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# PROVINCIAL LEGISLATURE.

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The mover of the draft address (Mr. Peters) said that cheese-making leads to prosperity. If this be so credit for this prosperity must be given the Conservative Government. The mover further said that the farmers could not sell their products—this in the face of all the glowing promises they made as to what they would accomplish if they obtained power! The promised markets have not been opened up and the present Government have had to adopt the policy of their predecessors in office. We have a free market in the Old Country, and no doubt we would have had preferential trade if Sir Wilfrid Laurier when he went to England had not given the whole case away. He proved false to the trust the people reposed in him in that respect. If he had not done so our farm products would to day have a preference in the English markets.  
Mr. Shaw then took up the dairying industry, and claimed that the Dominion Government should bear the expense of a dairy inspector for this province. The Dominion Government is not following in the footsteps of their predecessors in the matter of fostering dairying. Dairying was inaugurated and fostered by the late government. The Leader has told us that 60 per cent. of the cheese consumed in the Old Country and 4 per cent. of the butter is from Canada and that we should pay more attention to butter making. But the Liberal Government paid more attention to dairying in Ontario and Quebec than in the Lower Provinces. There they have established cold storage on land and steamers. The farmers there will now go more extensively into butter making and cheese will likely advance. Therefore our farmers should stick to cheese. We are promised cold storage, but how long are these promises to remain unfulfilled. Where is the assistance promised by the Dominion Government last year? \$500 was voted with a definite promise from the Liberal Government that cold storage would be established. How can they account for going back on that promise? He hoped the government would see that we get justice at least in the shape of cold storage and direct steam communication.  
There is a paragraph in the address which the mover and seconder both overlooked. It is in regard to fruit growing. This is a most important matter and should receive the attention of the Government.  
Speaking of pork packing he expressed the hope that the enterprise of Mr. Rattenbury would be substantially rewarded. The enterprise was in the interests of the province and it will, no doubt, prove a great benefit.  
There was recently an official delegation to Ottawa. But the delegates got no money. There is a great difference regarding the amount of our claims, and we are just as far from getting our claims adjusted as ever. The business men of this Province, placed no dependence in the Government delegates, and sent representatives of their own. Summerside also sent a delegate in the person of Mr. Bell. Both delegations arrived in Ottawa together, but the Government delegates were eight days behind the others in getting a hearing from the Dominion Cabinet.  
There is no reference in the speech to exhibitions. Are they to be done away with? There is nothing said regarding the increased accommodation at the Asylum either. Why is it that the new wing has not been built when the late Leader said the money was provided? They got the Temporary Loans Act passed under this pretext. The money was raised and spent, but the wing has not been built. Their conduct cannot be justified.  
A few years ago the building of a new Prince of Wales College came before the House. But with the proverbial dishonesty of those gentlemen not one step has been taken to erect the building. The greatest deception has been practiced.  
Again the Land Office was to be abolished. But that promise has not been carried out either. Where, also, is the promised Department of Agriculture? Perhaps they cannot decide who is to be minister.  
Their battle cry was return us and we will get \$2,500,000 from Ottawa and ward off taxation for all time to come. They differ, however, as to the amount of our claim. The hon. member from New London says there is nothing left. In 1893 the Peters Government sent a memorial which claimed \$2,569,807. The late Leader was evidently ashamed of this claim and suppressed the memorial. If it were not for the Legislative Council the memorial would not have seen the light. The hon. member from Beauce says

we have a claim for \$5,371,078. They had better put the hon. member on the next delegation. It is no wonder that the Dominion Government has not responded to our claims. The late Leader asked for an arbitration; but is it likely that such will be given when the present Leader says that our claims are not recognized by the Dominion. Mr. Peters, in his letter to Sir Louis Davies asking for arbitration, suggested that a man who was not a resident of this province be our representative on the arbitration. Did Hon. Mr. Peters at that time intend to leave for the west? History shows what results have been obtained when non-residents are appointed on arbitrations. He hoped that if ever the matter came to arbitration this province would be represented by an Islander.  
He hoped that the Public Accounts would be tabled at an early date. They should be here now in accordance with the Act passed the first year of the Peters Administration.

### "STRIPE" AT SOURIS.

A crowded house greeted the Garrison Amateur Dramatic Society, on Wednesday night, it being the occasion of their second appearance in Souris. "Stripe" or "Master and Men" the great Labour play was put upon the boards, under the management of Mr. J. W. Brennan, and in every way was a decided success. Mr. Edward Moynagh made a capital "Judge Buttons" and Mr. Morley Acorn as "Thomas" the villain was all that could be desired. The part of "Henry Hausel" was very creditably performed by Mr. W. J. Cheverie, who also took the part of "Squash" a friend of the Judge. Mr. A. F. Lavie gave a good representation of "Thompkins," another easy-going friend. The comedy parts were taken by Mr. Ern McCormack and the Messrs. Paquet. Mr. McCormack as "Julius" made a decided hit and the rivalry between he and his brother servant, was very amusing. Mr. L. F. Paquet as "Neb" brought down the house whenever he appeared and his songs were very much appreciated. Mr. Wm. J. Paquet made a realistic "Dutch cook" and never failed to create roars of laughter. Miss Annie Walsh gave an excellent rendition of the part of "Laura" the Judge's ward, and Miss Nellie Mitchell as "Mrs. Hausel" portrayed truly the actions of the "venerable old lady." A very lively part was that of "Dolly" a maid-servant, which was taken by Miss Sophia Paquet. In this part, Miss Paquet was, as usual, up to the standard and the manner in which she controlled the "coons" would have done credit to a professional.  
Choice music was furnished by the Souris Orchestral club. The entertainment was given in aid of the new R. C. Church, and a snug sum was realized. The society will appear again in the course of a month or two, in a new play, which they have under consideration.

### PERSONAL.

Queen Hotel: W P King, Toronto; Neil McLead, Summerside.  
Mr. John Richards of Bideford, is in the city. He is registered at the Hotel Davies.  
Mr. B. D. McLellan, M. P., was in the city last evening and went west this morning.  
It is reported that Lord Aberdeen will remain in Canada as Governor General until 1899.  
H. C. Mills and wife of Summerside, P. E. I., are at the Delmonico—Vancouver World, April 5.  
Miss Maisie Condy will leave for Halifax on Monday on return to Mount St. Vincent to resume her studies.  
We hear with regret that His Honor Lieutenant Governor Howland is ill, and hope to see him out again very soon.  
Mr. Simon Fraser, a brother of D. C. Fraser, M. P. of Gwynsborough, N. S., was accidentally killed in California a few days ago.  
Dr. Delancy arrived in the city from English last evening and registered at the Hotel Davies.  
Sir Wilfrid Laurier has been recommended by his physicians to visit Lake field, New Jersey, to recruit his health.  
Mr. Cleaver Sullivan will leave on Monday on return to Montreal. It is pleasing to know that his health has greatly improved since he came home.  
Sir Charles Tupper sent Mr. John Baker, of Summerside, a kindly letter of congratulation with a substantial present on the occasion of the latter's ninetieth birthday, in remembrance of the days when they were schoolfellows together.  
Dr. Fred Lefurgey, of Summerside, passed through Charlottetown yesterday on his way home from Baltimore where he recently graduated in dentistry. Dr. Lefurgey was a student with Dr. Bagnall for some time and has many friends in this city. He expects to open an office in Summerside.  
Mr. George Billingsley will leave on Monday morning for Minnesota. Mr. Billingsley has been employed for some time in Messrs. W. A. Weeks & Co's dry goods establishment. He is very popular with all who know him, and last night a supper was given in his honor at Carter's restaurant. The supper was well attended, and a most enjoyable evening was passed. During the evening an address was presented to Mr. Billingsley to which he replied in appropriate terms. The address was read by Mr. J. P. Gordon who presided.

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# Local and Other Items.

NOTICE REGARDING COVER ISSUES.—All copies of changes of advertisements a d l notices of meetings, lectures, etc. must be handed in to this office before 10 a. m. each day to be certain of being inserted.

THE WEATHER.—Strong north-east to north winds, cloudy cool and rainy.

HOTEL FOR SALE.—The Windsor Hotel, at New Glasgow, N. S., is to be sold by auction on the 21st.

GOVERNMENT POND—Is anything to be done about it this year? It is a bad-looking spot just now.

SONG SERVICE at the Gospel Meeting in Wright's Hall Sunday afternoon at 3.45. Strangers always welcome.

THE Y's.—Reserve Friday evening next for one of those interesting elocutionary contests to be held in Y. M. C. A. Hall. Silver collection.

LOYAL CRUSADERS.—Parents and friends of the Crusaders are invited to attend the meeting on Monday evening. Programme will begin at 7 o'clock. Please be punctual.

AN INTERESTING VISIT.—The members of the Legislature this morning visited the new pork-packing establishment and were courteously shown over the premises. They were much pleased with their visit.

CONCERT.—A concert in aid of the New Cathedral fund will be given in St. Patrick's Hall on the evening of the 27th inst. The promoters are preparing a good programme and promise a pleasant evening to all who attend. Watch for programme.

CHAMPAGNE FETTER.—The shop of Joy & Davies, on the corner of Great George and Grafton Streets, was broken into last night and eight bottles of champagne stolen therefrom. The lock of the door was forced open and an entrance effected.

ST. JAMES HALL.—The Tea and Fancy Sale was continued last evening. A good many people partook of tea notwithstanding the unfavorable weather, and the impromptu concert which followed was very enjoyable. In all upwards of \$300 were realized. All concerned are to be congratulated.

DR. HOWARD SPRAGUE.—The Rev. Howard Sprague, D. D., of Summerside, will preach at both services in Grace Church tomorrow. There will be special collections taken in behalf of Sustentation Fund in the morning and the Contingent Fund in the evening. Strangers will be made welcome.

POLICE COURT.—This forenoon William Weatherbie appeared before His Honor charged with assaulting James McCarvell with a sling-shot. For the assault he was sentenced to one month's imprisonment and for carrying a dangerous weapon a further sentence of two months imprisonment was imposed. John Ring was arrested last evening for being drunk and breaking glass in the windows of H. C. Connolly's saloon. He was this morning fined \$8 or 40 days.

FIRST METHODIST CHURCH.—The services of this church tomorrow will be as follows:—Morning service at 11 in the schoolroom of the church. Evening service at 7 in the Opera House. The pastor will preach at both services. Pending the completion of repairs to the church building, this order will be continued, the Sabbath morning services being held in the schoolroom and the evening service in the Opera House. To-morrow evening a very large choir, under the direction of Mr. Earle, will furnish music.

ENDED IN SORROW.—A Chicago despatch says that Lillian Higgins, attired in her brilliant dress of white which had been folded away for ten years, and with a bouquet of spring flowers in her hand, lay down to join in death the lover who had preceded her ten years ago. She killed herself at the home of her aged father with whom she lived. When Miss Higgins was 19 years of age death carried away a young man to whom she was betrothed within a few days of the time set for their wedding. For ten years she bore up under the sorrow that at last overwhelmed her. During the last three weeks friends of the young woman noticed that she seemed more than usual to show her old sorrow in depressed spirits and conversation. Sunday evening she spent in writing letters to friends. Yesterday she was found dead in her room. She had taken laudanum.

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