

TELEGRAPH NEWS.

LONDON, Nov. 5th. George Peabody died at half past 11 o'clock to-night at his residence in this city.

New York, Nov. 5th. The schooner "W. H. Clava" from Nassau, arrived at Key West on Thursday morning, with 129 men who were taken from the Cuban steamer "Lillian."

London, Nov. 7. The Queen opened the new Bridge and Violent street with state ceremony.

Dispatches from Florence announce that King Victor Emmanuel is dying.

The Prince and Princess, Napoleon, have been summoned to his bedside, and have left for Florence.

The Convention for the proposed Cable between the United States and Belgium was signed yesterday in Paris, by the Belgian minister.

The Cable is to be laid from Ostend to some point between Maine and Georgia, by an American Company.

New York, Nov. 8. The money market opens with more stringency.

Customs Difficulties on the Borders. We clip from an American exchange the following extraordinary news:

There occurred at Port Huron yesterday one of the most extraordinary acts on the part of the Collector of Customs, we have ever heard of. A party came from Montreal over the G. T. Railway with the intention of passing to this city, and from there to St. Louis.

Sir Richard Grosvenor, Marquis Westminster, who died in London on Monday, was not distinguished in politics, though he had some influence, but he was the possessor of probably the largest estate in England.

The Ecumenical Council.—This grand gathering of Catholic Bishops, Priests and Cardinals will be opened on the 8th of December, the anniversary of the Immaculate Conception.

MILITARY.—The troopship "Tamar" from Quebec, with the 53rd Regiment, and a company of Royal Engineers on board, arrived here yesterday.

with the 29th Regt., on board, and will embark a battery of Artillery here, and proceed to Barbados. After leaving the 29th and Artillery at that place she will sail for England with the 47th Regiment which will be relieved by the 29th.—[Halifax Colonist.]

WORK FOR SOLDIERS.—The Field Marshal Comdring in Chief has sent to Chatham a circular respecting the employment of soldiers in trade in the construction and repair of military buildings.

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The Standard.

SAINT ANDREWS, NOV. 19, 1869.

THANKSGIVING DAY.—Today is being observed as a day of Thanksgiving for the bountiful harvest. The stores and public offices are closed, business generally suspended, and the churches are open for public worship.

Lieut. Saxby's prediction as to a violent tempest of the elements early in November has proved correct.

The tide all over the Province during last week was higher than for many years. On Sunday last the "Daily News" says, St. John experienced a severe storm, which broke up that portion of Red's Point Wharf damaged by the late storm, which was being repaired.

One of the recent appointments we did not support, and that was Mr. Hinck as Finance Minister, and we candidly said so at the time; we notice however that some who published opposition in our record some few years ago, are now acquiescing in his appointment.

The Ottawa correspondent of the Toronto Globe says: I understand the Government have ordered to be paid to the New Brunswick Government, to be by them paid over to the Eastern Extension Company, the sum of \$547,500.

A SUCCESSFUL SCHOOL.—It is a pleasure to record that parents of the pupils attending Mr. Whyte's School, are pleased with the progress made by their children.

The "Schooling Times" states that some families in Milltown and Calais were nearly smothered last week, by eating cheese purchased from a grocer in Calais.

aid prevented any fatal results. The cheese was purchased from a respectable firm in Boston; it is supposed that the poison was introduced at the manufactory.

Subscribers who received their bills a few weeks ago, and have not paid them will have themselves to blame if they are put to expense after the 17th instant.

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"Truth" is one thing, and "policy" another. It may appear on certain occasions "expedient" or "politic" to support a man or to oppose him; but there, as has been frequently asserted, "no honesty in politics, no truth."

To our present rulers, we have as far as our judgment dictated, accorded our best support; we did so without arrogating to ourselves any great amount of influence, and without hope of fee or reward.

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An Ottawa despatch states that the Government is sending out printed forms or bonds for security to be given by all public officers through the country.

The COUNTY COURT closed its sittings on Friday last. As before stated the business is increasing in this Court, which will make the session of the Circuit Court, shorter.

To the Editor of the Standard. MR. EDITOR.—I have some experience of fire engines, and likewise as fire; and I state, without fear of successful contradiction, and I can bring abundant proof of the fact—that engine No. 2 did not arrive at the fire on Capt. Green's premises, and that "Torrent" engine is a much better engine.

STORM.—On Wednesday night, the 27th ult., there was a very severe storm at Cape Breton. At Cow Bay there were seven vessels and one steamer wrecked, but no loss of life.

Professor Jardine, on taking leave of his charge, was the recipient of a handsome address from the students of the New Brunswick University, where he has occupied the position of Professor of Logic and Moral Philosophy for a couple of years.

The London correspondent of the "Elgin Courier" states that Mrs. Leigh's children are commencing an action for damages against "MacMillan's Magazine," and they might perhaps try for an injunction against the publication of anything further from Mrs. Stowe.

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Hear this from one of our most intelligent farmers. "Seeing a notice of Clark's Doby Condition Powders in your paper that they were equally good for stock and having already lost a number of cows this spring from red water, I determined to try them."

On the 26th October, at the residence of the bride, by the Rev. W. H. Street, Mr. John Day of Grand Falls, to Mrs. George Ketchum, of the Parish of Gordon, Victoria County.

On Sunday last, at her son's residence, St. Stephen, Janet, relict of the late Mr. Robert Stevenson, aged 83 years and 3 months. The deceased was mother of the Messrs. Stevenson of this Town, and leaves a numerous progeny.

In all the relations of life she was a most excellent woman—and was universally respected by a large circle of relatives and friends. Her remains were brought here on Tuesday, and interred in the Cemetery.

Ship News

PORT OF ST. ANDREWS.

ARRIVED.

- Nov. 2. Schr. Bilow, Bulyen, St. Stephen, last master.
3. Son, Han-on, Machias, ballast.
4. E. B. Kitchin, Drier, 80 tons Rock plaster, H. O'Neil.
5. Harriet, Britt, Portland, ballast.
6. Matilda Rowan, Smith, Eastport, ballast.
9. Daisy, Sheehan, Boston, ballast.
Franklin, Coats, Boston, ballast.

CLEARED.

- Nov. 3. S. S. Ir. Eliza-Frances, Hunt, St. George, ballast.
6. E. B. Kitchin, Drier, St. John, 3000 bushels Turnips.
8. Mary Ellen, J. Britt, St. George, Meal & Corn, Jed Frye & Co.

KEROSENE.

30 BLS. KEROSENE—a superior article. For sale low by C. L. O'HATHWAY.

Kerosine.

10 BLS. Kerosine. J. W. STREET.

NOTICE.

THE Annual Meeting of the Charlotte County Agricultural Society, will be held in the Town Hall, St. Andrews, Thursday, Nov. 4th, at 2 P. M. when the election of officers for the ensuing year will take place.

JOHN M'GOULL, GENERAL AGENT.

Commission Merchant, AND AUCTIONEER, St. George, N. S.

To Contractors.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Grade Levels on Contract Number Eleven must be raised THREE FEET higher than shown on profile, at long lot land from Missesquis River to Sixteen One Hundred and Forty, near A. Stewart.

GOVERNMENT HOUSE, OTTAWA.

Thursday, 23d day of Sep., 1869.

LAND FOR SALE.

50 ACRES of land under cultivation on the Western Side of the Digby River, in the grant to Archibald W. Wilson & Co. (the subscribers) Apply to Gordon McKay, Boston, or the advertiser. J. W. STREET.

NOTICE.

MY wife NANCY having left my bed and board without any provocation, I hereby forbid all persons harboring or trusting her on my account, as I will not pay any debts of her contracting. Deer Island, Sep. 23. JOHN BOYNTON.

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On Monday Sep 20, 1869

From St. Andrew's

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