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ST. JOHN, N. B., WEDNESDAY, APRIL 23, 1902.

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Patriotic Meeting to Celebrate St. John Society's Centennial an Enthusiastic Success.

Speeches of Eloquence and Power by J. D. Hazen, M. P. P., and Hon. George E. Foster-Imperialism the Spirit of the Times.

of St. George's Society of St. John Later in the evening these were join-was held Sunday afternoon in Trin-ed by the delegation from St. Anthe sermon being drew's Society. delivered by the chaplain, Rev. J. A. Richardson. The members of the society, in afternoon dress, with the toniers, assembled in their hall shortly before 4 o'clock, and marched to the
the company with a detachment
opened the proceedings by delivering
the following address. president, Dr. Thos. Walker, was accompanied in the procession by J. Roy Campbell, president of St. Andrew's Society. The celebrants occupied the seats in the middle aisle in the front

of the church, which was well filled by friends of the society. In the musical service the large choir of Trinity was assisted by an orchestra under the leadership of Morton L. Harrison. The service opened with the processional hymn, O God, Our Help n Ages Past, after which Psalm xxxiv. was sung, and lessons from Deuteronomy iv. and Romans xii. were read. A full evening service, including the anthem "Sing a Song of Praise" (Sir John Stamer), preceded the sermon. charitable fund of the society, and the service closed with "The National An-

them" as the Recessional. Rev. Mr. Richardson preached from Psalm xlv., 16: "Instead of thy fathers shall be thy children, whom thou mayest make princes in all the earth."

Most happily and appropriately was St. George's Society's centennial celebrated last Monday at the patriotic meeting in York Theatre. Everything conduced to make the occasion a complete success. The company was congenial and just large enough for the comfort of all, for admission was only by invitation and presentation tickets, and the music rendered by Harrison's orchestra and the accomplished solosits was just the kind calculated to orchestra and the accomplished solosists was just the kind calculated to lend color to the spiendid orations delivered by the speakers of the evening. The hall was beautifully decorated for the occasion. Over the speakers and the music remarks of the speakers of the evening. The hall was beautifully decorated for the occasion. Over the speakers of the evening of speakers.

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service in honor of the Centennial, Robson, B. S. Smith, J. B. M. Baxter.

President Dr. Thos. Walker was in the chair, with Hon. Geo. E. Foster and J. D. Hazen, M. P. P., at his right and left respectively. After the ren-dition of a selection of English airs by

Ladies and Geneiemen—We are here tonight to celebrate the centennial of SaintGeorge's Society of St. John. It becomes
my pleasant duty as president of the society
to extend to you a hearty welcome and ask
that you will enter fully into the joy of the
occasion. We are proud that our society,
having completed the hundredth year of its
existence, should be in such a vigorous and
prosperous condition. Sir Walter Scott has
said, "Years rush by us like the wind; we
see not whence the eddy comes nor whither
it is tending, and we seem ourselves to witness their flight without a sense that they
are changed, and yet time is begulling man
of his strength as winds rob the woods of
their foliage."

While this is true of man as an individual,

of his strength as winds rob the woods of their foliage."

While this is true of man as an individual, it is pleasant to know that there exist societies which our forefathers have founded, and which gather strength as time goes on. This, I may say, is the condition of our St. George's Society, which, founded one hundred years ago, and having met with reverses and periods of inactivity, has now attained to a ripe and visorous old age. St. George's Society is always associated in our minds with the patron saint of England, Saint George, and St. George is always associated with the Dragon, mythical or otherwise.

After an interesting account of the history of the patron saint, the address run thus: The particular veneration paid to St. George in England dates from the time of Richard the First, who in the wars of Palestine placed himself and his army under the special protection of St. George. In 1222 his feast was ordered to be kept as a holiday throughout England, and the institution of the Order of the Garter, in 1330, seems to have completed his inauguration as the patron saint of that country.

The objects of Saint George's Society are the forcer a spirit of natriotism and nation.

rian finds himself in rather an awward patterning. The hall was beautifully decorated for the occasion. Over the speakers hung the banner of the order, flanked by two huge English ensigns draped along the side of the proscentum arch. Shields and artistically draped coats of arms fronted the balconies and gallery, and from pillars and posts swung myriads of smaller flags and long tri-colored streamers. The members of St. George's Society, as the hosts of the evening, acted as ushers.

Seated upon the platform were the officers and past masters of the celebrating society and several guests, including: Chief Justice Tuck, Judge Barker, Dr. H. G. Addy, Dr. Sillas Alward, Ald. Seaton, Rev. W. C. Gaynor, John Rodgerson, Lt. Col. Markham, D. R. Jack, Judge Trueman, Rev. L. G. Macnelll, Hom. H. A. Mc. Keown, W. H. Trueman, H. H. Plekett, Ald. Millidge, Geo. Anderson, J. D. Purdy, M. P. P., Arthur Everett, Rev. G. M. Campbell, Judge McLeed, H. D. McLeod, H. S. Bridges, G. U. Hay, J. deWolfe Spurr, Ald. T. B. Robinson, Rev. Charles Comben, Horace Porter, Dr. Bayard, A. B. Harrison, Rev. A. D. Dewdney, A. M. Belding, Mayor Daniel, S. D. Crawford, J. Seeley, Geo. C. Coster, R. M. Smith, Hon. R. J. Ritchie, Hon. G. E. Foster, J. D. Hazen, M. P. P., C. E. Macmichael, G. Sidney Smith, W. P. Dole, W. M. Jarvis, R. W. W. Frink, T. Percy Bourne, Lt. Col. J. R. Armstrong, Wm.

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The membership of St. George's Society, continued the president, has included many of our prominent and active citizens. Am-

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nan," by Morton Smith, the the evening, whose address of eloquence, breadth and power, was re-

unsurmountable, which the settlers

ong its officers have been such men as The Millidge, Harry Peters, Robert T. Hazen, H. Doyer Smith, B. L. Peters, B. L. Feters, If. John V. Thurger, John H. Gray, William Wright, J. R. Ruel, H. P. Sturdee, George, J. Snider, whose histories would be the history of our city. Since the re-organization in 1825 we have been equally fortunate in the personnel of our officers, for we have had as presidents His Honor Mr. Justic, Barker, G. Sidney Smith, H. Lawwise, B. Sturdee (the late immented shoris), Arthur Everett, J. deWolfe Spurr, James H. Pulles, Col. Markham, Chas, W. Weldon, the present mayor, Dr. Daniel, Ald. T. Barciny Robirson, W. M. Jaryis and Dr. H. G. Addy. It is worthy of note that in two cases three generations of a family have held office in the society. Henry Boyer Smith, was treasurer from 1859 to 1836, and president in 1858, and his grandson, Royer S. Smith, is our present very efficient secretary, B. L. Peters, ir., was president in 1854, Mis son, B. L. Peters, ir., was president in 1854 and 1856, and his grandson, J. Twining Hartt, was secretary from 1889 till 1894.

The events connected with the sending to Africa of Canadian contingents are so fresh in the memorles of you all as to make it unnecessary that I should describe them. The general enthusiasm on these occasions was fully shared by the members is of St. George's Society, and it is now a source, afgreat pride to us that we have borne upon our roll of members the names of two members for their Queen (and King) an country; one, Reverly Armskong, the 1806 of one of our ex-presidents, has again returned to Africa to fight for the dear Fatherland. I shall leave it to those gentiemen who are to address you later on adaquately to describe to you the pride we feel in these, our fellow members.

Such, ladies and gentlemen, is a short and imperfact account of fight for the dear Fatherland. I shall leave it to those gentiemen who are to address you later on adaquately to describe to you the pride we feel in these, our fellow members of St. George'

knows.
Close? In our bounty half the world hath

An envoy from St. Andrew's Society. Marshal C. W. Bell, then ceremon ously entered and formally requested permission for the president of his society to enter. This was graciously ac corded and Vice Presidents Macmichael and Robson were delegated as a guard of honor to escort the distinguished visitor, President J. Roy Campbell, who entered the hall headed by St. Andrew's pipers and followed by Thos. A. Rankine, 1st Vice James. F. Robertson ,2nd Vice; John White, Treas; Cyprus F. Inches, Sec.; Dr. Inches, James Jack, Thos. White, Com of Charity; Past Presidents Dr. Murray MacLaren, Judge Forbes, Jas. Knox, Dr. Jas. Christie, Robert Rankine and Chaplain Dr. Morison. The procession was marshalled by C. W. Bell and Major Gordon.

On behalf of his society, Presider Campbell presented President Dr. Walker with a heavy gold St. George's cross and ribbon, accompanied the following address, engrossed on

MR. HAZEN'S SPEECH. In introduction, Mr. Hazen spoke of the significance of the present celebra-tion in honor of the richest hundred years in the history of the dominion and our province. He told of the landing of the first little bands of Loyalists, who settled only a little over a century ago along the St. John river. Among these, he said, was represented the best blood of Puritan New England, the worth of which had been amply proven by the deeds of their amply proven by the deeds of their descendants. (Applause.) Then in 1783 another band landed at Market square, St. John, and set to carve themselves a new home from their rocky and unpromising surroun In discussing the circumstances of this landing and the hardships, almost

had to fight, the speaker quoted from one of the first histories of British North America, that written only a Hatheway and issued from the press of Chubb & Sears of this city. With these interesting extracts as a text, he spirit of these our ancestors, a spirit that led to the foundation in 1802 of greatly to perpetuate the loyalty de-rived from these heroic men and wo-During these hundred years great changes had taken place, the torch of loyalty lit then, burned as brightly and clearly today in the of all Canadians. (Applause.) Every change in this respect had only tended to draw us closer to the motiver country. The conduct of the monarchs of the world previous to Victoria's accession had the tendency to bring monarchical rule into disre-

pute, but, she, the noblest sovereign of history, had by her personal quolitles and genius restored the throne to a loftier place in the hearts of the people. (Cheers.)

The confederation of the Canadian provinces was alluded to and followed by a splendid eulogy of the power and ssibilities of the nation thus created Australia had recently followed the federating example, and in a few years we might expect to see United Africa occupying an equal (Applause.) The present members of St. George's Society, he con

oing over 8,000 miles of sea to fight beside their brothers from far lands know,
And know you too, you good green England then—
Mother of mothering girls and governing they had so fought beside regiments
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for the flag that had always representively and constitutional liberty, and
they had so fought beside regiments
of historic fame that glory incalculable of historic fame that glory incalculable burg, where the Canadians had the post of honor, and of that later field where, like the Spartans at Thermo pylae, they fought till the last man fell, were written, Canadian history

would never show pages more glorious. (Cheers.) The society, he said, had also seen the Manchester school and the Little Englander pass away, until today all Britishers were imperialists. When in

essation of hostilities. June next our King was formall; crowned, his coronation ceremonies would be the most wonderful and significant pageant the world had seen, exceeding by far any that ever peopled the streets of ancient Rome. For not only would he be surrounded by the the peace negotiations. crowned heads of all Europe, by gor-geous diplomatic corps from all the world, but with him also would be men from all the colonies of Greater Brit-ain, which his noble mother had done so much to preserve for the Empire.

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SOUTH AFRICA

It Was New Zealand's Offer of Tenth Contingent

That Led Imperial Government to Suggest Canada Might Send a

BALMORAL, Cape Colony, Saturday, April 19.—Gen. Lucas Meyer, commander-in-chief of the Orange Free State forces, State Secretary Reitz of the Transvaal and the other members of their party arrived here last night, and this morning proceeded to the north. They were accompanied by a British escort, and it is their intention to consult with the Boers in the field.

PRETORIA, April 20.-Gen. De Wet has gone to Heilbron, Orange River Colony. Gen. Botha, the Transvaal commander-in-chief, has gone to Vryheid, Transvaal, and Gen. Delarey, to gether with President Steyn of the Ordorp. They have arranged to meet the burghers at different rendezvous and submit the British terms. It is believed the Transvaalers will everywhere accept the terms, as they are in no way anxions for a winter cam-paign. The only difficulty likely to occur will, it is thought, be with the Orange Free Staters, many of whom are expected to prove recalcitrant.

cessation of hostilities. The delegates Add South Africa are expected back in Pretoria the middle of May, and in anticipation of LONDON, April 21.-Wiring from Pretoria, the correspondent of the Standard says there is good reason to believe that a tentative agreement | has been arrived at, which will prove mutually cordial and lead to an early

The correspondent at Utrecht of the Daily News says it is recognized there that the Boer delegates at Pretoria have full powers to negotiate without reference to the Boer leaders in Euope, who have no real influence or

WASHINGTON, April 20 .- Col. E. H. Crowder of the army, who has been investigating the charges that the British government was maintaining a supply station in Louisiana for horses for the use of the British army in its fight with the Boers, has arrived here, and saw Acting Secretary Sanger of the war department today, to whom he outlined the nature of the investigation he had made and submitted a report. Mr. Sanger declined to talk concerning the report.

Tonight Col. Crowder and Mr. Sanger saw the president, and the latter informed of the nature of the report Col. Crowder would make.

OTTAWA, April 21.—The governor general has received the following from the British casualty department: Dangerously ill, 20th April, at Johannesburg, 2nd Regt. Mounted Rifles (189) J. Millen, and (666) Michael Murphy, both of gun-shot wounds. Died from enteric fever, 20th April, Pretoria, S. A. C., Capt. A. J. Boyd. Capt Boyd is a son of Chancellor Sir John Boyd. Millen is from London, Ontario,

and Murphy from Peterboro, Ontario It was the generous effer of New Zealand to furnish another contingent for service in South Africa which led the imperial authorities to ask additional men from Canada. Chamber lain's message to the governor general sent March 18th, is as follows: "The patriotic action of New Zealand in offering a tenth contingent of 1,000 has strengthened the hands of His Majesty's government in their efforts to bring the war to an early conclusion This contingent has been gratefully accepted and large reinforcements are being sent from here. His Majesty's government do not wish to press for further offers, but if your government should wish to follow the example of New Zealand, we should be glad to accept reinforcements of 2,000 men on the same terms and conditions as the consist of unmarried men.

The reply of the Canadian govern ment was sent through Lord Minto, after a week's consideration. It said: "Referring to your telegram of March 18th, my government are of opinion that if so desired by His Majesty's government, 2,000 mounted trops can be raised in the Canadian dominion on I

the same terms and conditions as the colonial troops which sailed in January last, and the department of the minister of militia will undertake to carry out the work as in the case of that colonial corps.'

MONTREAL, April 21.-The Star's pecial cable from London says: Canadian officers. Colonels Willoughby and Wallace, and Capt. Howard and Lt. Hamar and Lieut. Greenwood and several other officers of the King's colonials were presented to the King at this afternoon's levee at St. James

KINGSTON, Ont., April 21 .- Mrs. cablegram dated Klerksdorp, Transvaal, from her husband, Lieut, Bruce Carruthers, reading, "Never better." This is the first word received from Lieut. Carruthers since the battle in

which he won fame. TORONTO, April 21.—Chancellor Sir John Boyd today received a cable mes-sage from South Africa notifying him of the death of his son, Lieut. A. J. Boyd, from enteric fever. Lieut Boyd, who was aged 37 years, was formerly a Toronto barrister, and long promi nent in local military and athletic cir-cles. He joined the Strathcona Horse when it formed, returning home with the men of the first contingent, but again went to South Africa and join-ed Col. Steele's constabulary. When last heard from he was in excellent

LONDON, Ont., April 21.- A telegram was received at Wolseley bar-racks this morning from Ottawa anouncing that men of the permanent force would be accepted for service with the Canadian Mounted Rifles in South Africa. The company was on parade at the time and when Colonel Denison informed the men of the volunteers, every unmarried man stepped to the front and signified his anxiety to go. There were about forty altogether, and they will now undergo the necessary medical and other tests.

OTTAWA, April 21.-A telegram was sent today to Col. MacDonell of Retheir return they have given orders gina, who is to command the 5th Regt. here for new clothes, provisions, etc. of Canadian Mounted Infantry, to come to Ottawa with all speed to confer with the minister about officers for

Advices to the department show that the ranks of the 3rd and 4th regiments are complete, but recruiting will, however, continue tomorrow in the eastern provinces to cover any possible shortage in western regiments.

(Associated Press.) CHICAGO, April 21.- "Mules will continue to be shipped to South Africa is long as the Almighty rules America." declared Gen. Sir Robert Stewart. an officer of high rank in the artillery branch of the British army, who ar-

rived here today.
"England is not at all alarmed over the investigation at New Orleans," continued Gen. Stewart. "There is no denying that mules and horses are shipped to South Africa by our government, and it is nonsense to talk of stopping it. We probably will begin shipping your American mustangs to outh Africa also."

When Gen. Stewart returns to London he will report favorably on the adaptability of the mustang for use in the British army. While here he has arranged for the purchase of hundreds of the wiry little animals should. his government act favorably on his

SIG FIRE IN LONDON.

LONDON, April 22.-Today's fire was the biggest since the famous Cripple-gate fire of November, 1897. It began in Macqueen's hat manufactury and rapidly spread to the opposite side of the street, the burning embers falling in all directions. Three hundred fire-men and forty fire engines were engaged in preventing the further spread of the flames. Owing to danger that the Aldersgate street station might catch fire, traffic was temporarily suspended on the Metropolitan railway. The flames were visible for many miles. The guests of the Manchester

hotel, adjacent to the Aldersgate street station, hurriedly left the building. Altogether three large warehouses on the south side of Australian avenue, two on the north side, and buildings on both sides of New Zealand avenue, were gutted. Twenty firms and shops were burned out.

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OTTAWA, April 12.- For the second time this season Mr. Blair has succeeded in heading off the Intercolonial inquiry. A few weeks ago he induced the public accounts committee to vote down a motion summoning Mr. Archihald as a witness. Yesterday he appealed with success to the committee to refuse the order for documents and accounts relating to the purchase of locomotives previous to last year. Mr. Blair puts in the technical plea that mittee has no right to more than one year back. This is a point which the minister was accus-tomed to take in New Brunswick, but which has been very much disregarded in this capital. Mr. Haggart was able to show that the practice of the committee has been to open up any old accounts connected with present ctions and to follow any serious series of dealings back as far as is mecessary. This was done in regard to the accounts of the interior department in 1891, and in the same year all the accounts of the printing bureau were ordered produced and investigated, though they dated back to the beginning of the establishment. this does not cut any ice with Mr. Blair or the majority of the committee.

Mr. Barker wanted to know about the purchase of locomotives. Mr Muhlfield, mechanical superintenden of the Intercolonial, was on the stand and the inquiry as to purchase of engines naturally covered several years, But Mr. Blair headed it off, and so the enquiry must necessarily be imperfect. Twenty-four members of the committee besides the chairman were present. Fourteen were liberals and ten conservatives. The motion for the ounts was voted down by a majority of 14 to 10.

Mr. Haggart and Mr. Barker want to learn the actual deficit on the Inter colonial for last year. To ascertain this it is necessary to know what was the cost of engines and cars required to replace stock worn out. It appears that much of the worn stock was re placed with new and that the new been mainly charge ed to cap ital. If the committee could determine how much of this charge really belongs to the expenditure for the year it would be possible to approach more closely the actual deficit. Mr. Blati admits \$480,000, in addition to the rolling stock, rails, bridges, and other property improperly charged to capi-

But the investigations with Mr. Muhlfield on the stand were not very has only been at Moncton a few months. He seems to know how many cars and how many engines are laid aside, but he cannot tell how long they have been out of service, nor what proportion have been replaced on current expense account. He reports the rolling stock in fair, average condition, but is not clear at all on the manner of charging new goods.

It came out in yesterday's enquiry that the new engines cannot be run on the Drummond line. The road bed is not equal to the strain. This was very well known before, but was not proved or admitted. Mr. Blair informed the committee that the Drummond road bed would have to be strengthened by the addition or strengthening of the bridges before he could run his heavy engines over it. He defends this state of affairs by saying that he never pretended that the Drummond road was equal to such service. For that matter the I. C. R. was not either.

There appears to be an odd misunderstanding between Mr. Muhlfield and Manager Russell. When Manager Russell issued a circular announcing that the engines running between St. John and Halifax, and between Moncton and Levis, were not doing proper work he claimed to have his informa tion from the mechanical superintendent, who was represented as having said that the steaming qualities and construction of these engines was defective. Mr. Muhlfield says he did not tell Mr. Russell that the construction was defective, but did refer to the steaming qualities. He also states that his reference to Mr. Russell was concerned with the engines on the road to Levis only. These engines were purchased by the late government. Whatever Mr. Muhlfield may have told Manager Russell, it is a matter of record that the manager represented him as referring to the engines on other parts of the line and as oriticising the construction. Mr. Muhlfield says that the manager was mistaken and that though he made no protest he did in conversation privately-explain to him his error. His statement is that the manager wanted him to talk to the engineers about the bad time they were making, and that he told the manager he did not care to blame the engineers when the fault was with the engines.

The story about the hiring of engines to the C. P. R. is worth attention. Mr. Muhifield's statement is that these engines, eleven in number, so far as he knows, were leased to the C. P. R. and another railroad because they were obsolete and unfit for profitable use on the I. C. R. He thought that the C. P. R. need them between St. John and Montreal, But under what Mr. Borden calls the "intense method of cross-examination" pursued by Mr. Blair he concluded that this might be a mistake, yet so is certain that the

C. P. R. could more profitably use better engines, but they were hard up and took what they could get. This Mr. Blair elicited by the intense pro-cess. He also asked Mr. Muhifield if the C. P. R. had not offered to buy some new engines from the I. C. R. at a price above the cost. Mr. Muhlfield replied in the affirmative, but in response to Mr. Haggart he confessed that he had no personal knowledge of the matter.

It is quite refreshing to learn that the I. C. R. was so much better manhand over its unprofitable rolling stock to that company to be used and paid for at high rentals, while the place of these engines on the I. C. R. is taken by new ones which are not paid for at all, so far as the current charges are concerned. The new engines are presumably charged to capital, since the old ones are not written off until they are entirely out of service. When the C. P. R. gets done with them they will go into the repair shops. In the mean-time the current account of the I. C. R. is not drawn upon to provide new engines to replace the old ones, but on the contrary is benefitted by \$100 day received from the rent of the dozen obsolete locomotives. One naturally feels sorry to find the C. P. R. in such a distressful and inferior position. But it may be some compen sation to the management of that road that it produces a surplus of \$12,000,000 R. admits a deficit of half a million and has an actual deficit of more than twice that. After hearing vesterday's evidence it may be that the C. P. R. people will engage the minister and management of the I. C. R. to run the trans-continental railway. In that way large amount of rolling stock could be accumulated from the United States and an interesting deficit could be substituted for the dreary and monotonous surplus which the Canadian Pacific is obliged to declare.

As an obstructionist, Mr. Fisher, the minister of agriculture, is a conspicu ous success. He started out yesterday to put through his agricultural estinates. It was 3 o'clock when he began and at half-past five he finished his introductory remarks. Some ministers would have had their votes pretty well through by that time. Having explained and expounded every thing, Mr. Fisher sat down to answer questions. It would be rather uncivil for other members after listening to this lecture not to take sufficient interest to ask questions, and the result was that the minister was quizzed and queried until midnight.

Members had a good deal of fun

with him about his fruit inspector. Mr. Fisher has many fruit inspectors and one chief inspector, whose business is is to tell the others how to do their work. Now the chief inspector, whose name is McKinnon, seems to have been appointed because his father was grit politician and because he himself knew nothing about fruit. He was a young lawyer without much practice though, as Mr. Ross of Victoria in this kindly way, pointed out, his father owned a fruit farm down in the Niexplained by another member that the young man had left the paternal roof time before his father bought the farm, and while the old gentleman was inspector of schools. At present Mr. McKinnon senior is a candidate for the local legislature, and Mr. Mc-Kinnon, jr., is trying to learn some-thing about fruit. Mr. Borden (Halifax) suggests that the minister of justice should next appoint a fruit grower to the bench, especially if it should ap pear that the fruit grower's father had recently acquired a law library. Mr. Wade of Annapolis testified that the aspector of inspectors was well liked the Annapolis fruit exporters, which led Mr. Lancaster to suggest that the inspector was appointed for the benefit of the consumers as well as the people who sold fruit did not consider that an inspector of inspectors was necessary at all. Mr. Hackett of Prince Edward Island explained that a recent shipment of fruit from Ontario to that province was found to contain a layer of excellent apples on top and very bad ones below. Mr. Fisher would not allow his inspector to be blamed for this.

The new project for cheese curing establishments is painfully local. Mr. Fisher concludes that the English market now demands moist and soft cheese and that the farmers of Canada lost about \$2,000,000 last year because they were unable to meet this demand with the proper article. The places where they cure cheese are too dry and warm, and he proposes to establish curing stations where the atmosphere will be cool. Two of these are to be in Ontario and two in Quebec, and they will cost about \$10,000 apiece. Each will handle the product of some ten factories, and these cheese fresh from the press will be conveyed to the curing place in easy running carts.

Mr. Fowler on behalf of New Brunswick, and Mr. Hackett on behalf of P. E. I., wanted to know why their provinces were left out. Mr. Fisher said there were no cheese centres in either province. What he mans by a cheese centre is not very clear, since each province has places where a but said to include a number of the curing establishment could be situated with a proper number of factories about it. All this was expounded by

There is a mystery about Mr. Fisher's chicken fattening experiments. The minister says that his stations have shown the immense profit of the cessic business, and that in a short time it would be carried on extensively throughout Canada. Last year there were eight or ten stations where

But the auditor general tells and out of the way and publicity is avoid- ation of the manners and language of mean to introduce party politics into

est establishment to his own home-record is that Mr. McBean of easter, Ont., who bought chickens at this station, bought feed for them, fed, sold and marketed the goods and reported the results. The country paid \$321.94 to Mr. McBean for his services and expenses and received for the sale his products \$78.28. Mr. Fisher made some enquiries and disthat the chickens at this place had been smitten with some disease, chicken pox as Mr. Fowler suggested, and therefore it was no test

Then Mr. Fowler took up the case of the station at Sussex. This ought to have been a success, and Mr. Fisher offhand declared that it completely aged than the C. P. R. as to be able to successful. Their accounts, however set forth the following statement of expenses: "J. A. McArthur, Sussex. N. B., services, \$85; 414 chickens, \$105.65; feed, 15 cwt. at \$1.70; mashed oats, 35 bus. at 43c.; oats, 59 bus. at 37c.; milk, 5,050 lbs. at 25c. per cwt.; 35 lbs. tallow, \$2.20; grinding oats, \$1.60; picking chickens, \$16.90; paper, \$1.26; 100 brick, \$1; 2 crates, etc., \$5.50; pressing boards \$1.26; sundries, 41 cents; freight charges, \$1.16." The total is \$297.10. The goods were sold for \$198.66.

Mr. Fowler does not see how this could have happened, because Mr. Mc-Arthur, who had charge of the station, was a dealer in carriages and goods of that sort and should naturally be qualified to feed chickens. It is probably necessary to select him because there are no farmers or poultry people in Kings county.

The Truro station kept by F. L. Fuller handled 524 chickens. The cost was \$252.81, and the product almost exactly the same, but there is no rec ord that Mr. Fuller was paid for his services, whereas Mr. McArthur had

The Charlottetown establishmen was in charge of Mr. Horace Haszard Mr. Hackett was rather surprised to find the recent impending govenment candidate in Queens county had been feeding chickens for the government. He suggests that Mr. Farquharson ought to explain whether there was any connection between the chicker experiment and the candidature, but Mr. Farquharson was not on speaking terms with the subject.' It seems that Mr. Haszard bought 494 chickens for \$118, paid \$82 for one kind of feed, \$21 for milk, \$1.70 for a suit of overalls, a large sum for miscellaneous expens 3.52 to the man who bought the \$23.25 to the people who plucked them, \$37.40 for labor, \$15 for more labor, \$21 for still more labor, received \$85 salary for fattening 400 chickens, the whole amounting to \$499.78. It does not appear what became of the 94 chickens that were bought and not fattened, but the credit side of the account shows that \$94.25 were received for the poultry

The accounts at other stations were like these, the total cost of preparation of poultry for market was \$6,580; of this about \$1,500 appears to have been paid to the poultry inspector and for outfits which may remain after transaction is over, leaving \$5,000 for current expenses. The total amount received for chickens sold was \$1,833. Mr. Fisher and Prof. Robertson were unable to point out any error in the the matter ended with a considerable doubt thrown upon the claim of Mr. Fisher that his poultry experiments had been highly satisfactory.

OTTAWA, April 14.-This is not a lay of small things with corporations. While the public may suppose that parliament is transacting this most important business in the commons chamber, the essential work goes on in the committees of both chambers. A private bill, so called, may be one in which the public is more interested than in public orders.

Among the big things is the Bell Telephone Co. legislation. This con-cern, which reaches out over the large provinces, desires to increase its capital by ten million dollars. It has been before parliament several times, and at one time it was supposed that conditions had been imposed giving municipalities and the government some control over rates and regulations. It now appears that the company is not subject to much restraint and the impression is that it is making very arge profits. The application for the right to increase its capital by ten million dollars is explained by the promoters to be a step in the direction of increasing the telephone communication through the country. But many of the senators think that the com pany has already capital enough for that purpose, and is only seeking the power in order to dilute the stock and conceal the real dividend paid. The question is fought out rather strenuusly in the upper house. The mayor of Toronto, with his solicitor for that town, and several other mayors, have been opposing the measure, and the Bell people only got it through the senate committee by the casting vote of the chairman. This is about the beginning of the struggle and nobody can tell where the end will be.

The Treadgold concession in the Klondike is said to be good for anywhere from ten to twenty million dollars in the English market. It take the place of the late unlamented Yukon railway commission, would have transferred the gold fields to a corporation with another name same beneficiaries. The Treadgold affair is violently opposed by the whole about it. All this was expounded by the lower province members, but they it has strong support in political circuld get no satisfaction. politicians are said to be implicated in ft, and the names of certain ministers are continually mentioned in connection with this and other Yukon conons. It is unfortunate that this should be the case, but many circumstances have thrown suspicion on methods pursued in the department of the interior, which, next to the depart-

Until two or three years ago, the principal elements to be considered in private railway bills were the interests of the Grand Trunk and the C. P. R. A certain number of members were likely to respond to the request of one company, and another number were friendly to the other. For exple, Mr. Blair has always been conred an ally of the Grand Trunk and Mr. Tarte a friend of the Canadian Pacific. On many occasions in the allway committee, agents of the two companies have been at work for days in the lobby for and against a certain measure. A notable instance was that of the Kettle River Railway charter, carrying with it the traffic control of the boundary district of British Columbia.

But now it appears that these contests will be triangular for some time to come. Mackenzie and Mann and the Canadian Northern have become an element in the case, and a stronger element, inasmuch as they and their companies are carrying on more extensive works of construction either of the other lines. It is not known how close is the alliance between this group and the Webb intersts, which now own the Canada Atlantic, and which seem to be behind the projected system reaching through uebec, New Brunswick and Nova Scotia to Louisburg. But it is safe to predict that when all these roads shall be completed they will belong to one corporation, with a line from Louisburg, Cape Breton, to the Pacific

The Northern Securities Company started out with a magnificent prospectus, claiming all the concessions that had been made to Mackenzie and Mann anywhere in Nova Scotia, announcing the intention to build right through Nova Scotia, and giving out that they had some sort of an assur-ance of the transfer to them of a portion of the Intercolonial. Premier Murray of Nova Scotia was ill in New York at the same time that Attorney General Pugsley made a visit there and Mr. Blair took a run to that town to meet them. It may be remembere that parties in Nova Scotia with whom B. F. Pearson, M. P. P., had ome sympathy, were opposing the Mackenzie and Mann contract for the railway from Yarmouth to Halifax. They had a sort of understanding with the Webb interests up to a certain time, but the New York conferences changed the face of affairs, and of late the Webb interests and that of Mackenzie and Mann are in the same boat.

It is a part of the programme to build a bridge across the St. Lawrence at Montreal. In a previous letter it was explained that C. N. Armstrong's application for the extension of his charter for a bridge at Longueil was thrown out of the committee, chiefly through the influence of Mr. Prefentaine, the largest stockholder Mr. Prefontaine had transferred his interests to another company, and now it is supposed that the company which prevailed on that occasion, is to be a part of the Webb-Mackenzie and Mann organization. The present aspect of each owning a bridge over the St. Lawrence at Montreal, will put up a fight against the new competitor. Mr. . ainwright of the Grand Trunk, one of the most expert lobbyists in Cana. is virtually living around Parliament Hill these times, and it is said that for this once he is supported by the C. P. R. lobby. On this point, however, it is not safe to speak with positiveness, for combinations are

Meanwhile the C. P. R., which attends to business, has been buying two railways in this neighborhood. The Gatineau road, which runs almost due north from the Ottawa up the Gatineau river, and controls the traffic of a rich district of country, including valuable lumber lands, and mines of mica, has been sold to the C. P. R. The company has also purchased the Pontiac railway, which runs from this point on the north side of the Ottawa river. A result of this purchase is hat the corporation acquired a valuable railway property and has procured a shorter route between the two oceans. The Pontiac line from Ottawa westward will by the construction of a bridge to Pembroke over the Ottawa shorten the main line by some thirty miles, if the company uses the inter-provincial bridge at Ottawa and its own short line from Ottawa to Montreal. The purchase also gives the company access from both directions to the Central station at Ottawa which formerly could only be reached from the east.

formed and dissolved every day.

OTTAWA, April 15 .- I suspect that there is a good deal of horse sense in what Col. Hughes says about the militia system of Canada and the military system of England. He is not the only man who asserts that the army is too much of a machine and affords little opportunity for the exercise of individual capacity. Col. Sam has read a good deal of history and has seen some in process of manufacture. He states with rather more emphasis than the newspaper critics his want of confidence in the British officer as produced and controlled by the system. The British officer himself is a very good man, but the system which Col. Hughes curses prevents him from attaining to his full capacity.

The colonel repeated a ghastly story of impossible British attacks by regulars on impregnable positions, of disastrous ambuscades, of successful but expensive assaults which were unssary, in which class he includes the actions at Paardeburg. For the British soldier and for the British officer as a soldier he has the highest admiration, but he protests against the methods which do not allow them chickens were prepared for market.

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The interior, walks later the methods which do not allow them opportunity for boodling operations. In to be any more than a link in a masome respects it has a better chance chine. The colonel has developed a than the Intercolonial, because it is knack of imitation, and his represent-



"the lawdy-daw" officer is rather entertaining.

But the Hughes moral is that the whole business as managed at the war office must disappear. The whole system of training must go. The traditions of the British army so far as management, training and discipline go, must be banished and forgotten. All things must be made new. Col. Hughes thinks that the colonial officers in Africa would have done well if they had a chance. In action they were obliged to serve under imperia officers and were not able to display their own qualities. The colonial officer, though good enough in the field and on the march, was not held to be quite suitable for Cape Town drawing rooms and fashionable receptions. The British officer of noble family could associate with colonels on the veldt but he draw the line when it came to social functions in the colonial capital or in England. Col. Hughes took occasion to say that he had no reason to complain on this score. He outranked most of those with whom he came in contact, and the same men who refused to associate with their equals of colonial service were inclined today to be sycophantic towards him.

ous suggestions of a general kind to offer. He makes the same complaint against the officers of the permanent corps that he does against the British officer. The Canadian permanent officer considers himself a little above the militia officer and a great deal above the militia rank and file. He carries himself as a lord and a despot, whereas his attitude should b that of a comrade and a teacher. The whole army system here and in England, according to Col. Hughes, is based upon an obsolete theory. former times the working man was a slave of the master and the commo soldier occupied the same relation to his officer. It is not so now anywhere except in the army. The idea of a master who controls everything and a man whose sole duty is to obey was carried out in the military department alone. Colonel Hughes thinks that there is very little difference between the position of a cadet or young soldier in a school of instruction and that of a convict in the penitentiary. The young soldier who may be as well to have worked continuously, without born and brought up as the officer, is a day of rest, for some months. The compelled to be in his room at certain attention of Mr. Charlton has been hours. His light must be out at the called to the ca abroad at regular times. His door is guarded by a man with a bayonet. Everywhere he is under a system of repression from outside. He ought to e allowed as much liberty as a student at college, to go and come as he likes, except so far as attendance is necessary to the performance of his duty. He should be allowed to study his work at his own hours and in his own way. In place of controlling him from the outside he should be taught the elements of self control.

The colonel told of three brothers

known to him, one a student at Toronto University, one an officer in the militia and one at a school of instruction. The student, who is youngest of the three, is allowed to spend his evenings as he likes, to board where he likes out of college, and is entirely out of control as to his personal movenents. The officer is allowed to keep such hours as he likes, has a room to himself if he chooses to occupy it, can spend his evenings with his companions, and generally is master of his own time when off duty. The third brother, equal in character and capacity to the other two, and performing equally useful functions, is constantly under guard, compelled to rise and retire at certain hours, always under the command of some person, restrained in all his movements. so that his position is but little different from that of the convict in the pententiary. More-over, he is compelled to perform manual tasks which are altogether unnecessary and humiliating. He must make his own bed, keep his own room in order, cook his meals and eat what is served to him. All this Col. Hughes claims is unnecessary and worse. keeps good men from the ranks. makes them unfit for promotion and it prevents them from giving that intelligent interest that will make them good modern soldiers. His plan would be to have the men taught such things as are necessary in modern warfare and no more, to allow them to board out where they like, and when they are not under instruction to be as free as students in a college. He would have the whole relation of officers and men so changed that there will be no essential distinction as to social position and the relation should be that of teacher and pupil instead of master and servant.

The other colonel who has charge of the department of militia express his gratitude to Col. Hughes for the pointers he gave, at the same time rather deprecating the criticism which he offered. Col. Borden does not think the state of the force is quite as bad as Col. Hughes represents, but admits the need of improvement, and promises to do better if he can.

Senator Church says he did

the question of Nova Scotia which he raised yesterday. It is not very easy to see what else he had in view, seeing that the only point there can be in his speech was the statement that the mines of Nova Scotia had become a valuable source of revenue, and that this source would have been lost if they had been transferred to the dominion government by the Holmes-Thompson administration. Mr. Church must have known that there were no papers showing that this administration had tried to get rid of the mines, for he has been chief commissioner in Nova Scotia long enough to know what the record of the department contains. The secretary of state could have told him privately, and probably did tell him what he stated publicly, that there were no papers indicating such propositions. Senator Macdonald of Cape Breton reminded the new senator from Lunenburg that while owing to the National Policy and the development to coal mines in consequence, the territorial revenue in Nova Scotia had greatly increased. Mr. Church and his government had not made a very good use of the advantage. They found the province with a small debt and had increased the indebtedness by \$3,000,000 notwithstanding the enormous increase from royalties. It seems that while Mr. Church and his asso As to Canada Col. Hughes has variclates have not given the coal royalties to the dominion government, they have given it to somebody else, for it is not only all gone, but an immense amount of borrowed money along with it. When Senator Church was reminded of these things, he said he was sorry that party politics were introduced into the discussion.

Mr. Washington of Ottawa is perhaps some improvement on his great namesake in one important respect. Mr. Fisher is including in the census report a statement of farm values prepared by this Mr. Washington. It is not so veracious as the hatchet story, but it is the kind of statement that Mr. Fisher wanted. It shows that farm values increased during the time of the Mackenzie government, decreased during the period before 1896, and increased again from 1897 to the present time. This is the substance of the concluding observations in Mr. Washington's report. Mr. Fisher paid him \$5 a day for the period of his investigation, and Mr. Washington took pay for Sundays along with other time, so that he seems

Before the public accounts committee yesterday Mr. Clancy made examination of Mr. Washington's methods. To the surprise of all it turned out that the Washington investigations down to 1880 were confined to one county and it was from this lone county that he made his generalization of farm values throughout Canada. The county was Carleton, in which the capital of Canada is situated, the last one that a genuine statistician would select in order to ascertain the fluctuations in value of farm property through the country. The rapid growth of Ottawa by the construction of railway lines converging here, the establishment of local industries, and the development of Ottawa as a capital, is well known.

Then it turns out that Mr. Washington selected only three other counties in Ontario and a part of Prince Edward Island for his more recent investigations. In making his calculations he made no allowance for the construction of farm buildings or improvements of any kind. All he did was to go to the register of the county and take all the actual sales recorded during the period investigated, and where the same farm was sold more than once, made comparison of the prices received. It did not occur to him that the record might not contain the exact amount received and that the value would be affected by local circumstances or by the fact that a house might be built on the premises in the meantime, Anybody can see that an enquiry carried on in this way over a limited and selected area is absolutely valueless, and worse than valueless, because it is false, but Mr. Washington has received his recom-

Mr. Bell had a little fun with him. He asked how it happened that farm values increased in 1877 and 1878, which was a period of great depression. Mr. Washington explained that farm values always increased when there was industrial depression brought on the country from without. He went on to say that there was no real decrease in farm values in England of late years. The apparent decrease was due to the fact that large areas were farmed and they could not produce profitable crops. Small farms were worth as much as ever. Mr. Bell suggested that wheat lands in England would naturally depreciate by the competition of newly opened land in America combined with cheap transportation. Mr. Washington's reply was, "Oh, no, competition is the cure for selfishness."

There is more to be learned about Mr. Rochester. Here is his story as he told it himself. When Mr. Tarte was going to build telegraphs in the Yukon country he gave Mr. Charleson carte blanche to go about the work. Mr. Charleson went to Mr. Rochester and said that he wanted Mr. Roches

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ter to go with him. Nothing was said about pay, and Mr. Rochester went out as a foreman, serving from February till May without knowing what he was to receive. Before leaving Otta-wa he received an advance of \$500 from the government through Mr. Charleson. At the end of the period of service he was allowed \$200 a month and his expenses.

But in the meantime Mr. Rochester and Mr. Charleson had been looking around. Mr. Rochester retired from the pay list in May and continued to keep books for the government at the request of Mr. Charleson, receiving no pay for his work. The reason his pay stopped was because he had become a contractor for telegraph poles. Mr. Charleson gave Mr. Rochester a contract to furnish these poles at \$2 each. A telegraph pole in the Yukon is rather a small affair, and the price seems to be a very good one, but Mr. Rochester says that if he had not taken them at \$2 aplece the government would have had to pay \$3. He furnished about 7,000 poles and then went back to the government pay list. Eventually he took charge of construction of one of the lines and received \$15 a day and expenses, that is to say \$5,405 a year. Mr. Clancy invited Mr. Rochester to say what these poles cost him. Mr. Tarte was on his feet in a moment insisting that it was not a fair question. So did Mr. Fielding and various other government sup-porters. Mr. Tarte gesticulated all over the table and declared that it was none of the committee's business how much money Mr. Rochester made out of the job. By this time Mr. Rochester concluded, if he had not decided before, that he would not answer the question. Though he did not say so, it is a fact and probably will be proved by sworn evidence that the poles cost Mr. Rochester less than \$1 apiece.

Whatever Mr. Rochester paid to Mr. Phillips, to whom he gave the subcontract for the poles, he could have paid as an officer of the government If he could buy poles for \$1 apiece as a private contractor, he or Mr. Charleson could buy them for that price for the government. It is plain enough that Mr. Rochester and Mr. Charleson having at government expense sur-veyed the ground and obtained all the information necessary, found out that there was more money for Mr. Rochester in resigning his pay and taking 100 per cent. rake off on supplies than there was in buying the supplies at current price. The whole job occupied some three months, and the rake off, which is a dead loss to the government, is over \$7,000. But there will be something more about this another

Children Cry for CASTORIA.

SCHOOLS IN CANADA AND IN AMERICAN CITIES

A novel and interesting test of the relative thoroughness of the public school systems of the United States and of Canada is being conducted by Anson A. Gard, formerly of New York, but now a resident of Canada, and the author of a book on Quebec who is of New York, but now a resident of Canada, and the author of a book on Quebec, who is in this city as a guest of Irvin G. Herman of 607 West North avenue. Geography, history and the forms of government are the fields in which the test is being made. It came about as the result of a controversy which resulted in a wager between Mr. Gard and a prominent teacher of Montreal, and is to be decided on whether Canadian school children know more generally about the United States than American school children do of Canada.

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The Canadian test took place in Montreal about the middle of last January. More than one thousand children of the high and grammar schools of the province were assembled and fifty questions about the United States, prepared by Mr. Gard, were propounded. One afternoon this week Mr. Gard asked fifty questions about Canada of fifty pupils in a public school in the central portion of the city. The same fifty questions were asked of pupils in Brooklyn, N. Y., and Hackensack, N. J., this week. Mr. Gard said the answers given by the Baltimore pupils were far better and showed a greater degree of thoroughness than those given by the pupils of the Brooklyn schools.

Mr. Gard stated yesterday that thus far in his investigation he had found that the Canadians knew a great deal more about the United States than the American children did about Canada. The fifty Baltimore pupils he had examined showed that the school system in vogue here was far in advance of that of New York.

WARREN WANTS ALL PUBLISHED.

LONDON, April 20.—General Sin Charles Warren gave out a communication today in response to General Buller's stinging criticism of his conduct at Spion Kop. This evening, however, he requested the newspapers not to publish the communication.

Gen. Warren's statement simply expresses his hope that the governmen will publish the complete documents relating to Spion Kop. He asserts that the despatches, as published in the White Book, considered by themselves, cause unjust reflections upon himself and his command.

Lightning Remedy for Cramps. Some people have cramps pretty often, others only now and again. But when you do have them it is a mighly quick relief you want. Polson's Nerviline is as sure as death to relieve cramps in five seconds-it's instantaneous, just a few drops in sweetened water and the pain is gone. Buy a bottle of Nerviline today, and keep it handy. Nerviline is a common house hold necessity and only costs 25 cents. Dr. Hamilton's Mandrake Pills Cur Constinution.

CATHOLICS SEND A PROTEST. HALMFAX, N. S., April 17 .- The archbishop of Halifax has forwarded to Hon. Mr. Chamberlain, the British colonial secretary, through Hon. Mr. Scott, the Canadian secretary of state resolutions adopted by the Catholics of 24 parishes in the diocese of Halifax, favoring a repeal of that portion of the British accession oath objection able to Catholics. The resolutions of the Halifax city Catholics were forwarded to Rome weeks ago.

HOW IS YOUR LIYER WORKING? Are you satisfied you are enjoying as good health as you should? If you are "out of sorts," the trouble may be with the Liver. If so, use Wheeler's Botanie Bitters.

P. B. ISLAND.

Legislative Finally Passed a 3rant for the Exhibition—General News.

CHARLOTTETOWN, April 18-For 36 hours this city was practically without fire protec-tion. The firemen asked the city council for an increase in pay. Their request was not complied with and every fireman handed in his resignation. After lengthy consultation compromise was effected. They formerly received pay as follows: Hosemen, \$25; hook and ladder, \$20; salvage corps, \$10. They demanded salaries of \$50, \$35 and \$30. The rate agreed upon is \$40, \$35 and \$25 respec-

rate agreed upon is \$40, \$35 and \$25 respectively.

The provincial legislature prorogued today. A grant of \$4,000 has at last been made for an inter-provincial exhibition.

Word has been received of the death in Quincy, Mass., of Mrs. James Cummings, nee Mary Grace Bolt, aged 34 years, formerly a resident of Milta, P. E. I.

Lucy Sims, in the employ of Kennedy and Son, Kensington leaves next week to make her home in the Northwest.

It is announced that the marriage of James D. Hyndman of Winnipeg, and formerly of Charlottetown, to Ethel Davies, daughter of Sir Louis Davies, will take place early in June.

Rev. Donald Francis McDonald died at Souris Thursday morning. He had resided there for 30 years and had enjoyed good health up to Wednesday, when he received a shock which resulted in heart failure.

Captain James Walsh, a native of Bedeque, died at Summerside a few days ago.

Dr. Anderson, superintendent of education, has appointed Thursday, May 1st, as Arborday.

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Norman Carruthers, principal of Kensington school, has resigned his position and leaves in a short time for Manitoba. J. A. Ready, vice-principal, succeeds him.

John G. Graham, while butchering recently, met with a serious accident, which resulted in blood poisoning. Dr. McIntyre is in attendance.

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J. C. Parr of Auckland, New Zealand, is on a visit to this city. Mr. Parr's wife is a granddaughter of William Haszard (a brother of the late Henry Haszard), who emigrated to New Zealand in the early sixties.

Among recent deaths in this province are: Thomas McCabe of Middleton, aged 94 years; Joseph Taylor of Granville, aged 65 years; Harry Burns of Charlottetown, aged 29 years; William B. Tuplin of Margate, aged 21 years.

While at work on one of the scows used on the Hillsboro bridge work, John McLeod had his ankle broken, by having it jammed between a large timber and the wheel of a

gigger.

George A. McAulay and Charlie McKinnon of St. Peter's Bay, and Philip Long of Milburn have gone to Sandon, B. C., to reside. Late advices state that Sergeant Harvey Morris of the Mounted Riffes is ill with malaria at Cape Town hospital.

John M. Clarke of Summerside left on Thursday morning for Los Angeles, California. Mr. Clarke goes as the representative of the high court of P. E. Island at the meeting of the supreme court to be held in that city. Mrs. Clarke accompanies him.

M. F. Cleaver Sullivan, son of Chief Justice Sullivan, has passed his qualification

M. F. Cleaver Sullivan, son of Chief Justice Sullivan, has passed his qualification examination for lieutenancy in No. 6 C. A., headquarters at Quebec.

Mrs. Joseph Field has gone to Council Bluff, Iowa. She was accompanied by her son, Joseph, and also her brother, Lemuel Smith, a resident of Iowa, who has been visiting here for the past week.

Edwin Taylor, son of William P. Taylor of Wilmot, has gone to Regina, where he will spend the summer months. A. E. Williams of the Bank of N. B., and Mr. Damerell of Freeton, crossed by tife Northumberland Thursday, the latter en route to the Northwest. S. E. Dawson and Mrs. Dawson, of Lyon, leave in a few days to reside in the United States.

Market prices are brisk here this spring. Oats sell at 45 cts., potatoes 35 cts, hay \$11, eggs 10 cts., pork, 7½ cts, butter, 25 cts. cattle, live weight, 5 to 5½ cts.

Amonk recent marriages in this province are: Samuel Jenkins and Emma Harper; Arthur Temple Kneebone of St. Patrick's road and Mary Semple of Peake's Station; Frederick S. Hiers, formenly of Charlotte town, and Alice Maud Cushing of Calgary, N. W. T.; Jessie McLean of New Argyle, Lot 30, and Dougald McPhall of St. Catherine's; Cole Elliott of Cambridge, Mass., and Myisee Vickerson of North River, P. E. ine's; Cole Elliott of Cambridge, Mass., and Myisee Vickerson of North River, P. E.

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GEN. BULLER'S DESPATCHES.

Reports of the Spion Kop British Defeat

LONDON, April 17.-All the official despatches referring to the defeat sustained by the British troops under Ger Buller, at Spion Kop, Natal (Jan. 24, 1900), have been given out. Those hitherto unpublished merely emphasize how hopelessly muddled were the pre-

parations for that engagement. The controversy between Gen. Buller and Gen. Sir Charles Warren is proved to have been even more bitter than previously hinted at, while a new extract from one of Lord Roberts' despatches brings additional censure on Gen. Buller. Lord Roberts declares that Gen. Buller's endeavor to put the responsibility for the defeat on Gen. Warren was not justifiable. Roberts holds that it was Buller's duty to intervene when he saw things going wrong. This remark was caused by a despatch from Buller, in which he says: "I saw no attempt on the part of Warren to either grapple with the situation or command his force himself. We lost our chances by Warren's slowness. He seems to me to be a man who can do well what he can do himself; but who cannot command. I can never employ him again on an independent command. I ought to have assumed command myself when I saw things were not going well. I blame myself now for not doing so."

Buller explains that he failed supersede Warren because it might have discredited the latter with the troops, which was an especially serious matter, as if Buller had been shot Warren would have succeeded to the

supreme command. The question of the responsibility for the actual retreat from Spion Kop is shrouded in a maze of despatches proving that a mistake was made in sending a heliogram and that there was a general desire to shirk the onus Beyond this washing of dirty linen, nothing appears to have been accomplished by the publication of the de-

NOVA SCOTIA NEWS. A STUBBORN COLD OR

HALIFAX, April 18.—The steamer Ionian arrived this afternoon from Liverpool, making a record winter voyage between the two ports. She was seven days and five hours from Moville. Among her passengers was Colonel Sir Charles Parsons, who has been appointed to the command of the imperial forces in Canada, with the local rank of major-general. He was received with a guard of honor and a salute of 17 guns.

Sir Charles Parsons was born 1855, joined the Royal Artillery in 1875, and was in Halifax as a subaltern in 1876. He has seen considerable staff and war service. He was through the South African war of 1877-81, Egypt in 1882, being present at the battle of Tel-el-Kebir, and was in the Nile expedition of 1898.

CORNWALLIS, N. S., April 19.-On Wednesday a pretty home wedding took place at Halls' Harbor, when Mrs. Winnifred Bethune and George Everett Browne were united in marriage by the Rev. Wilfred Gaetz, rastor of the Methodist church at Canning. The bride looked charming in a handsome travelling suit of brown. Refresh-ments were served at the bride's home immediately after the ceremony.

A Mr. Porter, a resident of Parra-boro, was killed by the train at Kings port on Wednesday. Mr. Porter, who was deaf, was walking on the track and did not hear the whistle. He was fastening his shoe and the engineer did not know the bent figure was a man till too late to stop the train. The man was instantly killed. Both his

neck and a leg were broken. Richard Starr of Starr's Point has purchased the Hales farm at Town Plot, and not Lewis Messenger, as was stated last week.

George Jodrey, sexton of the Baptist church at Canning, fell from a staging while working in the shipyard at Canning on Wednesday, and was severely injured by the fall and by a large amount of staging which fell on him.

Mr. Davis, manager of the Cornwallis creamery, has sold his farm at Berwick. Charles Miller of Canning has purchased a pair of horses in Avonport. George Parker of Canning has sold a nice horse to Herbert Harris of Randville. Rev. Charles DeW. White of Kent-

ville rectory has received a present of \$125 from his parishioners to replace the horse which he lost some time ago. The following officers have been appointed for the coming year in Kentville Lodge, No. 58, A. F. and A. M .: W. M., W. D'Aubin; S. W., R. Stewart; J. W., C. F. Rockwell; secy., R. S. Masters, P. M.; treas., W. J. Ross; S. D. M. F. Carroll: J. D., G. Reeves; S S Dr B Webster, P. M.: J. S., Charles Cochran, P. M.; J. G., H.

Bowles; tyler, G. Martin; chaplain, Rev. S. R. Ackman. The death occurred recently at Philadelphia of Annie Dennison, daughter of Edwin Dennison of Kentville. The body will be interred in Kentville.

WOLFVILLE, April 19.-Dr. M. A. Hemeon, Acadia, '92, who has been successfully practising medicine at Bridgewater for a number of years. has sold out his practice and will go to England to pursue advanced medical studies. Mrs. Herbert Horshay (nee Miss Emma Wickwire of Wolfville), who

has lived in Massachusetts since the death of her husband, Rev. H. Horshay, has returned to the province and will settle in Berwick. Miss Clara Blanchard, daughter of

the late Judge Blanchard, died at her home in Kentville on Friday of appendicitis. An operation was performed by Dr. Stewart of Halifax, but she did not rally from it.

J. W. Ryan of Kentville was presented with an address of sympathy from the loyal Orange lodge on the receipt of the news that his son Robert had been wounded in South Africa.

The office of Dr. Murdock Campbell son of John Campbell, Kentville, was badly wrecked at Lynn recently by the explosion of a gas tank. All the apparatus was damaged, windows blown out, carpet torn up and furniture broken. The damage was about

Miss Annie Best of Grafton was married on Wednesday at the Park street Congregational church, Boston to John Jenkins of Collinsville, Conn Miss Best was for some time a successful teacher of this county.

Miss Annie Dennison, daughter of Edwin Dennison, died on Tuesday at Philadelphia. She will be brought Kentville for burial.

J. W. Day, formerly of St. John, who has been in the employ of the Beaver Mill Co. for a number of years, has sold his place on Gaspereaux avenue and will move to Halifax, where he has accepted a position in the Glob

Laundry Co. Edward Bishop, a former resident of Wolfville, died at his home in Nev Minas after a long, severe illness. His daughters are Mrs. Lewis Duncanson, Wolfville; Mrs. William Pineo, Wilmot; Mrs. R. O. Chisholm, Canard, and Miss Evelyn Bishop. His oldest son, Fletcher, resides in Vancouver, and Howard and Manly are settled in

Somerville, Mass. Charles Heales has sold part of his large fruit farm to Richard S. Starr, Town Plot, and C. H. Starr has sold the Fox Hill farm of 60 acres to John

The regular meeting of the board of trade took place on Tuesday. The board has petitioned Hon. Dr. Borden to use his influence to secure a daily steam service between Wolfville and Parrsboro. A proposition to secure a

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public park was favorably discusse The following gentlemen were elected members: Dr. McKenna, A. F. Little, Oakes and Capt. Rodman Pratt.

TRINITY'S NEW REREDOS

One of the Most Artistic and Elabor Pieces of Church Decoration in Canada.

The rector and congregation of Trinity have installed in their church during the present week one of the mos artistic and elaborate pieces of church decoration ever set up in Canada.

It comprises a carved reredos with panelled lateral extensions covering the whole eastern wall of the chancel from the floor to the base of the great stained glass window.

The entire composition is 33 feet long by about 13 feet in height. A recess has been provided to receive the pre sent holy table, which is thus embodied in the design, and the projection of the re-table will support as formerly the handsome brass cross presented by the ladies of the congregation in memory of the late rector, Ven. Arch-

deacon Brigstocke.

The oaken wainscott of which the lateral extensions are composed, is divided into high, narrow panels, separated by delicate shafts. The head of each panel is decorated with elaborate tracery in low relief, the centre of each being occupied by a shield dis playing on a gold ground the emblems of the implements of the Passion of our Lord. These panels are surmounted by a moulded and battlemented enriched with conventiona roses, relieved in gold on its crimson

treated in the same style as the panel work below, but of more elaborate design, which forms a background for a series of beautiful cherubim, winged and crowned with gold, each present-ing a shield on which is inscribed the sacred monogram of Christ.

The reredos proper occupies the centre of the composition. It extends slightly beyond the length of the holy table below, and is by far the most \$1,450 on accident policy. elaborate portion of the whole. It is in width. It is divided into three compartments of figure subjects carved in nahogany in high relief, and elaborately finished in gold and colors. The central panel represents the Crucifixion. That on the left the meeting of Saviour and Mary Magdalene in the garden on the first Easter morning; that on the right, the supper at

The figures are modelled with great individuality and spirit, and their natural poses and expressive features unmistakably of the skill of the Bavarian artists to whom the work

was intrusted Between the figure subjects are elaborate canopied niches of richest ar-chitectural design, and in each is a statue of an apostle, in full relief, those at the sides representing Saints Peter and Paul, and the inner ones St. Luke and St. Matthew. The canopy design of the niches is extended over the figure subjects as well, and is finished with a cresting of great delicacy

and beauty. The whole of the architectural part of the reredos is richly gilt with back grounds of crimson.

The re-table as the shelf or step at the back of the communion table called, is handsomely carved and finished in gold and colors, and presents the following inscriptions: "Erected through a bequest of

Simeon Jones Hanford, Priest, to the honor and glory of God, and in memory of his father, James Chorp Hanford, and his mother, Louisa Jones Hanford, and of his stepmother, Caroline Hanford."

"Erected to the honor and glory of God and in memory of Annie Elizabeth Perley, William Colebrooke Perley, George Hayward Perley and Arthur Blackwood Perley." "Erected to the honor and glory of

God and in memory of Margaret Mil-The style of the architectural design is of English Gothic of the Tudor period, similar in general treatment to the work on that most elaborate

all Gothic structures, Henry VII's

Chapel at Westminster. The structure was brought acro the Atlantic in huge deal boxes, that containing the reredos proper having an hermetically sealed lining of zinc. The cases were opened and the heavy pieces successfully raised and fastened in their position under the personal supervision of Messrs. J. & J. D. Howe, and the work has been so curefully done that the delicate tabernacle work of the canopies and the

scratch of any kind. The erection of this reredos had long been planned by the late rector, the subject treated being personally se-lected by him after conference with the artist, C. E. Kemps of London.

gilded and enamelled surfaces of the

figures remain with a blemish or

THE HAGUE, April 30.—The condition of

FREDERICTON.

Fnneral of the Late William Allen, ex-M. P. P.

Death of William Kinghorn, a Prom nent Forester - Supreme Court Business-Good Price for Logs.

FREDERICTON, April 18.-All that was mortal of the late William K. Allen, ex-M. P. P., was laid to rest this ing hard, take a dose of the afternoon in the family lot in Forest Emulsion, and you will get Hill cemetery, close by the grave of road towards this town was attacked his father, Sir John Campbell Ailen. The casket was enveloped in flowers. The remains were conveyed from the house to the cathedral, where in the presence of a large congregation the service for the dead was read by Canon Roberts, rector of Fredericton, and Very Rev. Dean Partridge, the cathedral choir singing the hymns selected for the occasion. The pall was borne by the brothers of the deceased. The esteem in which the late Mr. Allen was held was shown by the large concourse of citizens that followed the remains from the house to the church The principal mourners were: John C. Allen, T. C. Allen, G. W. Allen, K. C. Allen, W. Delancy Allen, Wm. Allen, R. A. Payne, Parker Glasier, E. B. Winslow, G. N. Babbitt, W. D. Hannebury, Kennah Allen, E. H. Allen, C. ary and tried to make off and that the H. Allen, Drury Allen, Thos. C. Allen, John Allen, C. W. Beckwith, Arthur Glasier, F. I. Morrison, H. D. White,

A. J. Gregory. The Curling Club, of which Mr. Allen was a past president, attended the funeral in a body. Among the beautiful floral tributes were the following: Wreath, Misses Allen.

Wreath, Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Van-Buskirk. Sheaf of wheat and violets, Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Allen. Basket cut flowers, Mr. and Mrs. G.

N. Babbitt. Crescent, Archie Babbitt. Pillow, J. C. and K. Allen. Basket cut flowers, Laura Allen. Wreath, employes at Boom Co. Cross, Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Winslow.

Flat bouquet, Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Calla lilies, Mr. and Mrs. W. T. H. enety.

Cross, Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Wetmore, Cross, Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Bliss. Calla lilies and carnations, Mr. and

Flat bouquet, Mr. and Mrs. F. P.

Colter.

Mrs. J. Bebbington, ir. The supreme court delivered the folowing judgments today:

The King v. Fred Benner-The chief justice delivers judgment advising Judge Landry to discharge prisoner from penitentiary. This was an application made to Judge Landry under Habeas Corpus Act, and referred by his honor to the court. Benner was convicted of assault and sentenced by stipendiary magistrate at Moneton who, the court held, had no power under criminal code to impose the

sentence that he did. Verdict in this case was for defend-

Smith v. Dominion of Canada As-! that he might have committed so surance Co.-Rule absolute for new trial. Verdict was for plaintiff for

MacMonagle v. Campbell-Rule to with costs. The following common motions were

made: The King v. J. Gordon Forbes ex parte Robert F. Gibson-A. J. Gregory moves that order absolute for certiorari and order nisi to quash be enlarged till next term, and that stay be continued, and for a rule nisi for mandamus to Judge Forbes to stay pro-

ceedings. Granted. Ex parte Richard Kelly-O. S. nisi for quo warranto against Albert McCoy as trustee of School District

St. Mary's. Rule absolute. Argument in Mayes v. Connolly was oncluded this afternoon-Court considers. All the judges left for their respective homes this evening, this

case having completed the docket. At the coroner's inquest this afternoon on the body of the infant found early Thursday morning on the Lorne hotel premises, Dr. McNally, who made the autopsy, testified that the child had been born alive and was a fully developed and healthy baby. The inquest was adjourned until Mon day.

About 400 joints of bank logs, son three quarters of a million feet, arrived at Springhill today, this being the largest lot to come down in one day for a long time. They were purchased chiefly by W. H. Murray and William Scott. As high at \$10.25 a thousand was paid for good logs.

The death occurred early this even

ing of Wm. Kinghorn, a well known Forester, provincial organizer for that order, and past high chief ranger and past representative to the suprem high court. He was for many years very active in Forestric circles and was well known throughout the prov For some years he successfully the struggle was practically between a carried on a large tannery business established by his father at Nash waaksis, and also manufactured moc casins on an extensive scale. Abou four years ago he gave up business to engage in organizing work for the In-dependent Order of Foresters, and had been very successful in that line up to the time of his illness. About a year ago he was taken ill with brain trou ble, complicated with other complaints and last summer accompanied by Mrs. Kinghorn, took a trip across the Atwhich proved of but temporary benefit. He had been confined to his home two weeks and passed away as above stated, surrounded by sorrowing mem-bers of his family. Deceased was 47 years of age and leaves a widow, three sons, and one young daughter The funeral will take place on Sunday afternoon.

BRUSSELS, April 20.—At a general council of the labor party held here today, it was resolved that work by the strikers in all sections should be resumed. The council issued a manifeste to the workingmen to this effect this evening. The anticipated announcement by the crown of the dissolution of parliament has not yet been made.

woodstock.

nother Side of the Houlton Smug South Africa.

HOULTON, Me., April 18.—What may prove a fatal assault occurred last night six miles southeast of Houlton, in Hodgon, near the province of New Brunswick, Frank W. Burns of Fort Fairfield, a deputy to United States collector of customs, T. H. Phair, while looking after smugglers between the United States and Canada, seized a team, and while driving it along the by the owner, beaten into a dazed condition, arm and ribs broken, and received a cut in the head which required thirty-four stitches. Before becoming unconscious Burns managed to crawl to a farm house near by scene of assault. A physician was summoned, but the man is still unconscious, and until he regains his senses and furnishes information as to who was his assailant, nothing can be done to run the latter down.

WOODSTOCK, April 19.—People from around Debec Junction claim that the report of the smuggling incident as given from Houlton is not borne out by the facts. It is stated that the party who was taking over the load of potatoes was ordered to halt, and that thereupon he wheeled his team around towards the boundofficer, noting this, fired a revolver shot, shooting the other man in the face. The latter then jumped from his load, and seizing a club attacked the officer, breaking his arm and smashing him over the head. The officer then fired another shot, which took effect in the leg. A doctor from Woodstock attended the injured man at Debec, and it is now a question which is more injured, the American official or the man whom he shot. No doubt there are two sides to the story, but the people about Debec at all events believe that the official acted

hastily in using firearms. The men recruited here for the fourth contingent do not leave for Halifax until Monday afternoon. Probably half a dozen or so will be accept-ed. Frank Buck, who was with the second contingent, failed to pass the examination at first, but it is now said that he will be able to qualify. John Donnelly, jr., is reported to have

ATTEMPTED SUICIDE.

Mentally Deranged, Peter Hanlon Tried

(Saturday Star.) Peter Hanlon, a man who was deained in the police station last night, supposed to be insane, attempted to commit suicide between nine and ten

o'clock this morning by hanging himself to the cell door. About midnight last night Hanlon went to the police station and told Officer McLaren, who was in charge, that he wanted to give himself up. He sair that he had just murdered a man by the name of Porter on Britain street sentence that he did. and that the body was still lying on the street. Officer McLaren saw at once that Hanlon was not quite right in his head, but thinking it possible crime, detained him until the arriva of the sergeant. Later on, as he seem leased, but returned to the station in about six feet in height by about eight set aside writ of replevin discharged a few minutes stating that he was afraid to remain on the street. He was then placed in a cell pending medical examination and a close watch kept on him during the night. Shortly before ten o'clock this morning, when Detective Killen and Officer Crawford went downstairs to bring up the prisoners, they found Hanlon hanging to one of the bars of the cell door. He had removed his strong silk necktie, and having tied one end around his neck and the other end to the bar of Crocket moves to make absoltue a rule the cell had thrown out his feet, allowing the weight of his body to come on the necktie. The officers at once cut No. 4 in parishes of Maugerville and him down, and after some time succeeded in restoring him to consciousness. It is believed that financial worries have caused Hanlon to become temporarily deranged. He is now re-

ceiving proper medical attention. BOSTON SYNDICATE

Buy the Lake Superior for \$26,600.

One of the biggest crowds that ever attended an auction sale in St. John was at Chubb's corner Saturday, when the Lake Superior was put up. Some little delay was caused in waiting for the arrival of the western train, which had a number of prospective buyers on board. In the interim local real estate and some mining stock was disposed of. At about a quarter past twelve the Superior was offered. The terms were cash ten per cent. down and the owners to have three weeks in which to take out the cargo and about seven hundred tons of coal still on board. The bidding started at \$4,000, from a Boston man, and was immediately jumped to \$10,000 by E. Lantalum. A half dozen bids came in at once, and

and represent a syndicate. WEDDED AT DORCHESTER, MASS.

the price was run up to \$21,000. At

that point a number dropped out, and

couple of buyers. John E. Moore of this

city going up to \$25,000. At \$26,600

O'Connor Bros. of Boston became the

owners of the vessel. They are in the iron and metal business in that city

At St. Margaret's church, Dorchester, Mass., on Wednesday, April 16th, by the Rev. Wm. Ryan, Daniel J. Grogan was united in marriage to Evelyn M., daughter of the late James and Mary F. Campbell of St. John, N. B. The bride was tastefully gowned in pearl grey broadcloth with satin and applique trimmings and picture hat and earried a beautiful bouquet of white roses. She was attended by her cousin, Miss Beatrice Hawkes, while

On their return they will reside North Andover, Mass PEKIN, April 20.—A post on the outskirts of New Chwang, garrisoned by forty Rus-sians, has been attacked by bandits. One Russian officer and four privates were killed.

the groom was supported by The

Myhan. The happy couple left for New York on an extended honeymoon.

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THE GARDEN OF MAINE.

The gardens of Maine and New Brunswick lie side by side. Aroostook and Carleton counties are equally fertile, but the American territory has had the advantage of the larger home market.

Statistics just published by the Bangor Commercial show that Aroostook's farms in the last ten years have increased 12.3 per cent.; her acreage of improved land was 9.7 per cent.; her value of farms increased 48.1 per cent.; the value of farm machinery on farms was three times larger in 1900 than it was in 1890; her live stock increased 18.5 per cent, in value; she led in average per farm of farm products, viz.: \$656; and also for sum paid for farm labor, including board, viz., \$68 per, farm. More than eight million dollars were received during the past year from fruits of the soil alone, which means \$133 per head for every man, woman and child in Aroostook. Potatoes have been the most notable cause of this prosperity, the yield being over two million barrels, exclusive of the vast amount used in the manufacture of starch.

The starch industry in Aroostook was first established in 1870, the pioneers, says the Commercial, coming from New Hampshire. From a small beginning it has grown to immense proportions, as there are now 54 factories inthe county, and last season the amount the advice of Sir Wilfrid, who counof starch manufactured was about selled the mother country not to re-6,000 tons. The product varies siderably year by year depending upon the condition of the starch market and also upon the potato crop and the demand for the tubers. In 1895 the whole amount manufactured reach the enormous total of 10,000 tons. The amount of starch that a bushel of potatoes will yield varies with the quality and richness of the potatoes, but eight pounds of starch to a bushel of potatoes is considered a fair average. The season for starch making keeps pace with the potato digging, usually commencing in the early part of September and continuing for about 60 days, the factories frequently running day and night. The men employed make good pay for laborers, as they average some \$2 a day. As 12 men on an average are employed to a factory it will be seen that the manufacturers annually expend more than \$50,000 for their labor. The average price received for starch the past year has been 31-2c., which would bring into Aroostook county from a yield of 6,000 tons the sum of \$420,000.

When it comes, however, to a question of valuation, the chief source of Arooostook's wealth is its lumber land. There are over 50 mills in the county, and the Commercial estimates their cut for the past year as follows:

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79,550,000 The above is manufactured in the county, but in addition thereto some 112,500,000 feet was floated down the St. John river. At the Commercial's valuation Aroostook's total log output for last year was \$1,930,750. This is exclusive of small lumber used in the manufacture of shingles, shooks, ties,

GEN. METHUEN'S BRAVERY.

Lord Methuen may not be the most brainy officer in the British service on the veldt, but no man can question his personal bravery. A lance corporal of the 1st Loyal North Lancashire Regiment, who was captured by the Boers last month in the action in which Methuen was wounded, in the course of a long letter to his wife describing the fight, says:

sides, and completely outnumbered the main body, taking two guns in less than fifteen minutes. Lord Methuen then ordered his men to close up and make a stand. Instead of doing that they ran right through us, ashed through us, firing from their saddles We had two 15-pounders and a pom-pom, and were left to our fate, with Lord Methuen and the 43rd Imperial Yeomanry. We fought ntil there was not a gunner left to fire and here was no ammunition, as the mule wagons containing the ammunition had gone with the main body. Lord Methuen was with us all the time the fighting was going on, the main body had cleared, and he by the guns and helped the men to work them until there was not a man left, every one of the gunners being shot down It was a dreadful sight around the gunsjust like a slaughterhouse. I have neve seen men work as hard in my life. They kept on firing the guns under the heaviest fire that I have experienced, never seeming to heed their dead comrades or horses, be cause a similar fate awaited them. The last gunner, finding himself alone was just leaving when he was shot through the

"Lord Methuen did not leave the guns till then. He came over to us and stood about fifteen vards from where I was. Five minutes later he got his first wound in his right side, and then tried to mount his horse. I his horse got shot in the leg, and he had to get off. A few minutes later he got his second wound in the thigh, and lay down on he ground as if nothing had happened. His erse was shot dead immediately afterwards. falling on Lord Methuen and breaking his leg. The doctor went to him to dress his wounds, but before he had half finished he was shot too, and our general had to lie until we surrendered. I am telling you this just to show what a brave and good soldier he is, beloved by all his men-those who had been with him from the first. He alway had a kind word for everyone, and I hope he will pull through and get all right again.

RESTORED THE CORN LAWS.

After half a century of free trade Great Britain, has restored the corn laws. It cannot be supposed that this measure is a temporary expedient and that the great tax would be removed when the war strain is relaxed. Sir Michael Hicks-Beach has gone a little out of his way to justify the new duty on general principles by declaring that it will not affect the consumer, and by expressing the opinion that the abolition of the grain duty was a mistake. The policy of protection has again been adopted by Great Britain and the prospects are that it has come to stay.

Yesterday's discussion at Ottawa re veals our government in a state of surprise. The British budget is evidently a surprise to Sir Wilfrid Laurier and his finance minister. Thes ministers and their colleagues have for years been declaring that Britain would never again tax the food of the people. It has been their argument against mutual preference resolutions But now the argument has gone and the Imperial government has rejected store the food tax.

The British wheat tax is impose upon grain and flour from Canada as well as foreign countries. There is no advantage for the only country which has given Britain a preference. But Canada has no cause for complaint. Our prime minister has never yet told the home government that we desire such a preference, He has told Great Britain the exact opposite. Five years ago this declaration was made in London and it has never been taken back. It has, instead, been reaffirmed by repeated votes of the majority of the house of commons, the last of which was recorded within the last few days

ST. GEORGE AND MERRIE ENGLAND.

(Continued from Page One.)

which is synonymous with justice, or der, law, industry and commerce world over; a flag which has stood the hope of the oppressed, the talisman of freedom."

Turning to the long line of mation builders bred in that Island Empire the speaker eloquently referred to the power and ability to which we owe India and Egypt as they now stand. "And that line never shall fall," he declaimed. *Just the other day, in the chiselled granite of the Mattoppo hills. was laid an empire builder, dead, after a brief but brilliant career. And by the lonely spot where Rhodes rests shall go, and perhaps some of you may see it, a great highway of p ress from the Cape to Cairo, with the British flag and all it represents dotting the way from south to north." Regarding colonization, what nation in all the world, he asked, could equal Britain's record? Athens had colon-

ized, but how differently. The result of England's work today was not colonies, nor possessions, but an overseas empire, a part of the island empire, and there was nothing in earth, or air, or sky, or scenery that it did not contain. The masses and variety of forces they represented could not be estimated. "What progress is not possible to us in the next 50 or 100 years," he cried "Wait till we grow up and the empire over seas shall say to the island, 'O Mother, strong and mighty, benign and full of loving kindness, long you have cared for us. loving Now your children are able to say, Take your rest. You have grown up and now we will protect the empire

from this time forward." (Prolonger applause.) Speaking of what the empire overseas had already done, Mr. Foster referred to the response of the colonies to Kruger's ill-timed manifesto. That cry of royalty had come as an awak-ening to all the countries of Europe and since then their tone of hostile criticism had been modified. But there was no use, he said, to contemplate

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EXPENSE

Ask for the Octagon Ear the fact unless we could gather thereby strength for the future. We had outgrown the old Downing street rule and the old colonial status and were We stood now fit for better things. where it was the duty of every man to stop wobbling and have his mind made up as to his course. We had passed, he said, the period where there was a fear of the disintegration of the dominion and the empire. That had passed away as had also the alternative fear of absorption by a greater and neighboring power. (Cheers.) There was a time when the prophets of "manifest destiny" on the platform and in the press declared that we must be absorbed by the mere force of our geographical situation. there were those men, generally out of a situation, who leaned over the boundary fence with their backs to the grapes of Eschol and longed for the flesh pots of the later Egypt. But though all these are not dead, they are evidently sleeping, for today all men stand together for the integrity and unity of the Dominion and the Empire Discussing the present and prevalent spirit of Imperialism, the speaker de-

precated the pretensions of the men

who desired to run the sentiment in

narrow moulds of their own. "Let it

run and spread, confined only by the

broad channel of principle and leading

toward the sea of high ideals and splendid accomplishment." The provision for the protection of the mighty resources of the Empire overseas was the next branch of the subject to be discussed. Just here were many differences of opin-Some were willing that Canada should defend herself, but opposed the spending of money or blood for the deence of any other part of the Empire. This Mr. Foster characterized as a both selfish and short-sighted position. Selfish because it proposed that Canada should enjoy peace and prosperity which the Empire had given it and should make no return; foolish because it did not recognize that the strength of one part was the strength of the whole. The Canadians who went 8,000 miles to fight for the homes and liberties of their brethren in South Africa were just as surely fighting for their own. Others advocated independence. How could we be more independent than we are? We did as we wished. We were even allowed to misgovern ourselves, as we are doing oday. Great as was the power of ball. Edward, he could not touch the tiniest hair of the tiniest child in Canada nor extract a sou from the poorest laborer. And vet every one of ships and warriors were put for cussion with the United States and the part, Canada would have stood little chance had she not been backed by the might of the Empire. In this world the surest way to be safe was to be able to smash your adversary. The best for each of us to do was to contribute all the money and force that was ours to general defence, and let it be understood that whoever should attack British interests anywhere had to reckon with British subjects every-

conclusion, after gratefully thanking the society for the privilege accorded him and expressing his good wishes toward them, Mr. Foster in an eloquent peroration spoke of the pres pects for the empire. "Who can cas the horoscope of the future?" he ask-"Who can fortell what Britain might be in fifty years from today When we think of the mighty array of forces at her sirvice as she stands on the threshold of the 20th century, who dare fortell what the status of these countries when half of it shall have elapsed ? It is wonderful when we look at it. I do not believe it is necessary for an empire to die. Mem must die, but the empire which they have builded may live through countless ages if it be based upon principles of liberty, equity and justice to even the least. And for these Britain has always stood, When all these outlying principles get their growth. I wish I could see them. But I shall not, nor shall any of you. We can only contribute what strength is given us to the end that the great flag under which your society flourishes may be in the future, as in the past, synony mous with the widest liberty, the greatest freedom and the most splenprogress that ever blessed the

After the great outburst of applaus had died away the meeting closed with the lusty singing of the National Anthem and hearty cheers for the King and speakers.

Arch. Dick, son of Cap. Dick, Mascarene, and one of the Halifax Banking Co. staff, who has been seriously ill with pneumonia at his uncle Hazen Dick's residence, Princess street, is now improving. His mother has been with him in constant care and hopes to be able to take him home on Satur day next for a few weeks' recupera

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outlining courses of study which have qualified our students to take and to hold almost every clerical position in St. John worth having, not to mention their successes throughout the length and breadth of Canada and the United States.



8. KERR & SON ODDERLLOWS

Speaker of the Nova Scotia House of Assembly,

A Life Long Liberal Who Represented Shelburne at Times at Ottawa as Well as Halifax

(Special to the Sun.)

HALIFAX, N. S., April 21.- News vas received today that Thomas Robertson, speaker of the house of assembly, died suddenly on Saturday evening at his brother's residence, Dell Rapids, South Dakota, of hemorrhage of the lungs. Mr. Robertson immediately on the adjournment of the legislature, left for the west, via New York, where he hoped to regain his health, which had, during the previous six months, been shattered ease.

[Mr. Robertson was a politician as well as a loyalist of direct descent. He was the grandson of William Robertson, a United lompire Loyalist, who removed from New a loyalist of direct descent. He was the grandson of William Robertson, a United limpire Loyalist, who removed from New York to Shelburne in 1783, and the son of Hon. Robert Robertson, for some time commissioner of mines and public works, and the representative of Shelburne in the N. S. assembly from 1855 to 1878. He was born in 1852, and in 1834 married Josephine Hume Alian of Lockport, N. S. Mr. Robertson served a good apprenticeship to provincial politics in the Nova Scotia civil service, was a fluent speaker and a ready writer, and was the author of the History of the County of Shelburne and the History of Digby Co. the latter a King's College prize essay. In temperance, insurance and railway promotion fields he was an active worker, but as before stated, his life taste was for politics. He represented Shelburne for a time in the dominion parliament in the liberal interest, but was defeated in 1831. He was elected to the N. S. legislature in 1894 and kept in closs touch with the work of that body ever since. touch with the work of that body ever since.
At the time of his death he was speaker of
the house. Mr. Robertson was a genial
man, who made triends everywhere and his
death will be deeply regretted by all who
knew him.

HALIFAX.

Horrible Accident on the Street Railway-Two Men Killed, One Badly Injured.

HALIFAX, April 20.-Two men were killed and one is dving as a result of an accident on the street railway this evening. J. A. Scott and Peter Gilfoy went out in a team owned by Scott for a day in the country. On their way home, two miles from the city, they picked up Charles Shorten. At the corner of North street and Windsor road their wagon came in collision with a car of the street railway. men were thrown to the street and the car wheels passing over them severed the bodies of Gilfov and Shor ten and cut off Scott's left arm. The conductor and motorman of the car were arrested, but were released on

MONCTON.

MONCTON, April 20.-The Moncton driving park property was sold by the protection of the meanest subject driving park property was sold by of Canada. Independence brought responsibilities and costs. In the discount of Dorchester for interpretable of Dorches ested parties.

John, employed in the L. C. R. shops died suddenly on Friday night of hemorrhage and paralysis of the brain. Deceased was a member of the Orange order and was 67 years of age. The body will be taken to St. John for inicoment.

A farewell supper was given last ment to Lieut. Metzler and Private Drury Allen, who go to South Africa with the fourth contingent. Dr. Mur-ray presided, and about fifty young nen sat down at the tabl es.

DEATH OF MRS. C. W. PARKER.

The death took place on Saturday at 1 p. m., after a short illness of spina meningitis, of the wife of Charles W. Parker, in the 48th year of her age Mrs. Parker was in perfect health up to last Tuesday evening, when she was taken suddenly III and gradually sank until death relieved her suffer-She was a daughter of the late Captain D. Morton of Yarmouth, a gentleman who spent the greater part of his adult life in St. John. She leaves two sisters, Mrs. George W. Parker of this city and Mrs. A. Hindon of Newton, Mass., also one brother, Fred A. Morton of Everett, Mass. The sympathy of a large circle of friends will go out to Mr. Parker in this abrupt ter nination of 30 years of happy married life. The deceased leaves no issue.

WHITE'S COVE NEWS.

WHITE'S COVE, Queens Co., April 19.—Tugboat Champion passed through the lake on Thursday with the dredge New Dominion in tow, en route to Chipman, where the work of dredging the channel between Chipman, and Briggs Corner will be resumed. Tugboat Hope was here on Thurs

lay for George Palmer's lumber. Tugboat Quiddy passed through the lake on Thursday. John D. Farris and Eben Slocum

who recently built a new store at Jemseg, brought up from St. John last week about two thousand dollars' worth of goods. They expect to have their store opened for business in few days. Rev. R. Barry Smith, who has had

charge of the Baptist church at Mill Cove for the last year, preached farewell sermon on Sunday.

ST. JOHNS, N. F., April 21.- The str. Terra Nova arrived today from the seal fishery with 25,000 seals on board. Eight thousand of her cargo are old seals, which make the total weight of her catch equal to that of 35,000 young



Miss Byelvn Morse writes from 651 Adams Street, Minneapolis, Minn., as

"I suffered for nearly three years with catarrh of the stomach which no medicine seemed to relieve, until a friend advised me to try Peruna. Although skeptical, I tried it, and found it helped me within the first week. I kept tak-ing it for three months, and am pleased to say that it cured me entirely, and I have had no symptoms of its return. I am only too glad to recommend it."---EVELYN MORSE.

Adia Brittain, of Sekitan, O., writes: Jof saving my life, for I suffered for "After using your wonderful Peruna months from catarrh of the stomach. three months, I have had great relief. I had continual heaviness in my stomach, was bilious, and had fainting spells, but they all have left me since using Peruna. I can now get around and do write at once to Dr. Hartman, giving a my housework, and think Peruna the full statement of your case and he will greatest medicine I ever used."-Adia

Mrs. Lizzie Blevins, 102 Boliver street, Cleveland, Ohio, writes: "I candidly feel Peruna was the means Ohio.

SELECTION OF OFFICERS.

For Third and Fourth Regiments Canadian Mounted Infantry. OTTAWA, April 18.-Mr. and Mrs. Harry Woods of Welsford, Dr. Mullin and Mrs. Mullin, Fred W. Emmerson E. R. Chapman and other New Brunswickers who are going to the Foresters' assembly at Los Angeles were in

the city today. Tingley, 74th Regt., will be the of absence. In Woodstock, Capt. F. B. Carvell is appointed recruiting officer, vice Good, who has been ap-

pointed to the Mounted Rifles. William J. Leslie, C. M. R., from Kinburn, Ontario, is dead of enteric at Elandsfontein. A. T. Kinson, from New Westminster, of the S. A. C., is dangerously ill.

OTTAWA, April 18.—The minister of militia and the major general commanding were in conference all the afternoon going over the list of officers for the third and fourth regiments of Mounted Infantry for South Africa. The minister told the newspaper correspondents that he did not feel at they had been approved by the imperial authorities, as the commissions would be issued by the home government. He mentioned, however, that Major Williams of Toronto will command the third regiment, with Captain D. I. V. Eaton of Kingston as second in command. The medical officer of the third regiment will be Surgeon W. H. Tye of Clinton, Ont., and Captain Van Straubenzie, who was out with the Mounted Rifles under Evans, will be adjutant. He is now with the third special service regiment at Halifax. Major Boulanger of Quebec will command the fourth regiment, with Capt. O'Farrell of Halifax as second in command. Surgeon Major Elliott of Quebec will be the medical officer and Capt. Papineau of the third S. S. regiment, Halifax, will be adjutant. Capt. Papineau is a cousin of Mr. Bourassa, M. P. The names of the captains and subalterns will not be announced for some days, but the appointment of Major Good of Woodtock as captain is definitely settled. Medical officers so far appointed include Surgeon Captain A. H. Murray

of New Brunswick. The number of men to be allowed to permanent corps has not been settled, but the minister indicated that a fair proportion would be allotted to these regiments. A number of the men in be permitted to go to South Africa.

The two eastern regiments, the third and fourth, will require 1,000 men, and up to this evening, with four days' ecruiting, the telegraphic advices from the enlisting officers show that 700 have been enrolled. Equipment will be rushed forward

already been sent to Halifax. Colonel Donaldson and Sergt. W. A. Dial of the and their fellow executive members day for Halifax to begin refitting the normal, temperance, primary depart-

officers for the South Africa contingent have arrived. Among them are The Sunday services of the field sec-Capt. W. C. Good of Woodstock, N. B.; retary were at Grand Harbor F. B., Col. Williams and Capt, Van Straubenzie of Winnipeg; Maj. J. W. Hen- talia Methodist churches. He left on derson of the 48th Highlanders: Capt. Monday for Campobello to proceed to W. W. Bosmith of 46th Regt., Lind- Deer Island for Tuesday and Wednessay; H. Reid, Port Hope; C. G. Bar-day.

Two bottles of Peruna cured me."-Mrs. Lizzie Blevins.

If you do not derive prompt and ratie factory results from the use of Peruna, write at once to Dr. Hartman, giving a be pleased to give you his valuable ad-

Address Dr. Hartman, President of The Hartman Sanitarium, Columbus,

ker, 13th Regt., Hamilton; W. R. Kingsford, Q. O. R., and Victor O'Dlum, Toronto. Col. Boulanger, Lt. G. L. Boulanger, Capt. George Ray of Quebec, and Lieut. W. P. Montreal, come in by tonight's train. Altogether 43 men have been enrolled in this city and many are coming from other parts of the province. OTTAWA, April 20.—The corrected announcements of transportation arrangements for the fourth contingent re- are as follows: Three steamers are cruiting officers in Moncton for the chartered. Early in May the Cestrian Mounted Rifles, vice Watts, on leave and Winfridian will sail with 700 men and horses. About May 16th the Cor inthian, with 700 men and horses, will depart. It is not explained how the

> Cymric. In several of the churches here today mention was made of members of the congregation going on the fourth

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contingent. A cable to the governor general says Farrier Wm. Hunter and Corp. William Hunter are dangerously ill with enteric. The former is from Winnipeg and the latter is from Peterboro. The announcement of the date of the Ontario general election, Thursday, liberty to give out the names until May 29, has increased political activity. Both parties claim to have a good organization throughout the province. Of the ninety candidates required, the opposition have already more than seventy in the field. The government have a larger number of blanks to be filled, but probably all will be selected on both sides before the week is out.

> SUNDAY SCHOOL WORK ON GRAND MANAN.

The Charlotte county Sunday school officers having planned for a full series of meetings through our county, under the field secretary. Our meetings on this Island began at Seal Cove on Wednesday, 16th, when a meeting was held for both schools and presided over by the parish president, Rev. A. H. McLeod. The theme for the evening was practical, How to Enlarge, Extend, Improve and Secure Results in Our Sunday School. Connections failing for White Head, a meeting was held at Grand Harbor. Bible Study and Normal Lessons were the subject enlist from the Mounted Police and of this meeting, the president again in the chair. On the 18th, the parish convention was held at North Head. All pastors on the Island were present. Normal Lessons, Decision of Scholars, the third regiment at Halifax will also Sunday School Temperance Work Christ's Example as a Teacher, Parental Obligation to the School, were subjects of address and conference Some 400 Sunday school scholars already belong to the somewhat Temperance S. S. Army, and other

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The lady teachers who sailed on the Lake Ontario on Saturday morning from this port for South Africa was given a rousing send-off by their immediate friends and a big delegation

of the general public. Thomas J. Gorman, for thirteen years clerk at the Hotel Brunswick, Moncton, has resigned his position and leaves about the first of May for Stellarton, where he will engage in the hotel business with Nat. Doherty.

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Ship Honolulu, Capt. Pye, from Ric Janeiro via Barbados, reached Part-

Laths sold at \$2.75 in New York last

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During Judge Wedderburn's absence

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NOTICE TO COR-

In Halifax last week a boy, charges or one day in jail by the police magistrate. If a like law were enforced in in the procession which followed the St John the city would soon be able to make a great cut in its gross debt.

The captain of the sch, Gypsum Queen, from Wentworth, N. S., which arrived at New York on the 16th, states that the report of the arrival of his vessel at Vineyard Haven, 13th, leaking three inches of water per hour, was incorrect. He says his vessel has not been leaking.

The funeral of the late Miss Jane Weyman, a well known worker in the Free Baptist conference, was held on Friday at the Millstream, Kings county. The services were conducted by Rev. H. H. Ferguson, Rev. C. T. Phillips and Rev. Mr. Francis. A large number attended the funeral.

Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Pethick are the guests of Mrs. Pethick's parents, Colector and Mrs. Graham, St. Stephen. Mr. Pethick, who was manager of the Calais branch of the Bank of Nova At St. Marys they erected a church a Scotia, has resigned his connection with that institution to accept a responsible position with the Bank of New Brunswick.

Among the scholars to be henore by the University of New Brunswick at its next convocation is Robert Chalmers of the dominion geological survey. Mr. Chalmers, who is to be made a doctor of science, has carried on explorations in this province for a number of years, and is responsible for the larger part of New Brunswick's geological maps. '

The engagement is announced of Pev. H. H. Roach, of St. John, and Mrs. Geo. Stating, formerly Miss Redden, of Annapolis. The wedding will take place in the First Baptist church, Annapolis, on the 30th inst. The ceremony will be performed by Rev. M. P. Freeman, uncle of the groom, assisted by Dr. Trotter, of Acadia College,

Baby's cold may be cured in a night by using in use for twenty-four years. All druggists.

The number of cars handled at West St. John during the month of February alone this winter was greater than the total number handled during the whole of the preceding winter. This season's traffic has crowded the extensive improvements at Bay Shore to their full capacity and more room is imperatively required for next season's business. This, with the wharf extension, which must be undertaken by somebody, promises well for plenty of employment during the summer.

THE NEW STEAMER.

The Star-line steamship people have received a letter from Capt. Charles Wasson, who went up to Montreal to bring down the new steamer Majestic. stating that the canal will not be open intil May 3rd. Up to that time the Majestic will be kept on her old route on the Richelieu. As soon as the canal opens Capt. Wasson will bring the steamer down, and she will be placed on the St. John river route immedi-

CITY NEWS. Recent Events in and Around

The canvassers and collectors for the SEMI-WEEK Together With Country Items LY SUN are now making their rounds as mentioned below. The Manager hopes that all subscribers in arrears will pay when called

During the present Ses- on. F. C. Chapman, Kings Co. Edgar Canning, in Albert and Westmorland Counties. John E. Austin, in Queens

County.

HANGED BY ACCIDENT.

Berton Tupper, aged 18, cook on the schooner Serene, lying in Market Slip, met death in a strange manner on Saturday evening. He was standing be side the hatch, listening to a German band, and carelessly twisted about his neck two pieces of rope used for tying up the sails. His foot slipped and he fell over the hatch and was strangled. No one observed the accident and when found he was dead. As soon as the body was found, Captain Lyons sent for Coroner D. E. Berryman, who viewed it and under the circumstances said that an inquest was not necessary The boy was taken to Mr. Chamber

bably be renewed about the 26th of the month. It is believed that a large part lain's undertaking warehouse, Mill street, and will be taken to Advocate Harbor for interment. Deceased leaves his mother, who is in the States; one sister, a grandfather and grandmother at Advocate, and an aunt, Miss Watday and Wednesday afternoons, this son, who resides in this city. Captain Otis Smith, of Advocate, of the schooner Brisk, now lying near the Serene, i \$10,000 to discharge British ship Tim-andra's cargo and dry dock time ship and re-load at Boston. The detention an uncle. The grandfather is Captain Wm. Smith

The remains of Albert Tupper, sailer who accidentally lost his life on the schooner Serene on Saturday, were intered yesterday afternoon in Cedar Hill cometery. The funeral service was conducted by Rev. Mr. White and Rev. 1 fr. 1 song.

FREDERICTON NEWS.

FR EDERICTON, April 20. - The al of the late William Kinghorn of the largest att. ed some in many years. Court St. Marys, I. O. F., attended in a body and the 71st regi-ment hand furnished the music, playing Nearer My God to Thee as the casket with the remains was born from the house to the hearse and the bead March in Saul as the cortega wound its solemn way to the city of the dead. The funeral services were conducted by Revs. Dr. Chapman, F. Mrs. C. LeB. Peck has been quite unwell for some days. Dr. J. T. Lewis the conduct operations extensive lay the coming season.

"Mrs. C. LeB. Peck has been quite unwell for some days. Dr. J. T. Lewis the conduct operations extensive lay the coming season." body to its last resting place at Pickard burial ground, at Douglas, were representatives from every walk of

William Richards, the well known lumberman of Bolestown, has been quite ill for several days, and his condition on Saturday was sufficiently serious to cause alarm to his family and friends. Dr. Atherton of this city was summoned to Boiestown for consultation with the local physician. Reports this evening are that Mr. Rich-

ards' condition is somewhat improved. The Seventh Day Adventists are building a church here, having leased a lot of land on Brunswick street, at the west end. The foundation of the structure is already laid, and the edifice is expected to be completed the present summer. The Adventists have nade considerable progress here during the past year, and now have a permanent minister, Rev. Mr. Andrews. couple of years ago, and maintain regular services there.

RECENT DEATHS.

Mrs. Mary O'Leary, aged 76 years, w dow of John O'Leary, died at her home, 45 Duke street, Carleton, on Sunday, after a somewhat protracted

Another aged and respected resident passed away Sunday evening in the person of Cornelius Shea of Chesley street, north end, who had reached the advanced age of ninety-four years. Mrs. Freeze, relict of the late Sheriff freeze, died at her home, Sussex, on Sunday night, in the 69th year of her age. She has been in failing health for some time, but has been confined to her bed for the past two weeks only. She leaves three sons-Fred W, deputy

Bliss, living on the homestead. The funeral will take place on Wednesday, leaving the house at 1.30 p. m. Inter-Chief of Police Gibson of Woodstock has just received word of the death in Bangor, Me., of his uncle, George Gibson. He had lived in Bangor for the

MANCHESTER, Vt., April 21.-Mrs. J. F. Farnham murdered her two children at Ferrisburg and then killed

No Danger.

ninety years of age.

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HALIFAX.

Fishers Dro of Troopship Cestrian for First Division Fourth Contingent.

HALIFAX, April 21.-Reuben Munroe, jr., son of Reuben Munroe of White Head, and his man, James Munroe of Yankee Cove, were removing lobster pots this morning on the fishing ground off White Island, when their oat filled and sank to the bottom, leaving the two poor fellows to struggle in the water. Two men in another boat some distance away heard their cries and immediately started for the scene of the accident, but when they reached the spot nothing was to be seen, the men having gone down. They were both very fine young men,

sober and industrious.

The troopship Cestrian arrived today from Boston for the first division of the fourth Canadian contingent. will take about ten days to fit her up. There are 500 men in camp here, who will be ready to sail as soon as the troopship is ready.

The Standard Oil steamer Imperia arrived this morning from New York with one of the company's barges in

CORROBORATIVE EVIDENCE

Tortured Filipino Prisoners.

NORFOLK, Va., April 21.-John Nickelson, a returned Philippine soldier, says that he has frequently seen the water cure administered, and states that on one occasion a detachment of soldiers gathered around the victim and burned his body with cigars, hoping to make him reveal the spot where the bodies of five Ameri can soldiers were secreted. After this punishment the prisoner still declined. Finally the water cure was suggested. The man was thrown down and an army pistol placed in his mouth as a gag. Two barrels of water were then taken from a vile smelling swamp. These were poured down the throat of the prisoner. His body reached ab normal proportions. A soldier the stepped on the man to make the pain more excruciating. When released he directed them to the spot where the bodies of the Americans were secreted.

HOPEWELL HILL

HOPEWELL HILL, April 20.-The tr. Peerless, the first deal steamer of the season, arrived at Hopewell Cape

Negotiations for the sale of the Albert Mines property, which has been owned for some years by Capt. H. A. Calhoun, have about been completed, the purchaser being John L. Peck banker and lumber merchant of Hills-boro, and J. Nelson Smith. The preperty consists of the closed down Albertite coal mine, residence, etc., and about 1,400 acres of lumber area, well timbered. There is also a church building on the property. Messrs. Peck and Smith have purchased the propert

has been attending her. Mrs. Smithers, sr., and her daughter. Miss Main Smithers, have removed to Halifax. Alex. Rogers has a number of mer erecting a crane at his stone quarry at Grindstone Island. A market has been secured for some stone, which will be shipped at an early date.

The ship Servia came into her load ing berth in the Five Fathoms today. Capt. Jos. A. Reade of the barken tine Antilla, recently lost at Long Beach N. J. arrived at his home a Hopewell Cape yesterday.

In the equity court yesterday, C. J Coster asked to have the case of A. C. Fairweather v. Rev. George E. Lloyd and James F. Robertson postponed on account of the illness of Dr. Stockton. Adjournment was made until 11 o'clock this morning. C. J. Coster, K. C., and Dr. Stockton, K. C., for plaintiff; Dr. A. O. Earle, K. C., for Rev. Geo. E. Lloyd, and A. H. Hanington, K. C., and M. G. Teed, K. C., for James F. Rob

In the probate court, letters of administration, with the will annexed of the estate of the late Alfred heade of Iverhouseslough, in the county of Burks, England, on application of Ann Reade, Rev. F. William Reade, Percy Neville G. Reade and Sir William Jas. Ferrar, were granted under power of attorney to Arthur P. Hazen. The estate consists of \$5,130 personal property in New Brunswick E. G. Kave.

Letters of administration of the es tate of the late Jessie Elizabeth Stone were granted to Joseph R. Stone. The estate is valued at \$5,000 real and \$6,500 personal property. J. D. Hazen, K. C.,

In the case of Rebecca Stirling, the citation was returnable yesterday. J. D. Hazen, K. C., appeared for the peti tioner; W. H. Sterling, Dr. A. O. Earle K. C., and H. H. Pickett for James Sterling, the administrator, and C. N. Skinner, K. C., for A. W. Macrae, a bondsman. Dr. Earle contended that as a release of the administrator had past forty years, and was upwards of been executed by the heirs the petition could not be presented calling on the administrator to file accounts. Judge Trueman held that without consider ing the validity of the release it was the duty of the administrator to file accounts, and made an order accord-

> ingly for May 10. In the matter of the estate of the late Dr. John Berryman, Judge Trueman decided that the petitioners could not withdraw the petition so as to oust the court of jurisdiction to continu the suit on the part of the other heirs, and allowed Mr. Hanington's client to continue the suit, but as he was not a resident of the province he must give

> security for costs. In the estate of Ellen Ryan's commission is issued to Warren C. Winslow, for the purpose of swearing in P. In the matter of the estate of the

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the administrator to file further accounts and give further particulars to

DUAL LANGUAGE IN N. S

HALIFAX, N. S., April 21.-A com mission has been appointed by the provincial government to inquire into schools of Nova Scotia, and generally to take into consideration Acadian education in this province. The Engish members of the commission are A McKay, superviser of the Halifax schools; W. E. Maclellan, formerly inpector of schools in Pictou Cor; and A. G. McDonald, fitspecter of schools Antigonish. Rev. Fathers Leblanc Dagnaud and Mombourquette are ng the French representatives o

ALL KINDS OF WEATHER.

SALT LAKE, Utah, April 21.- Ne yada, Wyoming, Idaho and Southern Montana and parts of Utah and Colorado are experiencing a snow storm that at some points has taken on the preportions of a blizzard. At Lima, Mont. six inches of snow has fallen. ST. PAUL, Minn., April 21.- The weather has seldom been so warm in St. Paul during the month of April as it was today. The official therm registered nearly 70 degrees before won. In spite of the high temperatune here it was snowing at noon in the entre of the Dakotas.

HAMILTON, Bermuda, April 21.-An ectric storm raged here last night and there was an unprecedented rainfall of 11 inches. The crops were heavily damaged by hail stones the size of es. The lower lands of the city and the island generally were flooded. The roads are impassable in parts of the ountry.

LOVERS' THRILLING EXPERI-ENCE.

(St. Louis Republic.) EVANSVILLE, Ind., April 3 .- Free Tieman and Miss Rosle Bearn, living few miles below town, in trying to be married, were forced to cross a long streak of bottomland covered with about ten feet of water.

buggy was upset and the eou pants thrown out. Tieman held his sweetheart in his left arm while he cut the harness, freeing the horses from the buggy. The lovers then held on to the horse's tail until shore was reached, a distance of nearly a mile. The wedding ceremony was postponed until tomorrow.

AMNESTY. "She comes of a very old family One of her ancestors was beheaded in the Tower of London.'

"How lovely!" A BURNING BLACKSMITH

Changed Food and Put Out the Fire

Even sturdy blacksmiths sometime discover that, notwithstanding their daily exercise and resulting good health, if their food is not well selected trouble will follow, but in cases a change of food to the right sort will quickly relieve the sufferer, for generally such active men have constitutions, and can, with a little change of diet, easily rid themselves of the disease.

I. E. Overdorf, Vilas, Penn., a blacksmith, says, "Two months ago I got down so bad with stomach troubles that I had to quit my business. About ten o'clock each morning. I was attacked by burning pains in the stomach, so bad I was unable to work. Our groceryman insisted upon my changing breakfasts and using Grape-Nuts Breakfast Food instead of the

ordinary breakfast of meat, potatoes, etc. So I tried and at once began to mend. The new food agreed with my stomach perfectly and the pains all ceased. I kept getting better and better every day and now I am able to follow my business better than before would inaugurate a policy of protect in years. I am a thousand times oblate James R. Ruel, adjournment was liged to the makers of Grape-Nurs for and Gladstone. It urges that the promade until the 29th inst., to enable the great benefits the food has given."

PORT OF ST. JOHN.

Interview With B. R. Macaulay Con cerning Harbor Improvements Dry Dock and Steamer Service.

(The Star, 21st.)

Speaking to the Star this morning B. R. Macaulay, of Macaulay Bros. & Co., expressed himself decidedly favor of further harbor facilities, the dry dock, and better steamship ser

vices. He said:has been said and done in regard to this port during the past few years only serves to show what may be expected in the future. St. John has shown that it is especially adapted not FOR SALE. only for a waiter port, but for an all year port, but this condition can never be brought about while the harbor afbe brought about while the harbor aflords such insufficient facilities. The benefit accruing to the city from the shipping business is great, and the C. two years old. For further particulars address HENRY D. MOTT, King street East, deriving no inconsiderable profit. Each St. John. N. B. deriving no inconsiderable profit. Each of these parties sees the need of harbor extensions, and, in my opinion, they should join hands in the matter. When two parties to a bargain have the same end in view and are agreed as to the benefits, there should be no price, should write to

holding back. The C. P. R. is an astute corporation, which, seemingly, does not spend its money foolishly. It has expended large sums in improvements around St. John, and I believe that where the C. P. R. leads, the city need have no fear about following. two parties to whom the most direct benefit is to come should join hands and work together for the benefit of themselves and each other. If it is possible to obtain assistance from the Dominio government, all the better. This will make things easier, and anyway the from the building up of St. John as port. But I can't see why, if the Dominion government should refuse any assistance, St. John and the C. P. R. should not take the matter in their own hands and build the wharves required for the proper accommodation of the different steamship lines and for the continued development of trade. "There is another matter which is

not receiving such whole-souled interest as it deserves, and that is the dry dock scheme being promoted by George Robertson. This, I believe, will do more to increase the shipping business in St. John than anything else could do. With a dry dock at this port steamers will be induced to come here in larger numbers than at present, because they will then be able to make any necessary repairs without having to sail or be towed to another por where there is a dry dock. Ship own ers naturally prefer a place where, if an accident should occur, they can have Another point in connection with the winter port business is that some improvement is needed in the class of vessels sailing to this port. The record made by the Ionian and several other good ships show what can be done in regard to a fast service, and in my mind exporters and importers through out Canada would be much more satis-fied if all freight were carried in equally good time. Merchants in Canada ar beginning to learn the possibilities of St. John as a port, and they will learn a great deal more if boats, equal o better than those running to othe

LAURIER'S OWN CLUB

ports, are put on here."

las Issued Manifesto Against Imposi tion of Corn Duties.

LONDON, April 31.- The Cobde club has issued a manifesto signed by Lord Welby, vigorously protesting against the imposition of corn duties The manifesto sets forth that so to de would inaugurate a policy of protec

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BRITISH PARLIAMENT.

House of Commons Adopted Clause of War Budget by Great Majority.

LONDON, April 21 .- In the house of commons today, Sir Michael Hicks-Beach, the chancellor of the exchequer, in the course of a speech defending the budget proposals, said no-thing could be more premature than the rumors in the press regarding the peace negotiations in South Africa.

The income tax resolution was adopted by a vote of 290 to 61.

BOSTON, April 21,-In the senate today the two-cent-a-mile railroad bill was killed by a rising vote of 3 to 16, after considerable debate.

Cook's Cotton Root Compound mitations are dangerous. Price, No. 1, ox; No. 2, 10 degrees stronger; 25 per but or 2, mailed on receipt of price and was tamps. The Gook Company Vindson, 25 Nos. 1 and 2 sold and recommended becomes the Draggists in Care

at Grand Harbor F. B., Cove Advent and Casdist churches. He left on Campobello to proceed to for Tuesday and Wednes-

The county court is now in session Judge Stevens presiding. Quite an ar- Bright's disease. ray of legal talent is present from abroad, viz., T. J. Carter, Fredericton; W. Connell and Mr. Jones from stock; Mr. Gallagher from Grand Falls. The case of Curry v. the municipality of Victoria was thrown out on the ground that the sheriff who summened the jury was also the secretary-treasurer of the county. This was a very simple matter at first. Mr. Curry leased a ferry from the county council and paid his license, but Mr. Lawson, one of the members of the county, put another man in charge of the ferry, and Mr. Curry was ruled out. The case was tried a year ago, and the court ruled no ause of action. It was taken before the judges, who reversed that judgt and taxed the costs on the county, and now it is again ruled out. A' few dollars would have settled it in the first place, now it will require

The many friends of Donald Fraser were pleased to greet him yesterday on a visit to this part of the country. HOPEWELL HILL, April 16.-A considerable number of plaster schooners are awaiting berths at Hillsboro. A steamer arrived yesterday to load plaster.

The weather is very fine and dry, and the roads throughout the country are in excellent condition. Little or no farming has yet been done.

John M. Stiles of Albert Mines had the misfortune to have his hip put out of joint last Saturday.

Jas. C. Wright is improving under the care of Dr. Chapman of Albert. Geo. W. Newcomb, merchant, is getting around after a quite severe at-

Dr. John T. Lewis of Albert was in

the village yesterday.

The many friends of Abram Bray, an old and respected resident of Lower Cape, regret to learn that he has begreatly broken down in health. A sad drowning accident occurred at Hopewell Cape last night, Two men from the three-masted schooner C. J. Willard had been ashore, and when reaching the vessel on their return trip their boat struck the anchor chair and was capsized by the strong cur-rent. One of the men clung to the chain and was rescued, but the secend, whose name was Sullivan, went down. The unfortunate man belonged

to the state of Maine.

The Two Sisters is discharging freight at Riverside. The packet Velma A. arrived in the river today from

Mrs. Hueston Stewart had one of ers amputated this week by Dr. Carnwath.

HOPEWELL HILL, April 17.-The Albert Literary Society held a very enjoyable "Bobbie Burns" evening at the Commercial hotel on Friday night. Miss Lena Nichol read an interesting sketch of Burns' life, and a number of the poet's best poems were read by Misses Marie King, Odessa Lunn, Maggie Kiever, Maggie McGorman, Effic McLean, Mrs. Carnwath, Mr. Trueman, H. I. Wry, Dr. Chapman and others. Mrs. G. D. Prescott sang Comin' Thro' the Rye. Miss Bray read an interesting paper entitled Robert Burns, a Fragmentary Sketch. The society has the nucleus of a fine library, which it hopes to add largely to in the near future. Much credit is due Mr. and Mrs. Geo. D. Prescott for generous donations of money and

books. The present officers of the society are: W. A. Trueman, president; H. I. Wry, vice-president; Miss Maggie McGorman, treasurer; Miss Effic McLean, librarian; Miss Laura J.

Bray, secretary. Miss Swanson, who has been visit ing her sister, Mrs. (Dr.) Carnwath, at Riverside, returned this week to her home in Douglastown. Mr. and Mrs. Elvin have returned from Hillsboro, where they spent the past six weeks.

Mariner M. Tingley went to Moncton

today to consult with Mr. Wetmor local government engineer, in regard to extensive repairs to the Eig Caraquet bridge, which work Mr. Tingley

will have charge of. Particulars of the drowning accident at Hopewell Cape, learned today by the Sun correspondent, state that the name of the young man who lost his life was Martin, not Sullivan, as at first reported. The circumstances appear to have been particularly sad. Young Martin had come ashore from the schooner C. J. Willard with a companion to post a letter to his mother. On returning to the vessel after night, their boat fouled against the cable and was swamped by the swiftly running water of the Petitcodiac. Martin failed to get hold of the chain and was carried down stream. He was an expert swimmer and kept afloat at least a quarter of a mile and passed three schooners. On passing the third vessel he called out, saying he was in the water on the starboard but before a boat could reach him he had gone down.

The steam mill of Jas. C. Wright started sawing today. Capt. A. W. Burns, who has been home on a furlough, has gone to St. John to join the government steamer Lansdowne, of which he is chief offi-

HAMPSTEAD, Queens Co., April 17. I. S. VanWart and wife, who had been spending the winter with their daughter, Mrs. Eveleigh of Sussex, are

A number of the neighbors around here have picked up about two or three

There has been a Sunday school organized in the Woodville half, with C. H. Wasson as superintendent.

D. C. Slipp has been quite ill.
The remains of John R. Worden
Mrs. R. W. Ferguson of Petitoo
formerly of this place, father
daughter, were brought here for
terment in the Free Baptist ceme ns of John R. Worden and Ferguson of Petitoodiac. father and ught here for The fur sermon and services were conducted by Rev. H. H. Ferguson of Millstream Mrs. Ferguson leaves a husband with four little children, the eldest eleven years old and the youngest scarcely

William VanWart, father of J. R. VanWart, merchant of Indiantown, was buried in the Free Baptist cemetery here last Saturday. B. H. Appleby and Ernest Walton

have been operating their quarries for a fortnight. Joseph Wasson is quite sick with

SUSSEX, N. B., April 18.— Mrs. Freeze, relict of the late Sheriff Freeze, is lying unconscious at her home and is not expected to live through the night.

Dr. L. R. Murray leaves on the C. P. R. Saturday for Halifax to go as senior surgeon of the fourth contingent. He will return home for a few days before leaving for South Africa. In the case of David Floyd against

Joseph Mercer of Upham for criminal assault on his son, the accused was ar rested at Daniel McKenzie's in Upham yesterday morning. He was found hiding up stairs and was brought before R. Morrison, J. P., yesterday and remanded to the county jail till Tuesday next, when he will be brought to Sussay and his aventuation will be Sussex and his examination will be menced before Justice Morrison. SALMON CREEK, April 17.—The children of the Mission Band gave a very interesting entertainment in the Presbyterian church at Chipman on the evening of the 14th. A silver collection was taken up, amounting to the sum of \$26. Much credit is due to those in charge of the entertainment. Much sympathy is felt for Mr. and Mrs. Crossman of Chipman on ac-

count of the sad death of their son, which took place at Harcourt. Captain Porter has arrived with cargo of coal. The recent rain was a great boon to

the lumbermen, helping them to get their lumber out. Mrs. George Burridge of Worcester Mass., arrived by Saturday's train to see her sister, who is very ill. Senator King and wife, accompanied by Mrs. McIntire, are at Ottawa.

Steamer May Queen arrived at Chipman on the 16th, making the earliest trip of the season. LEPREAUX, N. B., April 17.-A. J.

Gregory and his mother spent Tues-day at Lepreaux. Mrs. H. P. Reynolds is visiting in St. John. Much credit is due to Andrew Gre

gory for the way that he has erected the temporary bridge across the Lepreaux River. Two of our young men left Wednes

day for St. John to enlist for South Africa A. J. Gregory has placed two fine boats on Lepreaux River. Rev. F. W. M. Bacone of Musquash

preached here on Tuesday evening. GRAND LAKE, Queens Co., April 18.—The May Queen made her first trip of the season on the 16th, but the

Wednesday night. The Baptists and Methodists of Cumperland Bay are holding special services in conjunction, led by their respective pastors, Messrs. Dresser and

Mrs. Daniel Mott of Waterborough arrived home from Massachusetts on Wednesday. John Snodgrass, sr., of Young's Cove

Wason.

and David Philips of Cumberland Bay are both in quite poor health, also Mrs W. T. Snodgrass, who has been quite low now for some days. Wm. Warren, a young Englishman

who has been out here for some years died of congestion on Thursday at the residence of Hall Fairweather, Cumberland Bay.

The land has dried up nicely this week, and the farmers are already commencing work. C. B. Botsford of Waterborough expects to start in a few days for Boston, where he will be engaged in the

ice business during the summer.

MECHANICS SETTLEMENT, April 19.—The community has been saddened by the death of Thos. Lockhart, which occurred at his home on Sunday, the 13th inst. The deceased, who was of Scotch-Irish ancestry, was one of the oldest inhabitants of this place, having come to this country with his par-ents in 1841, being then 15 years old. Mr. Lockhart was always known as a man of great physical strength and moral integrity. On March 5th, 1855, Mr. Lockhart was married to Miss Catherine McCulla, and together they whom they came in contact.

founded a home whose Christian influence was recognized and felt by all September last a cancer, from which he had been slightly affected for some time, began to assume a malignant form. With rapid steps it advanced in spite of all love and skill could do until its cruel work was accomplished. Mr. Lockhart was a loyal Methodist and a man of broad ideas and in sympathy with all that made the world better. He leaves to mourn his loss a wife, three sons and three daughters. His daughters are: Mrs. D. Dickinson of Lowell, Mass.; Mrs. C. M. McIntyre of North Adams, Mass., and Miss Lillie, now at home. His sons are John A. and Robt. Lockhart of this place and Moses of North Adams. The mourning family have the sympathy of

the entire community. James Levi Williams and Miss Margison of Knoxford were married on the 16th inst, by Rev. Mr. Gregg. The relict of the late Isaac Tracy as sold her house and lot to Mr. Currier, who has taken possession, while she has moved to Gregg Settlement.

Wilmot Webb has erected a large barn near his residence, and will soon uild one on his Knoxford farm. William Armstrong of Lakeville sold

matched pair of horses to D. D. Banks of Maine for \$350. White & Tweedie sold a pair of black horses to Scott Reid of Knoxford

for \$300. The Methodist meeting house in Williamstown, having been repaired was opened for service on Sunday 20th. Rev. Messrs. James Crisp, Berry and Allan took part in the services.

GASPEREAUX STATION, April 17.

The lumber and milling operations carried on here during the winter by Coy & Co. of Upper Gagetown closed on Thursday night. They report a good season's work.
On Thursday, 16th inst., a number of

young men from this place, armed with axes, took possession of the wood-pile at the Welsford parsonage. They toiled hard all day, and made the good parson's woodpile a heap of kindling

A large amount of sawed lumber is is being loaded at Gaspereanx sta-

MAUGERVILLE, N. B., April 16 .-Emery Sewell has sent a number men to Millidgeville to raft the logs that went down with the ice and caught below the booms. Had the booms below Fredericton been put out in time, a large quantity of lumber would have been saved from going down river, as the tide was not strong, and the ice did not amount to much. Tug Annie Currier towed a scor load of hay to Gibson for George

Perley, recently.
Miss Violet Banks has taken charg of the Sherley school for the summe term. Mrs. Sarah Killam, who wa called home owing to her mother's ill ness, who is now convalescent, has re turned again to her school in Victoria county.

Mrs. A. R. Miles went to Dorchester Monday, where she will remain several weeks with her sister, Mrs. (Rev.) B. H. Thomas, and Miss Harrison, Miss M. L. Magee, who is teaching the present term in Geary, was home

Hanford Brown's early rafting re cord was made March 20th, instead o the 22nd, as before noted.

The many friends of Thos. A. Cax will be glad to know that he has so far regained his health that he has joined the South African Light Hors corps, which his brother, the sergean major, was a gallant member. Another brother, Matthew, is also at the front

under Colonel Evans. David C. Dykeman has gone to St. John on a business trip. HAVELOCK, April 20. - Deacon Richard Thorne of Camaan Road has

sold his farm to his son Charles. Mr. Thorne is selling off his effects, and will retire from active life. He will remain in the old home with his son who buys the place. Charles Thorne of Canaan Road has sold his farm to Maxwell Hicks of Hicksville, who is soon to take possession

Special services are still being coninued at Springhill, with encourage An accident occurred on the E. P. & H. railway yesterday, by which the passenger car and a freight car left the track. The accident was caused

by the spreading of the raths. HOPEWELL HILL, April 18.—Net for many years have times been so good for the working men as they are the present season throughout this section. Men are in great demand at the saw mills, lighters and in many different ways, in connection with the handling of the immense output of lumber. The dykes also will give emplayment to scores of men through the whole summer, and later on will be the gathering of the hay on the take was clear of ice on the 6th.

Dig. Shepody marshes. Every ablethe tugboat Hope arrived at Young's bodied man could secure a half dozen Cove for some small lots of logs on jobs. The wages, too, are good. The commissioners are pawing \$1.29 to \$1.50 for an eight hour day, and similar schedules prevail in other branches of labor. This applies of course to the ordinary workmen, the vages of skilled men being considerably higher. A large number of men will also find employment acceeding as soon as the deal fleet begins to ar

rive. Altogether, a prosperous season eems to be ahead. The bark Servia, the first squarerigged arrival of the season, is outside the Point. She will load in the Fathom for M. Wood & Son of Sackville. Dr. J. T. Lewis of Hillsbore was in the village on professional business yesterday.

A DRUGGIST TESTIFIES

Here's an honest statement from people who are in the best position to give an un-biased opinion of any rem-edy and they in the strong est terms yield the palm to Dr. Agnew's Ointment as a cer-tain cure for all aliments of the skin.

The Eureka Drug Company, of Manch Chunk, A., writes:—"Please send at once two dozen Dr. Agnew's Ointment It has given great atisfaction in cases of skin disease and piles, and is one of the best sellers in that line we ever and death of the best sellers in that line we ever the state of the best sellers in that line we ever the state of the best sellers in the state of the best sellers in that line we ever the state of the best sellers in the state of the sta dled." Price, 35 cents.

SOLD BY M. V. PADDOCK. EXTRAORDINARY SUICIDE.

A Young Man Buries Himself Alive in a Hillside Grave.

HARTLAND, N. B. April 19.-Ambe Crouse, son of Miles Crouse, a well-to-do farmer, committed suicide on Tuesday in a self made grave. He left home that day, and when he did not return a searching party went out an Thursday and again yesterday, in search of him. His body was found in the rear of his father's farm, which is in Mount Delight, in an evidently selfdug grave, with his hand thrust out. The young man was 24 years old. He had been acting strangely and evide ly his mind was unhinged. He had worked in the woods during the winter. Evidence shows that the unfortunate fellow dug a grave for himself on a at the overhanging ground until it fell in on him. His parents are prostrated: His mother has gone into convulsions. This is the fifth suicide in this country inside of one year. Coroner Ross wil

HANOVER, Prussia, April 20.—Emperor William, Grown Prince Frederick William, and representatives of all the cavalry regiments of the empire, were present today at the unveiling of a monument erected in honor of Gen. Von Rosenberg, the commander of the 13th Uhlan Regiment during the war, 1370. Emperor William and Count Von Waidersee, whe was commander of the allied forces in China, made speeches at the banquet which followed the unveiling ceremonles.

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Children Cry for CASTORIA

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STEAMBOAT HORROR

of Pittsburg,

heeler Plying From Cincinnat to Memphis - Rescued Suffered Ferribly From Exposure.

CAIRO, Ills., April 20 .- One of the worst disasters in the history of Ohio river navigation occurred shortly after o'clock this morning near Ogden's Landing. While almost all aboard were asleep the steamer City of Pittsburg book fire and in a few moments was burned to the water's edge. The loss of over \$80,060 on the steamer does not include the cargo, both being a total

The latest estimates are that 150 persons were aboard and that not more than half of them were saved, many of the latter being burned or injured. Captain Phillips admits that the death

CAIRO, Ills., April 20.—The state wheel steamer City of Pittsburg, from Cincinnati to Memphis, was burned to the water's edge early this morning at Ogden's Landisg, near Olmstead, Ills., eleven miles from Mound City, Ills., and 24 miles from this city. The early reports stated that sixty-five lives were lost and that many were sadly burned and otherwise injured But the list of casualties is not yet de-amitely determined. Two boats and all available craft from this city went to the scene for relief. Efforts were made to catch the New South, of the same line, at Paducah and have her steam back for relief, but the steamer had passed Paducah, upward bound

before the telegram was received. Mest of the passengers were still in bed when Second Clerk Oliver Philips gave the alarm. The engineers at once started all the pumping engines. while the crew brought all the into play. Amid the streams of water on an sides, the flames from the lower deck and dense clouds of smoke, the passengers rushed from their staterooms and a frightful panic ensued. The appeals of the officers and crew could not appease the terror stricken crowds that interfered with those throwing water on the flames, as well as with those working with the lifeboats. Few could adjust life preservers or do anything for themselves.

The smoke was stifling: Great clouds floated through the blazing ste amer, choking the passengers and adding to the terror. Children cried pit fully, begging that they be saved.

Lifeboats were manned and every effort was made to save the pass gers from the feating furniset cue. Boats vith passengers in they were able to inded at the river banks the boats could be emptied turned to the ill-fated steamer,

rescuers losing no time from their headed to the bank, but passengers were forced to jump from the stern, and toying to swim ashore through the swift current, many were drowned. Many also perished in the flames. Only one yawl was saved, without oars, and the women were taken off. About twenty or thirty were taken off in this boat. The rest were picked up

out of the water. Help, except from people living near by, did not arrive until 2.30 this afternoon, and passengers, with only night clothes on and without food, suffered

Captain Phillips says 20 or 25 of the passengers are missing and the same number of the crew. One woman pas-

senger lost three children. Patrick Burke of Owensboro, Kr. wife and six children were all lost. The body of a child, dressed in night clothes, was taken from the river at

Mound City. The fire was discovered at 4.05 a. m There were 70 passengers and 700 all

told in the crew. The fire started in the forward lar beard hatch and burned flercely, and when the steamer nan ashore escapes were made over the cabin railing. Very few passengers or members of the crew were aware of the fire until it was too late. The captain and clerk late tonight

faim in all eighty persons have been accounted for, leaving sixty people lost or unaccounted far.

The steamer Maud Kilgore brought

the survivors toothis city at & p. m., and several societies of the city rendered all assistance in the way of clothing, etc. Just prior to the boat's departure

she underwent her annual inspection by the United States inspectors, and was granted first-class papers. CAIRO, Ills., April 20 .- Mrs. Mulkey wife of Judge Mulkey of Metropolis, Ills., boarded/ the City of Pittsburg shortly before the disaster. She said "I noticed a bright light shinging

into my stateroom. I immediately go up and opened the door and saw that the front cabin was on fire. At that moment the electric light went out. I got a life preserver and put it on, and managed to grope my way to a door opposite. It was a barber shop. Then I groped further down to another door, which spened out into the guards. But few passengers were aroused at this time, and I with others climbed out

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wer the guards and down the railing, hand over hand, over the lifeboat, which was below me.

"I hung suspended by my arms for a while and was caught by a man who was seated in the boat. By this time ethers crowded into the boat and filled it to overflowing, but, as if providentially, the flames reached the rope that held the life boat and we dropped into the river before others could push their way into the boat.

"The lifeboat commenced to drift back toward the burning steamer, and we thought that we were to die after

all. "We had no oars, and the men used their hands for oars. There were people in the river all about us on every

"After we had managed to get to the shore fires were lighted and the poor men and women and children, many of them in their night clothes, shivering with the cold, and from their wet clothing huddled about the fires. "Some were burned but more were badly bruised and cut by coming in contact with the wreckage.

A GROWING TIME

For Cape Breton Iron and Coal the World Over.

Dominion Steel and Coal Companies Talks Freely to Montreal Reporters.

MONTREAL, April 11.-James Ross, managing director of the Dominion Steel Co. and Dominion Coal Co., returned today from England. He said Nova Scotia enterprises are attracting much attention in England just now. The exceptional advantages they pos-

sessed had interested many people.

The rapid rise in the commercial stock being referred to, Mr. Ross said that he paid really no attention to exchange, his object being to look after the interests of investors. He said there could be no possible doubt as to the extensive market which would be at the immediate command of the Sydney company, for while Canada showed much wider capacity for the absorption of steel than the most sanguine could have ever looked for, the United States market was likewise at Its doors. At the present time all of the American plants have orders far ahead of their capacity, and are buying steel billets wherever they can be found. For this reason the steel makers of Great Britain are likewise doing a flourishing business, as they have

Mr. Ross likewise noticed the fact at British iron and steel makers ere adopting new and improved methods, which would, no doubt, be an effective arm against American compe-

tition in the future.

The market for Cape Breton coal abroad was also discussed by Mr. Ross, who explained that although the European market had just been opened to the Dominion Coal Company's output, its greatest efforts were directed to supply markets nearer at home. Nothing, he said, would be neglected in furnishing the full h whatever can be spared, when the output of the Dominion Coal Company reaches its maximum figure, will be sold on each side of the Atlantic. "Will troubles in connection with

the Everett Company hinder your supply in that direction?" "No," Mr. Ross replied. "The receiver assures us than our accounts will be paid and that coal shipments will be

continued as usual." Several directors of the Steel Company were here awaiting Mr. Ross' return. An imformal meeting was held, but nothing was made public.

Children Cry for CASTORIA

AFTER DYNAMITERS.

Curlew Sails Today for Grand Manan Armed With New Fishing Law.

In response to the continued requests presented to the government by Capt. Prast and others interested in the protection of the coast fisheries against the use of dynamite, the governor general in council has been pleased to pass the following regulation, dated April 12, and going into force at once :

(1) It shall be unlawful for any person to procure or have in possession on board of any boat or vessel, or elsewhere within Canada, any dyna or other explosive material with the intention of using or attempting to use, or allowing or permitting the same to be used or attempted to be used for the purpose of catching or killing or attempting to catch or kill any kind of fish, shell fish or marine (2). It shall be unlawful for any

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have upon or in any boat or vessel engaged or employed or intended to be engaged or employed in fishing, any dynamite or other explosive ma-(3) In case any such dynamite of

other explosive shall be found or proved to be or to have been in or upon any such boat or vessel, the master and owner thereof shall each be liable for the penalty provided for breach of the last preceding regulation, as well as any other person or persons who may have put or placed such dynamite or other explosive upon or in the said boat or vessel, or had the same in possession therein Armed with this sweeping regulation

the Curlew sails today for the pollock grounds off Old Proprietor Ledge, Grand Manan, where already there are 30 or 40 boats dynamiting fish. Capt. Pratt expects considerable trouble in enforcing the law, as the majority of the men so employed are desperate characters from Eastport and along the coast of Maine, and will probably put up a fierce resistance.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., April 22.—Fire in the southwestern portion of the city this afternoon destroyed forty houses. The financial loss will probably not exceed \$50,000 but fifty families of poor people are rendered homeless and destitute. Que death is reported.

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PARLIAMENT

In Supply on Estimates of Department of Agriculture.

Nova Scotia Men Had the Floor Earlie in the Sitting-Militia Appoint ments-Notes.

OTTAWA, April 16.—The minister of justice introduced several bills today, including two concerning the admin istration of justice in the Yukon, one applicable to Ontario restricting the umber of expert witnesses to be called in lawsuits, and one amending the exchequer court act. The latter provides for appeal from the excheque

Replying to Mr. Borden of Halifax, Hon, Mr. Blair stated that John Barbour was dismissed from the position of Intercolonial section foreman for political partisanship. Charges were made by Mr. Turgeon, M. P., and Barbour was dismissed without inves-

tigation. Dr. Russell of Halifax asked for in formation concerning the longshore men's strike in Halifax.

Hen. Mr. Mulock, as minister o labor, proceeded, with a programme as arranged, by making a long and carefully prepared statement setting forth that his department had brought about a satisfactory settlement.

Dr. Sproule of East Grey, Ontario observed that Mr. Russell deserved a vote of thanks for affording Hon. Mr. Mulock the opportunity to commend himself. The minister's case reminded him of accounts in the paper was the next thing to the crude article. The United States admitted this tree, but imposed a prohibitive duty on the refined article. The result was where some person when presente with a portrait of himself professed to be taken by supprise and then deliv-ered a carefully prepared oration.

Fraser of Guysborough, N. S. read a eulogy on Deputy Minister King, from the Halifax Herald, which he described as the organ of Mr. Bor-

Mr. Borden of Halifax said the Herald was neither his organ nor the organ of any party. It did not profes to be controlled by any political organ-ization, but was under the independent out that many strikes had been set-tled in Halifax in less time than this, a fact which he attributed to the good sense of the employes and their

After remarks by Mr. Ross of Vic toria, N. S., and Mr. Puttee of Winnipeg, the incident closed.

During the afternoon and evening the house was in supply on estimates of the department of agriculture, in-cluding experimental farms Year Book and quarantine. Colonel Kaulbach discussed these matters very fully with Hon Mr. Fisher and a very full inquiry was made into the management of these services.

After passing some customs esimate the house adjourned at midnight.

MOOTES

A government caucus was held this forencon. No large matters were discussed, but there was much discussion over local affairs and matters of pat-

Mr. Gibson, M. P. for Marysville, has 4000 for government of the Northwest presented a petition for an extension the western members discussed the the Gibson Cods rallway interests from the manufacturing business and creating a new company to own and operate the Canada Eastern railway. Hon. Mr. Mulock gives notice of a bill for the settlement of labor dis-

Hon. Mr. Fitzpatrick gives notice o a resolution providing that the salaries of police magistrates at Dawson and White Horse shall each be \$4,000, and providing for a salary of \$5,000 for the third judge of the Yukon court.

MILITIA APPOINTMENTS.

8th Princess Louise Hussars, to be lieut., S. J. Goodliffe, to complete es-

3rd Special Service Battalion_To be major. Captain O'Farrell, vice Skinner. To be captain, Lieut. Clarke, vice Garney. To be lieut, Bradon, vice Ogilvie, and McLaren, vice Clarke. Skinner, Gurney and Ogilvie return to their regiments.

OTTAWA, April 17.-Hon. Mr. Fitzpatrick introduced a bill respecting Canadian Pacific Railway Company tolls. This measure gives effect to the conditions on which the additions to the C. P. stock issue were authorized. On motion for supply, Mr. McLear

read to the house the statement of the New York Tribune concerning the Pritish budget, and asked for a further statement from the ministers.-No an-

swer was ziven: Before the speaker left the chair,

Mr. Wilson (conservative of Lennox) claimed the floor to address the hous on the subject of immigration, as the estimates for this service were to be taken up today. Mr. Wilson pointed out the enormous increase in immi-gration expenditure and in the number of officials employed. For example the government is now employing nine officers in Ireland, where the late government paid none, yet immigration from Ireland was much less than it was six years ago. It costs more than sixteen dollars per head for Irish isnmigrants. We were keeping more than a hundred agents in the United States and spending a quarter of a million a year seeking immigrants from that country, and the results were not satisfactory. Mr. Wilson dwelt strongly on the fact that we were admitting freely the off-scourings of all the countries of the world, and produced full returns and the statements of officials showing the care taken by the United States to keep out undesirable people, He begged the government to follow their example and exercise a closer

supervision of immigrants.

After recess Hon. Mr. Sifton made an elaborate explanation of the policy and methods of the immigration department. In the course of his liscussion Mr. Sifton said he did not care whether Mr. Devlin, the agent of Ireland, was a supporter of the home rule party or of a "fire brand" like

Col. Hughes objected to the designa-tion of Col. Sanderson as a fire brand, joints limber and muscles in trim. Col. Hughes objected to the designa-

ed that it was the on of the government to pro vide better immigration facilities London and to establish also a co

mercial agency near Trafalgar square.

Mr. Gourley made an eloquent ap-Harrowing Tale of Intense Sufpeal for imperial co-operation for se-curing immigrants from Great Britain fering and Narrow Escape. to the colonies. All possible efforts should be used to prevent the British immigrants from going to foreign countries. Leading British statesmen should be induced to take an interest in this matter. Addresses by men like Lord Salisbury and Hon. Mr. Chambardia months of the control of the c

berlain would be a great stimulus to

After discussing the immigration

estimates until midnight the house ad-

journed to resume the interior esti-

NOTES

Dr. Robt. Bell, acting director of the

Geological Society, is to receive at the

next convocation of Cambridge Uni-

a great service to the cause of science

OTTAWA, April 18.—In the commons today Mr. Charlton interposed

when the speaker was about to leave

the chair to go into supply, to bring

two matters before the chamber. The

Charlton said that Canada and the

French colony of New Caledonia con-

trolled the nickel output of the world.

United States capitalists had obtained

erties, and they had formed or were

forming a combination with the own-ers of the New Caledonian properties

to control the world's supply of nickel. Mr. Charlton pointed out that the

product of the Canadian mines was shipped in the form of matte, which

that there was not a ton refined in

Canada, and the United States, which

produced none of the metal, was allow

ed to dominate the situation. Englan

was at the mercy of the combination for her nickel armor plate and Canad

for her nickel steel rails. Mr. Charl-

ton suggested that a remedy could be

provided by a Canadian expert duty

His other subject was manila hemp

which is exclusively produced in the

Philippine Islands. There has always

been an export duty of seven and a

half dollars per ton on manila, but the United States has recently been

a violation of the understanding that

there would be no national discrimina-

tion on the Philippine fariffs. A

Canada from the United States, twine

manufacturers were protected in Can-adian markets against Canadian com-

Hon. Mr. Fielding said he had no in

formation concerning the nickel com-

bine. The manila situation was cer-tainly an extraordinary one, and

might require prompt action by parlia-

ment. The matter would be taken up

for consideration and treatment at an

The house was in supply the whole

afternoon, dealing with the wote for

In the evening on the vote of \$425.-

question of granting full provincial

rights to the territories. Messrs. Scott

and Oliver seemed to be anxious to

have autonomy now. Mr. Donglas held

that the time had not yet come for

this change and the minister of the

interior contended that the change

was not at present practicable. They

all agreed that the government grants

for local services, such as education,

Mr. Borden (Halifax) said it struck

him that the Northwest local govern-

ment must be a prudent administra

tion to accomplish so much as it did

with the rather meagre allowance re-

ceived by the territories administra-

tion from Ottawa. Mr. Berden could

not see that local autonomy would

call for more expenditure than the ex-

lating system. It was certain that the

allowance to the Northwest was very

small for the services to be provided

out of it. The amount wasted by the

government in the Yukon or in the

Drummond deal, or in other unfortun-

ate transactions would provide ade

Northwest services. Matters were pro-

would be satisfied if a full provincial

Shortly after midnight, the North-

west item passed. Mr. Taylor called attention to the fact that there was

not a quorum present, but the govern-

ment was courteously permitted to propose adjournment, which was de-

NOTES.

Major Murchell, N. J. Gillies, M. P.

P., and Henry MacDonald of Glace

Bay are in the city. They had an in-

terview with Hon. Messrs. Tarte and Fielding today concerning Glace Bay

harbor, Mr. Tarte promised to sen

derstand that if practicable he would

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For Infants and Children.

A DEFINITION.

"Going to the penitentiary in com

pany with the sheriff may generally

be regarded as one. Now, run out and

play with your marbles, my child. I

want to see what the batting average

of our new men were last year."-

Bicyclists and all athletes depend on

Chicago Record-Herald.

"Pa, what's a tour de force?"

Chart tether

within

establishment were provided

the next four years.

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quately for the territorial services.

were altogether inadequate.

binder twine is admitted free

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early day.

Indian affairs.

exempted from its provisions.

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first was the nickel situation.

mates tomorrow.

Grey County Lady whose Letters Relate
An Unparalleled Experience and a
Happy Deliverance. MORLEY, Ont., April 18 .- (Special

-Mrs. Thomas Hughes of this place has probably been nearer the very hour of death than any one has ever been and lived to speak of it. She says:-"I was a great sufferer for over fou years, for nearly three of which I was unable to leave my bed.

"I had pains up my spinal column in my head, over my eyes, across my back, through my left side and occasionally in my right side. "For as long as three nights and days at a time I would never close my

eyes in sleep, the pains were so ter

versity, Cambridge, the degree of doctor of science. This is a distinction tibly severe. "I was fearfully bloated, so much so rarely given by that university, and only to persons who have performed that I could not sit up and could

scarcely move.
"My age at the time I was taken sick first was forty-one years, and the doctors all said that nothing but time would cure me and that if I lived I would be better when I got over the change in life. They said I had a complication of Rheumatism, Kidney and Bladder Trouble, and treated me for these but did me no good.

"I got worse and worse, and I an sure I would not have been alive to day but for Dodd's Kidney Pills, "I was so weak I could not eat any thing only a little corn starch or soup

of some kind. "My normal weight before I was sid was 112 lbs., and I bloated up till I weighed 147 lbs. "After five local doctors and a speci-

alist from the United States had given me up I began a treatment of Dedd's Kidney Pills. "I began to improve after the third box and now I am well as I ever was.

weigh 113 lbs. "Dodd's Kidney Pills saved may life."

REV. DR. HERTZ Tells the Americans Some Plain Truth

About the Boers. NEW YORK, April 18.-Rev. J. H. Hertz, who was a member of Lord Milner's high or advisory committee in South Africa, and chaplain

of the Rand rifles, has arrived in this city, his former home. When the war broke out Dr. Hertz was expelled from Johannesburg by Mr. Kruger for being an Uitlander. He has since visited many of the British concentration camps in South Africa. Of these camps and on kindred subjects Dr. Hertz says:

"The stories of the British cruelty towards the wives and families of the Boers in the concentration camps are absurd. It is not the fighting Boer who makes these charges, but the stay-at-home. Why, the Boer in the field sends his family to the British to take care of so that he will not he hampered by them while fighting. Where there were but '9,000 children attending school in the Orange Free State before the war started, there are now 14,000 at school under the British governmental rule."

The Day of Miracles not Past.

reporter investigat the case of Mr. Geo. Warner, and found that after thirteen years of almost total deafness, he had been cured

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EXHIBITION PRIZE LISTS.

D. J. McLaughlin, S. S. Hall, Dr. T. F. Johnson, Charles A. Everett and W. W. Hubbard of the exhibition prize list committee met yesterday morning with W. H. Parlee of Sussex, Thomas, Dean and B. V. Millidge of Hon. Mr. Sifton said great progress had been made in providing for local the live stock committee, and dis-cussed the prize list for the cattle classes. A number of sma!! prizes were added, but not a great deal of gressing towards autonomy, but he thought the territories ought to be and change was made. It was suggested that the milking competition be left out, as there has been but wery little interest shown in this department for the last two or three exhibitions. The committee met in the afternoon in the Board of Trade rooms and discusse the lists for the sheep and swin

POISON-PAINS

Rheumatism is really a poison in the blood, and where there is poison there's disaster in a lesser or greater degree—but there's a cure.

an engineer down to examine the South American Rheumatic Cure neutralizes th ground and gave the delegates to unacid poison in the blood in a few hours, and he acid poison in the blood in a few hours, and hence relieves at once—the complete cure is effected a little more slowly, but surely. When the disease is of only a few years standing, not more than one to three days time is required to effect a complete ours. When it has been present in the system for 10 or 15 years the acid poison has permeated the flesh and often the marrow of the bones. In such cases, relief is obtained to the season of the standard of the season of the se provide the place with shipping facilimeated the fiesh and often the marrow of the surfaces, relief is obtained at once, but a curre cannot be secured under two or three weeks. 92 SOLD BY M. V. PADDOCK.

AGAINST BREAD TAX.

LONDON, - April 20.-The parlia mentary committee created by the trades union congress has been urged to call a general meeting to protest against the imposition of the tax or

The trades unionist bodies are pass ing resolutions to the effect this tax i a departure from free trade principles which departure has not been before the electors of the country; that it will involve burdens double the amount of revenue it will produce and it will bear heaviest on the poor.

The bakers of Liverpool will announce a rise of a penny in the price of four pound loaves tomorrow.

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Carnival of Atrocious Acts in Philippines by Military Authorities.

Maritime Pastors [Making Reputations for Themselves in This City and Vicinity-Recent Deaths-The Lumber and Fish Markets.

(From Our Own Correspondent.) BOSTON, April 19.—In the sporting world the season was opened with a grand rush in this state today, which was the anniversary of the Battle of Lexington and a public holiday. The first games of league base ball here were scheduled, one for this forenoon and two in the afternoon. Boston again represented by two clubs this year, one in the National League and the other in the American.

The contentions of the anti-imperialists, of which Boston is the stronghold and head centre, with respect to the conduct of affairs by the military authorities in the Philippine Islands, appear to have been abundantly verified. In fact, the antis themselves did not dream that such a carnival laughter, so many atrocious acts of cruelty and wanton waste of property, as have been revealed through official channels, had been laid to the door of American officers. The long chain of scandals has fairly appalled the Washington authorities, and it looks as if somebody would have to suffer The president is said to be highly indignant and numerous court martials and recalls of officers have been ordered. To add to Mr. Roosevelt's troubles, the secretary of war, Mr. Root, and the commanding general of the army, Lieut. Gen. Miles, are not on speaking terms. Although Gen. Miles has had little to do with the Philippines, it has been practically decided that his retirement, which may be announced shortly, is for the good of the service at home and abroad. It is said that he narrowly escaped a court martial himself for not acquiescing in the views of the secretary of war. First, the row in the navy, then in the army, and now, with the shameful Philippine revelations, the strenuous man who became president by ocident is convinced that he has work enough cut out for him to keep him ccupied well into the hot weather, Truly the little war with Spain left a nountain of troubles in its wake. A resourceful and energetic former St. John man, Rev. W. J. Stewart, pastor of the Harvard street Baptist church of this city, has accompl wonders since he took hold of that parish last year. When he was installed as pastor, the church, which is ocated in a section of the city now largely peopled with foreigners, was in a bad state financially, and was on the point of being closed and the congregation transferred to another society. Last Sunday Rev. Mr. Stewart was able to announce that subscriptions made by members of the increased

congregation and by outside friends had placed the church on a solid finan-Boston is to have another Baptist Clarendom street Baptist church (the church of the late Dr. Gordon) has

called Rev. James A. Francis of New York, and he has accepted. Mr. Francis is 39 years of age and is a native of Nova Scotia. Rev. Fr. McGoldrick, formerly of St. John, has taken charge of the new

Dorchester parish, the setting apart of which by the Roman Catholic arch-bishop and the selection of Fr. Mc-Goldrick were recently announced in

Another priest, Fr. Fifield, has cently been added to those in the Bos-ton branch of the Society of Mission Priests of St. John the Evangelist, the Episcopal order more commonly known as the Cowley Fathers. The clergy list now includes Rev. Frs. Osborne, superior of the order, Field, Conran, Langmore, Fifield and Powell, the latter a Canadian. The Cowley Fathers conduct daily services at the Church. of St. John the Evangelist, and St. Augustine's church, and have recently pened a mission for colored people in

the south end The charges which have been prerred against Rev. Dr. S. F. Heshey of the First Presbyterian church, a house of worship largely attended by provincialists, because of differences arising out of an alleged bigameus marriage contracted by a New Bruns wick man, who was an elder in the church, have been formelly laid before the presbytery. It is generally believed that the charges will not be entertained and that Dr. Hershey will not

be disturbed as pastor. John Jenkins of Collinsville, Conn. and Miss Annie B. Best, daughter of John B. Best of Grafton, N. S., were united in marriage here on April 9.

The funeral of the late William R. perland, the Boston & Maine railroad brakeman, formerly of Shediac, who was killed at Wayland, was held last Sunday at St. Thomas' Episcopal church, Somerville. A large number of railroad men and former Shediac and Moncton people were present. In an address the rector, Dr. Duffield, spoke of the marriage ceremony at the altar of the same church which he had performed for Mr. Sutherland two weeks before. The interment was at West

Edward Butler and Ainsworth Harrison, the two young men of Cambridge, Kings county, N. S., arrested at Springfield, with goods stolen from the store of James Durno at Cam bridge, in their possession, announ their willingness to return home in the custody of an officer. Detective Harry Wright of Halifax took the prisoners back yesterday.

Among provincialists in the city recently were the following named: J. from straining the muscles or from J. D. Copeland, Antigonish; S. C. Graham. Truro: W. Stewart, J. E. Smith, Mr. Smith, Mrs. Chipman, Halifax.

April 14, George E. Deherty, son of Edward Doherty, aged 18 years, form-erly of St. John; in West Medford, April 11, Mrs. Sarah A. Smith, widow of Lebbens W. Smith, aged 66 years, formerly of St. John; in Waterville, Me., James Toomey, aged 45, formerly of St. John; at Cambridge, April 9, John H. Walker, formerly of Kings Co., P. E. I. (killed by train); in this

city, April 13, Miss Eva P. Sl

formerly of Halifax. George P. Morrison, a resident of erett, known to many St. John peoole, died on Saturday last. He was 32 vears of age.

Capt. John Spinney, the oldest veteran fireman in Marble head, observed the 80th anniversary of his birth yesterday. Capt. Spinney was born at Port La Tour, N. S., and is a grandson of John Spinney, one of the early settlers of the town.

The tenth annual reunion of the Maritime Provincial Club of Boston was held Thursday night. President, William D. Macdonald; vice-president, G. A. Macdonald; John C. Macdonald, president of the Prince Edward Island association; E. W. Doyle, president of the Prince Edward Island club, and Miss M. T. Mitchell, president of the ladies' auxiliary, Maritime Provincial Club, were among those present.

Among those who were entered in the annual marathon 25 mile foot race this afternoon were last year's winner, John Caffrey of Hamilton, Ont., and R. J. Macdonald, representing St. Francis Xavier University, Antigonish

A decided firmness marks the sprue lumber situation here, with a rise of \$2 a thousand a practical certainty. Some of the eastern mils refused to accept orders for big lumber at the rates quoted all winter, and demanded \$20 or nothing. This would force the price here to \$22 for this class of spruce. Although the demand is fair, it is not quite over brisk, and many dealers fear that the stiffening rate will further lessen it. The provincial trade is increasing as the season advances, about fifteen cargoes having arrived within the past ten days. Ter of these cargoes, however, were piling totalling about 3,300 pieces and 60,000 feet. Hemlock is very scarce, with lit-tle to be had. Boards, 12, 14 and 16 feet, are still worth \$15 for good eastern stock. Cedar shingles are also in a strong position, with spot prices higher than those here quoted. For delivery after May 15 \$3.35 is asked for extras, \$2.35 for second clears and \$1.75 to 1.90 for extra No. 1.. Laths are firm at \$3.15 to 3.25 for 15-8 and \$3 for 11-2

The fish trade is quiet, with price unchanged. Mackerel are steady, but trade is limited, provincial and domestic fish out of the market. Nev fresh mackerel are coming in, but the supply as yet is not large. Codfish continue quiet and easy at \$5 to 5.50 for large shore and Georges; \$4.50 to 4.75 for mediuh; 4.75 to 5.25 for large dry bank; \$4.50 to 5 for medium and \$4.25 to 4.75 for large pickled bank, Pickled herring are still in small supply, with the market pretty firm Nova Scotia large split are held at \$6 to 6.50 per bbl., and medium at \$5.25 to 5.50. Canned lobsters are steady and unchanged at \$2.50 to 2.60 for one lb. talls at wholesale. Live lobsters are down to 12 and boiled at 14 cents.

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AUCTION SALES. At Chubb's corner Saturday the freehold lothold lot on the corner of Frederick street and Marsh road, belonging to the Doherty estate, was sold fo \$610 to George Stevenson. Another lot, belonging to the same estate, on Frederick street, was sold to Jas. M. Palmer for \$200.

Five thousand shares of Gold King mining stock were bid in at 31 cents and one thousand shares of Union Consolidated Oil brought fourteen cents.

PAINS IN THE BACK.

D. Hazen, M. P. P., W. R. Furson, St. pain in the Kidneys, soon yield to the John: J. White, Bathurst; Mrs. I. R. Soothing influence of Kendrick's White Robinson, Derby; W. E. Graham, St. Liniment. There is no pain that will Stephen; W. H. Doty, Hebron, N. S.; not yield to this truly wonderful remedy.

WANTED-A case of Headache that The fellowing deaths among pro-vincialists are announced: At Revere, from ten to twenty minutes.

TONS OF DYNAMITE

Exploded Killing Between One and Two Hundred Soldiers

of Managua, Nicaragua, Into Fragments.

MANAGUA, Nicaragua, April 20.-A severe explosion occurred here on the night of April 16. A large two story harracks situated near the lake front and in the centre of the city, was blown to fragments. Between 100 and 200 officers and soldiers are reported to have been killed and many soldiers and other persons are reported to have been injured. A large number of the National Hotel, the central tele-graph station, and the National pal-ace, were damaged or wrecked. President Zelaya was absent at Masaya at the time of the explosion, but he hur-riedly returned to Managua on harse-back. He has published a statement. in which he attributes the disaster tons of dynamite, in addition to a quantity of powder, were stored in the parracks. The actual causes w led to the explosion have not yet been

After the first explosion the police notified the terrified people temporarily to leave the city, as it was thought the burning building still contained dynamite. Large numbers of people consequently fled to the suburbs. The first explosion was followed by several minor detonations, supposed to have been caused by the explosion of pack-

ages of gunpowder.

The people who fied from the city are returning today (Sunday). fragments of the namerous dead are

ing buried. The present lowest estimate of the lamage caused by the explosion, in ouses, furniture, cannon and war maerials is 5,000,000 pesos.

STOCKHOLM, Sweden, April 20.—Mass meetings in favor of universal suffrage were held today in all the towns of Sweden. In Stockholm the meeting was attended with considerable disorder. The demonstrators tried to march to the palace of King Oscar. They were charged by the police and several of them were wounded. Others were arrested. The approaches to the palace are now guarded by troops.

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SHIP NEWS.

PORT OF ST. JOHN.

Arrived.

April 18—Str Manchester Trader, 2,163, Parry, from Manchester via Halifax, Wm Thomson and Co, general.

Str Picqua, 1,167, Felkins, from New York, J H Scammell and Co, bai.

Str Salacia, 2,636, Mitchell, from Glasgow, S Schofield and Co, general cargo.

Str Axminster, 1,123, Spink, from Boston, Wm Thomson and Co, bai.

Sch Louvima, 513, Warner, from Blisabethport, A W Adams, coal.

Coastwise—Schs Hattie, 27, Parks, from French Cross; Beulah, 80, Ells, from Quaco; Dolphin, 36, Forsythe, from Two Rivers; str Flushing, with barge No 2, fram Parrsboro, and cleared; schs Annie Blanche, 68, Randall, from do; Dora, 63, Canning, from do; Alfred, 29, Small, from Tiverton; Evelyn, 69, Cassidy, from Quaco; Mabel, 38, Coli, from Sackville; Packet, 44, Longmire, from Bridgetown, R P S, 74, Hatfield, from Economy; Georgie Linwood, 25, McGranshan, from Margaretville; Hattie McKay, 74, Card, from Parrsboro; On Time, 19, Guthrie, from Sandy Cove; str Westport, 42, Powell, from Seaport. Arrived.

Westport.

April 19 Str Ionian, 5,337, Brown, from
Liverpool via Halifax, Wm Thomson and Co,
pass and gen cargo.

Str St Croix, Pike, from Boston, W G pass and gen cargo.

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Lee, mdse and pass.

Sch Emma S Ossier, 22, Stuart, from Bastport, master, household goods.

Coastwise—Scha Chieftain, 72, Tufta, from
Quaco; Brisk, 29, Smith, from Advocate;
Gazelle, 47, Whidden, from Mattland; Bessle
G, 68, Gales, from Alma; Trader, 72, Oglivie,
from Parrsboro; Sea Queen, N. Oglivie,
from Cheverie, Wascano, 115, Balsar, from
River Hebert; Geo L SHpp, 98, Wood, from
Joggins; Maudie, 25, Beardsley, from Port
Lorne; A L B, 22, Bent, from River Hebert;
Wanita, 42, Fillmore, from Parrsboro; Gentennial, 124, Priest, from River Hebert;
Wanita, 42, Fillmore, from Parrsboro; Gipsey, 33, Ogilvie, from Digby, Alice, 54, Benjamin, from Parrsboro; Alaska, 118, Greenfield, from River Hebert.

April 21—Sch Sarah C Smith, Wood, from
Portland, J A Gregory, bat.

Sch Swanhilda, 120, Salter, from Bosion,
J. W Smith, general.

Sch Abble Keast, 96, Erb, from Westport,
A W Adams, bal.

Coastwise—Schs Ernest Fisher, 39, Gough,
from Quaco; Maple Leaf, 98, Merrian, from
Advocate Harbor; Bear River, 37, Woodworth, from Bear River; Musray B, 73, Baker, from Parrsboro; Yamouth Packet, 76,
Shaw, fem Yarmouth, Ruby, 15, O'Donnell,
from Lepreaux; Chaparral, 33, Mills, from
Port Greville; Nellie, 58, Comeau, from
Salmon River; Cygnet, 77, Durant, from
Parrsboro; Eliu Burrett, 49, Spicer, from
Harborville; Jessie, 17, Spicer, from do;
Maitland, 44, Hatfield, from Port Greville;
America, 15, Cassaboom, from Sandy Cove;
Agnes May, 91, Kerrigan, from Quaco; Effort, 63, Milner, from Annagolis; S V H, 46,
Hayden, from Digby; Venus, 42, Thurber,
from fishing; E M Oliver, 12, Harkins, from
do.

Cleared

April 18—Str Numidian, Main, for Liverpool via Halifax.

Str Lake Ontario, Evans, for Liverpool.

Sch Sarah Potter, Hatfield, for Bridgeport.

Sch Eitie, Morrell, for Salem f o.

Sch Swallow, Branscomb, for Salem f o.

Coastwise—Schs Miranda B, Tufts, for

Quaco; Alfred, Small, for Tiverton; Reulah,

Ellis, for Quaco; str Centreville, Graham, for

Sandy Cove; schs Alma, Day, for Quaco; L

W Ellis, Lent, for Westport, Comrade, Tufts,

for Alma; Rowena, Ward, for do.

April 19—Str St Croix, Pike, for Boston.

Sch Morancy, Scott, for City Island f. o.

Sch Flash, Tower, for Boston.

Sloop Lulu W, Matthews, for Lubec.

Coastwise—Schs Maudic, Beardsley, for

Port Lorne; Frank and Norman, Trask, for

Sandy Cove; Utah and Eunice, Outhouse,

for Freeport; Barl D, Graves, for Digby; An
ane Blanche, Randall, for Parrisboro; Alice,

Benjamin, for Parrsboro; Mabel, Cole, for

Scokville; Havelock, James, for Welchpool;

Rowena, Hall, for Quaco; On Time, Guthrie,

for Sandy Cove.

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April 21—Sch Reporter, Gilchrist, for Sa-April 21—Sch Reporter, Gilcarist, for Salem, f. o.
Sch Edward W Perry, Smith, for City Island f. o.
Coastwise—Schs Ruby, O'Donnell, for Musquash; Bay Queen, Ogilvie, for Hall's Harbor; Gipsy, Ogilvie, for Hantsport; Hattle, Parks, for Hampton; Ernest Fisher, Gough, for Quaco: E. M. Oliver, Markins, for Musquash; Georgie Linwood, McGranahan, for Margaretville; Packet, Longoure, for Bridgetown; Grayling, Dean, for Sydaey, A. L. B., Bent, for Hampton; Jessie, Spicer, for Harborville; Abbie Keast, Erb, for Fredericton. borville; Abbie Keast, Erb. for Freder

DOMESTIC PORTS.

HALIFAX, N. S., April 17—Sid, str. Pro Patria, Henry, for St Pierre, Miq: Manchester Trader, Parry, for St John.
HALIFAX, N.S., April 18—And, str. Ioalan, from Liverpool.
Cid, str. New York, having repaired.
Sid, strs. Peruvian, Rennie, for, Liverpool via St Johns, N.F.; Florence, for London; Ionian, for St John.
At Quaco, April 18, schs Earnest Fisher, from St John: Beulah, Ells, from St John; Abana, Golding, from Boston.
At Hillsbore, April 17, str. Nora, Stabell, from Lunenburg; sch Child Harold, Sweeny, from Boston. At Liscomb, April 19, str Aureola, to load or W C E. At Hopewell Cape, April 19, str Preries

Cleared. At Quaco, April 18, scha Earnest Fisher, Gough, for St John; Beulah, Ells, for St John.
At Hillsbero, April 19, str Nora, Stabell, for Chester, Pa.

From Halifax, April 12, str Albuera, Gra-

BRITISH PORTS.

Arrived.

LIVERPOOL, April 17—Str Manchester City, from St John for Manchester.
QUEENSTOWN, April 17, 10.30 p m—Ard, Str New England, from Boston for Liverpool, and proceeded. str New England, from Boston for Liverpool, and proceeded. LIVERPOOL, April 17—Ard, str Majestic, from New York. PLYMOUTH, April 17—Ard, str Auguste Victoria, from New York for Cherbourg and Hamburg. SUNDERLAND, April 15-Sid, str Semnitha, for Miramichi.

LIVERPOOL, April 16—Sid, str Californian for Portland.

MANCHESTER, April 16—Sld, str Man-chester Commerce, for Quebec.

LIVERPOOL, April 17—Sld; sch Rolf, for GLASGOW, April 17-Sld, str Marina, for LIVERPOOL, April 17-Sld, str. Parisian for Montreal. LONDON, April 15—Sid, str Yoruba, for Montreal.

LIZARD, April 17—Psd, str Kildona, from
Portland for London.

Portland for London.
QUEENSTOWN, April 17—Sid, str Oceanic, from Liverpool for New York.
At Cape Town, April 15, str Lake Michigan, from St John.
LIVERPOOL, April 17—Ard, str Turcoman, Inverpool, April 18—Ard, str Intonual, from Portland.

MANCHESTER, April 18—Ard, str Manchester City, from St John.

SHIELDS, April 16—Sld, strs Monadnock, for St John; Pola, for Nova Scotia.

At Turks Island, April 2, schs Mascot, Berringer, from Port Spain (and sailed 3rd for Lumenburg); 4th, Springwood, Dexter, from do (and sailed 5th for Lockeport); 5th, Baden Powell, McLean, from Halifax (to sail 12th for Boston); 7th, str. New York, Marmion, from New York for Monte Christi (and sailed 10th for Lumenburg); 1tth, Helen Shafner, Mailman, from do (to sail 14th for Boston.)

Shaiter, Boston.)

CAPE TOWN, April 16, noon, str Masconomo, Townley, from St John.

At Durban, April 21, str Leuctra, Grant, from St John.

At Port Elizabeth, April 16, noon, str Masconomo, Townley, from St John via Cape Town (not as before.)

At Turks Island, April 7, sch Jennie May, Wastbover, from Porto Rice (?sailed 10th for

From Liverpool, April 15, str Lake Simcoe, Carey, for Quebec.
From Newport, E, April 14, bark Anna for New Richmond, PQ.
From Tyne, April 17, str Monadnock, for St. John. From Shields, April 16, str Pola, for Nova

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> FOREIGN PORTS. Arrived.

HYANNIS, Mass, April 17—Ard, sch John Stroup, from New Haven for St John. CITY ISLAND, April 17—Bound south, schs Kalevala, from Sydney, CB; Alaska, from Sand River, NS; Sarah Eaton, from Calais, Me; Carrie Belle, from Hillsboro, N B; R D Spear, from do; Lavolta, from Ma-chias, Me.

chias, Me.

BOSTON, April 17—Ard, strs Anglian, from
London; Boston, from Yarmouth; Catalone,
from Louisburg; Britannic, from do; Halifax, from Halifax; sch Arizona, from PorGilbert; Annie, from Salmon River; R Carson, from Quaco; Josephine, from Bear River.

son, from Quaco; Josephine, from Bear River.

Sid, str Axminster, for St John.
PORTLAND, Me, April 17—Ard, schs
Three Sisters, from St John for New York;
Harvest Home, Sullivan, for Boston.
Sid, sch Sarah C Smith, for Hillsboro.
At Baltimore, April 16, str Almora, Farley, from Glasgow via St John.
At Jacksonville, April 16, bark Florence
B Edgett, Kay, from New York; sch J W
Hutt, Hutt, from Sanchez.
At Providence, April 15, sch Beaver, Huntleys from St John.
At Saco, April 14, sch Hope Haynes, Tibbets, from New York.
At New York, April 17, schs Kalevala, from Sydney; Alaska, from Sand River; Carrie Belle, from Hillsboro; R D Spear, from do.

At St Lucia, March 28, ship Main, Robin-At St Lucia, March 28, ship Main, Robinson, from Guadeloupe.
At Fernandina, April 16, bark Albertina, Christiansen, from Boston.

Christiansen, from Boston. At Norfolk, April 16, sch Congo, McKin non, from Baltimore (and sailed for Barba At Norfolk, April 16, sch Congo, McKinnon, from Baltimore (and sailed for Barbados).

At Moblie, April 15, bark Low Wood, Wyman, from Barbados.

NEW YORK, April 18—Ard, str Jeseric, from Halifax via Delaware Breakwater.

Sid, str Imperial, for Halifax, NS.

CITY ISLAND, April 18—Bound south, schs W H Waters, from St John; B L Eaton, from Calais; Julia and Martha, from do: Clara Jane, from Calais via New Bedford; Silver Spray, from Sand River, NS; R D Spear, from Hillsboro, NB.

SPARROWS POINT, Md, April 18—Passed down, str Tugela, from Baltimore for St John.

BOSTON, April 18—Ard, str Commonwealth,

John.

BOSTON, April 18—Ard, str Commonwealth, from Liverpool via Queenstown.

Sid, strs Kingstonian, for London; Boston, for Yarmouth, NS; St Croix, for Portland, Eastport and St John, NB; schs Demozelle, for Port Gilbert, NS; Grace Darling, for Windsor and Cheverie, NS; Francis A Rice, for Yarmouth, NS; Race Horse, for Yarmouth; Swanhilds, for St John.

VINEYARD HAVEN, Mass, April 18—Ard, sch Cora May, from St John for Norwalk, Conn.

Conn.

REEDY ISLAND, Del, April 18—Passed down, barktn Afrika, from Philadelphia for Hantsport, NS.

PORTLAND, Me, April 18—Ard, sch Mary F Cushman, from St John, NB, for Boston, NEW HAVEN, Conn, April 18—Ard, sch Romeo, from St John.

NEW YORK, April 18—Ard, sch Sallie E Ludlam, from Port Johnson for Saco. NEW YORK, April 18—Ard, sch Sallie E
Ludiam, from Port Johnson for Saco.
PHILADELPHIA, April 18—Ard, str Buenos Ayrean, from Glasgow and Liverpool via
St Johns, NF, and Halifax, NS.
SACO, Me, April 18—Ard, sch Hamburg,
from Port Reading.
CALAIS, Me, April 18—Ard, schs Annie
Gus, from Lubec; Orozimbo, from Eastport;
Sarah A Reed, from de.
Sid, sch Wm Duren, for New York.
DELAWARE BREAKWATER, April 18—
Ard, bark Affica, from Philadelphia for
Hantsport, NS (in tow of tug Juno).
At New York, April 17, sch Gypsum Queen,
from Wentworth, NS.
At Clenfuegos, March 20, str Avona, from
Pensacola; (? sch Arons, Spurr, from Mobile.)

At Havana, April 9, sch Bartholdi, Andre-man, from Bilosi.
At Para, March 17, bark W W McLauch-lan, Wills, from Rosario, for Macoris and New York. New York.

At Montevideo, April 21, ship Creedmoor, Kennedy, from St John—65 days.

At Newport News, April 19, str Kelvingrove, Ryder, from Durban.

Cleared. At Pascagoula, April 10, brig Bertha Gray, about, and the rash is well out.

Richards, for Havana.

At New York, April 16, brigt Venturer, house is guapded closely. There is At New York, April 16, brigt Venturer, every reason to hope that the disease Foote for San Andreas; sch McClure, Wes- will not spread. Foote, for San Andreas; sch McClure, Weston, for Richibucto.

At Boston, April 16, brig Ventura, for St. There is considerable excitement in Minent, CV; schs Race Horse, for Yarmouth; Zuleika, for St John; Swanhilda, for town over the Kelly-Burns assault

chie, for Sydney, Australia.
At New York, April 18, barktn Baldwin, Dalling, for Perth Amboy; 19th, bark St Paul, Struen, and seh Adelene, Williams, for Perth Amboy.
At Montevideo, March 10, sch Laconia, Suthergreen, for New York.

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From Maceio, March 29, str Zanzibar, Robinson, for Liverpool.
From Sandetjord, April 5, bark Nova Scotia, Halyorsen, for Canada.
From City Island, April 14, schs Marcus Edwards, from New York for Providence; Annie M Allen, from de for an eastern port.
From Jersey, April 11, sch Alliance, Luce, for Shippegan.
From Grimstad, April 3, bark Charles Bal, for Miramichi.
From Mandal, April 10, bark Russell, Hanm Havre, April 14, bark Romance, for

Canada.
From Curacoa, April 3, brig Curacoa, Olsen, for Macoris.
From Teneriffe, March 16, sch Ethyl B Sumner, Beattie, for Macoris and New York.
From Pensacola, April 15, sch Helen E Kenney, for Havana.
From San Juan, April 3, sch Helen Shafner; for Turks Island.
From City Island, April 15, sch Harry, for Walton. Walton.
From New York, April 15, str Picqua, for St John; bark Calcium, for Ivigtut.
From St Vincent, CV, April 14, str Virginia, Flawse, from St John for Cape Town.
From Arendal, April 2, barks Normanvik, or Dalhousie; 11th, Gaz Paz, for Nova Sco-

for Dalhousie; lith, Gaz Paz, for Nova Scotia.

From Pascagoula, April 17, brig Bertha Gray, for Havana.

From City Island, April 17, sch Annie Bliss, Day, for Camden.

From Rosario, April 12, bark C W Janes, Garca, for Para.

From Havana, April 16, sch Britannia, McDade, for Sbip Island; lith, ship Leonard Parker, Hogan, for Mobile.

From City Island, April 18, sch James L Maloy, for an eastern port.

From Buenos Ayres, March 14, bark D H Morris, Andersen, for Barbados.

From Bangor, April 17, sch John Douglass, for St Stephen.

From Cadiz, April 17, bark Electra, Cundy, for Gaspe, PQ.

From New York, April 19, brig Venturer, for Kingston (anchored in lower boy.)

REPORTS.

VINEYARD HAVEN, Mass, April 14—Sch Sadie Willcutt, from Stonington for New York, at this port, says that on the 11th inst., when about 15 miles northeast from Thatcher's Island, she passed a quantity of piling, apparently coming from some vessel's deckload. She also passed in the same locality wreckage which looked like a portion of a vessel's quarter.

wool.
In port at Barbados, March 27, schs Mary
Hendry, Page, and Empress, Buchanan, for
Quebec and Montreal, loading.
Passed Gibraltar, March 24, bark Salvador
Talavera, Alsina, from Malaga for St John,

Talavera; Alsina, from Malaga for St John, NB.

Passed Sandy Hook, April 15, sch Louvima, from Elizabethport for St John.

In port at Singapore, March 16, bark E A O'Brien, Pratt, for New York.

Passed down at Sparrows Point, April 15, sch Congo, from Philadelphia for Norfolk.

Passed down at Sparrows Point, April 16, bark Launberga, from Baltimore for Port Elizabeth, in tow.

Passed Sydney Light, April 19, strs Sif, Hermansen, from Boston for Sydney; Jacons, Lindsay, from Sorrento for Montrea; Brantingham, Moore, from New York for Sydney.

In port at Macoris, April 9, brigs L G Crosby, Perry, from Barbados, arrived 4th, to load for New York (latter in quarantine);

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Passed in at Cape Henry, April 17, str Ely, Jorning, from Port Antonio for Baltimore. In port at Buenos Ayres, March 17, bark bessie, Spurr, to load wool for Boston via tosario at \$3.25 and \$3. Passed Gibraltar, April 18, str Pharsalia Kehoe, from Vizagapatam for Baltimore.

Str Montauk, from St John for Cape Town, April 11, lat 41.11, lon 62.37. Bark Ossuma, Andrews, from Liverpool for Richibucto, April 9, lat 50, lon 21.

WOODSTOCK.

A Smallpox Patient Refuses to be Moved.

Excitement Over the Kelly-Burns Assault Case—Bail Refused by the Magistrate.

WOODSTOCK, April 21.-The house in which Alex. Drost, smallpox patient, lives has been placarded, and this evening it was intended to remove him to the emergency hospital that was built last summer and is well fitted up. This evening a team was sent up to remove Drost, but he refused to go, and some drastic measures may be ecessary. A nurse has been secured in one Forsyth, who has had the disease. Drost has lived here for many years, sawing wood and doing odd jibs. Cleanliness was not the distinguishing virtue in the household. His case is not severe, as he is up and

do; Grace Darling, for Windsor, NS; Maple case. An information was laid be-Leaf, for St John.

At Jacksonville, April 16, sch Omega, Le-Cain, for St John's, Antigua.

At New York, April 17, ship Andreta, Rit-ton, Maine, charging Kelly with having assaulted U. S. Custom Officer Burns, with intent to do hodily harm, in the parish of Richmond, Carleton Co., N. B., as well as in the county of Aroostook, Me. Sheriff Hayward brought Kelly to town yesterday, and he is now in jail awaiting further developments. His head is tied up, but he is apparently in good health otherwise, and was able to come down to the magistrate's office. F. B. Carvell appeared for him and asked that bail be allowed, but in view of the serious nature of the case the police magis trate would not consent to allow bail, and the prisoner was remanded to jail until tomorrow. He is a strong, stalwart looking man, not at all ill favor-

Chief Justice Tuck will arrive at noon tomorrow to hold the circuit court, and Kelly will be turned over to him to be dealt with. It is quite mpossible to get any reliable version of the affair, since there are no witnesses beyond the two principals in the matter. It is reported that Burns is very dangerously ill. For four years he was high sheriff of Aroostook county, only resigning that office to take a place in the American customs.

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time by getting in the midst of a stampede of cattle." "There's no beastly pride about De Wet." "What do you mean?" "I mean that he associates with the common herd."-Cleve land Plain Dealer.

The ship Honolulu, at this port, will load deals for the W. C. of England. She is the last ship of the Fraser build

HOME FROM ST. HELENA.

Return of a Moncion Man From Boer Prison Camp.

Helena Two Years as Physician, Tells of Conditions There.

Dr. L. H. Price of Moncton arrived in St. John Friday via New York from the island of St. Helena, where, as medical attendant upon the imprisoned Boers, he has been located since April, 1990. He went out to Africa as ship's doctor on the transport Mil-waukee with the first C. M. R., and from Cape Town was sent with General Cronje and 500 Boers to St Helena, where he has since remained. A Sun reporter called upon the doctor and had an interesting chat with him at the residence of Dr. McCully on Germain street last evening. He is a big, brawny, bronzed Canadian man, outspokenly glad to get back to the home land and tired to death of the weary monotony of life on the isle of exile, regarding which he tells most interesting stories.

"I never saw a bit of the war." he said; "don't know anything about it. I hardly landed on the mainland at all. After the trip on the Milwaukee, during which, by the way, I mad pleasant acquaintance with Mark ham. Armstrong, Parks and others of the St. John boys, I was sent right off to St. Helena with Cronie and a lot of other prisoners of war." "How did Cronje strike you?" quer-

ied the reporter. "Heavy, sullen, bearded old fellow with apparently no sensibility at all. He may have ability, but it's carefully concealed. On the island he live quietly in a cottage outside the camps with his wife, grandson and secretary His adjutant died about three months

"How about the Boer rank and file?" "Physically they are far superior to any race I have ever seen. Man for man, they are away and ahead bigger than Englishmen or Canadians. But they are, as a race, deceitful, tricky and treacherous. 'Slim' they call it and glory in the characteristic. If one of them can get ahead of an Englishman he is happy for the rest of his life and has an abiding hope for the hereafter."

"How many are there on the island and how are they graded?" was ask-

"About six or seven thousand mer distributed in two camps surrounded by barbed wire fences and entangle ments and carefully guarded by abou 600 soldiers at each camp. Some are allowed partial liberty and about 80 are employed by the Eastern Telegraph Co. outside the camp. Of the others about 300 each day are let out for exercise. These have the run of the whole island from 8 a. m. to 5.30 p. m. This arrangement should give every man an outing once a week, but they fake each other so that some of the stronger and more intelligent get out twice as often at the expense of

ation. Here the men play cricket, Stevenson's, Westfield, N. B., and prering and a theatre where they have re- gift from the ladies and the cane from home made ginger pop, which has The doctor seemed greatly surprised. such an exhilarating effect that the The address was read by the Rev. A. officers suspect the operation of an underground still somewhere. All the buildings for these places, including the theatre, are build by the prisoners out of empty biscuit boxes, flattened out and ingeniously hooked together so as to make the structure wholly rain proof. Some of the men have thus made private dwellings for themselves, but the majority lie in tents in masses of twelve. Prisoners mecharically inclined make all sorts of curios, which they sell to their many visitors at enormous prices. One mar received £35 for a wonderfully carved cabinet he made for Capt. Marling of the 4th Gloucesters. Another, a French cook, is making money hand over fist keeping a restaurant and is praying that the war will never stop." "What do the others think about the duration of the war ?"

"They are finely fed and treated, but the life is very monotonous and they long for freedom. Most of them de clare, however, that they would rather lie where they are than go back unless their country can gain its independence. What they want is a united Dutch South Africa. They declare if the war is ended on any other term than their independence there will be another one in ten or fifteen years, else they will trek northward from their oppressors, as their fathers did before them. This longing for independence is born and bred in them. They certainly have fought bravely for it, and I think will continue to fight. But they are not fit for self-government. In their present condition they haven't the capacity for it. If they trek away they will only postpone their inevitable absorption a few years. But one can't help sympathizwhich they have fought so hard."

ing sometimes with the dream for In the course of further conversation Dr. Price told of other Boer celebrities, such as Col. Schiel, General Viljoen and others at St. Helena. He cribed the splendid rations given erally. Those that have died have the fine talents you possess, we died of old age, for there are many has escaped, and he swam four times Capt. J. McCordock, C. D. Jones, W. out in the shark-infested harbor before M. Jourdan, J. A. Gilliand, E. S. Stev-

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Four prisoners have been shot for attempting to escape. "It was a monotonous two years," said the doctor as the reporter was leaving, "and I'm glad to get home. Canada's good enough for me. I don't yet know where I shall locate. Either in the maritime provinces or out in the big West somewhere."

WESTFIELD.

Dr. Price leaves for Moncton this

Farewell Address and Presentation to F. P. Patterson.

M. D.,

On the Eve of His Departure to Take Up His Residence in British

Columbia

WESTFIELD, April 21 .- A number one-half of which is devoted to recre- gathered on Saturday evening at E. S. football, tennis and other games, at sented the doctor with the following which they are becoming expert. They address and a beautiful Bible, with defeated the British officers in a "Dr. F. P. Patterson, Westfield, N. B.," cricket match not long ago and were in gilt letters on the cover, and also highly pleased. They also have sev- a very fine ebony gold-headed cane eral clubs, two billiard rooms, a prize bearing his initials. The Bible was a ular concerts. Some of the men are the gentlemen. G. W. Crawford was making lots of money by keeping bar- asked to preside, and in a few well rooms, grocery stores, and restaurants, chosen remarks explained the object where among other things they sell of the coming together of the party The doctor seemed greatly surprised C. Bell, who said in making the presentation that all classes deeply regretted to see the doctor go. Several of the ladies and gentlemen present also spoke of their high appreciation of the doctor and wished him large success in his new field. He expects,

days to British Columbia. The doctor made a very touching reply. He said, in part, that during his residence in Westfield he had received a great deal of kindness, but such expressions of good will from the friends on this occasion were really more, he felt, than he deserved. He warmly thanked all for the address and gifts, and amidst an exchange of parting greetings the company separated.

THE ADDRESS. F. P. Patterson, M. D., Westfield,

N. B.: Dear Sir-We, the undersigned residents of Westfield, N. B., desire to express to you deep regret for your emoval from our community.

During your residence among us of about four years, you have won the help, esteem and confidence of all classes by your many acts of kindness and by your honorable and gentlemanly bear-

We wish to express our high appre ciation of the willingness with which you gave your services to the poor, where no remuneration was likely to come to you in return for valuable aid given them. The many critical cases you have helped to regain health and strength are strong evidences to us of your marked ability and wide knowedge in the science of medicine. As a citizen we have always found

you kind, obliging and neighborly in the fullest sense of the term. As a small token of our high respec and esteem toward you, we wish you to accept this Bible and cane as sou-

venirs of your sojourn among us. In removing to the great and grow out to the prisoners and spoke of the ing West, where you will no doubt healthy condition of the island gen- find a larger sphere for the exercise of been affected mostly by dysentery and no hesitancy in predicting that there a disease resembling Berri-Berri, the is a bright and prosperous future besymptoms of which are anaesthesia fore you. And, rest assured, wherever and oedema of the limbs. Some have you may settle, that our best wishes and prayers will follow you, and may men there over 70. There are also boys the over-ruling providence direct your as young as 12. Since the use of the steps throughout all the coming years island as a prison camp only one man of your life.

he could find a ship that would receive enson, G. R. Willett, W. B. Watters, Co., Battle Creek, Mich.

Woods, I. T. Fairweather, Rev. A. C. Bell, G. W. Crawford, A. E. Rowley, and a number of others.

BIRTHS.

BARNES—At Sussex, April 18, to the wife of J. Titus Barnes, a son.

MARRIAGES.

DIXON-WATSON-In this city, April 19th, at the residence of the officiating clergyman, by the Rev. Dr. Morison, Edwin S. Dixon of St. John and Miss Sarah A. Watson of Salmon Creek, Queens Co., N. B. CO.3URN-THURSTON-At the manse, St. Stephen, N. R. on April 17th, 1992, by Stephen, N. B., on April 17th, 1902, by Rev. Arthur S. Morton, B. D., John E. Coburn to Jessie G. Thurston, both of St. GROGAN-CAMPBELL-At St. Margaret's

church, Dorchester, Mass., Wednesday, April 16th, by the Rev. Wm. Ryan, Daniel J. Grogan of North Andover, Mass., to Evelyn M., daughter of the late James and Mary F. Campbell of St. John, N. B. DEATHS.

BEATTY—At Hampton, Kings Co., April 20th, after a lingering illness, Margaret L., beloved wife of James Beatty, in the 59th year of her age. CROWLEY-In Bast Cambridge, April 16th, Anna S., beloved wife of Joseph Crowley, and daughter of Patrick and Mary Ham-ilton (nee Wall).

FERGUSON—At Pisarinco, April 20th, Marion Pearl, aged 13 years and 8 months, second daughter of James K. and Charlotte S. Ferguson.

PARKER-On Saturday, April 19th, Alice Maud Morton, wife of Chas. W. Parker, in the 48th year of her age. ROBERTSON-In this city, April 16th, after a short illness, Margaret Ann, beloved wife of John D. Robertson, in the 77th year of her age.

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SINCLAIR—At St. Stephen, April 16th, Christina, relict of the late Neil Sinclair of Fredericton, aged 73 years, 6 months.

THORPE—At St. George, N. B., Saturday, April 19th, Ester Evelyeen Thorpe, aged 2 years, daughter of Evelyeen and the late Henry Thorpe. Asleep with Jesus. TUFTS—In this city, on April 17th, Francis Tufts, sr., aged 64 years, leaving a widow and nine children to mourn their sad loss.

SIR CHARLES TUPPER.

LONDON, Ont., April 21.-Sir Charles Tupper interviewed today, expressed the hope that the British government would offer to give preference to colonial grain and flour at the colonial conference in June.

MEMPHIS, Tenn., April 21 .- The death of five negro children from starvation is reported from Haywood Co., about 40 miles north of Memphis. They were the children of Jim Mills, who left them several weeks ago, ostensibly to find work. The family lived in an isolated spot and their condition was not discovered until they were beyond

A CHINA HEAD Comes From Tea Drinking.

A lady writes from Shanghai, China, "In the summer of '98, Husband and I were traveling through Southern Europe and I was finally laid up in Rome with a slow fever. An American lady gave me some Postum Food Coffee, which I began using at once. It was my sole breakfast and supper. In a short time the change in my physical condition was wonderful to see. I will never travel again without Postum.

"When we arrived in Shanghai we found ourselves in the midst of the four o'clock tea custom. Before long we began to have sleepless nights and nervous days as a result of our endeavors to be amiable and conform to

Francisco we had a large supply of Postum Food Coffee and began its use at the four o'clock tea table. I cannot tell how popular the coffee table became for afternoon callers. In fact a number of the business men, as well as missionaries, use Postum now wholly in place of tea and the value of the change from coffee and tea cannot be estimated." Name given by Postum

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