

£15,870 loaned on promissory notes supposed to have been signed by her husband, Sir Tatton Sykes, most of The tuberculin test was the only sure Premier Emmerson was the la speaker. He asked the people to judge the government's agricultural policy upon its merits and to give cre Yorkshire banker testified that the dit where credit was due. The farm-notes were forged, and that the Monite ers had asked for these meetings, and Carlo checks previously referred to be believed it was a proper course to Carlo checks previously referred to during the trial were forged, adding that when Sir Tatton's attention was called to the matter he gave a genutice check for £2,000 in place of them.

Landowner (after his birthday celebration)—Well, Henry, you get here too late for the dinner, but here's a dollar for you. Peasent—Ah, sir, I'd been here for the dinner I'd have eaten much more them a dollar's worth—ter, he felt that the discussion which

had already ensued would be productive of much good, and that many people would next year grow wheat who had not thought of it before. He concluded by asking the co-operation of every citizen of the province in naking New Brunswick one of the lest countries in the world in which to live. (Loud applause.)

Geo. E. Stiles of Rigin was appointed a delegate to the good roads meeting at Fredericton.

WINTER PORT ITEMS.

Arrival of the Beaver Liner Winnipeg After a Very Rough Voyage.

Capt, Jones Reports that the Gun on Gannet Rock Was Not Fired-The Lake Superior's Fine Run Across.

The Lake Superior, from St. John and Halifax, arrived at Moville at ten o'clock Saturday morning—an 81-2

day's trip.

The Donaldson steamer Alcides sailed at an early hour Saturday morning for Glasgow. She was passed by the Lake Winnipeg off the Lurcher that afternoon. The weather was very afternoon. The

The Beaver line people have secured some 1,400 bales of cotton for The Allan boat Livonian is rapidly

filling up. Her live stock, 200 head of cattle, arrived yesterday morning from Mowtreal. They are in the cattle yards. The royal mail steamer Lake Win

nipeg, Capt. Jones, from Liverpool via Halifax, arrived at Partridge island shortly before noon yesterday. She docked a couple of hours later, and it docked a couple of hours later, and it was not long till a large gang of mem was engaged in the work of discharging her cargo, which aggregates about 1,000 tons. She landed, about thirty-five steerage passengers, who will be forwarded to their destinations this morning. Capt. Jones reports that the voyage to Halifax and the run from that port to St. John were the hardest he peer experienced. The Winnipeg left Liverpool on January 1st and Moville the following day. At the spart fog was encouptered. After a fine were met, and the ship had to con-tend with a head sea. Southwesterly winds with misty weather were the order of the day on the morning of the 5th. Then came squalls with a rough head sea. It became so bad that the engines had to be slowed down and the ship's head put to the sea. The following day the wind changed several times, but the angry sea kept up, and the ship plunged and raced heavily. Figure squalls were met the next day from several quanters and the seas became dangerous. The ship's head had to be kept up to save damage. On the 8th, 9th, 19th, 11th, 12th and 13th fearful weather was experienced. Heavy gales prevailed, the seas wan mountains high and snow and sleet storms were met with at intervals. Hallfax was reached on the night of the 14th, where the matis and saloon pass and the weather was fine. When off Seal island thick weather set in and then a snow storm came on. It was as thick as mud for hours. The vessel remained at the mouth of the bay for several hours. Machine Seal Island for whistle could be distinctly heard, but during that time no gun was fired at Gannet Rock. About daylight Gan net Rook light was seen, as the wea ther had cleared. The Winnipeg was then about midway between Machies Seal island and Gannet Rook. If the gun which is supposed to be discharged at the latter place every twenty minutes had been fired Capt. Jones is satisfied that he could have heard it. He will make a report to that effect at the custom house today. The hight at Gannet Rook when it was sighted was flashing in good style. The Allian-Thomson stramer Mantines sailled from London yesterday for tinea sailed from London yesterday for

this port.
The mult stanner Lake Huron, for this port, left Moville Saturday.

The Beaver liner Lake Ontario. now due at Halifax, has 1,000 tons of cargo and 140 passengers.

THE INDIAN POLICY.

LONDON, Jan. 17.-The Right Hon. Sir Michael Hicks-Beach, chancellor of the exchequer, speaking at Swansea tonight, educed the declar of Mr. Balfour, the first lord of the treasury, on the Indian policy of the government at Manchester, and said he government was letermined, even at the cost of war, that the door of Chinese commerce should not be shut to Great Britain.

SEALSKIN SALE.

VICTORIA, B. C., Jan. 17.-The Hudson's Bay Company's sale of sealskins took place in London today. So far the only advices received are to the effect that the prices were about the same as those received at the last sales. Some skins were with Irawn. This will probably make the sealers more determined than ever not to send their schooners out.

NO STARVATION.

VICTORIA, B. C., Jam. 17.-Steam corona arrived here today, having on oard thirty men from Dawson, who brought out close upon a million dol-lars. They confirm the reported find-ing of a quartz lead on Bonansa. Creek, but it is not the mother lode. All the new creeks are turning out well. There is no starvation.

SELLING HIS APPETITE.

Landowner (after his birthday cele

BIG STRIKE ON

The Fight Between Employer and Employe Commenced.

One Hundred and Twenty-five Thousand New England People Affected.

Both Sides Confident and it Looks as if Desperate Labor Battle Was in Progress.

BOSTON, Jan. 17.—The fight between employer and employe in the New England cotton mills is on, and what it will lead up to can not now be told. The great corporations in New Bedford are silent and thousa of operatives are idle, while here and there discontent cropped out all day, the most serious being at Biddeford, Me, where three thousand two hundred persons refused to work, thus where one mill was crippled by four hundred weavers staying out. The general wage cut down is estimated to affect one hundred and twenty-five thousand persons in about one hundnotice of immediate reductions. brought to the notice of agents and

everywhere imberested in the New Bedford struggle, for here the test of strength and endurance will come, and upon the outcome will depend the question of an industrial battle the

The chief point in this battle will be the discipline, and the first command of organized labor brought well night perfect obedience. The day passed quite peacefully. In some quarters it is feared as a forerunner of the odds the strikers will take it they are driven to desperation.

There was missile timowing around to desperation.

There was missile throwing around the gates of one mill, which apparent-

ly was done by persons who took an overjoyful view of the success of the first move and thus emphasized the jokes they cracked at the expense of a mill official.

From the point of view of the mi now a lockout. Intervention by the state board of arbitration this week is hardly likely to be allowed and no over act on the part of the strikers. pected for a number of days.

The New Bedford strikers will re ceive strike money from operatives elsewhere, but the sum total will be

elsewhere, but the sum total will be reserved until a protracted battle brings on want and hardship, which the unions will then try to relieve.

All the New Bedford mills opened at bell time as usual. When no help came in the lights went out, speed stopped, the overseers and second hands prepared to make everything snug, and the nill gates were closed indefinitely.

day, except to carry out the plans of campaign, which will be developed strikes little has developed in them

as yet to forecast the future.

The Laconia and Pepperell mill workers in Biddeford struck because they were anxious to, while the weav ers in the Androscoggin mill, Lewis to a simply took matters into their own hands, regardless of other de-partments. These two strikes, while on identical issues, will serve only as minor fights along the line unless the strike fever grows and they become the nucleus of a general fight in Maine cities. One other minor fight row on is that at Burlington, Vt., where the Queen City mills shut down indefinitebecause the operatives refused poin ank to accept the reduction trouble, however, began a number of days ago, but reached the acute stage

Taking the day's events through vus New England, it may be said that things came to pass just as expected. It is the immediate future which wakens up apprehension.

MARINE MATTERS.

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S. S. Pelican of the Northern Pacific Steumship company, sailed from Tacoma for Japen Oct. 12. It is about 14 days passage, and at last accounts she was 76 days out, hence was two months overdue. They had about 45 days fresh provisions on board, and with the sait provisions would probably have about 30 days provisions altogether. Milton Patterson of Cole's Island, Sackville, is chief officer of the Pelican. Mr. Patterson has a wife living in Pt. Towndsend, Wash. She was a Miss Thornton, and they were merried about a year ago. Capt. Albert A. Sears writes from Victoria that there is no reason for uneasiness as yet.

The following chartsrs are reported: Ship Eurhemia, Newport News to Tampico, coal, \$2.15; steamer Micmac, 14,000 qrs., Philadelphia to Rotterdam, Ss. 3d. berth terms; option part general cargo; barks Wolfe, New York to Rotterdam, Ss. 3d. berth terms; option part general cargo; barks Wolfe, New York to Adelaide, general cargo basis about 22s. 6d.; Mary A. Law, New York to Dunedin and Lyttleton, £2.10; Luarca, New York to Pernambuso, general cargo, p. t.; Linwcod, Mobile to Buenos Ayres, lumber, \$12; Goldon Rod, New York to Buenos Ayres, general cargo, \$2,000; L. A. Plummer, James Ayres, general cargo, \$2,000; L. A. Plummer, James River to New York, piling, etc., \$900 and loaded; Bessie Parker, Willimington, N. C., to Halifax and St. John, naval stores, \$3.15; Viole, San Demingo to New York, Sugar, \$2.50 and port charges; Rayola, sam; brig Wastaway, Cape Hayti to New York, Iog-wood, \$3 and 10rt charges.

Sch. John S. Parker, Capt. Gesner, at Jacksonville from Las Palmes to load with tumber, sailed from the latter port November 18th, and hed a tempestusus voyage. She had to put into Danish West Indies for provisions.

The Liverpool, N. S., brigt. Mersey Belle,

the wreck and spent much time in over-hauling what remains of the schooner, but rething could be found belonging to the captain or crew. The only articles of clothing that came ashore were two boys caps. The hull was completely stripped of rigging, deck houses and bulwarks, and the roughness of the shore where she grounded will soon complete the work of destruction commerced by the sea. The Vinton was valued at \$3,500, and was insured for \$2,000. The cargo, valued at \$500, was insured for \$200, and the freight for \$150.

Bark Persia, Capt. Malcolm, from Buenos Ayres, at New York Jan. 13, reports: Jan. 8, off cape Hatteras, during a strong NW. gale, James Miles, a seaman, fell from the foreyard to the deck and broke his leg. Steamship Belgravia, which has stood the storms since May, 1896, on the shore near Black Point, came partly to grief Saturday morning. She seems to have broken in two, and the after part has sunk.

Schr. Brenton, Capt. Morrison, from Havans for La Plats, put into Nassau on the 18th for water.

Schr. Sallie E. Ludlam, Capt. Kelson, from St. John, N. B., for Fall River, lost anchor and chain off Mt. Desert; procured another at Vineyard Haven from Susie D. and proceeded.

The revenue cutter Manning arrived at Boston on Friday from a cruise in search of a derelict off Georgia, supposed to be the Julia A. Warr. No traces of the missing vessel were discovered.

Schr. F. A. Pike was raised on Jan. 14th and taken further in on Governor's sland flats near Boston. Another lift was to have

and taken further in on Governor's sland flats near Boston. Another lift was to have been made at high water the next afternoon. It is expected this will bring her sufficiently out of water for the hole in her side to be

patched.

A survey was held at Boston on the Dominion line steamer Canada, which had a fire in her hold, Saturday, prior to the time for her departure for Liverpool. The survey decided that the grain was in a too badly damaged condition for transportation. A gang of 100 longshoremen was set to work to remove 24,000 bushels of wheat, and they die the work at the rate of 3,000 bushels an hour. Fresh grain and flour will be taken on to fill the empty space. There was no damage to the steamer by the fire. The loss on the cargo is estimated at \$50,000, and this loss will be adjusted on a general average basis levied on the remainder of the cargo. The steamer Ursula Bright, Capt. Wilson, 23 days out from Havre bound to Hampton Roads, put into Halifax Saturday short of total and the crew in a state of muttiny. The men shipped in Sunderland in July lest fer a voyage to St. John, N. B. The agreement was not to extend beyond Dec. M. or the vessel's first subsequent return to her port of destination. As it wanted bee eight days from the time for their discharge when the ship was about to sail from Hawre, the men asked to be discharged there. The captain, however, refused to let them go, and sailed with them. They would not turn to, and were placed on bread and water on December 24, and have been kept on it ever since. They proceeded with the ship to Hampton Roads, where they say they intend to bring an action against the ship. The captain says he intends to have them arrested for refusing duty.

DORCHESTER.

The Westmorland Circuit Court-Judge Landry Leaves to Open the Albert Circuit.

in Winters v. Peters, gave evidence in the circuit court today, and it would appear that the plaintiff's entire case would be completed by eleven o'clock con Monday. If a verdict is reached in this action by Welnesday, it is altogether probable that all the cases on the docket will be tried. The great length of this suit has not only prevented the attendance of the barristriconvenienced Judge McLeod, wh morning next, and who also had s set down for hearing at St. John the first of the week. It is of course impossible for him to get away.

Mrs. Lundry entertained a number of her triends at progressive whist last evening, in honor at Judge Mc-

DORCHESTER, N. B., Jan. 17.-Or 2 o'clock today, the facts of the defence upon which Messrs. Peters will rely were presented to the jury by the counsel, and the first witness towards their estaiolishment by evidence was called. Several have since been examined, but it would still seem that Mr. Ohandler would not rest the defendant's case with the jury until

Weinesslay morning.

Judge McLood and Stemographer
Ristern remained her over Sunday,
but the petit jurors who were not engaged in Winters v. Peters, were excused on Friday from further attendance at count until today. They have

to preside at the Albert county cirrow. He is compelled to drive from Monoton to Hopewell, a distance of twenty-five miles.

A CANADIAN AGENT.

COPENHAGEN. Jan. 17 .- An agent of the Canadian government nan.ed Lewis is organizing an expedition for valley similar to the one undertaken by Dr. Sheldon Jackson in sehalf of the United States government. Six Laglanders and one hundred and fourteen reindeer are already on route.

COUNTESS RUSSELL DEAD.

LONDON, Jan. 17.—Frances A. Maria, Dowager Countess Russell, vidow of the celebrated Lord John Russell, is dead. The Downger Countess Russell was a daughter of the second Earl of Minto. She was born n 1815 and married Lord John Russel, as his second wife, in 1841.

MONCTON STATION PLUMBING JOB:

About a month ago it was under-steed that new tenders were to be in-vited for the completion of the plumb-ing of Moneton station, which had been brought to an abrupt standatill some alous job in connection with the cifications called for the tenders to in by the 31st December, and the eating apparatus was to be leted by the 1st of February. inderstand that no action has the calling of new tenders? It is scarcely necessary to say that the firm of local plumbers who made the the owner of the ill-fated schooned Vinton.
Capt. Messenger says that while owing to
the length of time that had elapsed since
the Vinton left nome and the absence of
ery ticings from her, the worst was feared,
yet it had been hoped that the crew had
been picked up or taken off the vessel. Capt.
Messenger or Monday visited the seeme of

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LONDON, Jan. Garnet Wolseley, commanded in chie army, speaking at a don this evening, called the pessim about the army. H England declared could have two of fully equipped arr ness for any Brit paid there would obtaining recruits.

There has been a ent that the gover to add seven tho navy and that the ship Hannibal, now to be put at once There is, however, mation in either ca

GLADSTONE'S

LONDON, Jan. 19-ical statement issued that there is no can Mr. Gladstone's has not benefitted been hoped at Ca neuralgia pains q fluctuations owing and wet weather, is quite local. have not suffered, good, his appetite the family at meals drive, weather perm moned. Mr. and I stone will go to Ca in accordance with made weeks ago. del, with whom Mr. iting, telegraphed to changed.

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