

Local and Other Items

WHAT PIGS WERE EXEMPT.—At a recent council meeting in a west of England borough, a complaint was made of the number of pigs that were allowed to roam the streets. The mayor moved that the constable be instructed to arrest all pigs found wandering the streets, except the "pigs of councilors."

FINES IN DAWSON.—Affairs in Dawson writes a correspondent, at present are very quiet. An effort, successful for a time, was made to corner several necessities of life, such as sugar, butter, milk, etc., for which exorbitant prices were demanded, but some of the smaller merchants began cutting prices, and this had the effect of bringing rates down. Butter is now \$1.50 per pound, milk 70 to 75 cents per can, sugar 50 cents per pound, and so on.

A NARROW ESCAPE.—Rev. Mr. Sampson, pastor of St. George's church, west end, and his family were nearly smothered by gas Thursday morning at their home on Duke Street. It was simply by accident that they escaped. Early in the morning Mr. Sampson heard one of the children crying, and he arose to ascertain the cause. On rising from the bed Mr. Sampson could scarcely walk, and he then discovered a heavy smell of gas in the room. He went down stairs and found that the gas was coming from the furnace. He immediately aroused the rest of the family, who were almost unconscious from the effects of the gas.—St. John Sun.

MEETING OF PRESBYTERY.—The Presbytery of Prince Edward Island will meet on Tuesday, the 7th day of March, next, at 11 a. m., in St. James Hall, Charlottetown. This meeting is sure to call for their seditious, and in consequence members will not be able to return home on the day of meeting. Sessions are requested to forward their reports at once to the undersigned conveners: Sabbath School, J. M. Fisher, Princeton; Young Peoples Societies, J. R. McKay, Souris; Life and Work, Archibald Gunn, St. Anthony; Statistics, T. C. James, Charlottetown. These reports must be dealt with at the forthcoming meeting in order that they may be in time for the General Assembly Convener. Grants to augmented congregations will also be discussed.—T. F. Fullerton, Clerk of Presbytery.

NAVAL ARMAMENTS.

A bill has just been reported to Congress for the expenditure of \$42,000,000 to construct three 13,500-ton battleships, three 12,000-ton armored cruisers and six 2,500-ton protected cruisers, a total of 12 vessels and 91,500 tons.

With these vessels, United States navy will move up to fourth place in the world's list. It is sixth at present, the order being Great Britain, France, Russia, Germany, Italy, the United States, Japan.

Great Britain is numerically very nearly equal now in naval strength to the next three greatest powers combined. The present standing is:

	Sb ships.	Tons.
Great Britain.....	381	1,638,783
France.....	165	792,663
Russia.....	111	531,985
Germany.....	110	419,256
Italy.....	85	361,445
United States.....	103	336,934

It will be seen that France, Russia and Germany combined have 386 vessels of 1,743,904 tons as against Britain's 381 ships of 1,638,783 tons.

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NEWS NOTES

Horseless carriages will be manufactured in Toronto.

The Illustrated London News, the oldest weekly illustrated journal in England, with other publications issued by the Ingram family, have been sold to a joint stock company for \$3,000,000. The annual profits are said to be \$325,000 a year.

One of the officers in command of the United States forces at the Philippines cables home that "the spirit" of the native forces "is broken." This glad news is received with satisfaction by the same journals which a few short months ago were commending the "unbroken spirit" of the natives of the Philippines and of Cuba. But the natives were then fighting Spain.

MARRIED.

At the residence of the bride's parents, on Feb. 15th, 1899 by the Rev. Rodk. MacLean, Malcolm L. MacPhee, of Heath-erdale, to Elizabeth Ann, youngest daughter of John McPherson, Brooklyn, Lot 61, King's County.

DIED

At St. Avar's, Royal y, on Monday 30th Feb, 1899, of inflammation of the lungs, Marion Ebel, aged 1 year 6 months, only daughter of Snaas J. and Mary A. Wadman



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