

EATEN BY RATS -Daniel O'Leary, a crimean veteran, was found dead at Halifax, where he lived in a shanty, alone. His face, head, hands and body as well as all his interval organs had been destroyed being his legs. It is supposed he went home intoxicated, fell down while trying to reach his bed and froze to death.

put forth by the members of the Richii struments lately acquired for the benefit | garments are ruined. of the town and citizens generally. Un-1 he public show their appreciation by p tronizing the entertainments, the efforts o the willing workers are for nothing I remains with each individual citizen to siv whether they are or are not to be. We feel confident, however, that helping hands will be extended to aid them in their endeavors and that the entertainments will be a financial success. The first entertainment will be held in the Temperance hall, Richibucto, on Tuesday evening, 4th of February. The entertainment will be repeated in the public hall, Kingston, on Friday evening, February

STRUCK BY A TIDAL WAVE -British steamer Ailsawald, at Philadelphia from Hamburg, was nearly swamped Friday afternoon off Georges Shoals by a tidal wave. She was plunging through rough sea when Capt. Jones and Chief Officer Geary suddenly saw a mile away the most tremendous wave they ever beheld. It towered as high as the vessel's foremast. Before the vessel could be brought head on to the wave it struck the Ailsawald on port side amidship, passed completely over the ship, totally submerging her for a moment. The wave carried Seamen William Spooyer overboard to death and badly injured two other seamen. The wave stove in the life-boats, swept the deck of everything movable, ripped off hatches and tore away ventilators. The water poured into the hold and into the fire room to the depth of six feet; it was thought the steamer would founder. The wave was followed by a storm of a cyclonic character. It was all the Ailsawald could do to weather it and make port in safe y.

A TALENTED RICHIBUCTO BOY INSANE.

-The friends in this province as well as elsewhere will doubtless be surprised a well as grieved to learn that Elward Mc-Phelim, son of the late Hon. Francis Mc-Phelim, who represented Kent county in the New Brunswick legislature before confederation, and who at one time was postmaster general of the prevince, is now confined in an ineane asylum in New York. Edward McPhelim was born in Buctouche, where his father kept a store. After his father's death he and his mother moved to St. John and later he went to St. Joseph's college at Memramcook, from which place he graduated in 1879. After that he went to Chicago and entered the newspaper business. There his ability soon carried him to a prominent place in journalism in that city and later as dramatic critic of the Chicago Tribune his clever criticisms earned for him the highest place among the dramatic writers of America. Henry Irving at one time said he was one of the best dramatic critics in the world. Some little time ago he went to New York to enter the field of journalism there, and now it is learned that his clever career is about ended. When information of Mr. McPhelim's misfortune was sent to the Tribnaepeople they promptly telegraphed that they would defray every expense incurred in seeing him cared for in the best possible manner. He has been sent to a retreat and may recover, as his mental aberration is of a type not always permanent in its effects.



Mr. D. D. Johnson, of Harcourt was, in town last week on business.

Mr P. Woods was in town for a few days last week.

Mr. R. Hebert, the popular proprietor of the Kent Northern Hotel, Kingston,

was in Moncton, Monday. Geo. W. Raymond, of Kouchibouguac, was in town Tuesday.

Mr. P. McCann, the well known fruit

vendor, is in town.

Mrs. Poirier, wife of Senator Poirier, is in town the guest of Mrs. Geo. V. Mc-

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-"Senator" Cochrane is decidedly "in it" with his swell turnout.

-On dit Rev. Henry Hackenly is coming back to Richibucto.

-960,031 letters were received at the Canadian dead-letter office last year.

-The Local Legislature will meet for dispatch of business on the 13th of February.

-Remember fresh sausages always on hand at W. W. Short's, Richibucto. Fresh finnan haddie.

-Angers, Liberal, was elected in Charlevoix, Tuesday, by a considerable ma-

hall on Friday last was the most success ful of the series.

-You can get Oil of Tar, Blands Iron Pills, Dr. Seiler's Antiseptic Tablets is any quantity required at W. W. Short's Richibucto.

-Travel Talks, illustrated, by Miss Ada Marie Crow, in the temperance hall, Richtbucto, Friday evening Admission, 20c., children, 10c.

-Manager Brown found it necessary to send the snow plow over the K. N. R., on Monday, the first time this season. Truly a remarkable winter.

-A fair-sized audience attended the gospel temperance meeting conducted by Mr. J B Lade in Chalmer's church, Richibacto, on Thursday evening last.

-A bargain sale is now on at Mrs. J. W. Harnett's store. Goods have been marked away down to clear out the stock. This is a good opportunity for bargains. of course 'sanctioned.'

-A Georgia preacher with lots of spine the price so low people at prayer meeting in the midst of the festivi-

> -While out driving the other day, Mrs. R. Phinney made too sharp a turn at Don's Corner, upsetting the sleigh. No damage done. The horse was caught by a bystander.

-An exchange truthfully remarks that open their lips to praise, but let one little word slip in which displeases and they are | lish paper. on his neck in an instant.

Don't you want something to read? In order to clear out an accumulation of stock we are making a cheap sale of story books-10c. each or 3 for 25c. Come early before the best are picked out. W. W. Short, Richibucto.

-All ready for the bed, Daniel & Robertson's line of made up sheets and pillow slips, are having a very large sale, they don't cost any more than you would pay for the cotton by the piece, and are delivered free of charges until February found that her jingo statesmen were unfit 25th. See Ad.

-James Thompson says he is willing to pay the license fee, but that fine, no, never! And if the constables appointed at the recent session of the Council attempt to place his body in durance vile, he will ventilate their systems according to Smith & Wesson's most approved style.

-During last year the following were among the letters lost in Canada: One from Miss Mary A. Connaughton, Charlottetown, to Mrs Capt. McLaughlan, Richibucto, contained \$10.00. J. W. Harnett, Richibucto. sent \$32.00 to estate T. W. Bell, St. John, and \$20.00 to John H. McRobbie, St. John. W. Glendenning, O'Neil, N. B., 2.00 to John Walker,

Mr. and Mrs. Malcolm McKinnon, about twenty teams loaded with the youth and beauty of the community, took part in a sleighing party on Friday evening last. After an enjoyable drive around Kingston and Richibucto the party repaired to the residence of Mr. McKinnon where they were right royally entertained by the genial host and hostess.

-The heaviest snowstorm of the season set in at a late hour Saturday evening and continued all day Suuday; about nine inches of the beautiful fell. It will prove a great boon to the lumbermen as there was not sufficient snow at any time this winter to make good hauling, but on the other hand, as the weight of snow has caused the ice to sink it will interfere with the work of the smelt fishermen for some days or until the slush freezes.

-The Miramichi Telephone Co., say that while the Kent Co. line has not been as successful as they would wish from a pecuniary point of view they have decided to continue the service. The Richibucto Central will in future be managed by Mr. W. W. Short. Owing to the unsatisfactory service of the past year the Company will not make any charge for the five months ending December 31, last. If the service proves better in future a number of new subscribers can be obtained.

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Slips of t'e Tongue.

Parliament would be a dull place if it were not sometimes enlivened by unconscious humor as well as deliberate wit. That fine confusion of sounds which is commonly described as 'a slip of the tongue' has been responsible for many suddan peals of laughter. For instance who could retain a sober demeanor when a speaker referred to another debater as 'the ordinary member'? The names of constituencies have sometimes caused curious bunglings, as when Mr. Bradlaugh appealed to the hon. members for the Scotland Yard division of Liverpool and when Mr. Jacob Bright alluded to Lord Randolph Churchill as 'the noble lord, the member for Woodcock.' On on occasion, Mr. Parnell, when leader of the Irish party, gave huge delight to his critics by referring to that party as "my honorable members,' instead of my honorable friends.' Another Irishman, - The dance in the Kingston public though of a very different political school once communicated to the House the startling information that he had occupied one farm since he reign of James the First. When the amusement provoked by this claim to longevity had passed away, he explained that he meant that his family, not himself, had done so.

Even men of Cabinet rank may sometimes be caught tripping. Mr. H. H. Fowler is reported to have once promised to 'provide for the Irish who had given to every other Anglo-Saxon people in the world (loud laughter): what had been given by the Anglo-Saxon race to every race in the world where its power and nfluence extended.' It was Mr. H. Matthews who informed the speaker that le would retract the observation he was just going to make. Again W. H. Smith once spoilt the gravity of a very good sentence by speaking of a bill as having been 'sanctified by this House,' meaning,

Similar perversions have been known to has just done a unique thing. He went occur in other places of debate. Mr. T. Being a new thing and to a holiday dance and turned it into a P. O'Connor, when addressing the Oxford Union, a few years ago, as an invited guest, turned a very effective peroration into an occasion for merriment by picturing the British flag as 'froudly ploating in the breeze' Old habitues of the debates of the same society will remember how one of their own orators, now a university dignitary, advised that a certain assertion should be taken 'cum grano salo,' and how an editor may write a thousand columns another convulsed the house by the that please his readers and they never indignant exclamation. 'Sir, can any man make straw without bricks?'-Eng-

The Queen Favors Peace.

It is reported that Queen Victoria is much displeased that Salisbury does not submit the Venezuelan boundary question to arbitration. The venerable woman is opposed to war. She well may be During her reign England has had but one war of large dimensions. That was the Crimean war, a war of jingoism pure and simple. It cost the queen more anguish of spirit than all the other state cares and anxieties of her reign. She to administer affairs in time of war just in proportion as they were eager for war. Her soldiery were left to freeze and starve on the heights around Sebastapol. Her medical department broke down, and she was obliged to place the hospitals in charge of a philanthropic woman, the world-honored Florence Nightingale. The quartermaster's department was in chaos. Lack of system prevailed in every department and caused more death and misery, ten to one, than the casualties of battle. Then the English press let loose its thunders in the rear. Poor Lord Raglan was driven into his grave by the merciless criticism of the jingo press at home. The war brought victory to British arms and prestige to the fighting qualities of English soldiers; but it was a -In response to invitations issued by blighting disgrace to English administration of military affairs. It taught the good queen that the jingoes, always loudest for war, are the poorest backers when the war is on. the worst croakers when things go ill, and always eager for some victim on whom to vent their rage for every disaster. Her majesty wants no war, and so far as her influence weighs, it will be exerted to prevent it .- Ex.

> Dominion Parliament. The estimates for the next fiscal year show a net decrease of \$170,241. Among

Halifax Drill Hall, \$100,000.

the items are :

Lunenburg Post Office, Custom House, etc., \$1,000. Marysville public building, \$8,000.

Tracadie Lazaretto, \$1,000. Arisig repairs wharf, \$800. Digby pier, \$2,800. Georgeville wharf extension, \$3,000. Grand Etange, \$5,000. Margaree beach protection, \$200. Seaside wharf, \$2,000. Burnt Church wharf, \$2,000. Gardner's Creek, new wharf, \$3,150. Negro Point breakwater, St. John har-

bor, \$20,000. River St. John, including tributaries, \$16,000.

Militia, estimates increased, \$411,000. Mail service, increase, \$211,000. The total vote for immigration is \$130,-000, the same as this year.

The pension to Judge Fournier, late judge of the Supreme Court, is \$4,666. Twenty-five hundred is to be voted for experimental fruit stations.

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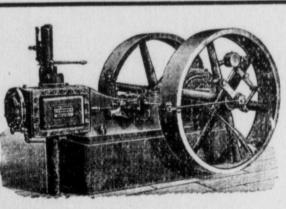
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