The Proposed Celebration.

The citizens of Fredericton have beloved by his countrymen for his deenthusiastically backed the firemen in their efforts to worthily celebrate Do- by his soldiers for his constant attenminion Day in Fredericton on the tion to their wants and wishes, as well second of July. The appeal for funds as for the skill and courage with which met with a hearty response, and we he so often led them on to glory. In believe everybody, with the exception | not a few respects was "Unser Frits," of a very few narrow souls, is boom- as his country loved to call him, one ing the celebration. There can be of the best and most successful leadbut one result, and that a successful ers in an age of great and successful the world. day, with crowds of visitors who must carry away with them most pleasant impressions of Fredericton.

the official programme of the celebration, and a study of it will convince our readers and prospective visitors, that we are going to have a big time in Fredericton one week from next Monday, and that we will be able to gratify the taste of everybody. Next week the FARMER will be able to give every information about the railway sullied his fair fame. Of all his many and steamboat excursions, how and gallant and heroic acts, his fight when people will be able to reach the against death-bravely performing celebration.

Most encouraging reports are at voiceless, disease-stricken, but unhand regarding the tide of visitors daunted, while all the world speculatthat will set in for the celebration, ed on the number of hours he had to the number not only including our the most thrilling and remarkable on own people from all the provincial towns, but also very many from Maine. record. We ask for the firemen the continued hearty co-operation of the citizens to make July 2nd a red letter day in the history of our city.

Governor MeLelan.

General of Canada, has been appointed position. Governor of Nova Scotia, the appointment to date from July 1st. Mr. Mc. Lelan is an old politician and has had wonderful success. He was born at Londonderry, Colchester county, Dec. 24th, 1824, and has therefore passed his sixty-third birthday. He was educated at Sackville College, and entered mercantile life in his native village, when but a youth, acquiring a competency in his business. He sat for Colchester in the Nova Scotia Assembly, from 1858, till the union in 1867 when he was elected to the first Parliament at Ottawa, defeating Sir Adams Archibald. In 1869 he resigned his seat in the Commons, becoming a Senator and a Commissioner for the construction of the Intercolonial Railway. Mr. McLelan re-entered the House of Commons as President of the Council in 1881, and since then has held the positions of Minister of Medal, present their report. The successful 27,633 last year. Marine and Fisheries, Minister of Fi- The medal is presented by the President of Lyons will soon be promoted to be admiral, nance, and Postmaster General. He the Alumni Society; has never been defeated in an election. Mr. McLelan's appointment will be the University Class Scholarships; satisfactory to all Nova Scotians, except the bitter anti-confederates who have never forgiven him for accept- Tibbitts; ing with Howe the "better terms" arrangement. He is the second son of Colchester, who has risen to the Governorship of Nova Scotia, the other being Sir Adams Archibald who held the position from 1873, till 1883, when Governor Richey the present incumbent was appointed.

The Late German Emperor. Seldom, if ever, says an exchange, has it been reecorded in the annals of history, that a monarch has passed so brief and sad a reign as that of the Kaiser, whose untimely death has again plunged the German Empire in mourning within a few weeks after it had been called upon to weep for the first Emperor of the re-constructed country. On the 9th of March we published biographical sketches of the ker. Kaiser William, his son Frederick who was so soon to follow him to the grave, and his grandson, who was then known simply as Prince William, but who now bears the proud titles of King of Prussia and German Emperor. It is not necessary to reproduce the events of the dead Emperor's life, and the story of his long, heroic struggle with his grim conqueror is to well known to need recapitulation. All the world witnessed the patient, uncomplaining fortitude of his life-indeath at San Remo, at Berlin, while the ablest surgeons and physicians in Europe were fighting step by stepand fighting only for time-against the insidious encroachments of a disease which they must have long since general of Canada, is described as known to be incurable. Grave inter- about forty-five or fifty years of age, enterprise which this company have shown in erick III., was called away. Emperor Fredests were staked upon the issue; the strongly built and tall, being only an all their enterprises. with the keenest interest by statesmen and speculators as well as by the

a young man and still preserves his

in St. John, left an estate worth 520,000.

He began life as a journeyman, and made every cent of his great fortune in carrying on industrial works in New Brunswick, never industrial works in New Brunswick, never membered as long as German hearts continue membered as long as German hearts continue progress of the malady was watched inch and a half short of six feet. Hel general public in every land, and for a time the little village near Genoa became one of the most talked-of spots in Christendom. Then came the few days of interest of the property is to be divided among his seven daughters.

In a special public in every land, and for and streaked with gray and very thin anything. He left \$1000 to the Portland having gambled in stocks or speculated in anything. He left \$1000 to the Portland Methodist church, and, a few small bequeaths. The rest of the property is to be divided among his seven daughters.

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In a feronest to Mr. Cledetone's expectation of the battle-field will be remainded in stocks or speculated in anything. He left \$1000 to the Portland Methodist church, and, a few small bequeaths. The rest of the property is to be divided among his seven daughters. days of intense excitement when the and might be called handsome. dangerous illness of the old Kaiser first to enter the dark valley. The the Government, and no agitation for removal to the vicinity of Berlin and unrestricted reciprocity in Pictou. the unexpected strength and vitality of the royal sufferer for a brief time awakened some hope that the life of Supreme Court to have the petition the new Emperor might yet be spared, struck off the files, one of the grounds minimum. So numerous were the high priced but such hopes were destined to be short-lived; the malady became ag-short-lived; the malady became ag-short of all that served with the petition. The above 95 receive the full smooth. The age price obtained is 95 1-20 per cent.

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NEWS OF THE WEEK.

brave and skilful soldier, a prudent

and withal an intrepid commander;

before the enemy he was unremit-

secure the prize of victory. He was

votion to the Fatherland, and adored

military chieftains. But in no re-

spect did this superiority more clear-

ly display itself than in his conduct in

himself to be as generous and humane

to the conquered as he had been skill-

full and intrepid in opposing them.

In private life he was frank, open-

from vulgar familiarity and offensive

hauteur; while in his domestic rela-

tions no breath of scandal has ever

The University Enconia.

will be held in the College library

to-morrow (Thursday) evening, com-

the Instituion will graduate the

largest class that ever left its halls,

eighteen in number, and President

Harrison and the faculty are to be

sincerely congratulated on the excel-

lent results, and the highly improved

prospects of the University. Follow-

(1) Oration in praise of the founders, by

(2) The Douglas Gold Medallist reads a

(3) Presentation of the Douglas Medal to

(5) Announcement by the President, of

1. Senior Class, Mathematical Scholar, F.

2. Junior Class, English Scholar, Mary V.

3. Freshman Class, Classical Scholar, Wil-

(6) The President announces that the

French prize of the senior year has been won

proficiency in the higher Mathematics;

Honor certificates in the Senior Class:

Honor certificates in the Junior Class:

Science - Earnest Barker, M. Mott,

Honor certificates in the Freshman Class

English-Miss Hunter, W. Mowatt.

the graduating classs as follows :-

Villiams, McKenzie, Peters.

on behalf of the class of 1887.

Justice King, LL. D.

(14) Alumni Oration by the Hon. Mr.

against Mr. Baird M. P. for Queens,

Harris, Fleming.

Mathematics-Chas. P. Steeves:

Classics-Geo. L. Wilson

Classics-Earnest Barker;

Mathematics-G, R. Kerr, J. A. Barbour;

portion of his Essay on the relation of Ame-

evening's exercises :-

Professor Dyde, M. A., D. Sc.;

rican Literature to Democracy:

Honor the Lieutenant Governor

liam P. Broderick;

sentation of the prize;

Summary of Foreign, Dominion, ting in vigilance, leaving nothing to and Provincial Happenings. chance that foresight could provide for, and shrinking from no danger to

Gathered from every Quarter.

Senator Fortin of Quebec, is dead. Cumberland Dominion election July 10th. The Manitoba local elections will be held on July 11.

S. A. White, a wealthy Haligonian, died suddenly at Liverpool, G. B. last week. Swarms of seventeen-year locusts, have

ppeared in Northern Iowa and Western Teemer intends starting for Australia Aug. 28th, to row Kemp for the championship of

Gen. Wolseley's term as Adjutant-General of the British army, has been extended for

Frank B. Hazen, only son of the late Hon. day, aged 36 years. The Windsor Hotel company of Montreal

have added \$150,000 stock to build a grand He gave no indication of suffering pain. banquet and music hall, Sixteen new locomotive for the Intercol-

hearted and unassuming, equally free ston, Ontario, engine works.

The recent death of Senator Ferrier, makes Senator Wark of Fredericton, the senior member of the Upper House. The big mercantile house of Chambers & family.

Layton, Truro, were burned out Thursday. Loss \$40,000, insurance \$21,000. the exacting duties of his high station

The new wire gun at Shoeburyness has

live-will be remembered as among The Interprovincial rifle match at Bedford, N. S., Thursday, was won by the New Brunswick team, beating Nova Scotia and P. E. By the death of Frederick, his Island by fifteen points.

Murray Dodd, Q. C., has been appointed widow, Victoria, the eldest daughter County Court Judge for the district of Cape of our own beloved Queen, becomes Breton, vice Judge Tremaine, who has rethe dowager Empress. Her untiring signed owing to ill health. devotion to her husband in the weary The sculling match took place last week

on the Fitzroy River, Queensland, between Trickett and Hanlan, for £500 a-side, Hanmonths of his illness has endeared her to the warm hearts of the kindly lan won easily by six lengths.

ed of manslaughter, at Truro, has been sent- erased the words. Between 2 and 3 o'clock William was a brigade commander and held that Sir John Ross was more than comenced to Dorchester penitentiary for 14 years, his breathing become terribly labored and commissions as major in both the Russian mander of Her Majesty's forces in America— The University Enconial exercises

Major-General Sir Frederick Middleton, mencing at 7.30 o'clock. This year

> Near Muniac, Carleton county last Wednesday, three young men got into a row with a man named Fitzherbert and beat him very badly, breaking his jaw. The row was the last sacraments. Dr. Persius, therefore, in Berlin on Feb. 27, 1881, to Princess

Esquimalt, British Columbia, a great naval During the administering of the sacrament, station, and are going to spend £31,000 on and indeed even within 15 minutes before armaments, £10,000 on submarine stores, and his death, the Emperor appeared to be quite great pomp in the chapel of the royal castle. phant, aged, according to official records 92 ing is the programme of to-morrow £10,000 on submarine buildings.

succeeds to the governorship of Nova Scotia, Immediately on receipt of the intelligence intending to settle in Canada, 15,160 immi- to Empress Victoria. Charles J. Milligan of St. John, by His grants, as compared with 10,024 in May last (4) The examiners for the Alumni Gold

competitor reads a portion of his Latin Essay. It is reported at Halifax that Vice-Admiral and that the flagship Bellerophon will be succeeded on that station by the Aurora, one the names of the successful competitors for of England's cruisers without masts, the first warship of that kind that has come to Cana-

day afternoon in Portland and rushed down the Indiantown hill. At the foot the wagon ance for England. Emperor Frederick's was overturned and the horse, which is a death may suspend whatever warlike designs tention in different ways. Russia, with its valuable one, badly cut. The wagon struck exist in Europe. Later events will move vast population, its myriads of armed men, a fruit stand in front of R. K. Higgins' store more quickly and England must probably de- and its enormous extent of territory in Europe and completely demolished it.

by Mr. Geo. W. Fleming of St. John. Pre-The late Rufus Seaman, of Minudie, owned | contingencies. property valued at \$20,000 to \$30,000, con-(7) Presentation of the Microscope prize sisting largely of land on the "big marsh." for proficiency in Science to Ernest S. Barker He left his estate to his brother Amos Sea- Emperor had written the following: "One ready so huge, it seems to have a constant man, of Boston, and Rufus Hibbert and Mrs. of the most consoling circumstances of my craving for further extension, for absorbing (8) Presentation of Lansdowne Gold Medal Max Sterne, the son and daughter of his sis- severe trial is to be shown in what is said of to James Robert Kerr of St. Andrews for ter, Mrs. George Hibbert, the property to be me in the French papers. I certainly endivided equally among the three. (9) Lansdowne Silver Medal presented to Charles P. Steeves of Albert Co., for pro-

Natural Science-J. T. Kelly, J. P. Peake; ings will not be open to the public or press. French-Geo. Fleming, R. W. Hanington. Fire started in the Baker House, Dubois, Pennsylvania, at 1 P. M., Monday, and quickly burned over a mile long and from a quarter order to the army. He says: This is indeed to half a mile wide. Loss \$500,000 to \$1,- a serious and sorrowful time in which God's that Russia has not yet been thoroughly 000,000. About 400 people are homeless decree places me at the head of the army. civilized, while in China the civilization is Fisher, R. Hanson, H. Henderson, Ernest and destitute and need immediate relief. It is from a deeply moved heart I address of such great antiquity as to have become seems destined to play a great part in the

Science—Wm. Mathew, Miss Henry, An- Canada, representing forty-two united pres- army, and I know in how great a measure noxious invasion of emigrants from its al- struct a 12-pounder upon the same principle. byteries, a thousand ministers and half a this feeling has at all times been manifested most limitless hordes is now exciting in a About six years ago, when Mr. Maxim began million members, is a practical manifestation in the army. Firm and inviolable attach-(11) Conferring of the degree of B. A., on of the larger national life upon which we ment to the war lord is an inheritance handhave entered through a federation of the ed down from father to son, from generation the United States. First division-Barbour, Kerr, Hanington. British North American province.

Second division—Kelly, Wilson, Milligan, McCready, Raymond, McNichol, Fisher, the welcome of his Wiltshire friends, said he ly in history and whose hearts beat warmly in Central Asia there has been some encroach- until another cartridge was placed in position returned to England with the deepest feeling Third division-Peake, Dieuaide, Watson, of respect and regard for the people of Cauada, the greatest admiration for their liberal (12) Conferring of the degree of M. A. on institutions, a profound belief in the import-Rev. H. Montgomery, B. A.; Rev. Neils C. ance of the part Canada was destined to Hansen, B. A.; W. J. S. Myles, B. A.; play in the history of the British race, and, Wm. Murchie, B. A.; Bedford B. Teed, B. lastly, with a feeling of deep pride in the great Empire. (13) Valedictory Address, by W. K. Hatt,

The "Sault Branch" of the Canadian Pacific railway was opened for regular traffic the army. under a scheduled time table on Monday last and regular connection was made with the Lord Stanley, the new governor- States. The speedy construction and equipment of this 178 miles of railway is only another instance of the marvellous energy and

Mr. James Harris who died the other day in St. John, left an estate worth \$250,000.

to compensation for liquor-sellers who may ed, to be a firm guardian of right and pro-The Grits of Picton could not be deprived of their licenses, the Manchester gress in my kingly duties, in unison with the coutier recalls the fact that Mr. Gladstone is people who, in good and in evil days, have foe. was announced, and men read the squeeze up their courage sufficiently how enjoying the revenue of a sum of £68, stood true to their kings. I count upon the to put a candidate in the field against 484 17s. 1d. given to his father by Parliawhile they anxiously canvassed the Hon. C. H. Tupper, and so the Minispros and cons of the question whether ter of Marine and Fisheries was rethe father or the son would be the elected Monday by acclamation. - sge and dealing with them as though they ready to make sacrifices for the fatherland, pres. There is evidently no reaction against were merely beasts of burden, when the My confidence is derived from this and God slaves were emancipated.

The Dominion loan of four millions sterl- charge the kingly office for the welfare of ing at 3 per cent. in London has resulted the fatherland. Application has been made to the most satisfactority. The tenders opened Friday numbered about 400 and amounted to about twelve millions sterling at prices

day, in the Megantic election case, the sit- ease attacked the cartilage of the larynx at pig, in futile attempt to make it prisoner. Lady Tilley has done a noble work ting member being unseated for an indiscre- the outset and afterwards developed chiefly Imagine her consternation when confronted on the part of his wife and children, he was at last forced to an attention at 4 o'clock the he was at last forced to a says the autopsy order, "Let it bounce." How could she give

great Emperor, had his life been spared, is a question that can never be satisfactorily answered. It is, however, beyond question that he had many of the qualities that go to make up a great man; nor can even callumy point to any occasion in his life on which he failed to satisfy the exigences of his position. He was a igencies of his position. He was a lightly and the completion of the satisfactorily answered. It is a question that can never be satisfactorily answered. It is, however, beyond question that he had many of the qualities that go to make up a great man; nor can even callumy point to any occasion in his life on which he failed to satisfy the exigence of his position. He was a lightly and the completion of that presented a soft lumpy mass with scarcely any trace of cartiliginous structure greated by the mysterics of the "Grand Qrient?" And, great swork. It will not be a semestion of all, how can sive become of an order whose principles are the stimular by trace of a cartiliginous structure greated by the mysterics of the "Grand Qrient?" And, scarcely any trace of cartiliginous structure greated by the mysterics of the "Grand Qrient?" And, scarcely any trace of cartiliginous structure greated by the mysterics of the mysterics of the mysterics of the subject objection of all, how can sive become organ at the new sal which the Engineers will embark at the new salway bridge, Sunbury street, because the persented by the mysterics of the mysterics of the surgical properties of

A NATION MOURNS.

The German Emperor passes away

for Life. The Crown Prince proclaimed

The Emperor of Germany died at eleven clock Friday morning. All the members of the Royal family and the Ministers were present in the death chamber at the Friedrichskron palace at Potsdam.

Emperor.

The Bundesrath met at noon, when Prince Bismarck formally announced the death of Emperor Frederick and the accession to the throne of William, who takes the title of William II.

A bulletin issued at ten o'clock Friday morning stated that the Emporer had been In another column will be found the hour of victory; then he showed Robert L. Hazen, died at St. John, yester- lying for some time in a light slumber, broken by wakeful intervals, during which he showed distinct signs of consciousness. During the first part of the night the condition of the Emperor was comparatively onial are now under construction at the King- good. At four o'clock in the morning he beassembled in a room adjacent to the one

which the Emporer lay, was surrounded by all the members of

Since navigation opened 755 cars of Mani- paper tablets his last wishes and and family was placed in the public gymnasium at Kasall that human science, watchfulness and near. God's will be done."

DETAILS OF THE LAST HOURS.

pass the night watch in a room adjoining Guards. He was the sick chamber of the Emperor. Dr. Hovell shared in the vigil. At this time the officiated in this ceremony. Pastor Rogge The British Government are going to make was also present in the death chamber.

The scene at the dying monarch's bedside

The news of the Emperor's death produced

exchanges, The St. James Gazette says the Emperor was a true man and the loss is very great. The new Emperor has his own ideas as to Hon. D. McLellan's horse ran away Mon- what to do or not to do for the safety of Ger-

many, and these may have a certain import-A person who saw the Emperor at Char-

divided equally among the three.

deavored by every means in my power to are not immediate neighbors, have always a dread that further aggression is possible and ficiency in the Mathematics of the Junior M. P. P., Mayor Chesley of Portland, and Versailles. But still war was very rigorous, to be guarded against. Besides its actual ex-Chas. A. Everett, met at St. John last week as it must always be to the conquered. It tension in the regions of Central Asia, with and organized. Mr. Wilson was chosen chairman, and H. E. Wardroper, deputy chairman c common clerk, was appointed secretary. The commission will meet monthly. Their meetmore than I ever did in my life.' THE NEW EMPEROR TO THE ARMY Emperor William II, has issued a general

to generation. I refer you to a long line of These two gigantic powers are now being opened the breech by dropping the block in The Marquis of Lansdowne, replying to glorious ancestors whose names shine bright- brought into closer contact. In its advances the ordinary way, the block remaining down for the army. Thus we belong to each ment by Russia on districts and peoples over when the breech automatically closed and other, I and the army; thus we were born which China claims suzerainty at least. But the trigger could be again pulled. The gun for one another; thus we will stand together it is the new policy in Siberia, the cessation lately tried is merely an application of this God may will it. You will now take to me tlement, the construction of a gigantic railthe oath of fidelity and obedience, and I way to the Pacific and the establishment or pounder, is mounted on a cone in the same swear ever to remember that the eyes of my strengthening of fortifications on its shores, manner, and is trained by a crutch, on which world and that I shall one day have to render China is evidently awake to the danger. She gun is loaded and the trigger is pulled the an account to them of the glory and honor of is increasing her armies in the exposed pro- barrel of the gun recoils a distance of four

Emperor William has issued a proclamation to the Prussian people, in which he says: The grave had scarcely closed over Emperor William II. before my father, Frederick bore a hard fate, and showed heroic, guard peace, to promote the welfare of the In reference to Mr. Gladstone's opposition land, to be a helper of the poor and distress-

will lend us strength and wisdom to dis-

The post mortem examination was confined to dissection of the neck, larynx and lungs.

At 9 o'clock Monday morning bells tolled

and the ministers who were to officiate at the emperor's funeral took their places around the coffin in the palace. The choir sang the hymns. Chaplain Koegel blessed the corpse and the mourners, after which the choir sung another hymn. The commanders of 12 regi-After a Long and Patient Struggle ments, of which the late emperor was the chief officer, carried the coffin to the hearse. Eight majors then took the horses by the bridle and the procession started for the church. At 10.30 o'clock the troops assembled in position and the various dignitaries, deputations and warriors' associations proceeded to their places. When the funeral procession reached the castle the ceremonies began with the singing of a hymn, after which Chaplain Keogel offered prayer. The procession then formed and moved to the church. After service the chaplain pronounced the benediction. There was no sermon. After the firing of volleys and minute guns by the troops the mourners

THE NEW EMPEROR.

peated the closing prayer, and the choir in

took their departure, the court preacher re-

Frederick William Victor Albert, the new Emperor of Germany, was born at Berlin, wisely incurred to build up our country. The Jan. 27, 1859. At his birth the accoucheur business-like estimate of London capitalists was so unfortunate as to wrench the infant's is more trustworthy and more important than came restless, and soon after the whole family left arm, so that it has remained ever since all the gloomy utterances of disappointed almost palsied, hanging uselessly by his side. His face shows dogged determination, pluck, The Emperor died without a struggle. He perseverance and an indomitable will, but he is said to have goodness of heart. He is the most intelligent among the princes of the STANDING ON THEIR DIGNITY. Until five o'clock Thursday afternoon the royal family. He adores the army, and the Emperor wtote with a pencil on little square army returns his love. The new Emperor toba wheat have arrived at the elevators at arrangements. He had lost completely the sal, in 1873, where, with 19 other pupils of Port Arthur, and 1,600,000 bushels have been use of speech. The Emperor worte in all stations, he was put through a thorough pencil: "I feel that Dr. Mackenzie has done | preliminary course. The fact that he was a Hohenzollen carried no weight with his thrown a 500-pound shell a distance of twelve miles, the greatest distance ever covered by a him." On another slip he wrote: "I have consideration than the son of an humble tried my best to do my duty to my God and tradesman who sat beside him in the class to my country. I feel that the end is now room. The young prince was headstrong and The naval commander, it seems, would under ferences with his companions by fist fights. He took his punishment like a little man. That is, the admiral does not make the first Some details are now becoming known in In 1877 the prince was placed in the univerregard to the last hours of the Emperor. sity at Bonn, where he proved himself an the come thing as him and the come the come thing as him and the come the An hour after midnight the Empress dis- apt scholar. He remained there until the the same thing as his excellency of Gottingen missed the members of the Imperial family spring of 1881, when he was commissioned street—he was waiting for the admiral's call.

RAPIDLY PROMOTED TO BE CAPTAIN, to be summoned. At 8 o'clock all gathered around the bedside. Dr. Koegel, Court the faces of his devoted countrymen, acknow-terested. Chaplain, who had been summoned by tele- ledging their demonstrations with an occagram, did not arrive in time to administer sional military salute. William wrs married Augusta Victoria Amelia Louise Maria Con stance, the grand-daughter of Duke Frederick of Schleswig-Holstein-Sonderbury-Augustenburg. The ceremony was performed with the transport department. A huge male eleconscious. He showed by the expression of A grand court reception was held afterward years, the property of the Government, was Senator Schultz has been appointed gover- his eyes and by the movement of his eyelids in Whitehall, followed by a state banquet, at condemued to death for a long and hardened nor of Manitoba, the appointment to date from July 1st, and Hon. A. W. McLelan the bedside. which the Emperor toasted the bride and bridegroom. The new Empress is a few life at Poons shout a course of iniquity. bridegroom. The new Empress is a few life at Poona about a couple of years ago. weeks older than her husband, having been He would not work and was a sort of apprehis term of office also to commence July 1st. of the Emperor's death Queen Victoria tele-There arrived in the Dominion last month, graphed a message of sympathy and sorrow ingly handsome woman. She is tall and well cause of anxious concern to the Government. grown, witu large, sentimental blue eyes, a The fiat went forth that he must die. The wealth of blonde hair, a snowy complexion, Maharaja Holkar and the rajah of Dhar each year. There have arrived since January first this year 34,703 intending settlers, as against this year 34,703 intending settlers, as against when he motioned his daughter Sophie to fine forehead of firm, shapely nose, the only indifferent feature being the chin, which is grand looking sinner for 1,000 rupees and the year. There have arrived since January first when he motioned his daughter Sophie to first specified with the glow of health, a separately telegraphed to headquarters and

RUSSIA AND CHINA.

There are two great powers which are a cide what part she means to play in certain and Asia, has always inspired a sort of vague dread as a little known, semi-barbarous, gigantic power that might work much mislottenburg preserved a paper whereon the chief if it tried its strength. Though almore territory and more population. All China differs greatly from the other great empire, though there are some points of re-

semblance, such as bulk and vast population. Nor can either boast the highest form of civilization, though there is the difference The insurance is very light. A gale of wind my first words to my army. But the con- fossilized and effete, having stood still while warlike operations of the future, was tested English—Miss Mary Tibbitts, Earnest Bar- swept the fire along the streets like a cyclone. fidence with which I step into the place God's modern civilization has advanced and left it at Erith a few days ago in presence of the The presence in Halifax, says the Herald, will calls me is immovably strong, for I far behind. It is not aggressive, being only representatives of the War office, who were of three hundred delegates to the General Assembly of the Presbyterian church in Solutions and duty my strong, for I are built to be being flooded by a peaceful, but observed the possibility of being flooded by a peaceful, but observed to construct the builty of being flooded by a peaceful, but observed to construct the builty of being flooded by a peaceful, but observed to construct the builty of being flooded by a peaceful, but observed to construct the builty of being flooded by a peaceful, but observed to construct the builty of being flooded by a peaceful, but observed to construct the builty of being flooded by a peaceful, but observed to construct the builty of being flooded by a peaceful, but observed to construct the builty of being flooded by a peaceful, but observed to construct the builty of being flooded by a peaceful, but observed to construct the builty of being flooded by a peaceful, but observed to construct the builty of being flooded by a peaceful, but observed to construct the builty of being flooded by a peaceful, but observed to construct the builty of being flooded by a peaceful, but observed to construct the builty of being flooded by a peaceful, but observed to construct the builty of being flooded by a peaceful, but observed to construct the builty of being flooded by a peaceful, but observed to construct the builty of being flooded by a peaceful, but observed to construct the builty of being flooded by a peaceful but observed to construct the builty of being flooded by a peaceful but observed to construct the builty of being flooded by a peaceful but observed to construct the builty of being flooded by a peaceful but observed to construct the bull of the

in indissoluble bond, in peace or storm, as of transportation and encouragement of set-system on a larger scale. It has the the apancestors look down upon me from the other that are more likely to lead to collision. the shoulder of the gunner rests. When the vinces, supplying them with European arms inches, the breech remaining closed during and instructing them by means of European the recoil. When, hewever, the barrel reofficers. Fortifications on improved plans turns to the firing position, the breech-block are also being rapidly constructed. China is thrown downward, the hammer is cocked, has her ironclad fleet, and this she is aug- and the empty cartridge is ejected, the menting, while snother striking sign of adopting the resources of European civilization for cartridge is introduced. The act of placing means of defence is the construction of a tele- the cartridge in the chamber liberates the graph line from Pekin to the River Amoor, block, which rises instantly, closing the the international boundary. Of the same breech, and the gun can be fired again. character is the fact that the Chinese press

A collision between these two populous and when the breech closed the cartridge was Empires would be no child's play. With all fired and its empty shell ejected. On introits apparent advantages Russia might find its ducing another cartridge it was fired in the continued progress rather slower than on the some way without the intervention of the steppes. China, though not aggressive, civ-ilized or well instructed in the arts of war, of cartridges, the gun doing all the work exmust have great powers of resistance from the weight of its countless millions, and Asi- The gun weighs no more than the ordinary atic troops trained and led by Europeans have sometimes proved themselves no despicable

It will not cause much grief to the rest of the world if Rursia and China should occupy a large share of each other's attention .- Em-

AN ABSURD PROPOSITION Condemned by Editor Clarke.

(St. Stephen Courier.) In the larynx, which was found destroyed by bring before the next session of the Supreme Tuesday; on the part of his wife and children, he was at last forced to succumb, after a struggle that is perhaps without a parallel in the history of medical science.

The Mational Zeitung says the autopsy the larynx to be completely destroyed the signs of the "skyfugulum" without disposed the larynx to be completely destroyed the signs of the "skyfugulum" without disposed the larynx to be completely destroyed the signs of the "skyfugulum" without disposed the larynx to be completely destroyed the signs of the "skyfugulum" without disposed the larynx to be completely destroyed the signs of the "skyfugulum" without disposed the signs of the "skyfugulum" without di

CANADA'S CREDIT.

(Toronto Empire.) The great success of the C. P. R. loan, and the appreciative remarks of the London press in regard to Canadian credit, are a welcome change after the ceaseless diatribes of certain Canadian politicians and Canadian journals. If the Grits think that Canada and everything Canadian is so helpless, poverty-stricken and sunk in ruin that there is no hope but in abject dependence upon the assistance of our neighbors, it is satisfactory to find that their pessimistic views, so industriously progagated, have made no impression. The capitalists, the politicians and the press of London have learned by experience the untrustworthiness of these wailings are opposed to the solid facts. They can properly estimate the wise enterprise of Canada in the construction of its great transcontinental route, and the wonderful progress of the Dominion. Seeing the energy tempered with discretion by which Canada is advancing so rapidly yet with such assured steps, the capitalists with all their habitual caution have no fear of entrusting their funds to us, or ranking our credit highly. They know the amount of our obligations, but they have no fear that we have assumed too heavy burdens in an expenditure which they recognize, has been politicians who are unsuccessful because they cannot believe in this country and its people.

An Amusing Incident at Halifax.

(Halifax Echo.)

I hear a rather good thing this week on his excellency Vice-Admiral Lyons. As you know, the warships arrived from Bermuda shortly after Sir John Ross, the new military commander, reached Halifax from England. wilful, and quite frequently settled his dif- ordinary circumstances be called upon by the That is, the admiral does not make the first to their apartments and prepared herself to in the army as a second lieutenant of the Several days passed and the formality had not been gone through. The general perhaps "tumbled," and had a quiet little smile to himself, but if such was the case the fact is Emperor was in full possession of his facul- and then to the command of 1st regiment of not recorded. The admiral probably was the The expected announcement is officially made that Hon. A. W. McLelan cially made that Hon. A. W. McLel The fourteen year old boy Welsh, convict piece of paper in his hand and afterwards William was a brigade commander and held that Sir John Ross was more than companion. White Cottons, then wrote something more but retained the peror," made him the most popular soldier in conduct. In talking the matter over the two and Mrs. Kent to 10 years as accessory to the some moments of struggle would occur, alter- and Austrian armies. Soon after his father he was acting governor-general of Canada. nating with spasms and great distress as the hard struggle with approaching death procommenced his inspection of drill camps at gressed. By this time the strength of the bit had been to ride out of Charlottenburg should receive and not make the first formal Niagara on Monday. He will come to the dying Emperor was seen to be waning. As Maritime Provinces, inspecting the camp at soon as it became evident that the end was His appearance in the streets is the signal discovery in performing his duty as an officer near the Empress caused the Royal family for unbounded enthusiasm. The young and a gentleman, and now the little incident soldier rides moodily on, looking sullenly on has been forgotten in the circles mostly in-

EXECUTION OF AN ELEPHANT

A novel excitement was provided to the residents of Mhow, Bombay, last week, by somewhat small and receding. She is chari- other offered to exchange a female elephant a profound impression throughout the pro-vinces. Business was practically suspended table to a fault, and in religious matters very liberal. The imperial couple have four chilin the Liverpool, Manchester and Glasgow dren, viz.: Prince Wilhelm, born in 1882; making the criminal expiate his sins. There Frederick, 1883; Adalbert, 1884, and August offers were refused, and a private notice was sent round the station that the execution would take place the next morning. Several people, including volunteer executioners, hurried to a spot indicated outside of cantonments, where the malefactor was already chained and secured between two death-plan trees. The volunteer marksmen, armed with twelve-bore express rifles, were selected to carry out the execution. The elephant was sitting down when the crowd began to assemble, but shortly raised himself on his forelegs when the first shots were fired, which hit him low down at the base of the trunk. The animal vouchsafed no other notice of this and two other equally ineffective shots, than to stand up on all four legs, shake his head and blow with his trunk. At length Mr. Dowell, of the 7th native infantry, placed a bullet in the centre of his head just below the level of his eyes, and the huge brute dropped down

AUTOMATIC GUNS.

dead without a spasm.

A New Invention which is interest ing the English War Office. (From the London Times.)

rifle so that when it was fired the recoil After firing the gun in the way described is calling attention to the danger of Russian the trigger was fixed in the pulled position, a cartridge was then thrust into the chamber,

some way without the intervention of the of cartridges, the gun doing all the work exthat of placing the cartridge in the chamber. quick-firing gun of the same calibre; the strain on the mounting is less, enabling it to be fired from a light torpedo boat without damage to the deck; and the rapidity of fire is increased with only one half the usual gun detachment to work it. Two of these guns with field carriages, were ordered on the spot by the representatives of the war office.

Brigade Staff at Chatham Camp.

The following are the staff officers of

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