

Local and Other Items.

HALLOWEEN—TO-MORROW. LECTURE.—Go to the lecture in St. James' Hall to-night. CROWDED OUT.—"Gleanings from my Com- mon-Place Books." POLICE COURT.—Three Scott Act cases ad- judged till Friday next. CALEDONIAN CLUB.—Regular meeting at 8 o'clock this evening. Business—Election of officers.—J. M. Campbell, Secretary. KILLED.—An I. C. R. brakeman named Dixon was crushed to death between cars at Elmsdale, near Truro, on Saturday night. SCOTT ACT.—Four new summonses were served last evening. Three are for first offences and one third. All are returnable on Friday. TO-NIGHT.—Don't forget Rev. Mr. Gordon's lecture on "Rambles in the Northwest," in St. James' Hall, to-night. The lecture will be very interesting. FUNERAL NOTICE.—The funeral of the late Dr. Hobkirk will leave the house, Rockford Square, to-morrow (Wednesday) afternoon, at 2 o'clock; thence to St. Paul's church, and by rail to Sherwood Cemetery. DEAFNESS CURED.—A very interesting 132 page illustrated book on deafness. Noise in the head. How they may be cured at your home. Post free 3d.—Address Dr. NICHOLSON, St. John Street, Montreal. dw tf

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TELEGRAPHIC NEWS.

That Private Letter.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 25. The British Minister called on Secretary Bayard this morning to express his profound regret that his letter to the alleged Murkison had been made public. He was able to make no explanation of it, except that it was written privately and in his private capacity in response to what he believed to be a genuine appeal for advice which he thought he had a right to give. So far the administration has taken no formal step toward asking his recall. It is disposed to ignore the incident as one carefully arranged for temporary political effect by the Republican managers, which will, however, deceive no one else beside the British minister. It may, however, end in the latter's recall. He is in a great state of mind for fear of this. He sees now that he made a great blunder in writing confidentially to a man he had never heard of before. He sees, too, that he has been taken in by the Republican managers for campaign effect.

LOUISVILLE, Ky., Oct. 28. The Courier-Journal's Omaha correspondent telegraphs that Patrick Egan, ex-President of the Irish National League, is the author of the Murkison letter to Minister West. The scheme was arranged last August, but was prematurely sprung, the original intention being to make it public next Wednesday.

The Slave Trade.

BERLIN, Oct. 27. The North German Gazette commenting upon the Pope's letter to Cardinal Lavigne, on the slave trade, says that the Pope's action (in giving \$50,000 to the fund) is most generous and is dictated by sublime Christian charity. The Gazette trusts that the Pope's course will find a lively echo and energetic imitation in other hearts.

A Crisis.

WINNIPEG, Oct. 27. A crisis has been created by the refusal of Governor Schultz to summon a special session of the Manitoba Legislature, thereby for the present effectually blocking Greenway's game in re railway crossing embroglio. The provincial minister threaten to resign. All is quite at the crossing.

Declaration of Independence.

LONDON, Oct. 27. The Standard says reports from Corea indicate that a declaration of independence of that country may shortly be expected. Russian and American representatives support the king and the movements of American and Russian men-of-war lend credibility to the rumor.

War of Rates.

HALIFAX, Oct. 28. There is a war of rates between Halifax and Boston, the first result of placing the new steamer Halifax on the route. The old company have reduced their fare to Boston from \$7 to \$3, and it is said they are prepared to come down to one dollar.

A New Judge.

OTTAWA, Oct. 27. Judge Patterson of the Supreme Court of the Jurisdiction of Ontario has been appointed a judge of the Supreme Court of Canada, vice Henry, deceased.

Repeal of the Scott Act.

SARNIA, Ont., Oct. 27. Petitions for the repeal of the Scott Act in Lambton County are in circulation.

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CARVELL BROTHERS, Agents, Charlottetown. R. B. GARDNER, Manager, 34 Atlantic Street, Boston. Ch'town, Oct. 11, 1888—dy & wky

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OSBORNE HOUSE. Oct 29—D J Macdonald, Toronto; G A Chappell, Cape Traverse; D Pieno, Rustico; E H Morton, Montreal; F Gallant, Tignish; B Stewart, Cardigan; Miss Stewart, do; P O Murphy, P. E. I.; J S Perry, Tignish; D Ready, do; D McCallum, Pownal; 30—D C Morson, Cardigan; May Paige, Boston; Miss Docherty, Cardigan; J M Docherty, do; P H Palmer, Victoria; Rev C S Lord, Tigon. HOTEL DAVIES. Oct 29—T A COSMAN and wife, P J Quinn, St John; W J Kinnear, Halifax; R Hunt, O R Crabbe, S S S; E J LeDain, Montreal. Weather Bulletin. TORONTO, Oct. 30.—10 a. m. Depressing west winds; fair weather; not much change in temperature.