

## LOCAL LEGISLATURE.

FREDERICTON, Feb. 26.—Mr. Emmerson submitted a return in answer to notice of motion number four moved by Dr. Stockton.

Mr. White introduced a bill further amending the law relating to juries; Dr. Stockton, authorizing the city of St. John to make a grant towards the erection of a building for a public library; Mr. Dunn, relating to the assessment of rates and taxes and county valuation of St. John municipality; Mr. McLeod, amending chapter 99 and amending acts as far as relates to the parishes of St. Martin, Simonds, Lancaster and Musquash; Mr. O'Brien (Northumberland), authorizing the Chatham town council to provide a system of water works; Mr. Shaw, relating to Indian town harbor; Dr. Stockton, amending the elections act of 1889. In explaining the latter bill, Dr. Stockton said its object was to give widows and spinsters who are taxpayers the right to vote for members of this House.

Mr. Smith gave notice of inquiry: Is it the government's intention to call for tenders or take any other steps towards the construction of a bridge over the St. John river at Hartland this year?

The following resolution, moved by Mr. Tweedie, was carried: By the unanimous consent of the House, it is resolved that the provisions of rule 84, adopted at the session held in the year A. D. 1896, requiring payment on the introduction of bills for the incorporation of companies of a fee according to the amount of capital, and to be the same as are imposed under the Letters Patent act, and of one-third of the original fee for bills amending the acts of incorporation be suspended during the present session only so far as relates to bills for the incorporation of companies which could not be incorporated by letters patent and that the fee to be paid on the introduction of a bill for the incorporation of such a company during the present session shall be \$40 and for amending the act of incorporation thereof \$30.

Shortly after three o'clock the House adjourned.

FREDERICTON, Feb. 27.—The bill to authorize the St. John Railway to issue bonds to the amount of \$70,000 was before the corporation committee this morning. Mr. Hugn H. McLean was heard and explained the object of the issue viz., to obtain two hundred thousand dollars to pay for new power house, improvements in gas works and make extensions; and five hundred thousand of bonds to be applied solely to redeem existing bonds, the object being to have only one mortgage on property now owned or hereafter acquired. It came out in the course of discussion that Sir William Van Horne and James Ross had generously advanced over sixty thousand dollars to make the improvements now in course of completion without any charge to the company. The committee unanimously recommended the passing of the bill.

The municipalities committee to-day unanimously resolved to strike out of the St. John assessment bill section 4 which provided for taxation at one per cent. of the gross income of foreign corporations, and to recommend the bill to the House with this omission and some slight amendments which do not alter the effect of the measure. Consideration of the bill authorizing the city of Moncton to issue debentures for \$40,000 for the erection of a new schoolhouse was postponed till Thursday next to give the opponents thereof an opportunity of being heard. A bill in amendment of the sewers and marsh lands act, relating to marshes and bogs along Missisquoi River, on the boundary between New Brunswick and Nova Scotia, also stands till next week.

A bill to incorporate the Restigouche and Western Railway Co. for the construction of the line from Campbellton to Van Buren, to connect with the Bangor and Aroostook, caused considerable discussion before the corporations committee. This line is the same as is covered by the charter of the Restigouche and Victoria Colonization Company, which charter would be nullified by the passage of the bill now presented. Mr. Pugsley, on behalf of A. I. Trueman, who is retained to present the case for the Restigouche and Victoria Co., asked to have the matter stand till Wednesday next to give Mr. Trueman, who could not be present to-day, an opportunity of being heard. Messrs. Labilliois and Mott, who appeared in behalf of the promoters of the new company, objected to delay, claiming that Mr. Bosely, of Toronto, president of the Restigouche and Victoria company, was seeking it for dishonest purposes. They boldly characterized him as a man absolutely unworthy of confidence and charged that he had appropriated to his own use \$10,000 or \$11,000 of some \$17,000 which a Mr. Demetz, of New York had paid to him for the enterprise; that whereas he had received this amount for expenses of survey he had only paid a little over \$4,000 of legitimate bills, and there were now several thousand dollars of unpaid bills in connection with same. Mr. Mott read a letter from Mr. Demetz charging Mr. Bosely with misrepresentation and reflecting very severely on his conduct. The promoters claim that the formation of the new company is necessary if the road is ever to be built. Mr. Pugsley

read a letter from Mr. Bosely in which he characterized the new bill as the "most vicious political trick" of which he had heard, as the "most iniquitous legislation of modern times." He repudiated all insinuation of bad faith and wrongdoing on his part. The committee postponed consideration of the bill till Wednesday, when lively scenes are expected.

FREDERICTON, March 1.—In the Legislature on Saturday Mr. Kilham presented the Shediac Baptist church petition in favor of prohibition.

Hon. Mr. Tweedie introduced a bill to amend the Towns Incorporation act.

Mr. Legere's resolution for a committee to inquire into August Babineau's contract on the Little Northwest Bridge, Kent county, with a view of putting his claim for extra compensation forward, was defeated after a short discussion, in which Hon. Mr. Emmerson expressed a willingness for the inquiry if the House felt like incurring the expense.

Mr. Stockton's motion for the public work's papers was withdrawn, Hon. Mr. Emmerson promising to produce them.

The House in committee agreed to Mr. Scovill's bill amending chapter 99 of the Consolidated Statutes regarding municipalities; Hon. Mr. White's amendments to the Bills of Sales act; Mr. Veniot's bill dividing Caraquet into two parishes; Mr. Mott's bill enabling the Restigouche Salmon Club to hold property in New Brunswick; Hon. Mr. Labilliois' bill regarding rates and taxes in Restigouche; Mr. Carpenter's bill extending the time for completing the Central Railway; Mr. Fowler's bill incorporating the Apohaqui Public Hall Company. Progress was reported on Mr. Palmer's bill changing the shiretown of Gloucester. He promised to introduce it again next year.

The repeal of the registration of births, deaths and marriages act was considered and evoked some discussion. The bill repealing the act was passed with a provision that the repeal does not take effect till July 1, 1898.

Bills were introduced incorporating the Upper South West Miramichi Log Driving Company and incorporating the Woodstock and Centreville Railway.

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FREDERICTON, March 1.—This afternoon Mr. Tweedie referred to the statement in a Fredericton paper that when Mr. Speaker was called upon to decide a point of order which he (Tweedie) had raised to the resolution offered by the leader of the opposition, he (Speaker) read from a written decision which he had prepared in advance. That was an entirely erroneous statement.

Dr. Stockton said he had always received courtesy and fair play at the hands of the Speaker. He was not aware that the published statement was correct.

Mr. Black made his motion for a statement in detail of services in connection with the item of \$724 credited to Queen's printer on page four of auditor general's report.

Mr. Tweedie said information would be granted.

Dr. Stockton asked when the statement promised in the speech, of receipts and expenditures since the close of the fiscal year would be furnished.

Mr. Tweedie said the deputy receiver general and deputy provincial secretary were more than busy, but that the statement would be brought down as early as possible.

Mr. Pitts asked when the state funeral account would be brought down.

Mr. Tweedie said there were some few small accounts not yet adjusted. When they were, a full statement would be brought down.

Dr. Stockton—I'd like to ask when the statement regarding Mill Brook bridge will be furnished.

Mr. Emmerson—Why, where have you been? That return was brought down last week.

Dr. Stockton—Well, I'd like to ask regarding the correspondence concerning the reservation of an act respecting government lands.

Mr. Tweedie—I have not occupied my present position for a long time, but so far as I know there has been no correspondence.

Dr. Stockton—I know there has been correspondence and I will tell the secretary at another time and place how I know.

Mr. Tweedie—There has been no correspondence during my time in office. I will have another look for such correspondence.

Mr. Davidson introduced a bill incorporating the Chatham Water Company, and Mr. Howe a bill further reviving and continuing the act incorporating the York and Carleton Railway Company.

Bills legalizing the Madawaska county council meetings of July and January last and declaring valid the county valuation of last year and to divide the parish of Caraquet into two separate parishes were agreed to. The bill further amending the law relating to juries was considered and progress reported.

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#### A Hundred and Seventy Dead.

CITY OF MEXICO, Mex., March 1.—There is no longer any doubt that a hundred and seventy men perished in the mine disaster at Zicatecas. The latest news shows that fire broke out in the Sanamoro mine, one of the properties of the Sombrerete companies, and communicated to the San Francisco mine. The principal shaft in the former is 3,000 feet deep and rescuers went down to the bottom, but were nearly suffocated by smoke. The Cornish miners displayed unusual heroism in attempting the relief of the imprisoned men. Ten bodies have been taken out, and all show signs of asphyxiation.

CAMPBELLTON, Feb. 25.—Word has been received here of the death of James S. Morse, at the residence of his son, C. H. Morse, Niagara Falls, on Monday. Deceased was a barrister-at-law and lived at Campbellton for 25 years, when he went to Dalhousie, where he resided until about a year ago. Deceased, who was 79 years of age, filled many public offices in Campbellton and Dalhousie, having been postmaster of Campbellton, tide waiter and in later years clerk of the County Court, Clerk of the Peace and Judge of Probates.

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