is so lonely ! I've never felt the same woman since my baby died.'

'My dear madam, won't you have this one?' queried the professor, trifle more eagerly than he woul have said, 'Won't you have a slice of plum pudding ?' at dinner.

The woman started, looked at him with a puzzled wonder in her face that no pen can describe, and then subsided by degrees into her own corner.

"I can assure you, you are very welcome. It was a total stranger to me before to day; put in my care by I don't know who, and probably never shall know : so you see, madam, the reason I offered it'--

the clirks are by law the prosecuting officers . West Bend !' shouted the conductor; and thoreupon the woman gathered up bags and bundles, and, with a look at the professor simply indescribable. lurched at and out of the open door ; evidently bearing the does not pretend to prosecute at the Courts impression away with her, that she as a general rule. We are not finding fault had been conversing either with a with him for this; we will do that at the proper time; we are stating the facts of the mad-man or a child-stealer.

(To be continued.)

## Gerrespondent.

the subject of Maritime Union. As I had can do to say what officer shall prose-DEAR SIR .- A writer in the ast Reporter cute, what courts shall have jurisdiction, who upon any negotiations, the conference over the signature of "Eve Ready," has shall pay the expenses, and what they kindly undertaken to enlight our citizens shall be : that is it provides the machiner and your correspondent or the reason why for the working out of a system of criminal Provinces and the probable financial the steamer Alexandra do sot work at either law, but in no manner nor form has it the the Beverly or Pepper for. He says Rotary right to alter any principle in the law.general effects of the proposed union, and does not state the true when he says the Under the present practice the municipalities Alexandra did not 4t in an appearance at pay the witnesses in crown cases. Will in the Beverly fire, le fact being that she be argued that this gives the County Councils arrived on the ound with steam up long right to memoralize the Dominion Parliament before the Silsb, nowed any signs of steam, in respect to-say for example the death but did not to work in consequence of penalty? We grant that as individuals the being told the fire was under control, councillors can sign just what petitions they all of which ppened before the Silsby had see fit ; but they have no right in their reprediscussion of this question. The administration of justice being thrown any ater on the fire. This is what sentative capacity to act in relation to matters matter of Provincial concern, I would draw termed a cock and a bull story. over which they have no jurisdiction. This is sometir attention to the state of the law respecting If we be ve this writer the Alexandra had brings us to the last point we wish to make just steam, and was on the ground long before now that even if the Att'y General premises arrived or showed signs of steam : were correct his conclusion is not. Let us the S? Canada, in which body alone the power to he admits that the only water thrown apply the principles of constitutional governlegislate in such matters exists. I regard it fire was by the Silsby. Further com- ment to the matter. The government in as conducive to the good administration of on the above is unnecessary. The their speech declare an amendment in the justice as well in the interests of the public sons given for not working at the Peppers' criminal law advisable. The House ought, as in fairness to the persons charged with e are still more extraordinary than the in reply, to say either that it is. or is not. crime that all persons so charged should says the Alexandra was not advisable ; for the address is intended as an whatever the magnitude of the crime, have taken out because the company had come to echo of the speech and should only promise right to give evidence in their own behalf. consideration when consideration is invited. the conclusion that the fire was an insignifi-The existing state of the law, however adcant one and, they wanted the Silsby com- If the House should say such an amendment vantageous it may be to the guilty, is clearly pany to have a chance to do something that is not advisable, being defeated on the prejudicial to the innocent, and if the object would tend to keep up their drooping spirits. address, the government ought to resign or of the existing law were the protection of If this is true it is time our civic authorities dissolve the House. Suppose the latter guilty persons little could be said against i should enquire into the doings of this com- course is adopted, we would then have the I will ask you to join in an address to His pany. How did the company learn that the constituencies pronouncing upon a question Excellency, the Governor General, praying tire was an insignificent one? And what which their representatives, when elected, for the alteration in the law. right had they to keep the Alexandra in her could not deal with, which would be an ab-Your attention will be directed to certain room when a citizen's property was in flames? | surdity. Again in theory the electors in matters affecting the interests of agriculture I made no statement in my last letter reflect- | selecting men for the local legislature have including provision for holding a provincial ing on the Alexandra company : all I said in mind the subjects with which the legisexhibition the present year, the more frelature can constitutionally deal. A membe was in reference to the steamer, and after quent holding of such exhibitions hereafter, of the Assembly is therefore for the time reading the letter of "Ever Ready" to one and the importation of certain stock. I thin of the company, he exclaimed "The Lord being the exponent of the views of his conit desirable that the school boards in citie protect us from our friends." I stated in my stituents on those subjects only; and if he and incorporated towns should be enlarged last that the Alexandra cost for repairs in attempts to deal with others he is stepping with a view to a more varied representation three years over \$1,000, while the Silsh, beyond the limits of his commission. No on such boards. objection can be made to the members of the did not cost in the same time \$20. I also I have caused renewed representations to Assembly as individuals memoralizing Parlia gave the City Treasurer's published account be made to the Government "at Ottawa conas my authority for the statement. " Ever ment upon this or any other subject ; but we erning the claim of the Province to the sun do most positively dispute their rights to Ready " also denies the correctness of my of one hundred and fifty thousand dollars in deal in their representative capacity with statement, but gives no proof. and adds I pect of the Eastern Extension Railway. have no doubt therefore that if the accounts matters outside their jurisdiction. Of course This matter was brought under the considerawere properly arranged it would show a very this reasoning only applies to our legislature. tion of the Dominion Government in the because conssitutionally its powers are small allowance in favor of the Silsby. month of December, 1874, and no conclusion have always had great confidence in the limited; and we wish to be understood as having been reached. I deemed it advisable basing our objections not upon the nevelty correctness of our City Accounts as made up to send members of my Government and published by our Treasurer, and our of the measure, but solely and exclusively Ottawa early in the present session of Parliacorrespondent who appears to be ever ready upon the question of jurisdiction. ment to endeavor to obtain, through the coto make any statement, whether correct or It being, therefore, manifest that the peration of the Senators and members of the Assembly has no right to deal with the House of Commons representing the Province, not, will find the citizens will require somethan his statement to convince criminal law, we hope that the good sense thing more settlement of this and other matters. I am them that the Treasurer's Accounts are of the House will assert itself and refuse to glad to be able to say that, with few exceppass any address. Surely if Parliament has incorrect. tions, the members representing the Province Fearing that I have trespassed too much no right to interfere with the local Assemcordially co-operated with the members of blies the local Assemblies have no right to already, my Government. interfere with Parliament. And if the right 1 remain, The Provincial investment in the Eastern is assumed in the latter case how can we Extension Railway was made for a work un-ROTARY.

The Minister of Justice is a lawyer, he has business of the government to obey the coma deputy in each province who is a lawyer. mand of the House and leave the result o It is true that the task of prosecuting their so doing to take care, of itself. They

criminals does not devolve upon them ; never- are not responsible for the results ; they are heless they are conversant with the working responsible for their negligence and delay. of the criminal law and quite as well able, as

matter of fact, to judge of the necessity of

THE SPEECH.

umendments, as the gentlemen who from Mr. President and honorable gentlemen of th ime to time fill the office of Attorney Gen-Legislative Council : ral. But the Attorney General's assertion Mr. Speaker and gentlemen of the House Assembly hat he is charged with the administration of he criminal law is not correct. He divides ou for the discharge of your legislative with the Clerk of the Crown the Deputy

Clerk of the Crown, and the Clerks of the I did not deem it advisable to take step County Courts the duties of prosecuting towards obtaining the judgment of the officer, and in such a proportion that we preme Court of Canada upon certain questions venture to say he does not attend to one twentieth part of the Crown business. It is a yell known fact that most of the criminal same time raised before that Court on appeal ases are tried at the County Courts, where

be understood that the Dominion Parliamen excert in St. John and Fredericton where the would take action in the matter upon the de Clek of the Crown or his Deputy discharges cision being reached in the Ostario appeal i duty. The Attorney General comes to That case was decided in January, but up the front only in a few cases; for it is a grounds, so far as I am able to learn, that did patter which every one is conversant that not finally decide these questions. that decision it has been announced that easure upon the subject will be submitted

ession. Upon the passage of the Dominic case which clearly show that the Attorney Act it may appear advisable that your atten-General is not especially charged with the tion should be further drawn to this subject. administration of the criminal law. Neither During the recess I had the pleasure does it come within the province of the legisreceiving a delegation from Nova Scotia upon lature. The most the House of Assembly

obtained from you no authorization to enter nformal and was confined to the discussion of the financial condition of the respective did not think it proper to commit you in any way to so important a constitutional change, which, having the character of finality. should be the growth of a general feeling of its advantages and the result of prolonged discussion. The visit of the delegation from Nova no exception to the general rule. Scotia will lead to the more full and attentive

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lative Council Chamber on that pro-

relating to the withholding of liquor licenses. throne-to inform the second and third inasmuch as similar questions were about the estates that he is pleased once more to the speech and the reply, attacking prejudice one honest claim to show that from the Courts of Ontario, and as it came to

and single, who grace the occasion these subjects he said were tyrannical while a number of claims would, because

to the Parliament of Canada at its present the young ladies and the-ahem !- charged upon the supporters of the complained of the way his resolution

theless the crowd is irreverent, and not having the fear of that bulwark of our liberties, the Usher of the Black high treason, or at least scandalum scene and the events of Tuesday found ing, the question of reading the address

Mr. Murchie, assumed the appearance is an equitable one based on the fact of attention and his face boro a look of that the Intercolonial cost more than

It is an irreverent crowd which patient resignation which would have \$24,000 per mile, which was all that the gathers around the rail of the Legis- done honor to the martyrs of a by- Deminion Government paid for the gone age. At last Mr. Swim sat down | Eastern Extension. The Penitentiary found occasion when the Lieutenant and Mr. Murchie arose and seconded matter was not explained in any intelli Governor comes in his uncomfortable the address. His remarks were brief gible way. The Western Extension

looking suit of black and gold--accom- and did not reach us under the gallery. claims he declared involved nice quespanied by a party of our every-day The leader of the opposition, Mr. Co- tions of law, and if granted would lead to Casual and Territorfriends, but who for the nonce in all vert, now took the floor. The Govern- the payment of similar claims to other ial revenues. It affords me great pleasure again to meet the glory of scarlet coats and clanking ment supporters must have winced Provinces. The Immigration claim of upreme Court. Prov. Sec. office,

swords stride, with majesty propor- under his remarks ; for even if one is \$10,000 was likewise just and equitable ; tioned to the length of their legs, not a very fluent speaker facts are but he thought it inadvisable to prejudice between the grave and reverend facts nevertheless, and when told in other claims by pressing it now. They seigneurs and up to the foot of the straightforward, unmistakeable lan- may be, as Mr. Elder said, diplomacy, guage they must tell. He reviewed but it is not common sense. It will not

see them and that the crops have been especially those sections which related we have another equally honest; but the very good. The scene is rather a to the criminal law and the Constitu- effect ought rather to be favorable; for pretty one. Our little city has a great tion of the School Boards. The para- if we have only one matter it might be many nice looking girls, both married graphs in the reply which referred to delayed because of its small importance;

with their presence (that's the way it and of a piece with the tyranny the of their number, receive prompt attenis to be put, we believe.) The uniforms Attorney General and his colleagues tion. Mr. Fraser was discreetly silent from the Lieutenant Governor's down, had exercised over their tame follow- on the question of Maritime Union. He or up, (which is it ?) to that of the ing. He cited instances in which the has gone about as far in that direction as Sergeant at Arms, are showy; the Government had entirely ignored the he dares until after a general election. great length of contrast between the bright faces of independence of the House, and Mr. Rogers followed Mr. Fraser and

Legislative Councillors' is sufficiently Government that they had submitted relative to the liquor law had been treatstriking : more than sufficiently so, to dictation and been kept in line by ed. Mr. Davidsen also spoke and showed looking at it from a patriotic stand- threats of a dissolution. Mr. Covert did the fallacy of the Secretary's diplomacy. point, and so taking it all in all there not speak as well as we have heard him Mr. Elder was the next speaker who atis something worth looking at. Never- do on former occasions, but he made tempted a lengthy address. The member

some excellent points. He clearly for St. John is a peculiar genius. It proved that the 6th and 7th paragraphs | would not be correct to say that he is. of the address were atterly improper Rod before its eyes, keeps up a running and such as the House ought not to good command of language; yet he is not a pleasing speaker, and this we think fire of remarks which would have been submit to. He sat down, when as if is not so much because of his wretched to prove the truth of his remarks as to tone of voice as of the evident lack of nagnatum a half century ago. The the servility of the government follow- sincerity in everything he says. If he is

passed without a word, although even Outside the House was gathered a in courtesy to their supporters a mem- voice, look and manner. This gentleman great number of people and the guard ber of the government should have has conceived an evident love for the of honor looked very soldierly as they replied. Indeed Mr. King knew this farmers. Two years ago he told them to halted before the door. When the so well that after waiting till the

ters and fawns upon them. It also suits his lame knee which troubled me for three or evidence in criminal cases, in the hope that a Lieutenant Governor arrived the band Speaker said " yeas have it," and thus convenience to praise the Sisters of four years, and I never found anything like it change may be made by the Parliament of rendered its homage and the troops learned that his following were the Charity; and he conceives it to be his for lameness. It is a great public benefit.

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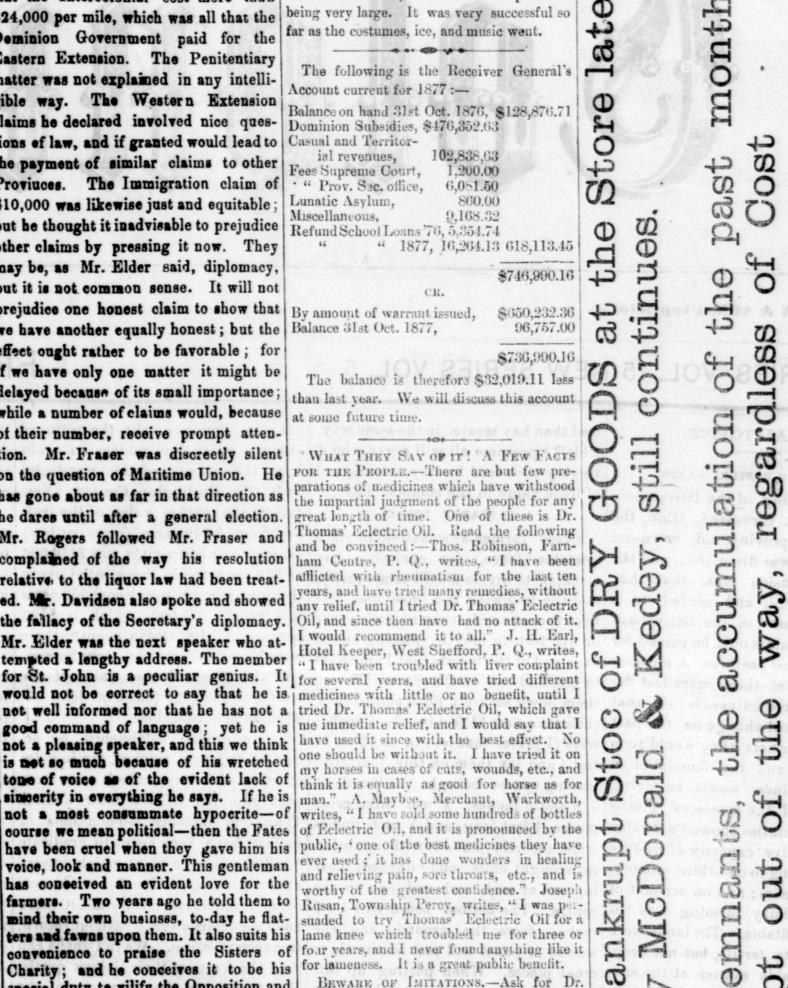
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F'ton, March 1st, 1878.

With this letter the correspondence on this subject must end so far as our columns go -EDITOR.

Lucy's Stock has arrived.

FREDERICTON, N. B., MARCH 4, 1878.

successfully protest against its being exer- dertaken by the Province in 1865, as a part of in the former? the Intercolonial Railway, and in view of a previous assurance of the Imperial Govern-

It will be observed that the speech opens prejudiced by commencing that portion o with a statement relative to the jurisdiction the work in anticipation of a final arrangeof the local legislature in the matter of the ment for the construction of the whole line sale of spirituous liquors. The delay of the and that the Imperial guarantee when given government in acting in accordance with the as it subsequently was given by the Imperial The Colonial Farmer, direction of the Assembly caused consider- Government and accepted by Canada, should able unfavorable comment. Mr. Rogers cover this portion of the road. The road among others complaining of their neglect of was subsequently adopted by the Dominion duty. As we understand the matter the Government as part of the Intercolonial government were directed to take the opinion Railway, but the Province has thus far re-

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ment that New Brunswick should not b

of the Supreme Court on a special case in ceived from Canada only two hundred and The Imperial Parliament in passing the order that the law points might be decided, fifty thousand dollars out of the four hundred British North America Act considered it ad- and that the judgment should not go upon thousand dollars put into the road by the visable to distinguish very clearly between technical or formal grounds. The Minister Province. There can be no doubt of the the nowers and jurisdiction of the local and of Justice was consulted by the Attorney right of the Province to receive the sum of confederate Parliaments, and the experience General and he advised against a special one hundred and fifty thousand dollars on of the first decade in the history of the case. No doubt Mr. Blake was honestly of this account with interest. Dominion bears testimony to the wisdom of the opinion that the best way to test the The subject of the Tracadie Lazaretto was this. The provinces are, and properly so, question involved was by appeal from the also again brought under the consideration of very jealous of the rights secured to them by Supreme Court of New Brunswick ; but we the Dominion Government with a view to the constitution and will not without re- fail to see what this has to do with the having the same taken over by that Governpermit anything like an inter- matter or in what way the express directions ment. monstrance

presented arms, while cannon an- same as ever, he rose and when special duty to vilify the Opposition and nounced to high heaven that that nothing was before the House made a charge them with attempting to destroy ineffable body the Legislature of New speech in reply to Mr. Covert. The the credit of the Prevince. We can tell Mr. Elder, but he knows it already, that Brunswick was about to meet and honorable gentleman clearly felt the if it had not been for the Opposition the decide on the way of expending a few force of Mr. Covert's remarks, and the Province would have no credit to lose. ROP & LYMAN, Toronto, Ont., Proprietors The henorable gentleman also attempted for the Dominion. hundred thousands of dollars. The notice being so short he could not Speech from the Throne was drawn frame an answer to them, so he fell much after the style of a school boy's back on the tactics of previous sessions composition, and the man who pre- and said that the government had pared it cannot have very clear ideas done wrong, but it was a mistake and of what is the theoretical object of the they would co; rect it and would not eloquence might have been checked by address from the throne. Our local do so again. He also argued at length Executive have put into the mouth of as to the right of the government to the Administrator of the government deal with the criminal law. Mr. King's

a sneer at the common law of England, speech, from an oratorical standpoint, touched upon will be gone over at which has proved in the experience of was by all odds the worst he ever greater length by-and-by, we will not retwo thousand years so strong a safe- made in the Assembly. Mr. Davidson guard of popular liberty. Referring followed in a short speech stating that

to the fact that persons charged with he had prepared an amendment to the crime may not give evidence in their sixth paragraph of the address and own behalf the highest official in the read it. Mr. Davidson wished the

Province is made to declare from the House only to consider the advisathrone "and if the object of the exist- bility of an address. After a word or ing law were the protection of guilty two from Mr. Pickard the questicn persons little could be said against it." was taken upon the passage of the and were prepared to temperize. The dec-As to the advisability of an address first section and carried without being presented to Parliament we division. Mr. Davidson in his remarks enlarge the school boards coupled with the shall have something to say hereafter. | asked for information relative to the We are sure that the farmers of New Western Extension claim and the Im-Brunswick will rejoice at the reference migration claim, and requested the made to them in the speech. They Provincial Secretary to rise and exhave complained of the agricultural plain; but that gentleman was, as policy of the government; but just as usual, unprepared and so he opened defeat next summer. Mr. King and his col some parents coax their children into not his mouth. The next speaker was leagues are about finally abandoning the

them to the next circus, so the govern- spirits. No parallel could be found, ment seeks to allay the indignation of he said, for the speech and none for the farmers by promising them plenty the reply. The speech contained of shows. But the farmers of New more words for the amount of sense didate at the next election for the Dominion Brunswick are not children, as the than any document he ever read. He Parliament," we are authorized by Mr. result of next summer's elections will criticised the conduct of the govern- Pickard to state that he will be a candidate. show.

provoked a general smile. Wnen was reached, when Mr. Swim, under the our next issue.

it ever heard that the fact a certain direction of the Attorney General. number of gentlemen cordially co- sought to amend the address. He operation with a self constituted dele- wanted to strike out the words "we

gation in the presentation of an ac- will be glad to join in an address, count was spoken of in the speech and substitute " we will consider of an from the throne? To such a para- address." The Speaker would not graph the only proper answer should allow Mr. Swim to move the amendbe that the House is glad or displeased, ment as he had moved the address, as the case may be that these gentlemen but suggested that he might withdraw co-operated with the delegation, and the paragraph and substitute another,

legislature has to sit in judgment upon son moved to amend the substituted whom to know was to love, and during his although a powerful remedy, do not contain the acts of members of Parliament in paragraph by striking out the words pastorate he gained the hearts of his people. iron, calomel, antimony, or anything hurtful too plentifull the best of times, but

NOTE .- Eclectric. Selected and Electrized to justify the delays of the government and to give them great praise for their FOR SEVERE COUGHS AND HOARSEfinancing. He evidently was not watching his master, the Attorney General's face during this part of his speech, or his lessrs, Seth W. Fowle & Sons : Gentlemen-Miss S. Burns, of 17th and the look of disgust which that gentleman loates Streets, has long been a sufferer from wore. Messrs. Burns, Covert and a severe cough and hoarseness, which I con-I weedie followed in remarks relative to idered chronic. She was treated by some of our most eminent physicians, but they the finances, but as the ground they prescribed DR. WISTAR'S BALSAM OF WILD HERRY, the use of four bottles of which enview their speeches now. The Address elv enred

course we mean political-then the Fates

have been cruel when they gave him his

mind their own businsss, to-day he flat-

Lucy's Stock consists of Boots.

At the time of Mr. Marshall's election we

told the public that the government had ruggists. deserted their non-sectarian school platform laraiton in the speech as to the intention to A few years ago "August Flower" was declaration of Mr. O'Leary, which the government allowed to go uncontradicted that the object of the government was t make the schools as denominational possible, shows clearly the truth of our state ment, and that in view of the possibility good behavior by promising to take Mr. Willis, who seemed in excellent principles that on which they were elected

> Notwithstanding the remarks of the Editor of the Reporter. "that he under stands that Mr. Pickard would not be a can ment very severely. After Mr. Willis and ask for a renewal of the confidence so

The paragraph in the speech in sat down there was a lull in the atmos- long reposed in him by the electors of York reference to the Ottawa delegation phere until the sixth paragraph was County. Mr. Pickard's card will appear in

## Lucy keeps no shoddy.

It is with much regret that we chronicle the death of Capt. Geo. C. Hunt of this city. He was in the 79th year of his age. Cant Hunt was universally respected.

We have also the painful task of recording the death of the Rev. Mr. Carr. of Kingsclear. Mr. Carr was taken away at an early age, he was only 32, and from the midst of a we want to know what right the local which he did. Thereupon Mr. David- sphere of usefulness. He was a gentlemen

ime she has had no return of the complaint. For the good of suffering humanity, Miss 2 urns has requested me to lay the case before Yours truly, T. D. MCGRATH, M. D., Druggist & Chemist. S.E. cor. 7th and Wharton streets. 50 cents and \$1 a bottle. Sold by all MURDER WILL OUT.

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ference with them. The wave of popular in- of the Assembly are to be thwarted by the Representations were also made on th dignation which swept over this Province advice of any Crown officer however learned subject of the Penitentiary Act. so far as Parliament of Canada attempted in the law. The Attorney General further when the relates to this Province. On this subject ] to dictate to New Brunswick what course explains that a case was pending from Ontario am of opinion that under the Act of Union out to be adopted in reference to the School in which the same points were involved the Government should at least in this Pro-Law is not forgotten. "No union without and he thought it advisable to wait till that vince provide for the punishment and good faith." "The Parliament of Canada was decided. The judgment in this Ontario prisonment in the Penitentiary of all persons had better mind its own business." Such ex- case went on entirely different grounds than who may be sentenced to imprisonment with pressions were common in the organs of the those on which the Legislature of New hard labor. The papers on these several local government and they met a hearty Brunswick asked a decision, so that the subjects will be laid before you. response throughout the Province. Even Legislature is left just where it was, although Mr. Speaker and Gentlemen of the House many who were opposed to the School Law two years have elapsed since the governexclaimed against the course taken by Par- ment were instructed to move in the matter. I have given directions that the accounts liament, for they felt that if coercion could Mr. Fraser attempted a further explanation, of the receipts and of the expenditures of the one case it could be in another, but that honorable gentleman only made it he used in past year and a detailed statement of the reand that practically the powers given to the worse. He said first that a special case ceints and payment of the current year up to local legislatures might become a dead letter could not be stated until after the first of the opening of the present session should if even the least interference with them were May, 1877, because one of the acts under laid before you. I trust that you will fin nermitted. In this determined stand the consideration did not come in force until then. that the estimates of expenditure for th Hon, Mr. King took a prominent part, and it Mr. Fraser's law is faulty. It is immaterial urrent year have been prepared with a was therefore with no little surprise that we for the purpose of a special case whether an strict a regard to economy as is consisten heard from the Throne a declaration to the act has come in operation or not. The effect that the legislature of New Brunswick points in the case are settled by counsel and would be asked to attempt to mould the the court pronounces upon those points. Mr. legislation of Parliament. Mr. King indeed Fraser went on to say that as the act came Mr. Speaker and gentlemen of the House of

endeavors to distinguish between the case of in operation on the first of May, 1877, judg-

the criminal law and all other cases ; but we ment or an appeal could not be had before

I am gratified in being able to say that submit his position is not tenable, and his June, 1878; because, said he, the matter Providence has, during the past year, blessed argument no argument at all. He said would not be argued before Trinity 1877, the labours of our husbandmen with an follows :- "The Minister of and judgment could not be given before Mich- abundant harvest, but I regret that the gen-Customs knows of the working of the custom aelmas, 1877. The words italicized were eral business of the Province has been subject law through his officials; the Minister of used by Mr. Fraser and they do not correctly to the same depression as exists in other parts Militia of the militia law in a similar way, state the facts. Judgment might not be of the Dominion. Having full confidence in and so of the other departmental officers, given till Michaelmas 1879, but it could be your zeal for the public good, I feel assured except the Minister of Justice who has not delivered immediately. The same remarks that your deliberations will tend to the enthe same facilities as his colleagues, because apply to his statement as to the decision of actment of such measures as may best prothe adaptinistration of justice comes especially the court on appeal. It might not be given mote the happiness and prosperity of ou under the cognizance of the local legislature before June next; but it could be given in people. and government and more particularly under January. On their own showing then the We regret to learn the death of William

the observation of the Attorney General, and government are convicted of gross disregard therefore this legislature is justified in taking of instructions given by the House; for had Vevsev, of Burntside, Upper Hainsville, who action relative to the criminal law. an appeal been the only way to bring the was killed while hauling logs into Keswick

The mcorrectness of this reasoning will be questions up, a judgment of the Supreme stream, by the top log of his load falling upon clear enough when we come to take it to Court of New Brunswick might have been him. He lived only two hours after the pieces; but in the first place we propose to had in June, and of the Court of Appeal in accident. The deceased leaves a wife and question the facts upon which it is based. Jan'y. But even if this were not so, it was the three children.

" we will consider of" and substituting individual capacity? Mr we will consider the advisability of. King must be certain of his election to Parliament next summer since He claimed there was a real distinction he has begun thus early to mould the between the two expressions. The Legislature of the Dominion and whip Attorney General now found that his government were in a tight place. If refractory M. P's. into linz.

The paragraph relative to Maritime Mr. Davidson's resolution passed it would be difficult to get out of the Union ought to be put in a frame and

the man who wrote it should be given position which a passage of an amendment to the address would involve. a chromo, "A change-which, having the character of finality-should be So he raised a question of order. namely that the amendment made no the growth of a general feeling of its advantages and the result of prolonged real change in the address. After discussion " - is a phrase which, as some discussion the Speaker ruled the amendment out of order and that to a specimen of English composition, is " consider of" anything was the same the worst we ever read. Such murder as to consider the advisability of any. of the Queen's English is pitiable.

thing-a decision however sanctioned "Having the character of finality"by parliamentary practice and satis-

having the character of fiddlesticksfactory to the administration is. we What does it mean anyway? Never-Union give a Parlor Concert with readsubmit, at variance with the rules of theless says the Government, of which the language. What subtle meaning

Mr. Fraser is a member and Messrs the word " of" may have in the Speak-Barker. Dow and Robinson supporters. er's lexicon we don't know, and per- Dramatic Club will play "The Drunkthis change ought to be the result of haps it is not worth while to enquire " prolonged discussion." Our since the effect of His Honor's ruling pression is that the result of "proand the play is well worth seeing. was to compel the government to ac-

with the requirements of the public service. longed discussion" ought to be the maintaining of our present pesition knowledge their error in endeavoring Minstrel Troups will give a concert in Mr. President and honorable gentlemen of th as a separate Province. We are glad to force from the House an expression the City Hall. We have looked over their Legislative Council :

programmo and can testify that it indito see the Secretary declare his posi- of opinion upon a subject which has oates a first class entertainment. tion, which is in short that he is in never been discussed and to deal with

favor of Maritime Union, " with all which the Legislature has no constitutional right whatever. which that implies."

Mr. Burns was the next speaker The Address in reply to the Speech and his review of the course taken by On Wednesday evening, a Mass Temperance was moved by Mr. Swim. This gentlethe government and their delay in obey- Meeting will be held at Ozomocto. The man's warmest-friends will not call speakers will be Rev. Mr. Campbell, Dr. ing the instructions of the House was him an orator, nor claim for him that Dow, and Messrs. Wilson and Lugrin. sharp and very much to the point. His rare excellence which makes a good

reader. The hour and a half which speech closed the debate on Thursday, and when it was resumed on Friday Mr he consumed in his speech was there-Fraser took the floor and proceeded to fore about as tedious a time as we remembered to have endured. It was justify the government for not acting on

amusing to watch the faces of the the resolution respecting the liquor law. Prof. Foster will Lecture at Central members while the honorable gentle- We then proceeded to discuss the New Kingsclear on Thursday evening. man was reading those interminable Brunswick claims which from time to

despatches or commenting upon them time have been presented at Ottawa. Parliament has been discussing the Budget in his peculiar monotone. One along, The \$150,000 Eastern Extension claim for the past week.

COUNTERFEIT NOTES .-- We have been package. JOB MOSES, NEW YORK, Sole hown a very well executed photograph of a Promietor. \$1.00 note on the Union Bank of Prince Edward Island. This note is one calculated to deceive, and as there may be more of them containing over 50 Pills, by return mail.

in circulation it would be well to keep a sharp lookout for them.

## Fair playat Lucy's. No gouging.

Although the House of Assembly has not et fairly got to work, several notices of notion have been given. We will refer to the subject matter of them at length when the papers are brought down. The Public Accounts and the report of the Crown Land Department have been submitted.

CATARRH NOT INCURABLE. AMUSEMENT .-- This (Saturday) even. ing the Women's Christian Temperance jan 21-6 mos

assault on Mr. R. Sutherland.

inge and tableaux in the City Hall. Admission 10 cents. On Monday evening the St. Dunstan's ard's Warning" in St. Dunstan's Hall. CROSMAN BRO'S will send their beauti. Prices as usual. The cast is a good one (Established 1840.) On Tuesday evening the Reform Club

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nething of the marits of your Constitut ATARRE REMEDY, I wish to inform you w as done for me. I am twenty-nive years of employed three or four different doctors, and a receiving any ent hopefit, but continued rather to grow Collins, the Regent Street school I last fall, when I had become so I a do en hour's work at a time. He teacher, was fined twenty dollars for his remess and pain under the shoulder black der blade through the shot ung as though ther weight bearing it down, with cortinual dry n the threat and down upon the longs. Suc ition when I commerced to take vo: ir, h Romedy, one bo the of which eased my and gave mean is proved appetite, and fit ng four bottles I was restored to 'ea' h se-be able to endure bard and continued 'about is chopping and clearing had at which been engaged the past season. My recover ate solely, with God's blessing, to the o your Catarah Rem d Yours truly HENRY SNIDER Spice \$1 per bottle ; For gale by all Druggists

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Notice.

LL persons indebted to the late firm of MC-A DONALD & KEDEY, will please make imme-diate payment to Mr. I. MCPEAKE, who alone is authorized to receive and collect same.

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