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Letter from a German Statesman of the Highest Position.

A private letter just received from a German statesman of the highest position throws a very curious and instructive light upon the present and the future of the Eastern Question. This letter deals chiefly with the extreme excitement caused in France by the recent speech of Von Moltke. It says:—

"The good people of Paris and their fugitives of Versailles cannot get it out of their heads that we in Germany are always thinking of them, simply because they are always thinking of us. As a matter of fact, in this present question, it is Russia which most preoccupies us. We understand perfectly well that Russia is our next and most formidable enemy, and we also understand perfectly well how a czar and a paralytic her. The present emperor of Russia is a sentimental simpleton, with out self-praise and without moral courage. He has been driven into this war with Turkey by the pressure of Russian feeling. We in Germany have permitted him to engage in it, but we are not such children as to permit him to emerge from it either with honor or recollections of strength. If he is terrified by the attitude of England and Austria into making peace, he will probably end very suddenly—perhaps by suicide, perhaps in the usual way in which Russian public opinion vindicates itself against incompetent emperors. If he persists in making war, he will be humiliated, and Russia with him, by certain defeat, as nothing can be more clear than it is our interest to allow Austria, at the critical moment to fall upon his armies and obliterate all recollections of the Austro-Russian alliance of 1849-50. Peace or defeat equally will mean the accession to the Russian throne, under a cloud of popular discontent and a crushing weight of financial burdens, of a prince who is known to be our special enemy, the Czarowitz. This is equivalent to a complete nullification of Russia, for a generation to come, in the affairs of Europe; and what can ever hold out any hope to France of the recovery of Lorraine and Alsace except an alliance with Russia."

It must be admitted that this is a very cold and cynical view of the affairs of Europe, but it is an ominously practical view of them; and the rulers of Germany have shown themselves of late years to be the most practical of men.

Austria and England Leagued Against Russia.

There is great alarm in diplomatic circles to day because of the belief that Lord Beaconsfield is resolved to go to war with Russia on behalf of Turkey. The indications all point to an early declaration of war with Russia. It is rumored that there is a secret alliance between England and Austria, and that a special courier has left for Vienna with sealed despatches within the past twenty-four hours. It is understood that in case of England's declaring war, Austria will immediately fall on the flank of the Russian army in Rumania. It is held by Austria that the blockade of the Danube by Russia is a menace to her, and a violation of the pledges made to Count Andrassy by Gortchakoff last year. Despatches from Vienna state that there is great popular excitement there at the conduct of Russia, especially among the Hungarians. "Prodigious activity is displayed in all English arsenals, and military stores are being rapidly forwarded to Malta. The markets are unsettled, and the indications point to immediate war."

**CHURCH DISESTABLISHMENT.**—A circular, signed by the official representatives of the London, Edinburgh, and Glasgow Committees of the Liberation Society, has been issued, announcing that "opinion in favor of Disestablishment is so ripening in Scotland" as to be commenced, "having in view Parliamentary and electoral action of a more decided kind than has yet been adopted." It is therefore proposed to form a Scottish Council of the Society to co-operate with the Executive Committee in London, and this proposal will be submitted to a meeting in Glasgow during the sittings of the United Presbyterian Synod.

The regulations for the Annual Drill have been published. They provide for a twelve days' drill of twenty thousand men at the several corps headquarters. The officers are to receive one dollar, and the non-commissioned officers and men fifty cents per day. Corps that did not drill last year are to have the preference this year; but all others are to be decided by drawing lots.

The outlook for a good crop this season is propitious, although it is as yet early to estimate amount of harvest, the grass never looked better, starting at least twenty days earlier than last year, and with frequent rains, has come along surprisingly. By the last of June farmers will strike into the waving fields, and if a week of sunshine to make hay is vouchsafed, the barns will groan with the burden.

FOR MUNICIPAL COUNCILLORS.  
T. T. Odell,  
Robert Stevenson.

The St. Andrews Standard.

Saint Andrews, May 23, 1877.

THE MUNICIPAL ELECTION which is to be held on Tuesday next is the general topic, not only in this County, but in every rural Parish in the Province; indeed there is more interest felt, than in parliamentary contests; and in some cases, a degree acrimony and feeling indulged in, with misrepresentation of facts, which is productive of unpleasantness, and answers no worthy purpose. These elections are to take place annually, and surely a canvas can be conducted without a resort to false issues and abuse. Men of understanding and experience, who are large taxpayers and acquainted with County affairs, are proper persons to be elected. St. Andrews we are assured from the tone of public opinion, will return Messrs. Odell and Stevenson, to represent its interest in the County Council.

**BURNED TO DEATH.**—On Sunday last a telegram was received here, of the burning of C. F. Clench & Son's store at Musquash, during Saturday night, and that Mr. Berton Clench had perished in the flames. The greatest sympathy is expressed by the family's friends in St. Andrews in their sudden bereavement. Berton was a young man deservedly respected and liked in this community, and his numerous companions deeply regret his unexpected and shocking death.

**VOTERS for Municipal Councillors** should be careful to have the names of the two Candidates for whom they may vote, written or printed on white paper. Any envelope of a name will result in the ballot being thrown out.

**St. John papers of Saturday** state that the schooner *Clarity*, King, from St. Andrews for St. John, when off Musquash, on Monday evening the 14th instant, was struck by a squall and thrown on her beam ends. Capt. King and his man, clung to the vessel for nearly three quarters of an hour, when the gale having abated, they were rescued by some fishermen from Pictouco. As soon as possible the captain went to St. John, hired tug boat and started in search of his vessel, which they found next morning. She was towed up to the city on Tuesday night, and is very little the worse of the accident. The captain's portly presence in his pocket, will probably be seen here in a few days.

**DEATHS.**—During the past week, two of St. John's old citizens passed away. Mr. A. C. O. Treutowsky, died on Friday last, aged 79. Many here will remember that he married a daughter of the late Mr. Wm. Babcock, of this town. He was formerly engaged in commercial pursuits, and for several years Prussian Consul at St. John. Mr. Henry Card, well-known as an accomplished organist and music teacher, died on Thursday last, in the 70th year of his age.

**Circus.**—Howe's London Circus and Bannan's Great Show, are to visit the Maritime Provinces during the summer.

The grand musical event of the season was inaugurated in Music Hall, Boston, on Wednesday evening in the opening exercises of the fourth triennial festival of the Handel and Haydn Society. It is but simple justice to denominate the occasion as a magnificent success in every respect. The vast edifice was filled with one of the largest and most cultured and fashionable audiences ever assembled in that city. The festival orchestra numbered sixty-six musicians, under Carl Zerrhau as conductor, and the historic "big organ" was presided over by Mr. Lang.

**THE CENTENNIAL MEDAL FOR PARKS' COTTON YARNS.**—The medal for Cotton Yarns, awarded by the British, Japanese, and Messrs. Wm. Parks & Son, at the Centennial Exhibition, is one of which the recipients have good reason to feel proud, as

the goods which they sent there, and for which the medal was awarded, were not specially prepared for the purpose of exhibiting them. Messrs. Parks were induced at the last moment to do so in order to help the display made by New Brunswick. Consequently the goods they sent were taken from the stock which they supplying daily to their customers, and it is very satisfactory to them to find that these goods were considered the best of their kind sent from Canada.

ANOTHER CONFLAGRATION.

The greater portion of the Business Locality of Woodstock Destroyed.

Woodstock has been scorched by fire. At about 2 o'clock on Thursday morning 17th, the alarm was given, it was found that Mr. Richard Clark's harness shop, on Main street, was on fire. Everything was dry, and a fresh breeze was blowing. The flame spread with rapidity among the highly combustible material surrounding it, and by the time the citizens and engines reached the scene, destructive conflagration was imminent. Onward still sweeping, irresistibly the flames went in every direction from the point of starting. Down Main to Water street and up to Regent, east of Main toward the river to Wellington and Richmond streets; across Main, and laying everything low from the creek up to Chapel street; Connell's brick block, Brown's new brick building and the "Cable House" appearing to present no obstacle to the onward flow of fire, and west up Water street through the entire blocks from the Creek to Connell street.

The following are the amounts for which the Insurance Companies are liable, and will have to pay:

North British Insurance,	\$28,140
Strathcona,	11,900
Western of Toronto,	5,200
Royal Canadian,	4,500
The Queen,	\$49,710
Melville, N. J.,	\$6,900
Commercial, N. Y.,	1,600
National,	\$9,750
Imperial,	\$2,500
Hartford,	10,000
Etna,	6,000
Canada Fire and Marine,	\$28,500
Citizen's,	\$2,500
Provincial Insurance Company,	9,500
Royal,	\$24,450
	8,000

Making a total of all risks, including those on only partially damaged stock of \$129,440. In St. Stephen the amount of insurance was \$119,000.

The Fire at St. Stephen.

We briefly alluded to the fire at St. Stephen, in our last issue, but having since visited the scene, and witnessed the great destruction, we avail ourselves of the graphic description of the loss given by the *Journal*. The people, nothing daunted, are making preparations to build again. The *Courier*, we learn as arrangements now in progress are perfected, and we shall welcome its weekly visits to our sanctum.

The following is a list of the principal buildings burned:—On the north side of Water Street, the Ross building, the basement occupied at the time of the fire by Ross Bros. Jewellers, and Huntley, Bates & Co. Confectioners, the upper flat being used as a dwelling; the "Courier" Building, basement occupied by Taylor & Mitchell, Grocers, the upper flat, *Courier* Office; the Marks building, in the lower flat the Ganong Bros. confectioners, and T. Gregory, Grocer, over head, Marks' Hall; the Bixby building owned by N. Marks in the lower flat J. P. Bixby, Grocer, up stairs Cleland's paint shop; Boone & Westcott's Meat market, building owned by John Connors; the Watson House, occupied by D. McCormick as a hotel; in the same building were G. S. Wall's book store, Cross & Maxwell's oyster saloon, S. Nesbitt's Auction Room, a sample shop, Smith & Harmon's drug store, the Railway office, and Telegraph office; on the west side of King street in addition to the Watson House, R. Kelley's building, four buildings on the Abbott estate, including Hayman's and Bartlett's grocery stores; the Egan building, in the rear of these Abbott house, Mr. Shank's house, and a large number of barns and out houses, were totally destroyed.

On the south side of Water Street there succumbed to the flames, T. M. Bay's building, occupied by him as a store, and dwelling; Brook's tin shop, Carter's Meat Market; F. H. Todd and Son's large store; the Chipman building, basement occupied by E. P. Barnard as a grocery store, and W. B. Wetmore's wholesale liquor establishment, over head the Town Council Room, Chipman's office, Erb's Photographic Saloon, &c on the opposite side of the Public Landing were destroyed, the

three railway buildings including Smith & Hamilton's tin-shop & factory, also the Railway Depot, Lovejoy's office and iron-clad Mill, all the buildings on the south side of Water Street as far east as the Repair shop, twelve wharves on the bank of the river with over a million feet of lumber on them, and a small schooner, belonging to it is said to a Mr. Thompson Deer Island.

On the east side of King street, were reduced to ashes, Breen's building, occupied by Mr. Breen, as a store and hotel, and Mr. Carroll, as a saloon and dwelling house; W. Johnson's two buildings; Mrs. Quinn's two buildings; Mr. Kane's livery stable; the lock up; Mr. Fraser's, Mr. Kelly's and Mr. Cleland's houses on the south side of Water street, below Mr. Breen's, Mr. Foster's livery stable, the Reform, Club Room Young's Furniture store, the F. Murchie buildings; Mr. McWhitty's blacksmith shop, the old Bixby house, the houses of Messrs. McWhitty's, Youden, Wm. Cone, P. Branniff's house, and 17 tenement houses in Branniff's Row, and the Railway Repair shop.

Altogether at least 100 buildings were burned down. Between 80 and 90 families, about 200 people, were turned out of house and home, and a large quantity of goods and other property destroyed.

The district burned comprises about 12 acres in extent.

Correspondence.

(FOR THE STANDARD.)

**MR. EDITOR.**—An extraordinary production over the signature of "Vox Populi" appeared in the *St. Stephen Journal*, which reminds me of the old fable—"the mountain was in labor and brought forth a mouse." Its paternity is attributed to a worthy trio, who have shown themselves entitled to the designation of "singing demagogues," which they design to attempt to fasten upon the two candidates did not apply or intend to fasten upon them any such epithet. As members of the community, I respect them, but with many others prefer supporting men who have experience in the conduct of County affairs, and who have been residents for upwards of a quarter of a century; the voters in this Parish entertain the opinion that they are well qualified to represent them at the Council Board, and also to inaugurate the important change.

It is not my purpose, Sir, to reply to the scurrilous production, or to dispute its glaring inaccuracies; nor will I condescend to answer its impertinent interrogatories, as they will receive a crushing reply at the Nomination. The community in which Mr. Stevenson has resided from his youth, knows full well that he is composed of sterner stuff than to be "led by the nose" by any man. It also knows that Mr. Odell has aided all legitimate enterprises in St. Andrews, and expended large sums in erection of buildings and the purchase of property, and in other ways benefited the town. I will abstain from further remarks at present as I have no desire to prejudice any one against the candidates whom "Vox Populi" delights to honor; they may well exclaim "save us from our friends," as his letter has been an injury to them. Before closing I can state from reliable authority, that no one knows better than the reputed author of "Vox Populi" who it was that had "an axe to grind," or the *commission* to be received, that Mr. Gore's building been purchased. There is "a rod in pickle" for him which will keep until after the election.

Yours, A. TAYLOR.

**Mrs. Bayl**, mother of John Bayl Esq. St. John, died suddenly on Saturday morning.

Mr. Wm. Lawrence, son of I. W. Lawrence Esq., of the same city, was drowned in the Bath room of the M. C. Hall on Saturday evening. He was subject to fits, and while in one met his death.

A Miss Dixon, fell through a hatchway in a store on King Street, and received fatal injuries. She was up in the fifth story, and while one foot was on the floor, and the other on the elevator, a young girl thoughtlessly pulled the rope, which led to the accident.

A letter from St. Peterburg in the Vienna *Tazblatt* says that the distress among the lower classes in Russia is daily increasing. The commercial crisis, which caused the failures of numerous banks and mercantile houses, has been followed by an industrial crisis; some of the largest factories have been closed, and thousands of men and women are out of work. In St. Peterburg and its vicinity no fewer than 90,000 artisans depend on the government or private benevolence for the means of existence; and at Moscow, the centre of Russian industry, 40,000 workmen have been reduced to beggary—to say nothing of the multitude of clerks who have lost their employment in consequence of the closing of banks and merchants' offices. The distress has been much increased by the inundations which occurred in various parts of the empire last month.

**BALLOU'S MONTHLY MAGAZINE FOR JUNE.** The June number of Ballou's Magazine is already issued, and will command the attention of the whole reading public, for it is full of nice engravings, the best of stories, the choicest of poetry, and three pages of M. Quind's fun and humorous matter, expressly for Ballou's Magazine, and to be found nowhere else.

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Ship News.

PORT OF ST. ANDREWS.

**ARRIVED.**  
May 10—Odessa Hooper, Boston, ballast.  
Nellie Clark, Clark Newburyport ballast.  
Matilda, Silfson, St. Stephen, gen. Cargo.  
Halsey, Simpson, Boston, four J. R. Ballast.  
15—Julia Clench, Maloney, Ports mouth, ballast.  
Jane, Craig, Boston, ballast.  
May 11—Odessa Hooper, St. John, ballast.  
Harold, Hanson, Eastport, ballast.  
15—Mary Ellen, Ross, St. George, ballast.  
21—Halsey, Williamson, St. George, ballast.  
Odessa, Hooper, Boston, 25 00 sheep, J. St. Leighton.

**DEPARTED.**  
May 14—Odessa Hooper, St. John, ballast.  
Harold, Hanson, Eastport, ballast.  
15—Mary Ellen, Ross, St. George, ballast.  
21—Halsey, Williamson, St. George, ballast.  
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WELLAND CANAL ENLARGEMENT.

Notice to Contractors.

**SEALED TENDERS**, addressed to the under signed, and endorsed "Tender for the Welland Canal," will be received at this office until the arrival of the Eastern and Western mails on (HOLIDAY) the 24th day of July next, for the formation of a new line of canal from Market's Pond, at Thorold, to Alburgh, including the construction of a lift lock, and lock, several locks, and piers and abutments for swing bridges, &c. Also, the enlargement of about two miles of the canal, from a location downward, together with the construction of an Aqueduct over the Chippawa River, a lock between the canal and the river at Welland, piers and abutments for bridges, &c. And the enlargement of the canal from Roney's bend to Port Colborne, including the construction of a guard lock, weir, and supply race, &c. The works will be in sections of a length suited to circumstances, and the locality. Maps of the different localities, together with plans and specifications of the work can be seen at this office on and after Monday, the 23rd day of June next, where printed forms of tender can be obtained. A list of information relative to the work north of Alburgh, can be seen at the resident Engineer's office, THOROLD; and for work south of Port Robinson, plans, &c., may be seen at the resident Engineer's office, Welland.

Contractors are requested to bear in mind that Tenders will not be considered unless made strictly in accordance with the printed forms, and in the case of firms—except those are attached the actual signatures, the nature of the occupation and place of residence of each member of the same; and further, an accepted bank cheque or other negotiable security for the sum of one to five thousand dollars, according to the extent of work on the sections, must accompany each Tender, which shall be forfeited if the party tendering declines entering into the contract for the works at the rates stated in the offer submitted.

The amount required in each case will be stated on the form of Tender.

The cheque or money thus sent in will be returned to the respective contractors whose Tenders are not accepted.

For the due fulfillment of the contract, satisfactory security will be required, by the deposit of work the amount of five per cent. On the bulk of the Contract, of which the sum sent in with the Tender will be considered a part.

Ninety per cent. only of the progress estimate will be paid, until the completion of the work. To each Tender must be attached the actual signatures of two responsible and solvent persons residents of the Dominion, willing to become sureties for the carrying out of these conditions, as well as the due performance of the works embraced in the contract.

This Department does not, however, bind itself to accept the lowest or any Tender.

By Order,  
F. BRAUN, Secretary.

Department of Public Works,  
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## TORPEDOES.

The development of submarine warfare has been so rapid of late that it is hardly possible to forecast what potent influence it may have on the war now being waged in Eastern Europe. While England, France, Italy, and in fact nearly all the European naval powers, have been building huge engines of war, of a tonnage, armor, and artillery never heard of before, the torpedo has been gradually perfected, and threatens, at least under many circumstances, to neutralize them. A torpedo may be regarded as a gun which dispenses with a gun carriage, and which, without the vast and expensive agency of a great ship, inflicts as formidable a blow as that of the heaviest artillery.

The original inventor was David Bushnell, born at Westbrook, Connecticut, 1742. He not only devised a torpedo, but a submarine rowing boat, intended to convey it to the bottom of the vessels to be attacked. His practical experiments, however, which he was enabled to carry out with the assistance of the private purse of George Washington, did not prove successful, and the invention sank into oblivion until the commencement of the present century, when Robert Fulton, an American sejourner in France, offered a similar one to the French Government. After considerable parleying, it was rejected, and Fulton sold his secret to the British Admiralty for \$75,000. The so-called Catamaran Expedition, an attempt to destroy the French ship-of-war *Bellerophon* and transports off Boulogne, turning out a failure, Fulton returned to the United States, and during the war of 1812, tried in vain to blow up several of the English blockaders. The rage of the British commanders knew no bounds and the proceedings were termed "un-Christian," "the invention of a fiend," etc. Cousin John Bull has a frightfully short memory at times!

In 1829, Colonel Samuel Colt commenced experiments with a submersible torpedo, and after many disappointments, he succeeded on October 18, 1842, in destroying the big *Volta* in New York harbor, in the presence of 40,000 excited spectators. So far only vessels at anchor had been attacked; but on April 13, 1843, Colt blew up a fleet of 500 tons under sail on the Potomac river, he himself being the operator, and at the time at Alexandria, five miles distant from the explosion.

The first European government to adopt the invention was Austria, who laid down a perfect electric torpedo net for the defence of Venice. Russia followed suit, and during the Crimean war protected the entrance of Cronstadt as well as that of Sebastopol harbor by an improved system of ground torpedoes, which kept the English fleet at a respectful distance. The American civil war for the first time clearly demonstrated the tremendous effect of the invention, and at the same time changed its character from a purely defensive to an offensive weapon.

Galled by the soon established superiority of the United States navy, which gradually sealed up all the important Southern ports, the Confederate Government organized a special torpedo service corps; and after sinking torpedoes in every available approach, they proceeded to build small steamers constructed to carry spar torpedoes. These torpedo boats, with an easily comprehensible Biblical allusion were called "Davids," and were in several instances used with as much pluck and perseverance as a terrible effect. The United States soon imitated the David, and in 1864 the late Commander Cushing, U. S. N., succeeded in destroying the Confederate ram *Albatross*, lying at anchor in the James river. Since then the electric apparatus for torpedoes and the torpedo itself have been vastly improved, and numerous new inventions have been introduced, all of which, however, may be classed under the following five heads: Ground torpedoes, spar torpedoes, Harvey (towing) torpedoes, Whitehead (fish) torpedoes, and the Lay torpedo.

It is very satisfactory to find that the policy adopted by the Canadian Government for the management and cultivation of the North West Territories is proving very successful, and promises to be attended with the happiest results. There is peace among all the inhabitants; the Indian tribes are contented; the land is being cultivated; and the Legislative Council, which recently closed its sitting several regulations are adopted for promoting the growth and prosperity of the whole region. Amongst these special importance is attached to laws for the administration of justice, for the regulation of deeds, for the protection of the buffalo, for the establishment of ferries, for the prevention

of gambling, and for the promotion of other needed reforms. All these things tend to develop the resources of the country, and give security to the people, and will thus contribute to the future wealth and power which the North-West is sure to attain.

## The St. Andrews Standard.

Saint Andrews, May 30, 1877.

### First Municipal Election.

A public meeting was held in the Court House yesterday for the purpose of nominating Candidates for County Councillors. Alex. T. Paul, Esq., was unanimously elected chairman, and having been duly sworn, declared the meeting open for nominations.

The following is a very brief outline of the proceedings, which, through the excellent management of the chairman, were conducted with his usual ability. Mr. Whitlock Esq., in proposing Mr. Stevenson Esq., said—Before nominating the gentleman he intended, he wished to make a few remarks. He had been for many years associated with Mr. Robt. Stevenson both in a public and private capacity, and knew him to be a man of integrity and honorable views, and thoroughly acquainted with all the Parish business; but said he, he is a Magistrate, and in the opinion of these would-be reformers incompetent to fill any public office. He himself had been a Magistrate for 25 years past, and saw all stigmatized in the contemptible slip I hold in my hand, as a set of unprincipled scoundrels, which I do not think the record of our lives merits. He then nominated Mr. Stevenson.

J. R. Bradford Esq., in a few well chosen remarks nominated T. T. Odell Esq., as a proper person for County Councillor.

Mr. S. Billings nominated Mr. W. D. Hart, for a County Councillor, "not being a Magistrate." Mr. Nathan Trevellick, nominated Mr. Robert Glenn, "not being a Magistrate."

Mr. W. P. O'Brien nominated Mr. Robert Dunsmore.

The Candidates then addressed the electors, Mr. Dunsmore being the first speaker, and observed that it was the wish of many friends that he should offer as a Candidate, he had come out at a late hour, and felt he could not be elected, and thought it his duty to "step out," that this would be an introduction and he might come forward at another time.

Mr. Stevenson next spoke, alluding to his residence in the Parish for over 50 years, that he had at various times held different Parish Offices and served the people faithfully. He also referred to the changes effected by him in reference to the Commons Lands, every foot of which, he knew, and long before he was appointed a Justice of the Peace, he had resolved to obtain redress for the tenants, and accordingly had a bill drawn up which had passed the Legislature, empowering the Justices to sell the lands to tenants who desired to purchase. The Act proved beneficial to the Town, as by its provisions the land was not to be sold at a less sum than would realize 6 per cent. on amount of rent. That he had paid a rent of \$13.10, and the amount realized and at interest paid \$18.20. This did not look like reducing the revenues of the Town as had been falsely asserted. The same system has been adopted in P. E. Island and Lower Canada.

Mr. Odell addressed the Electors at some length with considerable effect, stating his reasons for offering being the largest taxpayer, and also desirous to reduce the taxes, as he had saved to do at the Sessions. He had never been charged with extravagance either in his own or the public business; had held various Parish offices in connection with Mr. Stevenson, and had found him honorable and attentive, and hoped that all who voted for him (Mr. Odell) would also do so for Mr. Stevenson. He did not wish the ticket split but "vote for Odell and Stevenson." His taxes had increased from \$50 to \$400, and at the rate they were increasing, he feared they would drive the people out of the county.

Mr. Hart said he had not come forward at his own wish, but at the request of a large number of ratepayers at a public meeting. He had not solicited a vote, and added that if Mr. Odell was the largest taxpayer, he was the largest employer of labor in the town.

Mr. Glenn said he had been called out at a respectable public meeting of ratepayers which was open to every one, he also declared that he had not asked any one for a vote. The Press was not with his party, and after some further observations, indulged in some chaff at the *Standard's* expense, which it can well bear in these exciting times, and take in good part.

A poll was opened at 11 o'clock, when voting commenced briskly. The following is the result as declared by the Sheriff after the votes were counted.

Odell.....179  
Stevenson.....172  
Glenn.....134  
Hart.....115

The Sheriff declared T. T. Odell and Robert Stevenson elected to fill the office of County Councillors.

Cheers were then given for the Sheriff and the Candidates.

Mr. "Tax Payer" was received, too late for publication.

The following persons have been elected Councillors:—

St. Croix—Russell, Rideout,  
St. Patrick—McLaughlin, Stevenson,  
St. David—Cotterill, Moore,  
Dunbarton—Hill, Emerson,  
Leopards—Hanson, Baker,  
Clarendon—McMonagle, Magee.

What is to become of us? A large majority of Councillors are Magistrates.

A correspondent enquires—"Is our Rural Cemetery to be made a cow pasture and farm, is it not disgraceful that the repository of the dead, is thus sacrilegiously treated? The writer adds, 'I will publish a statement of facts over my own signature, if the Directors do not attend to the matter at once.'"

The opinion expressed in last week's issue, based upon public feeling, that "St. Andrews would return Messrs. Odell and Stevenson for County Councillors," has been confirmed.

THE QUEEN'S BIRTH DAY was observed here by firing a Royal Salute of the Fort under direction of Capt. Bolton and Lieut. Hall. The Union Jack was floating in the breeze from the Public Buildings. Very few stores were closed. A game of base ball was played at the Point, by some of our young townsmen and the day passed quietly.

The tug "Utopia" is being fitted up by Mr. George Elliot, and is to be ready to make her usual trips between St. George and St. Andrews, to connect with the *Belle Branch* in course of a few days. This will be a great accommodation to St. George and St. Andrews people, and we trust the enterprise will be amply rewarded.

New Post Office.—An office has been established at Bartlett's Mills, Parish of St. Croix, L. C. Bartlett, Esq., Postmaster. This will be a great accommodation to residents in that vicinity.

The Very Rev. Dr. Hannan was on Saturday last consecrated R. C. Archbishop of Halifax. Archbishop Hannan occupies his high position possessing the esteem and good wishes of the people of Halifax, of all denominations, who join in expressing their gratifications, at his elevation to the prominent and responsible position to which he had been nominated. A very full account of the consecration ceremonies, which were very imposing, is given in the *Halifax* papers of Monday.

A TRIPPING MISTAKE.—The following little incident is worthy of record: In the House of Peers, during the examination of the magistrates of Edinburgh, touching the particulars of the 18th Feb. 1876, the Duke of Newcastle having asked the Provost what kind of shot the town-guard, commanded by Porteous, had loaded their muskets, received the unexpected reply, "Oh, just as one shoots ducks and fools with!" The answer was considered as a contempt of the House of Lords, and the poor Provost would have suffered from misconception of his patriots had not the Duke of Argyll (who must have been exceedingly amused) explained that the worthy chief magistrate's expression, when rendered into English, meant to describe the shot used for ducks and waterfowl.

The Masonic Fraternity of Halifax will have a big day on the 6th of June, that being the time appointed for the dedication of their new hall situated on Granville and Salter Streets; amongst other amusements provided for the occasion, Mr. A. B. Wilford, of the Fisheries Establishment of Bedford, will give an exhibition, which will be both novel and interesting, showing the development of a salmon, from the spawn to the full grown fish. Our Masonic friends will leave no stone unturned to make this occasion worthy of the craft.

A GOOSE'S FIGHT WITH A BULL.—A hoary thrated bull near this village, noted for his fierceness, accidentally stepped on one of a brood of goslings recently which a stately gander was holding watch and ward over with great solicitude. Straightway the gander attacked the bull, and seizing him by the tail with his beak, his wings lashed the animal's flanks with the greatest fury. In vain the bull wheeled about to reach his antagonist, the gander wheeled with him, all the while retaining his hold upon the bull's tail, and showering blows with his powerful wings with telling effect upon the bull's legs, until he fairly roared with pain and terror. At last the gander, apparently thinking that his adversary had sufficient punishment, let go his hold and the bull took to his heels with the liveliest speed, only stopping when he reached the farthest corner of the field.—*Midweek Argus*.

FOREST FIRES.—For several weeks destructive fires have been raging through the forests in North-eastern New York; also in the mountains surrounding Bennington, Vt., also in New Hampshire and in Canada at various points. In many cases, villages, mills, depots, and other railroad property have been consumed. Thousands of acres of forest are being burned over. Many bridges have been destroyed, and fences have been removed from enclosures, sitting at liberty numerous herds of cattle. In portions of Canada the smoke is so dense as to darken the day, and the whole wooded country north and west of New York is enveloped in a dense smoke.

Thompson & Glendon have, we understand, secured the contract for constructing the railroad from the Aroostook river to Grand Falls, 19½ miles; the whole to be completed, ready for trains to pass over by the coming fall. *Sentinel*.

Very seldom for the last forty five years has the *Gleaner* had occasion to report an occurrence in Clitham of a like nature to that which took place on board the *Barque Soudan* on Sunday evening last, by which a man named Joseph McKenna came to an untimely end at the hands of a companion. About 2 o'clock six sober men went on shore to take a walk, they walked for about half an hour, on the street they met a person who took them to a house where they all sat down, and this person was sent out for liquor, which was only too readily obtainable Sunday as it was, after drinking nine bottles it is not very surprising that some of them would be in a quarrelsome mood, and what in their sober moments would not be considered as an offence was in this case so considered, resulting in fight and the death of one of the parties.

An inquest was held on the body of the deceased by Coroner Benson, and a verdict of manslaughter returned against Thos. Campbell, who it seems by the evidence had no previous ill feeling toward McKenna but was incited to commit the deed by the provocation received from the hands of McKenna as well as the effect of the liquor, which they drank while on shore. Campbell has been committed for trial at the September Circuit.

When so much is being said about the Southern Policy of President HAYES, it is well to realize clearly what that policy is, and what so far has been accomplished towards the solution of the educational problem in the Southern States. As explained by the President himself, his sole aim is to treat the South with justice and humanity. Such a policy is needed, and will succeed; and, as now presented by official supports, the prospects of elevation in the South are preeminently encouraging. In almost every State a surprising progress is being made in the number of both schools and scholars, and in the efficiency of the instruction imparted. In Virginia the pupils of the public schools have increased from 58,974 in 1870, to 184,485 in 1875. In Georgia there were in 1871 only 42,914 white, and 6,864 colored pupils, whereas in 1875 the numbers were respectively 105,999 and 59,359, or a total of 165,349. In Tennessee out of 290,000 pupils, 25,000 and in nearly every other State there is the same evidence of advancement. The result is that happier influences are at work upon the community; and, aided development of his policy, he will be instrumental in producing a wonderful transformation in the South during his tenure of office.

The cashier, Chapman and President Tracy, of the Farmers' and Mechanics' Bank, were sentenced, the former to six and a half years imprisonment for deceiving the comptroller of currency, and the latter to five years for swearing to a false bank statement. The bank lost \$600,000 by the crimes of these officers.

Senator Morton publishes a letter, in which he says that if a majority of the Senate shall, at the next session, be of opinion that Kellogg, of Louisiana, was lawfully elected as United States Senator, he will be entitled to his seat, notwithstanding events that have since occurred; unless Kellogg should voluntarily withdraw, the Senate will have to decide the question as it stood at the time of adjournment.

They have been holding an International British celebration at Petersburg, Va. Hindustan is suffering severely from famine, and the number receiving relief is increasing.

Four inches of snow in Massachusetts on the 24th.

The receipts of the U. S. Presbyterian Board of Foreign Missions last fiscal year were \$473,371; expenditure, \$489,216.

A lunatic ran away with a locomotive

on a Pennsylvania railroad, precipitated it into the river and was drowned.

## Russian Aggression.

A very remarkable article has appeared in the last number of the *Edinburgh Review* on the development and growth of the Russian empire. It is attracting much attention in political and military circles, especially in view of the action which has been taken by the Russian Government since the article was written. The tone of the whole is not particularly favorable to the spirit and pretensions of the Muscovite Power; but it nevertheless contains facts which no student of history can afford to disregard. During the last six years, the writer says, that Russia has made greater exertion than at any former period to augment its military resources; and this, it is contended, can be for no other purpose than that of aggression. The territory of Russia is practically invulnerable; the people are not naturally of a warlike temperament; and the maintenance of such an immense army is considered as most mischievous in exhausting the country, and in deteriorating the race. Military service in Russia is considered to be a detestable form of slavery. The people submit to it as to a law of nature, because they are docile and brave, and simple minded slaves are converted by it, without any will of their own, into blood-hounds, destroyers, or victims. The whole community is crushed by the service, as military service is the primary obligation of life, and must effect every other relation of society. This is a good deal of down right plain speaking in the article, and it is quite well the whole world should understand accurately the character of the Power which is now making so much ado about the liberty, and independence, and safety of the Christian subjects of Turkey. It looks very much like a case in which the proverb—"Physician heal thyself"—may be applied.

In Clinton county, New York, a large tract of farming country has been swept clean of buildings, fences, trees and stock by the recent fires. Crops that had been put in the ground have been destroyed, and the area utterly destitute.

Take things as they are, and make the best of them. That is the only true and practical philosophy.

Indian remains, with ancient pipes, tomahawks, &c. have been discovered at Hamilton, Ont.

The insane woman who roared her children at St. Victor de Tring, Beaune Co. Que., is named Richard. She has been sent to Beauport Asylum.

Athena, May 28.

A large crowd assembled under the windows of the Royal Palace to-day. Speeches were delivered, urging military preparations and the formation of a strong Ministry. The King was absent at the time.

Madrid, May 28.

The Government intend to take active measures to suppress the insurrection in Cuba. Sixteen thousand soldiers will be sent to the island from Spain the coming autumn.

London, May 28.

Minister Pierspont and Consul Rodou and Fairchild and a number of Americans, residing in England, will receive General Grant at Liverpool.

The Mayor of Liverpool received General Grant to-day, and to-morrow the latter will lunch with the Mayor at the Town Hall.

A despatch from Berlin says that the steamer *Essex*, laden with Krupp guns for Cronstadt has foundered off the coast of Sweden.

DEATH.

On the 26th instant, at Armstrong's Hotel, after a long illness, Mr. Henry Bradbridge, in 59th year of his age, a native of Torquay, Devonshire, England, and for upwards of twenty-five years a resident of St. Andrews, where he was generally respected by all who were acquainted with him.

## Ship News.

CLARENDON.

Julia Clitham, Maloney, St. George.

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Nos. 5's to 10's.

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Stronger and better than any other Yarn in  
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St. John, N. B.



## WELLAND CANAL ENLARGEMENT.

### Notice to Contractors.

SEALED TENDERS, addressed to the under-  
signed, and endorsed "Tender for the Wel-  
land Canal," will be received at this office until  
the arrival of the Eastern and Western mails on  
THURSDAY, the fifth day of July next, for the  
formation of a new line of canal from Marlatt's  
Point, at Thorold, to Allensburg, including the con-  
struction of a lift lock, guage lock, several weirs,  
and piers and abutments for swing bridges, &c.

Also, the enlargement of about two miles of the  
canal, from the Junction downward, together with  
the construction of an Aqueduct over the Chippa-  
wa River, a lock between the canal and the river  
at Welland, piers and abutments for bridges, &c.

And the enlargement of the canal from Raney's  
Point to Port Colborne, including the construction  
of a guard lock, weir, and supply race, &c.

The works will be let in sections of a length  
suited to circumstances and the locality.

Maps of the different localities, together with  
plans and specifications of the work can be seen  
at this office on and after Monday, the 25th day of  
JUNE next, where printed forms of tender can  
be obtained. A like class of information relative  
to the works north of Allensburg, can be seen at  
the resident Engineer's office, THOROLD; and  
for works south of Port Colborne, plans, &c., may  
be seen at the resident Engineer's office, Wel-  
land.

Contractors are requested to bear in mind  
that Tenders will not be considered unless  
made strictly in accordance with the printed  
forms, and—in the case of firms—except there  
are attached the actual signatures, the nature  
of the occupation and place of residence of each  
member of the same; and further, an accepted  
bank cheque or other available security for the  
sum of one to five thousand dollars, according  
to the extent of work on the section, must ac-  
company each Tender, which sum shall be for-  
feited if the party tendering declines entering in  
to contract for the works at the rates stated in  
the offer submitted.

The amount req. in each case will be stat-  
ed on the form of tender.

The cheque or money thus sent in will be re-  
turned to the respective contractors whose Tenders  
are not accepted.

For the due fulfillment of the contract, satisfac-  
tory security will be required, by the deposit of  
money the amount of \$50 per cent. On the bal-  
ance of the Contract, of which the sum sent in with  
the Tender will be considered a part.

Ninety per cent. only of the progress estimate  
will be paid until the completion of the work.

To each Tender must be attached the actual  
signatures of two responsible and solvent persons  
residents of the Dominion, willing to become sure-  
ties for the carrying out of these conditions, as  
well as the due performance of the works embraced  
in the contract.

This Department does not, however, bind itself  
to accept the lowest or any Tender.

By Order,

F. BRAUN,

Secretary.

Department of Public Works.

Ottawa, 14th May, 1877.

## AGENTS LOOK HERE!

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Counties of Victoria

Carleton, York, Sunbury and Charlotte, to  
sell the celebrated "CHAMPION WASHING

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19, 1875. 3m

NOTICE!

ALL persons having claims against the Estate of  
the late JAMES BOYD, are requested to  
present the same duly attested to the Subscrib-  
er within three months from date, and all persons  
indebted to the said estate, are required to pay  
the same immediately to Mr. C. E. O. Hatheway.

Dated St. Andrews, November 9, 1876.

C. E. O. HATHEWAY, Executor.

G. S. GRIMMER, Executor.

no. 46—3m.

## REMOVAL.

W. H. WILLIAMSON, ever grateful for the  
kind support and patronage he has hitherto re-  
ceived, begs to inform his friends and the public  
generally, that he has removed his establishment  
to the store formerly occupied by Miss Irvine  
corner of Water and Edward streets; where he  
will keep as usual.

## DRUGS, CHEMICALS

Patent Medicines, Perfumery,

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Paints, Glass, Putty, and all the other ceteras com-  
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READY MADE CLOTHING, HATS, CAPS.

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WHOLESALE AND RETAIL.

## ODELL & TURNER.

May 23

## St. Andrews Drug Store.

THE Subscribers respectfully announce to the

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St. Andrews, May 31, 1876.

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ALL PERSONS having legal claims against

the estate of the late Edward Lynott, Jr.,

of Saint George, in the County of Charlotte, de-  
ceased, are requested to file the same duly attes-  
ted within three months from the date hereof, and  
all parties indebted to the said Estate are re-  
quested to make immediate payment to the

undersigned or to

JAMES BOGUE

Dated the 29th December, A. D. 1875.

SARAH LYNOTT

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THE Subscriber respectfully an-

nounces to his friends and the public in gen-  
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A LARGE STABLE and careful hostler on

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St. Andrews, Oct. 13, 1875.

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Ottawa, April 27 1877.

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J. JOHNSON,

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St. George, July 18, 1876.

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St. Andrews, 7th May, 1877.—41.

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ASSESSORS Notice.

THE undersigned having been appointed As-

sessors of Rates and Taxes for the Parish

of St. Andrews, hereby give Notice thereof, and

request all persons liable to be rated to bring in

to the Assessors within thirty days after publica-

tion of this notice, true statements of their prop-  
erty and income liable to be assessed.

And further the Valuation List will be posted

at the small building between the stores of Capt

Balsam and Green, on King Street; in pursuance

of the provisions of the Assessment Act of 1872

Dated 25th day of April, 1877.

S. H. WHITLOCK, Assessors

J. R. BRADFORD, of Rates.

R. DENSMORE,

Notice of Sale.

NOTICE is hereby given, that by virtue of a

Power of Sale, contained in an Indenture

of mortgage, dated 28th of October, 1836, and

made between John Waycott, Jr., of St. Andrews,

County of Charlotte, and Province of New Brun-

swick, of the one part, and John Dougherty, of

Parish, County and Province aforesaid, of the

other part; registered in the Records of the

County of Charlotte in Book "3," pages 471, 472,

476, 477; there will, for the purpose of satisfying

the moneys secured by said Mortgage, default hav-

ing been made in the payment thereof, be sold at

Public Auction, on the Market Square, in Saint

Andrews, on WEDNESDAY the 20th of JUNE,



