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not so sad now, but let new joys
arouse you to happiness. When
you return to Ononago bear wit-
ness that Mantinoh did like a true
hero of the Cayugas; that he trem-
bled not at the approach of death,
like the coward paleface, nor shed
tears like a woman. My friend, take
my belt, my knife, my hunting
pouch, my horn and rifle; accept
them as mementoes of our friend-
ship; I shall need them no longer;
a few moments and the avenger will
be here; the Great Spirit calls; I
am ready; Mantinoh fears not to
die; farewell."

As soon as the brave Indian had
finished, Webster reiterated with
him, but in vain he urged him to
escape the consequences. A short
silence ensued, when a yell was
heard in the distance, to which the
Cayuga responded. A single Indian
approached and took Mantinoh by
the hand. He too had been his
friend, but the law of the savage
could not be broken.

After mutual salutations and ex-
pressions of kindness, the avenger
addressed him: "Nanticoah, you
have slain my brother; our laws
declare me his avenger and your
executioner. Your time is come;
death is at hand; prepare to meet
him. Be steadfast, be firm; and
may the Great Spirit sustain you."

Upon this Mantinoh gracefully
elevated his manly form, carefully
bared his broad bosom, calmly laid
his arm across his manly breast; not
a muscle moved not a breath was
heard. There he stood ready for
the voluntary sacrifice, immovable
as adamant. Accompanied by a
deafening yell, the bright tomahawk
of the avenger glistened in the
fading light; its keen edge
sank deep into the brain of his vic-
tim. The thirsty earth drank the
life-blood of Mantinoh, and he
sank, without a groan, a lifeless
corpse before his friend. Instantly
as if by magic a host of savages
appeared; the mournful song of
death reached through the forest;
the gloomy dance of the dead moved
in melancholy solemnity around the
corpse of the departed; the low,
guttural moan peculiar to the
savage, murmured through the
trees, and all was still. They
silently surveyed the scene, when
slowly in group, in pairs, and
singly, the witnesses of this thrilling
scene retired.

The North Star.

CHATHAM, N. B., DECEMBER 1, 1880.

J. E. COLLINS, Editor.

THE SPIRIT OF LATEST DES- PATCHES.

It cost £10,000 to gather Boycott's
crops.

Four regiments it is said, are now
en route for Ireland.

Parliament (England) will meet
the 6th January.

Boycott has left.

Lord Beaconsfield is now 76; and
he has just bought out the proceed-
ing of his novel, a sweet cot for the rest of
his days.

Mrs. Langtry the "Jersey Lily" and
her husband, will probably soon
visit America.

The Land League has received
1,000 recruits from Kildare and dis-
trict.

A dog in New Jersey tore out a
little girl's arm recently; and the little
thing is now dying.

Hanlan and Laycock row each other
on the Thames in six weeks, for £500
a side. The law should step in and
suppress these gamblers.

At a late Land League meeting, two
bottles of gunpowder were found
under the platform. But all out of
the Land League are saints!

The Radical element, Bright, and
Chamberlain, controls the Cabinet.
But for them the righteous Liberal,
Gladstone, would ere this have pro-
claimed the *Habeas Corpus* act sus-
pended in Ireland. If suspended
these two resign, and the Government
is smashed up.

CURRENT FALSEHOODS AND UNINFORMED PUBLIC MEN.

No matter how pious or saintly a
man may be in private life, or how
much he seems to tell the most tri-
vial lie about private things, he has
no hesitation or qualms of conscience
in telling the most deliberate party fal-
shoods. In olden times falsehood was
not in fashion, no more in relation to
public matters than to private affairs,
and this is why a great Father said
he would not tell a lie though he
were to gain heaven, by it. To bring
the case nearer home, we are every
day told by the Opposition news-
papers that the present Government
is daily falling into *disrepute*
and *disfavor*. Yet the only way we
have of judging this is by the *eye*
elections since the present party came
in; and here is the story they tell.

Within a few days of the next elec-
tion will have come off since last
session and the two constituencies
that make up the eighth will be car-
ried by the Conservatives without

opposition. The Opposition press
admit this. Well, last session, out of
these eight seats, Mr. Mackenzie
party had three, the coming session
they will have one. Further comment
only would cloud the logic of these
facts.

And supposing that some lucky
wind would blow, and open a certain
constituency on the North Shore, now
plunged into the depths of *stupid*
opposition to the Government, the
record would stand like this:—

For the Government, - - - 8
Against, - - - - - 1

However, we believe in the principle
of punishment for wrong; and if we
could to-morrow open the constitu-
ency in which we live, for the admis-
sion of a Conservative candidate, we
would not do so. Two years suffer-
ing for ingratitude like this county
has been guilty of is not enough—let
the five years draw along, and let the
shoe pinch, and pinch well all over
the way. We have just what we
bargained for; no more and nothing
less.

It is true we admit all the counties
in the Dominion can be on the Gov-
ernment side, for if they were, Respon-
sible Government would be destroyed.
An opposition is the balance wheel
of a Government; the great regulator
that does not allow it to go too fast
or to move too slowly. This is the
view upon moral grounds; but the
way we utilitarians look at it, an
opposition seems as the husk of Res-
ponsible Government;—the shade of
politics; the winter of a politicians
discontent.

But we know counties in Canada
where the people have reason to be
proud of their representative, though
he is a Grit; and where the county is
much better off than it is represented
by some dead and alive tool of the
Government. In this county we have
the double curse of Opposition and a
poor Representative. Mr. Snowball
is a man whom in certain business
dealings we could admire, but he is
cut out for anything but a politician.
A man who aspires to politics in
Ottawa, constituted as is now our
Canadian Commons, ought to be a
man of broad view, of cultured mind,
and of at least a sound education. A
certain business ability added to these
qualifications and you have a politi-
cian of the first water. But Mr.
Snowball, estimable though he may
be, and we know nothing about him
in his own business relations, so far
as we can learn, possesses no quali-
fications whatever for his seat but his
business tact. He is not a reading
man, not taking a book, and scarcely
a newspaper into his hand, from one
end of the week to the other. How
then can a man like him do credit to
himself, or honor to his county when
he gets up to debate a question before
the able and well informed assen-
blage in our Dominion Commons? The
wisest legislators of ancient and
modern history have been distin-
guished by a knowledge of the
things of the past, and an intimate
acquaintance with the doings of the
present. Men without such knowl-
edge, have very seldom indeed left
behind them upon the statutes any-
thing to their credit or for the good
of their county. A knowledge of
the past is the great lamp by which
wise men are lighted in their doings
for the future; for guided by it, they
do not fall into the errors of their pre-
decessors. Scarce a question comes
up before our Commons, that may
not be better dealt with by the ex-
perience of the past, which means a
fair store of information, than by the
most ready abilities of the pintured
mind.

We do not write this way for the
sake of trying to belittle Mr. Snowball
at all, but from the honest conviction
that we are right. Some may think
too, in writing an article like this we
strike a good many. We have little
doubt but we do; and it is the num-
ber of cases but too painfully evident,
that has forced the conviction so
strongly upon our mind.

But when we speak of the necessity
of education for men in public life,
we by no means hold it necessary for
such men to go to college and read
Homer or Æschylus, for many of the
greatest lights at the bar or in the
Legislature have been self-taught,
self-made men; while many who
have graduated from college, have
come out only confirmed dunder-
heads. It is not necessary even that
a newspaper editor should be an A.
B. though it would be much better
were: for if we look through our
provincial daily press we find the
Legislature editor, and perhaps the
Times editor are the only college
scholars among them. Mr. Living-
ston picked up what he knows, as he
went along; so did Mr. Ellis; so did
Mr. Willis—and yet they publish
intelligently written articles on the
everyday subjects of the day.

But they do not write from in-
formation they derive their information
from their exchanges; and any man to be
worth reading or listening to, must
have information from some quarter
or another.

We have met the most ignorant
men at the Local Legislature—some
of them being quite unable to tell
how many counties there were in the
Province, what were its boundaries,
or what the law was on almost any
given subject. Yet when a law came
up for repeal, they invariably took
some side, and "strongly" sup-
ported the view taken by the
Honorable gentleman just "at down,"
but this kind of thing could be better
borne in Fredericton than in Ottawa,
for there each county has generally
more than one representative, so that
the intelligent member could guard
the interests of the county; but in
Ottawa the case is different, the
rural county being often at the mercy
of one illiterate and blundering
representative. And more than this
a county sending an ignorant man
who vulgarly expresses the most
simple thought, is little respected by
the house; because say they, "What
matter about that county! It is like
his representative." This is one of
the reasons—the personal reason—we
have against Mr. Snowball; the
other is of course the equally as
strong party reason.

In our opinion then, public men
should be reading men; they should
read all the magazines and reviews;
should know history fairly, especially
constitutional history; should know
Blackstone's principles before they
dare to vote for the making or the
repeal of a law, and should have
at least a smattering of the principles
of political economy.

WHAT WE WILL GIVE OUR
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of those famous letters written by
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century. Addison is regarded by a
large number of critics as the most
elegant of our English prose writers,
and we may point to the Vision of
Mirza in the 5th Royal Reader as an
example. It is true these letters were
written in England nearly 200 years
ago; that their chief readers lived in
London; that Will's coffee house is
no more and we know nothing of the
features of the theatres at Drury
Lane in those days; yet of such general
application are the morals of the
letters, that the readers of the
STAR in this bleak cold north, will
look with as much interest for one of
them every Saturday evening as did
the English public in the days of the
Spectator. Vice is now much the
same as it was 200 years ago—
for it does not improve with age;
while Folly and Virtue stand much the
same too. Hence these letters dealing
with the virtues and the passions are
fresh now in their applicability as
then. Besides some of the most en-
tertaining legends wrap up in the
Greek and Latin of the old authors
are told in the sweet, pure diction
of Addison and Steele to point the
moral or adorn the tale of either; and
some of the most charming stories
given us through tradition also lend
a great interest to the letters. But
our readers will be the better able to
judge the letters from reading them;
so on Saturday first we will give the
opening paper. Each succeeding
letter will make about a column and
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We still beg to impress our club
terms upon the attention of our
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ing to our exertions, is, we assure
them, encouraging.

St. JOHN is making a strong effort
for the establishment of a public
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science, art, literature, and history.
Mr. Elder is foremost
among the newspaper men in the
work. He is better at this than
decrying the country's credit, and the
N. P.

Tennyson is composing a number
of lyrics in the Northern dialect.
We fancied there were some laurels
yet unwon in his line, in the pure
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A son of Mr. Gladstone is now in
the United States, and has spent
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T. F. Burns & Co.	13	7,018	5,830,520	216,189	73,150	27,000	25,780		
H. A. & J. Stewart	1	38							
Thos Temple & Co.	1	38							
Total	34	15,268	11,721,032	503,205	764,362	814,522	147,127	16,000	80

MEMO OF GRINDSTONES EXPORTED TO UNITED STATES FROM OUTPORT OF NEW BANDON, SEASON 1880.

Name of shipper.	No. of vessels.	Tonnage	Tons of grindstone	Value.
Joseph Read & Co.	7	1,046	1,428	\$13,915
Frank Scott,	4	418	640	6,273
Total,	11	1,464	2,068	\$20,220

SHIPMENTS FROM BATHURST FOR SEASON 1879.

Name of Shipper.	No. of vessels.	No. of S. Boards & Decks	Ends	Planks	Pos. Buttens.	Pos. Timber.
Burns, Adams & Co.	16	7,798	6,635,218	1,800	12,750	22
Carroll, McKean & Co.	4	2,428	2,204,121			
Total,	20	10,226	8,839,339	1,800	12,750	22

DISTRIBUTION OF LUMBER SHIPMENTS, PORT OF CHATHAM FOR SEASON OF 1880.

Ports.	S'p'rial feet Deal, do.	Pieces of Palling.	tons	Ports.	S'p'rial feet Deal, do.	Pieces of Palling.	tons
Abeystnieh	145,000	100		Hartford	1,313,000		198
Abeistdie	885,000			Hull	2,405,000	9,986	
Ardrossa	268,000			Irvine	458,000		
Avonmouth Dock	454,000	6,912		La Rochelle	294,000		
Ayr	760,000	1,968		Liverpool	12,694,000	231,126	788
Barrow	2,723,000	17,150		Londonderry	6,770,000	16,728	
Belfast	5,322,000	4	360	London	840,000		
Birkenhead	296,000	29,296		London	3,630,000		
Bordeaux	4,586,000			Marquette	733,000	10,000	
Borothy	438,000			Mersey	4,779,000	110,384	486
Brake	405,000			Mumbles	728,000	3,700	
Bristol	2,243,000			Newport	898,000	2,256	
Brest	492,000	7,616		Newry	376,000		
Cardiff	4,031,000	20,384		Neath	171,000		
Cean	245,000			Oran	508,000		
Cette	970,000			Penarth Roads	3,238,000	22,787	
Clyde	6,378,000	300		Port Vendres	492,000		
Cork Quay	457,000			Rochford	491,000		
Deal	245,000			Sharpness	3,715,000	6,616	304
Dieppe	734,000			Soloth Dock	317,000		
Da'lin	2,744,000	3,336		St Nazair	363,000		
Fleetwood	2,995,000	3,763		St Garraan	435,000		
Galway	419,000			St Malo	73,000		
Glasgow Dock	406,000	882,100		St Helois	227,000		
Geestemell	345,000			Swaense	182,000		
Ghent	267,000			Wilhelmsharbo	182,000		
Glasgow	810,000			Whiteport	292,000		
Grimsby	2,327,000	7,360		West Hartport	310,000		
Great Grimsby	539,000						
Gloicester	1,742,000	7,132					
Glasgow Dock	639,000	2,580					
Havre	3,178,000						

New Advertisements

F. O. Peterson,
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CHATHAM N. B.

I have now on hand a large stock of ex-
cellent cloths for Men and Youths' Wear,
as fine as any in the trade. All orders will
receive prompt attention, and satisfaction
guaranteed.

Chatham, Dec 1-1f

John W. Nicholson,

WHOLESALE IMPORTER AND
COMMISSION MERCHANT.

Offers for sale the following
goods in bond or duty paid:—

Mariell Brandy in Hhds and Quarter
Cases—Pale and Dark

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Mariell Brandy in cases, XXX—Pale
and Dark

Mariell Brandy in cases, X—in pints, 2
dos each

Hennessey Brandy in cases, X.

John De Kuper & Son's finest quality
gin in Hhds and Quarter Cases

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A Correction.
We are requested by Mr. Blake to say that in our last paper respecting what Warden Fitzpatrick of Napun, saw in his rounds, was incorrect.

Don't Forget.
The Quadrille Party—Monday night—Masonic Hall.—adv't.

Good Work.
The Boiler house and Engine room of Senator Muirhead's mill have been completed, and the frame of the mill is up and rough-boarded; good work considering that it is only four weeks since operations began.

Amusement.
Quadrille Assemblies are to be held during the season every Monday night in the Masonic Hall. Good music and good order. nov27:31

Sturgeon.
Sunday night a large Sturgeon was caught in a smelt net near Snowballs mill. Where sturgeon are caught, it may be remarked very few are found. There is no license required for taking these fish.

The Bank.
The Skating Rink will be ready for operations probably by the end of the week. Some are of the opinion that the buildings and grounds may be turned into a market place next spring, but the position is not central enough.

Fatal Accident.
The sad news has just reached here that Ernest Whitney, Esq., of North Esk, was killed a few days ago by the limb of a falling hemlock, in the lumber woods of Orono, Wisconsin. Deceased was 19 years of age, and a clever young man and a favorite with all who knew him. His parents and family have our best sympathy in their bereavement.

Not Yet.
Mr. John McDonald of Bay Du Vin brought 6 fine rabbits up here on Saturday which he captured the same morning. The rabbits were quite brown instead of white, which is said to be a sign that the winter has not set in yet. We may have all been mistaken, and frosty weather and the snow may have been all imagination.

Bad Gas.
The gas all through the city, so we learn, is very bad, and scores of people are complaining about it. We know gas sometimes get bad despite what can be done, and we also know gas companies are oftentimes worse than the bad gas, though we should be very sorry in the present case, from the little we know of Chatham affairs, to say that this is true.

From Bathurst.
A gentleman from Bathurst informs us that—"The schooner Carolo, owned by Capt. Caldwell of Newcastle, went ashore near Passépique, during the recent storm. She was loaded with grindstones shipped by Jos. Read & Co., of Clifton, for Montreal. It is believed she either hull or cargo." He further says,—"I had a letter from Mr. Sam Adams yesterday morning, he is just about leaving New York for the West. We miss him very much here, as he was a great favorite."

Extensive Tannery.
Shaw Brothers, the celebrated tanners are now negotiating for the purchase of a piece of land hard by Welford Station on the Intercolonial, in Kent County. On this piece of land they propose to build a tannery and would have commenced before this but the site they want is owned by two parties who are now disagreeing over their lines. The Shaw Brothers will tan here extensively, and also no doubt make extract, for they will be then convenient to what is now regarded as the best hemlock districts in the province. It is a pity the Government could not see its way clear to protecting our hemlock or reserving it to our own people only.

Smelt Fishing Notes.
The smelt fever runs high. There were busy scenes on the river last evening; and smelt poles and evergreens were in great demand. Smelt fishing commenced today.

Smelt Shippers will require to have Consular certificates or where no Consular resides, a certificate signed by two merchants, attached to bill of lading of fish going either north or south to American markets. Fish shipped to any part of the Dominion require no certificate.

All the fishermen are not provided with nets and shooks. Those who are get \$40 a ton for their fish from the shippers; those supplied by the shippers get from \$14 to \$15 per ton.

FOUND!
An L.C.R. check on Thursday last. The owner can have same by proving it to be his, and paying for this advertisement. Apply at this office. nov27:1f

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A Batch of Keys near the Canada House. The owner can have them by applying at this office and paying for the advertisement. Chatham, Nov. 17, 1880.

Wedding, Visiting and Business Cards, Shipping Tags, &c. Printed Neatly, Cheaply and Promptly at this Office.

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For the present, the contribution from Hidden Hand; because its publication would punish the innocent with the guilty. The next serious provocation it appears.

Also for the present, the fourth instalment from "Another Old Conservative." The object of the STAR in either publishing editorials or letters, is not to hold this one or that up to the public contempt, which in some cases seem to be merited, but to call the attention of the Government to a state of affairs which has too long existed here and which now requires its immediate action. In our public service here, from all we can see for our short time here, and from all we can ascertain from most worthy and reliable sources, there are officers—and some very poor ones. That there are some very necessary officers in it, and some very unnecessary ones; that there are some who do their duty, and some who do not; that there are some who carry themselves within the law, and some who show a most astonishing disregard of it. We hope at any rate what we have said will have its effect, and that the Government will open its eyes, and then not spare the chastening rod.

We hold over till next, a complaint from Douglastown respecting the manner of conducting post office affairs there. It is almost impossible to believe the state of affairs can be as our correspondent states them, but he assures it is so.

In next will appear a letter from "Taxpayer"—and a paper on "Florida" written for the STAR by a gentleman who read these several years.

The Race.
The bet best Ross fairly on Monday, the latter claimed a foul. Ross is not in good condition; so we would recommend his trainers to build a large stall for him and give him soft mashes, a little nire mixed in his bran. When he shows signs of getting too fat or becoming lazy, or a disposition to lie down too much in his stall he should be whipped, and kept on his feet moving about. Whatever ring owns him would sell him to the first bidder for whatever he brings. He will row again on Saturday, and will be beaten again.

Personal.
Mr. W. Tippits is either going or is gone home to Fredericton for the winter.
Mr. E. Jack came in from Welford, Saturday, to Newcastle, where he remained till Monday; returning again to the forests of Kent, where he will be engaged during the week.

The Surveyor General went over the old Bathurst road Monday, to see about some bridges in that section which require repair and to see places where it is urged that bridges are required.

The Epizootic—An Incident.
Mr. Alex. Henderson, of Chatham Head, lost a fine horse 2 years old, on Friday last, by the epizootic.

A horse belonging to Mr. Thomas Flanagan, dropped suddenly off on Saturday last, while being driven about town, with the same disease; but on being hauled home showed signs of reviving, and will probably recover.

Smelt Fishing.
25 fishing "shanties" were placed upon the fish yesterday, by the various smelt fishers. Mr. E. A. Strang has two monster nets each 50 feet long, 45 feet trail and 12 foot mouth on the river. He purchased those in Boston and they cost him \$52 each.

Monster Hogs.
William Williston, Esq., of Bay Du Vin, killed a hog last week, a year old, weighing 660 lbs. He has another of the same age larger still. We would advise Napan farmers to try salt water and fresh lobsters, raising their hogs.

Goose Shooting at Point Aux Car.
Our crack sportsman, Mr. D. Loggie was in town yesterday with a large number of geese he shot near Point Aux Car. The geese were driven in there by the late storm, and fell a victim to the sportsman.

Dramatic.
Harry Lindlay will be in Chatham on Friday, Saturday and Monday nights with a full dramatic company. He ought to be well patronized as we understand his company is an excellent one.

Frozen In.
A schooner from Yarmouth was frozen in, in the last storm in Lower Bay Du Vin with 400 barrels of oysters, which were intended to be shipped to Halifax.

Smelts.
Good catches of smelt last night. The ice is like a bee hive.

Newcastle Local News.

A PUBLIC LIBRARY FOR THE SHIRETOWN.
Our town should rejoice in possessing two men at least who are keeping abreast the age, by seeking to engrain a little of their literary spirit on the stem of general ignorance here. Two citizens of fine literary attainments and sound critical taste, are endeavouring to establish a public library. The whole matter is already arranged, and circulars are out requesting the public to send in their names and subscriptions of four dollars each.

Some presumptuous cocksnobs whose ignorance and vanity occupy the apartments in the cranium generally assigned to brains and human understanding, have already begun to complain of what they style the officiousness of those two

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worthy citizens. What a detestable quality envy is! These malcontents assert, that, as the library was to be a public one, the first step should have been taken by calling a meeting of all interested in such a measure, and appointing a committee, representative of the reading and intelligent citizens, as was lately done in St. John. This is the veriest nonsense. There is no comparison between St. John and Newcastle; and our two energetic townsmen, with their clear foresight and penetration, comprehended this accurately. In St. John it was well to call a public meeting, to hear the views and opinions of citizens; because there are a great many intelligent clever men there, whose advice would be worth having, and tend largely to the success of the measure. All is different in Newcastle. Here there is none of a liberal education, whose suggestions would be worth having. It is notorious that the reading public here belong to the ranks of the negro minstrel literatures; who occasionally soar into the, to them, unfathomable flights of dime novel mysteries. Let men, or rather grumbler, say what they will, these two gentlemen are not at all officious; on the contrary they are public benefactors, taking time by the forelock and attempting to elevate and refine the stupid and ignorant of the town.

One of the townsmen suggests that the public meeting of a number of men representative of the different schools of thought and philosophy in science and morals; of the various doctrines of sociology, of the industrial requirements of the people, and the literary tastes of the town, should have been appointed to meet and decide upon the merits of books and periodicals, in order to make a selection most desirable and beneficial to the people. This plan would be feasible and to be recommended in towns where an educated citizenship can be found, but our two generous leaders knew full well that in Newcastle no committee could be found whose judgment of literature, as such, would be worthy more than a wet-nurse's opinion of the composition of the moon. The future founders of our public library were conscious that whatever in ancient or modern literature was beautiful and grand, awe-inspiring and soul-stirring, had already made their own; and with such a width of critical range, and depth of philosophical genius, they were the best and only ones to make a wise selection for the A. B. C. Literature of N. W. castle. This everyone could well understand, were he competent to view the question from the same watch tower of conscious superiority. No; we should rather regard ourselves as being especially favored in having in our midst two such philosophical geniuses, who can catch with eagle eyes, or condor scent, the gems and perfumes of literature; and gratuitously present us with a scale of thought and range of science, which none but the clown could fail to appreciate.

The Magazine Club dies. The dictum came, and its friends and admirers sadly and silently put on their mourning robes. It goes down, a lesser light eclipsed by the dazzling brilliancy of the rising star. It is well. Our destiny is in safe hands. Great minds must do their duty—to lead up and regenerate the drooping faculties and energies around them. Faith is the shield of the ignorant. Some men may misapprehend the pure and charitable motives underlying these preparatory steps towards the establishment of a library; they may mistake genius dealing rightly with the rude materials around it, for egotism or presumption; they may fail to appreciate what superior intelligence see, at a glance, is their safety; but could they enter into the soul-bathed feelings, the charity drenched hopes, the far seeing and prophetic powers of vision with which these benefactors are endowed, they would not let a breath of disapproval disturb the village air, balmy with the kindly services of noble spirits.

November 29, 1880.

Communications.
Agricultural Education.
To the Editor of the STAR:—
Sir,—The genius of the statesman consists in determining from elements social, industrial, that some ordinary observations, the wants and needs of the present, the near or distant future, and by wise legislation preparing the common wealth for the eventuality. Among well regulated national public institutions must keep pace with, or slightly precede, the development of their industrial life, especially when old industries are undergoing decay, and new ones are springing up. This principle must apply more strongly to comparatively new countries than to old ones; for the near and immediately productive, and for this reason often the least enduring, are the occupations that first engross our care. Hence in New Brunswick lumbering and the manufacture and export of all kinds of timber become the chief concern of its inhabitants. Farming was neglected, or followed by those who had not the means nor business tact for lumbering. The timber trade the great storehouse and granary of the past, from which all drew directly or indirectly the means of living, is in many sections, and from various causes, on the decline; and another epidemic occurs from time to time in the business, we must not delude ourselves by regarding it as a healthy sign of increasing life and strength, but rather as a proof of the growing weakness of the supply. The axe, fire, and mania for immediate railroad systems have either exhausted or looked up those hitherto sources of provincial wealth and field of industry, and now men are groping, trying experiments on the world's stage to discover some play or set in which they may succeed.

Each age has a sort of charic or ethic, if I might so express it, of its own; an outgrowth of the human tendency to accommodate

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livelihood to the conditions of the easiest and most remunerative occupations. When, therefore, we observe a general decline in the activity of provincial industries, we can justly conclude that some great business element has become clogged or dried up, and as a consequence all subordinate industries will suffer more or less. In this case a large portion of the population seem uneasy. Their inclinations and tastes seem gone astray, and this restlessness of spirit will show itself in a growing dissatisfaction with the country. This is and has been the condition of a large portion of the population of New Brunswick for several years. The United States and other countries are receiving the young life, the hope and pledge of our future greatness. The snowy wooded slopes of Colorado, the dingy mines of Leadville, the elevated pasture lands of Montana, and the ocean prairies of the North West are becoming the homes of thousands of New Brunswick's sons, and still the outpour continues, still the stream of life flows sadly, mournfully onward! And this stream of young men is composed of farmer's sons! Millions are struggling for the possession of small farms in the old world, thousands in New Brunswick are abandoning the farmers life! The bosoms of millions of the old world throbs with joy at the prospect of securing a small farm, and enjoying a new feeling of security, and the pride and honor of being owners and cultivators of the soil. New Brunswick's sons look with contempt on the occupation of their fathers and the calling of their own earlier years. It is not something wrong in our social and industrial life! It is a grand mistake made somewhere in our public influences and education! If the possession of land be a national longing, if the farmers life is regarded as an honorable calling in Europe, why should it be a dishonorable one in New Brunswick? What are the public or social or industrial forces that make ours an anomaly among countries? These are the questions every wellwisher of New Brunswick and local statesman should take seriously at heart, and having discovered the causes, seek to apply a remedy.

Farming in the Western States and Ontario, is looked upon as one of the most honorable avocations, but in these countries it has been the leading industry since the settlement of those places. Wealth, position and influence have to a large extent flowed through the channels of farming. Consequently it is regarded with much respect, and the recognition and fostering care bestowed upon it by the Government, go far also in recommending it. It is otherwise in New Brunswick. There has never been much social or political influence wielded, independently, by our farming community, except in a few of the most favored localities of the Province. Lumbering and its resulting commercial transactions and business, have, from the earliest times engaged the wealth, and to a large extent the talent and intelligence of the country, and as a consequence, the farmer so neglected, and from a fashionable standpoint, despised, was almost left right by the Government. Education, rank and position were qualities and attainments that was not supposed to possess. If the popular opinion concerning the tillers of the soil be not now changing, the greater probability of farming as a foremost industry is being largely recognized. All men accustomed to look beneath the surface and read between the lines of our prosperity and adversity will readily grasp this one grand fact, that the farming community is to be the great backbone of our country's wealth, the great and only lasting security of our country's credit. This becomes more manifest day by day. Let our Government accept this dictum of its destiny. Let the claims of this hitherto neglected portion of population be recognized. If this is to be a grand and far reaching industry, if it is to stand the test of competition with the outside world, if it is to present such attractions as will retain the young, bold and enterprising of our own country and induce strangers to make their homes among us, then our duty is plain. We must insist on the establishment of a proper Agricultural College and Model Farm. Nothing less will satisfy our farmers, nothing else will meet the difficulty of the present and provide for the prosperity of the future. We must have a new town, a new life, a fresh current of educated energy infused with the farmer's life. We must insist on the tillers of the soil receiving their just rights, and, as they are providing for the good of the whole country, have a least a just portion of the special education, that is provided for all others at their expense, from the gauger of the beer barrel to the comparative anatomist. Let our present Government grapple with this matter and give our farmers an Agricultural College and Model Farm. Yours, ARCADIA.

CANADIAN NEWS.
Sir Charles Tupper will give testimony before the Railway Commission.

The News estimates there will be 160,000,000 feet of logs cut on the St. John waters next season.

The "Chinese" has foundered in the upper lakes; and it is feared cargo and crew are lost.

The European, American and Canadian Cable Company seek powers to lay a cable from Europe to Canada via Sable Island.

It is reported and denied the Governor General will resign after three years. But it is the wishes of the Princess that will be met in this regard.

The Halifax Chamber of Commerce has strongly urged upon Sir Charles to make Halifax the Dominion winter port. This will bring it.

The Montreal Times says a horse belonging to Mr. Marr on McLaughlin road, kicked his master on the leg, smothering it in small pieces.

Three schools for practical military instruction will be opened on January the 5th, namely at Montreal for Quebec, at Toronto for Ontario, at Halifax for the Maritime Provinces.

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Members are preparing themselves for Ottawa. Those who can make speeches are studying the same, those who can't, but who want to be thought speakers, are getting others to write them for them.

Our Newfoundland Letter.

A FEARFUL HURRICANE WRECKS OVER A SCHOONER—THE CALAMITY TO THE PEOPLE.
ONE EQUIMAU MURDERS ANOTHER ON LABRADOR; IS CAPTURED, AND ESCAPES—IS RECAPTURED.

THE FISHERIES—THE RAILWAY AND VARIOUS MATTERS.
ST. JOHN'S N. B. 25 Nov. 1880.

News accumulates here so very quickly, that when I take up my pen to write you, I hardly know where to begin.

THE WEATHER ETC.
We have now some sample north pole weather; but severe though it be, it is a relief after the dismal slushy weather we had during the late fall. Most of the outport crafts have gone home, not as many of them as could be wished satisfied with their summers voyaged. The Cape craft, and most of those from Placentia and St. Marys Bay have all been here and gone home again. It is a grand mistake made somewhere in our public influences and education! If the possession of land be a national longing, if the farmers life is regarded as an honorable calling in Europe, why should it be a dishonorable one in New Brunswick? What are the public or social or industrial forces that make ours an anomaly among countries? These are the questions every wellwisher of New Brunswick and local statesman should take seriously at heart, and having discovered the causes, seek to apply a remedy.

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THE GENERAL FISHERY.
The Hercules has returned from the Labrador and brings gloomy accounts of the summer's work. The fishery is a third below the average. The fishery is poor now all over the island, and along to the North the voyages were fair, to the Westward they were hardly that. Some did very well, others did nothing—which may be accounted for in the spasmodic way the fish is beginning to strike the coast for but of late years. Davis' of Fox Harbor, Placentia Bay, have a "golden voyage," 2,000 quintals for 4 boats; but they were well equipped with seines, bultows, and nets. Bradshaw and Dunphy, both bankers, did well; and Mr. Bradshaw is carrying on a vigorous and prosperous business at Great Placentia. The day is coming when Mr. Bradshaw will occupy the place that Sweetman did in his palmy days. A local paper just by me says:—
"Though the season for fishing on the south eastern coast has quite closed up, the work has still been carried on with wonderful perseverance by some of the Placentia Bay fishermen at Cape St. Marys. The Register says that accounts have been received from Rock-harbor recently of a very cheering character. On the eastern coast, about Renewa, a considerable quantity of fish has also been taken within the past two weeks; but has been scarce as might have been expected at this season of the year."

MISCELLANEOUS.
Hay crops were poor around the greater part of the island, so that hay now sells from \$5 to \$6 a ton. The potato crop was an exceedingly good one. The fish this season had very small livers; so that the quantities of oil are proportionally small. Ship building looks brisk to the N. B., two or three schooners are on the blocks at the Exploits. Mr. Gouderidge has been

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selected for Ferryland without opposition—strange enough!

MURDER AMONG THE ESQUIMAUX.
The following report has reached here by the Hercules from Nain, one of the Moravian colonies. Two months ago, two Esquimaux were out door shooting and both fell simultaneously at the same deer. A quarrel immediately arose as to the ownership. Harsh words were exchanged, when one of the tawny sportsmen levelled his gun at the other and shot him dead. The inhabitants of Nain were so enraged that, on the first impulse, they resolved to place him on an island lying off to sea, and so let him starve. The Moravian missionaries, having heard of the decision at which the people arrived, rescued the murderer from them, and placed him in charge of Captain Bartlett of the steamer Panther that was at the time lying at St. Marys Bay. All the official depositions were taken at Hopedale by the steamer Hercules to St. John's. They are now in the possession of the Attorney General. The murderer was brought as far as Tournavick by the missionaries. This same Esquimaux is said to have murdered his wife some three years ago, and to have cut her up into pieces and thrown her over the cliff into the sea. He is now a prisoner on board the Panther. It appears shortly after being put on board the Esquimaux escaped, took to the woods, no one knew where. The police were put upon his track, and I now learn that Sergeant Lacey has telegraphed from Random that he has caught the fugitive at Farnish Gut, Placentia Bay.

THE FISHERIES QUESTION.
The Newfoundlandier and North Star have been ridiculing the American press over the new outrage committed by a few brass rolling stones over a cliff and freighting the crew of an American schooner. I learn Lord Granville has opened wide his ears to the oft told story of the Fortune Bay outrage; and given Secretary Evans hopes, where Lord Salisbury haughtily stood upon the firm ground of the treaty.

THE POOR.
I learn a good many poor will be with us this winter from the outport; and that destitution among small settlements is not rare.

HOME NEWS FROM ABOARD.
Hardly ever do our good home correspondents send a line to their own papers; so we invariably get "home news" from foreign papers. If Mr. Harvey has a good story to tell, he runs to the Montreal Gazette or Gl be with it; lately he has sent himself through an obscure Maine journal. If our Newfoundlandian editors did right, they would not copy him, since he does not think enough of his own home papers to give them a line.

MARRIAGES.
You will be pleased to learn Mr. Patrick Bonia of Placentia has taken a bride, Miss Margaret Neill of St. John's. My best wishes for the young couple. Father Forrestal tied the joyous knot.

Mr. Wm. Kerivian of Sidiouk has taken another of St. John's fair daughters, Miss G. Harley. Father Forrestal, too, made this pair happy. Joy be theirs.

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Salt Beef, do. 10
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Butter, per doz. 25
Eggs, per doz. 25
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Mackerel (salt). 25
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Carrots, per bush. 50
Turnips. 40
Fresh Beef, per lb. 05
Mutton, per lb. 06
Lamb (good), per lb. 08
Partridge, per pair. 20
Brant, do. 50
Geese, do. 50

The Basuto War.

The Basuto War is not to end so soon as the Cape authorities expected. The natives are armed with the latest pattern of rifles. They are far better mounted than their adversaries. They behave under fire with a coolness which surprises the British officers. We should suppose that the British government would interfere in this miserable business, and restore friendly relations with their brave and half-civilized aborigines.

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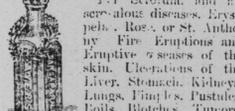
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