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"STAR,"

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Aug. 30, 1880.

Local Matters.

Mill Property in St. John.

One half of a steam saw mill was offered to a member of a leading firm...

Cattle Purchase.

Mr. Thos. Vanstone, cattle dealer, of Chatham, on Monday last purchased 11 head of prime cattle...

Bears at Work.

On Saturday fortnight Mr. J. D. McMan of Baribogue had a fine heifer killed by a bear.

Hold over.

There is a gentleman living in Fredericton who has spent many years in India. He has written a paper...

Good News from St. John.

We are informed by a person lately from that city that the banks there decline to pay interest on any new deposits...

Shut-down.

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Ecclesiastical.

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Firmen Attention.

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BUILDING NOTES.

On the corner of Duke and Henderson streets a handsome building is being put up under the superintendence of Mr. John McDonald.

A building formerly occupied by Mr. Pickett, has been undergoing repairs that have made it good as new.

The store of Fotheringham & Co. has been tastefully painted over by Mr. John Bell and it now presents a neat and inviting appearance.

Surveyor Morrison's new house on the station road, purchased from and built by Robert Wall, carpenter, has just been completed.

Mr. S. U. Loggie is having an imposing looking dwelling put up on Wellington street. It was commenced last fall, and will be finished in about six weeks.

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With all Chathams advantages, and its many respectable buildings, its sidewalks are notoriously bad, and would be an utter discredit to any village.

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Tales of Ocean—the Captain's Log.

From the log of Captain Dunn, barque Norton we take the following: Sailed from Belfast Ireland July 23rd. had favourable weather up to July 30th.

Bk. "Lothair" Cap. Finn sailed from Belfast on the 6th. August and arrived in this port on Tuesday night. Experienced fine weather during whole passage...

Captain Christophersen of the Barque "Australia" arrived here Saturday from Barrow England. The Captain reports almost incessant rains from time of leaving till he reached St. Pauls—38 days.

Bk. Westfold Captain Genderson from Liverpool hither, via Sydney and now at Snowball's, reports heavy storms on the passage. On the 29th ult. lost two main staysails. It rained hard incessantly.

The "Alliance" Capt. Anderson lies opposite Snowball's wharf. During the passage, one of the men fell from the cross-tree and broke his collar bone.

Fredericton is becoming very gay. There is to be a garden party at Judge Fisher's on Tuesday the 7th inst.

Mr. Brodie, lately employed as engineer in Morrison's mill at this place has gone to St. John to take a situation as foreman in Mr. Harris' foundry.

SINGULAR INSTANCE OF AFFECTION IN A DOG.—Just as Mr. Brodie of this town was leaving his house a few days since for St. John, his trunk being all packed and the hack ready to bear him away, he turned round to his little dog Pinch, a black and tan terrier, and said to him: "Pinch, you cannot go today."

This plant a few specimens of which are said to have been found in New Brunswick by our distinguished botanist Professor Fowler lately of Fredericton was named Aureliana Candensis by Father Laffan of the society of Jesus who was the first to carry it from Canada to France.

STAR BRIEFS.

Cranberries are more abundant this season than for many years before. There is to be a picnic tomorrow at Black River, the proceeds of which are to go to paying off the debt on the Presbyterian manse.

St. Patricks Society made up of miscellaneous Irishmen held its quarterly meeting last Monday evening.

—The Thermometer was 98° in the shade on Sunday.

Newcastle Notes.

The enterprising firm of Sutherland and Creighton are adding twenty feet to the rear of their already extensive saleroom in the West building at the head of Commercial Wharf.

On Saturday last a match game of Cricket was played on the grounds above A. A. Davidson's, between the married and single members of the club resulting in the defeat of the Benedicts. The club will on Saturday next put an eleven in the field against a Moncton team.

CAPE BRETON.

FROM OUR SPECIAL CORRESPONDENT—PICTOU TO FORTH SYDNEY.

Leaving Pictou at 10 o'clock in the morning of a fine July day, we crossed the harbour in the ferry boat "May flower" to the terminus of the Halifax and Pictou railway opposite the later town.

Shortly after leaving the wharf, a girl jumped up with the air of one who has forgotten something, and exclaimed in a strong Scotch accent, "Is this boat going to Pictou town?"

The general scenery about the lake, is the same, everywhere high hills, long points, and fairy islands all greens in early June, yet every turn brings some new object of beauty to view.

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Communications.

How the Tide Sets.

To the Editor of the Star: Dear Sir,—You are welcome among us. Your paper already gives evidence of unaltered independence.

A FAIR TRIAL.

The result of the bye elections is strong evidence of the desire of the people to give the new tariff a fair trial. As a rule Governments grow weak with age; but the present Administration is holding its own.

in Drummond; Mr. Laird's old seat was captured by Mr. J. C. Pope, and Senator Pelletiers by M. Roy and Mr. Val, returned for Digby in November, 1874, by 276 majority, was driven out in December, 1877, by 365.

The present Government, so far from losing ground, has actually increased its majority; and the efforts of the Opposition to snatch a victory and point to it as proof of a reaction against the protective policy are all in vain.

MARVELLOUS DISCOVERY.

SOUND TRANSMITTED BY MEANS OF A RAY OF LIGHT.

A gentleman residing in Fredericton who attended the meeting of the association for the advancement of science at Boston a few weeks since, says that one of the most wonderful exhibitions of the effect of sound on light, was that of Professor Graham Bell, inventor of the telephone.

After delivering a lecture in Huntingdon Hall, the Professor ascended to the roof of the Natural History Society building, where he placed a mirror of a foot 18 inches in diameter for the purpose of reflecting a ray of light.

A ray of light was thrown from the first mirror to the surface of the second. A person stood behind the first mirror and spoke through the voice receiver, thereby causing the ray of light to vibrate on the selenium of the other mirror; this effected the telephone, and words spoken were repeated as if there had been the usual copper wire connection.

At a distance of about 500 yards from this mirror on the roof of the institute of Technology was placed another, in the centre of which was a cell made from the rare metal selenium.

SHIPPING NEWS.

PORT OF CHATHAM.

Table of shipping arrivals and departures from Chatham port, listing ship names, companies, and destinations.

CHATHAM MARKETS.

Table of market prices for various goods including flour, meal, sugar, and other commodities.

BARKER HOUSE.

FREDERICTON.

There again several charges and control of the BARKER HOUSE, and a proposal to accommodate my many Patrons to their entire satisfaction. The Terms are from \$1.00 to \$1.50 per day, according to location.

COACHES.

Coaches await the arrival of Barks and other Trains for Travellers accommodation.

LIVERY STABLES. The Stables are also under my charge, and conducted as I have always conducted them. In respect to my horse and carriage patronage of my friends.

ROBERT ORR. Fredericton, 1st. September, 1880.

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