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Local Legislature.

Hon. Mr. Mitchell submitted a return of the commissioners of the St. John Public Hospital, showing their indebtedness.

Hon. Mr. Mitchell presented the report of the president of the N. B. University.

Mr. Russell introduced a bill authorizing Charlotte municipality to sell and convey certain lands situate at Seal Cove, parish of Grand Manan.

Mr. Colter introduced a bill further amending chapter 65 of the consolidated statutes of schools, so far as relates to Fredericton.

The appropriation bills were agreed to in committee of the whole.

Hon. Mr. Pugsley committed a bill amending the law relating to proceedings and practice in the supreme court.

Agreed to with slight amendment.

Mr. Burchill committed a bill an amendment of chap. 99 of the consolidated statutes of municipalities.

Mr. Burchill said the object of the bill was to enable different municipalities to impose a tax upon all persons vending or selling goods from place to place throughout any county in the province.

Mr. Wilson opposed the bill.

Mr. Phinney doubted the power of the legislature to pass such a measure.

Mr. Palmer questioned the policy of such a law.

Progress was reported.

Mr. McKeown introduced a bill establishing liens in favor of mechanics, laborers and others.

When the appropriation bills came up for a third reading, Mr. Hanington said he was surprised that the government had taken up the bills in the absence of himself and other members of the opposition. The attorney general had stated on Thursday that no government business would be taken up until Tuesday.

Mr. Blair said that he could not permit the statement of the hon. member for Westmorland to go uncorrected as to what had occurred the other day. Hanington had come to his desk where the provincial secretary and himself (Blair) were engaged in conversation.

Mr. Hanington said that he would like to have the government railway bill stand over until Tuesday. He (Blair) replied that he would be willing to allow the bill to stand, and turned to the provincial secretary and asked him what he thought. The secretary said he had no objection, but he said he intended putting through the supply bills on Monday, as they were only pro forma bills. This was substantially all that took place and there was no understanding as Mr. Hanington had stated.

Mr. Palmer made his motion for a committee to suggest and prepare a bill further amending the law relating to highways. He spoke at length in support of his motion. Resolution carried.

Messrs. Palmer, Shaw, Anderson, Porter, Wilson, Phinney and Ketchum are the committee.

Dr. Stockton introduced a bill further amending the bill incorporating the St. John Law Society; Mr. Blair introduced a bill further amending the law incorporating the Telegraph Publishing Company of St. John; and Dr. Alward introduced a bill further amending the bill incorporating the St. John Protestant orphan asylum.

Mr. Smith presented the petition of the St. John board of trade against the bill authorizing the St. John corporation to grant a subsidy to J. D. Leary.

Hon. Mr. Blair committed the bill respecting railways. Mr. Blair said it was not proposed to hurry the bill through. The act did not propose to incorporate any company, nor does it give authority to the governor in council to incorporate this or that company without legislative authority. It was intended, however, that the provisions of the bill should apply to all companies hereafter seeking incorporation. The bill was modelled largely after the general railway act of Canada and of the other provinces.

Progress was reported, about one-third of the bill having been agreed to.

Dr. Atkinson gave notice of motion for copies of all correspondence between this government and the Dominion government since April 30th 1887, re the Eastern Extension claim.

Mr. Ketchum committed the bill respecting St. Paul's Presbyterian church Woodstock. Agreed to.

Mr. McKeown recommitted the bill enabling the trustees of St. David's church, St. John, to issue debentures on the security of their corporation property. Agreed to.

Mr. Mitchell committed the bill authorizing a loan to meet the cost of the importation of cattle and sheep.

After a long discussion the bill was agreed to.

Mr. Alward introduced a bill authorizing the city of St. John to aid the construction of wharves and warehouses in connexion with railway terminal facilities in the northern part of said city on the eastern side of the harbor.

Mr. Alward introduced a bill incorporating the Church of the Messiah.

The bill respecting railways was recommitted.

Hon. Mr. Pugsley presented the petition of Edwin Crawford and 60 others, residents of Kings county, praying for the appointment of a parish court commissioner for the parish of Sussex; also, the petition of Clarence Spooner and 174 others against such appointment.

Bills were introduced by Mr. Hanington, amending the law relating

to the registration and qualification of physicians and surgeons; by Mr. Alward, further amending the law relating to the police establishment in the city of St. John; also by Mr. Alward, authorizing the St. John common council to grant exemptions from civic taxation in certain cases; also by Mr. Alward, relating to street railways in the city of St. John.

Mr. Porter made his motion for all correspondence, etc., re the Tobique Valley Railway Company. Mr. Blair said the information would be furnished.

Mr. Turner made his motion regarding the travelling expenses of members of this house during the session of 1890. The information will be furnished.

Mr. Blair re-committed the bill respecting railways.

In the discussion on the bill to authorize the issue of bonds for the importation of cattle and sheep, Dr. Stockton criticised the financial methods of the government. He said that by the returns brought down the government claimed they had to their credit in the bank \$84,400, yet in February of this year they gave a draft for \$4,000, bearing interest at six per cent., to the contractor of the Hampton bridge payable sixty days after its date.

If the government had the money on hand as they claimed, why the necessity to give drafts bearing interest to meet the public engagements. It was not proper business management and the house could form its own conclusions as to the state of provincial finances. The fact was there was a floating indebtedness against the province ranging from \$150,000 to \$200,000. The government were attempting to conceal our true financial condition but it was in the public interest that all the facts should be known.

After dinner the act respecting railways was further considered, the discussion, mostly of a conversational character, lasting till six o'clock, when progress was reported.

Mr. Mitchell presented the report of the medical superintendent of the Lunatic Asylum.

The lunatic asylum bill was further considered. Section 10 provides that no person shall be admitted to the institution without the certificates of two medical practitioners.

The bill was agreed to.

Mr. Mitchell committed the bill respecting the office of queen's printer, and the public printing, said the object of the bill was to make provision for the printing of the province. The subject of public printing had engaged the attention of the legislature for many years. In fact, the consideration of this matter extends back to a time that the memory of man runneth not. In view of the attention given to the matter in the past, this government has thought it advisable to devise some scheme calculated to reduce the cost of public printing.

The chief idea of this bill was to keep the cost of the public printing in the control of the government.

Mr. Ketchum introduced a bill authorizing the Carleton County Agricultural Society to sell and convey or mortgage land owned by that society; also a bill amending chapter 99 of consolidated statutes.

Mr. Colter committed a bill further amending chap. 65 of consolidated statutes of schools, so far as relates to the city of Fredericton. Agreed to.

Hon. Mr. Pugsley introduced a bill amending the N. B. Elections act of 1889.

Hon. Mr. Mitchell introduced a bill amending chapter 65 of the consolidated statutes of schools, and chapter 64 of the consolidated statutes of the N. B. University.

The University bill is intended to bring the common schools and University more in touch. It provides that the Chief Superintendent of Education be president of the Senate; one of the professors of the University to be known as chancellor of the faculty, having all powers regarding the internal workings of the institution now exercised by the president. The Educational Institute of the province is given power to elect one member of the University Senate.

The agricultural committee, through Mr. Russell, recommended the importation from Great Britain of one hundred pure bred sheep and fifty pure bred cattle. The sheep importation to consist of 30 per cent. of Leicesters, 30 per cent. of Cotswolds, 15 per cent. of Suffolk Downs, 15 per cent. of Shropshire Downs, 10 per cent. of Suffolk Downs, 20 per cent. of the whole to be females, none more than one year old. The cattle to consist of 40 per cent. of Holsteins, 40 per cent. of Ayrshires, 20 per cent. of Durhams; 20 per cent. of the whole to be heifers, none of the cattle to exceed two years of age. Stock to be of the best quality and registered. All stock to be sold as soon as practicable after arrival.

Mr. Labllois committed the bill authorizing Restigouche municipality to issue debentures for the purpose of building a new jail. Agreed to.

Mr. Wilson from the committee on the bill to establish liens on logs and lumber recommended the bill to the favorable consideration of the house, with amendments.

Mr. Russell committed a bill authorizing Charlotte municipality to sell and convey certain school lands situated at Seal Cove, parish of Grand Manan. Agreed to.

Hon. Mr. Mitchell submitted a return re Tobique Valley Railway Co. in answer to Mr. Porter's motion.

A Philosophical Family.

Amelia has pimples, and sores in the head.
From humors internal her nose has grown red;
She's a boil on her neck that is big as a bell,
But in other respects she is doing quite well.

And pa has dyspepsia, malaria and gout,
His hands with salt-rheum are all broken out;
He is prone to rheumatism that make his legs swell,
But in other respects he is doing quite well.

And ma has night-sweats and a troublesome cough,
That all of our doctors can't seem to drive off;
She wakes every night and coughs quite a spell,
But in other respects she is doing quite well.

There is nothing like philosophy to help one bear the ills of life, but in the case of this family what is most needed is a good supply of Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery. It would cleanse Amelia's bad blood, cure pa's ailments, and check ma's cough. The "Golden Medical Discovery," by its action on the liver, cleanses the system of impurities. It cures humors, ulcers, boils, scrofula, salt-rheum, erysipelas, and all kinds of sores and swellings. The only guaranteed blood-purifier.

News of the Week.

NEW BRUNSWICK.

John Graham, aged 50, of Springfield, York Co., took a dose of strychnine last week. He had been in low spirits for some time.

The Lobster business in Westmorland promises to be very brisk. No less than eleven lobster factories are starting along the shore from Tidnish to Cape Bald—a distance of eight miles—where three were in operation last year.

A curious fatality is reported from Butternut Ridge, K. Co. A lad named Long aged thirteen, was discovered hanging to a clothesline strangled to death. A team coming, the line was hoisted up to permit the team to pass under, and it is supposed the lad, who was playing on the ice, became entangled in the line and was suspended in mid-air.

Nehemiah Nickerson's dwelling house, Lower Brighton, C. Co., was burned down Wednesday night.

The change of owners of the Union Line of Steamers is announced. Mr. R. B. Humphrey the late manager has sold out his stock, (which gives the purchaser a controlling interest,) to Mr. Geo. F. Baird, M. P., and Captain Porter. The price paid is said to have been \$6,000.

Mr. Julius L. Inches, formerly secretary for Agriculture, has been re-appointed to his old position, which has been filled several years by Mr. C. H. Lugin.

Thursday the log driving was allotted to Fred Moore, whose tender was the lowest. The contract runs for four years, and the scale of prices is as follows: From head of Grand Falls, 20c.; from Salmon river, 18c.; from boundary line on Aroostook river, 20c.; from mouth Tobique river, 16c.; from mouth Big Presque Isle river, 13c.; from mouth Becamiquet, 13c.; from Meduxniekeg and below, 11c.

Mr. A. W. Thompson, of Shediac, has been appointed government doctor for the English at Turks Island.

The proprietors of the great Transmar marsh at Sackville contemplate to tide about 1,000 acres this summer. It is proposed to dig three canals from different starting points. The probable cost is estimated all the way from \$10,000 to \$30,000, but if it cost the highest estimate, \$30 per acre, it would then be a profitable undertaking as considerable of the marsh is now producing a very inferior crop of hay.

The Exhibition Association directors of St. John have been informed that the local government will be unable to make any grant for the exhibition this year.

Last week the Norwegian barque Miriam, went ashore at Big Duck Island, Grand Manan. It was reported that she had become a total wreck and that the captain had been killed by some pieces of the wreck falling upon him.

Fredericton's assessments this year will be \$44,000. Last year it was \$41,000. The cause of increase is \$2,000 extra for schools and an additional amount for public works.

A noble gift to the world, Dr. Johnson left in Johnson's Anodyne Liniment. Many bless him.

NOVA SCOTIA.

An elderly lady, a passenger on Saturday's Halifax express from Saint John, narrowly escaped being seriously injured between Bedford station and Halifax. A stone weighing about 10 lbs. was hurled by some cowardly hand through the window at which she was sitting, smashing out all the glass and grazing her face.

Bears are said to be very plenty in parts of Cumberland.

The Halifax police have petitioned against the long hours they are compelled to remain on the street.

On Thursday the chief justice of N. S. sentenced Ferguson, the Halifax photographer, found guilty of indecent assault on a little girl, to two years in the county jail and forty lashes—twenty within a month and twenty a month before the expiration of his time.

La grippe is quite prevalent in Yarmouth, but none of the cases have proved fatal.

Benj. Carter, of Maccan, caught an eagle by the claw in a trap last Monday. The bird was 8 feet across the wings.

Between sixty and seventy patients were treated in the Halifax infirmary last year, about half of whom were discharged cured. There were only two or three deaths in the institution, and several are reported recovering.

On the 25th March, the People's bank of Lunenburg forwarded \$1,500 to their Mahone Bay agency, under registered coverings, by her majesty's mail. The money has not yet reached its proper destination, but the registered coverings were found in the Chester mail bag on the 26th.

The Truro News says that the provincial government of Nova Scotia have decided to erect an agricultural college at Bible Hill, the coming summer. It will be built to accommodate from 25 to 30 students and will contain a large lecture hall and a chemical laboratory.

The N. S. legislature opened Thursday.

The Halifax grand jury recommend that an institution be established in the city for the reformation of young girls.

The "Pictou News" says: The friends of the man who was burned in Pictou, some months ago, are going to sue the town for \$50,000.

The Grand Trunk railway has given a contract to Springhill mines for 65,000 tons of coal.

The Springhill town council, in consequence of rumors abroad, voted full confidence in the trustees of the relief fund.

Kidney troubles if taken in season are easily cured with Johnson's Anodyne Liniment. Fact.

OTHER PROVINCES.

Montreal City Council has granted \$10,000 for an exhibition this year.

Wednesday evening a violent earthquake shock was felt in the vicinity of Quebec, and extended far into the back country parishes.

Immigration into the North West from Europe is on a much larger scale this year than it was in 1890. A great many are also flocking in West from Dakota and other Western states.

The reports from Winnipeg are to the effect that wolves have been more than usually wild and ravenous this winter, and narrow escapes of numerous persons who have been attacked by them are recorded. In one instance two hunters were kept up a tree by a pack of wolves for two days.

UNITED STATES.

Mr. George Ross, at Vanceboro, has lost 30 fine hogs by cholera, within the past two weeks. Of these, six were choice imported swine; altho' many more are sick Mr. Ross hopes that the disease is checked.

The hog cholera still prevails at Vanceboro, many hogs have died.

The men employed in the Gould mines at Candalaria, Nev., have suffered greatly from the ravages of la grippe. Out of 600 men over 400 are prostrated and 100 have died. There has been no abatement of the disease in the last few days.

BRITISH AND FOREIGN.

RANGOON, April 4.—Some natives of Manipur who have arrived here, report that Chief Commissioner Quinton, who was taken prisoner at the time of the Manipur massacre, was, together with a party of officers who accompanied him, killed the first day of the fighting at Manipur.

A despatch states that rumors of war between Hayti and San Domingo are current. The cause of the trouble is the old boundary dispute.

Arrangements are being made for shipping 10,000 Chinese laborers to Tehautepec to work on a railroad now being built across the isthmus.

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