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### THE NEW YEAR.

THE REVIEW extends to all its readers, patrons and friends best wishes for their happiness and prosperity during the new vear.

When we write the numerals 1896 we are at once reminded that the century, the most wonderful in the many centuries of human progress, is rapidly nearing its close. But the world will probably move on as little disturbed by the closing of a century as by the passing of a year. We cannot forecast the future except in a general way, yet there are a few things influence on the result. Mr. McShane's that will in all human probability occur majority of over 300 was a great surprise within the year on which we have just to the ministerial party. entered.

It will doubtless see a solution to some of the great world's problems to which the past year led us up and left unsolved. Will there be war in the East because of Turkish persecutions or in the West growing out of the Venezuelan question and the Munroe doctrine? The new year its fermer favorite. This happened to Sir will probably tell before its close.

It will be a busy and probably an eventful year politically throughout North America. In the great republic a presidential election is due, and in Canada a dissolution of the federal parliament is in-

But to the masses the local events of social and domestic life, births, marriages and deaths, fires and accidents, the increased or diminished rewards of industry. the abundance or scarcity of crops, wil fill a larger place in thought and interest than will those greater political and international questions Our interest is stirred by events in a proportion regulated by their nearness. If but a finger is broken in the family it is a greater consequence there than a death elsewhere in the village, a railway accident by which ten are killed five hundred miles away, or an earthquake in China by which a thousand are slain.

Some may not be uninterested in the fact that the new year is leap year, and not only so but it is the last of that order for eight years to come. Ordinarily every year whose number is evenly divisible by 4 is leap year, but from this rule the complete centuries are exempted. So the year 1900 will not be a leap year, and the peculiar privilege of the bissextile season will not return after this year's close till

A curious legend, set down in "Phrase and Fable." gives the reputed origin of the pleasant fiction that during leap year ladies are privileged to propose and if rejected may claim a silk gown. The story runs thus: Saint Patrick, having "driven the frogs out of the bogs," was walking along the shores of Lough Neagh, when he was accosted by St. Bridget in tears, and was told that a mutiny had broken out among the ladies over whom she presided, they claiming the right of "popping the question." St. Patrick said he would concede them the right every seventh year, when St. Bridget threw her arms around his neck and exclaimed, "Arrah, Patrick, jewel, I daurn't go back to the girls wid such a covosal. Make it one year in four." St. Patrick replied, " Bridget, acushla, squeeze me that way agin an' I'll give ye leap year the longest of the lot." St. Bridget upon this popped the question to St. Patrick himself, who, of course could not marry, so he patched up the difficulty as best he could with a kiss and a silk gown And so it falls out that every fourth year is leap year with one day added (the 29th of February) to make it longer than other years.

### MONTREAL AND CARDWELL CENTRE.

In the by elections to the house of Commons in Cardwell, Ontario, and Montreal Centre the government candidates were in both cases unsuccessful. These defeats are the more remarkable from the fact that both the constituencies named have almost always returned supporters of the Conservative party since the date of confederation. Cardwell in particular has had a straight Conservative record. In 1867 it returned Col. Ferguson; in 1872 | the community.

a at 1.74 Hon. John Hilyard Cameron; his son was elected-all Conservatives. the resignation of Mr. White. Mr. Mc-Carthy had carefully cultivated the county, which he formerly represented, and Notices of Births, Marriages and Deaths insert- backed by the Patrons of Industry he was able to show as bold front in Cardwell. The Liberals in the county deserted their of its birthday for eight years to come. own Candidate Mr. Henry, leaving him to Items of news from any place will be thankful- forfeit his deposit and gave their votes for Stubbs the McCarthy-Patron candidate, who in this way obtained a majority over All communications must be accompanied by the government nominee. The combination of adverse circumstances was increased by some exposures which were quite damaging to the latter, making it appear that he had offered to sell out his the forerunner of more acute pain, and chance of election.

The net resu't, therefore, of the Cardwell election is that the government loses a seat; the Liberal candidate loses his de-1. Any person who takes a paper regularly posit and Mr. McCarthy gains a supporter in parliament, bringing the membership of his little party up to three-himself,

In Montreal Centre a vacancy was by W. W. Short. caused by the elevation of Hon. J. J. Curran, the late member and solicitor general, to a judgeship. The seat was thought to be a safe one, as Mr. Curran's majorities in several contests had ranged from 1,000 to 1,200. The division is a lows: populous one with nearly 10.000 voters. Unlike the three cornered fight in the Protestant county of Cardwell, the battle here was in a constituency mainly Roman Catholic and between straight Conservative and Liberal candidates. Both Sir William Hingston, who stood for the government, and Hon. James McShane who carried the opposition standard, are of the Catholic faith. The Manitoba school question, though somewhat discussed in the campaign, seems not to have had much

Whether this overturn in Montreal Centre is to be taken as an indication of a considerable change in the public sentiment of Quebec province against the government may be doubted. It has more than once happened that a constituency in a moment of caprice has turned against George Cartier in Montreal East, and to Sir John McDonald in Kingston when the Conservative party was at the height of its popularity throughout the country. Prudent persons will not mistake a mere eddy for the main current of public opin-

The facts in regard to the Montreal contest appear to be that Sir William Hingston, thought in the fullest degree respectable, was a little too exclusive and aristocratical to be popular with the masses. He disdained to make a personal canvass. On the other hand Mr. McShane, with all his faults was a man of the people. He went everywhere shaking hands, calling the voters by name, and making very liberal promises of what he would do for them if elected. Montreal is always making large demands upon the government, and at the present moment some ungranted requests were turned to account in creating popular discontent.

It may be admitted however, that in the light of the several by-elections held since the policy of remedial legislation was announced, the government has not gained strength by the new departure. But the ministerial majority is so large in the house that the transfer of two or three votes to the opposition side will make scarcel a perceptible change in the divis- blood and prevents Bright's Kidney disease

The election in Jacques Cartier Monday resulted in the return of Mr. Charbonneau, the Liberal Candidate. Mr. Descarries the Conservative Candidate, was left in a minority of 574. The County of Jacques Cartier is one of the two counties into which Montreal ing her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Mc-Island is divided. Its chief town is Lachine | Manus. at the head of the rapids bearing that name. The population is mainly French speaking and numbers about 15,000. Montreal influence is very great in the county. Politically speaking Jacques Cartier has an uncertain record, having since confederation five times elected a Conservative and three times a Liberal. Usually the majorities have been small, though in 1891 the majority of Mr. Girouard over the Liberal candidate, Madore, was 276.

President Cleveland's war scare has friends here. mainly subsided. No considerable number of persons in England or Canada appears to have taken the matter seriously. So far the only persons scared or hurt were our American cousins themselves. In their panic there was an enormous shrinkage in the value of stocks and bonds, English investors having thrown these securities on the market to the amount of many millions worth. Among the other results is an increased outflow of gold eastward across the Atlantic. The United States find the greatest difficulty in keeping within the country enough gold to form a specie basis for their enormous bank note circulation. This difficulty is not at all felt in Britain or Canada.

Every day's delay in starting the projected pulp mill puts back by so much the legitimate growth and prosperity of

Lieutenant-Colonel Domville is disi 1876 Dalten McCarthy; in 1878, 1882 playing his usual political activity. He a d 1887 Hon. Thos. White, and at his has called a rally of his followers to be Subscription \$1.00 per annum: if not pa'd with- death and again in 1891 Robert White held at Sussex on the evening of the 3rd of January, at which Attorney General The recent by-election was brought on by Longley, Hon. L. H. Davies, D. C. Fraser and others are to make speeches.

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G. M. Duncan (P. M.), Chaplain; A. J. H. Stewart (P. M.) Treasurer; W. J. O'Brien (P. M.), Secretary; W. F. Pepper (P. M.), S. D.;

W. J. Kent, J. D.; J. Barbour, S. S.;

W. F. Napier, J. W.;

R. R. Hickson (P. M.), J. S.; R. Boss, Organist; W. R. Payne (P. M.), D. of C.;

E. J. Stewar', I. G.; H. C. Coster, Tyler.

Miramichi Lodge, No. 18, F. & A. M. Chatham, installed the following officers Friday evening:

Alex. Robinson, W. M.; Robt. Murray, jr., I. P. M.; F. O. Petterson, S. W.; Finlay R. Anderson, J. W; Hugh Marquis, Tress.; John Fotheringham (P. M), Sec.; J. S. Benson (P. M.), S. D.;

Robert Murray, sr., (P. M.), D. of C. W. R. Gould, S. S.; J. J. Benson, J. S. Wm. Johnston, I. G;

James Anderson, Tyler.

Wm. T. Harris, J. D.;

St. Andrews Lodge, No. 16 F. & A. M., Richibucto, installed the following officers Friday evening:

I. W. Doherty, W. M.; G. W. Robertson, S. W.; W. A. P. Rhodes, J. W.;

Allan Haines, Treas.; D. W. Grierson, Sec'y; Robt. Phinney, Chap.; W. D. Carter, S. D.;

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# Ructouche Notes.

DEC. 30 .- Mr. B. Toombs, of Moneton,

Mr. Richard Sullivan is in town.

Mrs. J. P. Harris, of Moncton, is visit-

Miss McDougall, of Shediac, is visiting Mrs. W. H. Irving.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Dysart, of Cocagne, spent Xmas with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hannagan.

has been visiting Mrs. J. A. Irving, has returned to her home. Mr. W. D. Johnson, of Chipman, spent

Miss Cummings, of Nova Scotia, who

Xmas in town. Mr. Hugh Cutler, of Cocagne, is visiting

Miss Anna O'Leary, of St. John, is visiting her parents at this place. Miss Cora Smith, of Moncton, is visiting

Mr. Miles Wheaton spent a few days with his parents at Norton Station.

Mr. John Hutchison, of Sackville, has returned home. Misses Anna O'Leary, Mary Hannagan

and Josie Sutton visited Moncton last Conductor Steve Blakney had a narrow escape from being drowned on Sunday

Mr. Horace Goddard is spending his vacation at his home in Elgin.

morning, while skating on the ice at this

K. D. C. Pillstone and regulate the liver-

### Bass River.

Dec. 28.—Christmas is as far away as ever to use a trite saying. As to the weather, the day was the embodiment of the ideal and seemed in sympathy with the event commemorated. The only ele ment wanting was the beautiful white robe of winter so that the bells, "the merry bells," would have harmonized in chime with the loud laugh and wild shout of the young, fevered with the joys and pleasures of this gay and festive season.

The Mutual Improvement Club of this place, organized a few years ago, is now in a high state of efficiency. Many of the young folk here are members and appear to manifest a deep interest in its welfare. The crowning entertainment given under its management was held on Christmas eve in aid of St. Mark's church when a musical and literary programme was rendered in a masterly manner. The selections being new were well received by a South American Kidney Cure. It gives large and appreciative audience and as relief in the most distressing cases in a few each scene ended the expressions of applause seemed to inspire the others to greater effort. The best of order prevail. ease. It is a cure for kidney troubles, ed which, to the credit of the people, is and only it but it never fails here. Sold characteristic of the place. The mental feast was so elaborate that it whetted the appetite to a keen edge for the basket social and fancy sale that followed. The gross receipts realized were in the vicinity of \$60,-a handsome recompense for the brain and muscle expended.

The annual meeting of the Presbyterian congregation took place on Thursday when the several reports read showed the church and its work to be in a healthy and prosperous condition. The pastor, Rev. F. W. Murray, and family are deservedly popular and his ministration has been so marked with earnest devotion as to win the confidence and hearts of his people. A zealous patron of learning, the friend of education, a warm welcome always awaits him in our school in whose success he ever displays an abiding interest.

The air of Bass River is conducive to longevity and the great number of old people now living here may be instanced in evidence of the statement. There are several octogenarians, while Messrs. William and Peter Campbell have each lived to see eighty-five summers come and g and are still robust and hearty. Mr. Robert Marshall, brother of Mrs. John Miller, of Richibucto and the father of our esteemed citizen, William Marshall Esq., although over eighty has not one grey hair in his head. He came to this country from Scotland in the same vessel ; that brought out Messrs. J. & T. Jardine and their parents. He often relates with much humor some of the incidents of that memorable voyage. One of his daughters Mrs. Beaton, who owns much valuable property in Moncton, left this morning in company with her mece, Miss Bessie Marshall, for St. John, on business in connection with one of her vessels.

Miss Brown, of Petitcodiac, is here spending her vacation with her sister at the Manse.

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In tearing down a disreputable house near the Holborn restaurant in London, tury were found in the chimney, bearing the crest and arms of Simon Fraser, Lord Manufacturers & Builders. Lovat, the last man who was beheaded in England. He was one of the most picturesque ruffians of the eighteenth cenhis crimes, but lived to the age of 77, and was beheaded on Tower hill for helping Prince Charlie.



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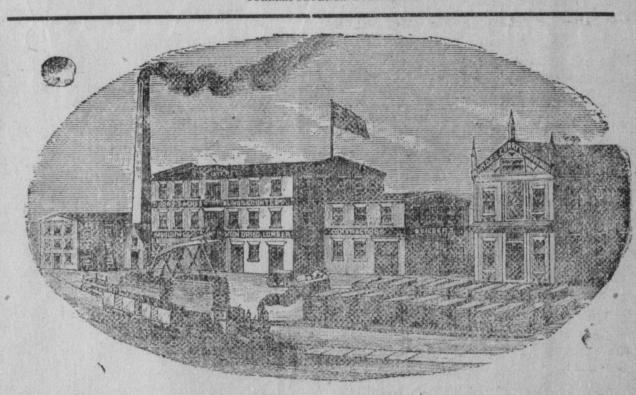
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