

had conducted affairs wisely and judiciously... (Mr. Hanington) believed that it was a most happy thing for the country that the change of government took place when it did (great applause).

Hon. Mr. Hanington—I think you are going a little farther than I went. (Laughter.)

Hon. Mr. Blair—I am only filling up the blanks in the hon. gentleman's mind. (Laughter.) He no doubt believes that I attribute to him, though he may not say so in so many words. He was sure the house would feel that the provincial secretary had been...

He (McLellan) might with truth and justice have claimed much more on behalf of the government. It was not his (Blair's) intention to reflect upon his predecessors, but the present might be a favorable time for a review of what had been accomplished during the five or six years they had been in office. When they came into power in 1882 there was considerable floating indebtedness. After funding \$250,000 of that indebtedness there was still left an indebtedness of \$71,000. During the six years since then, after providing for all the charges for the different services as liberally as ever they had been provided before, that \$71,000 had been so far reduced that the provincial secretary is able to announce that it is now only a little over \$6,000. That state of affairs was brought about in face of a diminished revenue, the lumber depression having greatly reduced the territorial revenue. In view of these facts, hon. members would see that the provincial secretary might very well have claimed much greater credit for the showing he was able to make. The hon. member for Westmorland seemed to think that it would have been better to have...

DELETED CONSIDERATION OF SUPPLY until the accounts had been examined and reported upon by the accounts committee. If it were necessary to delay supply two or three weeks the government were quite willing, for they had nothing to fear from the fullest investigation. But was it advisable to ask members to sit idle for two or three weeks awaiting the report of the public accounts committee? The practice adopted at Ottawa should satisfy the member for Westmorland. What do we find there? That the estimates had been laid on the table, and he doubted if the public accounts committee there had even commenced an investigation of the accounts.

Hon. Mr. Hanington—We always waited for the public accounts committee.

Hon. Mr. Blair—The committee may have met, but they certainly had not made any report when supply was entered upon. Now, the present committee on public accounts had been appointed some days ago, and had opportunities of meeting several times since then. The government ought to do the fullest investigation of every account last year.

THE PUBLIC ACCOUNTS committee had found everything all right and he had no doubt the result this year would be the same. The item for printing was somewhat larger than that of the previous year, but that was due to the fact that the government was printing reports that had not before been printed, among such being the report on public health. He closed by seconding the motion that the speaker leave the chair. The motion was carried and the house went into committee of supply. Mr. Palmer in the chair.

Mr. Young moved, seconded by Mr. Theriault, the former's motion regarding the building of a bridge across Little Pass, Carleton Place.

Hon. Mr. Blair—The committee of the law commissioner's report.

Hon. Mr. Blair introduced the following bill: A bill respecting practice and proceedings in the supreme court; a bill relating to trial by jury; a bill relating to actions on bills of exchange; a bill to facilitate the collection of rates and taxes in Albert Municipality; by Mr. Young, further amending the highway act of 1886.

Mr. Wilson introduced a bill establishing liens in certain cases, and give notice of a motion that it be referred to a special committee.

Other bills were introduced by Mr. LeBlanc, creating part of the parish of St. Mary's, Kent, into a separate parish; by Hon. Mr. Turner, further amending chapter 31, of consolidated statutes, relating to rates and taxes in Albert Municipality; by Mr. Young, further amending the highway act of 1886.

Mr. White from the corporations committee, and Mr. Palmer from the municipal committee, presented reports.

Hon. Mr. Mitchell presented a bill incorporating the St. Stephen Electric Light Company.

Hon. Mr. Blair informed the house that he would carry the bill relating to agriculture to-morrow.

The petition presented by Mr. Burchill in favor of a bill incorporating the Nouvelle-Beauce and Tabasco Railway, are signed by John McDevitt, Anthony Adams and 257 other residents of Alnwick parish, and Allan Ritchie, Wm. Hickson, and 164 other Northumberland inhabitants.

Mr. Killam introduced bill relating to pasturing cattle on or near dyke lands, Parish of Westmorland.

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through the house I do not feel disposed to carry it through by making any lengthy remarks but will be ready to make any explanation that may be required of me as the different items come up for consideration.

Hon. Mr. McLellan said it was intended to divide the item for steam navigation the same as last year with an addition of \$200 to the Miramichi services.

Mr. Phinney thought there was great inequality in the great road service. Kent, with its large population had only 130 miles on the great road service, while Restigouche, with a very much smaller population, had 127 miles. The time had passed when there should be a readjustment in this matter. He argued at length in favor of having the road from the village of Kouchibouguac to Acadville, and I. C. R., placed on the great road list, also the road from Butoche to the I. C. R. The centres of population are changing, and he asked that justice be done Kent. If no change for the better could be made he would like to know it so that the constituents might know that the members for Kent were not responsible for the present state of affairs.

Mr. Burchill asked if it was intended to grant a subsidy to the sailing packet that runs from Chatham to Miramichi and Shipigan.

Hon. Mr. McLellan said it was intended to grant aid to the packet named.

Mr. Quinton said if Kent had some of her bye-roads placed on the great road list he would ask a like extension for bye-roads in the city and county of St. John.

Dr. Atkinson said \$7,000 appeared a large sum for the item "legislative buildings and offices."

Hon. Mr. Ryan said that sum included coal, insurance, repairs to building, janitor's salary, etc.

Mr. Hetherington thought \$12,500 too large a sum to pay each year for keeping legislative buildings, normal school and government house in repair.

Hon. Mr. Blair said if the hon. member for Quebec would examine the accounts he would see that the sums included many things besides repairs. Take the legislative building for instance: \$700 was paid for the janitor's salary; \$800 for the heating of the building. It cost \$1,368 for the fuel for this building last year, and \$1,383 for the fuel for the Normal school. Besides, gas, furniture and insurance were included in the item.

Mr. Hetherington said he was always opposed to see the province paying so much on account of the expense of Government House.

Mr. Hanington thought that if the electric light was introduced into the assembly chamber on the ground that economy they should be removed. They were no good light and the chamber did not look nearly so well as when lighted by gas.

Dr. Atkinson urged that the Carleton county's claims be considered if any bye-roads were to be put on the great road list.

Mr. Hutchison made a similar claim on the account of the great road.

Mr. Russell said that in Charlotte the bye-roads were better than the great roads. He named a number of bye-roads in his county that were better than any of the great roads, and said Charlotte desired no change in this respect.

All the items of supply were passed except the one for stock farm.

Supply will be further considered on Monday afternoon.

NOTICE OF MOTIONS. MARCH 8. Notice of motions was given by Mr. Young for copies of all papers and other documents relating to the building of the bridge across Little Pass, Carleton Place.

On motion of Mr. Hutchison, Mr. Tweedie was ordered to be absent until death in his family.

Hon. Mr. McLellan submitted the report of the president of New Brunswick University and a statement of the income and expenditure of that institution for the last year.

Adjourned till to-morrow morning.

Among the bills introduced to-day were the following: (By Blair) Relating to foreclosure of mortgages upon railways; 2. relating to sale of estates vested in trustees and of estates of infants; 3. relating to agriculture; (By Hutchison) Amending and extending incorporation act of Douglasstown Branch Ry. Co. (By Morrissey) Authorizing assignment for relief purposes in town of Newcastle.

Mr. Young moved his resolution in reference to Nepisiquit River bridge, Bathurst.

Hon. Mr. Ryan said the information had been furnished in 1886, but would be again given without an address. The motion was withdrawn.

how it is, themselves." Bottle only 75 cents. Ask any druggist.

Miramichi and the North Shore, etc.

McCORMICK the Champion Skater of the world at Chatham Rink to-night.

BARN BURNED.—A barn owned by Mr. B. N. T. Underhill of Blackville took fire last Thursday night and burned down. Some hay and oats which were stored in the building were also consumed. The loss was considerable.—Advocate.

MUD DROGK.—The Northumberland Agricultural Society expect to have a mud-digger on next week on the mussel beds in Napan Bay. As this mud has proved a most valuable fertilizer we have not the least doubt but that the digger will be well patronized by the farmers of this county.

McCORMICK vs LAIDLAW at Chatham and a close race is expected.

WEDDING.—A very pleasant wedding took place Saturday evening, Feb. 25th at the residence of D. G. McDiarmid, Wallace Street, Fernwood, Ill., when his sister Sophie E., daughter of Finlay McDiarmid, Esq., Napan, became Mrs. John Hamilton. The ceremony was performed by Rev. M. E. Goddard, of Fernwood, M. E. Church, in the presence of friends and relatives of the family.

THE MARITIME BANK AND THE STEWART FIRM.—Mr. E. McLeod, one of the liquidators of the Maritime Bank, went to Ottawa last night, in connection with the case against R. A. & J. Stewart, which is expected to begin at the capital on the 19th inst. The liquidators have been served with a notice informing them that an injunction order had been taken out in the English court of common law to restrain the Canadian court from proceeding with the trial of the case at the present time. The liquidators do not feel themselves bound to take cognizance of the order but it is not known what stand the Ottawa court will take.—Globe.

WHO WILL WIN.—McCormick or Laidlaw?

THESE SMELT PICKETS.—Fishery office says that the dozen or so of smelt pickets which were cut down, so as to prevent the continuance of illegal fishing, were removed on the following Tuesday, not one of them remaining in the water when the great outcry about danger to navigation was raised by a contemporary.—World.

Overseer Wyse ought not to make such absurdly groundless statements as the above, because, while they may mislead the department and public to some extent, they cannot cause the fishermen, to whom the facts are known, to have any increase of respect for his veracity.

VIK'S FLORAL GUIDE.—The Floral Guide issued by James Vick, the well known seedman of Rochester, New York, is a very handsome annual, that for the current year being the handsomest in a series extending over many years. It is full of valuable information of a practical kind for all who grow flowers or vegetables, whilst its specific detail of Mr. Vick's special business is of much interest to all buyers. This number has many beautiful engravings, three handsome colored plates, illustrative of grain, vegetables and flowers. All seed purchasers or horticulturists should consult it. Sent, with ten cents, to Mr. James Vick, Seedman, Rochester, New York.

PERSONAL.—The St. John Globe of 9th inst. says:—"Mr. W. L. Germain, of the Bank of Montreal agency here, has been transferred to Ottawa. His friends met at the station last night when he took his departure and gave him a hearty send-off."

Amongst those who left for Fredericton by the Northern & Western train on Tuesday, on the Carleton's excursion were—Messrs. W. Wilson, P. L. Loggie, Geo. Watt, F. W. Russell, T. McGee, Ernest Haviland, W. McGuire, Robt. Murray, J. Geo. Tat, Jas. Johnson, John Johnston, E. Johnson, A. J. Loggie, A. J. Loggie, Jr., Thos. Crimmins, Wm. Connors, Alex. Brown, R. A. Lawlor, D. Chesman, D. G. Smith.

The San Francisco correspondent of the Aroostook Pioneer writing on 10th ult. and referring to Eureka says:—"Eureka is a real 'blue-eyes' city, there being more people from New Brunswick and Nova Scotia there than from any other parts. I met hosts of old acquaintances, among others an intimate friend, the Rev. Father Gaynor, of Debec, who is spending the winter with his brother P. A. Gaynor, manager of the Arcata Mill and Lumber Company. My meeting with the reverend gentleman was purely accidental, yet never was a heartier shake hands indulged in than took place between us."

"SCIENTIFIC AMERICAN" We have made arrangements with the publishers of the Scientific American to receive subscriptions therefor in Chatham, so as to save patrons of that useful paper the trouble of remitting to New York. The Scientific American, when ordered through the ADVANCE office will be mailed direct to subscribers from the New York office of publication. Every number contains sixteen large pages, beautifully printed, and elegantly illustrated; it presents in popular style a descriptive record of the most novel, interesting and important advances in Science, Arts and Manufactures. It shows the progress of the world in respect to New Discoveries and Improvements, embracing Machinery, Mechanical Works, Engineering in all branches, Chemistry, Metallurgy, Electricity, Light, Heat, Architecture, Domestic Economy, Agriculture, Natural History, etc.

It should have a place in every Dwelling, Shop, Office, School or Library. Workmen, Foremen, Engineers, Officials, Merchants, Farmers, Teachers, Lawyers, Physicians, Clergymen—people in every walk and profession in life, will derive satisfaction and benefit from a regular reading of The Scientific American. The prices of the different forms of the Scientific American are as follows: Scientific American, 1 year, \$3 00. Scientific American Supplement, 1 year, \$5 00. Scientific American and Supplement, both to one address, 1 year, \$7 00. Scientific American, Architect and Builder's edition, 1 year, \$2 50. Orders must invariably be accompanied by the cash.

Considering the unfavorable state of the weather, the skating carnival in the Chatham Rink on Tuesday night was quite a success. There was not so many skaters in costume as on former occasions, but some of the costumes were very tastefully got up. The band as usual played well, and the bagpipes which were very skillfully played by Mr. J. Temption, made

the hearts of the Scotchmen present beat time to their good old national tunes. McCormick and Laidlaw, did some fast skating at intervals, and the spectators appeared to be equally excited over them. There is sure to be a big house present to witness them in their five mile contest to-night.

Marriage of Dr. Russell and Miss Lewis.

The marriage of Miss Adie Lewis, daughter of Rev. A. H. Lewis, D. D., of Dr. William Logie Russell takes place on Wednesday evening of this week at the Seventh Day Baptist church. Dr. Russell will conduct the ceremony. Dr. Lewis will occupy the position of best man. Miss Grace Lewis, the sister of the bride, will be bride's maid and Edwin Lewis, her brother, will give the bride away. The ushers will be Howard E. Lewis, William Hubbard, Frank Clawson and Charles Dunham. An informal reception will be held at the pastor's house after the marriage ceremonies have been completed.

Dr. Russell was born at Chatham, N. B., Canada, in 1863. He graduated from the University Medical College of New York in 1883. He spent the next year in hospital practice in Jersey City. He entered the State Asylum for the insane at Morris-town, Jan. 1, 1885 as third assistant physician. He rose rapidly to the place of first assistant, which he held until his resignation Oct. 1, 1887. Since that time he has been pursuing special studies in New York, particularly in the line of dermatology. He will start on Thursday morning with his wife for Minneapolis, Minn., where he expects to enter general practice but with the ultimate purpose of giving his whole attention to dermatology as a specialty.

An article from the pen of Dr. Russell appeared last month in the American Journal of Insanity entitled "A Chapter from the State Asylum for the Insane at Morris-town, N. J." It was prepared at the earnest request of many who were interested in the matters discussed. It has been reproduced by the press of New York and New Jersey and has already created a marked interest in many circles. Dr. Euloph, the venerable superintendent whose experience during forty years in the care of the insane entitles his opinion to weight, speaks of the paper in the highest terms. It is a sharp but candid criticism upon the present system of management by which the medical department of the Asylum is greatly crippled, being practically subjected to the business department. We are not familiar enough with such matters to pass judgment, but the paper by Dr. Russell and its endorsement by the editors of the Journal of Insanity and others, gives ample reason for a careful consideration of the matter on the part of those having the institute in charge. Except for the desire of Dr. Russell to make a specialty of dermatology, there is reason to believe that he would have settled in our own city, thus adding another to the very efficient medical staff with which our community is already favored.—Central New Jersey Times, Feb. 16th.

The Coming Race.

Chatham is to be the scene of the greatest race of the winter witnessed in the Province, the contestants to be Hugh J. McCormick, the well known Champion Skater of the world, and R. C. Laidlaw, of Dartmouth, N. S., Champion of Nova Scotia, who has been trying to wrest the great honor from McCormick. Both arrived in Chatham the first of the week with their trainer and have been working hard, and both naturally feel confident of success.

Their latest contest was skated in Pictou last Thursday and was a fast race from the start which is evident from the fact that McCormick, the winner, made the fastest time ever skated for 5 miles on a square rink, the time being 17.11 minutes only 30 feet, or about 2 seconds behind it. It is no wonder that Laidlaw, having followed McCormick so closely, now feels like victory, and a hard fought race may be expected. Laidlaw, with practice, has a good future before him. He has only been before the public a short time and will not be 19 years old until the 20th March.

McCormick has the best record for the world for one mile, having skated it in 1:55; and also for 5 miles, which he did in 10:28 minutes, and has never yet met his equal.

The management of Chatham Rink deserve credit for securing this great race for their town and the public should respond by being present and cheering on the races.

The Pope to the Prelates.

In the latter part of February the Pope sent a letter to the patriarchs, archbishops and bishops of the whole Church on the subject of the beretta. The beretta is the three cornered cap worn by ecclesiastics. It is begun when priests gave up the ancient custom of covering their heads with the amice till the actual beginning of the mass. Its color was black or dark blue.

Gradually in modern times archbishops and bishops made it the color of their cassock—violet. This was clearly against the rule. The Pope now gives official permission to patriarchs, archbishops and bishops to use the violet color and establishes the rule for all future time.

The letter, signed by Cardinal Ledochowski, has just reached this country. His Holiness begins with a pleasing reference to his jubilee, and warmly thanks the prelates for the love and affection which they have substantially shown to him personally. He then goes on to say that he signifies his jubilee by making it the right, instead of an unauthorized custom, of the prelates of the rank named to wear for all future time the violet beretta.—N. Y. Herald.

Kent County Notes.

Richibucto, March 13, 1888. Mrs. J. Robichaud, of North West, while coming out of the Roman Catholic Chapel in town, on Sunday last, fell on the ice and broke her right wrist. The fracture is of a serious nature, and will incapacitate the unfortunate woman from active work for some time. Dr. C. T. Weeks has the case in hand.

The Telegraph Office has been removed to a small room in the rear of the Post Office, same flat. The size of the room is 8x10.

Messrs R. Barry Smith, T. A. Kinneer and E. Girouard of Westmorland County, and J. Gordon Forbes, Esq. of St. John, are at attendance at the Circuit Court.

Smelt fishing having closed, the farmers and others are busily engaged hauling mud for their farms and wood for their firesides.

The Circuit Court opened at eleven, a. m., to-day. His Honor, Judge King, presiding. There being no criminal business, His Honor was presented by High Sheriff Wheten with a pair of white gloves.

The judges charge was brief and of the usual nature where much ado is made of nothing.

The first case to be tried in the Halifax Banking Co. vs Antoine Girouard, Clement M. Cormier and David M. Girouard—an action to recover on Sheriff's bond. R. Barry Smith and T. A. Kinneer for plaintiffs; C. Sayre and E. Girouard for defendants. On closing of plaintiffs case, the Judge directed the jury to find verdict for plaintiffs for \$23.75 with leave to move to set aside verdict on points reserved for argument in higher Court.

Wm. Wheten vs John Cochran—an action for defamation of character, damages \$5,000—will come next. McInerney & Carter for plaintiff; C. J. Sayre for defendant.

Henry O'Leary vs R. A. & J. Stewart is next to be tried—McInerney & Carter for plaintiff; J. Gordon Forbes for defendant.

Mr. John M. Wathen, sr., and Captain James Foster have been and still are in delicate health, although able to move around. They are two of the oldest residents in Richibucto.

The Kent Northern Railway has been running more regularly and giving better satisfaction—which was so much needed—since the ADVANCE took the matter in hand and aroused the dormant management.

The Sullivan-Mitchell Fight.

LONDON, March 10. After 39 rounds the great fight between Sullivan and Mitchell, which took place Saturday afternoon, on the training grounds of Baron Rothschild, near Criel, 32 miles north of Paris, ended in a draw. There was considerable wrangling about securing a suitable spot, which was ultimately chosen by three outside parties, at the request of the pugilists' backers.

Mitchell talked as much as usual, and though pale, declared himself confident of success.

Sullivan looked determined, but was somewhat thin in the face. When the combatants reached the ring, four spectators were present. McDonald, Jack Ashton seconded Sullivan, and Baldock and Kilrain seconded Mitchell. Mr. Angleton, of the London Stock Exchange, was referee. Jack Bennett umpired for Sullivan, and Charley Rowell for Mitchell.

Sullivan entered the ring at 12.25, and Mitchell followed five minutes later. At 12.50 the fight began.

Everything favored Sullivan. Both men opened cautiously, but Sullivan soon landed a heavy blow on the left of Mitchell's jaw. Mitchell retaliated with a light blow on Sullivan's chest, whereupon Sullivan sent a cracker on Mitchell's head and knocked him clean off his legs.

SECOND ROUND. After half a minute's interval Mitchell came to time and Sullivan was at him again. Sullivan twice cornered Mitchell and landed a pile driver on his chest. This was a crusher for Mitchell who tried to run out of harm's way, but he caught a blow on the head from Sullivan's right that dazed him like a log.

THIRD ROUND. Mitchell came up to time but ran all around the ring closely followed by Sullivan, who finally sent him sprawling with a left hander.

FOURTH ROUND. Sullivan was blowing on account of running after Mitchell and though he finally caught Mitchell and punished him lightly, Mitchell continued to pursue the same tactics.

FIFTH ROUND. This was practically a repetition of the last, Mitchell dodging every blow. Finally he was felled by the Bostonian.

SIXTH ROUND. Mitchell sent a powerful right hander coming, dropped to the ground to avoid punishment, whereupon the referee cautioned him against breaking the rules.

SEVENTH ROUND. Mitchell repeated his dilatory tactics and Sullivan's wind began to give out a little. There was some pretty sparring towards the close, which ended in the Britisher again kissing the earth.

EIGHTH ROUND. More dodging around the ring. Sullivan moving more slowly. Mitchell downed again.

NINTH ROUND. Sullivan was kept busy chasing Mitchell all round the ring. Mitchell succeeded in landing a blow or two lightly, reaching Sullivan's face twice. At this time rain began to fall heavily, and the ground was soon swamped. Sullivan was nearly breathless from chasing Mitchell, but both pegged away.

SLOW MUSIC. Little rain was done after the first four rounds, Mitchell keeping himself well out of the way, but annoying Sullivan every now and then by a sudden dash. He played the waiting game well, as slowly but surely Sullivan's blows lost their force.

HAD THE SHAKES. In the 32nd round Sullivan was attacked with ague. Rain fell in torrents and the character of the ground may be imagined from the fact that this round lasted twenty-seven minutes.

THIRTY-FIFTH ROUND. The thirty-fifth round lasted fifteen minutes. Sullivan was so weak with his exertions and with ague that he absolutely could not approach Mitchell.

THIRTY-SIXTH ROUND. By this time both men seemed very much exhausted and their blows were feeble. Mitchell's hands had become very sore. They thus faced each other in the storm for about half an hour.

CALL IT A DRAW. Baldock now said that no definite result was likely to be reached and he suggested a draw. Sullivan asked Mitchell if he was willing to call it a draw. Mitchell replied—"It's for you to say, John."

Sullivan—Then call it a draw. Mitchell—"I've agreed!" The two fighters then shook hands after battling for three hours and eleven minutes.

SULLIVAN'S REPUTATION GONE. Mitchell showed considerable punishment. There was a great lump on his jaw, his left eye was bunged up and his body was bruised.

At the outset Sullivan offered to back himself for \$2,500, but the offer was declined. His backers then offered three to one on Sullivan, but found no takers. The party returned to Paris after the fight was over.

He waits were absurdly long. This however suited Mitchell. Rain rendered the battle ground a mere marsh and this did not suit Sullivan.

Sullivan has completely lost his reputation as a knocker out.

Stealing a Saw Mill.

A Baltimore despatch of 5th inst. says:—"Baltimore has had many cool thieves in its history, but the well-dressed stranger who came to the city and stole Judge Wm. A. Stewart's saw mill exceeded them all. The saw mill was in East Baltimore, and being in litigation was unmoored, and the chief value was in the machinery. A handsome smooth-tongued stranger made a critical survey of the premises, and then made a contract with Henry W. Wagner, who does hauling. 'I am the agent of the New York Insurance Company,' he said, 'I have come to dispose of the contents of this old shanty. I want the machinery out of the way by this afternoon, as I will have to go west at once.' Wagner hired extra drays and extra help, and the machinery was removed to a junk shop, where it was sold for about \$700. The handsome stranger pocketed the money, and invited Wagner to take a dinner with him. They went to a restaurant, and after they had a liberal meal the handsome stranger asked to be excused for a moment. He has not been seen since. He has the receipts for Judge Stewart's mill, and Wagner has nothing but regrets.

Judge Stewart presides over the City Court. He is reported as laughing heartily over the matter and remarking that a fellow who could carry out a scheme like that deserves to go off."

The Mardi Gras Day was Anticipated.

On February 7th, 1888, Tuesday (always Tuesday) the 212th Grand Monthly Drawing of the Louisiana State Lottery took place at New Orleans. The event had been anticipated, as the 14th, the first of the month in February, was Mardi Gras day, and the holiday, it is observed. It was under the sole management of Gen. G. T. Beaudry, of La. and J. H. Early, of Va. No. 71,575 drew the First Grand Prize of \$150,000. It was sold in fractional lots at \$1 each to M. A. Dauphin, New Orleans, La., held one by Robt. Poutz, Frankfurt Mich., the first \$10,000; one by Geo. J. Johnson, Baraga, Mich.; three by Wm. S. Couch, Baraga; three-tenths to correspondents in San Francisco, Cal., paid through Louisiana Nat'l Bank, of New Orleans; one by the Anglo-Saxon Bank, Limited, of San Francisco, Cal.; one by Matthew Steffens, Harrison St. Police Station, Chicago, Ill., etc., etc. Tickets No. 42,412 drew the Second Grand Prize of \$50,000. Tickets No. 61,533 drew the Third Grand Prize of \$20,000, and so on in tenths. One held by J. Carter, Santa Clara, Cal.; one by John B. Trutt, Winchester, Ill.; one by A. G. Drobsh, Lincoln, Ill.; one by L. F. Cooper, Cleveland, O.; one by Joe DeClue, Terre Haute, Mo.; one by C. H. Souley, Albuquerque, N. M.; one by Wm. S. Naft, Bank of Phila. Pa.; the rest went elsewhere. Tickets Nos. 13,648 and 25,477 each drew one of the Fourth two prizes of \$10,000, and a full line of merchandise everywhere. Any information may be had on application to M. A. Dauphin, New Orleans, about the 212th Grand Drawing on Tuesday, April 10th.

STORM IN NEW YORK.—On Monday last New York was visited by the heaviest snow storm it has experienced for the last twenty years. For a time trains were blocked and considerable injury was done to the telegraph service.

GENERAL NOTES AND NEWS

A Manchester (Eng.) girl telephoned to her father's office, asking if her dog was there. Curley was there, and his mistress asked the man to hold him up to the telephone. She whistled and spoke, and told him to come home. Curley picked up his ears, and soon afterwards he was placed on the floor started for home.

The Province of New Brunswick contributed to the Dominion Treasury the sum of \$4,417.52 for fishing licenses, fines, etc., in 1887. Nova Scotia paid \$1,583.28; Quebec \$3,544.68; British Columbia, \$943.12; P. E. I., \$1,228; Manitoba, \$5,500; Ontario, \$15,063.57. The total was \$25,947.53. New Brunswick's contribution is the largest except of course, that of Ontario.

English teetotalers received a painful knockdown blow at a meeting held at Leitchfield on Tuesday under the auspices of the Chatham Temperance Society. Dr. H. M. Morgan, the principal practitioner in the city, who had been one of the leading lights of temperance and a teetotal abstainer, started the brawling by announcing that he had changed his views and joined the ranks of moderate drinkers, partly for example and partly for experiment. He had abstained totally for six or seven years, but had become convinced that his health had suffered thereby. He had consulted many eminent physicians in London and Birmingham, but all had advised him that total abstinence would prove seriously injurious. Now he had gone back to the juice of the grape, and while admitting total abstinence to be very much in the abstract, he concluded it was not good enough in real life.

Bishop Courtney will be consecrated on St. Mark's day, in St. Luke's church, Halifax. The new bishop will immediately after his consecration enter on his duties.

Another Baltimore girl has married an editor. It makes one heart sick and sorrowful to see our bright, happy, beautiful young girls thus selling their youth and their love and their lives for gold and a reigning position in society.

Lieut. Col. O'Brien has declined an offer to command the Canadian Wmbleton team. The offer has now been made to Lieut. Col. C. J. Macdonald, of 66th Battalion, Halifax.

H. Rider Haggard is one of the blonde type of man. His skin is sallow and colorless, and his hair is a sort of light drab. He has eyes of a dull blue, and a large nose, being a very sad example of the tint which accompanies a very sad expression. All the officials of the palace and servants are dressed in mourning, but the young ladies are ordered to wear mourning for a month, and all state occasions are cancelled. The Prince of Wales, Prince Christian and Prince Henry of Battenberg, who will represent the Queen, will be the funeral of the deceased German Emperor.

In the house of commons on 9th inst., a motion of layton against a hereditary house of lords was negatived by a vote of 223 to 163. The motion was supported by Sir Wm. Vernon Harcourt, J. Bryce, John Lubbock, and all statesmen of the Gladstonian generally as well as by the Palladines.

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