MIRAMICHI ADVANCE, CHATHAM, NEW BRUNSWICK, MARCH 19, 1885.

The motion to reconsider the section ington, Lewis, Black .- 5.

Nays-Glasier, Ryan, Hetherington, Turner, LeBlanc, Mitchell, Nadeau, Ritchie, Stockton, Blair, White, Humphrey, Palmer, Flewwelling, Hibbard-15. Mr. Colter thought the operation of the twelfth section too large, because it required all the parish officers to attend to the extinguishment of any forest fires in their parish. It ought to be confined to officers in the neighborhood of the fire.

The Attorney General did not think any difficulty would arise under the section, but he thought if the words were altered as suggested the section might be weaken-

Mr. Colter said he did not want an officer liable for not extinguishing fire 20 | York came next with 223; while the miles away.

suggested an amendment so as to make killed last year. all parish officers near a fire, whether in their parish or not, to see to the extinguishment of it.

The Attorney General said he was about to suggest such a change.

The section was amended accordingly Mr. Hannington again asked that the section relating to railways should be amended. The section is as follows: "(II)-Whenever a railway passes through woods the railway company or owner or lessees of such line of road shall clear from off the sides of the roadway up to the edge of the forest all combustible material by burning the same at a safe time, o otherwise removing the same."

He wished it altered so as to read, "a far as reasonably practicable." He thought the section as it read was to impose an unreasonable responsibility on the companies. They could not be expected to remove grasses and the like.

The Surveyor General said the object of the section was not to compel them to remove grasses, and he proposed to amend | the School Room on Monday evening last. the section by inserting the words "brush and logs and like combustible material."

was reported.

ST. PATRICK'S DAY was partially obwas lost-Yeas: Wetmore, Colter, Han- served as a holiday in Chatham. The weather was delightful and Shamrocks

were worn quite generally. HATS.-Messrs. Loggie & Burr have

taken charge in the hat line. They have just received a stock that will fit out half the men and boys in the country and suit all tastes. Some of the styles are very taking and the prices are away down to

suit the times. Don'T FORJET the concert in Masonic Hall, Chatham to night. It will be a

first-class one. BEAR BOUNTIES. -- Northumberland led the Province in the number of bears destroyed, last year, returning 261 noses. record for St. John was the lowest, only Mr. Hanington agreed with Colter and 6 having been captured. 1102 bears were

THE REV. DR. SPRAGUE of Bath-

urst, who is one of the most eloquent pulpit orators in Canada, will preach

mon in the Methodist Church Chatham, on Sabbath Evening the 22nd inst. A collection will be made on the occasion in behalf of the Educational Fund of

son & Co., 22 Custom House Street, Boston, will send free, to all who will send their address on a postal card, an engraving of this famous Monument, the tallest structure in the world; also valuable his-

it is too late.

The Late William Sinclair. The funeral of the late Mr. William Sin-

clair, who died on Saturday morning of last week, took place on Monday afternoon at three o'clock. The funeral service at the house of deceased was conducted by Rev. E. Wallace Waits, (pastor of St. Andrew's

Church, of which Mr. Sinclair was a member), assisted by Rev. James Murray of Douglastown. Northumberland Masonic

Rev. Mr. Waits.

to which he also belonged, led the procession in regalia, their ranks being augmented by visiting members of the order. The pall

the Annual Educational Ser-

the Methodist Church.

WASHINGTON'S MONUMENT. -- I. S. John-

torical facts connected therewith. If you the town where he had so long dwelt. don't send for it, you will be sorry when | The marked features of his character were

METHODIST CONCERT to-night.

ST. MARY'S GUILD. - A regular business meeting of St. Mary's Guild was held in The meeting was opened as usual with prayer and singing, Miss Hocken being gotten by those who knew him intimately. The amendment was made and progress the organist. The evening was spent His friends were many-enemies he had pleasantly and profitably in the considera-

Wetmore had stated that the Address was hurried on and there was nothing

before the Legislature for the next two days which took up two hours of time. As his honorable friend hoped tolead the Government some day, it was well he should know that until the Address has been received by the Lieutenant Governor and acknowledged by him no would show that the very day the reply from His Honor was received the Lodge and Mount Lebanon R. A. Chapter, Auditor General's report was laid upon the table and the estimates submitted.

The time was not lost, but at least one day was saved. The Government has bearers were Messrs. G. A. Blair, John Shirnot withheld information asked for, but reff, Wm. Anderson, Robert Gordon, John has brought it down fully except some Brown and Wm. Johnston. The funeral voluminous correspondence on the Northern & Western Railway which procession was very large and included citihas not yet been all copied; but the inzens of all classes, for Mr. Sinclair was formation does not appear to have done

well known and deservedly esteemed in the them much good. Referring to community. At the grave the brief service of the Presbyterian Church was said He said it could not properly appear and prayer offered by Rev. Mr. Waits, and in the Auditor General's Report bewas followed by the Masonie Burial Sercause it was not by warrant, but under a resolution of the House passed after vice which was read by Dr. J. S. Benson, supply had been passed. The House Past Master, the prayer being offered by authorized the issue of \$50,000 debentures for this work in accordance with

The following tribute to Mr. Sinclair's the subsidy act passed by the last memory is sent to us by one who has long House. A bill to authorize the issue known him and the sentiments it expresses was passed by this House but was are, we believe, those of hundreds who will long remember deceased as a good citizen,

neighbor and practical christian-IN MEMORIAM

the House, and he ought to have known On Monday last there was borne to their last resting-place the mortal remains of that the Auditor General could not inthe late William Sinclair. The large conclude this in his report, but he could, and did append it to his report at the course of people who paid the last sad tribute of respect to his memory demonrequest of the Provincial Secretary. strated the esteem in which he was held in

UNDER THE COVER OF PARK, Wetmore had endeavored to paralyze for the Province. Wetmore had warmly peace. the arm of the Government in respect approved of the action of honesty of purpose, kindliness of heart to the bridge and encourage the Federal and an all-pervading sense of the goodness and mercy of Divine Providence. To these were added intelligence of a superior the Government, but through the press bound to point out that the Address order, combined with a quaintness of speech in which were often conveyed wholesome truths. He was universally known and esteemed, and had many warm and attached friends. The gentle, genial,

vent its construction. He would read kind-hearted old man will not soon be forfrom the correspondence to show that notwithstanding all his honorable friends had done, the none. His death is universally regretted

EFFORTS TO STOP THE BRIDGE had been unavailing. He referred to

want of which he complains about. Mr. | its power to stop a public work, instigated railways and some corresponding reducthereto by the Opposition, it is embar- tion will have to be made in other rassing, but the Local Government never branches of the public service.

hesitated to take their stand firmly on HE CRITICISED ADAMS' OBSERVATIONS the long established rights of the provon the way the current account was made ince. As to the manner in which the up and showed that there was no other accounts of the bridge were kept he said way of keeping the accounts. The Govthere was a precedent for it in the ernment must state fully all the money manner in which the accounts of the they receive and all they pay out. Adams Parliament Buildings were constructed had charged that the Government had and there was no other way in which paid a larger interest on floating debt business could be done, and the records such accounts could be kept. He referred than their predecessors, but he had over to an article in the Capital of March 2nd, stated the amount paid in 1884 because he saying that the bridge would cost \$40,000 did not credit interest received which in extras. Where they got their informawould reduce the interest for 1884 to tion he did not know; not from the \$8,400 as against \$8,784 the previous year. Department, for the statement was not This saving was due to the careful man. true. There would be extras, but he did agement of the Secretary, who, with too not believe they would amount to half great modesty, had not taken credit for it. the sum. He pointed out the numerous The Secretary had made arrangements to incorrect statements in the article which obtain loans from the Banks to ie said were as incorrect as they possibly the Government at 4 per cent, instead cou'd be. He denied that the Governof 6 and 7 as before and the banks had ment had an offer from the Dominion paid the Government 3 per cent. for money Bridge Company to build iron spans and

stone piers for \$95,000, but said that the THE FREDERICTON BRIDGE EXPENDITURE Company had offered to put iron spans Province received, as it never did before, on wooden piers for \$127,000, and the stone piers would cost \$100,000 more. idle. By the public accounts only \$3,439 He next spoke of

THE COST OF CRIMINAL PROSECUTIONS. in 1882, but the Province was paying The Opposition had said that he and interest at 6 per cent. on the cost of the others had complained that the Attorney Parliament buildings, not included in and Solicitor Generals in the late govern- this amount. This is included in the ment had not tried all the criminal busi- \$8,489 dollars paid in 1883, but not in ness. This was not the charge. It was the interest charged in 1882. \$6,000 should that the Attorney and Solicitor Generals (Continued on 4th page.)

did not do any of it. He dissented from thrown out by the Council and a tem- the proposition that the Crown officers porary loan was authorized by the were bound to argue all matters and not House. It did not lie in Wetmore's employ other counsel. He did not propose

to undertake to do impossibilities and he mouth to complain of the manner in did not propose to neglect his other pubwhich this account was presented to lic duties to argue special cases. Wet more had not been so particular in the past. He had approved of the late government paying \$400 to argue the Peniten-

tiaries case and he (Blair) proposed, whenever it was necessary, to employ counsel to assist in arguing special cases Island, in his 81st year of his age. His end was

THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.

widow of the late George Hayden of Chatham. Government to hostile action. He has While desiring to speak with great respect aged 70 years. not stood up in his place and supported of the action of the Council he, (Blair) was [P. E. I, papers please copy]

On Wednesday, March 18th, Bridget, second which supports him and his supporters as amended was not passed by a majority daughter of the late John Noonan, aged 33 year. in the House, he tries to throw ob- of that body and he believed that a at three o'clock, (iocal time) from the Noonan stacles in the way of the work and pre- majority of that body would not have put Homestead. themselves on record in a manner so dis-

At Chatham, on the 5th inst., of paralysis, astrous to their own reputation. The five Murdock Gillies, aged 76 years, a native of Bel members had received the Speech in a fast, Prince Edward Island. Pecksniffian manner criticizing the spell- At Chatham on Saturday moring, 14th inst.

ing and the manner in which the hand- William Sinclair aged 66 yeaas. was done. He would like to be

DIED

[P. E. I. papers please copy],

Died at Boston, Mass., on the 9th inst., Ann,

CONCERT

CHATHAM,

____ON____

___IN THE ____

Masonic Hall.

Notice of Sale.

Nelson, in the County of Northumberland.

deceased, farmer, and to all others whom it may

NOTICE is hereby given that by virtue of a

power of sale contained in a certain Indenture of

of December, one thousand eight hundred and

Maccassey of the Parish of Nelson, in the County

of Northumberland, in the Province of New

Brunswick, farmer, of the one part, and the

undersigned Gordon M. Blair, of Winnipeg. in the

Province of Manitoba, in the Dominion of Canada,

formerly of the city of St. John, in the County of

Saint John, in the Province of New Brunswick

Bank Clerk, of the other part, which mortgage

was duly recorded in the Records of the County

of Northumberland, on the 26th day of December.

A. D., 1881, in Volume 61 of the County Records

pages 101 and 102, and is numbered 93 in said

side line of lot number eight to the bank of th

Mortgage bearing date the twenty-third day

GENERAL ADMISSION 25c.

RESERVED SEATS, 35c.

CHILDREN under 12, 15c.

are the dead who lie in the Lord.'



Rockers,

which we will offer at \$3.00 former price \$4.00 A liberal discount for small lots. A lot of WOOD ROUXERS at \$1.00.

Mr. McManus committed the bill to authorize the firewards of Batharst to issue debentures, Mr. Hibbard in the chair. Mr. McManus explained that the bill was to borrow \$5'000 for the purchase of a steam fire engine and provide for a supply of water. The committee took recess till 7.30.

After recess the bill was agreed to. Mr. Adams introduced a bill to incorporate the Miramichi Marine Railway Company. Adjourned.

On Tuesday forenoon, 18th,-Mr. McManus committed the bill to cancel certain grants erroneously issued, and to authorize grants in lieu thereof to persons entitled thereto which was agreed to.

In the Legislative Council on Monday,-Hon. Mr. Young asked when the infor-

mation he had asked for regarding the loans contracted on account of the Fredericton Bridge would be furnished. He the information and said they were either ashamed of the information as they had passed no order, or were ashamed to confess it.

Hon. Mr. Harrison explained "that the reason they had not been furnished was because the original despatches of the 27th of March and the 17th of July had been laid on the table of the lower house. The corespondence had since dis ppeared, and could not be brought down here for the want of the despatches. He could safely say Hon. Mr. Young knew at one time of their whereabouts, for on Friday last he shook at him (Hon. Mr. Harrison) the correspondence in question, and the papers were not now on the files of the lower branch.

Hon. Mr. Young admitted he had the papers at one time, but said he had returned them.

A discussion took place in which several members joined, as to the right of members to go to the lower house and take papers off the files ; and also as to the right of the government to lay original papers, insteal of copies on the table. It appeared in the course of the discussion that the papers are still missing, but are supposed to be safe in Mr. McLeod's desk.

The bill to incorporate the Douglastown Branch Railway Company was agreed to with amendments.

That Mail Complaint. fore, everything that the management could furnish to make the occasion at-VILLAGE, HARDWICKE, Mar. 2nd, '85 To the Editor of the Miramichi Advan e,tractive. The first race called was one of 8 laps, DEAR SIR, - A writer in the last issue of each skater having to pass through head- { the Advance complains of the manner in less barrels and over or under a hurdle which the mails have been delivered lately about one foot or more above the ice, the at Bay du Vin. "Justice" says that there hur lle being an ordinary long bench. have been three mails only delivered in The contestan's were masters Harry Moss, three weeks. This is not the case. Only Archie Snowball, Theo. Jardine and Willie one trip has been missed. The mail of Murray. The race from the first was be- January the 27th was not despatched tween Snowball and Moss, the former from Chatham and all the other mails winning after being pushed from start to arrived in Bay du Vin and at the other offices along the route not perhaps on the The second was a race of 40 laps around days that they usually arrive on, but they the rink the entries being W. Sweezey, came all the same. "Justice" has been wrapped in a Rip Van Winkle sleep or he Beaumont Moss, Chas, Gunn, jr., W. McIntosh and Fred Howard. The latwould not write as he has done. The ter, finding the pace too hot for him droprecords at the offices along the route will ped out after skating 4 laps. McIntosh show that "Justice" has been greatly mistaken when enumerating the lost retired on 13 laps, and Gunn on 19, leav. mails. Considering the state of the roads ing Beaumont Moss with the leader, the contractor did as well as any fair. Sweezev, who won as he pleased by three minded person would expect him to do, I would remind "Justice" that Mr. Noble The County championship race was one has to carry the mail past Bay du Vin to of 169 laps and the contestants were Foint Escuminac and for many trips this Bertie Wyse (who in the first race for the winter he has had to break the road below trophy took it against Fred Copeland of Bay du Vin to the Point. "Justice" can Newcastle) and Chas. Gunn, sr., one of find out from the obliging Chatham Postour most promising skaters. Wyse is, master how many trips Mr. Noble has undoubtedly, a fast skater, with good missed in those three weeks that he has staying qualities, and he had the advanmade the fuss about. When he does this tage of being better fitted for the contest I hope that in the fair play which Bay du in the matter of skates and their fasten. Vin people are always so ready and willings than his opponent, who dogged him ing to mete out to those who deserve its persistently for a few of the initiatory laps. Gunn's ankle-straps, however. misled.

tion of the various branches of the work and tenderly placed upon his bier by one of the Guild in which an increasing interest was manifested. After Prayer and Benediction by the President the meeting

The Moncton Transcript has the follow INSPECTION.-Mr. Coker, Dominion Ining despatch of Monday last in reference to spector of hulls, visited Miramichi this week and inspected the two steamers Newcastle School difficultiesunder construction for the Steam Naviga-A large and influential meeting of the tion Company and also the Schooner berate payers of school district No. 7, was held this morning in the Temperance Hall, ing built at Buy da Vin for T. B. Willfor the purpose of discussing the action of iston, Esq. H: appears to have been anthe trustees in dismissing the teachers in tirely satisfied with the work and materials in each case, remarking that he such district. E. Lee Street was elected chairman and Mr. William Fenn, Secrecould see nothing to find fault with.

Two RASCALS hired a livery stable rig

from Mr. D. T. Johnstone last week, saying they were going up on the railway to look after some money that was due to them. They, however, went as

fast as possible towards Fredericton and, at Boiestown, were suspected by a Mr. Carroll of being runaways. He made them believe the Sheriff was after them charged the Goverment with witholding for horse-stealing and they were glad to clear out and leave Mr. Johnstone's team in Mr. Carroll's han ls. Mr. Johnstone has now returned from Boiestown,

> to him. CONCERT to night at Ma onic Hall.

THE "WORLD" now pretends that it took little interest in the late parish election. Its issue of the Saturday preceding polling day seemed to indicate that it looked up in the contest as one of great importance. It now makes a half-hearted denial of our reference to its editor being the Chat'nam correspondent of the Sun et: An elitor who

tines of parties who obtain them by dishonorable means will do and assert almost anything, and that is the kind of

is a gauge of his ideas of what is honorable and right in his profession.

Racing at the Rink.

The ice was in fine condition and there they greatly over-estimate the lamb-like was a fair attendance at the Chatham disposition of the ratepayers. Correspondence.

where Mr. Carroll restored his property

journed.

will be severely censured at the next annual meeting. will publish private letters at the in-

person the editor of the World 13. That

Skating Rink on Monday evening last when the County champ on ship and other races came off. The music by the Band

was really excellent and there was, there-

who knew and loved him well." Chatham, March 17th, 1885. ------School Troubles. the House with discourtesy and with

and this brief tribute of respect is lovingly

being guilty of improper conduct, and he presumed that when Park asked for the correspondence it would bear out the charge, but he was happy to say that the correspondence would not warrant the assertions but would show that the relations of the Government with the Lieutenant Governor, the House and the Federal Government were of a character of which the House

pondence. tary. It was unanimously resolved DOMINION ASSUMPTIONS. that the trustees be asked to attend the On March 27th, the Federal Governmeeting and give the ratepayers so ment then made their first communicaassembled their reasons for dismissing the tion which asked for information about teachers. The trustees refused to attend the bridge, claiming that the Local

the meeting. It was therefore resolved to Government had no right to build it and it was the first intimation that any memorialize the chief superintendent governmen of New Brunswick ever reabout the matter and ask him to have ceived that the Dominion claimed the an investigation of it. It was also right to control the erection of such resolved after much discussion, that the bridges. This despatch was received meeting condemn the action of the trustees the day before prorogation. Desiring faster. to treat the Dominion Government and appoint a committee of three to correscourteously plans, were prepared, but pond with the educational board, and to the Local Government held to its opinask the board to take 'steps towards ions in a firm and respectful way. On calling a general school meeting to have July 17th a despatch was received this matter thoroughly ventilated. The giving s full statement of the case by chairman and the secretary of the meeting the Federal Government and asking that the work should be stayed and the and C. S. Ramsay were appointed such question referred to the Courts and

THREATENING LEGAL PROCEEDINGS

they took because of the encouragement received from the leader of the Opposition and his friends ; but the work goes on and the result of the correspondence has been to convince the Federal Gov-

and they could not interfere successfully. He read extracts from the reply of the Local Government, in which it was shown that even if the Federal Government were right in their view of the

ers on the grounds that the seal of the corporation was not attached thereto, when, as a matter of fact, they have no corporate seal. If the trustees imagine that the ratepayers of district No 7 will be a party to their act of repudiation not agree to a reference to the Courts.

constitutional question involved.

FEDERAL ENCROACHMENT SNUBBED.

writing informed where the Council had obtained New Advertisements. the charge against him in respect to a their information, as to the intention of message received from the Federal the Federal Government to appeal the Government by the Lieutenant Gov- License question. It was not in the ernor. He was charged with treating Speech, it was not in the Address. It did not look promising for the legislation of the Session that the Council would not

accept the assurance of the Lieutenant The Methodist Choirs of Chatham and Newcastle Governor but in this way criticized and assisted by friends from the othe: Choirs of Chataccept the assurance of the Lieutenant ham, will give a GRAND CONCERT in aid of the altered the Address. Referring to the claim that by accepting the Address the METHODIST CHURCH

Government had backed down from their NEW place in the Speech, he said that it was not part of the Lieutenant Governor's duty to ask the advice of the Council as to whether he should receive the Address. There was nothing else for him to do but would approve. He read from corresto receive it. These were the points

to receive it. These were the points touched upon by the leader of the Opposition and he appealed to the House to say if that gentleman had presented such an

exposition of principles as would be expected from the leader of a party on such an occasion. The sum and substance of what he says is that the state of

THE FINANCES Doors open at 7.30 p. m. Tickets for sale at the door, and at Mackenzie's is not healthy. It is therefore to be as-

d Pallen's drug stores, sumed that if he were guiding the des tinies of the Province he would carry affairs on as they now are being carried on. He might perhaps increase the debt a little To the Heirs, Executors, Administrators, or Assigns of John Maccassey, late of the Parish of

Wetmore-Pretty hard to do that. Attorney General-Let us examine the statement of debt and see who is responsible. Since the Government came in \$413,000 worth of bonds has been issued. Of this \$250,000 was to fund the floating debt. As it has been explained a saving eighty-one, and made between the said John of from 6 and 7 per cent to 41 per cent. The balance arose under the legislation of 1882 under the late government, but any government carrying out contracts under

t are, of course, responsible for them. It is not complained that we should not have entered into them. McLeod-Yes, the Northern & West-

ern ip the way you did.

A DIVIDED RESPONSIBILITY.

Volume-there will, in pursuance of the said Power of Sale and for the purpose of satisfying the moneys secured by the said Indenture of Mortgage, default having been made in paymen thereof, be sold by Public Auction on Monday, Attorney General-That is the fourteen miles you claim to be unnecessary. That iuvolves \$42,000 and I will deal with it the twenty fifth day of May next, in front of the by and bye. He said he admitted fully Post Office in Chatham, in said County, at twelve o'clock, noon, the lands and premises in the said that the Government was responsible for mortgage mentioned and described as follows. the contracts, but this responsibility was | namely :- All that .ertain piece, parcel or tract of shared by the gentlemen who were respon- land situate, lying and being in the Parish of Nelson, aforesaid, being a part of lot number sible for the legislation. It was, there law, they should not press it. The deeight granted to the late George Corcoran, and is fore, unfair to say that the Government bounded and described as follows, -Beginning at was rolling up the debt. He explained the White Birch tree standing on the bank or that a large portion of the \$263,300 bonds shore of the South West Branch of the Miramichi issuel to railways arose under contracts River on the North West angle of the piece of the said lot assigned to one James Corcoran, declined to adopt either of the alter- | entered into by the late government, and thence southerly along James Corcoran's westerly natives offered by the Federal Govern- said that McLeed wished the contrary to line to the rear line of the lot, thence westerly ment because the Government could go to the country. long the rear line five chains and thirty-fou links to the South West angle of lot number eight aforesaid, thence northerly along the westerly

first in the field.

Hannington-Hear. Hear.

The Attorney General, continuing, said

RAILWAYS TO BE ENCOURAGED. The roads which were contracted with

The roads which were contracted with by the late Government were the Grand five chains of four poles each, and containing Southern, which received a part of the sixty-four acres more or less, and was sold and amount, the Kent Northern which re- conveyed to the said John Maccassey by William ceived \$34,800, the N. B. & P. E. I. Carnahan and wife, by deed dated the eleventh day of June, one thousand eight hundred and The despatch also pointed out that \$55,000, the Harvey Branch and the Cara- seventy, as by reference thereto will more fully

the Federal Government was wrong in quet Railway, which all received subsi- appear. supposing that a message upon the sub-icat had been cent to the L and L

BOOTS AND SHOES

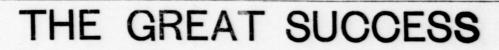
of all kinds, and as heretofore we will endeavor to sell the best quality nearly as low as the shoddy goods. We keep the

GOODYEAR WELT BOOT.

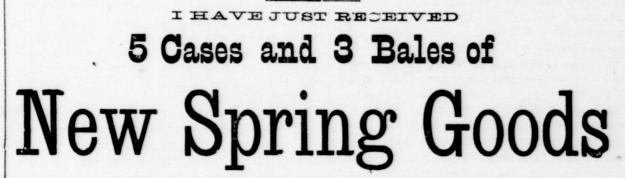
the best and most comfortable ever made.

FOTHERINGHAM & CO.

Chatham, N. B.



In advertising, I find, is to be honorable in what you advertise, sell goods as advertised, and never advertise goods not in stock : and judging from the orders I receive it is quite certain my efforts have been appreciated.



and wish to call the attention of my Customers and friends to a few of the leading lines.

-----First is a lot of------



A NEW MAKE, GOOD BLACK and SPLENDID VALUE.

LOOK AT THESE PRICES. No. 20, 8Yds. Black Cashmere for \$3,68. " 40. 8 " 4,18. " 50.8 " 4,67.

" 60. 8 " 5.36.

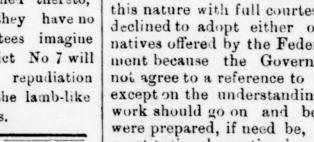
With any of the above I will give, FREE OF CHARGE, the following TRIMMINGS, -2 doz. Buttons, SILK and TWIST, 11 yd. Waist Lining, 2yds. Skirt Lining and 21 Braid, and for the price they were NEVER EQUALLED.

Samples sent to any Address.



in Brown and Grey.

11yds Melton, 2 doz. Buttons, Silk and Twist for \$1.23.



committee. After a vote of thanks to the chairman and secretary the meeting adif the offer were refused. This stand There is a good deal of hard feeling expressed at the action of the trustees, and unless they can give good and sufficient

reasons for dismissing the teachers they ernment that the circumstances of the case did not warrant their interference

The notice dismissing the teachers was unique specimen of composition, and after reciting that the teacher was dismissed went on to state that they (the trustees) repudiated the agreement with the teach-

spatch a so claimed that the Local Government should be treated in matters of this nature with full courtesy. It also

except on the understanding that the work should go on and because they were prepared, if need be, to test the

Special despatch to the Advance. MARCH 18TH.

In the Assembly,-McManus presente | petition of S. Mel.

anson aud 18 others praying for the passage of an act to increase the number of Councillors in certain parishes in Gloucester.

Adams asked leave to explain that he had had the papers relating to the Fredericton Bridge and had permitted Hon. Mr. Young to have them, but had returned them to the clerk within fifteen minutes. The Attorney General sail that while

there was no doubt that Mr. Ada ns' statement was correct the papers hal been asferred to by a member of another house who had produced them from his desk. He must therefore have had them on another occasion than that to which Mr. Adams referred. The matter was under consideration and would probably be referred to committee on privileges.

Hannington rose to speak on the ques tion of privilege, but was called to order by the Attorney General.

The Speaker ruled that Hannington was out of order. Hannington, -"I proposel to speak

upon the question. Several honorable members, "Order !" Hannington, -"It is very well for a lot of subservient men to call order. ' Mr. Speaker, -- "The hon. gentleman is out of order,"

Miramichi and the North Shore, etc.

MASONIC HALL to night.

LECTURE - Rev. Mr. Waits lectured at Napan on Tuesday evening to a full house. ENTERTAINMENT. - A Musical and Lit. second prize. Wyse's form and pace erary entertainment, under the auspices of were the subject of very favorable com-

the Chatham Temperance Alliance, will be ment by excellent judges and, considering given in the Hall of the Sons of Temper- his youth, he is a very fast skater. He ance, on Tuesday evening next, the 24th | won the race and medal by 17 laps. The fourth was a three-legged race -the inst., at 8 o'clock. Admission 5 cents, coupled contestants being Fred Howard

TEMPERANCE .- The Tuesday evening and C. Gunn, jr., C. Gunn, sr. and W. meeting in Temperance Hall, Chatham, McIntosh, Stanley Murray and Bertie was largely atten le l. Addresses were | Wyse, R. Hutchison, jr. and Bernie Wyse, delivered by Rev. Prof. McCurdy, Rev. Stafford Benson and Howard Fleigher, Beaumont Moss and Jack Jardine. Mur. Neil McLuchlin and Mr. Jas. Edgar and Mr. T. G. Marquis gave a recitation.

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A HEAVY SNOW STORM prevailed yes- ard and Gunn 2nd, Benson and Fleigher terday along the Northern Division be- 3rd and the others rolling about any. tween Moncton and Campbellton. The where, accommodation train was three hours late

By publishing this, Mr. Editor, you will oblige yours respectfully,

CHARITY. P. S. Perhaps the Montreal Herald has not arrived as regularly as formerly and 'Jastice" thinks it is Mr. Noble's fault.

but such is not the case. as he pleased, until it was evident that Gunn was only keeping up to win the

SPEECH of Attorney-General Blair on the Opposition's Want of Confidence structions from the Secretary of State to the Motion.

(Continued from 1st page.) and honestly considering the business before the House. He charged the

Government with haste last year to conceal facts and said if they were put in possession of them they could have

ray and Wyse sailed away easily and led A YEAR'S HATCHING. the field all through with Messrs, How-

If there was anything in this was it not reasonable to suppose that with all the information in his possession for a full

ject had been sent to the Local Legislature. He read as follows :---

"One other matter only contained in the lespatch of the Under Secretary remains to be referred to. The statement is therein made that His Honor the Lieutenant Governor, by message, forwarded a copy of the despatch of the 27th of March to each branch of the Legisature, and that it does not appear such message was ever com. icated to either branch It is not quite clear to the committee why this fact, admitting it to be a fact, should have been deemed worthy of special mention by the Under Secretary, either as part of the narrative of the bridge transaction or as contributing to a solution of the question involved. One effect of the statement, whether so intende ' by the Under Secretary or not, would necessarily be to suggest to anyone under whose

eye the statement might pass that in the opinion of the Under Secretary there had been an irregularity on the part of the officials through whom the Governor was acting, otherwise the messa e forwarded by His Honor would have reached its he did not believe in a hole and corner nation. This suggestion the committee think policy and he was prepared to deal fairly sufficiently serious to warrant the circumstances of the case being somewhat fully stated. The with all parts of the Province. Among facts are that on the evening of the 31st March the roads mentioned in the original Act is ast, the day preceding that which had been fixed for the prorogation of the Legislature, and upon which the prorogation actually took place, t e Private Secretary of the Lieutenant Governor not be aided if the Company can satisfy called the Attorney General out of the House, which was then engaged in closing the business of the session, and handed him a message, formally drawn up and signed by His Honor, covering a copy of the despatch of the 27th of March, with a request that the message be laid before the use. As this was the first intimation given the lovernment of the receipt of this despatch, and as the matter had not been considered by the Executive Council, the Attorney General stated the Private Serretary for the information of the Lieutenant Governor that he could not comply with the request until he had advised with His Honor on the subject, which he would do at the earliest opportunity. Accordingly, on the follow ing morning the Leader of the Government wait ed upon His Honor and stated his objection to the course proposed; pointing out in effect that in as opinion there was nothing which rendered a message to the Legislature necessary; that the normation the despatch contained was intended simply for the consideration of the Government as a statement in the despatch itself showed; and that the Government would he believed be able to "Justice" will acknowledge he has been consider and reply to the despatch without inviting the Legislature either to suggest what action should be taken by the Government or what the nature of its reply should be. This fact the committee think sufficiently disposes of the suggestion of irregularity and makes it clear that the Under Secretary has fallen through some inadvertence into error in supposing that a message was for-warded to either branch of the Legislature The Lieutenant Governor can only communicate by message with Parliament through the Executive and by and upon the advice of his constitutional

advisers and in the present instance no such advice was tendered him. Moreover, it must always, in the opinion of the, committee, be a question for the Lieutenant Governor's advisers and not for the Lieutenant Governor himself to determine when correspondence respecting matters of state is sufficiently ripe to justify and require its submission to the Legislature; and if, as the Committee are unwilling to suppose, in Lieu enant Governor of a private character, directing that the despatch be laid by message before the Legislature accompanied the despatch the Committee would consider an attempt was being made on the part of the Government of Canada to encroach upon the province of His Honor's constitutional advisers."

PROTECTING PROVINCIAL RIGHTS.

This correspondence, sanctioned by the Lieutenant Governor, shows that the turned the Government out of power. charge that that officer has been treated with scant courtesy is unfounded. The next despatch was February 20th, when

the Federal Government asked if the local Government would assent to the introduction of a bill amending the Dominion Bridge Act of 1882 so as to

virtue of orders in Council made by the bounded as follows,-Beginning at the White late government, and the amount paid to Birch tree standing on the North West angle of the piece of land apportioned to William Corcoran them was \$128,300 in bouds for which thence southerly along the westerly line thereof the late government is responsible both by to the rear line of the lot, thence westerly along legislation and by their orders in Council, the rear line to the south west angle of said lot number five, thence northerly along the wester ly Was it fair or honest to endeavor to spread line thereof, to the bank of the river, thence about the pretence that the present gov- down stream to the place of beginning, having a ernment was responsible for this increase? privilege on the river of five chains, and nine It is not possible to prevent the increase links, measured at right angles to the said lines, of the funded debt, railways are applying for consideration aided by the Dominion and conveyed to the said John Maccassey by his Government and approved of by a solemn mother, Jane Maccassey, by deed bearing date the enactment of the Legislature, and the twenty-first day of October, one thousand eight

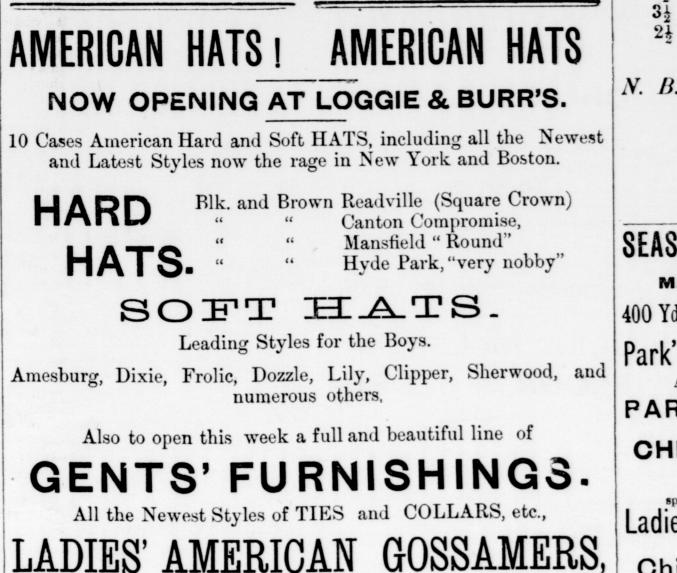
hundred and eighty-one. Together with all and singular the buildings, Government has no right to shut the door improvements, privileges and appurtenances to the said premises belonging. Dated the fourth day of March, A. D., 1885. against them because other railways were

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the Moncton and Buctouche road, and TO BE SOLD AT PUBLIC AUCTION in front of the POST OFFICE in the town of Chatwhat right have we to say that it shall ham on SATURDAY, the 11th day of April next, the Government that they can build the the Thomas McGraw Farm in Upper Bay du Vin, roal. He wished the Opposition and the containing ONE HUNDRED ACRES. There are about 60 or 70 acres in cultivation well fonce House to understand that the bonded about 60 or 70 acres in cultivation, well fenced and house and barn in good order. There is a good debt on account of railways must increase; well of water on the premises. This property and the interest probably be augumented to offers an excellent chance for a young man to \$90,000 or \$100,000. We are not adding settle down and make money. ROGER FLANAGAN, PATRICK O'DONNELL. EXECUTORS. to the debt by current expenditure, but

we must go on increasing the debt for Chatham, March 17th, 1885.

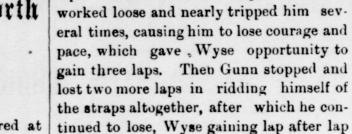


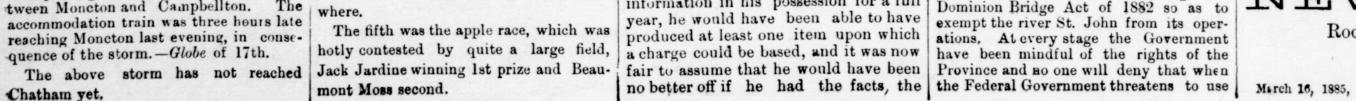
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