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On and after Monday the 7th September, 1896, the trains of this railway will run daily (Sundays excepted) as follows:

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CHATHAM, N. B. - FEBRUARY 11, 1897.

The St. John "Globe" and its Methods.

It seems a pity that a journal of the St. John Globe's former position should have retrograded in tone and standing as that paper has done within the last few years. It was once quite creditably managed and reliable but, of late, it has lost caste in both respects, and become simply the organ of a political faction in St. John, of which its editor disdains all the rules of propriety which are observed by reputable newspapers, and it has come to be well understood amongst the better class of public men, including those of its own party, that because of its mendacity in respect of its opponents and treachery in dealing with those for whom it, at times, professes friendship, it is to be accorded the same degree of credence, respect, and confidence as is usually extended to the semi-civilized Indian.

Leading Liberals of St. John have learned this fact through the Globe's treatment of their present party leader in New Brunswick, whom its editor vainly endeavored to prevent from succeeding in Dominion politics, but whom it is forced to follow at the present time, in a half-hearted way, awaiting, no doubt, its opportunity to stab at him, as it did when he was premier of the Province.

The Globe has, also, ever been the exponent of the views of those who have assailed the interests of the North Shore, and denied to this section of the Province its rightful influence in the government and legislature at Fredericton. It has never forgiven those of our representatives who made it clear to the people that the government could be carried on successfully without consulting the school of sectional politicians whom the Globe specially represents, and it has pursued Hon. L. J. Tweedie, the leader of those through whom the lesson was taught, with a vindictiveness as unrelenting as the controlling mind of the Globe is narrow and malignant.

Our readers are, no doubt, fairly familiar with the tactics employed by the Globe in furtherance of its pet policy of breaking up the present government. It assailed Mr. Blair as openly as it dared when he was premier, because his cabinet was a non-party one, and it has been more outspoken against Mr. Mitchell, the present premier, because he has successfully conducted the Government on the same lines since he became its head. It has been especially coarse—indeed brutal—in its references to the illness which has partially prevented Hon. Mr. Mitchell from fully discharging all the duties of the office, and its chagrin over the loyal and perfect agreement between Messrs. Tweedie and Emmons and their chief, are galling to its editor, by reason of the failure of his ridiculous efforts to sow seeds of dissension between those gentlemen, because one is a Conservative and the other a Liberal.

This incident was precisely what the Globe's representative desired, and he made the worst possible use of it in that paper against the Provincial Secretary, misrepresenting his language in a way which at once stamped the report with the character of mendacity, and disclosed the animus which prompted it. It was so much of a piece with the general character of the Globe's treatment of Mr. Tweedie, that it was taken cum grano salis by that paper's readers, every one of whom felt that it was only another pop-gun explosion of the Globe's wrath against one who has ever held its opposition in light esteem, and never thought its support worth the purchase.

The evident glee with which the Globe misrepresented Mr. Tweedie in the matter is suggestive of the garrulity of the ill-bred scold, who has succeeded in being even spurned by its betters, and while everyone will perhaps regret that his proverbial good nature exposes him to the intrusion of such persons as the Globe's young man, even in his private quarters, when he is making his toilette, it will also be felt that if Mr. Tweedie made a mistake, it consisted in his not treating the fellow who had made so coarse a reference to the premier with silent contempt, until a porter could have responded to the bell and shown him down stairs.

The St. John Telegraph's account of the episode of which the Globe has sought to make so much capital, has let daylight pretty well through it, and shown that the latter paper's story was a very untruthful one. The St. John Gazette also treats the subject in a leading editorial entitled, "The Globe

and Mr. Tweedie," which we reproduce:

"For some weeks past, on as many occasions as possible, the Globe of this city has assailed different members of the Provincial government: The editor has endeavored to make it appear that there was a division of sentiment in the government concerning the probable success of Hon. Mr. Mitchell. It is well known that Mr. Mitchell has been suffering from an ailment of a very serious character, and taking advantage of this, the Globe, the Fredericton Gleaser and the St. John Sun have persisted in reading his death warrant to the whole world. While Mr. Mitchell's condition is certainly serious, it is not so bad as these glib editors would have people believe. The Globe's course in particular has been most objectionable, and its editor is somewhat youthful and indiscreet member of the staff was foolish enough to say that he was glad that the Hon. Mr. Mitchell was ill, and that he could not die too soon. The heartless statement was made to a Conservative lawyer in the city, some months ago and has, no doubt, reached the ears of members of the government. At Fredericton the other day this kindly disposed young person presented himself to the Provincial Secretary and demanded an advance copy of the speech which was to be presented in a few hours to the House. Mr. Tweedie was shaming at the time—and he declined to give the unfriendly reporter a copy of the speech in somewhat vigorous language. The revenge taken by the reporter was to publish, not a truthful statement of the occurrence, but one fashioned to suit the occasion.

"In dealing with Provincial affairs the mendacity of the Globe is unequalled, and there has not been a single truthful statement appeared in its columns on the subject for many months. So anxious is the editor to injure members of the government now, that he will descend to any depths, however low or contemptible. Hon. A. T. Dunn bears witness to the fact that the Globe reporter's statement of the scene between Mr. Tweedie and himself, made in the presence of Mr. Tweedie and Mr. Dunn, is altogether different from that which is published in the Globe. It is not an unusual thing for the Globe to publish a lie about a political enemy. It has been characteristic of this habit ever since it has been under the management of its present editor, to carry on this class of warfare.

"There is not a newspaper in the Maritime provinces or elsewhere that has published as many lies about opponents as the Globe, and where lies would not answer, insinuations of the most contemptible character have been made. But the Globe's political enemies have furnished to a greater extent than its friends. Mendacity does not suit the general public, a fact which Mr. Ellis will probably find out to his own cost in a few weeks. One of the strongest supporters of the Liberal party in St. John county has had in Hon. A. T. Dunn, and yet because this gentleman does not see eye to eye with Mr. Ellis, respecting the provincial situation, he must be maligning—a nice way of repaying the work done by Mr. Dunn and his friends to elect Mr. Ellis. The wheel may turn again before long and when it does Mr. Ellis may find that important changes have taken place in the political complexion of this constituency that he had not calculated on."

There are now in port unladen five ocean steamers, one ship, one barque, two barguettes and 109 schooners. "Red's Castle," recently known as the Convent of the Sacred Heart, is for sale. Twelve steamers and eight bargues are at sea bound for this port.

With half a can of tomatoes and two table-spoons of instantanous tapioca, a soup can be made in five minutes, of a most excellent quality. It is not necessary to advise a good housekeeper to keep these things always on hand.

The flour market is dull; millers have reduced the price of Manitoba patents 25 cents; the highest grades are sold at \$5.50 and \$5.60 per barrel. Beans are quiet and a shade lower; choice hand picked \$1. and medium 90 cents per bushel. There is a better demand for fish; pollock sells at \$1.10 to \$1.00; medium cod \$2.75 to \$2.85; large \$3.20 to \$3.30. No. 1 Sablebrine herring, \$3 per box; new smoked herring, 6 and 7 cents per box. Packers have advanced the price of evaporated apples 1 cent per pound but prices here are unchanged. The European sugar market is overstocked, production being in excess of consumption. Markets are very much depressed and prices are a fraction lower. There is great activity in the tea business and retailers in the country are buying in quantities to last a year. It is probable that the wholesalers will find a dull tea market after the tariff question is settled. Business is good; the lumbermen are active and a good many supplies are going forward.

Kumford Home remedies are best advertised by the people who have used them. There are eighteen of them and they volunteer to cure eighteen everyday complaints. That ought to satisfy the most economical as they are sold at ten cents each.

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Opining of the Legislature. Beautiful weather greeted the legislative opening at Fredericton last Thursday afternoon, and long before the hour for the formal ceremony the streets in the vicinity of the Parliament buildings were crowded with people, and the house itself, both floor and galleries, was simply packed.

At 2.30 the new members, Hon. Mr. Dunn, who had to go back to his country for re-election on accepting office, Mr. Oomen and Mr. Davidson of Northumberland and Mr. Carpenter were sworn in by Judge Vanars, and signed the Assembly roll.

consumed in a good, simple household lamp. If women do not prefer to remain single, they should give their admirers to understand that they are ready to do their cooking by an oil stove and that they are not the selfish, heartless creatures which unfortunate Mr. Atkinson represents to be. A New York physician writes that early marriages almost always result disastrously and, in consequence, men are growing to think they are running a great risk in marrying at all. He says the bachelor who marries between forty and forty-five, stands ten chances of happiness where the boy who marries between twenty and twenty-five stands one. The older man knows what he wants, and he begins with it. In the second place, the older man knows that happiness is a delicate and easily killed possession, and he is more careful of it than the younger man. He has not the enthusiasm of the younger man, and he, having passed the time when trifles please, forgets that a woman in that respect is young much longer than he.

A lion stands in the road, even of the bachelor of forty-five, but the doctor is not quite without hope for him. He says:—"Let the bachelor of forty-five find a bright, well-dressed, happy-hearted woman between thirty and thirty-five and if he isn't happy it is his own fault."

One lumbering heavy ton has been removed from Protection slip on the west side of the harbor. The Lorne Hotel, one of the famous landmarks of the north end of the city, was burned to the ground last Thursday morning, the inmates escaping in scanty apparel. Formerly the house was largely patronized by up-river people, and the sayings and doings at the Lorne ten or fifteen years ago, have become history. Its proprietor, Mr. Henry Akery, is a son of the old time proprietor of "Poverty Hill," a noted hostelry on the marsh road seventy or eighty years ago. The Lorne was partially insured.

Coronin O'Neil, 66 years old, committed suicide by cutting his throat with a razor at the almshouse last Wednesday morning. He had been an inmate of the institution for several years, and formerly was a clerk in a city goods store.

Last month 264,512 bushels of grain passed through the elevator here. In January 1896 the quantity was 121,854 bushels. A critic says that the young persons who fill the pages of the average magazine, write with all the intensity necessary for the grandest human passion, but we hear only the screech of an imaginary critic. Severe as his criticism is, it is borne out by the facts. But "John-a-Dreams," the new candidate for popular favor, is not an average magazine. His tales, essays, criticisms and poems remind one of the writers who made Blackwood and the Knickerbocker famous 50 years ago. They are original, classical, entertaining and instructive. John-a-Dreams is issued from the Cornell Press, University Place, New York, at one dollar per year.

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His Honor being seated on the throne, was pleased to deliver the following speech, opening the legislative session: Mr. Speaker, and Gentlemen of the Legislature: It affords me very great pleasure to meet you in parliament, assembled for the discharge of your important legislative duties for the first time since I have entered upon the trust reposed in me as the representative of the Most Gracious Majesty in this province.

The lamented death of my immediate predecessor in a foreign land, while he was seeking the restoration of his health, was deeply felt by the people of his native province, to whose interests he had devoted so much of his life, and I am confident you will join me in paying a just tribute of respect to his memory.

I am happy to be able to congratulate you upon the fairly prosperous condition of the business of the province. Providence has given to our farmers average crops, and wherever farming has been pursued upon correct principles, results have been satisfactory. I am happy to see that you, throughout the province generally, there is a gradual improvement of methods in agriculture, and I trust the day is not far distant when our farmers will take their proper position among the best and most improved in the different provinces of the Dominion. The rapid development of the dairy industry in the province within the past few years, and the many recent changes and improvements in agricultural implements, with which it is of the utmost importance that our farmers should keep fully abreast in order to hold their proper position in the Dominion, have led my government to consider the case of the farmer with regard to agriculture with a view to bringing them up more fully to the requirements of the time. Measures will be submitted to you for consideration which it is hoped will further stimulate this most important industry.

Our lumbermen, who compose so large a class of our population, have also had a very prosperous year, and looking to the future more hopefully than at any former time. The policy of my government in conserving as far as possible the best lands of the province has had an excellent effect upon the lumber business, and this will be felt more and more as years elapse and our timber lands become more valuable.

The reign of our Most Gracious Sovereign, Queen Victoria, has exceeded in length that of any of her predecessors who have occupied the throne of England or of Great Britain and Ireland. Her reign represents an era in the history of the Great Empire by its development in arts and manufactures, in political liberty, in the improved moral and social condition of the whole people, in Christianity, and in the vast extension of material wealth and power. In connection with these is the power of good which has always marked the public and private life of Her Majesty, and has made herself felt in every generation. We may safely predict that her reign will be regarded as the brightest in the annals of our country, and I am confident that her loyal subjects will all unite in celebrating the triumphs of this long and glorious epoch in the history of the Empire.

While celebrating the past year has been blessed with an abundant harvest and a large measure of general prosperity, a serious calamity has befallen our fellow-subjects in India, where a famine of almost unprecedented severity has devastated a wide extent of territory, and brought suffering and death to many thousands. The bond which unites all dependencies of the crown is, happily, a sense of sympathy, and we are proud to see the empire, however remote, without exciting a responsive sympathy throughout the world. Indeed, a calamity so widespread as this, is one that which has cast its deplorable shadow over the whole of the Empire, and it is a duty which we are bound to discharge, and which we are bound to discharge, and which we are bound to discharge.

At the last session of the Legislature an appropriation was made to provide for the importation of cattle, sheep and swine. My government, after giving the matter careful consideration, did not for various reasons, deem it expedient to make any provision for the importation of swine during the present year.

Public attention has been recently directed to the desirability of attracting the steady flow of tourist travel from our cities and towns and the neighboring republics, and the Government has endeavored to secure the public interest, and to improve our public buildings, and to improve our public buildings, and to improve our public buildings.

Estimates of the probable income and expenditure of the current year will be laid before you, and I think you will find that they have been prepared with a due regard to economy and the necessities of the public service.

well received, for he is naturally an orator and, as such, is always interesting, but his fault-finding, although mildly put, seemed far-fetched. He was followed by the Provincial Secretary.

Hon. Mr. Tweedie said he must congratulate the mover and seconder on the very able manner in which they had performed their duty. He had seldom had the pleasure of listening to better speeches. He must also congratulate the leader of the opposition. He had heard him for some five years and he thought he was improving all the time and getting more in line with the government. (Laughter.) Members of the government could not but sympathize with him and feel that as he had nothing to say in opposition it was natural that he should gravitate in their direction. The present government had been in power fourteen years and upon every occasion the people had expressed their confidence in them and their policy, and while the hon. member might seek to disseminate a feeling among the supporters of the government, he must know that the present administration occupied a position that no government in this province had ever occupied. (Applause.) In the recess three supporters had been elected by acclamation and a fourth by about 200 majority. The hon. member had spoken of Albert. He (Tweedie) thought the hon. member had gone out of politics altogether. He had never heard of him in Albert, nor in Northumberland, nor in Queens, nor in his own county of St. John, where the Surveyor General was elected by acclamation. Surely a gentleman who took upon himself to say that the Acadian people or any other section of people were not treated fairly, should show the people that he had some responsibility for what he says and some influence in the voice of the country. The hon. gentleman's efforts to stir up strife among the supporters of the government, would do the government no good, and would do the hon. member no good. Last year the hon. member recommended the same course, only that he then recommended the hon. member for Keit for the position of Commissioner of Board of Works while he now recommends some other gentleman. (Applause.) Such idle talk would not go down with the supporters of the government, which occupied just as strong a position as it ever did and had placed the province in a better financial position than ever it occupied before.

The bonds of the province were now selling better than those of any other province in the Dominion, and not excluding the bond and prosperous bonds of Ontario. Last year its bonds sold at 106.06.

Dr. Stockton—A province that has a surplus like Ontario, does not have to sell bonds. Mr. Tweedie—they have got bonds on the market now.

Mr. Tweedie said the hon. member had referred to the fishing question. He thought that the government should show those fishing and hunting privileges and let everybody shoot and fish as they pleased.

Dr. Stockton—No, I said under government protection.

Mr. Tweedie—What different protection do you want than we have now? When the present fishery law was introduced by the government the hon. member had warmly supported it and had never recommended a change since. Because a few people in St. John wanted to get some fishing down there, the hon. member comes up and wishes to wipe away a policy which he himself was partly instrumental in inaugurating. When that bill was passed, Mr. Ellis, his colleague from St. John, had opposed it, but the hon. member spoke strongly in its favor. His views had changed now, not because the government had made any departure, but because it was a matter of expediency with a speech; he had to find something to make a speech about.

Dr. Stockton—I am not finding fault with the policy of the government, but I say when you make a change, I hope in view of past experience, you will make it so that the people will have a freer right of fishing than under the present law. Get a rental out of it if you can, but throw it open so that the people generally can fish.

Mr. Tweedie said the hon. member had apparently sought to create the impression that the government was doing something different from what they had done heretofore. The hon. member wanted to bring in a proposal to let some of the content of the present law go, and to let the people in Nova Scotia fish the fact was that fishing streams had been almost depleted, simply because there had been no protection and everybody was allowed to fish as they pleased. In our own province rivers that were not leased, and even some that were leased but not guarded, were fished and netted.

He instanced the Baribique and Cain's rivers, as streams where such illegal fishing was constantly carried on. All these streams were thrown open to the public in a short time no person would get any benefit, for the supply of fish would be destroyed. Some years ago the government were offered \$100,000 to seal out the Restigouche entirely. Did the hon. gentleman want to cancel these leases? Did he want to repeal the game law?

Mr. Stockton—Certainly not.

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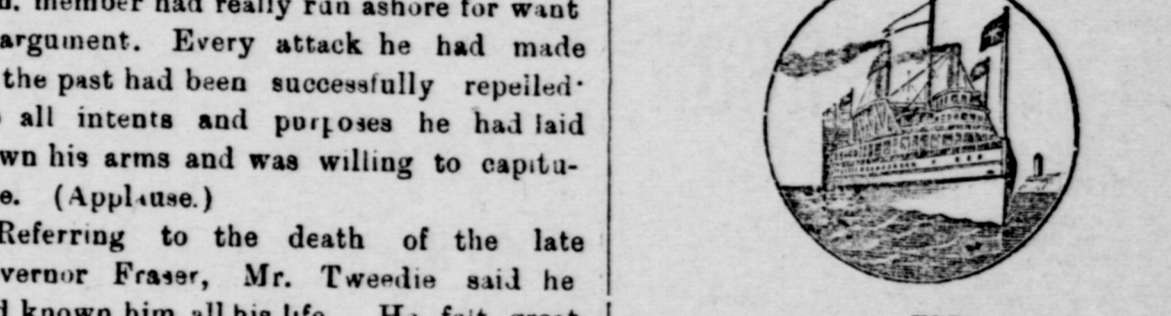
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The Subscribers offer for sale the Pilot Schooner "New Brunswick" which is a fine vessel and well adapted for pilotage or other work.

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NOTICE is hereby given that application will be made to the Parliament of Canada at the next session thereof for the passage of an Act to authorize the Town of Chatham to provide a system of water works for said Town and to empower said Town to borrow money for the purpose of carrying out such system of water works.

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Store to Let.

To let from May 1st the Store on Water Street, Chatham, lately occupied by J. D. Coughan. For particulars apply to J. M. BROTHERS, Newcastle, N. B.

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