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The new year on which we have just entered is likely to resemble in various respects many of its predecessors. It finds the British Empire at peace with all the world, but with two or three unpleasant disputes on hand which easily might entail disagreeable consequences. The British Government has a dispute with the United States Government as to the exon over the ten waters of the Behring Sea, and as to its fishing rights in Canadian ports and looks possible, but mast be considered waters. The British Government has a rather improbable. There has been too difficulty with that of France as to its much mutual blackguarding for a speedy treaty rights in the waters on the coast of renewal of friendship. Newfoundland, and as to arrangements of African territories and the military occupation of Egypt. Also the British go to Ottawa to look after the interests Government has a little quarrel with that of Kent in the Federal Parliament. of Portugal as to the reality of some of Would it not be a good move to provide the Portuguese claims to territory in him with a numerously signed petition to Southern Africa.

matters will be amicably settled before He is anxious to do all in his power for long. The out'ook throughout the world | the welfare of the county, and should be promises peace. Though storm clouds assisted as far as possible by his constitumight easily darken the sky in almost any ents. direction at short notice.

Carada may be plunged before the year is out in the excitement of a general elec-

couraged Liberal Union hopes. We think kept along the boundary by mounted it likely that squabble over Parnell will police for armed United States Indians have a serious weakening effect on the crossing the line. Gladstonian strength. But we do not

gant expectations on the part of Liberal of the Dominion, gave an exhibition mile Unionists. If yielding to over confidence | race against time at the local rink Saturthey grow careless in their preparations day evening. He finished in three minfor the fight, they might be badly beaten utes and twenty seconds, being so far as after all.

THE EDUCATIONAL SUPERINTEN. DENCY.

It is rumored that Mr. Crockett's displacement from the Educational Superintendency has been effected or determined upon, and that Dr. Inch, President of Sackville University, has been selected as Mr. Crocket's successor.

Mr. Crockett's displacement will not, we think, be generally regarded with satisfaction. He is well fitted for the office of Superintendent of Education, and has done good work in it. Dr. Inch, no doubt, is well fitted for the situation but his acceptance of it looks doubtful. - 400--

THE WORK OF RECONCILIATION. Reports from France as to the po-ition of negotiations between Mr. Parnell and Mr. W. O'Brien looking to a reconciliation hetween the mutually exasparated Home Rule factions sound rather promising. A perfect or at least a working reconciliation

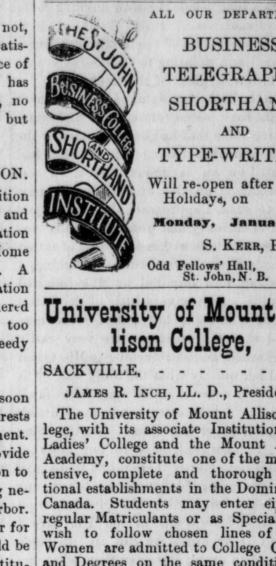
Our Dominion representative will soon place before the Government urging ne-There is reason to hope that all these cessary improvements of our harbor.

Why Money is Scarce.

"Why is it," people are asking every tion. If it should not be, the question of day, "that there is such a dearth of most local interest would naturally be money? It has not been hoarded ?" Not at all. There is just as much money in circulation, probably more than ever. MOUNT ALLISON LADIES But the trouble is just here. In ordinary times financial transactions are based much more on confidence than on cash, say 75 per cent. confidence and 25 per cent cash. Just now the supply of confidence is low and the proportion is reversed. And so, although there is as much cash as ever and although it is doing far more service than in ordinary times, it fails to go round. It is not more cash that is wanted, but more confidence. That is the situation in a nut shell.-Boston Post.

At Toronto T. G. Gillespie, of St. think that the situation warrants extrava- John, champion amateur backward skater known the fastest time on record.

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the expenses moderate.



that of trade expansion to make up for curtailment due to the McKinley tariff. It is to be hoped the sea ons of the year will be more favorable to the agricultural industry than those of the last year.

THE FINANCE MINISTER'S VISIT TO THE WEST INDIES.

The Dominion Finance Minister. Hon. G. E. Foster, has had an interesting visit to the West India Islands both Windward and Leeward. It was reported that his mission was in part a secret one, having for its object negotiations in behalf of the annexation of the British Islands to Canada. But there seems to be no truth in this report. The object of the mission appears to have been merely the extension of trade between the Islands and the Dominion. The indications look favorable to success. The minister was everywhere greeted with a hearty welcome. His speeches, advocating liberal trade relations between the two countries were heard with interest; and his proposals appear to have met with favorable consideration. The great fact most full of promise in the case, however, is that the products of the Islands and of Canada compete with each other at no point. They are instead supplementary to each other. Each country needs what the other supplies. It would seem, therefore, that a large trade might be promoted between the two countries, which would be profitable to each one. The Island legislatures are presently to be consulted on the trade proposals submitted by the Finance Minister. It is to be hoped that the results will be all that could reasonably be hoped for.

THE MORIBUND HOUSE OF RE. PRESENTATIVES.

The present lower Federal House of Parliament at Washington has only a few more weeks to live. But during that period it may do much mischief if it pays no attention to the will of the United States people as expressed in the late Congressional election. It may back up the reckless tactics of Mr. Secretary Blaine in fomenting trouble on the Behring Sea question. It may render the McKinley tariff more restrictive and oppressive than it is already. Being Republican by a large majority, it will, no doubt, do what it can on behalf of the party to further its success in the next presidential election. The Democrats in Congress will probably bring all their filibustering skill into exercise to obstruct the pathway of their opponents. In the midst of their agony they will probably sigh heavily for the coming of the 4th of March to put an end for a time | that during the year 1890 he held inquests

How it Feels to be a Millionaire.

Mr. George M. Pullman, the possessor of \$50,000,000, recently said to a correspondent when asked how it feels to be a millionaire : "I have never thought of hat. But now that you mention it, I believe that I am no better off--certainly no happier-than I was when I didn't have a dollar to my name and had to work from daylight until dark. I wore a good suit of clothes then and I can only wear one suit now. I relished three meals a day then a good deal more than I do three meals a day now. I had fewer cares, I slept better and I may add, generally, that I believe I was far happier in those days than I have been many times since I became a millionaire. And yet it is a comfortable feeling to be rich."

A Novel Offer.

We note that the publishers of the Dominion Illustrated have originated a plan by which over \$3,000 worth of prizes are to be distributed among the subscribers to that paper, subject to their correctly answering simple questions on the current contents of each number. We learn that the first prize will be \$750 in gold, the second a Heintzman piano worth \$600 and that the rest of the many prizes in the competition will be of an unusually costly and valuable nature.

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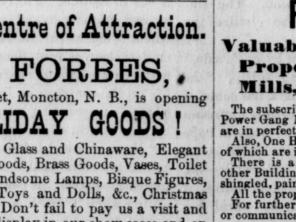
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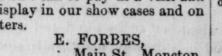
We understand that on receipt of 12 cents in stamps the publishers of the Dominion Illustrated (Sabiston Litho. & Pub. Co., Montreal) will send a sample copy of that journal with full particulars of the plan.

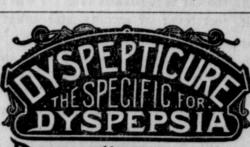
The coroner of Pittsburg, Pa., reports to the rule of their political foes in Con- over the bodies of 277 persons whose death

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HOME RULE PROSPECTS FROM LIB. ERAL UNION STAND POINTS. Liberal Unionists in England claim that Irish Home Rule has now ceased to be a question of practical politics. They are place in the Irish Home Rule ranks will

was due to railroad and traction road accidents, which number was 22 per cent. of all the cases of violent and sudden death coming under his observation. The deadly grade crossing was the cause of much of this mortality.

Manitoba Indians are taking great inof the opinion that the split that has taken terest in the uprising across the line. Commissioner Herchmer says the Indians out s) weaken the Gladstonian party as to west are all quiet. He says there are no ensure its smashing defeat in the coming signs of the Messiah craze among the Cageneral election. A recent bye election | nadian Indians in the Northwest, nor does in which a large falling off on the Glad- he anticipate they will indulge in the ghost

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