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CHATHAM, N. B. NEW BRUNSWICK.  
WM. JOHNSTON, Proprietor.  
CONSIDERABLE outlay has been made on this house to make it a first class hotel, and travelers will find it a desirable temporary residence both as regards location and comfort. It is situated within two minutes walk of steamboat landing. The proprietor returns thanks to the public for the encouragement given him in the past, and will endeavor by courtesy and attention to merit the same in the future.  
Good Stabling on the Premises.  
Mar 18th, 1875. 14 ly

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NEWCASTLE, N. B. MICHAMCHI, N. B.  
THIS House has lately been refurbished, and very positive arrangements made to ensure the comfort of travellers.  
LIVERY STABLES, WITH GOOD CARRIAGE, ON THE PREMISES.  
ALEX. STEWART, Proprietor.  
Newcastle, Dec. 2, 1876. 3

**ROYAL HOTEL,**  
(Formerly Stubbs)  
PRINCE WILLIAM STREET,  
OPPOSITE CUSTOM HOUSE,  
ST. JOHN, N. B.  
T. F. RAYMOND, Proprietor.  
Dec. 2nd, 1874. 24 ly

**"Wilbur House,"**  
Bathurst, Gloucester County, N. B.  
This House, which has been enlarged and thoroughly repaired, renovated and furnished, will be opened on the 12th inst. Monday next, 12th Jan.

As regards situation, it is located in a very pleasant town, and being in close proximity to the Bathurst Chateaux, is one of the very best summer resorts for tourists and families who leave the heated cities to seek the invigorating air of the North. The County is rich in beautiful scenery and excellent fishing grounds. The hotel is within easy reach of the International Railway, and every effort will be made by the Proprietor to secure the comfort and pleasure of all who may patronize the establishment, which will be conducted in the very best style.  
W. WILBUR, Proprietor.  
Bathurst, June 6, 1876.

**YOUNG'S HOTEL,**  
EUROPEAN PLAN.  
COURT AVENUE, BOSTON.

**HALL & WHIPPLE, Proprietors.**  
(Formerly of PARKER HOUSE,  
NEWCASTLE.)  
GEO. G. HALL, J. R. WHIPPLE.  
April 4, 1877. 6mos

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Barristers, Conveyancers, &c.  
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M. ADAMS, R. A. LAWLOR.  
March 23rd, 1877. 23

**L. J. TWEDDIE, ATTORNEY & BARRISTER AT LAW,**  
NOTARY PUBLIC, CONVEYANCER, &c., CHATHAM, N. B.  
OFFICE—Snowball's Building.  
May 18, 1876. 18

**M. S. BENSON, Attorney-at-Law Notary Public, Conveyancer, &c.**  
Accounts Collected and Loans Negotiated.  
OFFICE—OVER J. V. BENOIS'S NEW STORE.  
WATER STREET, CHATHAM, N. B.  
Chatham, July 13, 1875. 21

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JOHN WILLET, RICH'D P. QUICLEY, LL. B.  
March 24, 1876. 21no-29

**JOHNSON & FRASER, Attorneys-at-Law, Notaries Public, Conveyancers, &c.**  
ONE HORSE RAILWAY POWER Threshing Machines, Price \$93  
Fire Wood Drag Saw Mills, " 33  
For terms and particulars apply to  
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October 20, 1876. 1y

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July 24, 1876

**WILLIAM A. PARK, Barrister & Attorney at Law, SOLICITOR, NOTARY PUBLIC, &c.**  
Agent for the "Provincial" and "Royal Canadian" Insurance Companies.  
OFFICE—Over the Store of William Park, Esq.  
Castle Street, NEWCASTLE, May 1, 1877. 2

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In Gold, Silver, Plain Tints and Marbled.  
Also—AN IMMENSE STOCK OF Glass and Common Paper Hangings, VARNISHES, all kinds, BRUSHES, WINDOW GLASS, ORNAMENTAL GLASS, Various Patterns and Sizes.  
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**SMITH & DUNN, ARCHITECTS,**  
MERRITT'S BRICK BUILDING, Opposite Barnes' Hotel, 137 Prince William St., St. John, N. B.  
Jan. 3, 1877. 8-1y

**J. J. CHRISTIE,**  
59 King Street, ST. JOHN.  
Importing and Dealers in all kinds of Leather and Shoe Findings, Wholesale and Retail. Also all kinds of Mens Fitted Tails, to order.  
J. J. C. July 1, 1874. 13y

**GLASS! GLASS!**  
IN STOCK: 1000 BOXES GLASS, Assorted Sizes. JUST RECEIVED—4 TONS W. LEAD, A I; 40 barrels RAW and BOILED OIL; 6 bbls. TURPENTINE; 2 tons PUTTY.  
WHICH WILL BE SOLD CHEAP.  
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All Business connected with Auction Sales in these Counties will receive prompt attention. Goods and produce sold on Commission.  
Dalhousie, Oct. 30, 1876. 1y no-19

**CARD.**  
The Subscriber respectfully announces that he has opened a new Shop near the Ferry Landing, CHATHAM, where he is prepared to execute, in the very best style of workmanship, all kinds of MILL WORK and GENERAL JOBBING, having obtained improved machinery for that purpose.  
Noticing Machines, and Hand Circular Sawing Machines, Wholesale and Retail, for Jobbers' use, made to order.  
JOHN THORNTON, Chatham, May 19, 1875. 1y 19

**STREAM CARRIAGE FACTORY,**  
MAIN ST., PORTLAND, ST. JOHN.  
PRICE & SHAW, Proprietors.  
A LARGE STOCK OF OPEN and COVERED CARRIAGES on HAND.  
ORDERS SOLICITED.  
April 4, 1876. 6-line

**Funeral & Furnishing Undertaker.**  
To the inhabitants of Newcastle and Public Generally.  
I AM now prepared to attend to all business in connection with Funerals, and will provide HAT BANDS, and all other Furnishings when required. Having been appointed Sexton of St. James' Church, I will attend to the same.

**PREPARATION OF GRAVES.**  
A LIBERAL REDUCTION will be made to parties who may favor me with their patronage.  
SHOP—In rear of the Bank of Montreal. See Sign.

**COFFINS**  
WILL BE KEPT ON HAND.  
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Newcastle, Dec. 18, 1876. 20

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**LAND FOR SALE.**  
THAT Property situate in Tabusintac, Parish of Albert, presently in occupation of William Edmunds.  
TERMS liberal.  
For any further information required, apply to  
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September 11, 1876. 18

**Green Grocer and Fruit Dealer,**  
WATER ST., CHATHAM, N. B.  
September 11, 1876.

**H. CHUBB & Co., (CHUBB'S CORNER.)**  
PRINCE WILLIAM ST., NEAR NEW POST OFFICE, ST. JOHN, N. B.  
MERCANTILE and Legal Stationers and Account Book Manufacturers. Old Books Re-bound, Account Books ruled and bound to any pattern. All kinds of Legal and Mercantile Blank Forms.  
SOLE AGENTS FOR the Celebrated Taylor's Diamond Blue, Black, Writing and Copying INK;  
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**S. N. KNOWLES, MANUFACTURER OF Trunks, Valises, Carpet Bags, &c., &c.**  
86 & 88 GERMANS ST., ST. JOHN, N. B.  
Canvas Covers made to order. All orders promptly executed.  
March 27, 1877. 25

**BOOKBINDING.**  
ORDERS FOR RECEIVED AT THIS OFFICE.  
W. & J. ANSLAW, Newcastle, Sept. 11, 1876. 13

**ALEXANDER MURRAY, Practical Architect, CARPENTER, BUILDER, AND CONTRACTOR.**  
IS NOW PREPARED TO TAKE Any Jobs in his line of Business.  
PLANS & SPECIFICATIONS can be prepared in a practical manner at short notice.  
RESIDENCE—Newcastle, N. B., December 6, '76. 6mos.

**Steam Engines.**  
One Forty Horse Power HORIZONTAL ENGINE, ONE SIX HORSE POWER HASKIN'S UPRIGHT ENGINE, FOR SALE LOW.  
WISDOM & FISHER, 83 Prince Wm. St., ST. JOHN.  
April 20, '77.

**Dissolution of Co-Partnership.**  
The Co-Partnership heretofore existing under the style and firm of JAMES FISH & SON was finally dissolved on the 21st day of February last.  
All outstanding accounts are requested to be settled before the 10th of June next, for which purpose alone the firm name will hereafter be used.  
JAMES FISH, JAMES O. FISH, Newcastle, April 24th, 1877. 2m.

**A. R. RAMSAY, GENERAL COMMISSION MERCHANT,**  
—DEALER IN—PROVISIONS, PRODUCE, LIQUORS, &c.  
ALL KINDS OF SAWS, Will be kept on hand.  
S. J. LOGGIE, JOYNER & UNDERTAKER  
Newcastle, Dec. 18, 1876. 20

**DR. M. C. CLARE, SURGEON DENTIST.**  
Can be found at his Office over Mr. J. Noon's Store, Chatham, where he intends residing.  
Particular attention given to gold fillings and regulation of children's teeth.  
HERBERT T. DAWSON, M. D., PHYSICIAN & SURGEON, NEWCASTLE, N. B.  
OFFICE—In Mr. John Dalton's House; RESIDENCE: At Mr. Wm. Gremler's, opposite Office.  
Newcastle, March 26, 1877. 23

**STEAM PIPE FITTINGS,**  
RUBBER PACKING, AT ST. JOHN PRICES.  
MILL SUPPLIES OF ALL KINDS, CONSTANTLY ON HAND.  
ROBERTSON & McANDREWS, CHATHAM, N. B.  
April 23rd, 1877. 23-ly

**HUMPHREY FAYLE, DOUGLASTOWN, N. B.—House, Sign and Ornamental Painter; Graining, Glazing and Paper Hanging executed in GOOD STYLE.**  
Enquiries personally or by letter promptly attended to.  
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14 & 16 CENTRAL STREET, BOSTON, MASS.  
MACHINERY AND WOOL OILS, WEST VIRGINIA, TALLOW, CYLINDER, ENGINE & LARD OILS.  
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104 MILK STREET, BOSTON.  
JOHN K. ROGERS, Genl.  
SPECIALTY BOOKS TO ALL CUSTOMERS, and SPECIAL RABBIT TO COLONIAL PRINTER.  
April 2, 1877. 4-1y

**FISHERIES.**  
THE UNDERSIGNED are prepared to supply outfitting merchants for their patrons, the fishermen, with every variety of Nets, Seines, Pounds and Traps Required for their Fisheries.  
Fishermen can apply to their merchants.  
PRICES LOW.  
American Net & Twine Co., April 4, 1877. 1y

**Life, Fire & Marine Insurance**  
GENERAL GENT,  
August 29, 1876. 20-ly

**FIRE BRANCH.**  
ROBERT MARSHALL'S FIRE AND MARINE AGENCY.  
ST. JOHN, N. B.  
Applications may be made to the following Representatives:  
NEWCASTLE—A. A. Davidson, M. Adams.  
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Imperial Fire Insurance Co. of LONDON, ESTABLISHED 1863. Capital and Cash Assets exceed £2,000,000.  
The Hartford Fire Insurance Co., INCORPORATED 1810. Cash Capital and Assets over \$6,000,000.  
The Hartford Fire Insurance Co., INCORPORATED 1891. Cash Capital and Assets over \$20,000,000.  
BRITISH AMERICA ASSURANCE COMPANY, ESTABLISHED 1853. Capital and Assets \$800,000. Its funds are invested in unshaken securities.  
PHENIX COMPANY OF BROOKLYN, ESTABLISHED 1853. Cash Capital and accumulated fund \$2,000,000.  
Dwelling Houses, whether built or in course of construction, as well as Furniture, are insured thereon, insured for terms of one or three years, at lowest rates. Steam Saw Mills, Vessels on the stocks—in port, Warehouse, Merchandise and Insurable property of every description covered on the lowest possible terms.  
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**Poetry.**  
The "City of Brussels."  
[From Grip.]  
"The ship is safe!"  
So speaks the flash along the wires  
Swift message to the universal heart!  
"The ship is safe!"  
The flash that speaks the word,  
As if it played in native sunny sky,  
Blesses the fevered evening of our watch  
With peace and rest.  
"The ship is safe!"  
And while it speaks, the flash  
Lights up the dark horizon of the deep,  
And there, emerging slowly from the fog  
That pallied upon and overbore our hopes  
Like manna of despair, we see an ship—  
Our staunch and gallant; Brussels tolling on—  
Nor care to mark how slow and full of pain  
That tolling message.

**Miscellaneous.**  
The Laus of War.  
THE RIGHTS and OBLIGATIONS of NEUTRALITY IN THEIR RELATIONS WITH BELLIGERENTS.  
The statement upon this important subject of the rights and obligations of neutrals toward belligerents which will be found below was made by Mr. A. Sprague in his address on the International Law Reform Association, and is published in the "International Review." He says—  
"The question of the obligations of the United States government with reference to Russia and Turkey in the war which has already begun must be looked at under two aspects. By the common law of nations, as it has been adopted in the Treaty of Commerce and Consular Rights, the United States is bound to remain neutral. By the old rules of international law neutrals were allowed to furnish supplies to either of the belligerents, and to make loans of money to any extent. In fact, the obligations of neutrals were formerly of the most meagre character; but within the last quarter of a century there has been a general tendency to restrict the privileges of neutrals."  
The most remarkable instance in recent times of the declaration of the rights of neutrals in conformity with the new theories of international law is that contained in the Treaty of Commerce and Consular Rights, signed at Washington, under which the Alabama claims were settled. The British government in 1855 Constantine was taken by Mahomet II. The more and the islands were afterwards overrun, with parts of Hungary, the Crimea and the shores of the Black Sea. They next took the whole of the countries which were the result of the fall of Sebastopol, and the defeat of the Russians. Witness:  
The truth is that the dread of Russia periodically becomes a blind, unreasoning panic. The authors and the victims of it do not seem to reflect that other States might easily be credited with equal or greater power of mischief. Look at Germany. No country ever gained so gigantic a power in a shorter time, and she has won it by hard fighting. In the course of a few years she has put Denmark, Austria, and France under her feet. She has started from a position of despised feebleness to a height of supremacy to which we must give much pause to parallel in the French Empire. Her enemies say that she is ambitious and aggressive; that she loves some parts of Russia territory; that she will some day seize the German Provinces of Austria; that she will not permit France to remain a Great power; that the shadow of her vast ambition is cast as far as the rich corn land of the Balkan Peninsula; and that she will yet confront England on the North Sea. These are wild conjectures or wilder fictions. They belong to the domain of imaginative politics. The truth is that Germany, so far from being a menace to Europe, is a great element of stability. But such fancies are just rationalizations of the idea that Russia could put out her hands and seize the gates of the Bosphorus. It would be as easy to find the elements of a scare in the position of Austria as in that of Constantine.—Times.

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**Decay of Timber.**  
Wet and dry rot are the two forms of decay which attack timber when exposed to the action of the weather, and the cause of both may be said to be water with moisture. Confined air and evaporation cause dry rot, and imperfect evaporation wet rot to a greater or less degree.  
As a preventive against these rot the timber should be well seasoned, and if used where liable to be under the influence of sun and rain should be well painted, or, if not painted, should be impregnated with linseed or oil of tar. The best preventive, however, is found to be that of allowing a free circulation of air around the timber, and the walls to be allowed to dry thoroughly before the introduction of the timbers; should the timbers have taken either of these two very little can be done to preserve them. In case the rot is perceived to be at the end of beams only where in fact it generally commences the best method is to remove the rest of the timber is to effectually cut away the decayed portion and scarf with sound timber. However, this should not be practicable, the wood may be scraped and cleaned of all decayed extraneous matter, and impregnated with any of the usual oils.—Cincinnati Trade List.

**Militia Selected for Annual Drill.**  
Fredericton, May 18.—A Board of Officers of Active Militia, consisting of Lieut. Col. Maussell, D. A. G., Lieut. Col. Saunders and Marsh, and Capt. Cropley, associated at the department of the Adjutant General's office, yesterday, for the purpose of selecting by ballot from the militia in this district corps to complete the quota authorized for annual drill, namely 1550 men. The following was the result:—  
Woodstock and Newcastle field batteries of artillery.  
Nos. 1, 2, 3, 4, 5 and 7, Troops of Cavalry.  
Nos. 1, 2, 3, and 7, batteries of artillery.  
Sixty-second battalion, Nos. 2, 3, 4, 5 and 6 companies.  
Sixty-seventh battalion, Nos. 2, 3, 4, 5 and 6 companies.  
Sixty-eighth battalion, Nos. 2, 3, 4, 5 and 6 companies.  
Seventy-fourth Battalion, Nos. 1, 3, 4 and 5 companies.  
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The above includes 150 men besides the above quota who are to perform the drill before the 30th of June next.

**The Wimbledon Team.**  
The team of twenty marksmen for Wimbledon will leave Quebec under command of Major the Hon. A. Aylmer, M. P., with Capt. Casey, M. P., next in command, and will consist of the following officers, non-commissioned officers and men of the active militia force of the Dominion: Sergt. J. Mitchell, 13th Batt., Ont.; Capt. Gibson, Toronto, G. A. Ont.; Sergt. T. Mitchell, 13th Batt., Ont.; Captain Boyd, 54th Batt., Que.; Gunner Morrison, G. G. E. C. Ont.; Private Ross, 1st Batt., Que.; Private MacNaughton, 5th Batt., Ont.; Private Kennedy, No. 1 Co., Rifle B. C.; Corporal Reardon, G. F. G. Ont.; Sergt. Hunter, New Brunswick Engineers, New Brunswick; Lieut. Doughty, G. A., Prince Edward Island.  
The team will sail for England on 9th July.  
The Most Rev. Dr. Conroy, Lord Bishop of Archa and Clonmacnoise, is a nephew of the Primate of all Ireland. He was educated principally in Rome, and all through his life has given evidence of possessing an intellect of the highest order. For some time he was secretary to his Eminence Cardinal Cullen, until he became a Bishop of the historic diocese of Clonmacnoise in 1871. From Halifax the Delegate Apostolic will proceed to Quebec, where he will enter at once on the special business of his mission. His appointment as Ab-blegate of Canada is a tribute to the praiseworthy conduct of his episcopal brethren here in the past. He is accompanied by several of his coadjutors.—Montreal True Witness.

**Look at Germany.**  
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**Good Templars.**  
Portland, Me., May 22.—The twenty-third annual meeting of the Grand Lodge of Good Templars of the World commenced this morning. Col. J. J. P. Hickman of Louisville, Ky., presided. The report of the Grand Secretary, W. T. Williams, Mayor of Nappanee, Canada, referred to length to the trouble over the colored question. An abstract of the returns shows the names of 62 Grand Lodges. No returns have been received from England, Wales, the Isle of Man, Cape Natal and some subordinate Lodges. The aggregate of returns shows 7,364 subordinate Lodges, with a membership of 346,277, though in some cases it appears to be based upon estimates. It is believed it will be safe to add to this 100,000 members, making the whole membership at least 446,277. The financial report shows the membership in the New England States is 41,703. Canada reports a membership of 37,480; New York 24,133; Kentucky 20,578; Wisconsin 16,960; Michigan 15,000; Victoria 13,000. There are Military Lodges in all the Territories. The financial report for the year forms an aggregate of \$1,449.32. The amount expended is put down at \$9,621.48, due from Grand Lodges, are figured at \$10,137.31. The liabilities are \$1,969.74, leaving a balance of assets over liabilities of \$16,167.37. At the afternoon session the Grand Templar, J. J. Hickman, read an address. He reports much disturbance in the Southern States on the color question, and states that Kentucky, Arkansas, West Virginia, Florida, Maryland, Missouri, South Carolina, North Carolina, Louisiana, Virginia and Georgia have consented to the organization of a colored Grand Lodge. He reports the institution of several national Grand Lodges. A meeting of welcome was held to-night in the City Hall, and addresses were delivered by Ex-Gov. Perham, Ex-Gov. Dingley, and others.

**That it may be better understood**  
what Turkey was and is, we give a brief summary of the rise and decline of the Turkish empire. The earliest notice of the Turks or Turcomans in history occurs about the year 765, when they, from some obscure retreat, obtained possession of a part of Armenia, called from them Turcomania. They afterwards extended their conquests over the adjacent parts of Asia, Africa, Europe, occupying Syria and Egypt, and eventually seizing on the territory that remained to the Greek Emperors in the East. In 1453 Constantinople was taken by Mahomet II. The more and the islands were afterwards overrun, with parts of Hungary, the Crimea and the shores of the Black Sea. They next took the whole of the countries which were the result of the fall of Sebastopol, and the defeat of the Russians. Witness:  
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doing by the trade during the past week to establish quotations. It was unfortunate that prices for wheat in the West ran up so high. The view of the near approach of the season for the delivery of the new crop, and there is prospect of the market remaining in an unsettled state for some time to come. Wheat still rules so high at the West that flour cannot be sold in this market without a loss.

Commercial.

DEAL TRADE.—Duncan, Ewing & Co's wood circulars, Liverpool, May 4th says.—The consumption during the month has been heavy, amounting to old stocks having been pressed off. By auction the cargo per "Vancover," from St. John, N. B., sold at an average of about £7 15 3d per standard, and the steered cargo per "Revolving Light" at about £7 15 3d per standard. Scantling at £7 10 per standard, and boards at £7 10 per standard, with pine deals at £7 10 per standard.

WHEAT.—The Toronto Globe says: The visible supply of wheat on this continent is about six million bushels, of which one and a half million are in transit for exporting ports; the most reliable authorities favour the view that the amount here is not more than sufficient to visit the County occasionally. The effect of choosing men to represent the County is a matter of great importance. The quantity is reduced to barely carry over a few months, but we are within a couple of months of the time when the yield of the Province will be generally ascertained. Until then prices will be doubtless maintained. The East India Company's wheat was expected. Southern Russia will not in all likelihood have any grain to export as it is prolonged autumn. The withdrawal to a large extent of these sources will lay other grain producing countries under greater requirements.

The Pope and the American Pilgrims.

London, May 28.—A Rome despatch says the American pilgrims numbered 50 ecclesiastics and 150 lay members, and were led by the Archbishop of Philadelphia and the Bishops of Allegheny, Northotoes, Albany, Louisville, Galveston, Detroit, Hartford, Hartford, and others. About 150 American Catholic residents and visitors were also present, with the students of the American College and American students of the Propaganda. After an address, they were presented to the Pope, who was seated in his throne. His Holiness replied that he remembered how an eminent Cardinal had told him at the commencement of his pontificate that from America would come great comfort to the Church. He now saw the fulfilment of that prediction in the presence of the American nation, and the great things it had accomplished, and saw in the flower of its youth, it had acquired strength sufficient to arouse the jealousy of European nations. But there were errors of youth in nations as in men, and he would not censure them. He had noticed in them too great precipitancy in the pursuit of material things, and he would advise them to have a feeling of independence. They prided themselves on being Republicans. (Here they all sang, "God Save the King," which the Cardinals joined.) But they must remember that all must bow the head to enter Paradise. We must descend in order to ascend. He blessed all the American people—Catholics, that they might continue firm in the faith, Protestants, that they might be illuminated; and prayed that God might descend in blessing upon them all.

New York, May 24.—The Government detectives have discovered that McClenahan is the name of the head centre of the grand smuggling operations at Montreal, by which hundreds of thousands of dollars worth of goods get smuggled through the lines of 448 United States by the bribery of customs officers, baggage men, etc., also that whole carloads of imported smuggled in canal boats under supposed loads of grain, in one instance a valuable cargo of sugar, and in New York and sold to a firm within a stone's throw of the Custom House.

QUEBEC, May 25th.—Right Rev. Dr. Conroy, Papal Ablegate, who arrived at Quebec on Wednesday evening, had a grand and enthusiastic reception here yesterday morning. From 15,000 to 20,000 persons gathered to meet him on landing, and he was accompanied by several of the leading dignitaries of the Church of Canada. He is to remain here for some time, attending to the duties connected with his mission. The city was brilliantly illuminated in the evening.

It is stated that England has given notice to Turkey to withdraw its troops from the Balkans, and to give up everything which might hamper passage of merchant ships or men-of-war of neutral powers through the Bosphorus. She has at the same time notified the other powers of her notification. Turkey, in spite of the blow thus dealt her sovereignty, seems disposed to accept. Russia does not seem to intend raising objections.

The Times Berlin despatch has the following: It is generally believed in St. Petersburg that the Russian Government would not object to a neutral power in the Bosphorus. A Canal being proposed and the Suez Canal being proposed, the Government of England provided Russia is allowed to protect Roumania, Bulgaria, Serbia and Montenegro, and annex Ezerum.

Halifax, May 22.—The presentation of an address to the Right Rev. Dr. Conroy, the Papal Ablegate, took place this morning. There was a large and influential gathering of Roman Catholics at the Globe House. The address was most eloquent, and the reply was fervid and deeply complimentary to the people of Halifax.

DECEASED TO DEATH.—On Sunday last a telegram was received here, of the burning of C. F. Clinch & Son's store at Miramichi, during Saturday night, and that Mr. Bertop Clinch had perished in the flames. The greatest sympathy is expressed by the family's friends in St. Andrews in their sudden bereavement.—St. Andrews Standard.

Extract from a letter from Atchison, Kan. "The grand is tremendous dry here; the big rain of last week did not reach the ground; the grasspoppers are on their hind legs and drank the water as fast as it fell. See 'Lam' Informant."

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fishermen clearly understand his drift. In all his visits to this place, and in all our intercourse with the Inspector, we have found him sociable, affable, and ever ready to meet our wishes as far as his duties could permit. In several cases of disputes which he was called upon to inquire into and decide both here and on Fox Island, we have seen pleasure in the care he took to understand the points in dispute, and with the fairness and impartiality of his decisions. In all instances these decisions have given satisfaction to the disputants, and have secured for him the respect and esteem of all our fishermen; we have heard the same opinion expressed among the fishermen of Portage Island, and I can assure the Editor of the Advocate that something more than his mere assertion is necessary to convince us that the Inspector has any other object in view than the permanent good of all the fisheries.

I am Sir, yours truly, FOX ISLAND AND BAY DU VIN. Gloucester County, May 25, 77.

Editors Advocate: It is one thing that the people of Gloucester looked upon the matter of the representation of their County in its proper light. Ten years ago they elected a gentleman from St. John who condescended to visit the County occasionally. The effect of choosing men to represent the County is a matter of great importance. The quantity is reduced to barely carry over a few months, but we are within a couple of months of the time when the yield of the Province will be generally ascertained. Until then prices will be doubtless maintained. The East India Company's wheat was expected. Southern Russia will not in all likelihood have any grain to export as it is prolonged autumn. The withdrawal to a large extent of these sources will lay other grain producing countries under greater requirements.

Yours truly, HOME RULE FOR GLOUCESTER. Bathurst, May 28th, 1877.

Editors Advocate: Some weeks have elapsed since the Committee on Privileges and Elections, composed of Government and Opposition supporters, reported unanimously to the House of Assembly that Mr. Anglin violated the Independence of Parliament Act and had vacated his seat. Mr. Anglin received over \$20,000 for Post Office printing and would naturally tend to the Government. Mr. Anglin's salary of \$4,000 per annum was not a pecuniary allowance. If he gains pecuniary benefit by holding on to his seat, he should not be blamed for keeping back the evil day as long as possible. (Here they all sang, "God Save the King," which the Cardinals joined.) But they must remember that all must bow the head to enter Paradise. We must descend in order to ascend. He blessed all the American people—Catholics, that they might continue firm in the faith, Protestants, that they might be illuminated; and prayed that God might descend in blessing upon them all.

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