

THE CHARLOTTETOWN GUARDIAN

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A BRANCH LINE THAT HAS NOT PAID.

In connection with the proposed purchase of the branch lines connecting with the Intercolonial, so strongly advocated by Hon. Mr. Emmerson, the St. John Globe cites the case of the Canada Eastern. This line of about 120 miles, running from Chatham to Fredericton, N. B. was acquired by the Intercolonial in 1903. The Globe opposed the purchase, which was made for \$800,000. And the Globe remarks that "at the next general election—in 1904—our party lost the county of York."

Liberal party, so that it did not pay the party in power, politically. And so far, though the business of the branch has increased somewhat it has not paid financially. According to figures submitted to Parliament the road paid an average of \$11,000 a year in net earnings during four years previous to the purchase. In the four years since the annual deficits have averaged \$6,411. And this notwithstanding the fact that over \$5,000 a mile has been expended in betterments, where Mr. Emmerson estimated \$1,000 per mile would bring it up to the Intercolonial standard.

OUR SHARE IN THE CANADIAN NORTHLAND.

We regard it as important and commendable that the Claims Committee appointed by the Provincial Government will include in their demands that this Province shall be compensated for its share in the unsettled northlands of Canada if those lands are to be handed over to the big central Provinces. If our Province shall be the first to officially formulate and present this claim the honor will be the greater, although the matter is undoubtedly one in which the three Eastern Provinces should make common cause and mutually support each other. Beyond question the property in question is worth many millions of dollars, how many millions we shall not know till the future reveals it.

We have been sleeping on our rights. But for an unexpected delay the bill giving it effect would have been passed by Parliament at its present session. We cannot trust to party favor in this matter. Neither Sir Wilfrid Laurier nor Mr. Borden will take up our case on party grounds. They will bend to the wishes of their respective supporters in the three big central Provinces. Our claim must be pressed as a legal claim on legal and constitutional grounds. Wherefore we trust that our claim will be formulated and pressed at the earliest possible moment. As Sir Wilfrid once said, "We cannot wait, because time does not wait."

Minister Brodeur has acted on the report of the Cassels Commission by dismissing nine officials peremptorily and twelve minor employees on Government Steamers. The latter may on further consideration be re-employed after four months. Deputy Minister Gourdeau is retired on superannuation. The absolute dismissals include Commander Spain, J. F. Fraser, Commissioner of Lights, Agent Gregory at Quebec, D. O'Farrel, Inspector of Lights, Capt. Charles Koenig of the Government steamer Drouin and A. E. Buchman, Inspector of Dredging. The action taken in these cases seems to be generally acceptable to the public.

It is given out at Ottawa that the budget speech will not be delivered until after the Easter recess. The customs receipts show a healthy increase during the recent months, but the collections for the past fiscal year, ended with March, show a falling off of \$10,488,632 as compared with 1908.

Premier Hazen, who refused to grant prohibition, is doing something to make the license law more stringent. City wards are given local option by a majority vote. Licensed saloons are required to close at 5 o'clock on Saturday afternoons and public holidays. The limit for opening in the mornings is set at 7 o'clock. Screens and blinds must be removed from bar-rooms, and some changes are made in license fees.

From 1874 to 1889 inclusive, the earliest opening of navigation at the port of Charlottetown was March 20, 1889 and the latest May 11, 1882. In 1890 the Stanley broke the old record by arriving March 27. From that date to the present, the earliest arrival was the Stanley, which came in from Summerside and coaled February 21, and was followed by the Minto on March 4. The latest opening of the port since 1889 was when the Stanley arrived on May 3, 1907.

CANADA AND CANADIANS.

Rev. W. A. Thompson.

A thousand forests move their pines, The maples and the cedars gray; And nature throws her trembling lines

Across a thousand leagues of day.

And thro' a thousand leagues 'o' room, O'er marches of a wildering white The hovering ages yield their bloom— The purple and the gold unite.

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CALENDAR FOR APRIL, 1909

MOON'S PHASES.

Full Moon d 5 h 4 m 28 p m Last Quarter d 13 h 10 m 30 a m New Moon d 20 h 0 m 51 a m First Quarter d 27 h 4 m 36 a m

Table with columns: Day of Week, Sun, Moon, High Water, Low Water. Rows for days of the week (1-30).

HORSE NOTES.

Joe Nutwood is one of the horses to be sold at P. C. Brown's sale on Friday April 2nd. This horse is one of the best Island bred stallions in the Province today. His colts are a fine size and show remarkable speed for their age. His sire is Bolston, he by General Benton, 1st dam preceptor, 2nd dam Black Pilot, 3rd dam McInnis Pony, any one wanting a first class stock horse cannot do better than purchase him. 3-31dr31.

Among the number of horses to be sold by public auction, at the Revere Hotel stables next Friday, Apr. 2nd, is that favorite and well known stallion "Lord Dalmeny" owned by P. C. Brown, of this City. This stallion is admired and pronounced by the leading breeders and horsemen of this Province to be one of the best bred Clydesdale Stallions that ever crossed the Atlantic as his pedigree shows, and also has the best qualities, with beautiful head and neck all put on at the shoulders, short ack, well coupled heavy quarters, well sprung ribs large gaskin raser shaped legs hard as iron with the best of feet, faultless action, perfect style and steps like a hackney. "Lord almeny" english number (12219) Canadian number (7689) was sired by "Royal Carrick" (12219) he by "Prince of Airies" (10270) dam by "Killean" he by "Jop Gallant" (1850) the sire of "St. Evar" the sire of the great "Baron's Pride" the best talker of horse in Europe or Canada. Dam by Lord Berford sire etted Knight. As his pedigree proves he is one of the best bred stallions in Canada and will be sold to the highest bidder. Lord Dalmeny has proved a sure foal getter. No less than eighty per cent of the mares he served last year proved with foal and should be a profitable investment. 3-31dr31.

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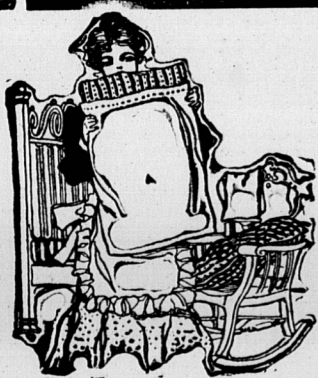
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