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FISH BREEDING APPROPRIATIONS by the Dominion Government in the main estimates amount to \$60,000 for the coming year.

LORD DUNDONALD is mentioned in well-informed quarters as the nex Major General to command the military forces in Canada. He has been prominent figure in the South African

of Chatham of His Honor Lt. Governor plant contract, but the town of Chat and Mrs. Snowball, on Friday last, was a very enthusiastic one and could not have been otherwise than gratifying to all concerned. It had not the varied surroundings of the first great popular demonstration at Newcastle and Chatham, but was none the less hearty and

### Hon. A. G. Blair.

The following telegram is self-explan-

New York, March 2. To C. J. Milligan, St. John.

You may state, as authorized by me, that the newspaper reports respecting my health and intended resignation We have just imported a large lot of from the government are entirely incorrect. My health, I am happy to say, Cucumber | has greatly improved, and I have not the remotest intention of resigning. A. G. BLAIR.

#### It "Hoodoos" Them.

The St. John Globe doesn't agree with the leading public men of York county in reference to the desirability of having its three representatives attend to its legislative interests for one session-or two at the most. It at tempts to dictate in the matter. glories in elections. There's business for it in them. It would be wiser for the Globe, however, to cease making itself ridiculous. It was rather unfortunate for the conservative candidates in the federal by-election in York and the local in Kings, that it abandoned its Liberalism and assisted them. the Globe had opposed them they might have won. The longer the local byelection in York is deferred the better it will be for those who are to be "hoodood" by its support, which they will not have because it loves them, bu rather that it hates the government.

#### Opening of the Legislature.

The Legislature is to meet at Fredericton at half-past two o'clock this afternoon. The new members will be sworn in by His Honor, Chief Justice Tuck. His Honor, Lt.-Governor Snowball will deliver the Speech from the Throne, and Mr. Speaker Robinson will make the usual claims regarding the priviledges of members, etc., after which the House will adjourn until Friday. This latter course is a de parture from the usual practice, but it is one that will, no doubt, meet with general approval, inasmuch as it is for the purpose of affording all who may so desire an opportunity of being received by the newly-appointed Governor and his wife. It is evident that His Honor and Mrs. Snowball are bringing to the position in which they are placed a knowledge and appreciation of the duties pertaining to it which are an augury of the kind of success which people of all classes admire, because its underlying cause is a recognition of the fact that those who govern can only do so acceptably and effectually by keeping

in touch with the governed. At the Friday afternoon session of the Legislature the Address in reply to the Speech will be moved by Mr. King, the new-elected member for Kings, and seconded by Dr. Ruddock, recently elected to fill the vacancy in St. John county, caused by the death of Mr. McLeod.

### Water and Sewerage Work.

The warning note sounded by the ADVANCE a few weeks ago in connection with the final settlements to be made with the contractors for the town water and sewerage work, appears to have to win on its merits, and that it would be been timely. We referred to the subject because, being acquainted with so far as it was concerned, whether the the methods of gentlemen engaged in such undertakings, as contractors, we assumed that they would act in the manner usual to them, and get the best of the town if they were permitted by the local authorities to do so.

The ADVANCE based its remarks on facts as they existed. That the contractors put up one of their workmen to call the editor a liar and employ other coarse and characteristic language to him, did not surprise us, any more than do the letters which were read at Monday night's Town Council meeting, or the fact that Messrs. Hanscom are they have not even the hope of "better making claims for extras at this late date and just as the time approaches when the finishing of a very important part of their contract is to be entered

If, as seems probable, the town's opened on Saturday, 22nd., which was a engineers have made mistakes ought to have been avoided, it will be necessary to have the facts established. so that justice may be done to all according to their merits.

We are glad to observe that the gentlemen of the Public Works Comvoi no form for depositors, but deposit mittee seem to be alive to their duty of the province, conditions respecting game, Agriculture. During the past few years recep s will be issued to those who prefer protecting the town in the premises. That is their sole duty; and if they The guides present from the province that at some period during the session lands sold by the department and compermit themselves to be turned aside from it by such abuse as has been The New Brunswick government ex- not help the dignity of Parliament; but showing an increase of 13 388 in favor indulged in on behalf of the pumping hibit occupies a larger space this year the Opposition appear to think that the of 1901. The number of homestead plant people against the ADVANCE, or than was the case four years ago. The discipline is necessary in order that each entries granted during the past year, by claims that may be set up to offset log cabin, in which are the headquarters, head of a Department may be made to 8,167, was 741 in excess of the previous

contractors in any branch of the work, they will only have to share with other ratepayers hereafter in the losses to Chatham which will be the gain o these outsiders, who seem to think they are entitled to do about as they please

As so Mr. James Miller, whose name

is in the correspondence, while he is nominally the contractor, everybody knows that he is simply the representative of Montreal and New York parties in the matter, and that he was induced to connect himself with them in order to enlist local interest and sympathy in their behalf. Everybody wishes him well. Nobody blames him for doing his very best for his principals and THE RECEPTION by the school children | himself in connection with the pumping ham owes a duty to itself which its council should perform, regardless of the interests, real or supposed, of any individual, whether he live here, in Montreal or New York.

## "Shingles" Again at Ottawa.

The Sun's Ottawa correspondent unfair to engineer P. S. Archibald. He says :-

"Mr. Barker, member for Hamilton, one of the greatest railway authorities in Canada, evidently intends devoting considerable attention to the affairs of the I. C. R. this session. He has given notice of a series of important questions regarding the purchase o supplies for the road. He also asks for a return regarding the transfer of items of excenditure from revenue account to capital account during the past year."

It is known that Mr. Archibald, who was dismissed from the position of chief engineer of the Intercolonial Railway for political partizanship, has been in conference by correspondence and, more recently, by personal closetings at Ottawa with Mr. Barker. Whatever Mr. Barker may know of I. C. R. affairs should go to the credit, or other wise, of Mr. Archibald. If he is "one of the greatest railway authorities i Canada," he has been made so by Mr. Archibald, who similarly created wonder in railway knowledge in the person of Mr. Powell, ex-M. P. for Westmorland. Of course, Mr. Powell's training by Mr. Archibald led to hi defeat in the next election, and Mr Barker, of Hamilton, may meet with the same fate. All the same, he wil meantime shine with borrowed light from Mr. Archibald, but that gentleman should not be deprived of whatever credit may be his due in the matter. We wonder if Mr. Archibald will tell Mr. Barker all he knows about "shingles."

#### The Result in King's.

Considering the circumstances of the election, in King's County, the result which is reported under another heading, indicates that the Government has not's ing to fear from its electors in a general

There was a general feeling everywhere that, whatever were Mr. King's abilities his personal strength amongst the people did not compare with that of Mr. Sproul. who fought a good battle in the previous by-election against Attorney-Genera Pugsley, who had with him all the prestige of a high government office just acquired and the influence of a successful an honorable professional and political career as a native of the county. On that occ sion, Mr. Sproul was not recognized by the Conservative party or supported any substantial or organized way. Yet h polled within eight hundred and twenty nine votes of Mr. Pugsley.

In this election, however, the conditions were much changed. The Foster Conser vatives thought Mr. King was a sufficient ly weak man to afford them a guarantee of success against the Tweedie Government the defeat of which they desire for several reasons. So they openly espoused Mr. Sproul's cause and put their leading speakers in the field, including Mr. Hazen. Mr. Fowler, M. P., Mr. Geo. V. Mc-Inerney and others. They also induced the St. John Globe, which was supposed to be a Liberal newspaper, to abandon its position as the "candid friend" of the government and come out in open hostility to it. To these efforts and influences they added an accumulation of cash contributions levied upon the generous stalwarts of the party all over the country from Sackville to Ottawa, for the latter were assured that success was in sight and it needed only the cash to made it

Premier Tweedie appears to have taken the position that the government ought well to ascertain, under normal conditions, people of Kings were to be turned aside from an appreciation of what was best for them, by the misrepresentations and corrupt influences made and operated in that county, The result has justified his faith in the good sense of the electors of that constituency. The combination against the government has made its best effort under the most favorable conditions possible for its success, and it has miserably failed. Moreover, it is said that it cannot carry out sundry promises made, and that certain parties who were misled and have "claims" cannot secure satisfaction for them; so it is a case in which the losers cannot either pay up or look pleasant, for

### The Sportamen's Show, Boston

As stated in the ADVANCE last week, the Sportsmen's Exhibition in Boston public holiday. Large crowds were present from early in the morning until

a busy place all day; hundreds of people who had never visited the province inspected the exhibits displayed, and made enquiries as to the ways of reaching and the advantages offered to tourists.

mountings, including heads of moose, is not such an easy one that this course is in the history of the department. During deer, birds, etc. Near the base of the really necessary in order to keep him in a the last five years there were 29 514 cabin, on the outside, are two stuffed proper condition of humility before his entries made, as compared with 16,367 seals. The Canadian colors are promi- opponents; but the Opposition seem to for the preceding five years, or an increase nent, as are also the New Brunswick coat think it is. of arms, and the entire exhibit is so labelled as to leave no doubt in the minds of spectators as to where it is from. In last letter was the triumph of the Liberals front of the log cabin is a large yard in the Senate. When the present Gov-

been very tastefully arranged. "The Tourists' Paradise."

Hon. Albert T. Donn, of St. John, committees in the Senate, the govern Surveyor General, arrived at the show F. iday, and spent two busy days. Hon. Mr. Dunn left for Fredericton to attend the sale of angling rivers, but is to return. The other government officials present were ; L. B. Knight, Chief Game Commissioner of the province; W. H. Allen, Penniac, York county, guide; Robert Armstrong, Perth, Victoria county Harry Allen, Perth Centre. Walter Carnall, taxidermist, of St. John was also

present at the government headquarters. The show was to continue for three weeks from opening-day. Later on D. G. Smith of Chatham, Fishery Commissioner, R. H. Armstrong of Newcastle, and John Robinson, jr., one of the principal wardens of the province, and a well known guide were expected, so that a good representation would be on hand. In the show at large two of the striking features are the pond with hundreds of swimming wild ducks and geese, and the exhibit of live fish. Outside of these and the New Brnnswick exhibit, the general display in the exhibition hall is hardly up to that of other years. The State of Maine does not make a particu-

larly good showing. Among the advertisers, the Canadian Pacific railway is a prominent exhibitor. That corperation has a log cabin, and a complete bureau for the dissemination of literature relating to all parts of Canada. The company has also a splendid collection of game specimens. H. J. Colvin the Boston agent of the C. P. R., is in charge. The railway lodge is situated almost direcly across the hall from the New Brunswick headquarters, and is prominent. The New Brunswick camp is situated on the right of the great building from the main entrance, and has what is considered by many to be the most advantageous position in the hall.

Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Neale, of Chatham, were amongst the earlier visitors to the show, and received every attention from those connected with the New Brunswick

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### The King's County Election.

HAMPTON, March 3rd .- The provincial government scored another victory Saturday, when Kings returned as its representative Ora P. King, of Sussex, the candidate of the government party. Mr. King has a majority of 120 votes.

This being Mr. Sproul's home, considerable interest was manifested in the elecion. The opposition party made a big fight for a substantial majority from this parish but, although Mr. Sproul gained many votes on account of personal considerations, the friends of good government rallied under Mr. King's standard with the result that the counting of the ballots showed Mr. Sproul's majority to ne but eight votes.

In the outlying parishes the fight was election was the principal topic of conver sation all day. The returns as reported

are:—		
	King.	Spro
Westfield No. 1	82	
Westfield No. 2	27	
Studholm No. 1	86	
Studholm No. 2 (Apohaqu.)	121	1
Sussex No. 1	277	2
Sussex No. 2	36	
Cardwell,	119	
Greenwich	77	
Norton No. 1	67	]
Norton No. 2	54	
Rothesay	92	
Rothesay (non-residents)	2	
Havelock	148	1
Waterford	131	
Upham	51	
Springfield No. 1	94	
Springfield No. 2	103	34
Hampton	188	]
Kara		
Hammond	51	
Kingston No. 1	93	
Kingston No. 2		
Totals	1,899	1,7

### Our Ottawa Letter

Ottawa, 28th Feb .- The second week of the session ends with a record of progress practically unprecedented. Ever since the change of government the Opposition have permitted very little business to be done during the first two or three weeks; but this year they have been disposed to change their tactics. CHANGED PRACTICES.

They could not very well have done otherwise. Immediately after the short debate on the address had closed, Mr. Fielding laid the estimates for the year on the table of the House, and it these had not been taken up in a business-like way the Conservatives would have had to answer an inexcusable waste of time. During the past week a large number of items were put through, although on Tuesday night the Opposition showed their teeth in a very decided way over the estimates The New Bounswick headquarters was of the Agricultural Department. HARRIERS.

The course of the Opposition on Tuesday night was clearly due to the determination to "roast" the Minister of it seems to have become a settled thing made a number of engagements with each Minister is made to pass through panies amounted this year to 712 566 this fiery ordeal. Such a proceeding does acres as against 699,178 acres in 1900, those of the town for tailures of the is handsomely set off by numerous realize he is alive. The lot of a Minister year, and was the largest ever granted religious are;

The really important event since my which is well filled with specimens of erument succeeded to power, the Upper game and fowl, handiwork of the taxider. House had an overwhelming majority of mist. The decorations throughout have Conservatives, and every one is familiar with the means which were taken in the Working in conjunction with the gov- Senate to block the will of the Commons ernment officials are the officers of the in matters of important legislation. The Fredericton Tourist Association, which is throwing out of the measure providing for booming the vailey of the St. John in the extension of the Intercolonial, and the energetic fashion. The government and Redistribution Bill, were striking intourist association are distributing liberal stances of the way in which the partisan supplies of literature, which include large majority was turned to account. At one maps of New Brunswick from the Crown | time it looked as if the new Government Land office, Gun and Rod, written by would be unable to do anything to which Fishery Commissioner D. G. Smith and the Conservative senators might take Mr. W. K. Reynolds, the Inte colonial except on; but that day has passed. One ailway's folder, "Where to go for a by one Liberals have taken the place of Vacation," and the Fredericton book, Conservatives, until this year, when the saue arose as to the control of standing

majority.

A CHANGED SENATE.

DON'T LIKE THEIR OWN MEDICINE. The loss of this last vantage ground was not allowed to take place without a final vigorous struggle. Mr. Scott, as the Government leader, spoke very candidly about the political aspects of the matter, intimating that since Confederation the Liberals had not been allowed to have chairman of a single committee in the Senate, and that now he thought the time had come for a change. The Liberals were now in a majority, and he held that they ought to have control of the com mittees. It was pathetic to hear Sir Mackenzie Bowell and Mr. Ferguson deplore the introduction of the partisan view, and declaim in favor of an independent and judicial Senate. They contented themselves, however, with this protest, and, for the first time in the history the Dominion, Liberals have been placed at the head of the standing committees of the Senate. RECIPROCITY.

Monday was taken up wholly with discussion on the subject of reciprocity. Mr. John Charlton brought up the question, and spoke at considerable length. He took occasion to point out the very unreasonable attitude of the United States in relation to trade with Canada, characterizing the action of that country as narrow and selfish. He quoted from the official trade returns to show that our imports from our neighbors were enormously greater than our exports to them, and that the situation in that regard steadily growing worse. His notion of remedy was not, however, so clear as his diagnosis of the trouble. As was pointed out by some of the members, withou regard to partisan considerations, we can not help it on this side if the Americans are disposed to be hoggish.

ENGLAND DOESN'T SUPPLY THE ARTICLES Moreover, a careful analysis of our purchases from the United States shows that three-fourths of all we buy consists of articles which England cannot supply. For example, Great Britain cannot sell us raw cotton, hard coal, tobacco, oranges, or a score of other things which we now get Headache, Billiousness and Dizziness. Only from the United States. Nearly all these articles are on the free list. Contiguity enables our neighbors to sell largely of the coarser manufactures of iron and steel, such as steel rails; but if all goes well these things will be produced Canada after this year. In fact, the production of steel rails has already begun at Sault Ste Marie, and under the prevailing tariff and bounty system it wil not be to the interest of purchasers to go outside of the country. The debate was not ended on Monday night, and when the subject next comes up the Finance Minister will have the floor.

### SELF-ADVERTISING.

Reference was not made last week, wing to the lack of space, to Mr. Bouras sa's annual tirade against the manner which Canada is treated by Great Britain. His motion on the face of it referred only to a call for the papers relating to the Clayton-Bulwer treaty ; but with this tex he roamed over his favorite ground o attack upon the general subject of Imperial policy. He incidentally hinted at his views about the South African war, and revealed an unmistakable tinge of hostility to the Motherland. Mr. Bourassa does this very largely for the sake of notoriety; but the nevelty of the thing has worn off and very few people take him seriously. He does not speak for any party, and he has no following.

### GOOD SHOWING.

The reports of all the Departments have been laid on the table of the House. which is a record that has not been equal led before. This has been due to the settled policy of the Government to afford the Opposition no ground whatever for the blocking of public business after Parliament meets, on the ground that official information is lacking. Some of these reports afford interesting and instructive reading. That of the Interior Department shows that the receipts of last year from the sale of Dominion lands was \$370.416 greater than the immediatey previous year, which bears out the view that immigration into the Northwest is going actively forward. These purchases were made to some extent by settlers who went in years ago; but for the most part they were made by immigrants who have come across from the Western States. YOUKON IS A REVENUE-PRODUCER.

The report just referred to also shows that the excess of revenue over expenditure in connection with the administration of the Yukon District now amounts to \$757,795. If the charges to capital account are eliminated the surplus amounts to \$1,804,333. The outlay in connection with the Yukon has gone each year to swell the total expenditure by the Government; but when the account is looked into it is found that a very substantial balance exists on the credit side. Since the administration of that district began the balance of revenue over outgo amounts to \$3,613,430.

BIG PUBLIC LAND SALES. The total acreage disposed of by railway companies is not quite as large as for the previous year, but the combined area of

of 13 147.

THE "MEEK AND LOWLY." During the week Colonel Hughes brought up a resolution on the subject of rule adopted in Canada no one is recognized at a State function of ecclesiastical rank than that of a bishop, The Colonel drew attention to the fact that this gave recognition to but two of the denominations, while the heads of the others were ignored. He held that this was unreasonable and the cause of much needless irritation. We have no State Church in Canada, and there was therefore no reason for discriminating in favor of the heads of two denominations to the exclusion of all the others. The subject was discussed in a moderate spirit, and it is probable a remedy will be found in due

#### MR. BLAIR IS ALL RIGHT.

The Minister of Railways was obliged to visit New York a day or two ago, and ment party were found to be in the this circumstance was seized upon by the Opposition press to revive the rumor that Mr. Blair was about to retire. It was said that his health had broken down, that he had gone to New York to consult a specialist, and that his successor ha already been selected. All this was sheer invention. Mr. Blair is now entirely free from organic trouble, has returned to regular office work, and has almost regained his full physical strength. Acting under the advice of his physician he is avoiding the danger of overwork; and if nothing happens he will be in possession of his wonted vigor in the course of a few weeks. No doubt his opponents would welcome his reirement, but that is not going to happen.

> O tawa, Feb. 26 - Hon. W. S. Fielding brought down to-day the correspondence between the government and Marconi. In a communication dated Ottawa, January 6 addressed to the premier, Marconi courteously thanks the government for hospitality and encouragement. While requiring capital, he thinks it might be o reciprocal advantage if the government could become in . me way associated with the undertaking, which he hopes to carry to a successful issue in Canada. He therefore makes the following proposition :

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2-The government to agree to contribute to the company \$80,000 for the erection of a 10 25 lv station in Nova Scotia according to Marconi's plans, any excess to be paid by the 12 55 pm

3 - All messages to be sent over government telegraph lines at rates not higher than those charged for ordinary commercial

ment with telegraph companies in Canada the government land lines will be on no less favorable terms. 5-The company agrees that rates on nessages between Canada and the United Kingdom shall not exceed the rates charged

for similar messages between the United

4-If the company enters into an arrange-

Kingdom and any other portion of North 6-The company undertakes, if operations prove successful, to transmit general mesages between stations in Canada and any corresponding stations in the United Kingdom at rates which shall be fully 60 per ent. less than the present cable rates. other words, a reduction from 25 cents a word to 10 cents a word, while for govern-

7.-The company undertakes as far as possible to use Canadian machinery, material and labor in the work in Nova Scotia.

ment and press messages the rate is not to

exceed five cents a word.

8-If the government desires to use th Marconi system for communication with lighthouses or life saving stations or be tween the mainland and any Canadian islands or with vessels passing to or from t assist in the protection of life and propert on the sea coast or inland waters of Canada. the government is to be free to erect all such stations as it may require, the company furnishing all machinery and apparatus at fair and reasonable prices, free from charge for patent rights or royalties.

9-Such stations when established by the government, are to receive all messages sent by ships equipped with the Marconi system and deliver them to the connecting lan ines without any charge, the tolls to collected by the agents of the company board the ships from which they are sent. and shall belong to the company. The government is entitled on the other hand to receive for its own use all tolls collected at its stations for messages transmitted

As the Marconi company has made certain terms with Lloyds respecting transmission of messages from ships to stations on land, and questions might arise respecting the right of the company to grant the privileges mentioned in sections 8 and 9 the compan indertakes to make reasonable arrangements between the dominion government and Lloyds corporation. If such cannot reached, then sections 8 and 9 are to be void and the contribution by the dominion government to the Marconi company for the stations in Nova Scotia is reduced from \$80,000 to \$50,000. Lighthouses maintained by Canada on the coast of Newfoundland are to be deemed covered by the agreement. On January 29, Mr. Fielding cabled to ports ; Marconi: "Government accept your pro

On February 5, Marconi wired Mr. Field ng: "My board today have approved the agreement proposed by me which government accepted by cable. Hope to leave England for Ottawa on February 22nd. Will you prepare simple agreement, embodying the arrangements which I shall be empowered to complete on arrival." Ottawa, Feb. 26 .- (Special) - A bulletin

was issued by the census department today giving the religions of the people. The number of specified denominations and sects is 142, embracing a population of 5,326,716. There are 30 other sects represented by one or two individuals each -in all 149 persons

۱	The principal religion	sare:	
l	Denominations.	1901.	1891.
ı	Adventists	8,064	6,354
I	Anglicans (Ch. of Eng.)	680,346	646,059
ŧ	Baptists	292,485	257,449
١	Baptists (Freewill)	24.229	45,116
I	Brethren	8.071	11,637
ļ	Congregationalists	28,283	28,157
١	Disciples of Christ	14,872	12,763
۱	Friends (Quakers)	4,087	4,650
ł	Jews	16,432	6.414
1	Lutherans	92,394	63,98
Ì	Methodists	916,864	847,765
١	Presbyterians	842,301	755,326
I	Protestants	11,607	12,253
l	Roman Catholics		1,992,017
l	Saivation Army	10,307	13,949
ı	Tbinkers	1,531	1,274
ĺ	Unitarians	1.934	1,777
į	Universalists	2,589	3,186
١	Unspecified	44,184	89,35
1	Various sects	141.474	33,75

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Nelson .... 6 35 [Nors .- Passengers leaving chatham on the 6.15 am. Express for Fredericton, reach the .Chatham .... 6 15 m Junction it good time to connect wiin the Mari time Express going south.] The above Table is made up on Eastern standard time. The trains between Chatham and Fredericton will also stop when signalled at the following flag Stations- Derby Siding, Upper Nelson Boom, Chelmstord, Trey Rapirs, Upper Blackville, Blissfield

Carrol's, McNamee's, Ludlow, Astle Crossing, Clearwater, Portage Road, Forbes' Siding, Upper Cross Creek, Covered Bridge, Ziouville, Durham, Nashwaak, Manzer's Siding, Penniac. Maritime Express Trains on I. C. R. going north run through to destinations on Sunday. Maritime

CONNECTIONS are made at Chatham Junction with the I, C. RAILWAY for all points East and West, and at Fredericton with the upper provinces and with the C. P. RAILWAY for St John and all points West, and at Gibson for Woodstock, Houlton, Grand Falls Edmundstor

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\$158,802 was paid as fishing bounties to

deep sea tishermen of the maritime provinces.

Of this, \$68,721 was divided among the

crews of 802 fishing schooners and the

balance shared by 2,231 boat fishermen.

years about \$3,000,000 was paid in bounties

to maritime province fishermen. Abou

80,000 men were engaged in the industry

catch in Canada for the year was \$21,557,

639, a decrease of about 6,300,000. There

was an increase in Nova Scotia of \$461,000;

decrease in New Brunswick of \$350,000

decrease in British Columbia of \$257,000.

increases of \$95,000.

In the other provinces there were small

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South Africa

London, Feb. 26.-Lord Kitchener re

"A convoy of wagons was attacked and

captured by the Boers southwest of Klerks-

dorp, Transvaal Colony, Feb. 24. The

escort consisted of a force of the Imperial

Yeomanry, three companies of the North-

umberland Fusiliers and two guns. The

fighting was severe. He also reports that

600 Boers driving cattle rushed the outpost

line near Bothasberg, Transvaal Colony,

during the night of Feb. 23, and that some

of them got through. The Boers left 15

Pretoria, Feb. 26 -In the attempt made

by 600 Boers to break north through the

Vrede blockhouse line, held by the columns

under Byng and Simington, the brunt of the

fighting tell on the New Zealanders. The

British losses were two officers and 18 me

killed and five officers and 33 men wounded

London, Feb. 25.-General Kitchener re

NOTICE.

J. ii Birry,

dead and six wounded on the field.

104 surrendered.

during the season. The total value of

There were 19,776 claims paid.

Universalists .....

I beg to return thanks to my patrons for heir favors of 1901, and as the year has ome to a close the most important feature of any business is to make the next year nore successful than the last. With that special object in view I have se ected my tock from best houses in the Dominion of Canada and United States and bought it at the lowest prices, so as to still enable me to increase my business by selling goods cheaper than I ever did before. Ottawa, Feb. 26.-Today Sutherland brought down a bine book re-Call and prove my assertions when we lating to the fisheries. The total expendshow you my new stock at rock bottom prices. Thanking you for past favors, I itures on the department was \$491,569. During the season of 1900 the sum

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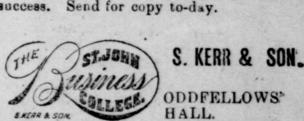
MARITIME EXPRESS. DAY EXPRES

STORE

Scotia received about two-thirds of the January, 1902, 141 per cent. bounty fund, amounting to \$101,448; Quebec, \$33,203; New Brunswick, \$13,562 Forty-one per cent. increase of patronage and P. E. Island, \$10 589. For the last 19

> January 1901, is encouraging, considering the fact that last winter's classes were the largest we ever had. Our catalogue gives the reasons for our

or January, this year, as compared with



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DENTIST. Dated this twelch day of F breary, A. D. 1902. Rooms over J. D. Creaghan's store, Newcastle. Is prepared to do at work it . mr statisticing

ports that during the past week 20 Boers were killed, 12 wounded, 379 captured and

made to the Leg stative Assembly of the Province of New Brunswick, at the next session thereof, by "The Upper South West Miramichi Log Driving Company" for an act in amendment of its act of incorporation (Cap. 83 60th Victoria) providing for the large of tolar upon tunner love and transfer large of tolar upon tunner love and tunner large of tolar upon tunner love and tunner large of tolar upon tunner lar a rate of toles upon timper, logs and lumber deiven by the Company, instead of the as-essment system

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