ADVENTURE OF A HERD.

This application was also refused when the company discovered who the owner was. Then the two cattle and sheep wer allowed to stray about the streets. Eventually a number of policemen succeeded in gathering them together and drove them into the premises of the Great Southern and Western Railway, whence they were transmitted to cattle at Cork no fodder could be supplied by the local traders. They arrived at Dublin this morning in charge of Mr. Jones' agent, Mr. Brown, who took them to the Glasgow packet line. The cattle were immediately recognized and there was a general commotion among the drovers. Secretary Barry Mann in himselt up to the Mark Authous the course of the day was called upon by several dealers who usually for- Mr. Blakes great points and left not warded cattle by the company's boat. They stated that they would not send over their beasts by that line if Mr. admitted that Immigration to Canada Jones' cattle were allowed on board. within the year had not been so great Mr. Mann at once took a car to the as they had anticipated, but he read city and consulted with some of the from Hans ird one great cause of the directors as to the course to be pur- miscarriage: and that cause was the sued. Meantime the man in charge unwise and impatriotic speech of Mr. of the yard received two threatening Blake in which Kansas was lauded to letters by the midday post. One of the skies, and our own lands set down transaction is a much worse onethese letters warned him that his life as of an inferior quality. But Mr Blake would not be worth a day's purchase was not even content at the mischief speak of issuing a manifesto against if he had anything to do with the he had done, but in his very last this contract. They cry out the cartle. The document was signed by speech he had tried to accomplish "A Molly Magnire," who had follow- still greater mischief. He knew there ed the beasts from Cork. At four is a scheme of Irish immigration on o'clock it was estimated that the foot but he took the pains to say that cattle could not be sent by the Irish peasant would fly from the steamer as there was no room for rod at home to meet the scorpion in them. Other lines also refused on the same ground. The cattle remain immigration agent getting this pasin a Dublin yard under police protection. The Glasgow line's steamer sailed to-night with 168 head of cattle. It can accomodate 350, showing that the company were intimidated.

## The North Star.

CHATHAM, N. B., DECEMBER 22, 1880

THE STAR.

In consequence of Saturday being Christmas day the STAR will be published on Friday evening; and will contain a variety of Christmas reading, editorial and selected.

THE SPIRIT OF LATEST DES-PATCHES.

says the Boers 5,000 strong have captured Hiedelberg, set up a new Republic and made a Paul Kruger president. This is a quarrel of the find space we shall publish Sir Charle-Colonist's own choice and this is why Tuppers reply, which seemed in the Imperial troops have not interfered They will soon interfere now we fancy.

met in Manchester, England, and days more. made demonstrations in favour of Parnell.

Captain Boycott asks for £6,000 nothing.

T. D. Sullivan, M. P., in speaking at Mullingar said their forefathers land, and Irishmen were not now to be frightened by the suspension of the Habeas Corpus Act or the proclamation of martial law.

The troop ship Himataya lands fresh batch of troops in Ireland.

REFLECTIONS ON THE CON TRACT.

From one end of Canada to the other now, the engrossing topic is the contract between the Government and the Syndicate for the contraction of the Canada Pacific Railway; and more than all it is an object of interest and plotting, of hopes and of fears at the Capital of the Dominion. So far the only speeches made upon it are those of Sir Charles Tapper, Mr. Blakes, Hon. H. L. Langevins, and Sir R. Cartwrights. Sir Charles speech was just such a deliverance as might be expected from a great man or a great occasion; -it was one of the greatest speeches ever made in Canada. It would have been more telling still had the opportunities for controversy been open, had there been stated objections to meet, or crystal battlements:"misrepresentations to set aside; as it stood the mere field of explanation and vindication only was open.

Mr. Blakes speech which followed was more remarkable for its polished oratory than for its common sense— oily advice is the man who said, "I'll fund of their new church which is to Turnips...... and was padded out with glowing write a manifesto, we'll sign it with be completed immediately. sentiments which the skilful orator is our party's seal, and it will be invin- The pupils of Mr. Mersereau's de- Mutton, per lb...... sure to seize upon when he has noth- cible through the length and the partment of the Grammar Schools are Lamb (good), per lb...... ing to the purpose at hand. Mr. breadth of this country." But the undergoing their usual bi-monthly Partridge, per pair ........... Blake that night brandished a most spectre of the party, the dread examination. dangerous weapon, a sword, to-wit, phantom of Disagreement, arose, and Everywhere, Dec. 21st.

yard. Two drovers asked i the Clyde that in trying to wound his opponents before it was born. "I cannot sign Shipping Company would take them he inflicted grave injuries on his that, maun," said Mackenzie, "You friends. For the contract he repudi. have made me swallow mony's the ated, and the terms he laughed to scorn, were not worse, but very much better than the terms which his own party-but four short years ago had proposed. If it were bad for Sir drovers refused to have anything John McDonald to give away 25,000,- It is written and what is written remore to do with the beasts, and the | 000 acres to a Syndicate, it was surely worse for Mackenzie to whose party Mr. Blake belonged to offer fifty five million acres. If 25,000.000 acres by enough," said Cartwright, "and we're Sir John make territorial Lords of the Syndicate members, 55,000,000 acres b" Mr. Mackenzie would have made them territorial kings. I. Dublin. During the detention of the any wonder then that in attacking the Government Mr. Blake worked serious mischief to his own party?

To Mr. Blake Hon. H. L. Lange vin teplied, and we recommend the summary of his speech in another column to our readers. Mr. Langevin though one of the most brilliant orators in the Commons, did not work s shred of that gentlemans argument together ere he had concluded. the North West. Imagine a Kansas sage, printing it in pamphlet and putting into the hands of the Irish peasant! Let our readers just fancy its effect on the peasants mind coming from the leader of a great Canadian party! A case of ranker disloyalty to home and country we have never

After Mr. Langevin Sir Richard Cartwright, sneers playing like snakes about his face, stood up. He hardly condescended to deal with the terms of the contract at all, but in a maliinsinuations against the honesty of Sir Charles Tupper and other members of the Government. His speech was the most hateful production ever delivered in the House of Commons, and was more worthy of a reptile than a man. The whole Conservative party hissed him, and the larger part of the Liberals in the House muttered | Nicholas Barden, Chatham "shame." There was not a sentence in his whole sneer commending to the House, not a statement of any value to his party, not a figure or a fact Samuel Thompson, Newcastle, There is a despatch from Capetown worth using for or against him. It was the spiteful personal attack of a disappointed ex-Minister on a man whom he hates and envies. When we nature of a whipping that a man would give to an ungracious hound. The debate will be resumed immedi-On Sunday night 5,000 Irishmen ately, and will likely continue 8 or 10

THE DIVORCED PARTY.

If ever there was a party bankrupt compensation. He will likely get of policy, unity or standing, that party is the Liberals of Canada today. trying to construct a ship in which vices in the culinary art, and the way had faced sword and onliet for Ire- they may again sail to power, but the good things disappeared one would every attempt has proved a signal conclude that those who patronized the failure. We learn it took Noah a hundred years to build his ark-it will take Mr. Blake longer still to build the ship he has begun. As fast as one plank is seized by Blake and Bible 306 years old, an English Bible his worshippers, it is rejected by the 118 years old, 4 lockets 146 years other wing of the party-in Toronto old; a Scotch toddy bowl 125 years, selected the "abolition of the Senate" as a plank, but the other half subse quently rejected it. So that never a the field after the battle of Waterloo, plank has been put on the ship, and there she lies in the same plight as when they began her.

When Sir John brought down the Railway contract Mr. Blake immediately laid hands upon it, whispered in the party's car Eureka! Just what who spared no pains to make the exhibit Pork Hams (covered) per lb..... we want! Upon this we can carry interesting to those who patronized it. Home Made do ..... destruction to our enemies, and float

to victory ourselves. Hurrah! It was next resolved to hold a solemn and Mrs. Dr. Bishop, late of New- Salt Beef, do. ..... council to decide the precise way in castle. which the enemy was to be annihilated. We fancy we hear the leader say at that secret conclave like the leader of another overwhelmed band that had been hurled "sheer o'er the

\* \* "Our better part remains To work in close design by fraud or guile What force effected not; that he no less At length from us may find, who over-

birter pill, but you canno make me swallow th t. Why, mann, I didn't go for granting 25,000.000 acres, but I went for granting 55,000,000. I did not go for granting a small monopoly: I went in for a large one. mains. It is in Hansard, mann. No, no; I canna strangle what I might Notwithstanding the statements in the be calling my own offspring." "Sure all in for it as well as you." Mr Blake the radicals, that is those who secretly adin disgust left the great Grit Pandemorium, went away and wrote and oppose coercion. the pitiful "memoranda by a member of the House of Commons," that now is floating through the Grit press.

A GLANCE AT THE CONTRACT.

We have neither the time nor the space now to enter into the contract do so in another issue. We merely when built, counting the land at \$1 of the feeling of the masses. an acre, will be \$78,000,000—to build the same road Mackenzie offered \$104,000,000 and advertized his terms. If a seventy eight million dollar transaction was a bad one a hundred and four million dollar and yet the Opposition dared Government are bartering away the heritage of the future generations of Canada, and establishing a hateful make the country accursed. this Government offers to settle on these tyrants 25,000,000 acres, Mr. Mackenzie tried to settle on them 55,000,000 acres. For the one Sir Charles would put in bondage Mackenzie would put two-and still his party cries out against this contract. Let the impartial reader ponder well these facts till we have time to tell them something about the contract

### NEW ADVERTISMENTS TO-DAY.

do more than call attention to cious and nasty way began to ffing the list of our advertisements, which appear in this issue.

> A & R Loggie, Black Brook. General Dealers H A Muirhead & Ce, Chatham, Foundry Proprietors

James Clowery, Chatham, General Dry Goods Store. Peter Loggie, Chatham, Mill Proprietor-Shooks supplied Woods & McEwen, Chatham, Dealers in Tinware, &c

Variety Store-Late importations. H & G W Lord. Boston, Net & Twine Dealers, A & R Loggie Agts. John Wiley, Fredericton, Cure for the Epizootic.

County Notice. Marine & Fisheries-advt for Tenders.

### Rambling Notes.

By our own Correspondent.] and evening of the fifteenth inst. endeavour to post him a little before he ladies of the congregation of St. George's Episcopal Church held a Bazaar and Tea in the Masonic Hall which was well patronized by the public generally, the hall being well filled from the time the doors were opened at o'clock p. m. until they were closed at 10 p. m. Tea was served from 6 to 8 o'clock and judging from the well spread They have been busy all the summer tables the ladies of Bathurst are no notables knew how to appreciate their efforts. An interesting feature of the Bazaar was the museum which contained many relics of antiquity. Such as Latin Bible 334 years old, an English The deceased was in her 80th year. one half the body held a cancus and Paris chinaware over 100 years old, a sabre found in the field after the battle of Balaklava, a water bottle found on Flour, best brands Spring Extra. \$ 6 10 Highlanders; a case of stuffed English Oat Meal (Canada)..... 6 00 grouse. a Persian wine cooler, a quilt made of court silk 125 years old, and a Beef, Mess, per bbl...... 14 00 long list of other interesting relics too Prime Mess, do. ................ 12 00 numerous to mention. This department Pork, Mess, do. ..... 20 00 was ably presided over by Mr.W. Smith, Prime Mess, do. ...... 17 00 The Toy table was presided over by Fresh Pork.....

W. O'Brien, Esq., of H. M. Customs Salt Pork, per lb .....

Fancy Table, Mrs. Street and Miss Butter (in roll), do. .....

Mrs. A. Sutherland was active with a Lobster do. ..... 'grab bag'' but not I believe with the Oysters do. ..... approval of the esteemed Rector Mr. Oysters (Harrington's best) p. bbl as I learn not strongly approve that kind Mackerel (fresh) per doz ....... of thing. Among those present I noticed Mackerel (salt)..... Mr. and Mrs. Harris of your town. Codfish (dried), per lb .... By force hath overcome but half his foe." The proceeds which amounted to nearly Potatoes, per bbl..... The man who gave this wise if \$300 are to go towards the building Carrots, per bush.....

RAMBLER.

Brant.

### ELECTRIC SPARKS.

IRELAND'S CONDITION

The late reports now say the Queen no longer has any control in Ireland, that the sovereignty is vested in the Land League. being afraid of their lives to do so. But it seems a great puzzle to England what to do with the Land League. Everything the League counsels is lawful, and it punishes those firebrands who resort to violence. papers it is not likely the Habeas Corpus Act will be suspended at present. It is said mirs this struggle, hold the trump cards

Gladstone rendered Boycott no sympathy when the latter asked for recompense for damages by the tenants.

THE PLAME IN ENGLAND

The feeling against landholders in Ireland has spread to England. Already numerous committees are quietly being formed in the on its own merits, though we shall English Counties somewhat on the basis of the Land League, and a demand is springing wish here to point out what the up on all sides for lower rents and right of present contract is by comparison purchase after certain eccupancy. The land with others and to show that if this revolution begins in England at a moment pitch, but he very quietly punctured contract is bad, that proposed by of its greatest success in Ireland. The Mackenzie was worse, and that who- working classes are favorable to it, and this ever else in Canada might criticize week every mention of Gladstone's name at the contract, the present Opposition public meeting has been received with treought not. The cost of the road mendous cheers, an unmistakable indication

> Iin the coming struggle of the gentry against the people, the former cannot even count on the tradesmen, for these last, once their warmest allies, are now bitterly exas. perated against them, owing to the establishment of Co-operative stores, which have so cut into the business and profits of the British shopkeepers. Altogether, the situ ation is extremely menacing for the property interests, and English land seems to became the least safe -- hitherto it has been the most coveted - of all investments.

It is said Earl Dufferin is likely to succeed power in our North West that will Lord Ripon as Viceroy of India. Lord Well Ripon has jungle fever and will have to

> Land League meetings are prohibited in Queens County.

> Judge May will be allowed to preside at the trials of the Land Leaguers.

## Communications.

Borrowed Feathers.

To the Editor of the STAR.

DEAR SIR. - Having noticed a piece in the Tabusintac notes respecting Sewing Machine Agent in the vicinity of We have not space to-day to Portage River, and having reason to believe that I know the party referred to, I can say that he is a gentleman thoroughly capable of transacting his business without the interference of the Tabusintac correspondent. I may also add that the Portage River brant, does not require to borrow feathers from the Tabusintac correspondent to attend Hoping the weddings. usintac corresponden will profit by this gentle hint, and thanking you kindly for the space in your valuable paper.

I remain yours respectfully, A FRIEND.

### Newcastle Local News.

POLICE MATTERS. -I trust Councillor Brown will give this branch of his public duties considerable attention at the next meeting of Council. There are several matters in this department which BATHURST. -- On the afternoon would be the better of it and I shall commences.

> THE JUDGSHIP .- And now it is said the labors of the would be Judges and their respective friends will go for naught as the present incumbent means to retain the position a while longer.

### DIED.

On Tuesday the 21st instant John Thomas only son of James F. and

At the residence of F. H. Jardine, Derby, on the 1st inst, Mrs Glorpah Jardine, wife of the late Col. Jardine.

### Chatham Markets

CORRECTED AND REVISED FOR THE STAR, Higher Brands . . \$6 50 to 8 59 (home made)..... 12 10 Butter (firkin), per lb..... Eggs, per doz..... Refreshment Table, Mr. John Miller, Cabbage, per doz..... Salmon (in case)..... does From other sources..... 25 04 Fresh Beef, per lb..... 20

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Dec22wkly4m. Parish Returns and County Accounts.

All Parish Officers who have not yet made their returns and all persons having claims again st the County are hereby required to render the same to my office forthwith. Dated at Newcastle, December 21st, 1780.

SAMUEL THOMSON. SEC .- TREASURER. co. northumberland.



TENDERS, addressed to the undersigned and endorsed "Tender for Coquesuedie Lighthouse," will be received at Ottawa, up to 7th January, 1881, for the construction of a wooden Light House Tower on the North East po nt of Poquesuedie Island, Baie des Chaleurs, Gloucester County, N B.

Plans and specifications can be seen, and forms of tender procured by intending contractors, at this department here, at the office of the Inspector of Lights, Newcastle, N B. and at the office of the Collector of Customs, Caraquette.

This department does not?bind itself to accept the lowest or any tender.

WM SMITH, Depy Min. Marine & Fisheries. Department Marine, &c., Ottawa, Dec 7, 1880 dec22 li