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## THE LEGISLATURE.

The governor's speech at the opening of the legislature deals with many important matters, and fore-shadows some practical legislation by which the interests of the people of New Brunswick will be advanced.

The announcement that provision will be made for increasing teachers' salaries will be pleasing not only to the men and women in that profession but to the general public which has long recognized the fact that those in responsible positions of educators of the young are very much underpaid. The increase in the government grant, however, must not be made an excuse by the trustees to reduce their allowance to the teachers, and it is hoped that the bill proposed will guard against such a contingency. Rather should the payments from the school boards be increased so that the teachers shall have at least a living wage in return for the important service they render the public.

Legislation to promote the agricultural interests is also promised in the speech, and amendments to the highways act will be made to increase the efficiency of that useful law.

The government is able to express satisfaction at the outcome of the recent interprovincial conference at Ottawa whereby the federal subsidy to this province will be increased by the substantial sum of \$130,000 a year, and the legislature will no doubt commend the administration's activity in securing so important a concession.

Satisfaction and thankfulness are expressed at the bountiful harvest, of land and sea and the generally prosperous condition of the people.

The government is fully alive to its responsibility, and is giving the province progressive and honest administration of its affairs.

To the members of the legislature the Herald extends a hearty welcome, and expresses the hope that wisdom may guide them in the discharge of important duties.

We shall not see them all at another session. A general election looms up, and numerous changes in the personnel of the house will no doubt be made as a result of an appeal to the people. This will be especially true of the Opposition whose members can have little hope of holding their present positions. They may however lessen their threatened overwhelming defeat at the polls by co-operating heartily with the government in its efforts to skillfully and wisely direct the destinies of the province, rather than indulging in carping criticism, and unfounded charges against the administration.

## CURRENT COMMENT.

The Western Union Telegraph Company has been struck with a streak of generosity and has advanced the salaries of its operators ten per cent. There was need of it.

The Liberals of L'Assomption, Quebec, have nominated Dr. Laurier of Montreal, a cousin of the premier, for the seat in the House of Commons, vacated by the death of Sir Wilfrid's brother, the late Henri Laurier.

Ald. Hooper, in welcoming the Farmers and Dairymen to the city, observed that he was not a farmer himself, yet the alderman as secretary of successive Fredericton exhibitions, is doing more for agriculture than a good many genuine farmers.

His fellow members of the legislature will be glad to hear that Mr. D. J. Purdy, M. P. P., who has been near death's door, is regaining his health, and will probably be able to take his seat in the house before the close of the session. Mr. Purdy enjoys a large degree of popularity among his fellow legislators who have watched with keen interest and anxiety his struggle with an insidious disease.

Ald. Scott was evidently in a jocular frame of mind when he declared that the present city council is the one of the best Fredericton has ever had. Indeed the extravagance of the alderman's statement carried with it

## FRIENDS TELL FRIENDS— "NOTHING LIKE PE-RU-NA."

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### A Neighbor Advised Pe-Ru-Na.

Mrs. John Haynes, 107 E. Main St., Columbus, Ohio, writes:

"For over two years I suffered with headaches and severe pains in my head, and all these two years my friends would say, 'Why don't you take Peruna?' 'Finally one of my neighbors just insisted on my taking it. I tried it and before I had taken one-fourth of a bottle my headaches were gone. I am never without Peruna. I advise every one to take Peruna.'"

### Friend Advised Use of Pe-Ru-Na.

Mr. E. W. Staley, 312 Fillmore St., Nashville, Tenn., writes:

"I was down for three months with pneumonia and had gotten very weak. A friend advised me to try Peruna, which I did, and soon found it was the thing I needed. When I finished the third bottle, I found I weighed more than I ever did in my life."

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Prof. J. Iverson, dealer in musical merchandise, box 313, Cumberland, Md., writes:

"It is now five months since my wife began taking Peruna and from the first day improvement has been going on noticeably. She is now in good health. We never tire of making this fact known to our many friends."

### A Friend Had Used Pe-Ru-Na.

Mr. Henry I. Goodwin, portrait artist, 35 Govestreet, E. Boston, Mass., writes:

"For three years I have been suffering from a general rundown condition of the system. I tried many remedies. A friend of mine advised me to use Peruna, as it had benefited him. 'After taking two bottles I felt better. Now I am in the best of health.'"

## THE COLLINS CASE

### Mr. McKeown Presents Strong Argument in Favor of a New Trial.

The Supreme court was engaged last of yesterday afternoon and this morning in hearing argument on the points reserved by Judge Gregory in the Albert county murder case. Hon. H. A. McKeown, K. C., appeared for Collins, and Hon. C. N. Skinner, K. C., and Solicitor General Jones for the Crown.

Mr. McKeown made the opening argument, and presented the following points for the consideration of the court, which had been reserved by the trial judge:

1st. "Did I err in not adequately directing and impressing the jury that the whole burden of proving the prisoner's guilt was upon the crown?"

2nd. "Was there error in my assuming it proven that the prisoner had the axe in his hand in the committing of the theft and generally directing the jury from that standpoint?"

3rd. "Was there error in directing the jury that the desire of the prisoner to make practicable his theft and escape would be sufficient motive, and if they were satisfied, the prisoner was the one who did the act of killing there was no need of searching for or proving motive."

Mr. McKeown took up the balance of the afternoon in presenting to the court a summary of the evidence brought out at the trial.

The case was resumed on the opening of the court this morning, and was continued up to one o'clock, when an adjournment was made until four o'clock.

There was a great deal of discussion among the members of the bench over the different points in the case, and Judges McLeod, Hannington and the Chief Justice took rather strong

the suggestion that he was only joking. Ald. Scott is a very pleasant gentleman, and enjoys a good joke, but wasn't it rather wicked for him to make fun of the council to its very face?

ground in favor of Mr. McKeown's contention. They expressed the opinion that the trial judge might have gone a little too far in assuming that Collins had committed a theft, and had the axe in his hand while pillaging the house.

Judge Gregory gave the court to understand that he was not trying to shirk any responsibility for his action in the case. He claimed that it was only the legal view that he had presented to the jury in reference to Collins' theft.

Judge McLeod contended that the question of theft had not been left to the jury to determine.

Judge Barker thought that if Mr. McKeown had been able to show that the axe was not behind the commode, when the room was searched, it would have strengthened his case, and left a reasonable doubt in the minds of the jury.

Judge McLeod said that if the axe was not in the room when the search was made, it could not have been put there by Collins. Whoever had hid the axe behind the commode was probably the one who had committed the murder.

Judge Gregory remarked that the axe question had grown in importance since the trial in the estimation of Mr. McKeown.

It was nearly one o'clock when Mr. McKeown finished his argument, and after a few remarks by Mr. Skinner, the case was stood over as above stated.

Lawyers who heard the argument of Mr. McKeown and the opinions of the judges, declare that they would not be surprised if the court should grant Collins a new trial.

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