The Legislative Assembly of Newfoundland has passed a series of resolutions offering facilities for the construction of a railway across the island from St. John's to St. George's Bay, or some other convenient point on the west coast. A preliminary survey has been made for the purpose of ascertaining the it has been proved that no serious physical obstacles exist to prevent its completion at a undertaking. In the first place the wealth of to trade, and the internal resources of Neware known to be far greater than have generally been recognized. Enormous deposits of copper, iron, coal, nickle, lead, useless. Vast tracts of rich arable land. capable of producing wheat of the finest quality in abundance, are awaiting the plough of civilization; while the climate in the absence of the early and late frosts of many parts of Canada and the locust plagues of the United States, places the country in advance of the adjoining continent in this respect. On The formation of a railway from St. John's to the west coast, with a corresponding service of steamers connecting the island with 000 miles nearer to Europe than New York, of the above considerations, the in their own hands, instead of, as at present through New York, thus binding more closely than ever the ties of friendship and mutual interest which at present exists bebetter than turn their, attention to this important work for the completion of which the Newfoundland Government has offered such liberal terms.-London Times, Aug. 12th.

A HORRIBLE TRAGEDY.

torches more than human beings. They diately attended to by those on the spot, who rolled them in blankets and crossed paths and struck hands here in managed at last to put out the fire. One man, named Moreau, of herculean strength mass of fire, suddenly seized hold of his left hand, which was causing him intense agony and pulled it right off. This man was a stone cutter, and previous to losing his hand he had thrown himself backward and his head almost presence of mind, and fell to the ground. breaking her leg in the fall. That catastrophe enormous jar of petroleum, and were instantly enveloped in flames. The names of those vears of age, druggist, and master of the house; Govaats, aged thirty-five years, father

spite of the wise and strong hand of the troop came out against him. It was not great chancellor. One of them is Socialism. composed, however, of soldiers, but of Chris-In the new Parliament eight Socialists have tian priests. This "great company of hand, and of Prince Bismarck on the other- the heaven-appointed ruler. John Kasa, hesitate in the choice of a policy. They are strange to say, actually complied. He made interested quite as much in the negotiations an act of penitence for the crime he had ed at the coalition between Prince Bismarck one of the principal governors of King Meniand the Ultramontanes-by which he hopes lik's dominions. In the presence of members to put down the Socialists—and they regard of an assembly of the citizens he laid down devised a number of financial schemes which and bestowed upon him a high dignity. The prohibitory duties. On the whole, it may be -London Jewish World. considered that German affairs are in a state of muddle, and it will tax the powers of the astute Prince to make them clear again.

ren of George Lynch, the oldest aged 17 is allowed a stripe for every year he has lived years, living in Herckley, Texas, were mur- in this wretched world. Here is the "grist dered on Friday midnight by an unknown of one day's (Sept. 10) work at the Norfolk, party. Lynch, the father, was awakened by Va., "mill":-Henry Jones, colored, roba pistol ball striking him in the breast. He bing-39 stripes; Henry Talbot, colored stealsprang up and saw a masked man standing ing-20 stripes and 6 months with the chain in the middle of the room. Another shot gang. Mully McCoy, colored, stealing-39 was fired and Lynch fell unconcious. When stripes. Remus Williams, colored, stealinghe recovered he found himself in a lane out- 39 stripes. Bonny Williams, colored, stealside the premises. The assassin, thinking ing—39 stripes. Johnny Stevens, colored, Lynch dead, seized a hatchet and put the stealing—39 stripes. Bill Smith, colored, witnesses out of the way, and then set fire stealing-39 stripes. to the house. The distracted father saw his house burn and fall in on the bodies of his children. Lynch, it is thought, will recover.
Suspicion rests upon a young man named
Boatware, with whom Lynch had a diffiadding that, dreadful to relate, "their lordculty.—Ex.

English officer sent on a special mission by we are told, is in the habit of smoking his the War Office, included in his accounts an | hookah on the roof of his house (the roofs of item for one shilling for "porter" The War Office sent him a formidable letter by War Office sent him a formida return of post to inform him that the Gov- is of German extraction and the Germans. ernment did not pay for his beer. He ex- as we all know, are much addicted to their plained that the shilling was for the man pipes as the Americans themselves. who carried his luggage, and then received another note advising him that he should have charged for "porterage." When he next made up his accounts the official charged and a decrease in oats. The acreage of sufficient to show that a revolution has taken ings were carried out. 1 shilling and 6 pence for "cabbage," con- wheat has increased 50,000. Estimating place, that the McKenzie administration must sidering that that was the proper way to set down a charge for cab hire, but he promptly of wheat in the United Kingdom is 3,400,000. received another wigging for making un- The new crop is fully up to the average, and authorized investments in vegetables.

According to the Toronto Mail, the Governor of Quebec is about abandoning Government House. It seems that the estimates fail to make provision for the needed ex- and lambs 263,000.—Ex. penses of Government House. The Governor has therefore given notice to the servants employed about the establishment that their

METHODIST CONFERENCE

ance of the Methodist Conference that has

Methodist preacher, and are altogether inburg, are at once noticeable: as also the burly majesty of the old Montreal favorite, Dr. Potts: who, speaking but sparingly, yet comes down now and and again with sledgewho has played so many parts during his long and active life, gives sign that he can play a good part still. He has a pretty hand for the broadsword, in spite of his great age; and in his address, slashed away famously at forceful speaker and business man: perhaps just a little too originating for the function he has to perform. Dr. Carroll, from the Toronto Conference, is very notice- to 4. But among the twelve there are two Russian port :able in the meeting: his thin eager face and tributing heavy gas upon the fiery crowd in and the County of York. The ballots cast front of him. For it must be confessed that did not count up half the number of the the conference was somewhat noisy and excited in its earlier sessions: and it is not pleasant to have to listen to more than five

own neighbourhood. But the "Doctors' are all distinguished men certainly : and it is heavy penalties, teaming and treating. It is one of the efforts of this advancing age upon a mighty mean law, some of the country Methodism that it is becoming extensively itle several times provoked an audible smile. Two names must, however, be mentioned, tance, from the polling place, and to give General Mesentzoff and the police agent at A horrible tragedy, by which six persons themselves: the one by his intellectual at- led miles to do him a favor. In the city lost their lives and suffered the most ex- tainments and Christain culture, the other by cruciating torture, recently occurred at the fervour of his devotion to his work, and Scharbeck, near Brussels. It appears that the amount and quality of what he has ac- voters a feeling of indifference regarding the party is a very powerful one. Each governsoon after midnight the inhabitants at the complished. Dr. Coley's broad-beaming in-election, and some may have thought that ment has a principal committee and subtop of Josephat street were awakened by a nocent-looking face scarcely gives promise of "what was worth having was worth asking tremendous noise like the firing of cannon. the great mental power stored behind it. Immediately flames were seen issuing from a Yet with all the winning modesty of his adhouse inhabited by a druggist and his wife dres one soon observes the quiet dignity of trouble of voting, because they were not solinamed Molke-Denis. While the police and conscious strength. Mr. Taylor's name sug-cited to do so by friends of the candidates the excited populace were endeavoring to gests the enquiry as to his possible relationlames and to remove the inflam- ship to "Father Taylor" of Boston: for mable materials, another report, louder than there is a great deal in common in the quaint heard, and six persons who rough earnestness of their language and interior of the house rushed into style; as well as in the self-abnegation and other Counties of the Province, where the Petersburg. At Odessa alone there are uttering fearful cries. They were consecrated effort of their lives. The Con- contests were keen and doubtful, and the flames, and resembled living ference has honored itself in the honor it has latter feeling was languid in contrast with accorded these two visiting brethren, who, from the far-east and the far-west have

SCENDANT.

THE QUEEN OF SHEBA'S DE-Al Dschawaib, a journal printed in Constantinople in the Arabic language, reports The wife of Molke was being an unexpected politico-religious revolution assisted out of the window when she lost her and change of dynasty, the scene of which is Western Union Office, the crowd was not burg. and the death of King Theodore, the throne was made still more serious by the efforts of passed to the Emir Kasa, who was crowned under the name of King John. At the same woman who was uttering the most frantic Abyssinia, namely King Menilek II., who asserts that he is the descendant and heir of that biblical Queen of Sheba who visited King Solomon. He issued a protest againsr King monarch, and the latter a revolutionary of four children; Moreau, forty, father of two Jeroboam. King John was indignant at the children; Auguste Verhoeven, seventeen theoretic attack launched against him by druggist's apprentice. Two others King Menelik and determined to reply by excruciating tortures, as when the flames at the head of 150,000 troops and declared his intention of annexing the territory held were put out they were only one living sore. by the heir of the Queen of Sheba. When he had arrived before Ankobar, the capital

proposals the Conservative commit mortal sin, and would, consequently, ready to accept-but the Pro- find the gates of Paradise closed against him disfavour the Prince's effort to the insigna of royalty, handed his crown to larm. To keep Germany in of the heir of the Queen of Sheba. King eadiness for war, Bismarck has Menelik, embraced him with fatherly warmth

The Whipping Post is still in use as a cor-A MOST HORRIBLE CRIME. - Eight child- reward at the post, and usually each culprit

A LITLLE MISUNDERSTANDING.—An expense of Bishop Gobat (Jerusalem) who

The agricultural returns of Great Britain show a small increase in wheat and barley. better than for some years. It will yield 11,-500,000 quarters, leaving 13,000,000 to be drawn from abroad. The French wheat crop is believed to be below the average. The potato crop will be about the same as last

Snow fell to the depth of two inches in Chevenne, Wyoming Territory, on Sunday, services must be dispensed with. It is not This is the first snow-fall of the season, and stated whether he has yet actually left is noteworthy for having come a full month that their "free trade" policy was ruining the with a moderate import for the remainder of having come a full month that their "free trade" policy was ruining the with a moderate import for the remainder of having come a full month that their "free trade" policy was ruining the with a moderate import for the remainder of having come a full month that their "free trade" policy was ruining the with a moderate import for the remainder of having come a full month that their "free trade" policy was ruining the with a moderate import for the remainder of having come a full month that their "free trade" policy was ruining the with a moderate import for the remainder of having come a full month that their "free trade" policy was ruining the with a moderate import for the remainder of having come a full month that their "free trade" policy was ruining the with a moderate import for the remainder of having come a full month that their "free trade" policy was ruining the with a moderate import for the remainder of having come a full month that their "free trade" policy was ruining the with a moderate import for the remainder of having come a full month that their "free trade" policy was ruining the with a moderate import for the remainder of having come a full month that their "free trade" policy was ruining the with a moderate import for the remainder of having come a full month that their "free trade" policy was ruining the with a moderate import for the remainder of having come a full month that their "free trade" policy was ruining the with a moderate import for the remainder of having come a full month that their "free trade" policy was ruining the with a moderate import for the remainder of having come a full month that their "free trade" policy was ruining the with a moderate import for the remainder of having come a full month that their "free trade" policy was ruining the with a moderate import for the ruining the with the ruining earlier than usual. Wyoming territory lies in north latitude 41° to 35°, and from 104° One of the most daring feats ever achieved to 111° west longitude. The Rocky Mounby a swimmer was performed at Tonbridge, tains trend through it from southeast to England, by Professor Henry Hoare, who northwest, while the Elk, Sweet Water, for the sake of change, a prejudice against St John spruce deals sold at £6 15s., and other ports at from £6 2s. 6d to £6 7s. 6d.

— Trade Circular, Sept. 2. succeeded in swimming a distance of two Medicine Bow, Black Hills and a part of the "the working man" leader, or restless dis-

this country, it still retains its popularity in It is held with open doors, so that there framed as not to make its operation towards are no secrets: except such laundry work as bicycle riders oppressive, and to get the chosen with a view of privacy; for it is ex- sented by the Conventry Machinists Company tremely difficult to hear five following words alone, making five bicycles a week; now there from the majority of the speakers. It is were fourteen makers in Coventry, and some true that the hard rasping tones of Dr. Doug- 120 scattered throughout different towns. las, the Chairman, can be heard distinctly all | The present weekly wages paid to makers of bicycles in Coventry ranged from £1,500 of some other speakers; but very many do £2.000. The amount of capital invested in plant and machinery might be estimated at about a million sterling, and the value of only are prominent. The fine head and were upwards of 10,000 bicycles, and in the had been proven.

The Agriculturist.

RESULT OF THE ELECTIONS.

FREDERICTON, N. B., SEPTEMBER 21, 1878

Pickard was returned by a large majority over Mr. Fisher 1490 votes against 834 and

Girouard of Kent, upon whom it is not saf

It was a very quiet election in Fredericton, It is difficult to name all the distinguished forward to cross the ballot papers was, it end a team for a voter who lives at a disfor," and declined to put themselves to the The interest shown on Tuesday evening, in the election in York was weak, compared the excitement aroused as the news, came head over heels, from Nova Scotia. Ontario. and Quebec, and P. E. Island of the surprising turn against the government, that the elections had there taken. The telegraph

laid in Abyssinia. After the English victory only large, but it was demonstrative, but all in good humor. Early in the evening the news that Mr. Tilley had gained the city by in the beginning of this week the following time, however, there existed another ruler of four votes only, as first reported, was a great despatch from St. Petersburg :surprise, and raised the impression that the opposition generally was in bad case, which has produced an almost crushing impression who succumed are Emil Molke, seventy-five the claims and title assumed by King John grams came in telling more and more against been deceived by her friends, and that she Kasa, declared himself to be the legitimate the government. The success of Sir Albert has foolishly helped her enemies with her Smith over his opponent Mr. Chapman in victories. What is the reason of our failure? Westmorland was received with great satis- One-half percent of our population have faction though adverse comments might be were fatally burned. All suffered the most carnal arguments. He advanced upon Shoa heard. The defeat of Peter Mitchell by question is not solved, and the treaty of Snowball, in Northumberland, was greeted Berlin is merely a truce. The last war has as a triumph for the Government, but there clearly shown all our national peculiarities, were some who must have felt regret that All the military requirements which depend- the performances which included quartettes seems drifting into difficulties in and residence of King Menelik, an enormous an able man, who had represented the county ed on the inbred qualities of the Russian for many years both in the independent soldier were brilliantly carried out, but where Legislature of New Brunswick and in the knowledge and preparation were demanded seats, which is proof that this enemy to civil preachers" hurled the most terrible reproaches Dominion Parliament, had been finally driven life is gaining strength. The Government at King John and assured him that if he per-has introduced proposals for the suppression sisted in his revolutionary intentions he would by Connell, in Carleton, and that McAdam. Beaconsfield, who, doubtless, reckoned on the by Connell, in Carleton, and that McAdam. Beaconsfield, who, doubtless, reckoned on the as first reported, was leading Gilmour in superior culture of Englishmen to that of gressists, or advanced Liberals—acting under on the day of his death. They required him | Charlotte, made Government supporters think the sincere dread of Socialism on the one to lay down his arms and swear fidelity to that things were taking a turn, and they culture and knowledge of their true value. were confirmed in their thought when des- Most of us say that mental work does not patches came from Nova Scotia, announcing bring money, and that culture is a means of and brilliant voice which was heard with fine going on at Kissingen as in the best way to begun to commit, and he entered the city of the defeat of two members of the Govern-ward off a national peril. They are alarm- Ankobar, not as a king and conqueror, but as ment, Jones, Minister of Militia, in Halifax, and Coffin, Receiver-General, in Shelburne.

bliging managers did all in their power to

gratify their thirst for information. In the

and that the elections in Pictou, Cumberland. Colchester, &c., were going adversely for the Imperial army. And there is Menelik, and begged for the grace and favoe Government. On the heels of these desfrom Quebec, telling of the defeat of hard to force upon the country. old kingdom of Sheba has thus been unex- LaFlamme, Minister of Justice, in Jacques be a Government monopoly of pectedly "unified" in the year 1878, an event | Cartier. The announcement of the defeat of the tobacco trade; the railways are to be- which the royal family of Menelik is said to Sir John A. McDonald, by a considerable come the property of the State, and native have been expecting, with an indestructible majority in Kingston, created a diversion, but this defeat of the champion of National Policy party-the statesman "head and shoulders above all others," through a rector of morals in the sunny South. Theft rebuke to himself was soon seen to be no is the crime principally which receives its triumph for the government, as he will be certain of having some subservient constituency opened for him. The excitement reached a climax when the news came that Cartwright, the Finance Minister, was defeated in Lennox; it at first appeared incredible, but when the report was confirmed. everything seemed possible against the government, and the report that McKenzie him-

> of Lambton by 200 votes. give way to the Tories, protectionist, and "National policy" men.

self was defeated was accepted as quite pro-

bable. It turned out however, that the de-

feated McKenzie was not Alex. McKenzie,

McKenzie government, and a vague hope in Asia Minor.

VELOCIPEDE RIDING IN ENGLAND .- that the national policy which the Tory While bicycling has fallen into disrepute in leaders so confidently dangled before their subsides the agitation of the waves continue, eyes, and recommended as the panacea for and the danger of wreck to ships upon the all their ills, determined them. Many in sea seems scarcely passed. So after the war good times. "Give us good times, for all Bosnia who resent foreign occupation are And yet a stranger would be apt to think that of the new act. The deputation stated that time, if possible, if not, for six months at still in arms and threaten to prolong their the building chose for the assembly had been five years the bicycling industry was repre- least, but by any means, give us good times." resistance to the Austrian contingent; the "It is satisfactory that the people of New Servians are slow to disband and it is said bicycles throughout the country at between that the charges of corruption and incom-stinulated by the Treaty of Berlin. The £600,000 and £800,000. In London there petence advanced against that Government Turks are proving themselves to be stubborn

of things which appears to have seized on a portion of the people of many nations in the world. Its disciples deny or deride everything that christian people have been taught order and the sacred bonds which keeps society together.

The Pall Mall Gazette (London) gives some strange particulars of the organization. taking for its authority the correspondent of an Austrian paper writing from Odessa a exultation following the Treaty of Berlin

independents, Haddow of Restigouche, and rank of the malcontents in Russia; the inhe jumps up to speak. The good Dr. is very deaf; and wields his huge copper trumpet as so decidedly against the government. but tolerate them as the champions of a cause which is also to some extent their own. In a meeting of the so-called constitutional view cannot be accepted, their efforts to laed to the impossible task of degenerating overthrow the existing order of things must be regarded with sympathy. This is the universal feeling of all people in Russia who

> State Chancery, or secret police, and the War was declared against the blue uniform, and the first victims have been, beside Rostoff, the chief of the gendarmes Taganrog, and a colonel of gendarmes at servative parties in Upper and Lower there may have been among a portion of the Pultava. . . . The organization of the Canada to carry confederation was the im these sub-committees exist even in the close divisions of parties producing dead are not known even to their members, and calls itself the "National Government." is owing to that close division of parties in th shrouded in impenetrable secrecy. The Upper Provinces, the Maritime Provinces central committees obtain printed orders, would be able to hold the balance of power. arms and plans of operations direct from St. The panic in Government circles is indescribable; the organization it is said to have ly borne out by the history of the confederpenetrated the schools, universities, and even military academies; and the police do not venture to lay hands on the Nihilists, fearing the secret sentences of the revolutionary tribunals. The correspondent adds that the organization has powerful supporters in the offices up town and down town were taken highest ranks of society, and that a lady who possession of by inquiring crowds, and the is one of the leaders of Russian fashion was arrested the other day, a number of letters Nova Scotia and P. E. Island have gone to having been found in her house from the increase the strength of Ontario. The antechief of the Nihilist committee at St. Peters- confederates maintained that under confed-

> > The Pall Mall Gazette (London) received

The Golos says that the treaty of Berlin have been expended, and yet the Eastern we were not equal to the task. It was great compass, and sang Douigetti's well probably for this reason that we felt so much known Cavatina, "O Luce di quest anima" Russians. All classes of Russian society are Holbrook sang the RoselBush, a rather sadly, responsible for this. We do not estimate sentimental song pitched very low, corruption. In Western Europe, on the effect in the good old duett with (Miss other hand, the people have arrived, by hard | Carter) "I know a Bank." Mr. Bartlett the experience at the conviction that intelligence front and give them peace at home and power abroad. It is the knowledge of how to off his voice to as great advantage as his make the best possible use of their energy part in the duett with Barnabee, "If I felt patches came one (but in this instance false), derive success from our victories and sacrifi-

> LIST OF THE NEW BRUNSWICK ELECTED.

St. John City-Tilley, O. St. John County-Burpee and Weldon, G Westmorland-Smith, G. Albert-Rogers, G. Charlotte-Gilmour, G. Victoria-Costigan, O. Carleton-Connell, O. York-Pickard, G. Sunbury- Burpee, G. Queen's-King, G. King's-Domville, O. Kent-Girouard. J. Northumberland-Snowball, G Gloucester-Anglin, G. Restigouche-- Haddow, I.

The members of Maugerville Lodge, No knowledging the honor done him, spoke of 118, U. T., held their picnic on Monday last the deceased prelate. It would, he said, "be Excellency the Governor General expects to The Kennington News declares that several the Premier, for he carried his constituency on the beautiful grounds of E. Williams out of place for me to expatiate upon the Esq., Gagetown. The steamer "Soulanges," many qualities of the late Apostolic Delegate. The gains of the opposition are sufficiently with the F. R. C. Band and a large number My relations with him, were of course only the date of His Excellency's departure from ships to a man smoke in bed!" Our contem- startling. They have a majority in Ontario of our citizens on board, left this city at 8 those of personal friendship, but apart from Canada and that of the arrival of his successor. porary caps this anecdote by another at the and Quebec, Nova Scotia is with them, all but o'clock, a. m., stopping at the different land- my appreciation of his delightful qualities as four or five, and P. E. Island, with the ex- ings on the way down, and before the picnic a companion, I am entitled, both as a fellowception of one, and British Columbia and grounds were reached several hundreds were countryman and as the head of this govern- thing can be said of General Butler—there is Manitoba will add their quota. The chief added to their number. As soon as the boat ment, to bear testimony to his claims upon nothing stuck up about him. When he takes St. John, Halifax are in their hands. In a well conducted and affording considerable Bishop and a dignitary of the Catholic necktie, white silk stockings and low dancing house of 206, they will probably have a ma- amusement. Dancing was kept up until the hurch." jority of about 60 taking the most moder- departure of the steamer for home. Great ate estimate of their gains, their majority credit is due to the committee for the satiscannot be under 50; at any rate it is amply factory manner in which the days proceed- vinces when on questions of vital interest to

THE LUMBER TRADE. - The enormous im- with a vengeance! But what can be export of spruce deals during the past month pected but division, when it is the passion to has quite checked any tendency towards im-The success of the opposition, according to provement in prices, and though the conits principal mouthpiece, the Toronto Mail sumption has necessarily been also large sideration of what would best conduce to the has exceded their most sanguine expecta- under forced sales and extremely low prices, welfare of the Provinces they represent that ation. tions. The Mail we suppose, did not dards against 12,122 standards at the like most suppose we are still left with a stock of 18,029 standards at the like most suppose we are still left with a stock of 18,029 standards at the like most suppose with the like most s year. Young cattle have increased 40,500, imagine that the electors of Ontario, Quebec, time last year: we may now also expect a particular policy. and Nova Scotia would have proved them- very much reduced consumption, because the selves to be so gullible. We do not believe country trade have bought freely of late, that, it was the conviction that the McKenzie Government was corrupt, incompetent and Government was corrupt; incompetent, and low in price, but stocks are lower. Birch, country, that decided the majority of the the season, ought to improve in value, as branches is changed into a charred and electors in these Provinces to vote against them; but that a morbid desire for change of them; but that a morbid desire for change of them; but that a morbid desire for change of them; but that a morbid desire for change of them; but that a morbid desire for change of them.

THE EXHIBITION.

After a fierce storm though the wind

and dilatory in carrying out the provisions

of that treaty with regard to the rectification

of the Greek frontier. The Greeks have

to do justice to the Greeks. The British

within easy distance of Constantinople where

are rumors that the Russians are making, or

rouble at no distant day. In England the

has not died away, but there seems to be no

Beaconsfield with a good deal of vindictive-

ness of feeling, and especially denounce his

convention with Turkey, as committing Eng-

Asia Minor, by overruling the corrupt will

of the Pashas, imposing on her enormou

that made the leaders of the liberal and con

possibility of conducting the Government.

lock. In the heat of the confederation cam

paign Mr. Tilley and others asserted tha

and exert a powerful influence in determining

the policy of the confederation. The truth

of that assertion has not been very apparent-

ation for the first ten years of its life. But

how will it be now? Whatever strength

are identical are now divided. New Bruns-

and its manufacturing interests.

be enjoyed. Miss Carter has a voice

Barnabee in these concerts they would be

On Wednesday, 11th inst., the degree of

them their representatives are divided more

than two to one! Here is Maritime division

stomach and instantly killed.

lowing to bitter sectional jealousies, and

Now that the Dominion elections have passed over, people in the province will feel seemed, judging from the small attendance more free to give attention to the Exhibition. at the Court House, to be known by very The time of opening is drawing very near, few of the electors. At noon, Sheriff forward state of preparation. There is a returns from the five wards of the city, and good deal to be done internally to the Ex- from the several polling districts throughout hibition building, but most of the heavier the county. The total number of votes cast work is over, and there is no doubt of its for Mr. Pickard 1490, for Mr. Fisher, 834; being ready for the reception of the articles rejected ballots, 10; spoiled ballots, 29. an improvement over the old palace; it is for Mr. Pickard was 656, and declared him better arranged and more adapted for exhi- duly elected to serve the electors of York in bition purposes, the galleries especially are the Parliament of the Dominion. more commodious. That such a fine structure Mr. Pickard in returning thanks expressed not advocate a greenback currency at all; it has been erected within so short a time does himself as being proud of the position in calls for absolute, flat irredeemable paper,

best and most successful that has ever been time on any former occasion, and they are canvass. some of these powers to compel the Turk not confined to one locality but are general throughout the province.

manded of intending exhibiters.

the races that will come off during three greater than that of any other member. days of the Exhibition week Reports from the South state that there is

decrease in the number of cases of vellow

localities where it raged with most fury. The crisis appears to have passed; no pen can and gloom of the visitation. The fever may inger for weeks yet in the valley of the Mississippi, and it will be long before the people of that region regain their former health tion it may be stated, that there has been an cholora theorists predict that the world generally will be visited in 1879 by one of these great cholera waves, which seem to return in orearmed, and even if the warnings are in this case false, precautions taken can only be peneficial. The exciting causes of the terrible ravages of yellow fever in the South.was the filthy state of the cities. Though statements have been advanced that appear to go against that theory, as that, the fever raged with greater intensity in New Orleans, in the finer parts of the city where the better classes lived than among the filthy slums, but there an be no doubt that the best way to fight against cholera, is, in a city, to keep the streets clean, to look well after the backyards and the drains, and to have a plentiful supply of pure untainted. water.

the Maritime Provinces gained by union is Because a noble and willing horse can, with broken; the sister provinces whose interests quivering muscles draw with painful strain at Andover, which some thought not the enormous loads, therefore, it proves "that least pleasant part of the excursion. Forwick, true to herself, stands alone, while considerable attention has been given to the tunately the weather was very fine and the eration the Maritime Provinces would be That one horse is able to draw a load of edg- on a ledge of rock above the Falls, was taken swamped. And will they not in effect be ings weighing 8850 lbs. and another one of by Mr. Taylor, photographer, of Fredericton, swamped when New Brunswick through | 9816 lbs. only shows that they are except her twelve representatives in Parliament, is tionally strong animals pushed to the utmost totally without power to resist the imposition extent of their power. But what does it prove of a tariff that will work injuriously against in regard to the capacities of working horses on the Russian public. It is felt that Russia her trade; and that will increase the price in general, and how does it show that an imhas not attained her object; that she has of the articles they consume and use to her provement has taken place in trotting horses people; while Nova Scotia and P. E. Island, within the last ten years? We see that the through their representatives, are pledged to letter of "Humanitus" has been thrown away support a policy all in the interest of Ontario upon the Reporter, and others whom it con-

THE UNIVERSITY .- The University of The Barnabee Concert Company gave concert last Wednesday evening in the City Academical year 1878-9 on Thursday last. Hall to a fairly good audience. On the whole An opening address was given by Prof. Foster, who was followed in encouraging duetts, solos were successful, and appeared t remarks by Prof. Harrison, Rev. Mr. McCaul and Dr. Jack. The occasion was graced by the presence of quite a number of the graduates of previous years who thus evinced their which appears to be a great favorite with kindly feeling for their Alma Mater. The public singers, and the Sky Lark. Miss Senior and Junior classes are back in full force: the Freshmen will number sixteen or more. Refreshed and invigorated by their fallen with the McKenzie Government, with which did not bring out her clear, sweet holidays the students seem determined to whom they were in sympathy. The result undertake the labors of the year in a hearty of the Local Elections; as far as ascertained and hopeful spirit. The University grounds shows-23 Opposition, 5 Government, not are at their best, and the view from the ter- counting Cape Breton, which has returned tenor sang a solo, "The Old Time," a rather race is one of the most graceful we have ever the whole Opposition ticket. melanchelious melody which did not show seen. The prospects of our Provincial Institution were never brighter. inclined to marry," or the duett that followed

THE INDIANS OF AMERICA.—The Indians, in an encore, "If I had but a thousand a or aboriginals, as they should be called, are year." Mr. Barnabee sang Nancy Lee in a much more numerous on this continent than way that would have taken the heart of a has been represented. Our ceaseless wars else. We cannot have the good old times and escaped the army of newspaper correswith the savages have not proved nearly so again except on the good old terms. We pondents that were on the alert:jolly tar. His Mrs. Watkin's Party was endestructive to them as the public reports must pay as we go, and save by degrees. Not long before the arrival of the Prince joyed as usual, as was his comic ditty whose would indicate. If they had, many of the Hard work will, in time, make a surplus, and, with a surplus, which, when His Royal Highness was on a visit to It is said that the strong tribes would generally increase, and the weak ones diminish. more popular, we do not say better deter- An authority on the subject estimates that not more than 8,000 Indians have been killed by the whites since 1769. According to government statistics, there were in 1822. 457,000 savages in the domain of the United LL. D. was conferred on Earl Dufferin by States; and there are now, in all probability, the University of Laval, Quebec. The late 250,000, though the number is not commonly Dr. Conroy, Apostolic Delegate, had, in the thought to be so large by almost 100,000. While some of the tribes, like the Omahas, words of the Rector, condescended to accept Poncas, Missouris, Pawnees, have dwindled, the modest diploma of the University, and the Six Nations have not materially changed gates hand in hand" with the Governor Soiux and Ojibways have steadily multi- suply of manufactured articles." General. His Excellency in gracefully ac- plied.—American paper.

LORD DUFFERIN'S DEPARTURE.-His sail from Quebec on either the 12th or 19th October-most probably the latter date. A -Quebec Chronicle.

the stump to make that speech, he appears shoes-just like any other workingman, to say nothing of his brilliant diamond ring, and Speak of the union of the Maritime Pro- faultless buttonhole bonquet.

A New York school teacher was the other day fined fifteen days' pay for boxing the ears of a small boy, whose adopted father declared him to be an angel without wings. A few days afterward said father had the boy committed by a police justice and sent to the House of Refuge. The question of remmit-

Reports of the business of the port of A tree resembling the cedar, but with is one of the wonders of Nevada. Within is also about double that of last year.

Base Ball has been a dangerous game since containing 412 grains of silver; but the trade Griffiths and Brooks have obtained medals whenthe silver locks of Lord St. Germans the introduction of "dead," or hard, balls, dollar, which contains 420 grains of silver, for long service and good conduct. The Jury was touched by the showman, spole H. R. miles with his hands fastened together with handkerchiefs, so that no effort could possibly extricate them; his feet were chained sibly extricate them; hi

DECLARATION DAY

To-day was Declaration Day, a fact which matters in connection with it are in a Temple read a certified copy of the election

The coming exhibition promises to be the election proved that the electors of York whereby greenbacks can only be kept at par made exceed the number within the same by the Opposition candidate during his

For the convenience of intending exhibit- jority, but he was proud of the position posed paper to the amount that can be kept at the exhibition building up to the 1st Oc- but in giving them support, he always looked fiat paper.' This would require 1,800 mil-Mr. J. H. Reed is having the race track flour, salt, coal. He occupied the proudest put in fine order, and a number of horses position in the Dominion for his majority.

Mr. Fisher said he was prouder to occupy Pickard owed his election to personal sympathy (Mr. P., " I am proud of that "). the county was now totally without influence, have secured a vote for \$60,000. He would

Post Office vote.

Odd Fellow's excursion to the Grand Falls with Bryson's Band, left Gibson station on Thursday morning, and a few entered the train at Woodstock. Grand Falls was reached about three in the afternoon. was gaily decorated with bunting, and its inhabitants turned out to give their visitors welcome. The grand scenery of the Falls A VERY EXTRAORDINARY ARGUMENT .- evening most pleasantly. On their way greatly. The Lodg e will hold similiar enhome the party stopped an hour and a half advantage. As a memento of the excursion a picture of members of the party standing

Last Sunday evening, after the close of the services in the churches, Mrs. Yeomans delivered a lecture on Temperance in the City Hall to a crowded house. She will occupy the same platform, at the same hour to-morrow evening, and many of our citizens will, no doubt avail themselves of the opportunity to hear so eloquent and pleasing a lecturer. It would be well for those attending to go early in order to secure a seat. A "silver" collection will be taken up for the New Brunswick commenced the work of the benefit of the lady. Next week Mrs. Yeomans lectures in St. John and Carleton.

Last Monday evening a large company of the Maine Press Association, including a their way from the Aroostook County, and Grand Falls. After seeing all that was to be seen about the city, they left for home on Maunsel, D. A. G. and Col Marsh. In the

The Local Government of Nova Scotia has

The Journal for the Stationery Trade of

New York tells the truth as follows :-"There is no fancy plan for converting product of labour, and the product of nothing of Wales' visit. It has never been in print creating a demand for labour, will raise the United States, a new asylum for the wages. All that the Government can do is to deaf and dumb had been opened, and the

quart pots hold three pints .- Am. paper. | the winter assize county for the district. | laughing.

GREENBACK PARTY.-What is called the Greenback party has obtained a victory in the State elections in Maine. The Greenback candidate received 4,000 votes, exceeding the Democratic vote, and enough to defeat the election of the Republican candidate Two Greenback members of Congress have been elected, and in conjunction with the Democrats the Greenbacks have secured a majority in the House of Representativesso that the combined party will get nearly at the time appointed. The new building is The Sheriff then stated that the majority of the said party, the Chicago Tribune,

> "The organization at present calling itself 'the National Greenback Labour Party' does which he was placed. The result of the ditional repeal of the Resumption Act, Treasury notes redeemable in coin, hence they are opposed to greenbacks. They ad-The McKenzie Government he said had vocate an altogether different sort of paper gone overboard by an over-whelming ma- neither do they limit the issue of their pro-New Brunswick held. He had never conlions at one slap. And, instead of this 1,800 ency at par with coin and substitute a fiat currency far below the value of coin in vain. They would never rest content

500 and 600 vards; Medal and \$52; 10 prizes. The second 400 and 500 yards; Association Cup and \$44; 10 prizes. Consolation 400 yards; \$2\$ divided into 12 prizes Ammunition will be for sale on the grounds

Mr. Pickard warmely denied that the change that a new plot against the life of the Emof Government would make any difference in peror William has been discovered, and that several persons who are suspected have been arrested. In this rumor Bismaick will find Excursion to Grand Falls.—The an argument for pressing forward his antesocialist bill more energetically.

By whose authority was leave given to erect that photograph saloon above the stone barracks? Instead of allowing such an erection there the authorities should order the old broken fences and outhouses, which are an eyesore and a disgrace to the city, to be swept away.

The entertainment given by the members and other objects of interest were viewed by of the Golden Rule Lodge, G. T. last evening the party in the course of the afternoon, and was quite a success; the hall was filled and the bonnet hop helped them to pass the all present seemed to enjoy themselves

Mrs. G. A. McCleary, Berry-Hill, Kingsclear, brought to the office of the "AGRI-CULTURIST' some bunches of dark purple Isabella grapes, large and luscious; they were grown in the open air, and no finer were even produced in the Province.

Report says that the elections in St. John, Charlotte, Westmorland, Sunbury, and Queen's are to be contested on the ground of bribery and corruption. Probably the report is only the effervesence of disappointment. Messrs Mackay & Taylor have sold out the

Rein Holder for Ontario, British Columbia and Manitoba, to Messrs M. L. Smith and T. B. Scott, of Ontario, for \$500. It is reported vesterday that Sir John A. McDonald was returned by acclamation in

right to manufacture and sell the Patent

Marquette, Manitoba, and that Mr. McKenzie will not resign until the result of the elections in British Columbia is known. MILITARY.—This forenoon No. 2 Co. 71st Battalion, Capt. Staples, was inspected on

their parade ground, St. Mary's, by Col. afternoon the same officers inspected No. 5 Co. Capt. Cropley, on the flats. First-class passages to New York has been taken for the Fenians Condon and Melody.

and pardons will be handed them immediate EXHIBITING THE PRINCE OF WALES

EXTRAORDINARY PERFORMANCE OR AN AS-TUTE YANKEE.

The Americans have been circulating recently the following souvenir of the Prince

preserve the peace and leave enterprise president and committee of this new charity free. If it borrows more, we shall have to earnestly solicited the attendance of the pay more, and have a bigger crash in the youthful heir to the crown of Great Britain future. The first thing is to reduce ex- at a lecture to be given in honor of the inpenses to the lowest practicable point; to auguration. The invitation was graciously reduce the number of tax consumers (pro- accepted, and his Royal Highness and suite tected interests), and augment the number patiently sat for two house listening to a of tax producers (ihe people). The neat is dull nasal per-oration from one of "the most to make an end of our protected monopolies, remarkable men of the States," while in a and by so doing induce the population now pulpit on the opposite side another of the huddled together in manufacturing cities to 'remarkables' was translating the harangue spread over the country, a process which will on his fingers to the deaf and dumb. When O. Opposition. G. Government. I. In- but for death, would have "entered the in centuries, and the Comanches, Crows, multiply the demand for and disminish the at length all was over, and his Royal Highness and suite, after having congratulated the directors, were about to leave the room. DOUBLE MURDER AT NORTHAMPTON, ENG- one of the functionaries stepped up to the LAND,-Patrick John Byrne, is in custody Prince and begged him to walk on to the for shooting simultaneously two of his brother platform and sign his name as a souvenir to serjeants of the Northamptonshire and Rut- be cherished in the archives of the hospital. October—most probably the latter date. A short interregnum will thus occur between short interregnum will thus occur between Brooks and Paymaster Serjeant Griffiths. The Prince readily consented, and stepped on the platform, signed his name in the The prisoner slept well during the night, but ledger, all his suite following his example, yesterday morning, Sept. 3rd, awoke to a As they were about to step down, what was sense of his situation, and exhibited signs of their horror and amazement when the same The Hartford Times thinks that one good sincere sorrow for what he had done. At gaunt director who had enticed them to this times he weeps. He is a smart soldier, and place of peril, put his hand familarly on the is very respectably connected. A Roman Prince's shoulder, and said, "wait a bit, sir-Catholic himself, he has, it is said, a brother just one minute, please;" and then, before in the priesthood, while another brother is in business in Dublin, and his mother, who their astonishment, the astute and practical lives in the same city, has independent means. Yankee, with a presence of mind worthy of In July, it appears, he had delirium tremens. Barnum, seized a long pole, and touching and, being then caterer for the mess, had two successfully each one of his victims on the days leave of absence and recovered. When head as if they were wax figures, announced: Major Rawlings left a short time since he "This is Albert Edward, Prince of Wales gave peremptory orders that Byrne was to eldest son of Queen Victoria, &c., &c., &c. leave his quarters on Saturday last. He was, "This is Henry Palham Clinton, fifth Duke however, allowed till Monday by Quarter- of Newcastle, &c., &c.;" "This is Edward master Serjeant Brooks. When captured Granville Eliot, third Earl of St. Germans. Byrne offered no resistance, but when, in his &c., &c., the interpreter all the while being quarters, handcuffs were brought he be- busily engaged in translating on his fingers became violent, and, seizing a hammer, would these astonishing facts to the poor deaf and ing the teacher's fine is now under consider- have made an onslaught on his captors, but dumb, who sat grinning with pleasure and that he was restrained by main force. delight. The faces of the illustrious exposes Quartermaster Serjeant Brooks would have were a study. The Duke of Newcastle bit been 70 years of age in December. He served his lip almost till the blood came to hide his Buffalo show that the shipments of grain with the 15th Regiment of Foot in Canada anger. Lord St. Germans tried to turn his Eastward on the Erie canal, this season, ex- for 14 years, and, while drill serjeant of the amiable and handsome face into a thunder ceed those of last year to the same date by Queen's own Light Infantry Volunteers at cloud; in a word, all were exasperated, an-11,000,000 bushels, and are double the move- Quebec, in 1838, was presented with a hand- noyed, and deeply vexed by the cross rudesome watch by the non-commissioned officers ness and yulgarity of the philanthropical forwarded westward from Buffalo this season and men as a mark of esteem for his valuable showman—all but the Prince. He stood services. Griffiths, the Paymaster Serjeant, quite calm and quiet while the Yankee had was twenty-three years in the 1st Royals, the pole on his head and was running through What can be more ridiculous?—the silver being Drill Instructor with the depot of the his biography; his features relaxed somewhat dollar, which has been made a legal tender, regiment during the Crimean War. Both when the Duke of Newcastle's turn came, but