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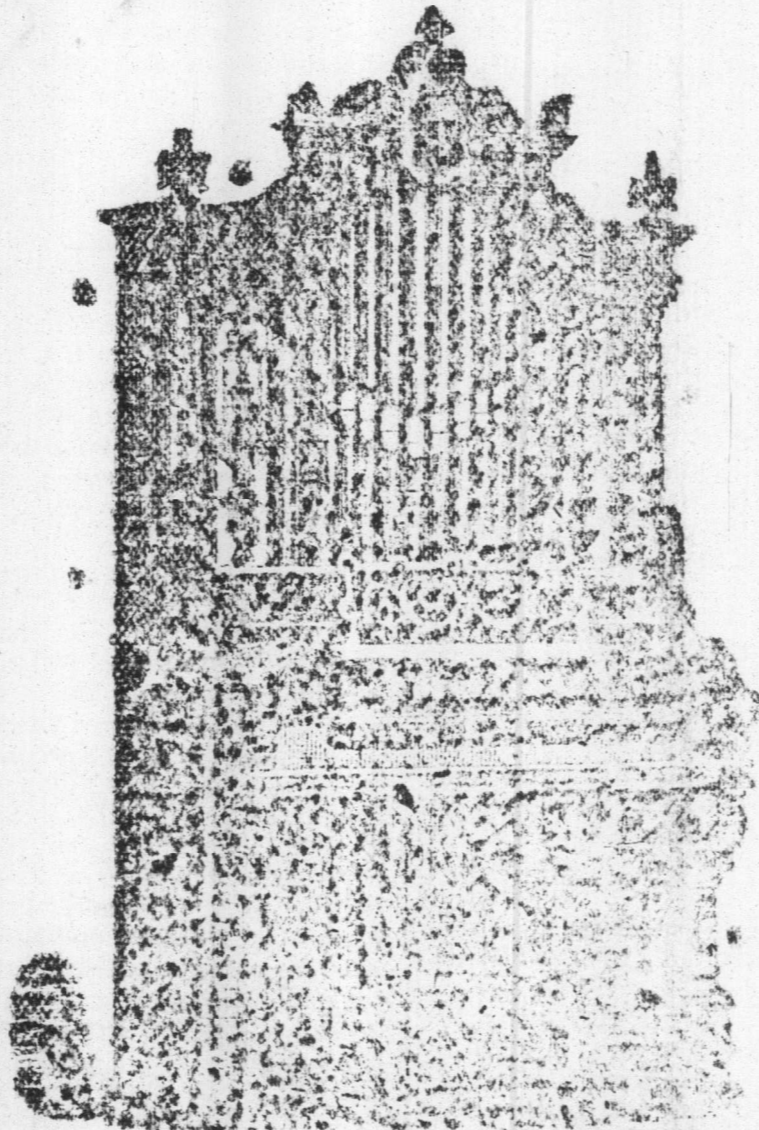
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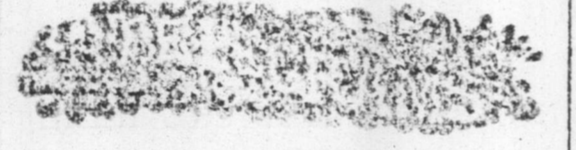
THE STAR.

MONDAY, MARCH 15th, 1875.

THE paper has been unavoidably detained till to-day, (Monday). It will appear again on Friday.

THE sealing voyage has now commenced, and so far presents a somewhat gloomy aspect. What degree of success will attend the efforts of these noble hearts who have gone forth to brave the dangers of the frozen deep, remains as yet in obscurity. At this stage of the proceedings, however, we cannot refrain from remarking, that, taking into consideration the very important nature of this branch of our staple industries, so little light has been thrown upon the nature and general habits of the Seal, even by those who might be supposed to know best; many and diversified are the opinions which prevail respecting this animal. Some of the oldest 'seal killers'—whose interests have been associated in the operation of the fishery—and whose whole life so to speak, has been spent in its prosecution, are as entirely ignorant and unacquainted with its habits and natural productiveness, as to form little or no guide whatever, to establish any reliable criterion, whether the extermination of the seal is likely to be a probability, or otherwise. The recent introduction of steam power, however, in the prosecution of the fishery has had the effect of establishing an almost universal opinion that this course which is now pursued in, if continued will eventually prove most disastrous to the fishery. The question, therefore, resolves itself into a very narrow space and may be put in the following manner: If the supply is not equal to the demand then exhaustion must consequently be the result, and that sooner or later. It is to be regretted that in the face of such a force of testimony the merchants whose interests are equally involved with those of the people, should persist in following up this mode of conducting the voyage which must necessarily ere long terminate in the ruin of this important fishery. The attention and efforts of the Legislature have been engaged Session after Session in framing laws affecting matters of little or no import compared with those of the seal fishery, and in adopting certain restrictions and regulations connected with local matters, even attending to the carrying out of the game

laws which altogether cannot be looked upon in the same light and with the same degree of importance as does the seal fishery. They have stood aloof watching the increasing injurious effect which such a course has produced since after season—encouraging at least in a certain way this universal slaughter and wholesale destruction of the most valuable of our resources—without putting forward any effort to prevent, or check the increase of this pernicious course. They have allowed this evil to assume a most grave and serious aspect; sapping at the very foundation of our most valuable fishery, and also undermining the commercial economy of the country. Almost every one is familiar with the fact of the policy adopted by the governments, both at home and elsewhere, it being concentrated in protecting and stimulating the staple industries of their people—not merely for the present time, but for the benefit and accommodation of future generations. Why then we ask can our Legislature remain indifferent so long, watching with open eyes and ears the system carried on? All we have to say is, this avarice on the part of the merchants, and careless indifference on the part of the Legislature, will ere long involve the country in inextricable ruin.



GLADSTONE is out in a new Pamphlet, entitled 'Vaticanism.' He maintains his original assertions, eulogizes Newman, whose secession is the greatest loss to the English Church since Wesley's; acknowledges the loyalty of Catholics unchanged; refutes Manning's assertion, that the claims of the Roman Church are not changed by Vatican decrees, &c. The French assembly yesterday passed a Bill constituting a senate to be composed of deputies from Assembly, members elected by colleges, councillors, general councillors, of arrondissements and delegates from municipalities. New York, 24.—Gold 114. Paris, 25. The French assembly finally passed senate Bill by 448 to 241. Professor Wooster has discovered a new planet of the 29th magnitude. Montreal, 25. Father Chiquiquy lectured last night sticks and stones were thrown and broken heads resulted. A few revolver shots dispersed the mob; no one shot. New York, 24.—Gold 114. Paris, 25. MacMahon called on M. Buffet to form a new ministry. Public Powers bill passed Assembly. London, 26. The steamer Hong Kong foundered in the Indian Ocean; 6 drowned and 18 missing. New York, 26. Terrible accident. An unsupported wall, adjoining St. Andrew's Church was blown over the roof of the latter; several killed; a large number wounded. Gold 114. Westville N.S., 26. The Drummond colliery is again on fire owing to a shot fired in new working shaft barrier separating old pit; and the men escaped; a few horses perished. No serious explosion occurred yet and from the precautions taken it is hoped none will occur. London, 27. Germany received a memorial from the Protestant clergy of Spain, complaining that their liberty of worship was threatened. Similar memorials were sent to the Protestant Powers of Europe and to the United States. Paris, 26. Debats says M Buffet declined to form a ministry, but it is hoped he will reconsider the matter; should he form a ministry the Left Centre will support M Dufaure for president. It is believed the Carlist campaign will close in the Spring. New York, 27.—Gold 114. London, March 2. In Commons the Irish Chief Secretary introduced a bill lessening the fine for beating arms unlawfully, repealing law closing public houses, and arrest of persons found out at night in proclaimed districts, and removing restrictions on newspapers. Secretary stated that Government will re-enact law against ribbonism in Westmeath, and pointed to the fact that Mitchell was elected because he degraded he never would be at

peace with England. Harrington supported Bill which passed first reading. French Assembly re-elected Buffet President—479 to 72. Fighting continues near Bilbao. New York 2. General Tracy in opening Beecher's defence, said whole life of latter was denial of allegations. God 114. London, March 4. The steamer Gotten erg, was lost in Bass Straits; only 4 saved out of 120 passengers and crew. North German Gazette says the French Government ordered the purchase of 10,000 cavalry horses in Germany, hopes the government will take steps to prevent such purchase. Buenos Ayres Palace and house of Jesuits sacked and burned. The question regarding Mitchell is whether or not he is a United States citizen or a convicted felon and citizen of another country. New York, 4. Cushing received credentials and will present them to Alphonso this week. Gold 115. London, 5. If the present negotiations fail, Mr. Dalton will form a ministry without further talk with Assembly. William de Mece prohibits the exportation of horses from Germany. He also demanded the dismissal of Papal nuncio from Bavaria. Archbishop Manning has been summoned to Rome. It is stated that he will be made a Cardinal. Oxford and Cambridge crews take up quarters on Thames on Monday next; betting even. New York, 5. Beecher's case has been postponed owing to the illness of a Juror. CALCUTTA via London, 5. Kenesly's organ, the Englishman says it is rumored that the Indian Government have received orders to hold all the regiments in immediate readiness for active service. It is supposed that the order points to the possibility of war on a large scale, not in India, but in Europe. The Post says that the adoption by the Reichstag of the new ecclesiastical Bill withdrawing all state endowments from Catholic clergy is considered secured. There is reason to believe that the government is preparing another measure requiring test oath from Catholics in civil service. OTTAWA, 6. Wife of Hon T. D. Archibald, senator of Sydney died suddenly in this city this evening. London, 1. Sir James Hope Grant Arthur Help and Claude Louis Mathew are dead. A. B. P. C. Canterbury and York and all Bishops, except two congratulate the clergy and laity on the progress of the Church and strong administration of the former against illegal Ritualistic practices which tend to isolate the clergy from the people. Times special states that Pins permitted the Austrian Bishops to comply with the law, compelling them to modify the authorities of the name of priest appointed to livings. Berlin consists this an evidence that Pins is actuated by political in times as rest to a similar law in Prussia is the principal cause of the late trouble in Roman Church. The order, forbidding the sale of the 19th century newspapers in France has been rescinded. Alfonsists and Carlists are exchanging prisoners. OTTAWA, 8. Costigan school regulation debate occupied the House until 11 p.m., and adjournment of debate to be continued on Wednesday. London, 9. Alfonsi audience Serrano yesterday. Carlists entered Santander in great force. Six hours fighting near Figueras; 300 Alfonsists killed. Carlists are bombarding Oriu. It is stated that it is difficult to prevent the young king from abdicating in favor of Montpensier. It is reported that the French Cabinet is composed as follows:—Buffet, President of Council, Dufaure, Minister of Justice; Duke Duffret Pasquis, Minister of Interior, Decazes, Foreign Minister, Leonsay Minister of Finance; Wallon Instruction; De Cissey, Minister of War, Aumier, Montaignac Minister of Marine. TERRIBLE FATAL CASUALTY. Twenty Lives Lost, and Twenty-Two still in Jeopardy. The following telegrams were received here on Thursday last: St. Mary's, March 4. Sad loss of life here. In boarding and leaving an abandoned vessel, twenty men—out of forty-two belonging to this place—were drowned and died on the ice. There are hopes of the other twenty two being on board the vessel and driven off. The following is a list of the dead: John Power, W. Ruben, James Peddle, Patrick Fegan, John Power and son, W. Neal and son, J. Whelan, James and Thos. Barry, Peter and James Grace, Richard Critch, Patrick Dobbin and two men named St. Croix. SALMONIER, March 4. Nearly all the men of St. Mary's left the shore on Tuesday morning to board an abandoned vessel jammed in the ice about two miles South-west of Cape English. The ice slackened off in the evening and she was driven out to sea with the wind East north-east, frozen up in a large sheet. All succeeded in getting on shore with the exception of forty-two men. There is a certainty of twenty or them drowned and died on the ice in the storm, and hopes of the other twenty two being on board the vessel.

Nothing wrong with hull or material, has no compass and but little provisions. She is a French vessel named the Violetta, Granville master, from France bound to St. Pierre; cargo salt, rum, sugar, coffee, etc. All her crew safe at Holyrood; captain dangerously ill. So melancholy a casualty as this seldom occurs on our coast and rarely does it occur at the westward, no similar event having taken place there within our recollection. We hope we may never be called upon to record such another. Twenty poor fellows are known to be dead, but of the other twenty two we know nothing. It is more than probable they are on board the Violetta, but if so they are short of provisions and may have to suffer much before they can make port, if they ever succeed in doing that. It is not possible to make any search for them by steamer from St. John's, because the offing is now completely ice-locked, but a telegram might have been dispatched to Halifax ordering a steamer out in search from that port, if there is one there. With the winds we have had the abandoned vessel would be almost as easily reached from that port as from St. John's. The Newfoundland may be fortunate enough to fall in with her, but we earnestly hope that we may hear something satisfactory respecting the fate of these people before our next issue. We notice that in giving some particulars of this casualty yesterday the Newfoundland the government organ, does not suggest any course of action on the part of the Government looking to a search for this vessel. This may be an omission, and we shall be glad to find that it is so.—Chronicle, March 6. LATER. SALMONIER, March 6. Thursday, at 4 o'clock p.m., the vessel was seen with canvas set and men on ice about 15 miles from land, South-west from Cape Freels; a lake of water between vessel and men; if not taken off, will perish on the ice. Intelligence has been received by cable that the schooner Emma, of Quebec, from Harbor Grace, N.B., for Penamouico has been abandoned at sea. Crew has arrived at Liverpool.—Herald. [The schooner Emma, was built by Mr. Artista Belanger, at Cape St. Louis during the winter of 1873. She was 237 tons register, classed in the Bureau Veritas 3-3 G. I. 1, for eight years, and was the first vessel of this class and size built under the new Pilot age Act. She was of superior construction and had a complete outfit for a sea voyage. The Emma left Montreal with a cargo of provisions in November last, for Newfoundland where she took in a cargo of fish, and sailed from Harbor Grace for Penamouico, under command of Capt Pierre Gagnon.—Quebec Chronicle.] A disturbance took place in town yesterday which before it was put down assumed an alarming aspect, though it originated in a trifling manner. A quarrel took place on board the sealing steamer Iceland, Capt Charles Daw of Bay Roberts lying at Messrs Stabbs' wharf between one of the firemen and some of his shipmates. It seems that the fireman belonged to, or was a resident of St. John's and the other man belonged to Bay Roberts. Whatever may have been the merits of the quarrel it very rapidly extended to a general fight between St. John's men on the one side and outboard men on the other. It lasted for several hours and was carried on on the Iceland, the Greenland—which was plying on the other side of the wharf and had a crew composed principally of outboard men—on the wharf on the ice in the Harbor and in water street. We cannot now give full particulars as the accounts so far are conflicting, and a police investigation is going on. Several men were badly injured, and the combatants were ultimately dispersed by the united efforts of the mounted police some clergymen and other leading citizens. We understand that an order has been issued by the Magistrates forbidding licensed liquor dealers to sell intoxicating liquors until after the departure of the sea-ice fleet.—Ledger March 11. AN OCEAN HORROR. The burning of the Pacific mail steamer 'Japan' near Hong Kong which took place on the 17th December last, was one of the most dreadful calamities of a particularly calamitous year, involving as it did, the loss of 390 lives. The Japan left Yokohama on Friday, the 11th December with a crew including captain and officers of 128 men, with two cabin passengers, two European steerage passengers and 425 Chinese making a total of 557 souls on board. There were also 220 tons of cargo, \$358,508 worth of treasure and seven packages of mails. The following is the account of the disaster given by the captain of the Japan before the Court of Enquiry held to investigate the matter at the United States Consulate, Hong Kong: Edward R. Wasaw, late commander of the Japan sworn, said:—I have been a master mariner for eighteen years, out of which I have commanded steamers for seven years during six of which I have commanded Pacific Mail steamers. The Japan was my last command. I was in command when the vessel was destroyed by fire on the night of the 17th inst. The fire broke out at 11.25 p.m. I first heard a muffled sound among my passengers on the main deck, which intimated to me that something was wrong. I was by the

pilot house. A minute later I heard a cry of fire. Upon hearing the confused noise I sprang towards the pilot house; the door was open. When I reached the door step the second officer who was officer of the deck, cried out "Fire!" I rang the jingling gong to stop the engine and at the same time sounded the fire alarm, and ordered all ventilators to be turned from the wind port, and I ordered the topsail balyards to be let go, in order to bring the ship to the wind. At this time I had been running before wind. My object was to prevent the smoke from being carried fore and aft the ship. Immediately on the alarm of fire being given three streams of water were brought to bear upon the fire room and three streams were directed upon the engine room, from which also dense volumes of smoke were issuing. All the available hose and connections were brought into use (we threw twenty four streams from the main engine). We could, however, only bring twenty to play on the fire in the places indicated and on the steerage, and these were all brought to bear within ten minutes from the time of the first alarm. We cut holes in the steerage deck on the port side abreast of the engine and fire rooms. We directed three streams here and covered the holes with blankets. I then instructed the officers who were with me to cut holes in the aft steerage hatch communicating with the freight deck. I saw large volumes of smoke but no fire. About that time the fourth officer took off the fore hatch to see if he could make out the fire. He did not. The first blaze that I saw was issuing from the ventilator over the forward fire room. During this time all available hose and connections were laid to bring all the hydrants to bear, fore and aft, making in all twenty streams. I now gave orders to my messenger to tell the chief officer to detail men to swing out and clear all boats ready for lowering. I then went below again to the steerage, cut a hole abreast of the foremast through the deck and saw fire. I applied a hose to it, and then went aft on the port side pulled the but out of a hole which we cut before and saw fire. This was directly under the ash shoot. Apparently all the deck below and the bulk head between the engine room, fire room, and wind bunkers on the port side, were on fire. I inserted the hose again into the hole, covered it up, went up on the hurricane deck, and saw the third officer and a gang of men swinging the forward boats and the second officer and another gang swinging the after boats. I advised Dr. Tyndal then to make ready to leave the ship and passed the women in his charge telling him that I thought we would be compelled to leave. I then went back to the side of the fire, where my officers and men were doing their utmost to extinguish it. We fought the fire for about fifteen minutes after this. Finding that all efforts proving unavailing, and that the fire was rapidly gaining on us and that the water was evidently falling in supply from the fire engines caused by the fire and smoke issuing from the fire room and engine room, and that it would have been impossible for any man to enter that part of ship, I then started with a view to save life. I went aft as far as the engine room door on the port side when flames cut me off. I took a general survey of the weather side of the ship, saw that all boats were lowered and away from the ship on that side, the people forward, having apparently life preservers on them. I passed along the port or lee side about the social hall, and saw two boats hanging by their davids. I gave orders to the second officer to wait along side the ship for me, and I returned to the weather side of the quarter deck, took a general survey of the ship saw that the metallic life raft forward was overboard, saw the captain's gig was gone, that the nonpareil raft was gone and that all the seats on the quarter deck had gone. I opened the engineer's room door and called him. Receiving no response I went aft and lifted the skylight, called out to see if there was any life on board aft, and not hearing any response, concluded to leave the ship. I went over the ship's side at a quarter to one a.m., on the 18th. I showed our boat clear of the ship came round under the stern and used every endeavour to save life and picked up a number of Chinese, all of whom had life preservers on, or were on pieces of wreck, or hatches, chairs, &c. Remained to the windward of the wreck until the daylight when we went in search of the other boats. I fell in with and engaged a Cape Chi fishing smack in which I cruised about in the vicinity of the wrecked material and succeeded in picking up five boats and saving 117 souls from boats and water. At about two p.m., on the 8th, seeing no more life I stood in for the land. At 6.30 p.m., about a mile from land communicated with the steamer Yotung. The captain took us on board and conveyed us to Swatow, whence we took passage in the steamer Yesso for this port and arrived at two p.m., on the 20th.

LOCALS.

One of our Shoe-makers had a narrow escape from drowning on Wednesday.

There are eight Societies of different kinds, in existence at present in this town.

The "Bonita," Hanrahan, master, for this port put into LaHave. All well.

A number of pearls were taken from muscies by parties in this town. Information can be had on application to our office.

The brig, "Charles W. Oulton" from Liverpool to this port, to Messrs John Mann & Co., put into Shelbourne, N.S., short of provisions.

Our townsman J. Paterson, and D. B. Longwill, Esquires, left Liverpool on the 9th inst. for Halifax on route for Harbor Grace. We wish them a safe voyage out.

Pugilism, vandalism, scandalism and other grades of isms are too rife here at present. It is our desire to chronicle the events of the day. Gently gentlemen, beware.

Mr. Wark had a narrow escape from drowning. Had it not been for the timely assistance of a fellow countryman he would undoubtedly have met a watery grave. We would advise inexperienced persons to be cautious, and not walk too far on the ice.

We have been informed that the body of an infant, with its head partly severed from its body, was found at River Head last week, swathed in various articles of female apparel. The police have the garments in charge and hopes through their means to secure the offender.—(Chronicle.)

The lecture in St. Joseph's Catholic Institute by J. G. Conroy, Esq., M. H. A., subject, 'A Yellow Primrose,' was excellently delivered and quite a success. A large and appreciative audience attended it, amongst whom were his Lordship Dr. Power, and three or four of his clergy.—[Ibid.]

The Brig "Margaret Ridley," Capt. Collins, had her stem and stern post broken out with ice on Thursday evening, 27th Feb., about three miles off Cape Mutton, Trepasser Bay. The crew which is all numbered nine men got safely onshore at Trepasser, from whence they proceeded overland arriving here on yesterday. She was loaded with salt from Cadiz, and consigned to Mr. P. Hutchings of this city.—[Ibid.]

If our memory serves us aright, a presentation was made by a Grand Jury at a meeting of the Quarter Sessions, some time ago, recommending the necessity of a suitable fence being erected over the bank, on that part of the road leading from the residence of Mr. Ridley, eastward toward St. Patrick's School-house; and the placing of two or more Gas lamps also in that locality. We have heard no more of the matter since whether any action will be taken by the authorities to have the evil complained of looked after, or otherwise, we consider it a duty we owe to the community as a public journalist to trace up such dilatory conduct on the part of the 'powers that be'; and also to see that the rights of the lieges are respected.

We are very much pleased to observe the effect, and beneficial influence which has characterized the working of the Total Abstinence and Benefit Society of this town. We speak from personal knowledge and observation of the fact that numbers of its most useful and exemplifying members were, a few years ago, looked upon as a nuisance to the community; and since their enlistment in the ranks of this institution, a great reformatory influence has been the pleasing result. Too much credit cannot be awarded to those christian gentlemen who were the pioneers in this noble work. The Juvenile T. A. & B. S., is also doing a great amount of good as a preventative to the demoralizing tendency of intemperance, and also as a comforting assistant in the hour of trouble and bereavement no better association could be found.

The "Starrigan" edifice notables have been quite and inoffensive during the past week—perhaps their little game is played out. We anticipate a great clearance sale shortly of firewood in the shape of starrigans, gardeners, longers, &c. We would recommend all who are in need of the above, to visit a part of the town in the neighborhood of Noad Street and inspect for themselves. It is thought one more grand effort will be made to raise the wind. The first Lecture of the series came off on Tuesday, and was a decided success. The lecturer on entering the

'wing' was loudly cheered. He was escorted to the platform by Drum Major Higgins, and Corporal Webster, the band playing. "See the Conquering Hero Comes!" On the platform we noticed the leading members of the cause. The lecturer was introduced to the audience by friend Stevie, who also stated the object of the lecture, and hoped the learned gentlemen would be listened to with marked attention, so that the reporter of the "STAR" (who he saw among the assemblage) may not have it in his power to criticize, as he is wont to do. After the delivery of these few remarks of caution, the lecturer strode majestically to the front, and after giving a few glances into the crown of his hat, commenced his yarn. Space prevents us from laying before our readers the orator's remarks. At the close of his his address, a vote of thanks was proposed and unanimously passed. Should the Committee require any job-work done in the shape of posters, hand-bills, &c., we beg to acquaint them that we are prepared to execute the same in a first class style, and on the most accommodating terms.

The sum of twenty thousand dollars having been liberally voted by the Legislature, to defray the expenses of a survey across the Island. We proceed now to offer a few suggestions for the information of our numerous readers as to the best qualified men in the country to carry out this important work. We will give the names of the men and the part of the work to be performed by each individual. First on the list we will put down the name of the illustrious advocate of Railroads—the Editor of the "North Star"; next on the programme comes our old friend Seaton, the Editor of the "Express"—the well known ability and general knowledge which these contemporaries possess with regard to railway matters generally, are trumpeted over the length and breadth of the Island; we will assign to them the surveying of the land measuring and general engineering, reporting the exact cost of construction, per mile &c.; to bridge building, &c., no better could be found throughout the country than the well-known Garret Dooley. Next on the list comes the leveling estimator, sleeper-bed probabilities, &c. To this branch of the work our fellow townsman Tomosh would be satisfied be equal to the task; and next on the programme comes the "Standard's" Weathercock; without the presence and services of this valuable individual we could place no confidence, whatever, in the success of the mission. The wonderful knowledge of this wizard with regard to the weather will be of inconceivable benefit, if the retellings of nature's laws in the form of earthquakes, thunderstorms, hail, frost, snow, typhoons, &c., should threaten the country—the Weathercock can predict the exact moment that it will take place—three months previous. In order also to prevent any quarrelling, fighting or other obstructing causes of a similar kind, some military protection will be necessary. This part of the business can be well supplied in the person of a well known member of the police force in this town, whose military gait from the feet upwards has been a subject of great curiosity; he is also possessed of a wonderful aptitude in performing the 'right about face,' wheeling about and securing his prey in an instant. This useful acquisition to his general military bearing will be of inconceivable advantage to him, as growing, snarling, threatening, challenging, &c., may take place between the two Editors; he will therefore fall upon them at any moment. Having got them fully equipped and ready to start, it would be prudent on the part of the Receiver General to pay down the bounty, half in advance as some of the party may require some refreshments before leaving. We can fancy in our minds eye, this noble band of native pioneers moving forward from the Metropolis. The two Editors arm in arm occupying the front rank of the cortege, followed by Dooley and Tomosh and close on the heels of these—marching comes the Weathercock—his weather-eye lifting, and bringing up the rear rank marches the bold genlarne, with determination and heroism marking his noble face. We watch them fading from our view; we leave them to their task and exclaim, 'good luck boys a pleasant voyage to ye.'

Parties requiring good work in the Photograph line would do well to read the following complimentary notice to Mr. Wood, St. John's:

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The climate is natural and uncommonly DRY. It is so dry, in comparison with that of Europe, that it makes a serious difference in various trades and occupations. For instance, in most parts of Europe the climate is so moist that housewives cannot dry their washed clothes except in fine weather, and often in the open fields. It takes them nearly a week to dry their clothes. Here, the clothes washed and hung out in the morning, are dry before night. So, a plastered house in Europe is not fit to live in for six months, because even with the help of fires, it takes so long to dry. Here one room is dry while they are plastering the next one. This perpetual drinking up of every fluid by the air about us acts on the blood of the people and would dry them up in a little while if they did not prevent it in some way. In the early days they tried West India rum and brandied wines and distilled liquors. But some years ago they found that that remedy was worse than the disease. It was the universal drunkenness upon rum which called for the TEMPERANCE and lastly for the PROHIBITION movement. The last is the remedy of impatient ignorance, if it includes this wholesome and nutritious drink A better, a surer or more complete remedy, founded on science and sense, is BAVARIAN BEER.

It arrests at once the dryness of the climate and of the fluids. It gives tone to the nerves and digestion to the stomach, and strength to the muscles! Some foolish people say that BAVARIAN BEER CONTAINS NO NOURISHMENT, And thing that they make a great argument by saying it. Backstrom never said that BAVARIAN BEER Does not contain nourishment. He knows better. He drinks it himself, and sells it for others to drink, NOT TO EAT! It is not only Nourishing, but it is a Mild, Digestible and a medium of nutriment as well. Even a prohibitionist might know that Man could not live without nutritious drink. For this and other reasons the Medical Faculty recommend and use BAVARIAN BEER. Doctors advise Dyspeptic people to drink BAVARIAN BEER. N. B.—It will keep in bottles well corked, and in a cool place. FOR A YEAR! At the end of that time it is a fact that can be proved at the BREWERY, that Lindberg & Backstrom's BAVARIAN BEER Is better than the best Bass, Alcop's or Scotch Ale, which cost so much more money. Convalescent patients take BAVARIAN BEER From the hands of the Doctor. Mothers of Families, by the repeated directions of the Family Physician, make daily use of meals of BOTTLED BAVARIAN BEER, Sold by Dealers for family use. Lawyers, Judges, Clerks, Mechanics, Preachers, Lecturers, Editors, Printers, Writers of works, Literary men of every class in this literary and intellectual community, all use BAVARIAN BEER. Even the Legislators like it, and would undoubtedly have made it a beverage in their Refreshment Chamber in the House of Assembly, had not the late Anti-Confederate Government come to an untimely end. BAVARIAN BEER Will be made as usual for sale, and any Temperance Organization Or anyone else may have a stock of Lindberg & Backstrom's Bavarian Beer

AT THE FOLLOWING PRICES, VIZ: In Bottles, quarts per dozen.....7s " pints " do.....4s In Casks, per gallon.....2s Observe! Tare charged extra! We are sure that nine out of ten to whom BAVARIAN BEER Is offered for sale know nothing about it, except from hearsay. Many of them think it is SMALL BEER, but BAVARIAN BEER Is not SMALL BEER, by any means, and this should be understood. We think it no more than right that the sincere but ignorant men who talk against BAVARIAN BEER Without knowing anything about it should be enlightened. And we think that those who promote Temperance could not do better to further the good work than to recommend the BAVARIAN BEER As they now do water—a clear and sparkling beverage. And we think the Newfoundlanders deserve a better fate than to be the victims of Dyspepsia, Liver Complaint, Kidney Diseases, Marasmus and Consumption for want of a pure, wholesome, innocent and cheap drink like Lindberg & Backstrom's BAVARIAN BEER Which now can be had "in any quantity from our Dealers, viz: Mr. Moore, Mrs. Leo, Messrs Connoily Walsh, Lumergan, Tobin, Maher, Loughlan, Chambers, Foran (Atlantic Hotel), O'Riordan, Duggan, Sparahat, Shea, McCarthy, Leary, Whelan, Cox, Dandy, Farrell, Emslay, Baird, Wooses, Leamey, McCourt, Rankin, O'Donnell, Lash, Olson Power, McKay (Arcade Saloon), Cullen, Mrs. Farrell, Messrs Trelligan, P. Murphy, Devine, Meahan, & Murphy, McGraith Murphy Topsoil Road.—Farrell, Dunn and Fitzpatrick. Kings Bridge.—Eagar, Mrs Dooley and Juceelyn. Topsoil—Dealy and Mrs Squires. Local Steamers &c., &c. The Proprietors only regret they did not introduce BAVARIAN BEER some years ago, as it would have saved the Colony the expense of adding a wing to the Lunatic Asylum, and the increased expense in the Pauper relief fund of which the Royal Commission so grievously complain.

THE NEXT IS EVERYBODY'S QUESTION, "What must we Drink?" We advocate Temperance to the reasonable extent it is advocated by the foremost temperance men in Europe, and without running the pleasurable temperance movement in the ground by exaggerated requirements. This is also the case with many fanatics in this country, who make no distinction between fermented and distilled beverages. They condemn wine, a beverage made of grape juice, in which Christ himself indulged not alone, but even commanded its use at the Communion Table; they condemn also the use of FERMENTED BEVERAGES, while statistics prove it to be a blessing to those nations for which it has become a national beverage, by their perfection in the art of preparing it. Any one who has ever visited Belgium or Bavaria, and witnessed the result of the national beverage, the BAVARIAN BEER and the LAGER, on these two peoples, must be converted from any prejudice against THOSE BEVERAGES, if ever he had any. It is not necessary to go to Europe to be convinced; we may visit the BEER-drinking German quarters in this country, notice the general health and in unobtrusive habits of that people, and compare it with those nationalities not blessed with the habit of being satisfied with BEER, but needing the unnatural stimulus of distilled spirits, whisky brandy, or even alcohol. It is indeed a common observation among physicians or medical students in our large charity hospitals that a Post-mortem reveals at once whether the drinking German, by the better health of the interior organs and the presence of a liberal supply of adipose (fat) tissue, or whether he was a whisky drinker, as proved by the diseased condition of kidneys and liver, a general emaciation and a tendency to atrophy of the muscular system. All persons are opposed to the BAVARIAN BEER through prejudice; they will indulge in Ale and Porter at their dinner, but decry the use of BEER. Now, the fact is that the

BAVARIAN and LAGER BEER Contains less alcohol than either Ale or Porter, and that experience proves that an excess in its use carries less injurious consequences with it than excess in the use of any other kind of this class of beverages. It has even been proved that some constitutions can consume Four Free, or Six gallons in a single day—a feat perhaps impossible with any other beverage water perhaps excepted, and tending to prove that next to water BAVARIAN BEER Is the most harmless drink. Such a quantity of milk would surely produce severe indigestion, while the drinking of so much Ale, Porter, or wine would be out of the question. We cannot of course find fault with those who simply dislike BEER from a natural aversion of the bitter principle of the hops, with which it is more abundantly provided than other BEERS. This may be the reason that many people prefer Ale; but we ought to suggest that in order to have the full benefit of the moderately stimulating and nutritious qualities of any kind of BEER, it must not be drunk at improper hours, as then really good BEER may be quite unpalatable. The best time is at dinner during the use of Beef, Mutton, Pork, etc., to which it is a very desirable addition. It is a common observation that the desires in regard to food and drink are, in many individuals, undergoing a change in the course of years. This is simply caused by the modified wants of the system. A young, vigorous person does not need the stimulus of BEER or WINE at the table, which appears to become a necessity for others when they become older. The wisest plan is to follow simply the natural desires as they best indicate the wants of the system, provided these desires are not perverted by the unnatural habits of smoking or chewing tobacco, using an excess of condiments, especially pepper or the habit of distilled drinks, which nobody should use, except largely diluted, as is the case with wine, the strongest qualities of which contain alcohol in as high a proportion as it ever should be introduced in a human stomach. The inconsistency of temperance people in general is, among other things, shown in the fact that they allow the use of fermented Cider, which contains about as much alcohol as Rhine wine. The latter is often dispensed in New York under the name of German Cider, many of whom we have heard certify that the German Cider is much better than the American article. A curious observation has also been made by dealers in Soda Water; they find that the ginger Syrup, which is the most pungent and stimulating of all, and also contains some alcohol, of which the other syrups are free, is generally preferred by temperance people who invariably ask for the hot ginger Syrup, while the wine and Beer drinkers take the refreshing syrup of lemon, or some other fruit. As it thus appears that most people need some stimulus, it may be well to acknowledge this fact, and to allow them to indulge in one which is not only harmless but beneficial, instead of requiring a total abstinence and, in which many are unable to persist, who breaking their pledges, lose their self-respect in so far as to indulge in the most pernicious of all habits—the use of the intoxicating distilled liquors. It is for reason of the above consideration that we have recommended to all who have a chance to obtain this good Beverage in their neighborhood, to do so instead of keeping a "Brandy bottle in the house"—New York Paper.

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BAVARIAN and LAGER BEER Contains less alcohol than either Ale or Porter, and that experience proves that an excess in its use carries less injurious consequences with it than excess in the use of any other kind of this class of beverages. It has even been proved that some constitutions can consume Four Free, or Six gallons in a single day—a feat perhaps impossible with any other beverage water perhaps excepted, and tending to prove that next to water BAVARIAN BEER Is the most harmless drink. Such a quantity of milk would surely produce severe indigestion, while the drinking of so much Ale, Porter, or wine would be out of the question. We cannot of course find fault with those who simply dislike BEER from a natural aversion of the bitter principle of the hops, with which it is more abundantly provided than other BEERS. This may be the reason that many people prefer Ale; but we ought to suggest that in order to have the full benefit of the moderately stimulating and nutritious qualities of any kind of BEER, it must not be drunk at improper hours, as then really good BEER may be quite unpalatable. The best time is at dinner during the use of Beef, Mutton, Pork, etc., to which it is a very desirable addition. It is a common observation that the desires in regard to food and drink are, in many individuals, undergoing a change in the course of years. This is simply caused by the modified wants of the system. A young, vigorous person does not need the stimulus of BEER or WINE at the table, which appears to become a necessity for others when they become older. The wisest plan is to follow simply the natural desires as they best indicate the wants of the system, provided these desires are not perverted by the unnatural habits of smoking or chewing tobacco, using an excess of condiments, especially pepper or the habit of distilled drinks, which nobody should use, except largely diluted, as is the case with wine, the strongest qualities of which contain alcohol in as high a proportion as it ever should be introduced in a human stomach. The inconsistency of temperance people in general is, among other things, shown in the fact that they allow the use of fermented Cider, which contains about as much alcohol as Rhine wine. The latter is often dispensed in New York under the name of German Cider, many of whom we have heard certify that the German Cider is much better than the American article. A curious observation has also been made by dealers in Soda Water; they find that the ginger Syrup, which is the most pungent and stimulating of all, and also contains some alcohol, of which the other syrups are free, is generally preferred by temperance people who invariably ask for the hot ginger Syrup, while the wine and Beer drinkers take the refreshing syrup of lemon, or some other fruit. As it thus appears that most people need some stimulus, it may be well to acknowledge this fact, and to allow them to indulge in one which is not only harmless but beneficial, instead of requiring a total abstinence and, in which many are unable to persist, who breaking their pledges, lose their self-respect in so far as to indulge in the most pernicious of all habits—the use of the intoxicating distilled liquors. It is for reason of the above consideration that we have recommended to all who have a chance to obtain this good Beverage in their neighborhood, to do so instead of keeping a "Brandy bottle in the house"—New York Paper.

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