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The proprietors of the Skating Rinks are busily getting up Carnival attrac

The Halifax Association for improving the Condition of the Poor is doing its work very efficiently. The visitors distributed food and fuel last month to the value of \$330 amongst 240 families. Clothing is needed. Office, 16 Bedford

The N. S. Sugar Refinery made 50,000 last year. They can now manufacture 600 barrels per day. They declare a divi tend of 5 per cent. payable March 1st. The directors were re-elected.

Rev. Dr. McCulloch fell down in a fainting fit in his pulpit on Sunday week. He is now better.

BAPTIST BRETHREN.-The Colportage work of the Baptist Book and Tract Society, needs money. If you desire to have the distinctive principles of Baptists circulated, this is one of the means by which it can be successfully accomplished, and really the only Society that can do the work. The smallest subscription will help.

The library of Toronto Baptist College has just been enriched by the addition of a complete set of Mique's Greek and Latin Patrology, consisting of 387 handsomely bound royal, 8 vo. volumes. The usual cost of such a set is from \$1,500 to \$1,600. Senator McMaster is the generous donor.

The North Baptist Congregation had a musical and literary entertainment on Tuesday of last week. A large audience attended and greatly enjoyed the pro gramme provided.

The Provincial Grange of Nova Scotia and New Brunswick will hold its annual session at the Y M. C. A. rooms on Wednesday and Thursday 20th and 21st insts., commencing at 10 o'clock, A. M.

An Executive Session will also be held on Tuesday 19th inst., commencing at 2.30, P. M. It is expected that there will be a large attendance of members of the Order besides the Delegates and officers who compose the Provincial Grange. Business of great importance to the agricultural interests of the Provinces and the financial and other interests of the Order will be discussed. E. S. C.

We are sorry to learn from a Yarmouth paper of a serious accident that has occured to Rev. J. I. DeWolf pastor of the Beaver River Baptist Church. It states that on Sunday evening he was returning from the dedication service at the new Maitland Church, and was just at Beaver River Bridge, when his horse shied and threw him out of the waggon. The unfortunate gentleman struck on his head and was carried home in a state of unconsciousness, in which he remained until about six o'clock on Monday evening. He continued in a very critical condition.

We are pleased to learn that Rev. R. D. Porter baptized eight candidates in the Annapolis River on Sunday the 3rd

We will wager a year's subscription that a 25-cent package of Sheridan's Condition Powders contains more pure in gredients and cost more money than a bushel of any kind put up in large packs. Sheridan's powders are absolutely pure. certify that I obtained immediate

relief during a severe case of bronchitis, when in Camp Sussex this year, by the application of Minard's Liniment. C. CREW READ LIEUT.-COL.

ITOHING PILES-SYMPTOMS AND CURE. -The symptoms are moisture, like pers. piration, intense it hing, increased by | teeing this money he a imitted that the scratching, very distressing, particularly at night, seems as if pin-worms were rowing power, but contended that it crawling in and about the rectum; the private parts are sometimes affected. If allowed to continue very serious results may follow. "SWAYNE'S OINTMENT " is a pleasant, sure cure. Also for Tetter, Itch, Salt Rneum, Scald Head, Erysipelas, Barbers' Itch, Blotches, all scaly, crusty Skin Diseases. Sent by mail for 50 cents; 3 boxes, \$1.25, (in stamps). Address, DR SWAYNE & Son, Philadelphia, Pa. Sold by Druggists. June 20.

CAPTAIN ROOD of the steamship, Edgar Stewart, has just brought to our nouce a most remarkable case of a young lady who was a passenger with him some little time ago, who was on her way home " to die as she expressed herself, as she had been told by her physician that there was no hope of her recovery that she was in an advanced stage of consumption, and recommended her to get home.

The captain seeing that she was very sick and having a very severe cough gave her a bottle, that he had on board of Puttner's Syrup Hypophosphites, which at once relieved her cough, and gave her much comfort. When she got home she continued the bottle and found that it had done her so much good, that a messenger was despatched to the captain to get the patient half a dozen bottles

The pa ient has been taking it for some time and has improved in a most astonishing manner, so that she is now able to attend to her duties, and enjoys better health than she has tor over two

years. This is not the first charitable act of Captain Rood, and who always looks after the interest of the pa-sengers com mitted to his care, and says, I always recommended your Syrup, as I could do it with the utmost confidence from the personal experience I have had with it, and I consider my medicine chest not complete without Puttner's Syrup Hypophosphites.

The ancient Nestorian Church is said to be rapialy going to decay. It is forn by internal dissensions, and its priests are without knowledge or piery. Many struction in the Scriptures.



The Ice Palace at Montreal.

Dominion of Cana 1a.

Parliament at Ottawa has been occupied with railway matters the past week. obligations. Yet we are now called on The resolution for aiding the Canada to give almost as much as the original Pacific Railway Company was intro duced by Sir Charles Tupper. on Tues day. The despatch to the Morning Chronicle says: he made a speech of great length, and though he showed signs of be completed without any further call fatigue just before recess, he yet spoke in a strong, clear voice throughout, and made a speech of even greater than his usual ability. The first point touched to Canada that the company should be upon by the Minister of Railways was paid pro rata. It was about three the great rapidity of construction of the work. He stated that if the present repeated his statement made earlier in rate of progress continued the road the session that the road was costing would be finished by the fall of 1885, more, owing to the speed with which it and in full operation from ocean to was built, but called attention to the ocean in the spring of 1886. He com fact that the House was not in possession plimented about equally both the Gov. of information as how the road was ernment and Company for the energy built or by whom it was built. It they had displayed pushing forward the appeared that the Syn licate had been portions of the line which respectively they have in hand. The total length of bers for the construction, so long as the the road to be constructed by the com- supplies lasted. The Consolidated pany was 1,900 miles, 650 round Lake Rilway Act forbade that any person Superior 1,200 from Selkirk across the interested in the construction of a road prairies and Rocky Mountains to Kam running on 1,131 miles of these parts one to Algoma Mills and the other in the North West, had already been constructed. Besides those 900 men were employed, mainly on the Like Superior similar work in America.

The company, in order to secure the extension. guarantee of sixty-five millions of its stock, had put eight millions into the hands of the Government. In guaran-Government had gone beyond its borwas the only course that could be pursued. The postal subsidies to be he said, would amount to three million contract by five years. He explained Co. out that the loan of twenty-two militons and a half was not to be paid for at once, but only mile for mile as the work proceeded. He justified the release of the million guarantee fund by the Gov ernment on the ground that it had now become unnecessary, that it was evi dent to all that the company would the total expenditure of the company at 69 millions, and the total receipts at the members of the company must have Eastern Extension. put their hands into their own pickets in order to make good the deficiency. He then took up the items of expendi line, which, he contented, und been of 39. bona fide spent in the work of sonstruction on the main line covered by con tract. He spoke a few words about the Tilley on Toursday afternoon. importance of securing a line to Quebec, and of making connection will ports in the Maritime Provinces, so as to as compared with 1883 84

receipts for lands and customs. that the Government had not furnished Picton Marine Haspital..... the House with sufficient information re- Amnerst Public Building 10,000 F. Clinca, Cimen Mills, N B., Treasurer . specting the affairs of the company. He Arichat Post Office, Custom had only been able to read a small porare coming to the missionaries for in- tion of the papers which were said on the Yarmouth Post Office, Custom table in manuscript. The House had

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not the Government had the good

heen told that the contract with the North Sydney Post Office and C. P. R. was the end of the matter and we would know the measure of our Baddeck Post Office and Custom subsidy. We were told time and again of the enormous wealth of the company, and we were assured that owing to their enormous resources the contract would on the people of Canada After three years of reflection the Minister of Rail ways has discovered that it is dangerous years too late, however, to say this He contracting with one of its own memshould be director of the company, and loops. Trains, he said, were already if the construction company contained directors of the C. P R Company, the of the work, and 239 miles of branches, spirit and letter of the law had been violated. Notwithstanding the admirable and advantageous contract of the company the work they had undertaken was one of such magnitude that it would, in section, in the work of construction. order to be successfully carried out, The standard of work was very high, require their undivided attention, but fully as good as that on the road in any they had, however, given a large portion of their attention to branch lines and

He condemned at some length the increase of the capital to one hundred millions for the purpose of enabling them

to sell stock at a discount. He argue I that many mistakes had been made owing to the haste shown by the company in the construction of the road, and that this haste had also been earned within the term of the guarantee, the cause of the unnecessarily large expenditure. We were told that every dollars. He dwelt upon the financal thing was going on splendidly, until fast strength of the company, saying that it October, when we were suidenly told was able to carry out its contract within that the Government guarantee of three the specified time. They had not the per cent had been asked and given. ready money to go on with the road so He contended that the country was not rapidly as was necessary in the best properly informed as to the affairs of the interests of Canada. It given the assist- C. P. R. Co. There had been a loss of ance asked they could anticipate the several millions to the people of Canada time allowed for the completion of the owing to the operations of the C. P. R. He concluded by stating that it the nature of the resolutions and pointed | would be better to allow the company to finish the road by 1891 without expen ling millionstren whatnem to realize what they had been unable to do owing reason had been given for the proposals St. Andrews S.b. School, Lower befor - the House, and he could not consent to them.

On Wednesday Sir. Charles Tupper Billiowa Church, proceed and finish the work. He put brought down's return of the corres- New Albany " pondence between the Dominion Gov erument and the Provincial Government \$52,994,702, and contended this showed of Nova Scotia regarding the sale of Jordan River Sabbath S hool for

Sir R J. Cartwright has brought a charge against Sir S L. Tilley of im- Mrs. Mary Hollen, properly placing \$300,000 in the Ex- John Bartly, E.q., ture one by one, and sought to justify change Bank of Montreal knowing it to Milton, Queen's, Church 31 50 the expenditure of 23 millions put be in an embariassed condition. The Osborne Cauron..... down as the sum spent on the main motion was voted down by a mijority

The estimates for 1884-85 were laid on

the table of the House by Sir Loonard Tue total estimated expenditure increase from \$46 923 984 to \$76,526,043 have the shortest line from Europe to

ESTIMATES FOR NOVA SCOTIA. For public buil tings in Nova Scotia the fortune to give the contract to men of sum of \$82,550 is to be voted, divided as financial standing, the project would follows: have been a failure instead of the Sydney quarantine...... 2.500 magnificent success it was. He quoted New Glasgow public buildings... 10 000 figures to show the great increase in Truro Custom House, Post Office and Savings Bink 17,000 Mr. Blake, in replying, complained Windsor Post Office, &c.......... 11,000

Custom House...... 7,500 House..... For harbor and river improvement in

Nova Scotia there is \$21,850. Montreal has been engaged during the week with its Grand Carnival and the splendid Ice Palace. Tens of thousands of the citizens and strangers were there to witness the proceedings, torchlight processions and fireworks and were loud in their expressions of high appreciation of what they saw.

The Governor General and Lady Lansdowne, who had an excellent view from the windows of the Windsor Hotel, expressed their admiration at the won-

headed by several bands playing. was a very striking and picturesque | 7.30.

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feature of the display.

RECEIVED FROM WOMEN'S MISSION AID SOCIETIES.

Mission Band, Bridgetown, to support Zogi R zu a Gadaba in Mes. Charcail's school, Mrs W H. Warren..... 9 00 Towards expenses of Testimonial. Miss Ada J. Hooper, P E I.... Walfville - Miss Birs..... North Beptist Ch Mission Band,

per Miss Eva Harris, for support of David 25 00 M R. SELDEN, Treasurer. Halifax, February 12th, 1884. CONVENTION FUNDS RECEIVED.

Belmont Church, per Rev. J. B. Mrs Knight, Foreign Mission, ner Rev R Kinlay 10 00 Cavendish Courch 10 00 Murray River Cource, per F. Cook, Esq. 7 60 A H. LAVERS, Fin. Com P. E. Island. North River, P. E I., Feb. 1, 1884.

RECEIVED FOR FOREIGN MISSIONS. From Wolfville Baptist Sunday School, per G H Wallace \$50 00 C. F. CLINOH, Treasurer. Clinch Mills, N. B., Feb. 5, 1884.

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CONVENTION FUNDS: Nova Scotia. - Rav G. E. Day, M. D. Yarmouth.

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HALIFAX BAPTIST CHURCH DIRECTORY.

GRANVILLE STREET CHURCH. - Lord's Day Services at 11 A. M., and 7 P. M. Pastor, Rev. Alex. McArthur. Sabbath School in the Spring Garden Vestry at 2.45 P. M. Prayer-meeting in the same place on Wednesday evening at 7.45.

The snow-shoe brigade with torches, STREET.-Lord's Day Services at 11 A. stated in the offer submitted. The deposit M. and 7 P. M. Pastor, Rev. J. W. receipts thus sent in will be returned to the marched by a serpentine road to the Manning, No. 268 Robie St. Sabbath respective parties whose tenders are not actop of Mount Royal and back again. The School at 2.30 P. M. Prayer-meetings cepte 1. ascent was easily seen from below, and on Wednesday and Friday evenings at itself to accept the lowest or any tender.

> DARTMOUTH BAPTIST CHURCH.-Lord's Day Services at 11 A. M. and 7 P. M. Sabbath School at 3 P.M. Prayer-meet ing on Wednesday evening at 7.30. Pastor Rav. E. J Grant.

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THE YEAR BOOK.

The Baptist Year Book for the Maritime Provinces is now ready for distribution. Orders will be received at the Baptist Book Room, 104 Granville Street, Woodland 8 8 00 Halitax, and at the Visitor Book Room, St. John, N. B. Price 10 cts J PARSONS,

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Also for the construction of a lock, toge-ther with the enlargement and deepening of the upper entrance of the Rapide Pla Canal, or middle division of the Williamsburg Canals and the deepening, &c., of the channel at the upper entrance of the Galons

A map of the head or upper entrance of the Cornwall Canal and the upper entrance of the Rapide Plat Canal, together with plans and specifications of the respective works, can be seen at the Resident Engin-eer's office, Dickenson's Landing; and for the works at the head of the Galops Canal, at the Lock Keeper's house near the place, and in each case plans, &c., can be seen at this office on and after Tuesday, the 29th day of January inst., where printed Forms of Tender can be obtained.

Contractors are hereby informed that trial pits have been sunk on the CORN-WALL and RAPIDE PLAT sections of the works, and they are requested to bear in mind teat tenders will not be considered un less made strictly in accordance with the printed forms and be accompanied by a letler stating that the person or persons tendering have carefully examined the locality and FUND-Rev. E. M. Saunders, Halifax, the nature of the material found in the trial

In the case of firms there must be attached the actual signatures, the nature of the occupation and re-idence of each member of the same; and further, a bank deposit receipt for the sum of \$4.000 must accompany the tender for the Cornwall Canal Works. The tender for the Rapide Plat works must be also accompanied by a bank deposit receipt for the sum of \$3,000. The tenders for the deepening, &c., at the head of the Galops Canal must be also accompanied by a bank deposit receipt for the sum of \$3,000. The respective deposit receipts (cheques will not be accepted) must be endorsed over to the Hon. the Minister of Railways and Canals, and will be forfeited if the party tendering declines entering into contract for NORTH BAPTIST CHURCH, GOTTINGEN the works at the rates and on the terms

This Department does not, however bind By order. A. P. BRADLEY.

Secretary Dept. of Railways and Canals, Ottawa, 21st January, 1884. (3 ins.

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