WANTED.

Immediately, a good house maid. Work easy, with small family. Must be well recommended. Apply at this office. Chatham, 27th Oct, 1880-tf

The St. George.

The tug St. George launched in the spring by Mr. Snowball, and which proved such a decided failure, is to be overhauled this winter.

A Heavy Loss.

A scow belonging to Loggie & Anderson of Black Brook was wrecked on Saturday off Grand Down, about 100 yards from shee, with 25 or 30 cord of hemlock bark, valued at \$125. There were two Frenchmen in her at the time, but they swam ashore. The bark is at present piled up on the beach but is n good.

The "Star" at Newcastle.

The STAR gid not reach Newcastle Saturday evening, but this was not our fault. The publisher, having the same impression as the public, that the boat on Saturday did not leave her wharf for Newcastle until 8 o'clock, did not send the bundle up before six as on Wednesday evenings.

Thanksgiving Day.

November 3rd has been appointed public Thanksgiving day in the Province by Governor Wilmot, in these words .-

It having pleased Almighty God of His great mercy to crown the labors of the husbandman with an abundant harvest, and to bestow upon the people of this Province, manifold and great blessings during the current year;

I do therefore appoint Wednesday the third day of November next, as a Day of Thanksgiving, and recommend the general observance thereof throughout the Province.

And I do also hereby appoint and proclaim the said third day of November a public holiday."

The same day has been proclaimed a holiday by the Governor General for fying [a+b+c] cubed--or would you prefer Thanksgiving.

The Press.

We are sorry, very sorry the Advocate didn't get Saturday week's STAR. We assure Mr. Anslow it was an excellent number, and had correspondence from Bathurst that he would be delighted to read. Besides this, the said correspondence had appended some editorial remarks from the gifted pen of him who is writing this paragraph. The editor enquired of Mr. Anslow, if he the said is about as near as one can come to it," James had gone back on the Conservatives, who had helped so long to keep in Mr. Lynch. We then turned to a big him running, and he quietly observed boy in his bare feet, and said "Translate." that he was anxious to know about this, He looked at the two trustees and said, because if true, he would have the Advo | "There's a lot o' crows in the woods," "Succates Government patronage stopped | cinct" we said, "and correct enough." The promptly. How strange it is that such | two rustics went out and never after showed an excellent number miscarried-we can their noses in our school house. Suppose assure Mr. Anslow it was well worth the Newcastle teachers tried a little Latin reading. However we have sent him on the trustees? How would that do?-En. the paper though it is now a little old. STAR.] Since we have been talking in such a familiar way to Mr. Anslow, we beg of him to accept the following little bit of poetry from one who is sorry to see the enemy laughing at him; hoping he may pin it to his testament and keep the reproof and the lesson in mind together. It is this-either Homer or Skakespeare Dublin. wrote it:-

"Biras in their little nests agree And 'tis a shameful sight When children of one family Fall out and chide and fight."

With best wishes for Brother Anslow's Depleting a duckyard. spiritual welfare we are

THE EDITOR.

The Lumber.

boom.

The logs have been at last set free, and anxiety has passed away from our Island Horses. millmen. The long-wished for rain came on Friday night, and lasted until little signs of rising. Of a sudden, however, the change came, the river in a few minutes rose perceptibly ended in a thorough freshet. It appears the bage jam of logs above had dammed! miles from Chatham. The boom is 5 spent the last few days in Chatham. miles long. Most of the lumber is owned by Guy, Bevan & Co, Senator Muirhead, Mr. Stewart and Mr. Morrison. The Richards and Lynch. Mr. Swim had nearly a million for Mr. Morrison, and this we are glad to say is also safe in the

Rafting commences immediately, and pretty cold work just now rafting is. will be finished in about three weeks. The mills shut down for want of logs will again commence and will not stop till the close of the season, so that the demurrage anticipated will be in great part avoided. About 4 weeks sawing will end operations, probably for the

All the logs now in the boom will not be sawn this fall; but those remaining will be taken in rafts to secure places and left there till spring. The ice would carry them away if left in the boom.

visions went down this morning.

To Correspondents.

his communication

"Knight of Ye Olden Time." Newcastle, sends us a communication, which we think unfit for the column of a newspaper. are never behind hand in dealing with the public acts of public men, no matter to what party they may belong, but we have never yet invaded the social circle, or the family altar, and may Heaven grant we never may. This matter you speak of is a shameful one to Newcastle, But we do think it is time came near falling into the a word have we on it.

[We may say in connection with the above named remarks, that we have read in the St John "Telegraph," and heard from other quarters, of a disgraceful occurence in the porch of one of the public schoolhouses Newcastle. We believe it was nothing short of a physical contest between teacher and trustee, that blows were given and exchanged, and injuries received. Now know nothing of the particulars, and reach conclusions no way except as to the scene being a disgrace to Newcastle. The teacher on the one hand should know his duty towards the trustee, but on the other the trustee should know his duty toward the teacher. Both understood and observed there would be no friction; misunderstood or last year. not complied there is a dangerous jarring To the pupils the teacher should appear above all others; for if they know that parties in authority outside, are only awaiting a chance to exercise their authority over the teacher, they soon forget their respect and find a hundred ways of disturbing the harmony of the school. It is an outrageous thing for a trustee to lecture a teacher before the pupils; and equally as bad for him to set himself up as a censor of school management when he is an unprofessional man. We once taught school ourselves. Two trustess, their hair full of hay seed and their homespun woolly as a sheep's side, came in to supervise our methods of instruction. We asked them to take a seat, and then opened up Todhunters Algebra for beginners. We said, "Now, Mr. Lynch, and you Mr Alcorn, I wish a word of instruction. Would you prefer using brackets in simplimultiplying it out?" There was a moment's hesitation, then an unintelligible stammer. We hastened to their assistance, "You never studied Algebra--like our M. P. in that respect--but you will assist me in translating the following little exercise from Bryce's First Reader, -- because I can't construe it to my liking: 'Magni sunt greges corvorum in silvis.' Now, Mr Alcorn," we said, "I translate that as follows, but it hardly suits me,

STAR BRIEFS.

-Horses are in much demand present. All for sale are readily bought up.

'The cows climbed inter the potator patch.'

But I think it is pretty near right. What do

you think?" looking to both. "I guess it

said Charlie Alcorn; "I guess so," chimed

-The Mallard owned by Wm. Murray Esq. of Chatham, has arrived safely in

have just purchased about a dozen head

of fine cattle at the Island. -A good deal of pork in market.

A few nights ago Mr. Tillish left a dozen ducks in his yard, but when he got up in the morning, there was not one He has heard nothing of them

W. S. McGee, Esq., of P. E. I. came over here on Monday with 11 Sunday. In the early part of the rains, draft horses. Five were bought by Mr. people who live along the South-west J. B. Snowball, and one by Mr. Wm. wondered much that the river showed Muirhead Jr. [The remaining five have since been purchased, most of them by Mr. D. McLauglin.

Mr. Mordaunt Samuel of Nottingham, up the water, but that when the England, who has been visiting his nulatter had accumulated to a great height, merous friends on this side of the the logs broke way, -hence the sudden Atlantic for a short time, sails for home rising. All the logs, about 15,000,000 on Saturday next, per steamer feet are pow in the South-west boom, 15 | Moravian from Rimouski. Mr. S. has

Surveyor General, Hon. Robt. Young, very indifference to the honors of coun-Hon. W. E. Perley and Mr. McNutt of cillorship that lies at the bottom of the chief contractors interested are Fairley, the Sun, and Mr. Hazen of the Telegraph were in town today, and went home this evening.

> Notes From the Capital: minors, and pay no taxes here, are has a good practical head, and while sitting speaking of starting an art gallery. Let as Councillor will worthily, we believe, the newspaper advocating this, first see fill his post. This is why we congratuif the town can maintain it; then for the late Chatham on his re election: and as art gallery. Speaking of this paper, I he has now represented the town for the been elected, although the old woman of may tell you it has remained independent past six years as Councillor, we have not an Advocate opposed them. Here is the much longer than I thought. For two any doubt but he will represent it for the result from this parish: months it begged for patronage at next six in the same capacity. As Ottawa, but failed to get on the list. for Mr. Goggin we can When it received its last letter, to effect nothing about him, never having heard that the "Government did not feel war- of his name till we saw it on the handranted in extending the List," it changed bills. He may be wise as Socrates, or from Independent or Micawber attitude simple as Tom Steeple, -time can only

As "Backwoodsman" from Douglastown have both it would seen turned astonished us, that Mr. Johnson had only does not send us his name, we do not publish over to the Church of England. one objection to coming out and that THE DANGERS OF THE STA-SHIPWRECK AN voices in the parish church, through Lawlor. Some say one thing is the the Capital, and thinks that those of the cause of the dislike, and some say anon a moments reflection he will see is totally | congregation who have ever heard a choir other -but Lawlor and Goggin are in of trained male voices, will, doubtless, and there's the end of that part of the favor the proposed change. Both these matter. gentlemen have interviewed Miss Fisher on the Loyalists in Fredericton. This should have gone to the Reporter. Miss was a fatal informality about posting the from beginning to end, and not creditable mother. It appears tois poor old woman trouble, though we should be sorry now it ended, and that all responsible began of the Indians at Ormocto, in 1873. elected, have jurisdiction in various ways, to blush for the past, and make wiser re- She waxes eloquent in some parts, and but if unduly elected they have no jurissolves for the future. Mind however : per- from her mode of composition, would be diction No doubt if our two men have sonally we endorse your view, publicly not a valuable aid to the Capital's staff. been improperly returned to the council,

On Monday last, His Honor Judge Wetmore shot a partridge. On Tuesday it fell into the hands of Mr. Pilkington taxidermist; on Wednesday, true to life. it was presented to one of the clerks in Fraser and Wetmore office-so says the Capital.

LUMBERING .-- A number of crews from here, have gone to the woods. - Mr. operations on the Nashwaak this year where he has many a prime tract that axe has not yet been struck in.

Mr. A. F. Randolph will operate percentage more men and horses in than

The literary critic of the Montreal Gazette, after a lengthy commentary on Mr. Chai. G. D. Roberts' Poems, concludes thus: "For our part, we confidently predict for Mr. Rolerts, unless the gods love him too well, a career as a poet that will confer merited fame on himself and lasting honor on his country."—Capital.

This isn't much like the Capitals criticism; is it?

mer, to its fullest capacity.

No one yet has said positively he will offer for Mayor Gregory's place. Bat there is little doubt about Mr. A. A. Sterling coming. He would make an excellent man.

Mrs. Hazen our accomplished artist, will contribute to the St John art gallery this winter. Mr T. G. O'Connor, Mr. Phair and othere are also spoken of as probable contributors.

Municipal Election.

there was a meeting in the Masonic Hall Hon. Michael Adams, Hon. W. E. to consider the election of Councillors for Perley, A. A. Davidson, M. P. P., Major next year. As no one could be induced R. R. Call, Mr. McNutt of the Sun. to take interest enough in local politics, and Mr. Hazen or the Telegranh. They there were only two in the building with were met here by Schator Muirhead, Mr. a disposition to run. These were Mr. T. F. Gillespie, M. P. P., and other Wm. Lawlor and Mr. Goggin. The citizens. The Senator with his custom town clerk Mr. J. Wilson, called the ary hospitality invited the party into his meeting to order, and explained the house for refreshments, where they staid object of assembling there. After some till the coaches came to drive them to delay Mr. Jas. Fennety was chosen Napan. The party drove through Chairman, and William Lawlor and J. Napan; they were struck by the fine ap-Goggin were nominated. As no opposition could be raised by those who like the "fun of a contest," the two gentleman above named, were declared elected | The quality of the land pleased them by acclamation. After this announcement Mr. Lawlor rose to his feet. He raised there with much profit, provided said he was deeply sensible of the trust the proper breeds were fostered. The the people of Chatham had reposed in uplands they declared to be good grain -- Messrs. Vanstone and Wambolt him. This was the sixth time in suc- land, being rich in si ica; and the lower cession he had been elected to this post; but the present time, he had had no think that by and bye, here as in Engnotion of offering till that very morning. But since they had prolonged their confidence in him, he would continue to perform his duties to the very best of his abilities. He said he felt proud of that the land will yield for time everlasthis past record; and would endeavor to ing. act in the future as he had in the past.

that he was thankful to the electors of South West Miramichi. the parish for the confidence they had moting their interests. (Tremendous and left later on homeward bound,

applause.) To the stranger it seems surprising to see so little interest taken in county politics; elsewhere in the Province, there is a good deal of enthusiasm showed, The people here should not be tepid; and insignificant as the position of Councillor those elected were as follows. may seem to them, there is a good deal of business comes up before the board which requires practical minds and care Professor Sheldon, Mr. Sparrow, the in dealing with it. It is perhaps this gross mismanagement exhibited at our councils. However, in electing Mr. Lawlor again, the town of Chatham did Goorge Foley, wisely and well; for it would puzzle us to to know, where among those aspiring to Councillor honors, his equal could be Two or three young lads who are had. He is a careful business man, and

James Sharkey and George Perks in again; out we learn, much as it has Our Newfoundland Letter propose a chorus of male was his dislike to running with Mr.

We have been informed that there Fisher does not relate her own exper- election notices for Chatham Parish. If ience, but accurately those of her grand- this be so there will be likely some hands to hear it. The council when properly there are those who would be cantankerous enough to take advantage wherever any one or the two of the mis-elected councillors exercised jurisdiction. Some may say that would not be far, as the majority at the County Council rules; but results reached through the votes of men not legally qualified to vote, would be quite abortive: and thus the evil we speak of would spread through the whole Alexander Gibson, will carry on large county. However, for aught we know, into the matter, the councillors are duly confidence. We shall however enquire heavily this winter, and has sent a large into the case and give the public the result of our enquiry.

Some half crazy coot of a fellow placarded the town yesterday morning with bills asking the people to "Vote for Lawlor and Goggin." It was done so swiftly, and so thoroughly that it bore evidence of two facts. First, that the "billing towns" for certain "shows;" Wages range from \$14 to \$20 per to get him before the public; and have that Morrisons mill will run next sum- next Dominion election, it being under- brother Pierce. It is a sad affair. stood that Mr. J.bez Snowball will not try again. We think Mr. Goggin would "Shocking shooting affray." make an excellent representative of the Grit party here, indeed a better representative than Mr. Snowball.

THE DELEGATES AT THE MIRAMICHI.

THEIR IMPRESSIONS OF OUR COUNTRY. A RIDE TO NAPAN AND A TRIP UP THE RIVER BY BOAT.

The Delega'es and party arrived here this morning from Sackville, Yesterday morning at 10 o'clock, Robert Young President of the Council, found and conveyed to the morgue. pearance of the Johnson and Dickson farms, and the appearance of thrift noticeable through the neighborhood. much, and they thought stock could be capital for hay, cabbage, etc. They and farming will be scientifically done, and stock raising better attended to : and that then the wealth flowing from our wood lands may have passed away, but

After arriving at Chatham, the party was entertained at lunch, and at 2 o'clock Blanche down to Hermitage Bay.

The party returned this afternoon, reposed in him; and assured them he well pleased with the Country, and expres would always be found faithful to his sing themselves under deep obligations to duties, using his best abilities in pro- Mr. Adams who had all this arranged-

County Elections.

for the various parishes was held yester- pea Rouge to Cape St. Mary's there is day. The candidates in the field and not one harbor in which the fishermen

CHATHAM. William Lawlor, J. R. Goggin. Elected by acclamation.

GLENELG. Hugh Cameron, and William Mc-

HARDWICKE. Jeremias Sullivan. Elected by acclamation.

BLACKVILLE. John McLaughlin and C. W. Underhill. Elected by acclamation.

Newcastle Notes.

As you said, Brown and Adams have

Adams..... 172 Brown......158 John Woods......148 J. W. Crocker....148 Solid wasn't it?

[Since writing the above we have to Opposition. This is why it thinks Sir tell that. It affords regret to a good received letters to August 21 from the and Daniel Foley, Thos. and Juo. Conway, been informed that the logs came too John wants to get a constituency for many however, that Mr. Goggin was not Russian camp, 23 versts from the town James Dohea, and others of the old setlate; and that the mills shut down will some friend, among the Esquimaux. Do left at home for a few years more, and of Kuldja. The correspondent reports tlers, caught with hook and line not furyou think it would be any use for Sir some man like Mr. Johnson or Mr that hostilities are impossible during the ther away than Point Brim, and Mr. Alex. Morrison has commenced John trying to get one of the editors in Murray or Mr McLaughlan or a score of autumn, the passes being impractiable right across the cove. lumber operations on the Tabusintac, for the Commons at Andover? Was it others we could name, brought out by the snow; which begins to fall in they have to go up to Island Head, and thirty votes he got there? Mr. Beveridge in his place. For our part we should September. Of necessity, therefore, Norther Head; and are thus trenching like to have seen Johnson and Lawlor go nothing can be done until the spring. on the ground of Tom and Jas. Young,

The Fishery Around the Coast-Its Annual Decline-

CHATHAM SPOKEN OF AS THE GULF PORI, Etc.

DEAR SIR: -It is some time since I accumulated to a bulk.

The first on my list is

A CHAPTER OF ACCIDENTS. One morning on the passag over about mainboom. They were jibing the main mainsal was jibed, he went to the rail to and tipped over into the water. A and a beat put out as quickly as pos- the graveyard of Placentia. elected, and can take their seats with sible, It was very dark, but they could see bim swimming, and they heard him cry out 'Hurry up!' He was astern of the vessel, and the log-line was out. cles, that when the railroad is built He sank to rise no more. He was on across the Island, Chatham on the Bonne Bay.

A HORRIBLE TRAGEDY .- A few days ago a shocking tragedy occurred at Tizzard's Harbor, You know the curse about flakes are our large dors. man who stuck them up or ordered them They come at night and tear the fish, to be stuck up, had some experience in and spoil it for market. A man, in the place above, named Nicholas Cantwell. and second, that he was trembling in his owned a flake: he was pestered with the boots lest some one would be induced to dogs, and one night took out his gun. come out and beat those candidates. It is Sure enough, he was not long there Mr. Wm. Murray will also increase his stated to-lay, we don't know how truly when he saw a dark object moving along operations, having sent in large gangs. that the object in electing Mr. Goggin is the flake. He fired, killing it on the spot. Imagine his horror on approachmonth. In this connexion I may add him ready to run for the party at the ing to find he had shot dead his own may tell you the Ledger calls this a

An English schooner called the Belle | The follywing are the results. was lost on the Labrador by running into an iceberg. The crew got off, but nigh came to destruction through a compass which was untrue, in consequence of the presence of a lot of tinned Melansen, iron cans, in the boat,

Drowner. -On Wednesday night last, about 11 o'clock, a young man named Patrick Brennan, belonging to the Goulds, was drowned while endeavoring to get from a boat to Messrs. G. Brow _ Express. There came with them Hon. ning & Sons's wharf. His body was

THE FISHERY.

I do not think our great staple industry has been up to the average this year. Indeed each year it falls off, in about the same ratio as our population increases. If this go on, one or two things must come, starvation, or emigration. The only way to avert the calamity is for our people to turn their attention to agriculture; but to effect this the Government should lead off with wise and sensible Land Regulations. I will be more detailed though about the fishery. The early season on Labrador was poor; from September 15 to along, in October it was very bad. A great many herring nets were lost there by a recent gale. Green fish carriers have arrived to St. John's lately, and report the catch a third less than last years.

The Bank Fishery will however be above the average. All the fleet have reached St. Pierre; and some have sailed for France.

The "Curlew" has lately returned from

the Westward and brings poor news enough. The catch there has been below the average. For six weeks now, there has been hardly a bite from Rose to Livadia permanently. Mr. Goggin followed Mr. Lawlor. He left Senator Muirhead's wharf in the Trepasse fishery has been fair; but the or Livadia. made a short address in which he stated Andover for a trip up the North and fog, and a heavy undertow have prevented successful doings.

The following information has been received from Placentia Bay:

PLACENTIA BAY FISHERY, -We have advices from this locality in to Monday the 11th instant; from which we glean that the regult of the summer's fishing is fully realizing what previous accounts The election for County Courcillors | have foreshadowed. From Cape Chaon the whole may be said to have done well. Nor would the amount of fish caught justify us in saying that it is an

average year; for the reason that the quantity secured is so unfairly divided amongst the people. A correspondent writing from Harbor Buffet says: "I hardly ever remember a fall that the prospect for the poor people living through the Bay was so uncertain. The quantity of fish caught while not exceeding that of last year, is not nearly as equally divided, and whilst some few dozen persons have done well the major. ity of the people have done wretchedly bad." The fish, too, averaging in St. John's a price which will hardly pay the the college and a Police commissioner labor attending the making of it, all broke open the door and forcibly recombined together has given the poor moved the professors. man sufficient to attend to in order to keep the body and soul together. Along Cape Shore, where the fishery is usually good, the catch has been slack. The Listress skiffs did well, but each year they are obliged to move further away to get a voyage. In old times

and Mr. Fewer; who told how in days gone by they stood on Briley Point and chight the cod close against the rocks: this all points to what is coming. The Powers too of Golden Bay, Pat and John find it not so easy in their tasty little skiff, to get a vayage as they used to: but they have done well. The Careens have landed a good "voyage," though Red Land is no longer the spawning ground of even the days Mr. Editor when you went round there and shot whistling divers. In Branch the catch has been good; but I think the Government wrote you before, so that my news has should give the people something to help to make a channel over the Bar. Great Placentia seems to be falling into decay-a victim to the fisheries. Once the capital, traces of which you can see A schooner called the Greenleaf, left in the fort at Castle Hill, and at the slip, Lunenburg Nova Scotia, the 7th inst. it is now just what Newfoundland will be two centuries hence if it depend upon half-past 4 o'clock a man named Bonds the fisheries. Once tasty houses are was on deck, standing at the falls of the covered over now with moss; the Square that you so well remember, a wide space sail, and he was assisting. After the between ruin; not a trace of Sweetman's, of Croucher's, your "Uncle Tom's;" unhook the main boom tackle, and must the shaft of the mine is full of water, have overbalanced himself in doing so the tide rushes up and down; and all is still as four hundred years ago. Mr. plank was immediately thrown over, William Corbin, the Ryans and others not having taken the trouble to enquire the vessel was brought up to the wind hold their own yer; but Placentia is but

OUR RAILROAD AND THE MIRAMICHI.

It is hinted here in well informed cirhis way to see his friends at his home in Miramichi may likely be the summer port of the Gulfline. That will make the bond between us more sympathetic

> J. F. C. We conclude our letter in next.-Ep.

GLOUCESTER.

Election of Councillors.

(Special to Star.)

BATHURST, Oct. 27 1880. The election of Councillors took place through the county yesterday.

BATHURST.

Four took the field. Here are the names and the vote :--

O'Brien, 129 Sam Napier,

The following gives the parishes and those elected:-

NEW BANDON. Honibrock. Landry, CARAQUET. Hache, Sewell. TRACADIE. Prosper, Savoy, Young. POKEMOUCHE. Barry, Walsh. SHIPPEGAN.

James DeGrace, Alexander. BERESFORD. Auby, Chalmers.

NELSON.

Carleton Station returns being filed too late Mr. Burchill lost his election.

The Czar.

London, Oct. 23.

The Czar has offered to the Czarowitch the co-regency, transferring to him the reins of Government, provided that he will concede to the Princess Dolgorouki the title and rank of a princess of the blood, taking precedence over the Grand Dakes, the Czar retaining his imperial privileges and retiring

The Czir with his family has storted

The East.

LONDON, Oct. 26.

A constantinople despatch reports that three hundred refugees met at Stamboul on Wednesday for the purpose of pillaging the grand bazaar, but one of the refugees divulged the plot to the police, who arrested the whole band. A correspondent at Cattaro has re-

ceived news from Cettinge that the Montenegrins, before occupying Dulcigno desire a guarantee that they will not be attacked by Albanians.

A despatch from Athens says the Government is about to address a note to the Powers, declaring that if the Greek question is not settled in a certain specified time Greece will be compelled to occupy the disputed provinces.

Ejecting the Jesuits.

PARIS Oct. 26.

In the ejectment of the thirteen Jesuits who had re-entered the college at Toulouse as professors, a company of foot and mounted gendarmes surrounded

The Syndicate.

(Special to Star.) OTTAWA Oct. 26.

The Government and Syndicate have been in close conference. Details of the scheme are not yet known, but will be when the House meets. The main points are known, that the road will be built to the base of the Rocky Mountains in 3 years; that when completed it will be worked in perpetuity by the company. Tae lands will be the chief building agent.