

LOCAL AND GENERAL.

This is Election Day. The River still rises. ALL HALLOW'EEN to-night. FLOCKS of wild geese go north.

The Merchant's Bank of Charlottetown is about to resume business. The Marquis of Lorne will sail from England for Canada without an escort.

An Ottawa despatch states that, owing to ill health, Senator Campbell will not accept a seat in the Cabinet.

PERSONAL.—D. A. Landry, the new French teacher in the Normal School, is in the city.

George J. Forbes, Esq., of Kouchiching, has been left by a relative in California, a million and a half dollars.

THE WEATHER.—Jack Frost holds the stage during the night. Bright Sol smiles and gladdens during the day.

It is said that Lady Dufferin intends coming to Canada to spend the winter at Rideau Hall.

Ex-President Grant was an eye witness of the attempt on King Alfonso's life by Ansaldo.

The Newcastle Advocate has entered on its twelfth volume. We wish it continued prosperity.

The biography of the poet Longfellow has been written for the November Scribner, by the poet Stoddard.

A night with Edison will be described in Scribner for November, by Mr. W. Bishop, author of "Detmold."

PERSONAL.—Rev. W. W. Brewer arrived yesterday from England. Senator Muirhead, of Chatham, was at the Barker yesterday.

The new Dominion Government have cancelled some of the appointments made by the McKenzie Cabinet since the elections.

A company of the Governor General's Footguards will be permanently stationed at Rideau Hall during the stay of the Marquis of Lorne in Canada.

Lord Dufferin has arrived in London. He was welcomed by the Mayor and Aldermen, and presented with the freedom of the city.

DUCK SHOOTERS report the lakes and secluded streams teeming with duck. Not many killed. Partridge are unusually plenty.

AQUATIC.—Courtney will not accept Tricketts challenge, as he is about to retire. Could not Wallace Ross or Clinch be got in the harness?

THE Manhattan Saving's Institution, of New York, was robbed of \$2,747,700 on Monday morning, Oct. 27th. No clue to the burglars as yet.

Lookout for this evening's edition of the STAR. The latest news Local and General, with result of the City Election will be found in its columns.

H. M. S.—"Pert" arrived Monday night, from Newfoundland, to take part in the reception of the Marquis of Lorne. The "Rover" and "Contest" are also due.

And now the Morning Chronicle, of Halifax, is grumbling over the large amount of money voted by the city to defray expenses of the Vice-regal reception.

SMOKERS BEWARE.—A young man at the Social dance, Tuesday evening, put his pipe in his coat pocket. But that timely assistance arrived a hose should have been in order. Parties almost suffocated.

HELD OVER.—Owing to pressure on our columns to-day we are compelled to withhold till our next issue a large amount of interesting matter, among which is a sketch of St. Mary's furniture and Hano Factory. Patience friends.

THE R. R. TIMETABLE CHANGE.—The trains leave Fredericton at 6.40 a. m., 9.15 a. m., 3 p. m. The St. John trains are due at 11.55 a. m., 7.55 p. m., and from all western points at 5.30 p. m. For further particulars see advertisement in another column.

The Morning Star, is the name of a sprightly tri-weekly paper lately started in Fredericton, N. B., by Mr. Jos. E. Collins. This paper promises to make things lively around Fredericton.—Sunnerside Progress.

DECLINED.—Mr. Allen has received a note from Peter Clinch of St. John declining to accept the challenge recently issued. Peter will no doubt be offered an opportunity of displaying his muscle next season, when he will perhaps be better prepared. "The greatest safety lies in fear."

Rev. Win. Full, of Boston, will institute a Council of the Royal Arcanum in the Vestry of the Methodist, this Tuesday evening, at 7.30 o'clock. This Institution is of a beneficiary nature, and now numbers about 6,000 members. This will be the fourth Council in New Brunswick, the Order having been established in St. John, Fredericton, and Woodstock.—Moncton Times.

A HAUNTED FARM.—According to a correspondent of the St. John "News" there is a farm near Salisbury, N. B., which is haunted by a ghost, in the shape of a man. His ghostly appearance is in the daytime; and has conversed with some parties. The "News" reporter promises to interview, not the ghost, but the parties who have interviewed the supernatural visitor. Halifax Reporter.

DISCOVERY OF COPPER ORE IN ALBERT COUNTY.—Some fine specimens of Copper Ore have been given us by ex-

Captain Jones, who has just returned from Hillsboro. The veins run through the farm of Geo. Walton, of Martin Head, County St. John, and within about 80 feet of the Bay at high water mark. Men are at present employed in sinking a shaft. Mr. Jones intends sending some sample to England.

GOOD ENOUGH.—The New York Clipper, the best authority on boating matters in America, confirms the decision giving by Mr. Seely in the late regatta. Let us hear no more croaking from St. John contemporaries, Clinches or Rosses. Let Dr. DeVeber, too, "lush his solemn croak." Next issue we shall give the article from the Clipper.

Mrs. J. BILLOP MAUGER.—This highly talented lady is now in the city. For some months past she has been giving readings through the Dominion—in Quebec, Montreal, cities in Ontario, and of late through the Maritime Provinces. Everywhere she has read the press is sounding her praises. Her talents are, we are happy to say, recognized by all. Of late in St. John she has given complete satisfaction, and the press notices there are quite complimentary.

Fredericton should take a pride in a lady of such high talent as Mrs. Manger, and testify that pride by one and all asking her to contribute to the programme of wholesome and intellectual amusement by giving some readings during her stay here. It is not her own intention, we regret to learn, to give readings, but we want the citizens to join with us in asking her to favor us. Mrs. Manger is worth listening to. Be her selections from Shakespeare or Coynor, be they sublime or simple, be the emotions complex or commonplace she is alike equal to the task. The voice to accommodate the outward form and the sympathy to feel the inner, the spirit, she possesses richly. We extend to her an invitation to favor our Fredericton people.

Election of Officers.

At a recent meeting of the Golden Rule Lodge, No. 44, F. O. G. T., held in the Orange Hall on Tuesday evening last, the following officers were elected for the coming term:

- F. J. McCasland, W. C. T., H. S. Carman, W. V. T., G. W. Schieler, Secretary, W. J. Carville, Financial Secretary, N. Smith, Marshal, M. King, Chaplain, M. Smith, Treasurer, Charles Smith, Guard, James White, Sentinel, Wm. Rosborough, P. W. C. T.

The following has been handed us for publication:

BOARD SCHOOL TRUSTEE'S

Fredericton, Oct. 31, 1878.

"This is to certify that Sophia J. Lloyd, holding a first class Provincial License, has been in our employ for two years, during which time she has had charge of the Sixth Department in Park Barracks School, the duties of which have been of a very onerous character, and were discharged in such a manner as to give entire satisfaction to the Board.

"The duties of Principal of the entire building, consisting of five departments, have also during the last term devolved upon Miss Lloyd, who has spared no effort to make her entire work a success.

"Her resignation, to take effect on the 1st Nov., was accepted with regret." (Signed) A. F. RANDOLPH, Chairman

CHAS. A. SAMPSON, Secretary.

St. Mary's Ferry Items.

From our own Correspondent.

W. Haines Esq., accompanied by his son Alfred Haines, started this morning en route to Woodstock having secured the contract for repairing the bridge across the St. John river at that place. It will no doubt be gratifying to the public, to know that this very important work has been entrusted to the hands of such skillful and experienced workmen as Messrs Haines & Son.

Messrs. Dayton & Son will ship to-day, one car load of Potatoes, for the above market. Other and large shipments will follow.

Messrs. Van Wart & Bailey will ship during the week three car loads of Potatoes for the American market.

The members of the second Advent Church have been favoured with a visit from the Rev. Mr. Hall of Augusta, Me. The Rev. gentleman preached last evening to quite a large congregation in Haines' Hall.

Considerable interest is felt in regard to the result of the Permissive Bill.

The new heating apparatus lately introduced on the Ferry Steamer, Sarah H., is a complete success.

Such attention on the part of the owner, W. Haines, Esq., to the comfort of the travelling public, should meet with encouragement and support.

Gibson Matters.

LAUDABLE.—All rolling stock used on the N. B. Railway is built and repaired in the company's Machine Shops near the ferry landing.

PERSONAL.—Mr. John Allen, the gentlemanly and obliging station agent has the respect and confidence of his subordinates and the public.

ACCIDENT.—A little girl, aged seven years, daughter of Mr. Malcolm Brown, had her arm broken on Tuesday, by the butt of a horlless cow.

PROFESSIONAL.—Dr. Campbell ministers to the suffering in Gibson. Although but a short time there, it is said that the Dr. is working up a lucrative

practice. We presume, like others of the profession, he is praying for a God send in the shape of epidemics or accidents. The horlless cow has been his latest benefactor.

The Riviere du Loup hotel is run on strictly temperance principles. The proprietor looked amazed when a STAR reporter called for a glass of lager. Mr. Close, the landlord, is attentive and open-hearted—his disposition differing entirely from his name.

CHANGE OF TEACHERS.—Miss Kate Flewelling succeeds Miss McKeen in the Intermediate Department the first of November. Miss F. has a good record as a teacher and will doubtless give entire satisfaction.

Keswick Notes.

CONCERT.—Our enterprising young ladies and gentlemen, gave a grand concert here on Saturday evening last the 26th inst. So successful was it that it was repeated each time bringing a crowded house. The proceeds \$38 were used to repairing the Baptist Meeting House. Much credit is due the parties who had the affair in hand.

Some few here speak of going to the lumber woods this winter.

St. Stephen Diamonds.

(From Our Regular Correspondent.)

We have not complimented you before, but now we beg leave to offer our most hearty congratulations, not only on the appearance, but on the contents of your paper. As our eyes wandered over the Editorials, Locals, Correspondences, &c., of the last issue, we felt happy to think that our poor scribbles were so honored as to receive space in your columns. You have our best wishes for your success. We feel sure that St. Stephen will not be backward in stretching forth a helping hand, as we have men, young and old, who can appreciate talent and energy, and who will be only too glad to have their names on your subscription list.

We intend shortly to give you a number of names of those whose duty we think it is to subscribe for the STAR.

THE WEATHER.—The rain of the past week will be welcomed by mill owners and laborers, as a number of the mills have lately shut down on account of the scarcity of water.

A R. I. SCORE.—Friday night's regular train from McAdam was thrown off the track between here and Watt Junction. To what an extent does the hour of danger tend to show the true character, and sometimes the occupation, of the man! A Methodist minister who was on board at the time the accident happened, shouted, "Let us pray," and turned up his eyes; a runner for a firm of music dealers in St. John, began to sing, "Oh, to be Nothing;" of course his prayer will be, and is now, granted.

The cowardly uttered exclamations of terror, while a few muttered curses "Not loud but deep," on the railway company for attempting to run a train on so uneven a track. However, no one was seriously injured, excepting that some got bruised toes or bumped noses in the melee.

While attempting to clear away the ruins on Sunday, a laborer named D. Stewart had his leg broken. "Thou shalt keep holy the Sabbath day."

SUICIDE.—On the same day, Gorham Marks, tired of this life, and wishing, perhaps, to settle for himself the question of eternal punishment, committed suicide.

On Saturday afternoon, Schleyer, the urbane auctioneer a lot of choice apples. Prices ranged from \$1.00 to \$1.75 per bbl.

Public examination of schools began to-day. More of these in our next. St. Stephen, Oct. 28.

Fredericton Skating Rink.

To the Editor of the Star.

Sir,—As the time is fast approaching for the great winter amusement—Skating—several persons are beginning to feel somewhat anxious to know if we are going to have another season's enjoyment at the Skating Rink. Surely the directors will call a meeting soon, and not deprive the citizens of such a vast amount of pleasure when we have such a fine building for the purpose. We cannot see why Fredericton should not open her rink as well as many other places of not half the size or importance. Trusting these few words will be considered by the Directors who could and in former years have afforded a large body of our citizens such a pleasant winter evening's pastime.

We remain, Yours, &c., OLD TICKET HOLDERS.

We fully endorse the plea of our correspondent. There is no argument whatever against opening the rink. It is at once a fertile source of amusement, an excellent medium for physical exercise. Ten times preferable is it to the dancing club room,—an exercise that all should delight to take part in.—Ed.

Letter From Golden Rule.

To the Editor of the Morning Star.

Sir,—Have we gone mad? Whence this new born zeal? Why this perturbation? Our fathers have been wont to exercise their judgment coolly and deliberately on all matters that affected the public weal. They were men who could not be influenced by interest or swayed by hypocrisy. No man dared to approach them and tell them how to exercise their sacred privilege—how to

vote. In those days they had no log to roll or axe to grind.

We have all been amused and laughed in our youthful days, when reading the wanderings and eccentricities of Don Quixote, and the mighty deeds of dashing Uncle Toby and his fortifications. We never dreamt, however, that those wild and romantic scenes would be realized in our day. "Truth is stranger than fiction."

I am led to these reflections by the fact that my house has been flooded for the last several days with tracts of Yankee Quacks who have healing balm for all the ills to which life is heir. Also, how the mighty have fallen, when we have to send to Maine, or rather Connecticut, the land of wooden nutmegs for men to teach us how to live and how to die.

In ancient times, before the world became so awfully wise, there was an old proverb, which said "Good wine requires no bush." Is not this true in many ways? Has mankind lost not only its reason but its senses? Are we henceforth to be led in all our works and in all our ways as mere automatons, by a few self constituted knaves or fools! This is the question to be solved to-day by the honest and independent men,—actuated by no other motive than their love of their fellow man.

We boast of our enlightenment and a thousand other things of which our fathers were ignorant. Amidst their blindness they never discovered the necessity of hand-cuffing, man's will. Should things go on as they seem to do, we had better have one universal ecumenical meeting of all nations, tribes, and tongues, and then and there invest and authorize some one individual to run this globe of ours until we meet again. The machine is being run now by sections—then we should see through the vacuum of the universal whole.

Temperance in all things is as universal and primitive as Christianity itself. Paul taught temperance and was an enthusiast too—only however, for Christ and His Cross. "Would that you were all as I am except these bonds." Old Gamaliel's advice in relation to Christianity is only too applicable in the present case. If this thing is of human invention, leave it alone—it will die. If it is of God you cannot kill it.

The last and only question that arises to my mind is this: By what authority do those men preach to others? We should always recognize authority yet the authority that teaches us, ought to be model. Who are those men who have been raised up in these latter days to regenerate the world? Have they any divine commission, or delegated authority? If they have not, are we justified in accepting anything that we hear, provided it please our fancy or caprice for the time being?

We are too old to be carried away either by folly, ambition, self interest, or all the other interests that can possibly suggest themselves to man's prolific imagination. Moral suasion is our principle whether right or wrong. By that we purpose to abide, come what may. We would, however, offer one suggestion to both old and young who have kured disgraced humanity, offended God and degraded themselves by their past life of drunkenness and dissipation—they had better retire to the solitude wilderness of the world for a time, until the exact opposite conduct shall testify that they are sincere and honest in their convictions. The idea of lads who only yesterday were jailbirds mounting the platform and proclaiming to men who have lived a life of honesty morality, and virtue, is enough to make angels weep and devils laugh.

Let us teach the world by our example to-day that we are a free, moral and independent people. We can eat and drink all and everything God has given us, and we believe good for our passing wans.

Yours, &c., GOLDEN RULE.

Oct. 30, 1878.

Hotel Arrivals.

BARKER HOUSE.

TUESDAY.—S. Johnson G. Courrier (J). Stevens C. F. Woodman A. M. Whitebone W. H. Tuck A. L. Palmer St. John C. W. Clayton Ashland Me. E. R. McKay Jas. Nowland Jarvis. Hayward T. Smith St. John E. A. Hallet Albert Co. W. G. Nasé St. John Railway. WEDNESDAY.—J. S. Verner Sheffield W. Taylor C. M. Parent Houlton Me C. H. Ebbitt Mrs. C. H. Ebbitt Arthur Ebbitt Gagetown Robt. Robinson Canterbury Senator. Muirhead Chatham Alex. Morrison Chatham Geo. D. Morrow Oromocto W. G. Nase Bangor.

QUEEN HOTEL.

TUESDAY.—Jas. Ellis St. John N. D. Smith Portland Me S. W. Stevens F. Kent. Me. J. F. Mansie Toronto Jas. S. White Oromocto F. W. Lincoln Bangor. WEDNESDAY Geo. Moore Boston Jas. Ellis and wife St. John Levi Young St. John

THIS MORNING'S TELEGRAMS.

SPECIAL TO "STAR."

AUSTRIA.

VIENNA, Oct. 30.

Baron Von Pecks Cognado has relinquished formation of Cabinet. In the Lower House of Parliament, a diet resolution was offered by the extreme left, proposing impeachment of the ministry.

Glasgow Bank Officials Committed.

Directors and other officers of the Glasgow bank were this afternoon committed for trial on the charge of fraud and theft; they must be tried within 120 days. The friends of the prisoners are making exertions to secure their liberty. The relations of John Stewart, one of the directors offered \$500,000 bail.

The Pedestrian Competition—Vaughan Sprains his Ankle.

LONDON, Oct. 29.

In the International Pedestrian Competition to-day, Vaughan sprained his ankle, and has withdrawn.

CANADA.

MONTEREAL, Oct. 30.

Richellen Navigation Company's stock went up to-day in consequence of the decision of the Quebec Government to take North Shore Railway outside Montreal, lessening competition with steamers.

Meeting of electors condemned policy giving Montreal the go by, and passed resolutions refusing to pay the balance of the \$1000,000 grant.

LONDON, Oct. 31.

A Copenhagen despatch says political difficulty in the way of the marriage of the Duke of Cumberland with Princess of Thoa, has been removed.

Other Heavy Failures.

LONDON, Oct. 31.

The North of England Lumber and iron company, and Thompson & Nephews, Lumber merchants, G. angemouta, have failed, failures heavy.

CARDINAL HOWARD'S RESUSCITATION.

LONDON, Oct. 30.

Cardinal Howard, a native of England, has been cured and declined the Archbishopric of Dublin, as successor to Cardinal Cullen.

ROME, Oct. 30.

Cardinal Nina, pontifical Secretary of State, will consult Cret Eritian before filling the vacancy, and will also ask permission to send Nunzio to London, without demanding a representative at Vatican.

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