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hip Marbor, Straft of Canso. INSTITUTE OF NATURAL SCIENCE - The Conversazione in the Hall of the Horticul ural Society's Gardens on Thursday evening last was a very pleasant affair. About 200 ladies and gentlemen were present and participated in the feast.

J. M. Jones, Esq., President of the Society, gave an aloquent address and an animated description of the butterflies and moths of Nova

Dr. Gilpin treated the audience to an account of the batits and natural history of the herring. and the process of smoking is. His remarks were illustrated by some good diagrams.

Mr. W. Gossip read a well prepared paper on the Geology of the Halitax Peninsula. During the recess, ices, strawberries and cream, &c., were politely handed to the com-

pany by the members of the Institute, and the whole joined in a nimated conversation. Dr. Lawson then gave an address on Botany and Mr. A. Downs read a letter from the late

Mr. Waterton, the celebrated naturalist. The tables were filled with rare specimens of natural history, from stuffed birds to a live mouse, gold bearing quartz, &c. Mr. J. R. Willis' fine collection of shells was not surpassed by any of the rare objects covering the tables.

KINGS COLLEGE.—At the recent Encania of Kings College a large assemblage of persons were in attendance. Ben. Curren, Esq., was unanimously elected President of the Associate Alumni.

P. C. Hill, Esq, introduced a resolution recommending that £500 per annum be raised to meet the current expenses of the College.

The degree of D. C. L. was conferred on Sir Richard Graves McDonnell; D. D. on the Rev. Dean Bullock; and D. C. L. on T. B. Akins, E.q. Frederick Allison and Rev. T. Crisp took their M. A. degree.

B. A. was conferred on Messrs. Fairbanks, F. Harding, Rev. A. Brown, T. M. King, J. B. Richardson, C. Croncher, F. Kinnear, and W. H. Tilley.

Brief addresses were made by the Lieutenant Governor, General Dovle, Dean Bullock, and the Bishop.

We are informed that the show of Roses is to be held at the Horticultural Society's Gardens on Tuesday next the 18th Inst.

The French Frigate Bellone has been lying in our harbor for several days, complimentary visits have been paid to her by our military and naval commanders.

The Marquis of Drogheda is on a visit to Major General Doyle.

A rumor prevails that General Doyle will shortly leave Halifax for New Brunswick to undertake the Lieutenant Governorship of that province.

COLT WITH THREE-LEGS.—There is on exhibition on the way from Cumber land County to Halifax, a curious specimen of a horse having but three legs, two behind and one before. I was foaled in New Brunswick near Shediac. At first it was unable to stand but can now walk run and jump and even kick without difficulty. On our way home from Amherst last week we saw the carriage in which it was being carried.

We understand that the Arichat Telegraph Line was maliciously broken on the 25th ultimo, and sixty feet of wire stolen therefrom .- Sun.

The Light House on the east cost of Cape Breton, was lighted on the 26th of June, and is now in full operation.

GOLD .- The German Gold Mining Company sent another brick of gold to town last week weighing eighty one pounds, worth about twen ty-thousand dollars, the proceeds of sixteen days work.

SHELBURNE - The Yarmouth Tribune notices the progress being made in this county especially at Jordan River and Locke's Island. Great activity is reported in shipbuilding and the preparation of lumber.

The American schr Balloon, of Frankfort, Me, struck on Owl's Head, one of the Tusket Islands, on Thursday last, and became a total wreck. Her cargo was saved in a damaged state .- Yarmouth Tribune.

On Friday night, 30th ult, the dwelling house of Mrs. Powers at Milton, Queen's Co., was totally destroyed by fire.

A man named LeBlanc, residing in Clare, County of Digby, committed suicide by hanging, on the 29th ult.

CITY EXPENDITURE.—The salary of the Deputy Marshal has been increased from \$500 to 560, and that of the Keeper and Matron of City Prison have been fixed at \$560, and \$200 respectively.

The City Council intends to be fairly reported after this, some \$300 having been voted for the reporting and publishing the debates .--Uniquist, of or as new general to course with

The Church Bazaar at Waverly last week realized the sum of \$620.

We did not believe in "cure-alls" until we tried AYER's inimitable PILLS, and now we think the whole secret lies in the fact, that

BAZAAR -The Ladies of the North Baptist Sewing Circle held a bazaar at Masonic Hall on Thursday last. There was a good display of useful and fancy articles, abundance of strawberries and cream and a military band. The attendance was large, and the returns we presume considerable

PHLANTHROPIC -A very praiseworthy movement we are informed is on foot in Halifax, for supplying provisions to the destitute inhabitants of the city of Charleston, South Carolina. Some of the those merchants who have been reaping a harvest from trade with the South will doubtless be large contributors. A vessel chartered with provisions sent to the suffering people of that devoted city would be an act of philanthropy worthy of our citizens.

THE EXCURSON Trips, of one the Dartmouth Steamers, to Bedford and Sackville began on Monday last. A fine opportunity is thus afford- ans. ed for healthful rural enjoyment.

We learn from the Recorder that "Three deaf-mutes, all adults, were baptised at the "Tabernacle" on Friday evening last. The ceremony was very solemn and impressive."

On Sunday afternoon the Rev. Dr. McCawley, President of King's College, was ordained at St. Luke's, Archdeacon of the Diocese.

OUR DRAF MUTES were subjected to an examination on Monday evening last, at Temperance Hall. The occasion was one of interest to paired to the arsenal at noon to-day and deliva number of our benevolent citizens. John Naylor, Esq., presided. The exercises shewed Mrs. Surratt, and Atzerott, to Major Gen. Har:plainly that their minds had been reached, and suff, who is in charge of the prisoners, when that their intellect and heart had been well cul- they together visited the condemned to inform tivated, notwithstanding that one of the most them of the sentences pronounced, and the time important inlets is closed.

Political Quarrels.—A law-suit has been commenced by Mr. W. Garvie, junior editor of the Citizen, against the proprietor of the Unionist. The letter from Peter Lynch, Esq., to the latter gentleman and his reply, are published in the Unionist of Thursday last. We have heard that another law suit for defamation, has also been commenced. They will probably cause a little excitement if pursued.

### Prince Edward Island.

THE PILLORY as a mode of punishing criminals, still exists in P. E. I. Last week Charles Adams was sentenced for an assault on a girl, to two years imprisonment with hard labor, and to stand in the pillory for one hour on the 15th of their guilt in the assassination plot.

### New Brunswick.

ACCIDENTS .- The St. John papers gives accounts of the death of one man and the serious injury of two men, occasioned by firing cannon on the 4th of July.

THE CROPS IN NEW BRUNSWICK.-From all parts of the Province comes the most favorable accounts of the prospects of the coming harvest. Hay is better than it has ever been before, oats and wheat excellent, and rotatoes, notwithstanding their unfavorable appearance early in the season, are coming on finely, and promise to be more than an average crop. In view of depressed trade and dull times our people should rejoice at the prospect of a bountiful and abundant harvest .- St. John News.

A bear weighing about 200 lbs. was shot one day last week at Spurr's cove, near the city of St. John, N. B.

WESTERN EXTENSION OF THE NAW BRUNS-WICK RAILWAY .- The " Maine " and " Maine Central " Companies have ratified the arrangements for the construction of Western Extension made by Mr. Poor on their behalf, and have sanctioned the appointment of E. R. Burpee, Esq., as Chief Engineer, and deputed bim to arrange for the completion of the survey between Bangor and the boundary.

The fire in the Albert coal mines, N. B., has been extinguished.

A correspondent of the St. Andrew's (N. B.) Standard writing from St. George's, Charlotte the books of the rebel Treasury Department. County, in that Province, says that on the night of the 25th ult., Mrs. Thorpe, wife of Mr. Henry Jeff. Davis will be tried by a military commis-Thorpe, residing at Pennfield, while sleeping in sion on the charge of complicity in the assassibed with her husband and two children, was killed by lightning. Her husband was also struck, and was unconscious. On awakening to with the Federal Gen. Brown, had informed reason he heard his wife articulate six or seven unintalligible words and then expire. The Government of Maximilian. children were not injured.

A young man named James McNally, of Jacksontown, was killed by a kick from a horse, at Woodstook, on the 21st ult.

The water is so low on the upper Saint John, above Woodstock, that the steamers to Tobique have been compelled to stop running.

### Canada.

QUEBEC is to be improved by the late fire, Champlain Street is to be made 32 feet in width, at a cost of \$50.000.

A steerage passenger jumped from on board the Lady Head, just before the arrival of the steamer at Paspebiac. He was supposed to be an Irishman, engaged for the Pictou railway, but was not again seen.

The emigration from Lower Canada to the United States is greater than ever. In the Eastern Townships whole districts are almost depopulated. The local taxation is very high, some purgatives are the natural remedy for disease, and Dr. Ayer has made the best of purgatives.

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### LATEST FROM THE STATES.

[From Telegrams to Associated Press.

WEDNESDAY, July 5.- The loss of property by the recent tornado in Northern Iowa, and Wisconsin, is estimated at \$20,000, besides seven teen persons killed.

Evening.-The last of the rebel prisoners at Point Look Out was set at liberty on Friday S adtito stocial

THURSDAY, July 6 .- General Grant authorizes the statement that all the white volunteer troops of the army will be mustered out of service at the earliest possible day.

The number of applicants to the President for pardon average between two and three bundred a day. Papers were issued yesterday granting pardon to 180, mostly North Carolini-

Evening - In accordance with the findings and sentences of the military commission which President Johnson approved yesterday-David E. Harold, Lewis Payne, Mrs. Mary E. Surratt, and Geo. A. Atzerott are to be hung to-morrow by the proper military authorities. Dr. Mudd, Sam. Arnold, and O Laughlin are to be imprisoned for life. Spangler it sentenced to six year's imprisonment at hard labour in the peuitentiary at Albany.

FRIDAY, July 7 .- Major Gen. Hancock reered the death warrants of Payne, Harrold, fixed for their execution.

Evening.—Efforts were made this forenoon to obtain a reprieve for Mrs. Sarratt but were unsuccessful, and the condemned Mrs. Surratt, Harold, Payne, and Azerott were brought out to the scaffold about half-past one o'clock accompanied by an officer and soldiers, Mrs. Surrait was next to the penitentiary, then came Payne, Harold and Atzerott. A clergyman attended each one on the scaffold. The execution took place at 1.40 P. M. All were hung in manacles save Mrs. Surratt. The bodies hung until two o'clock. When they were cut down life was found to be extinct by the army

SATURDAY, July 8.—All the conspirators Has resumed the practice of his profession in except Mrs. Surratt before being hung confessed

The Dept. of State has been officially informed that the Spanish Government proposes issuing orders to the Captain General of Cuba to deliver to the United States Government the rebel ram Stonewall now at Havana.

Mexican advices state that Maximilian will soon issue a decree ceding the States of Sinalos Durangee and Sonora to France as security for the War debt due to France.

Evening.—The force to be concentrated in Texas, including cavarly Infantry and Artillery will amount to nearly ninety thousand men.

Mexico.—The Herald's Vera Cruz corres pondence says Maximilian is still on his tour meeting with cordial receptions.

Guerillas are very active and give plenty of employment to the Imperial troops. Over one thousand French troops had ar-

rived at Vera Cruz and were sent to the Interior. Monday July 10 .- Atzerott has made lengthy confession, developing a conspiracy to premium. abduct and murder President Lincoln.

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Jefferson Davis. It is believed he will be tried
before a military commission, as a leader or the
instigator of the conspiracy of which Booth was
integrity—thus obviating the necessity of being unthe leading agent. Should, however his trial be der compliment to a bondsman. When a Life Asfor treason, it will take place before the civil

Evening.-The Times' despatch says Major boxes of captured rebel archives, containing a ford Row. complete record of the proceedings of the rebel Provisional Congress at Montgomery. Also the entire official history of the rebel army of Tennessee under Bragg, Johnson and Hood; also

There is good reason to believe the report that nation of President Lincoln.

The Mexican Gen. Cortinas, in an interview him he intended to give up opposition to the Gold 1391.

## LATEST FROM EUROPE.

### FRANCE.

The Emperor has inaugueated a liberal policy towards the native population of Algeria. They are all, Jews and Turks, to be henceforth French Citizens.

It is stated in the Nord that the recent interview between the Emperor of the French and Prince Napoleon passed off in a most satisfactory manner; nevertheless the political position of the Prince is thought to be unchanged, and it is alleged that his Imperial Highness is about to retire for a lengthened period from active political life and to take up his residence on his private property near the Lake of Geneva.

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Another ministerial crisis has taken place in Spain, which has resulted in the resignation of

ministration The government, he said, had decided upon recognising the Kingdom of Italy. He announced a general amnesty for offences against the Press law, and stated that the Ministry would shortly bring forward an electoral law diminishing the qualification for the suffrage, and establishing elections by provinces according to law of 1837, and also a new and very liberal press law. ado has tu bomai dain glao tea side hallen.

The difficulties which have arisen in the negociations between the Italian Government and the Pope have not been overcome. The Florence papers express the opinion that the negociations will remain without any result. The French Embassy has demanded that the Pontifical soldiers be commanded by General Montebello. This has been refused by the Pope.

### AUSTRIA.

The Austrian House of Commons has taken a decided step with the government. The House on Wednesday voted the interest due on the public debt in July, but the members resolved to vote no more money until the budgets of 1865 and 1866 have been passed according to the constitution.

A great ocean yacht race is soon to taken place off the coast of Europe. The race will be from Plymouth to Gibraltar, and will be open o vessels of all Royal yacht clubs-sweepstakes one hundred guineas each. The time for the race is not yet definitely fixed.

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