on board one of their vessels.

ADVENTURE OF A HERD.

whence they were transmitted to Dublin. During the detention of the any wonder then that in attacking the is floating through the Grit press. cattle at Cork no fodder could be Government Mr. Blake worked supplied by the local traders. They serious mischief to his own party? arrived at Dublin this morning in To Mr. Blake Hon. H. L. Langecharge of Mr. Jones' agent, Mr. vin tenlied, and we recommend the Brown, who took them to the Glas- summary of his speech in another cattle. The document was signed by speech he had tried to accomplish Government are bartering away the "A Molly Magnire," who had follow- still greater mischief. He knew there heritage of the future generations of o'clock it was estimated that the cattle could not be sent by the steamer as there was no room for steamer as there was no room for rod at home to meet the scorpion in these tyrants 25,000,000 acres, Mr.

The North Star.

CHATHAM, N. B., DECEMBER 22, 1880 J. E. COLLINS.

THE STAR.

editorial and selected

PATCHES.

public and made a Paul Kruger whom he hates and envies. When we president. This is a quarrel of the find space we shall publish Sir Charles They will soon interfere now we would give to an ungracious hound.

On Sunday night 5,000 Irishmen ately, and will likely continue 8 or 10 met in Manchester, England, and days more. . made demonstrations in favour of

Captain Boycott asks for £6,000

at Mullingar said their forefathers had faced sword and onlet for Ireland, and Irishmen were not now to be frightened by the suspension of the Habeas Corpus Act or the proclamation of martial law.

The troop ship Himataya lands a fresh batch of troops in Ireland.

TRACT.

From one end of Canada to the other now, the engrossing topic is the contract between the Government and the Syndicate for the contraction of the Canada Pacific Railway; and more than all it is an object of interest and plotting, of hopes and of fears at the Capital of the Dominion. So far in the party's car Eureka! Just what who spared no pains to make the exhibit Pork Hams (covered) per lb..... Blakes, Hon. H. L. Langevins, and destruction to our enemies, and float Sir R. Cartwrights. Sir Charles to victory ourselves. Hurrah! might be expected from a great man council to decide the precise way in castle. or a great occasion; -it was one of which the enemy was to be annihilthe greatest speeches ever made in ated. We fancy we hear the leader Canada. It would have been more say at that secret conclave like the telling still had the opportunities for controversy been open, had there that had been hurled "sheer o'er the "grab bag" but not I believe with the Ossters do. been stated objections to meet, or misrepresentations to set aside; as it stood the mere field of explanation

and vindication only was open. Mr. Blakes speech which followed was more remarkable for its polished oratory than for its common sense- oily advice is the man who said, "I'll fund of their new church which is to Turnips...... sentiments which the skilful orator is our party's seal, and it will be invin-

animals were then turned out of the with a double edge, and need we say the manifesto miserably perished yard. Two drovers asked i the Clyde that in trying to wound his opponents before it was born. "I cannot sign This application was also refused better than the terms which his own but I went for granting 25,000.000 acres, but I went for granting 55,000,000.

After Mr. Langevin Sir Richard Cartwright, sneers playing like snakes about his face, stood up. He hardly condescended to deal with the terms of the contract at all, but in a mali- do more than call attention to believe that I know the party referred of the contract at all, but in a mali- do more than call attention to believe that I know the party letter at all, but in a mali- do more than call attention to believe that I know the party letter to, I can say that he is a gentleman to, I can say that he is a gentleman to, I can say that he is a gentleman thoroughly capable of transacting his insinuations against the honesty of which appear in this issue. In consequence of Saturday Sir Charles Tupper and other members A & R Loggie, Black Brook, being Christmas day the STAR of the Government. His speech was being Christmas day the STAR of the Government. His speech was the most bateful production ever Foundry Proprietors. HA Muirhead & Ce, Chatham, Foundry Proprietors. delivered in the House of Commons, James Clowery, Chatham, General Dry Goods Store. Tabusintac correspondent to attend evening; and will contain and was more worthy of a reptile and was more worthy of a reptile variety of Christmas reading, than a man. The whole Conservative woods & McEwen, Chatham, Mill Proprietor—Shooks supplied. of the Liberals in the House muttered | Nicholas Barden, Chatham, "shame." There was not a sentence in his whole sneer commending to the House, not a statement of any value House, not a statement of any value Cure for the Epizootic. THE SPIRIT OF LATEST DES- in his whole sneer commending to the to his party, not a figure or a fact Samuel Thompson, Newcastle,
County Notice. There is a despatch from Capetown worth using for or against him. It says the Boers 5,000 strong have cap- was the spiteful personal attack of a tured Hiedelberg, set up a new Re- disappointed ex-Minister on a man Colonist's own choice and this is why Tuppers reply, which seemed in the Imperial troops have not interfered. nature of a whipping that a man The debate will be resumed immedi-

THE DIVORCED PARTY. If ever there was a party bankrupt compensation. He will likely get of policy, unity or standing, that party is the Liberals of Canada today.

T. D. Sullivan, M. P., in speaking

They have been busy all the summer tables the ladies of Bathurst are no no-REFLECTIONS ON THE CONother wing of the party—in Toronto
one half the body held a caucus and
Paris chinaware over 100 years old, a

when they began her.

leader of another overwhelmed band

crystal battlements:"-* * "Our better part remains

and was padded out with glowing write a manifesto, we'll sign it with be completed immediately. sure to scize upon when he has noth- cible through the length and the partment of the Grammar Schools are Lamb (good), per lb....... ing to the purpose at hand. Mr. breadth of this country." But the undergoing their usual bi-monthly Partridge, per pair...... Blake that night brandished a most spectre of the party, the dread examination.

dangerous weapon, a sword, to-wit, phantom of Disagreement, arose, and Everywhere, Dec. 21st

Shipping Company would take them he inflicted grave injuries on his that, maun," said Mackenzie, "You friends. For the contract he repudi- have made me swallow mony's the ated, and the terms he laughed to bitter pill, but you canno make me scorn, were not worse, but very much swallow th t. Why, mann, I didn't when the company discovered who party but four short years ago had I did not go for granting a small more to do with the beasts, and the 000 acres to a Syndicate, it was mains. It is in Hausard, mann. No, those firebrands who resort to violence cattle and sheep wer allowed to surely worse for Mackenzie to whose no; I canna strangle what I might Notwithstanding the statements in the them into the premises of the Great the Syndicate members, 55,000,000 in disgust left the great Grit mirs this struggle, hold the trump cards, Southern and Western Railway, acres by Mr. Mackenzie would have the pitiful "memoranda by a member Gladstone rendered Boyout no sympathy of the House of Commons, 'that now when the latter asked for recompense for

A GLANCE AT THE CONTRACT.

Jones' cattle were allowed on board. within the year had not been so great when built, counting the land at \$1 of the feeling of the masses. would not be worth a day's purchase was not even content at the mischief speak of issuing a manifesto against if he had anything to do with the he had done, but in his very last this contract. They cry out the ed the beasts from Cork. At four is a scheme of Irish immigration on Canada, and establishing a hateful them. Other lines also refused on the North West. Imagine a Kansas Mackenzie tried to settle on them the same ground. The cattle remain immigration agent getting this pas- 55,000,000 acres. For the one Sir in a Dublin yard under police pro sage, printing it in pamphlet and put- Charles would put in bondage Mactection. The Glasgow line's steamer ting into the hands of the Irish kenzie would put two-and still his sailed to-night with 168 head of cat- peasant! Let our readers just fancy party cries out against this contract. tle. It can accomodate 350, showing its effect on the peasants mind coming Let the impartial reader ponder well that the company were intimidated. from the leader of a great Canadian these facts till we have time to tell party! A case of ranker disloyalty to them something about the contract itself. home and country we have never

NEW ADVERTISMENTS TO-DAY.

Wm Smith,
Marine & Fisheries—advt for Tenders.

Rambling Notes.

[By our own Correspondent.] BATHURST. -- On the afternoon ladies of the congregation commences. of St. George's Episcopal Church held a Bazaar and Tea in the Masonic Hall which was well patronized by the public generally, the hall being well filled from the time the doors were opened at 2 as the present incumbent means to o'clock p. m. un'il they were closed at retain the position a while longer. 10 p. m. Ten was served from 6 to 8 trying to construct a ship in which gices in the culinary art, and the way they may again sail to power, but the good things disappeared one would every attempt has proved a signal failure. We learn it took Noah a hundred years to build his ark—it hundred years to build his ark—it will take Mr. Blake longer still to build the ship he has begun. As fast as one plank is seized by Blake and Bible 306 years old, an English Bible

Bazaar was the museum which contained Jardine, wife of the late Col. Jardine.

Latin Bible 334 years old, an English Bible

Essence Possence Poss his worshippers, it is rejected by the 118 years old, 4 lockets 146 years selected the "abolition of the Senate" sabre found in the field after the battle as a plank, but the other half subse of Balaklava, a water bottle found on Flour, best brands Spring Extra. . \$ 6 10 quently rejected it. So that never a the field after the battle of Waterloo. plank has been put on the ship, and which belonged to a Colonel of the 42nd grouse, a Persian wine cooler, a quilt

Mrs. A. Sutherland was active with a Lobster do. approval of the esteemed Rector Mr. Oysters (Harrington's best) p. bbl Street, as I learn he does From other sources..... By force hath overcome but half his foe." The proceeds which amounted to nearly Potatoes, per bbl...... The man who gave this wise if \$300 are to go towards the building Carrots, per bush

> Fresh Beef, per lb..... The pupils of Mr. Mersereau's de- Mutton, per lb..... RAMBLER. Brant,

ELECTRIC SPARKS.

IRELAND'S CONDITION

The late reports now say the Queen no longer has any control in Ireland, that the sovereignty is vested in the Land League. The juries will not convict the prisoners, stray about the streets. Eventually a party Mr. Blake belonged to offer fifty be calling my own offspring." "Sure papers it is not likely the Habeas Corpus number of policemen succeeded in five million acres. If 25,000.000 acres by enough," said Cartwright, "and we're Act will be suspended at present. It is said gathering them together and drove Sir John make territorial Lords of all in for it as well as you." Mr Blake the radicals, that is those who secretly ad-

damages by the tenants.

We have neither the time nor the has spread to England. Already numerous gow packet line. The cattle were column to our readers. Mr. Langevin do so in another issue. We marely the Land League, and a demand is springing was a general commotion among the orators in the Commons, did not work present contract 19 by comparison purchase after certain ecoupancy. The land drovers. Secretary Barry Mann in himself up to the Mark Authouv with others and to show that if this revolution begins in England at a momen the course of the day was called upon pitch, but he very quietly punctured contract is bad, that proposed by of its greatest success in Ireland. The by several dealers who usually for- Mr. Blakes great points and left not Mackenzie was worse, and that who- working classes are favorable to it, and this warded cattle by the company's boat. s shred of that gentlemans argument ever else in Canada might criticiza week every mention of Gladstone's name at They stated that they would not send concluded. He the contract, the present Opposition public meeting has been received with treover their beasts by that line if Mr. admitted that Immigration to Canada ought not. The cost of the road mendous sheers, an unmistakable indication

Jones' cattle were allowed on board.

Mr. Mann at once took a car to the city and consulted with some of the directors as to the course to be purdirectors as to the course to be purdirectors as to the course to be purdirectors as to the course to be purdirectors. If a seventy eight milsucd. Meantime the man in charge unwise and impatriotic speech of Mr. lion dollar transaction was a bad one perated against them, owing to the estabation is extremely menacing for the pro. perty interests, and English land seems to became the least safe -- hitherto it has been the most coveted of all investments.

It is said Earl Dufferin is likely to succeed

Land League meeting are prohibited is Queens County.

Judge May will be allowed to preside at the trials of the Land Leaguers.

Communications.

Borrowed Feathers.

To the Editor of the STAR.

DEAR SIR. - Having noticed a piece in the Tabusintac notes respecting a Sewing Machine Agent in the vicinity of We have not space to-day to Portage River, and having reason to business without the interference of the weddings. Hoping the Tabusintac correspondent will profit by this
gentle hint, and thanking you kindly for the space in your valuable paper.

I remain yours respectfully,

Newcastle Local News.

POLICE MATTERS. -I trust Councillor Brown will give this branch of his public duties considerable attention at the next meeting of Council. There are several matters in this department which would be the better of it and I shall evening of the fifteenth inst, endeavour to post him a little before he

> THE JUDGSHIP .- And now it is said the labors of the would be Judges and their respective friends will go for naught

DIED.

On Tuesday the 21st instant John Thomas only son of James F. and Maggie Maher, aged 5 months.

At the residence of F. H. Jardine.

Chatham Markets

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do.

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the owner was. Then the two drovers refused to have anything more to do with the beasts, and the

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of the yard received two threatening letters by the midday post. One of the skies, and our own lands set down these letters warned him that his life as of an inferior quality. But Mr Blake and yet the Opposition dared to attend the skies and profits a fundred and four million dollar transaction was a Gad one lishment of Co-operative stores, which have so cut into the business and profits of the business and profits of the British shopkeepers. Altogether, the situation is a much worse one and yet the Opposition dared to attend the skies and yet the Opposition dared to attend the yet the Opposition dared to attend the yet the Opposition dared to attend the yet the Opp

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TENDERS, addressed to the undersigned and endorsed "Tender for Poquesuedie Lighthouse," will be received at Ottawa, up to 7th January, 1881, for the construction of a wooden Light House Tower on the North East point of Poquesue 2. of a wooden Light House Tower on the North East po nt of Poquesuedie Island, Baie des Chaleurs, Gloucester County, N B. Plans and specifications can be seen, and forms of tender procured by intending con-tractors, at this department here, at the office of the Inspector of Lights, Newcastle, N B. and at the office of the Collector of Customs, Caraquette.
This department does not?bind itself to

accept the lowest or any tender. WM SMITH. etors, &c Department Marine, &c., Ottawa, Dec 7, 1880

Depy Min. Marine & Fisheries. dec22 li

LOCAL MATTE

Parties have begun the shipn the neglected tomcod to the State

Bass Fishing Notes There are at present 20 Boss ties" on the North West. A number of those shanties are occu men from Chatham.

Messrs R. A. & J. Stewart hav chased a managing interest in Gilmour & Rankin mil! of late con by Temple & Hillyard, at Bathurs

Machinery Finished. All the machinery for the Factory at Derby was completed day at the Miramichi Foundry, a be taken at once to the Factory. Foundry at present has 40 hands ployed, including boiler makers, m sts, moulders, etc.

Fine Beef. Mr Vanstore has on exhibition the finest and fattest carcasses of ever seen in Chatham. The ox, weighed when dressed 1,050 pound but four years old, and was pure from Mr Withrell of Newcastle.

Lumbering Notes.

Coun. K. Cameron is lumbering Bartholomew River. He has 6 and nearly 40 men employed. He get out 3,000,000 for Messrs J.

Mr J. Fairly who lumbers on Di von, has 6 teams and about 40 omployed. He will get out over 2, 000 for Mr J. Scott of Blackville. Mr J. L. Murray who also lu there has 8 teams and about 40 employed. He will get out 3.00

The Shortest Day.

for Snowball this winter.

Yesterday was the shortest day year the sun being then vertical tropic of capricorn. This is the time for the Esquimaux and other zens of the North frigid zone. The total darkness there save that nov again for an hour or two the mou and the fields of ice are flooded wi mellow trembling light of the borealis. Since the 21st of Jun in the astronomer's phrase the su been travelling southward. It has reached the southern limit beyond it never can pass; and now it cheerless land where stunted moss wretched shrubs are the best nature bear, it is midsummer. The Patagonian, smoking guano, is enj his palmy days; spearing fish, and ing wild animals through the moun But the good old sun has turned and from now till the 21st of June the longest day, he will travel N and the dead buds and plants flowers will lie sleeping beneath the till he arrives and wakes them.

Fishing Notes.

Fishing smelt on the main Mira has proven disheartening work, this season. Messrs. Cribbs and Mi Chatham have taken up their nets gone to the Little North West. County, to fish for smelt. In six there they have taken 5 tons. are about 65 nets where they are fis mostly owned by Frenchmen.

A great number of the Chatham ermen have begun to take their nel of the main river. A SUGGESTION. There seems no doubt at all but the smelt business from the Mira

is suffering from injudicious shipm There are not too many smelt t during the two open months to su all the markets for December, Jan and February, but there are too taken to supply December and Jan only; especially so if cargo after c is dumped into a market in which is little or no demand. Proper atten given to shipping by the shippers w keep up a paying demand for smelt all the season round; but owin a lack of proper accessions already several cargoes heen dur the markets, bringing there, than at the Chatham Station. view of all these facts it seems to us that the shippers should put their ! together and devise some plan to g their own interests—which are the terests of the fishermen as well. Su plan should have for its object regulation of the markets. To this the shippers ought to meet say on week and decide a course of action the coming week. They should all the information possible with respecting the capacity of the mar and regulate their supply during next week according to the demand. for example the fulton market glutted it should be ordered that no state of the per send to that market for the week: the same should be done with re to the other markets. Shipments shi be allowed only to whatever market t was a demand: and if all the mar should ever happen to be supplied, fish on the shippers hands might stowed away. For remember through February there will be no taken, so that there will then be a time to work off the accumulated st As it is now there is neither method money in the shipments. Each ship fires away to whatever market his fa suits him; and if A sees B eagerly ping to Boston, and is in a quon himself where to ship, he eagerly foll suit. So does C, and D and E .-

the result is they swamp each of and help to kill the business. If s

pers only worked in harmony—as a

-there are good profits in the s

trade both for themselves and the fis