

# The Standard.

ST. ANDREWS, OCT. 21, 1866.

This evening Rev. Mr. Home, will deliver his lecture in the Town Hall, on "Capital Punishments." The subject is not only instructive, but popular, and will be treated in a masterly manner by the Lecturer, whose sole object in delivering the lecture, is to obtain means to purchase appliances for the Parish School. It is to be hoped his professional efforts will be rewarded by a liberal purchase of tickets and a large audience.

The Hon. the Postmaster General was in town for a short time during last week. This reminds us, that the Heads of Departments, seldom visit St. Andrews, if we except the Hon. Mr. Tilley, Provincial Secretary. This is to say the least a fair. The Chief Commissioner of Public Works, might find something of interest upon visiting this place; his presence is required, and we trust, he will in the discharge of his public duties visit St. Andrews before the full closes, as there is valuable Government property on Quarentine Island, now decaying for want of supervision.

WELL DONE ST. ANDREWS.—From the returns of the various Agricultural Shows in this Province, we notice, that the grain raised in this Parish, and exhibited at the C. C. Agricultural Society Show was the heaviest by one and two pounds to the bushel. Beets, Turnips, Potatoes and other roots, would be quite equal to any other roots raised in other Counties. And as to Butter for many years quantities have been engaged here every season, and shipped to St. John and other places for private families. It is but a few years ago that a respectable farmer of this Parish, (now no more) raised a considerable quantity of hops for exportation. Why cannot others do the same—the crop pays well.

On Wednesday Evening last, the Rev. Mr. Home, delivered his lecture on the "Philosophy of Mental Culture in pursuit of Knowledge" to an appreciative audience, in the Town Hall. The lecture was argumentative and showed much research; like all Mr. Home's productions, it was well written. Not having taken notes, we are unable to give even a synopsis. It should be heard to be appreciated. At the close, a vote of thanks was tendered to Mr. Home for his able, eloquent, and instructive lecture.

PRESENTATION.—On Sunday last, the pupils of the Wesleyan Sabbath School presented a handsome bound Bible to one of their teachers, Mr. John A. Young, who is about removing from the Province. The address accompanying the precious gift was a feeling one, to which Mr. Young made a suitable reply. The recipient has been for upwards of a quarter of a century connected with the school, and at its close on Sunday, the scholars took an affectionate farewell of their old teacher.

A correspondent "B" complains of the conduct of "boys, some of them overgrown, making hideous noises on the streets after dark, using obscene language, breaking windows, robbing gardens, destroying fences and committing other disgraceful acts." He urges that "the Magistrates should put a stop to such conduct." In reply we beg to inform "B," that when he or any other person will make a complaint on oath before any Justice of the Peace, and give the names of the aggressors, they will be dealt with according to law. The duty of Magistrates does not compel them to parade the streets at night, and act the part of policemen. His suggestions with reference to a Police force are well enough, but the legal course must be taken before any such body can be organized. The "annoyance to night schools and religious meetings" can be easily remedied, by taking the proper steps. His letter is rather too lengthy, and too personal for publication.

THEATRICAL PERFORMANCE.—By permission of Capt. DeWahl the amateurs of H. M. S. "Cordelia," gave an Amateur Performance in the old steam mill, last night, the pieces selected were the "Spectre Bridegroom," and the "Omnibus"—a convenient distance. The parts were well sustained, and elicited frequent applause. Dr. Warren, and another gentleman, sang a Duett which was encored when the Dr. gave a favorite Irish melody. The Glee club of the Cordelia sang "Alls Well" with great taste, and at the Conclusion, God Save the Queen. The audience was large very attentive, and manifested their approval by giving three hearty cheers for Capt. DeWahl, officers and ships company of the Cordelia, which was happily acknowledged by the Captain in a brief speech.

Quite an exciting horse trot took place at the Houlton Trotting Park on Thursday last,

between Dr. Innis' b.m. "Lady Drew" and Jos. Smith's g.g. "Gray Stranger" of Calais. It was a match for \$200.—mile heats, and resulted in favor of Lady Drew as follows:  
Dr. Innis' Lady Drew 1 1 1  
Jos. Smith's Gray Stranger 2 2 2  
Time—2:50; 2:51; 2:54.—[Times.]

FOR CALIFORNIA.—Several persons have left this County within a few weeks for California, and this week two more families from this town will take their departure for the land of gold. Mr. J. A. Young, who for upwards of sixty years has been a resident of St. Andrews, with his wife and family, will leave to-morrow morning by steamer, to join their sons at San Francisco, where they have resided for the past few years. Mr. Young and his family carry with them the best wishes of their townsmen for their welfare.

## The Attempt to Kidnap.

A communication in the News, from "Richard Wilson, 1st Lt. U. S. Artillery, Brevet Captain U. S. Army," intended to be a denial of the facts connected with the Indian Island affair, is really confirmatory of the charges preferred against the would-be kidnappers. Wilson alleges that his errand, (accompanied though he was by six men of the 3rd Cavalry stationed at Eastport), was entirely peaceable. He only wished to inform Northup, the deserter, of the terms on which he could return to the army. To account for his stealing away after dark, he alleges that Northup's communication enquiring as to terms, etc., was received on the evening of the same night; and he leaves the impression that this was the only communication which passed between the deserter and the military authorities on that subject. The fact, however, is, that Northup had been previously informed by the commander at Eastport that he could not state the probable amount of punishment he would receive. There was, therefore, no necessity for this after-night expedition on the score of furnishing an immediate reply.

That the six soldiers who accompanied Wilson believed they were sent to seize him by force, is evident from the manner in which they conducted themselves.—[Telegraph.]

The Annual Exhibition and Cattle Show of the St. Croix Agricultural Society was held yesterday according to appointment. The exhibition was not so full, in any of its departments as in previous years, but the stock and articles exhibited were mostly of high order. It seemed to be generally admitted that a great improvement in Stock has taken place within the last few years. There were some fine samples of grain and root crops, but very little garden produce. There were some excellent specimens of wool goods in socks, housepans &c. The day was fine and there were a large number of persons present. There were two hundred and fifty eight articles entered by fifty three exhibitors. It seems to us that some means should be devised to make these exhibitions more generally useful to the farming community as at present there are only a few who reap any benefit from them, but we shall refer to this more at length in a future issue.—[Courier.]

The editor of the New York Evening Post says that Gen. Grant said in his hearing not long ago:

"The rebels who whipped, as it was our duty to do; they fought us bravely, and I for one have no spite against them. If they believe themselves I should think well of them. But the copperheads and peace men of the North, the men who, during the war, reviled the soldiers, encouraged the enemy, and did their utmost to stop supplies and reinforcements to our boys in the front—such men I can't forgive: I will never forget them, or have anything to do with them."

LATEST FROM THE FENIANS.—A correspondent writes us from Northern New York that there are many signs there of another Fenian movement. Every train that arrives at St. Albans and Malone brings a large number of strangers, who generally leave within the next twenty-four hours by team and on foot for the country outside. Mysterious looking boxes also arrive, and are delivered to strangers who call for them, and immediately convey them away. Troops are stationed all along the Canadian border. English spies abound, but no information apparently has yet been gained. Additional Canadian troops have been posted along the line, bordering on upper New York and Vermont, and a gunboat has been constantly patrolling the St. Lawrence during the past week.—[Boston Journal.]

FEARFUL ACCIDENTS.—At St. Louis, on 17th inst., a terrific boiler explosion occurred in a turning shop on Franklin Avenue, demolishing the shop, also a three-story brick building on one side and a dwelling on the other; burying about thirty persons in the ruins; 14 were taken out dead, 12 more or less wounded, and several remain buried. A train ran off the track near Meadville, Penn., on the same day, precipitating it down the embankment—all of the passengers were injured, and the officers all seriously. Also on the 17th, the cars ran off the track between Portland and Boston; an engine and eight cars were smashed to pieces, an engineer killed and a fireman nearly killed.

The Archbishop, Bishops and about two hundred of the inferior clergy of the Roman Catholic Church, in the United States, assembled in Council in Baltimore, on Sunday week. A large number of priests were in attendance as spectators. The prelates wore their mitres and the clergy were clothed in their most gorgeous vestments. Seven Archbishops, thirty-

eight Bishops were present, and the proceedings connected with the opening of the Council—processions, music, &c., were of the most imposing character. Archbishop McClosky, of New York, preached a sermon on the infallibility of the Church, which is fully reported in the American papers. The business of the Council relates purely to Church discipline in the United States, and not to doctrinal matters of any kind. Among the subjects of special interest to be discussed, and argued was the religious education and management of the freedmen.

## TELEGRAPHIC.

NEW YORK, 19th. A terrible hurricane commenced in the Bahamas on the 30th ult. and lasted two days. Almost half the town of Nassau was destroyed by the storm.

Houses were blown down, roofs carried away and trees uprooted. Trinity Church was demolished. Government house lost a part of its roof, and the roof of the Marine hospital was caved in and knocked to pieces and shingles were demolished.

The neighboring islands suffered in the same degree, and a large number of vessels have been lost or destroyed. This hurricane is the severest that has been experienced since 1813.

Gold 149.

A despatch from Berlin says the cession of Venetia to the Italian government was fully completed to-day. M. Thiers and the French statesman died in Paris to-day.

LIVERPOOL, Oct. 19. Breakfasts continue in demand. Flour advanced one shilling per barrel. Wheat advanced 3d. per barrel and corn advanced to 31 shillings. Market for provisions unchanged. Fallow tends downward.

THE MONEY MARKET IS QUIET. Consols 94. U. S. 5-20s 68.

Gold 146.

Consols closed at 89 1/2 for money. U. S. 5-20s 69.

TORONTO, C. W. Oct. 20. Several more Fenian prisoners were arraigned to-day, one of whom proved to be a lunatic. The American Consul intimated to the Court that he had received instructions from Washington to engage counsel for all the prisoners of American citizenship.

NEW YORK, Oct. 22. Official news from Vera Cruz to the 30th has been received here with the following information:

The 1st Regiment of the line which arrived at Vera Cruz to embark, and which has been ordered back to Orizaba, has lost 80 pack mules with a great deal of its baggage, the guerrillas having captured them. A company which was sent to rescue the baggage, was completely cut up by the Liberals at Chiquilato, its losses being 20 killed and wounded or captured. General Castelan was hourly expected at Vera Cruz; it was thought he would stop the embarkation of the French troops.

VIENNA, Oct. 22. A steamer will sail from Trieste for Mexico forthwith by the express orders of the Emperor Francis Joseph.

## ARRIVAL OF THE CHINA.

China, Stockbridge, which left Liverpool on the morning of the 13th, and Queenstown 14th, arrived at Halifax at 3 A. M., 22d. She has 31 Halifax and 17 Boston passengers.

It is stated that in the case of the British steamer Tornado, seized by Spain, the French Government has advised that of Madrid to admit their mistake in seizing the vessel, to indemnify owners and crew, and make most ample apology.

The Jamaica Committee appeal to the public for subscriptions to the extent of one thousand pounds sterling for prosecution of Governor Eyre.

They had specially retained the services of Mr. Coleridge, Queen's Counsel, for prosecution.

It is stated that Engineers of War Department had changed the construction of Portsmouth fortifications from a combination of granite and iron to one entirely of iron of most massive character.

[From the Freeman.]

Of the six or seven million pounds sterling ground out of the poorest people in Europe, not one-half is expended in Ireland for any purpose. The greater part goes to England never to find its way back.

[From the Journal.]

The net revenue of Ireland up to 31st March, 1866, and shown by a return just printed, was £5,816,880 and the expenditure to same date in Ireland £5,980,837, balance in favor of Ireland £164,000. So much for the Freeman's random and reckless statement; so much, too, for the argument our contemporary bases on it that the Maritime Provinces, in Contederation, will not be allowed their fair share of the public expenditure.

The United States have purchased the Island of Melos in the Mediterranean, from Greece for twenty million of dollars. Its purchase is made on account of the harbour, and the intention is to establish in the island workshops, shipyards, arsenals and a colony. A Paris letter, the writer of which does not seem to be afflicted with the "Moore doctrine" says:

"The acquisition on the part of the United States has both a cause and an object. The cause is the protection of United States commerce in the Mediterranean Sea; the object, intervention of American diplomacy in the

complication in which the solution of the Eastern question may become involved. Such an intervention will not suit the tastes of the great European powers, and they will do all in their power to embarrass the United States; but events will be the arbiters."

Both the United States and Russia seem to expect that some power will soon do to Turkey as Bismark has done to Austria and the petty princes of Germany.

Chase on part of the radicals, Grant as the people's candidate, and McClellan as "the pet of copperheads," are to be the candidates for the next Presidency—so says that reliable sheet the New York Herald.

Among other conveniences a Telegraph Office is being established at St. Stephen.

Mrs. Elizabeth Cady Stanton presents herself in a card published in the Anti-Slavery Standard, to the voting population of the Eighth Congressional district of New York, as a candidate for Representative in Congress. Of course the New Yorkers are too good-lant to desert her election.

From all accounts, it would seem that counterfeiting was never carried on more extensively, or with greater success than at present. The Bank Review says that many of the most skillful workmen are engaged in the business on their own account, and many more under pay of the most notorious and successful dealers in counterfeit currency.

Mr. HUGHES, the agent and lecturer of the Sons of Temperance, instituted "Saint George," on Wednesday evening last. The following are the principal officers:—Francis Hibbard, Esq. W. P.; J. Messenett, W. A. James A. Moran, R. S.; R. A. Stewart, F. S.; James Moran, P. W. P.—[Globe.]

A manufactory for making printer's type of vulcanized india-rubber has just been started at Dalton. This new kind of type is said to be as quickly and easily made, and to be fully equal in quality and durability to the common type, the price being only one third of the latter. It offers the advantage of less weight as compared with metal type, and can be remoulded when worn. It presents particular advantages for stereotyping.

The following singular marriage notice is taken from a North Carolina journal:—"By Dr. A. Serrill, at twilight, on Wednesday evening, Feb. 28, 1866, at the house of the bride's widowed mother, Mr. A. A. Gabriel to Miss Lizzie Milligan, after a short but delicious courtship."

"The number of men flogged in the army and militia of Great Britain and Ireland in 1863 was 518; the number of lashes inflicted, 23,668. The number of prisoners flogged in 1864 was 528 and of lashes inflicted, 25,638. The number of persons flogged in 1865 was 441; and of lashes inflicted, 21,561.

J. E. Boyd Esq., the Government Engineer inspected the work on the Railway on Tuesday, and we are pleased to learn that he was highly satisfied with the character of the work. He went over 13 1/2 miles of the line on the locomotive, and pronounced it the smoothest running piece of road in the Province. We should suppose the Directors will soon be making preparations for a grand opening demonstration, as we believe the cars will run through the whole distance in less than a month.—[Courier.]

A number of sudden deaths have recently taken place at Annapolis, caused by imprudence in the use of raw oysters, which the late rains in that section have rendered unwholesome. At the instance of eminent physicians, the corporate authorities have forbidden the bringing or offering for sale of oysters until the 1st day of November next.

Professor Ferguson, of the National Observatory at Washington, is making arrangements for scientific observations of the meteoric display which is set down for November 12th. It is predicted that the display will be unusually brilliant and partially worthy of the attention of scientific men.

A Terrible Calamity has occurred in the Red Sea—the foundering of the Indian steamship Blina, in consequence of a collision with another vessel called the Narda. The vessel began to sink immediately after the accident, and, horrible to relate, out of 101 passengers only 22 were saved.

It is said that Mr. Eaton, of Calais, has purchased the "Whitney saw mill" here, more recently owned and run by Messrs. Smith and McAllister. This is, undoubtedly, one of the best privileges in the County, and we are glad to find gentlemen of means and energy investing in such important undertakings.—[Carleton Sentinel.]

We are informed that the Church building in Gloucester is being rapidly progressed with. It will be finished outside by the last of this month.—[Ibid.]

The revenue produced by the railways of the United Kingdom is nearly \$50,000,000 a year. The yearly revenue of the London General Omnibus Company is about £500,000.

A brother of Charles Dickens, the English novelist, died in Chicago a few days ago.

Major Cox, of the Royal Engineers, has visited Grand Falls, in order to receive propositions for mining on Little River.

NEWFOUNDLAND.—It is estimated that not one-fourth of the potato crop can be saved. The loss is put down at \$150,000.

Sir John H. T. Manners-Sutton has assumed the Government of Victoria under favorable auspices.

DEATH OF JAMES MAGEE, ESQ.—With deep regret we announce the death of James Magee, Esq., of Leeson street, Dublin, which took place at Bonn, in Germany, on the 24th ult., when on his return with his family from Wildbad, where they had been sojourning.—[Dublin paper.]

The deceased was a brother of Mr. John S. Magee, of this Town.

Noticed. On the 18th inst., by the Rev. John Ross, Mr. John Nesbitt, Jr., to Miss Christina McFarlan, of St. Andrews, C. Charlotte.

## Ship News.

PORT OF ST. ANDREWS. ARRIVED.

Oct. 17, Schr. Franklin, Coats, Eastport, half last, master.  
19, Julia Clinch, Adams, New York, Flour & J. R. Bradford & C. F. Clinch.  
20, H. M. S. Cordelia, Com. DeWahl, St. John.  
22, Bgt. Wm. Nash, McBrile, Boston, ballast, C. F. Clinch.  
23, Louisa, Clark, New York, Flour and Corn, John McAdam.

CLEARED.  
Oct. 17, Schr. Moses Waring, Plummer.  
19, Dialon, Morrison, St. Stephen, boards.  
20, Camilla, McNichol, St. John, Turnips to order.  
22, Franklin, Coats, Boston, Sleepers, C. M. Gore.  
Emma, Lord, Calais, Shingles, Goodnow.

TO THE PUBLIC.

A Scandalous and false report having been circulated that Mr. James Bradley, stabbed me on the night of 20th inst., I most positively state that the report is false and without foundation. Nor had I seen Mr. Bradley that evening until he and some other gentlemen came up and assisted to carry me into a house to have my wounds dressed.

Sworn to before me at) ALEX. S. LAW.  
St. Andrews, this 23rd day of October 1866.

S. H. WHITLOCK, Justice Peace.

We certify the above statement to be in accordance with facts.

THOMAS R. WARREN, Surgeon R. N.  
H. M. S. Cordelia.  
GEO. MCSORLEY, St. John.  
J. INGLIS STREET.

P. CASSIDY,

Harbor Master,

FOR THE HARBORS OF

Lepreux and New River.

OPENING OF FALL MILLINERY

AT THE ALBION HOUSE.

Mrs. Magee respectfully informs the Ladies of Saint Andrews that she will make a display of Fancy Goods and Millinery in Show Room next door to Albion House, on Friday afternoon, doors open at 3 o'clock.

NEW FRUIT.

40 BOXES & Half Boxes Layer Raisins, just received.

Oct. 24. J. W. STREET.

CAUTION.

I hereby forbid THOMAS HEALY of St. Andrews, Butcher, from paying to any person, any or any part of the Right several Notes drawn by him in my favor, for \$100 each, and due respectively on 1st August 1862, 1863; 1864, 1865, 1866, 1867, 1868 and 1869, said Notes being out of my possession wrongfully, and without any value paid for same, and all other persons are forbidden to buy or negotiate said notes or any of them.

M. FAULS, JR.,  
St. Andrews, Oct. 20, 1866.

JOHN S. MAGEE

In despatch of calling the attention of the Public to a large and varied stock of Goods received per steamers "United Kingdom," "Nawn" and "Napoli" consisting in part of

FRENCH MERINOS,

COBURGS, BLANKETS.

COTTONS, in white & unbleached, very cheap.

Braces, Sontags, Clouds, Garibaldi, Maria Street Hoods and Opera Mantles,

COTTON FLANNELS, OSNABURGS,

Prints, Red, white, blue & grey twilled Flannels, Plain Flannels in all colors.

We can confidently recommend our Flannels as good, and will sell cheap.

A large and varied stock of

BOOTS and SHOES,

in childrens, youths, (Boys, Mens, Misses and Ladies) of warranted manufacture.

Would call special attention to his white Warps, which are made from the very best Southern cotton and warranted, sound, well made and good.

Also the St. John Warps, Parks' make, prepared for the Loom.

If you want good value for your money, come to the ALBION HOUSE.

JOHN S. MAGEE.

ARRIVAL OF

NEW GOODS.

JOHN S. MAGEE has just received an importation of

COBURGS, French THIBETS,

French Merinos, Wincles, &c.

Direct from the manufactory—all good colors, and cheaper than last season. Come to the Albion House and see them.

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The best Warps in the Province, all warranted good and sound, and at lowest market rates, can be found at

JOHN S. MAGEE'S Albion House.

New Brunswick & Canada FALL ARRANGEMENT

Trains will leave St. Andrews Station every Monday, Wednesday & Friday, at 8 a.m. Returning will leave St. Andrews every Tuesday, Thursday, & Saturday, at 8 a.m. until further notice. An Express Train will leave Station every Monday and Thursday in time for the Boston Boat leaves St. Andrews every Tuesday on arrival of Boat from Boston. A special Train will leave St. Andrews Monday afternoon on arrival John.

Agent St. John—J. D. SHELLEY, Woodstock—G. W. VAN HENI St. Andrews, Oct. 1, 1866.

WHIT WARPS!

From the New Brunswick (pared for the Loom—quality & Also a Lot of those super from the ROYAL RIVER MANUFACTUR No. 8, 9, 10

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GREY, BLUE AND BLUE, GREY, SCARLET, YE

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WHITE and UNBLEACHED offering superior articles in V ed Cottons, at low rates. J

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THE Subscribers now offer and well assorted stock stock consists in part of the Broad Cloths, black & Casement, Tweeds, Cloak Housepans, French DeLair Poplins, Colours, Baratheas Jesters, Alpaccas in black & Prints, white and grey Cotti Ozenburgs, Cambrics, Selvi Paisley, Barge and Wool Umbrellas, Corsets, Hoop Hosiery in Cotton, Wools, Knives, Shirt Collars, Neck Handkerchiefs in Cotton Li Woolen and Cotton Unders and 1 Annick Table Cover Carpets, Blankets, flau blue and fancy hocks, Gotta Also a large assortment ing, Boots and Shoes.

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St. Andrews, Sept. 5, 18

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June 27, 1866.

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JAMES STODOL, Agent

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Ex "H. Young" and "86 Hbls. choice C

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June 1866.