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## A FLEMMING SAGEGUARD

Premier Flemming, in introducing the Valley Railway bill in the Legislature, laid great stress on the action of the government in demanding from the St. John and Quebec Railway Company fifty-one per cent. of its common stock in return for the extra financial assistance to be granted by the province. He admitted that the stock at the present time was not worth much but he predicted that the day would come when it would be a dividend earner and a contributor to the revenue. Yes, the day may come when this company will be able to pay a dividend on its common stock, but no man at present in the legislature will ever live to see it. The road is being built entirely from public funds, the company has contributed nothing to its cost and as Commodore Stewart pointed out in his very excellent speech on Thursday, the common stock of the concern, upon which the premier bases such high hopes, represents nothing but pure water. The earning powers of the Intercolonial were cited by the premier in support of his rosy predictions, but everybody knows that the People's Railway has never earned sufficient money in any one year of the forty years it has been in operation to pay a dividend on the capital invested in the road. And in this connection it must be borne in mind that the Intercolonial does not have to hand over forty per cent. of its gross earnings to the government as the Valley Railway will be required to do at the outset. If the Valley road is made part of a trunk line system as was originally intended, The Mail believes that the day will come when the share of the gross earnings to be paid over to the provincial government will provide for the interest on the bonds but it will be many a year before the company will be able to get the road operated and provide for a dividend on its common stock out of sixty per cent. of its gross earnings. The common stock of this company today represents nothing, is of no value and neither the company or the government can regard it as an asset. Having refused to take the second mortgage bonds of the company without the endorsement of the government, it is scarcely likely that people with money to invest would place much value on the common stock. The only person who appears to think it is worth anything is Premier Flemming and if there is the slightest ground for his optimism in regard to it, he certainly showed slackness in not collaring the entire issue of two millions instead of fifty-one per cent. of it. So long as he has made up his mind to make the company a gift of another two million dollars in cash from the public treasury, he might as well have picked up something in return. A chance to exchange two million dollars of watered stock for two million dollars in cash, is one which a shrewd Yankee like Mr. Gould would not let slip by him, for once having disposed of its stock to advantage it would be an easy matter for the company to make a new issue. This is precisely what the Canadian Northern Railway Company did last year after making over seven millions of common stock to the federal government. In the light of the fact, it is most ridiculous for the government to take any credit to itself for having compelled Mr. Gould to hand over fifty-one per cent. of his company's common stock.

On Monday last, the day that Mr. Dugal submitted his charges to the legislature, Premier Flemming's health broke down and he was compelled to spend the following day in his room. In the evening he rallied sufficiently to be able to go to the House and bring down the Valley Railway bill. That task finished, he again collapsed and did not appear in the House on either Wednesday or Thursday. It is a most unusual thing for a minister of the crown to absent himself from the House at a time when he knows that grave

charges affecting his honor and integrity, are to be made against him by a fellow-member. The political annals of Canada may be searched in vain for a parallel case.

Premier Flemming did not put in an appearance in the legislature on Thursday afternoon to answer the very serious charges of graft preferred against him by Mr. Dugal. He delegated Attorney General Clarke to speak for him and the latter emphatically denied that the premier had been guilty of any wrongdoing. It was scarcely to be expected that he would admit that the charges were true, so there was nothing for him to do but deny them. Mr. Dugal formulated the charges on his responsibility as a member of the House and he has the evidence to substantiate them.

## EASTER MUSIC

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taken by Mr. George Brown. Male Quartette, "Still, Still with Thee," Messrs. Mitchell, Edney, Kesson and Stiles. Organist, Miss Bessie Everett.

### ST. DUNSTON'S

Morning.

Kyrie, Colman. Gloria in Excelsis, Leonard. Credo, Leonard. Offertory Hymn, "Christ the Lord is Risen Today," Sanstus, Colman. Benedictus, Colman. Agnus Dei, Leonard.

Evening.

O Salutaris, Gounod. Tantum Ergo, Rosewig. Organist, Miss Gertrude Barry.

### GEORGE STREET BAPTIST.

Morning.

Hymn, "Jesus Christ is Risen Today." Anthem, "Easter Triumph, Holden. Soloists, Mr. Holder, Miss E. Bradley.

Hymn, "Thou Hidden Source." Hymn, "Crown Him with Many Crowns."

Evening.

Hymn, "Christ the Lord is Risen." Walmsley's Choral Hymn. Anthem, "Far Beyond All Power," Mansfield. Soloist, Miss M. Bailey. Hymn, "Golden Harps are Sounding."

Hymn, "Jesus Lives!" Director, Organist, E. Cadwallader.

### METHODIST.

Morning.

Easter Hymns and Carols. Anthems. "As It Began to Dawn," Spence. "I Am Alpha and Omega," Staines.

Evening.

Easter Hymns and Carols. (Continued on Page Five)

## OBSEQUIES OF LATE FRANK ROWAN

Largely Attended Funeral on Good Friday Afternoon---Many Paid Last Respects

The funeral of the late Frank J. Rowan took place Good Friday afternoon from the home of Mrs. John Rowan, mother of the deceased, Lincoln. The funeral was one of the largest that has been seen in Fredericton for some time. It left the house in Lincoln at about one o'clock. Solemn service was held in St. Dunstan's Church, this city, by Rev. Father Carney, beginning at two-thirty. The procession then went to the Hermitage, where interment was made.

Much sympathy is expressed for the bereaved family and the large attendance at the funeral bore witness to the esteem in which the deceased was held in this city.

The mourners were:—Harold and George Rowan, sons of the deceased; John Rowan, Harry Rowan, Herbert Rowan, A. V. Rowan and Murray Rowan, his brothers; Frank Rowan, Fred Rowan, John Rowan Jr., James Rowan, E. J. Ryan, A. J. Ryan, Thomas Ryan, John Duffy, Fred Duffy, Thomas Duffy, Peter Farrell, Murray Farrell, Michael Ryan, John Augley, A. J. Wheeler, H. T. Smith, Beverley Smith, Luther Smith.

A delegation of C.P.R. trainmen acted as pall-bearers. The members of the local branch of the C.M.B.A. walked in a body in the procession.

The floral tributes, which were carried on a barouch-sleigh, were as follows:

Pillow—Widow and family. Cross—Mrs. John Rowan, Mrs. Murray Rowan, Mrs. A. V. Rowan. Broken Circle—Brothers of the deceased.

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## BREEZY LETTER

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after the manner of a tightrope walker. It does not fall off when the end of the plank is reached, but by force of gravity is held suspended by the heels.

### POTATO SHIPMENTS.

Shippers are paying one dollar a barrel for potatoes which they are forwarding to the markets of the Upper Provinces. In Houlton at the present time the price is \$1.90. The consumers of New Brunswick get the benefit of cheap potatoes, while across the line the farmers get the benefit of a real market.

Pillow—Mother and sisters. Cut Flowers—Assistant Superintendent E. H. Ryan, St. John. Large Circle, Brotherhood Locomotive Engineers.

Cross—Mr. and Mrs. Michael Ryan. Pillow—Brotherhood of Locomotive Firemen and Enginemen. Circle—Mr. and Mrs. T. V. Monahan. Anchor—Brotherhood of Railway Trainmen.

Cut Flowers—Conductor and Mrs. F. E. Vickers, Brownville Junction. Cut Flowers—Ladies' Catholic Sewing Circle, Brownville Junction.

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