PARLIAMENT.

Sir John A. Macdonald has met Parliament, and yet there are no signs of his political dissolution. The Speech with which the Session was opened on Thursday mentions a number of good things for the country, and notwithstanding the bluster of the Grit party for the past few months, Sir John and his party are apparently as powerful as eyer. Mr. Everett of St. John, who moved the Address in reply to the Speech, seems to have acquitted himself found such a penacea for the "people's ills" well. Mr. Blake criticized the Govern John, who in a few dashing sentences opposition, the policy then formulated, together with the reforms promised, have not was able to destroy the force of a two been carried into effect. No reduction has Richard Cartwright replied to Sir John, abolition of the Legislative Council. While breathed freely once more. It was when in opposition. ter by either side.

by a handsome majority.

The Legislature.

Readers of the Speech put in His of Reform and Economy in the Assembly in 1881. There is not a single paragraph in the Speech, that would indicate that Mr. Blair retains his ideas of retrenchment or reform. He promised to abolish the Legislative Council, but now he resurrects his proposal of last year, to make it elective. He was going to reduce the number of the Executive to seven, and eventually to five, but the number still remains at nine. He was to have reduced the expenses of education, and lessened the cost of administering the Government, but all these things remain as they were, and will remain. When twitted on his inconsistency, by Mr. Wetmore, Mr. Blair replied that all these matters were dead issues, mere relics of the past, and he was understood for Mr. Blair to forget them, but the to expect great things from Mr. Blair's advent to power, but they have seen in garding his promises, and trampling un- tuency. That sounds very well, but we der foot his most solemn declarations. shall see what we shall see. The result Mr. Blair may be all his friends claim him to be, a clever debater, a shrewd and political dishonesty, has not been furnished to the people of New Brunswick, in these latter days.

Drawing the Line.

The action of the Local Government, is most determinedly opposing the Federal administration, and the Conservative party generally, quite justified Mr. even in this, we have heard he has not minion questions, and drawing party Sunbury. lines on those issues, but Mr. Blair and his colleagues having adopted the princithink of his denial. Do they not know that in the Temple-Gregory election, Mr. Temple's friends had to contend against the whole power and patronage of the Local Government, as exercised by Mr. Blair and Mr. Mitchell? Were not Blair and Mr. Mitchell? Were not these two gentlemen on the stump late and early, pleading for support for Mr. Gregory, on the ground that the Local Government for Mr. Gregory, on the ground that the Local Government for Mr. Gregory, on the ground that the Local Government for Mr. Gregory, on the ground that the Local Government for Mr. Gregory of the Gouncil. There never will be a strong public sentiment favoring it being introduced this session:—Bill Wilson, Bill Murray and Bill Pugsley. The Sergeant atarms is said to have collared the wag and put him out.

The snow storm that commenced last Thursday night, and continued almost uninterruptedly till yesterday morning, is the greatest known in New Brunswick for many years. It has simply paralyzed death of Hon. Dr. Vail and Hon. Robert Robinson, paying a well deserved tribute to the many virtues of those gentlemen. On Mr. Jones motion the Council than adjourned over till Monday, out of respect to the memory of the deceased.

I congratulate you upon the result of the apvassing cry of these gentlemen, and yet Mr. Blair in the Assembly, has the effrontery to insist, that the Local Govern-

tives are to be sacrificed by this Government, which when accused of such improper acts, attempts to shelter itself behind the unsupported assertion, that it is a coalition administration, then the time has come when the Conservatives of New Brunswick must protect themselyes

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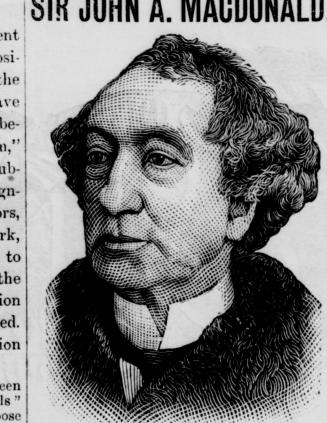
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PREMIER OF CANADA.

\$1.25 per M, and on our bark industry from 56 conference took place between the leaders of and Lieut. Russell. industry-these with many other matters, call became Minister of Militia, which office, modustry—these with many other matters, call became Minister of Mi them as far as possible, and to have such a ation. This union of the provinces of British

representation as can at all times be consider- North America, he was mainly instrumental Mr. Speaker and Gentlemen of the House of by the small-pox than be disfigured as the ed favorable to our County and her interests, in bringing about, having been a delegate to we request that you, gentlemen, whose names the Conference in Charlottetown in 1864, Honor the Lieut. Governor's mouth, by are mentioned in this requisition, will accept and in Quebec, in the same year; he was 1866-67, when the act of union, known as Blair who announced the famous policy above ticket in opposition to the present the "British North America Act," was pasbove ticket in opposition to the present sed by the Imperial Parliament. On the 1st of July, 1867, when the new Constitution came in force, Mr. Macdonald was called upon four gentlemen named, form a very strong ticket, and that they will carry the constituency. As we have said before, Messrs. Tweedie and Hutchinson, the Pacific Railway charges, November, 1873. ap to a recent date, were in full sym- In 1871, Sir John was one of Her Majesty's ton, May 1871. In October, 1878, on the and extravagant, and that the sooner fall of the Mackanzie Reform Government, the Province rids itself of his Govern- Mr. Macdonald was entrusted with the task of forming a new Adminstration, taking himself the position of Minister of the Justice and Premier of the Dominion. In 1865, Mr.

the conservative party in Canada. SESSIONAL NOTES.

Mr. Adams is as full of fight as ever. The estimates were introduced Monday

Mr. White of Carleton, is said to still have Official Reporter in the Legislative Council.

At the opening ceremonies, Sir Leonard Tilley wore his Windsor uniform and the Macinerney and Barbarie of the Legislative more efficient basis. A statement of the ex-Council, have not yet arrived.

The address in the Council was moved by Hon. F. P. Thompson, and seconded by Hon The Assembly have abolished the system of "franking" letters, and each member is given an allowance of five dollars in postage

In view of the approaching general elec-

Mr. Wilson and Mr. Murray, the new representatives from York and Restigouche,

of public spirit or patriotic feeling in our own Mr. Ellis has moved over to the Government | made last session to provide additional ac-

When the new members were being intro- enabled my government to obtain a suitable lieve that? What do the people of York of the Council. There never will be a marked that they were the three first Bills Institution, and these buildings have been in

in the Local Government, was the can the cost of digging them out, will be the has had considerable experience in the da has again been called to the unsettled Municipal Council of Restigouche, having claims for interest due this province upon been elected by acciamation to that body, the principal money of the Eastern Extension

NEW BRUNSWICK LEGISLATURE.

Debate on the Address in the Assembly. Sessional Notes.

was a large assemblage of people in the Council Chamber, many of the ladies appear-Professors of the University and many pro-Sir John Alexander Macdonald was born minent citizens. Sir Leonard Tilley was no mention was made of the Riel mat
Stumpage Tax on our Lumber from 80 cts. to cts. to \$1.20, and in some instances as high as both sides, which resulted in a coalition, with this province if the present local should no longer beg. If the affairs of this

It affords me very sincere pleasure to

portant legislative functions.

ment of the military forces of Canada against a section of our own people, we have reason to be proud of the readiness with which our young men from all parts of the Dominion responded to the call into active service and Macdonald received the honorary degree of the steadiness and bravery displayed by them D. C. L. from the University of Oxford, and

spidemic of smallpox, my government deem-ed it necessary to take prompt measures of Mr. Phair and others. Why did they not for a non-fulfillment of their promises they ed it necessary to take prompt measures against the spread of the disease to this province, and acting in concert with the government of Nova Scotia and the State board of health of the State of Maine, medical officers, invested with such powers as existing laws permitted, were placed on the Quebec boundary to vaccinate passengers and disinfect luggage coming from infected districts to clared policy. Did they not promise to abol- many members did not interest themselves New Brunswick. These precautionary steps ish the Legislative Council, and was not in his resolution last year, on the ground were attended with such success that in but Mr. L. C. Macnutt has been reappointed few localities in the province did the disease appear, and in none of them, I am happy to The government had declared that the Coun- a fair way of looking at the question. It of the contest depends entirely upon the of the Government who spoke in the debate on the debate on the contest depends entirely upon the of the contest depends entirely upon the debate on the debate on the debate on the debate on the contest depends entirely upon the debate on the debate of the debate on the debate of the debate on the debate of the thus suddenly to cope with a grave peril to the public health, has suggested to my government the necessity of revising the laws relating to that subject, and a comprehensive measure has been prepared and will be sub-Hon. Messrs. Young, Hamilton, Lewis, mitted to you, placing these laws upon a penses in suppressing the disease where it Mr. John B. Orr is doing the coaching for actually broke out and in preventing its

> I am pleased to be able to congratulate you upon the character of the crops generally throughout the province, and the fair measure of prosperity enjoyed by those who devote themselves with intelligence and industry to agricultural pursuits. Should the farmers of the province obtain access to the markets of the neighboring states as the redressing the House, show a marked tendency by Congress in that country, we may antici-

During the recess very considerable efforts was no excuse for mixing Local and Do perhaps both seats for the Assembly in Hon. Mr. Hannington, the venerable pre- have been made to stimulate public interest sident of the Council, has been a member of in the Colonial and Indian Exhibition to be the Legislature almost continuously since held this year in London, and I think it will 1834. He is now in his eighty second year. be found that these efforts will prove success-Mr. Blair proposes to reintroduce that abortion on legislation, the bill to make abortion on legislation, the bill to make excellent an opportunity of placing the merits of New Brunswick, as a home for immigrants, before the people of the mother Mr. Pugsley delivered his maiden speech country may not occur again, and it would

commodation for the insane of our population,

I congratulate you upon the result of the appeal to the Imperial Privy Council upon the

Mr. President and Honorable Gentlemen of that people were fools. Though that gen le-

Mr. Speaker and Gentlemen of the House of issues, the ghosts of former days must be Bills-To amend the law relating to high- Attorney-General made in opposition intendways; relating to the public health; to amend the practice and procedure in the courts of equity; to provide for the registration of births, deaths and marriages; to amend the practice and simplify procedure in conveyancing, and other measures of importance will be ing, and other measures of importance will be brought before you.

I rely with confidence that these and other

In the Assembly, after the introduction of

MR. WILSON, M. P. P. FOR YORK, Mr. Murray of Restigouche, seconded the

MR. WETMORE. tunity of saying a few words. He expres- in the management of the affairs of the gov- Canadian, English & American.

hand. He thought it would be a fearful time had arrived when the government

ernment were guilty of insincerity and cor- by cutting down the number of the executive,

Mr. Wetmore-I would sooner be marked country is by the present local government. He agreed with his hon, colleague in referagain meet you as Lieutenant Governor, and to convene you for the discharge of your important legislative functions. would be good. We have gone through the Liberal. It was a fact that in the Everettbaptism of fire, and no doubt would feel the McLeod election in St. John, both the Proadvantage of it. The call to arms had done much to unite our people, and he hoped that as good sometimes comes out of evil, the re- McLeod bellion would have its good as well as its bad phase. He did not feel that the third paragraph called for lengthy remarks at the present time. When the matter of expense in connection with the small pox cases came before the house he might have occasion to McLellan, Mitchell, Ritchie, Turner, Messrs. again speak on the matter. As to the additional accommodation for the insane the quesstion as to where and when the site was Wilson, Murray, Leighton, Ellis, Stockton, obtained might be matters for discussion. McManus, Hibbard, White, Baird, Flewwell-Taking up the eighth paragraph, he said he had no objection to the first sentence. As to the next, he would ask why the government and Lewis. had not made the claim before now. It may be a meritorious claim, but he thought it

was not. The claim was not fair and just. said he was surprised that the government The government should be taught that the had not thought it necessary to reply to his all Colors, all of which will be sold Dominion treasury was not a grab-bag into colleague, particularly as they had so much as LOW as any Retail House in the which the local government could put their speaking ability on their side of the house. DOMINION. hands whenever they wanted. This government had waited until the Supreme Court | trial by the people, because of their promises proceed earlier? He was open to conviction | had allowed the statement of the opposition in the matter, but at present he thought the to go unanswered. He had moved a resolupressing of the claim was suspicious. He tion last year in reference to the lumber claimed that the government had violated interests, and was going to move one on the every promise made while in opposition. He same subject now. He was opposed to the would like to know in reference to the 9th system of leasing crown lands for ten years. conclusion that they had an uniformally de- which was now fixed at \$1.25. A great application. their pretended attempt to make that body that their counties were not concerned in the elective not only a pretence, but a sham? lumber question. He thought that scarcely ment sent there three members. Their cry, not large operators like Mr. Snowball that too, was that vacancies in the Council should suffered most by this arrangement, but the be promptly filled up, still we find that the workingmen. He asked that the distress of seats vacated by the death of two honorable | the northern lumbermen be relieved. At gentlemen are not yet filled. To use the present a man pays about \$80 tax on about words of the honorable Attorney General \$120 worth of bark. He thought no tax when in opposition, he would ask are the should be placed on hemlock logs already Government keeping these seats dangling cut down. Such logs were a source before the eyes of certain members of this danger in connection with forest fires, and house, the hon. member for Carleton or the he thought the government should encourage hon, member for Kings, for instance? Where those willing to remove these logs. He bewas the government measure to reduce the lieved the government themselves were number of the Executive? The present doubtful about the ten year leases, and he

Soltcitcr General, when in opposition, had understood they had been asking certain condemned as useless the position he now operators to give up such leases or rather Hon. Mr. Ritchie-Never. Mr. Wetmore-I can prove it.

Hon. Mr. Ritchie-You might have read cil, and a resolution was passed asking the government to make a reduction. At that he statement in some newspaper. Mr. Wetmore continued, declaring that the meeting his colleague, Mr. Burchill, had government had not redeemed their pledges favored the idea of reducing the stumpage, for a more economical conduct of educational and said the country was too much governed.

matters, neither had they made an effort to Mr. Burchill—I did not say that. reduce the departmental expenses, as a look Mr. Park said he had so understood his into the Crown Land Office, the Provincial Secretary's office or any of the other offices will prove. Besides how had the government the stumpage as it was for York to have the Fredericton bridge. The government, in face of the demands of the north, have made face of the demands of the north, have made into the Crown Land Office, the Provincial hon, colleague. It was as necessary to the politics? He had no besitation in saying no mention of the matter in the speech, and that the patronage of the local government in order to test the feeling of the house he had been used against the Dominion Govern- would move the following, which the govern-

ment in the Temple-Gregroy election. Hon. Mr. Blair-Prove it. Mr. Wetmore-The bridge across the Nash- Resolved, that the following words be addwaak and the wonderful activity in the ed after the words "history" at the end of country roads about that time prove it. Did the first paragraph of the address: "But are now showing a splendid assortnot Mr. Blair himself ask the electors of this we beg to inform your honor that the policy county in a public speech delivered on the 25th of January, 1884 to vote confidence in Lands and the regulations in connection therethe Local Government by electing a Liberal with has been detrimental to the best inter-candidate to the Dominion Parliament? He ests of the lumber trade of this Province. read a report of the hon. gentleman's speech in support of this. The government are undermining the Liberal Conservatives of Hon. Mr. Blair thr province. What did they do at the meet- replied to Mr. Park, charging him with in-

Mr. Glasier—They adjourned the meeting.
Mr. Wetmore—They turned it into a Liberal meeting. If this be the policy of the Local Government, the opposition would be forced to adopt the same tactics. He also followed Mr. Blair. He said it was unfair to

replied to Mr. Wetmore, speaking with his usual force, and in his address, denied that the Local Government used its patronage to defeat Conservative candidates for the Com-defeat Conservative cand discussed by Mr. Wetmore, that they did not merit an extended reply from him.

HON. MR. ADAMS

In the Local Government with these facts in his mind. Remember we do not counsel running local elections on Such ac course would result statisfactorily to the present Opposition in the Local Logislature, but wedo say that the Local Logislature, but wedo say that the control of such ac course would result statisfactorily to the present Opposition in the Local Logislature, but wedo say that the control of such a course would result statisfactorily to the present Opposition in the Local Logislature, but wedo say the Local Logislatu

SPRING, 1886.

man might talk of former promises as dead

haunting him. Were the statements of the

or turn the others out of the government?

Last year for the first time in his political

promised that the legislative council should

be abolished. Now, the least he promises is

to give the people a chance of making the council elective. Where is the saving to the

country to come in? In Moncton in 1881

he (the Attorney-General) told the people if

ernment. Where now is the promised re-

in the future. He thought the amendment should meet with the support of every honest

man in the house, whether Conservative or

viucial Secretary and the Solicitor General

The vote was then taken on the amend-

Yeas-Wetmore, Adams, McLeod, Colter,

Nays-Hon, Messrs. Blair, Gillespie, Ryan,

Quinton, Killam, Nadeau, Glasier, Hethering-

ton, Leblanc, Palmer, Wheten, Labillois

Absent-Dr. Black, Morton, Hannington,

ment, with the following result :-

ing, Burchill, Pugsley-28.

Parh, Humphrey, Perley, McAdam-8

used the influence of their offices in favor of

ed to deceive the public? He had said he would apply the pruning knife in every di- White Cottons, rection, denouncing the old government as sidered he must be regarded as a great and bold man. Just imagine the excuse that the White Sheetings, present head of the government cannot carry Is it not pitiful to hear a leader say he has Plain and Twilled. not influence enough to have his policy carried out? Why then does he not get out,

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SIR JOHN A. MACDONALD,

The Northumberland Ticket The friends of the Local Government regard the formation of the solid opposition ticket in Northumberland, with the most gloomy apprehension. They have ceased to joke about it; they have begun to realize that it is not a "dream," but a stern reality. The Advocate publishes the requisition that has been signed by a large majority of the electors, and presented to Messrs. Adams, Park, I weedie and Hutchison, asking them to accept a nomination in opposition to the Local Government, and our information is, that all four gentlemen have accepted. Among other things the requisition

sets forth that "The change of Government has not been as its leaders and supporters led us to suppose its advent to power would prove. The plat-

The session will doubtless be a lively one, but there can be no doubt of the one, but the one of the one of the one of the one, but the one of the for an expression of public opinion.

Mr. Blair, at the opening of the Legislature, will wonder if this is the same Mr. the nomination, and we, the signers, pledge to you, severally and collectively, our individual and united support for the election of the

ment, the better for her interests.

The Sunbury Convention.

ment in Sunbury, meet at Burton to-day, la Catolica (of Spain.) For over forty years Sir John has been the acknowledged leader of to nominate candidates for the Assemto scold Mr. Wetmore for bringing them bly. We hope their deliberations may up again, It may be very convenient be attended with unity and a determination to place the strongest possible canpeople will not. The Province was led didates in the field. The Government party have already placed Messrs. Glasier and Harrison in the field, and are openly him, only the grasping politician, disre- boasting that they will sweep the consti- his eye on that Legislative Council seat.

character of the candidates selected to- the address. politician, and clear headed lawyer, but day. We do not believe that Sunbury a more glaring example of insincerity, is entirely wedded to the Burpee-Harridecorations of Knighthood. son combination. It is about time that machine rule was discountenanced in Sunbury, and the nomination of two strong men by to-day's convention, will the Council, and Mr. Geo. I. Gunter per- spread over the province, will be laid before go far to-ward that end. Mr. Glasier is forms a similar duty for the Assembly. confessedly weak in the county; his only strength proceeds from the Govern- James Holly. It passed Monday afternoon. ment patronage he is able to scatter, but

Wetmore in moving his amendment to succeeded as he might have succeeded. stamps. the address, censuring the Executive. Mr. Harrison is a new man, and a very We do do not understand, how any loyal respectable man, but the auspices under tion, the members of the Assembly when adsult of the proposals now under consideration Conservative can support a Government which he enters the contest, ought to to cater to their "dear constituents." Conservative can support a Government which he enters the contest, ought to to cater to their "dear constituents."

that has done its level best to weaken handicap him severely. If the right Mr. C. H. Biggs has been appointed Chief that such an arrangement will be found and destroy the prestige and influence men are selected to-day, we may reason- Messenger to the Council, in place of Mr. C. mutually advantageous to the people of both of the Macdonald administration. There ably expect to carry at least one, and land succeeds to Mr. Biggs' old position.

ple of opposing the Conservative party, abortion on legislation, the bill to make must take the consequences of their acts. the Legislative Council elective. He better represented in that branch, than at pre-If they punish Conservatives on every might as well save himself the trouble. sent. possible occasion; if they dismiss from It will never pass: neither should it office only Conservatives, and appoint pass. Mr. Blair promised to abolish only Grits, they can expect no consideration from the Conservative party but economy with him is now "a relic quisition to the House. throughout the Province, and they ought of the past," "a dead issue," and he to receive none. How absurd for Mr. desires to retain the Council and make occupy seats under the ladies gallery. Mr. people.

Plain to down that the networks and in it elective which would make that hody.

Pugsley sits in Mr. Barbarie's old seat, and

The appropriation which you so generously Blair to deny that the patronage and in- it elective, which would make that body fluence of his Government, have been more expensive than as at present con- line, taking the late Dr. Vail's seat. exerted against the Conservative party. stituted. There never was an expressed Does he anticipate that anybody will believe that? What do the people of Verb

Gregory, on the ground that the Local business. The railways are blocked, memory of the deceased. Gregory, on the ground that the Local Government was to be weighed in the contest? And what about St. John. Why—Messrs. McLellan and Ritchie went around that constituency on their knees, almost, begging support in the Everett-McLeod election, not so much for Mr. McLeod, as for themselves. Vote for Mr. McLeod and save us in our position. The railways are blocked, and the highways are simply impassable. Mr. McDade is the official reporter in appoint the Assembly. The Government in appointing Mr. McDade to such a responsible and delicate position, has shown that its members appreciate a man who is well qualified to perform the work demanded of him. Mr. McDade is a newspaper man of long experience and the losses occasioned by delay, in the transport of mails and freight over the railways, and force, and in his address, denied that the form the work demanded of him. Mr. McDade is the official reporter in appoint the Assembly. The Government in appointing Mr. McDade to such a responsible and delicate position, has shown that its members appreciate a man who is well qualified to perform the work demanded of him. Mr. McDade is the official reporter in the Assembly. The Government in appointing Mr. McDade to such a responsible and delicate position, has shown that its members appreciate a man who is well qualified to perform the work demanded of him. Mr. McDade is the official reporter in the Assembly. The Government does not meet the Dominion Covernment does not meet the Dominion Government, does not meet the Dominion Government, does not meet the Dominion Government does not meet the Dominion Government does not meet the Arr. M. McDade is the official reporter in appoint the Assembly. The Government is appointed to the Local Government use

The Opening Ceremonies on Thurs-

The last session of the present Legislature of New Brunswick, was opened with more than usual ceremony at 2 p. W. lest Thomas welfare.

The last session of the present Legislature of New Brunswick, was opened with more to deal, will be considered in a spirit of earn-out his promises, because he has in his government. Mr. McLellan, Mr. Turner and others who were not with him in opposition.

Grey Sheetings, welfare. than usual ceremony at 3 P. M., last Thursday, by His Honor Lieut. Governor Tilley. There the new members, ing in evening costume, and the scene was a delivering his maiden Legislative speech.

brilliant one. To give a better effect, the He dilated to some extent on each paragraph the house to the upper chamber in the incurtains of the Chamber were closed, and the of the Speech and made a clever speech gas turned on. Among those present were which was frequently applauded by both Lady Tilley, the Chief Justice and Judges sides of the House. of the Supreme Court, the President and Address without comment. hours speech from the Grit leader. Sir yet been made in the number of the Execu- January 11th, 1815. He was educated at the Parliament Buildings by a tunity of saving a few words. He carried into enect. No reduction has on rising, said he would take the opportant the people if he got power he would effect a great saving tive, and no measure has been adopted for the Royal Grammer School, Kingston, Ontario, guard of honor of 100 men from the Infantry sed pleasure at meeting the members once

and the debate was continued by Hon. the cost of Executive and Legislative Governance and in 1835 was admitted to the Bar. In School Corps, in command of Lieut. and more, and hoped that good nature would duction in the number of the executive? and the debate was continued by Hon. Thomas White, one of the most fluent and best informed speakers in the Commons, and then Mr. Davies of Charlotte-mons, and the debate was continued by Hon. Thomas White, one of the most fluent and best informed speakers in the Commons, and then Mr. Davies of Charlotte-mons, and then Mr. Davies of Charlotte-mons, and then Mr. Davies of Charlotte-mons, and the debate was continued by Hon. The debative Government from Kings-mons, and the most fluent debtedness of the Province and the interest in debtedness of the Province and the interest in the consequence thereof, have largely increased, our road and bridge service has not been introduced and bridge service has not been introduced in debtedness of the Province and the interest in ton, being elected as a conservative. He was admitted to the Bar. In May, and Island of Lieut. and more, and noped that good nature would duction in the number of the executive? May Mr. Blair's declaration of 1881 and bridge service has not been address. The latter had, indeed, made the improved—no measures have been introduced and Bridge service has not been introduced and bridge service has not been reduced, the bonded in-debtedness of the Province and the interest in ton, being elected as a conservative. He was a discussions. He commons, and in 1835 was admitted to the discussions. He con-debtedness of the Province and the interest in ton, being elected as a conservative. Armstrong, A. D. C's., alighted, the guard prevail throughout the discussions. He con-debtedness of the Province and the interest in ton, being elected as a conservative. Armstrong, A. D. C's., alighted, the guard prevail throughout the discussions. He con-debtedness of the Province and the interest in ton, being elected as a conservative. Armstrong, A. D. C's., alighted, the guard prevail throughout the discussions. He con-debtedness of the Province and the intere town, took up the cudgels for the Oppo- to lesson the high taxes at present imposed sioner of Crown Lands in December, 1847. presented arms, the Band played the National country had sustained a great loss in the of the Fredericton bridge is considered, and town, took up the cudgels for the Opposition. The discussion was closed by Hon. Peter Mitchell, who alternately blows hot and blows cold for the Gov
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The address the passed with the specific passed with the specific passed with the specific passed with the following ernment. The address then passed without amendment or division, and the Government, which during the Everett election in St. John, was said by the Telegraph, to be "tottering to its fall," government, and a security for his graph, to be "tottering to its fall," government, and safeguards to protect creditors in the Canada until September 1854. Difficulties citement in their congratulations to Sir Leonard, and spoke of the able manner in their congratulations to Sir Leonard, and spoke of the able manner in their congratulations to Sir Leonard, and spoke of the able manner in their congratulations to Sir Leonard, and spoke of the able manner in their congratulations to Sir Leonard, and spoke of the able manner in their congratulations to Sir Leonard, and spoke of the able manner in their congratulations to Sir Leonard, and spoke of the able manner in their congratulations to Sir Leonard, and spoke of the able manner in their congratulations to Sir Leonard, and spoke of the able manner in their congratulations to Sir Leonard, and spoke of the able manner in their congratulations to Sir Leonard, and spoke of the able manner in the Council Chamber as Sir Leonard, and spoke of the able manner in the Council Chamber as Sir Leonard, and spoke of the able manner in the Council Chamber as Sir Leonard, and spoke of the able manner in their congratulations to Sir Leonard, and spoke of the able manner in the Council Chamber as Sir Leonard, and spoke of the able manner in their congratulations to Sir Leonard, and spoke of the able manner in their congratulations to Sir Leonard, and spoke of the able manner in the Council Chamber as Sir Leonard, and spoke of the able manner in their congratulations to Sir Leonard, and spoke of the able manner in the Council Chamber as Sir Leonard, and spoke of the able manner in the Council Chamber as Sir Leonard, and spoke of the able manner in the Council Chamber as Sir Leonard, and spoke of the able manner in the Council Chamber as Sir Leonard, and spoke of the able manner in the Council C ernment was unable to command a sufficient Major Beckwith, Capt. Loggie, Capt, Crop- Tory rule, and he was glad to hear from the had protected the rivers which are now inbreathed freely once more. It was noticeable, that during the whole debate, and the imposition of an increased noticeable, that during the whole debate, and the imposition of an increased noticeable, that during the whole debate, and the imposition of an increased noticeable, that during the whole debate, and the imposition of an increased noticeable, that during the whole debate, and the imposition of an increased noticeable, that during the whole debate, and the imposition of an increased noticeable, that during the whole debate, and the imposition of an increased noticeable, that during the whole debate, and the imposition of an increased noticeable, that during the whole debate, and the imposition of an increased noticeable, that during the whole debate, and the imposition of an increased noticeable, that during the whole debate, and the imposition of an increased noticeable, the first noticeable in the claim. If the terms of the there were evidences of preservoir and the imposition are not just, let us make up a case and the imposition of an increased noticeable.

one, but there can be no doubt of the Government being sustained throughout long further capital from being invested in this one government Canada and the a giant monopoly of a few, thereby preventing further capital from being invested in this one government Canada and the a giant monopoly of a few, thereby preventing further capital from being invested in this one government Canada and the ducted, we ought to be able to get along without begging. Savings might be effected SPEECH:

The interest which ordinarily attaches to the assembling of the legislature will, on the present occasion, be much enhanced by reentering upon the second century of our provincial legislative history. It is worthy of recollection, that one hundred years ago in January last, the first session of the first legislature of New Brunswick was convened. When my predecessor prorogued you in April last, the Dominion was threatened with pathy with Mr. Blair, but they have been convinced by their own observation and by the President of the United specific and population in the North Western Territories, which unhappily resulted in the loss of much tion, that his pledges were insincere, States, for the settlement of the Alabama valuable life and property before it was entirely before it was entirely before it was entirely before it was entirely subdued. While sincerely deploring the occasion which called for the employ-

in 1867, was made a K. C. B.; 1872 he was In consequence of the neighboring Pro-The opponents of the Local Govern- created Knight of the Royal Order of Rabel vince of Quebec being visited by a severe

you and I shall ask you to make provision for

ment might regard as a want of confidence ing called in Sunbury in their own interest? sincerity in moving his amendment, and that just received, direct from the Manu-

inquiring if they would give them up. The

question of stumpage had come up at a

meeting of the Northumberland county coun-

charged that members of the government charge Mr. Park with want of sincerity. It American and Canadian Prints, and their supporters had used the patronage was the custom to bring important matters of their offices in connection with the recent before the house in this way. What more suitable time than the present could be had?

Tickings, Sheetings, etc., sion he moved as an amendment to the address that the following be added to the Province, yet the government made no men-"But the action of your honor's advisers throne. Was it likely a motion on the sub- Gibson Cotton Batting, in allowing the patronage and influence of the government to be used at the late elections for the Dominion Parliament hostile to high, why not reduce it? If the ten year Park's Shirtings, The Attorney General calls for proof in sup- Park's Knitting Cottons,

Hon, Mr. Blair-Who was the member?

Mr. Wetmore-I understood Mr. McAdam

to say you. Hon. Mr. Blair—He is not correct. Mr. Pugsley has undertaken to cham
when only twenty-two years of age. He is a claim, but as yet payment has not been made. I remarked how cruel the Attorney-General aready, fluent speaker, and his maiden speech My government has also formulated against had been in stating that the country had government in that election was charged with

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