THE TRI-WEEKLY STAR.

IS PUBLISHED Taesday, Thursday and Saturday mornings, from the office on Quee Street, Wiley's Building. Terms: \$2.50 per annum, payable in advance. Address " STAR," Fredericton.

Morning Star. The J. E. COLLINS, EDITOR & PROPRIETOR. FREDERICTON, MARCH 13, 1879.

A Sad Mess.

we can't understand why our edu-IF it were possible to add anything to the rout and confusion of equally responsible. the Opposition since Secretary We speak of the abstract princi-Wedderburn caused Leader Blair's ple and the necessity of having a petard to explode under his own Minister of Education who shall be feet, it was added in the House on directly and immediately respon-Tuesday evening. Not content with sible to the people. Only the other feeling that he had been the dupe day we learned through the Indiaof " little floating newspaper para- uapolis Journal that the people of graphs," of corner chit chat and Indianapolis had been fluked of office tete a tetes Mr. Blair again 750,000, in consequence of a ring The Last Waterspout Explodes brought forward his resolution, which had been formed by the

Education.

There is, perhaps, no department

If our Crown Land deparment,

our Board of Works department re-

quire men who shall be immediately

and indirectly responsible to the

irresponsible source.

attacking a chimera and implying a publishers of school books, local want of confidence in the Govern- school trustees, and a few teachers. ment, not for aught wrong under Those text books were multiplying the wide heavens that the Govern- rapidly with ourselves not long sults : ment had done, but for what it since. The evil was nipped in the

might possibly do. To this resoluand else it might have assumed tion and the illogical, but impassigantic dimensions. sioned appeal to sentiment and pre-Let us look at the whole question judice by the same gentleman Mr. not only economically but practical-Wedderburn replied in a speech iy. Of what earthly use have those which for sarcasm, irony and over- inspectors, under our present syswhelming argument, we have never tem, been? They cost the province heard excelled. And sure it must a considerable sum annually. Their have done everyone in the House reports are merely made to order good when the Hon. gentleman and mean nothing. The local swept down on those renegades trustees in the different districts whose very connection with the perform all the essential and practi-

Opposition is its destruction. We cal duties appertaining thereto. refer first in order to Gillespie who They make the assessment, employ seconded a motion which condemnthe teacher, and provide for all the ed a measure for which the said wants of the school. honorable booby had voted when Inspectors are simply required to he before contributed his out visit the different schools twice in landish dullnes to the Legislature. the year, all of which they can do He,-we mean this Northumber- in a month with ordinary labor. land member, writhed under Wed. We have had some experience in

derburns lash as a cur does under this matter and know well that this a strip of cowhide, knowing in his inspection system is a farce and O ye gods what a trashing on canine way that he has done some nothing more. great wrong. Pity for you Blair The truth is, our whole educa- Opposition ! Welcone back again

to be supported by men like these! tional system wants, first of all, a into the fold, Mr. Elder! -were you gifted with the oratory toundation. We are now plaster-

of Demosthenes, were your cause ing, painting and crnamenting all

lution will be like a distant clap of to the Grand Southern Railway was thunder whose only damage is its not intended as a motion of "want of confidence." Honest Injun ?-Sun He is houest, dear Sun ; but the

in the public service that requires This old man Campbell, is one of Government will compel him to a more thorough and permanent those men who read history either | make it such. Deal lightly with basis, financialy, than that of eduto forget or to misunderstand it. our York leader brother, for " to err cation. Constituted as ours now is, There was a time when England is human."

we have no direct knowledge of its led by hasty statesmen pursued a workings and operations, unless what we get through an indirect policy similar to that which this

noise.

MR. MARSHALL'S Bill to incorold man now would formulate : and porate the City and County of St. that policy it was that divided from John into one, seems to be a very the mother land that which is now desirable measure. There are to the mightiest Republic that everthe be 21 Aldermen in all. The world has seen. It is true Canada- Mayors salary is to be \$1,000, that would not be easily incited to re- of each Alderman \$200.

people for their proper management bellion now, even by tryannical imcational department should not be perial policy; but it is also well to world is not now a plant but a mighty tree, firm-rooted, powerful; that we have not forgotten the old rusty fetters that once bound us, and that burst once may again be severed. We need not fear, however: the struggle is all in poor old Campbell's head.

The motion was put at the conclusion of a thundering philppic by Mr. Blair, with the following re-

For Blair's resolu-Hutchison, Fraser, Wedderburn, Covert, Willis, Landry, Adams, Gilespie, Crawtord. W lite, Perley, Hanington, Blair, Butler, Thompson. Marshall, Theriault, Dr. Vail. Ryan, Johnson, Total, Turner. McManus, vorton, Black, Ritchie. Lynott, Beveridge, Hill, Killam, Colter, Dr. Lewis, Elder, McLellan, Davidson, Sayre, Barbarie, Kenny, Wood, Leighton, Total,

want of confidence vote. Poor

Mr. Blair the other day suggested

TRUSTEES NOTICE. JOHN WCOD & CO., THEM DOWN NOTICE is hereby given that GEORGE T. SCULLY and CHARLES E. COL-LINS, of Fredericton, lately carrying on Commission Merchants, business as Merchant Tailors, under the DEALERS IN name, style and firm of SCULLY & COLLINS, have this day made an assignment in trust to me, for the benefit of GROCERIES. their creditors. The Trust Deed now lies at the office of the Solicitors, MESSRS. RAINSFORD & PROVISIONS. "Down, Down they go " in BLACK, for signature, where creditors are requested to call and sign the same without delay. All persons indebted to the firm of SCULLY & COLLINS, will please make immediate payment to me at the store lately occupied by them. every Dopartment. Dated this 8th day of February, 1879. RAINSFORD & BLACK. Produce Solicitors. A. A. MILLER, Trustee Feb. 18, 1879.-tf. WE CAMET PARTICULARIZE FRENCH KID GLOVES. REAL FRENCH KID GLOVES. "Slaughter Prices' -IN-Black, Dark, Medium and Evening Shades, prevail. Best value over offered in the City. Oct 31, 1878.-3mos EVERY PAIR WARHANTED. Cloths. SIMON NEALIS Silks, FOR MEN AND BOYS. Wcollens, CHEAP! CHEAP! CHEAP! For sale at Velvets, F'ten, nov. 23-3mos. Cottons, &c. A SPLENDID LOT OF CANADIAN TWINDS Must be cleared out ALL WOOL,

hi-



founded on the quintessence of at the same time. A man of genius justice itself with a Gillespie, a who desires to develop his imagin-Willis and the other few at your ation, and illustrate his theories, enough: every important or lengthy back we could not support you. might possibly indulge in such lax-But even as the scabby sheep uries, and exhibit to the world the whose poisonous touch imparts a immensity of his gigantic brain. happens that a bill of important reproach to the whole flock must The tax-payers cannot appreciate, bearings is huddled through the herd away to themselves, so too however, such enjoyment. must some place be found for those politicians we have named.

And Willis, too, gave counter der. " Pay to A. B. one thousand to Blair's motion! No wonder, dollars, and charge to C. D., Edu- in hand, deciding what Bills ought too had voted for the measure a condensed form, our present sys. which he now consures the secre- tem. The money must be paid. tary would cry "Angels and minis" The Province is responsible, and gentlemen in the House that we ters of grace defend us!" We the poor man as well as the rich have reached a pitiable era in should in Mr. Wedderburn's place must bleed to raise it. have taken a different attitude towards this nonentity. We should not have wasted a Shakesperean cational department terminates on reproach on the character of those line by knocking him d wn with it, the 30th April, and consequently, they assail. A man of fine parts but we should have pointed our finger at him and to the house and galleries said " Behold that ! there's a spectacle !"

only second handed. With Butler, whose name appeared on that roll, we shall not waste paper, ink or time, but shall the time being, have a right to pause to look at Covert. John, tax the people, the people have a too, was one of those who years relative right to know how these ago voted for the measure that his taxes have been disposed of. We usurping leader now condemns. are, therefore, constrained to say,

Was it any wonder the Secretary irrespective of all parties and indishould here cry out :--- " Another Daniel come to judgment!" But tion, under our present school law, let us with all our feelings and is an indispensable necessity. opinions be honest. John Covert we do not think would lend

himself to such a course, but he is forced to follow. Covert is " a plain blunt man," honest and practical, and now for the first time in many distant now, when that rather stu- want of confidence vote and will years, must play an ignominious role-second string.

osition !

house and enquire of Beaconsfield W. W. Sullivan is the new The Opposition is gone; every whether or not Lord Lorne has in- Attorney General. They were step has been a faux pas; every dicated in his speech the carrying a corrupt lot, and the unfair-There is only three men in the out of a protection policy in Cana- ness of their "construction" has crowd whose names are worth da. Should the rumor to this ef- proved a petard under them instead writing: Blair, Covert, Willis, fect which has reached old Camp- of being as was expected their Blair is an able, intelligent man, bell's ears prove correct, then will tower of strength.

Dies Irae.

but as a leader is a bungler; Covert come that mighty blow which will but as a leader is a bungler; Covert come that mighty blow which will is as he ever was; Willis, if he sunder for ever the tie that binds able is it, that out of the recent can't do anything else, can talk. the colonies to the mother land. defeat of the English will spring lochay. Apply to Against these and the few of the This will be for the colonies the the first germ of a stable British rag tag who follow them put dies irae. Of course Beaconsfield Empire in the South of Africa. Fraser, Wedderburn, Hannington, will not be much troubled by this England will ere she stops crush Landry, Adams, Sayre, Davidson; empire-shaking question, but with out every germ of rebellion and TO THE WEST ! McManus, Lynott, Ritchie, Hill, characteristic coolness, he will establish a South African Company Crawford, Morton, Marshall, Black, likely tell this obtuse old Scotch- as she did that of East India. It Crawford, Morton, Marshall, Black, Thompson, Colter, Beverege, Elder —he is all right—Woods, Theriault, Lewis, Turner, Leighton, Kenny, Rarbarie, &c. Alas the poor Op-

full power to deal. His famous reso- terday that his resolution with respect Fton, March 8, 1878.

ed. The suggestion was an excel-Bill should be printed for the con-

House and three-fourths of the It is a very easy matter for a Members are entirely inn cent of man to sit down and write an or- its contents. A committee for other duties could take this matter

cational Department." Such is, in to be printed. WE entirely agree with Hon. civilization, indeed if hon. gentle A other argument in this regard men shelter themselves behind is, that the fiscal year in the edu. their privilege to villify and cast a whole year almost transpires be- will never stretch his privilege or fore we have any official report re. step to the limit of his prerogative; garding its operations, and then but it is unfortunite that "at bar

and senate" but too many degrade If those to whom the people a privilege which men of their ways have delegated their power, for should never enjoy.

The bottom has thus far fallen out of every Opposition measure introduced into the house. The warm friends and rabbid suppor viduals, that a minister of educa. ers of Mr. Blair through York, are sorely disappointed. We are among the number who once thought that he was a Titan dressed out in ordinary broad-cloth, but that now Lord Campell's head, with due think him, as a leader, a failure. respect to his knighthood, must be The Prince Edward Island Govvery thick. The day is not far ernment has been defeated on a

MR. BLAIR stated in the House yes-

The Opposition. pid intolerant will stand up in the resign on Friday evening. Mr.

