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The Boer Outlook.

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This is what the Boers have to expect from defeat at the hands of England. This is all. The riches of the Boer government will suffer; the riches of the individual Boer not at all. It is to England's interest to win. It is to the world's interest and to our interest that England win. Most of all, it is to the interest of the Boers. As a self-respecting colony they have a future. As the misled tools of a bigoted and oppressed oligarchy centred at Pretoria they have nothing before them in the world. The world-the free part of it-has done with such things.

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His Opinion of Canadians.

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irer, is refreshing:-"We did not visit Canada this forenoon. We were not afraid to do so, but there were nothing to call us there. We could see all the magnificent scenery from this side. We don't believe they would attempt to arrest and hold us over there, though the Canadians do queer things. The Canadians who came into South Africa to fight for England would have fought on our side if we had given them twopence more they are expecting to realize great wealth in the Transvaal."

PICKING THE NOSE

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Dr. Drummond's Poems.

Dr. Drummond's French Canadian Poems have become very popular. The June Can-ADIAN MAGAZINE contains his latest, entitled "Ma Oid Cabane," with illustrations by D F. Thomson. Among the others contrib-Cameron, P. Y. Black, Frederic Villiers and Walter C. Nichol.

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THE fashionably line bred Wilkes Mambrino Patchen Stallion, Standard Bred, Rule 1, American Trotting Register, Vol. 15, with the Double Wilkes cross, three crosses of Mambrino Patchen Thatchen Stallion, Standard Bred, Rule1, American Trotting Register, Vol. 15, with the Double Wilkes cross, three crosses of Mambrino Patchen and double cross of the great brood mare Alma Mater, with 8 in the 2.30 list—5 producing sons and 3 producing daughters; being sired by Baron Alexander 28393 (who was destroyed by fire when young) a full brother to Alfonzo, with 11 in the 2.30 list at 9 years of age, son of Baron Wilkes 2.18, and Alma Mater; dam, Rachel, dam of Blackbird 2.26½, at 5 yrs., and a full sister to Raven 2.19 and Edna Cook 2 12, by Alcantara 2.23, son of George Wilkes and Alma Mater; grandam, Rachel B. 2.28½, by Allie West 2.25—was the champion 5 year old stallion of his time and considered the best son of Almont. Baron Almayer is a young horse, his oldest colts were only 3 years old last season, and in October last one of his colts trialed a mile in 2.18 and sold for \$1500.00, and another trialed a mile in 2.22½ and sold for \$750.00, and a pair of his colts took first prize at Long Island horse show last fall and sold for \$1300.00, for a gentleman's double hitch.—Baron Almater has got no record, for the reason he never started in a race or started for record, but has gone a mile in his work in 2.23 as a 4-year old. But he is going to be limited to 40 mares this season and started in the fall for a record. Baron Almater gets direct the two champion pacers of 1899. Searchlight 2.03½, and Lady of the Manor 2.04½, have the Alcyone-Alcantara cross, which Baron Almater gets direct from his dam; so has Coney 2.07½, the fastest and most successful of the green pacers out last season, having won 5 races. A combination of blood which in one sea-on has two champions and carries three green pacers and a green trotter below the 2.10 limit is worth having, and you can get this winning combination from Baron Almater.

Baron Almaters is a horse of rich breeding, for he has the golden double cross of Wilkes from two of the best sons of that great progenitor of extreme speed. Baron Wilkes is—Alcantara being an

It is well known that the great "nick" for the Mambrino Patchen mares was George Wilkes.-Mambrino Patchen mares was George Wilkes.—
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This magnificent inheritance is further strengthened by the blood of Allie West, through his performing and great speed producing daughter, Rachel B 2.28½ the grandam of Baron Almater, Allie West 2.25 was the champion 5 years old stallion of his time and considered the best son of Almont. but died in his sixth year. The few foals re left

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Back of all this Baron Almater has a cross to William's Mambrino, who sired the dam of that sterling race horse, and sire of game trotters, Santa Claus 2.17½; Ericsson, sire of William's Mambrino, was the champion 4 year old trotter of 1860 and sired the dam of Moquette 2.10 champion 4 years trotter of 1892.

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Alcantara it will be remembered was the fastest 4 year old of 1880; and George Wilkes the champion trotting stallion from 1868 to 1871.

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"It's the devil for any one to tell me a secret, for it is sure to come out inprint."—HAZLITT.

That certan peddlers should be made pay a license for selling their wares in Woodstock is good sense. The rest of the so-called license business is more or less of a humbug, and no people know it better than the councillors. It surely is in the interest of the town to have as much of a population both permanent and transitory as possible. We will propably next hear of "summer visitors being taxed." They walk on the sidewalks, breath the air of Woodstock etc., and yet don't pay taxes. St. John appears to be equally as fussy as Woodstock in this regard. Note this extract from the Globe:- 'The law providing that persons living in this city and doing business here must either have a license, or be ratepayers, was probably never intended to apply to baseball players. Nothing was probably further form the minds of the learned men who drew up such a farreaching piece of legislation Yet in the Police Court today Thomas Howe and Harry Jope, of the Alerts, were reported by Officer White for doing business without license. The Magistrate enquired of them if they were junk dealers, to which they replied in the negative. They said they came here for the summer to play ball and were not doing any business. The policeman stated these men were brought to the city and were being paid by the week and thought they should pay licenses or taxes as well as anyone. There was a hurried consultation of the by-laws to see if they could be made apply to baseball and an impromptu argument arose among the lawyers as to whether or not baseball was a profession, a business, or a sport. The Magistrate told the catcher and third baseman that they had better go and consult the utors to this issue are Robert Barr, Bleasdell Mayor, and they retired looking rather puzzled at the whole proceeding. Just to show the officer is not prejudiced against the Alerts he will also report McLean and Sexton, of the Roses, and may also go after the professional golfer who is just now sojourning here. There are great possibilities for such wide constructions of the law. Professional musicians who come here to give concert engagements may be dealt with, ministers supplying local pulpits, theatrical people and so forth. Such proceedings as the above are simply ridiculous."

> Some of our American contemporaries have a peculiar way of twisting things, and I will give an instance. Some time ago I happened to see in the Graphic a very interesting sketch of a British soldier driving away a couple of immense vultures preying on the carcase of his dead horse. The picture was called "Defending a Dead Comrade." Now, the New York Journal has reproduced this picture only it makes it "Boer soldier" trying to protect his wounded horse from vultures. The "Boer soldier" is evidently arrayed in khaki uniform with puttees and the general make up of the English soldier. That excellent philanthropic paper, Our Dumb Animals, copies this picture from the New York Journal. I daresay there are lots of Boers who would defend their horses, but in this particular instance the Graphic was the origin of the story and the sketch. It may please some of our American contemporaries to substitute "Boer" for British, but in this instance they are found out.

> A leading journal of the province had a rather sensational article a few issues ago, derived from an American source about the frequency of people being buried alive. It is rather gruesome to think that one in every ten persons are buried before they die. Perhaps some consolation may be derived from the fact that in no case in our experience has a person been pronounced dead, and has animation returned before burial. Now, if there are so many cases of suspended animation, for which death is mistaken, how is it that we know not of one in which animation has returned between the time of death and burial. But, to take another view of the matter, there are some communities where a great many people die before their ti.ne comes. I have heard of the death of people in this town, who are now alive and quite hearty. Some people do so heartily delight to spread abroad doleful news. "Rumor is but a lying jade," in many casss, most cer-THE IMP.

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