We'll do as we Please.

The very first lesson that our dear father taught us was, " My boy, try to find out the right and please yourself." This admonition was generally followthe donkey, who tried to please everybody and pleased nobody in the end.

by stutterers and poor fellows with horse flesh. Thorough farriers and following questions: long noses, who say to us, "Why don't Pratts present wanted to put up money you go for these fellers?" One of these bad, (probably they wanted to get some same gents the other day came to us worse) and they found a few takers. of Canada," its Milicites, &c., publish in the Rink, amidst the dazzle and Very little drunkenness was noticeable certain Agricultural documents? Yes. says: splendour of the throng and said, on the ground, those who were very "Why don't you give it to them?" drunk, lying about the ditches, perhaps The man had an awful pair of feet and so that they couldn't get there. There a short pair of trowsers, so we came were a number of order dignataries swear that you had not the "copy" to home and made a note of the fact and present whose ostensible duty it was to your own office to be printed, before had it published in due order. The preserve decorum, etc., but they seem- you received any tenders? Own up. next time we met him, we had to keep ed, perhaps, as much out of the line Speak out like a man. to one side.

they mind their own business, but we thing that passed—it would have been The sentence, then, will be, We adjudge do scorn the throng when they poke impossible for a grasshopper to take a that you be left to the tender mercies of their noses into ours. Would we not promenade with his mate without be- the STAR newspaper published in F'ton. look well, for example, going up to a ing noted, important things winked at shoemaker and telling him what was every time. the best way to sew on a "teeveen," or a saleman to do up his shelves, or a \$200, two mile heats, best two in three grocer the best way to keep molasses for which there were four entries, viz., or grease off the floor.

In future we shall make a special and Davey Williams. point, however, of giving full promiwho tells us to "go for them." We scorn the crowd,

--- "that if the throng By chance go right, they purposely go

wrong.' We refer now to the busy-bodies. But, never mind, when we have more time we will make more of a time.

The Concert.

No one in the vast throng, the fully fell behind, again gained, now three thousand present, was disappointfor it came fully up to expectations.

Fannie Richards, in a solo, "Marvellous others had not, and at the home stretch Work," and it was marvellous singing. stepped out right royally, coming in Miss R. shows ability and training of a first, Davy Williams second, Kentucky very nigh order. Her notes are strong, Bill third. Time 5.02. clear and expressive. Her voice, too, has a rich harmony and fine compass. She received a hearty encore.

Mr. Fessendon followed with a solo, "For ever in my style." Miss Holmes song "A Lost Chord," awoke the chords of the people's sympathy.

And then blazed forth the star of the evening, bright as the star of the moraing-ourselves-. Miss Kellogg, in "Reci- difficult to say which would win- This tative and Aria." How magnificent! very pretty race was kept till they The rieh, sweet swell of music rolled in reached the "tur n," when Russ took a one grand stream through the Hall, spurt and got the lead. A close race holding spell-bound every heart. She now ensued, and Bntler was so hard was as much admired as she astonished pressed that he found no fun in it. the natives.

Miss Kellog, Miss Holmes and Mr. second, Davy William third, K. Bill Fessendon. Talk about singing, but this was the cream of sweet harmony. A rousing chorus by New Brauswick

singers next almost raised the roof. It was gorgeous. Ten thousand bulls could not have made half the uproar. But there was grand music in it for all that. What credit did it not reflect on Mr. M. S. Hall and Prof. Cadwallader. Then we were treated to "Across the Far Blue Hills, Marie," Miss Fessenden; "He thinks I do not love him,' Miss Holmes; Duett, Miss Kellog and Miss Holmes; "The German Fairy Tales," Miss Kellog; "O, how superb," and "Good night, beloved," by New Brunswick. We can't describe adequately the merits of the rest so we shall allow the National Anthem to relieve us of the responsibility.

The way people bundled out of the palace after finishing, one would think think that there was but one lodging house in the city. O what a place for Quinn to get personals, and what subjects for Richard's white-wash brush. Poor John and Bill take a bac seat when Melville and Dick come up. Deo Gratias.

A LETTER THAT WOULD NOT GO INTO A FIRE ALARM Box .- An amusing story is going the rounds about a prominent dry goods clerk of this city, but formerly of Fredericton, who, on Tuesday last endeavored to post a letter in the fire alarm box on Jeffry's Hill. The story runs thus: During the evening this gentleman, when walking down the hill in company with a lady, observed that he should post a letter, and heat. Lookout was second and Lady on coming to the fire alarm box remarked that he would "just post that letter now," and stepping to the box endeavored to put the letter into it. He pushed and worked with the letter and endeavored to find the opening in the box, but his labor was to no avail. A crowd soon collected at the scene, as many wondered if there was anything wrong with the fire alarm. At last the young lady in whose company the gentleman had been became impatient, and would not wait any longer, so the couple, greatly disappointed at not getting the letter posted, walked off amid the snickering and jeers of the crowd .- News.

Our contemporary the News has; a miliation of attending meeting in a straw hat, the lads having fraudulently ting was well up at the finish. Time extracted from a perfumed hat box a 2.36. highly polished beaver. He it was to whom the car load of variegated crocks Little Maid, Nellie Thorne 2nd, Pana- majority of those who clack most about and jars were presented as a souvenir cea 3rd and Pocahontas 4th. Time him know but little about him. Hear before leaving for St. John. The 2.35. bending of the bow betrayed Achilles.

wide for the instrument."

YESTERDAY'S RACES.

From Our Special Reporter.

But that gusts of wind and slight ed up by the story of the fellow with rain showers came at intervals the weather would have been all that was We have been accosted for example assembled, each one a connoisseur of stand up, Mr. Inches, and answer the themselves as anybody else. On a gal-Now, we do respect the public when lery sat the press noting down every- Peccavi, and he will smite his breast.

The first race was for a purse of Kentucky Bill, Countess, Russ Butler

After a few misses they succeeded in nence to any individual's peculiarities getting off well together. Kentucky Bill showed mettle in the outset and sometimes feel like those who so much outstripped his three opponents. Next to him came Davy Williams, pressed hard by Countess, Russ Butler being uncomfortably near her heels. In this order the race was run for a mile and a half, when Countess gave sudden signs of an inclination to fall out. She did this and the contest was now between the other three. At times it was difficult to say which would win; now one

"Neck by neck, stride by stride," ed at last evening's Concert in the Rink, they puzzle the naked eye or the pompous eye glass. But Russ had evident-The Concert commenced by Miss ly kept a shot in the locker which the

perhaps as nearly as any two things misplaced switch, and others that a can, (except two correspondents present | freight car was struck by the engine. in point of brass and ignorance), for the Among the killed is Patrick Reagan, first mile and a half. Here Bill who who was beaten in the boat race at was leading, forcod the pace, and Davy Silver Lake, and among the wounded closing with him, a side to side, neck to is J. J. Flynn, City Councilman, and neck "go" was kept up for many G. G. Kimball, of the Associated Press seconds. For a time it would have been office of this city. Doggedly he kept his place and was Then followed a trio, "Addio," by first in winning the race, Kentucky

> taking second money, The second on the programme was a running race, open to Maritime place was re-inforced by seven infantry bred horses, for a purse of \$150, mile regiments and three batteries. General heats, best two in three. For this race Ross, commanding at Jamirood, was there were three starters-Sussex Lass, Countess and Jack of Trumps. Sussex assault Ali Musjid, when he was order- taken at higest prices in exchange for store Lass took the lead from the start close- ed to await further reinforcements, as goods. ly followed by Countess and Jack of it was judged unadvisable to run the Trumps, and led to the finish, winning risk of a check. It is doubtful whether the heat in 1.52 1-2.

drawn leaving the race to Sussex Lass Dev Ghazi Khan as ordered. and Jack of Trumps. They got off well together, Jack of Trumps taking command of the Supreme Government the lead which he maintained almost the troops of the Maharjah of Cashmere to the half, where he was overtaken by occupied Baroghill and Karambra Pass, the Lass and passed, the Lass increased eading towards the Russian dominions. the lead to the finish winning the race St. Petersburg advices indicate that and purse.

2.50 trot. For this five horses put in northern frontier of Afghanistan. an appearance, Charlie Slipp, Little Bessie, Lady Jane, Jennie and Lookout. Charlie Slipp took the lead from the start, followed by Lookout, Bessie, Lady Jane, and Jennie, who broke very badly. Charlie Slipp maintained his lead all the way round, and won the heat very easily, Lady Jane second, Lookout third, Jennie fourth and Bessie

last. Time 2.45. The second heat was almost a repetition of the first, Slipp winning easily, Lookout second, Jennie third, Lady Jane fourth, Bessie fifth. Time 2.453.

The third heat and race was won by heat. Lookout was second and Lady Jane third, Jennie fourth; time 2.46.

SUMMARY:

The next race on the programme was for 2.34 thorses, for which Pocohontas

1st Heat-They got off at the first attempt, Little Maid leading. She was not passed during the [heat. There was a close race between Nellie keen eye to business. M. to its pierc- Thorne and Panacea for second place ing gaze soon became a marked man. which resulted in favor of Neilie He is the hero of many a trial in this Thorne, Panacea third, and Pocohoncity. Of a bright Sunday morning the tas last. Pocohontas got off very badly past summer he had to undergo the hu- and looked at one time as though she would be distanced, but by good trot-

It was getting pretty dark when the places it above all other gifts. A man was sitting for his photograph.

The operator said, "Now, look kind or Now, lo pleasant-smile a little." The man all she could do to win this heat, but smired, and then the operator exclaim- she succeeded in doing so and the race ed: "Ch, that will never do! It is too as well, Pocahontas 2nd, Panacea 3rd, Nellie Thorne 4th. Time 2.061.

SUMMARY:

Little Maid. Nellie Thorne. Panacea, - -

IN THE "STAR" CHAMBER .-- BEFORE OURSELVES--The Editor of the STAR. desired. Several hundred people had v. s. Julius L. Inches .- Be so good as to

> 1st. Did a paper owned by you and managed by the author of the "History 2nd. Did you order that tenders be

sent in to you? Yes. 3rd. Now, will you undertake to

(Probably) Julius answers, Yes.

MORNING'S TELEGRAM2.

[Special to Morning Star.]

UNITED STATES.

The Railway Disaster-Shocking Loss of Life.

BOSTON, Oct. 9. One of the most shocking railroad accidents which this State has had for several years occurred last evening at 7 o'clock on the Old Colony Railroad, near Atlantic Station, in Quincy, about seven miles from this city, to an excursion train of twenty-two cars, containing about a thousand persons, returning to this city from the boat race at Silver Lake. Five of the cars were smashed and eighteen persons killed. About twenty-five had limbs broken or received serious internal injuries, and seventy others received injuries of a less serions character.

The cause of the accident is in doubt, The second heat resembled the first some claiming that it was caused by a

THE AFGHAN TROUBLE.

The War Brewing-The Cloud Darkening.

LONDON, Oct. 9. A despatch from Allahabad states that on the appearance of a strong Afghan force in a threatening attitude at Jamirood, the garrison of the latter preparing to clear the lower Pass and sufficient transportation can be collect-In the second heat Countess was ed to enable a column to advance from

A Calcutta despatch says that by the Russian corps of observation of 20,-The next on the programme was the | 000 will probably be stationed on the

A Pera despatch says it is authorized to deny that the Afghan Envoy urged the Sultan to conclude an alliance with Russia. Russian officers from Central Asia declare that an understanding ex- lines: ists between the Ameer of Afghanistan and Russia, and an Anglo-Russian war is certain. The latter statement is purely snsational.

That Unfinished Treaty.

London, Oct. 9. A Vienna despatch says, Cavathesdovi Pasha, Turkish envoy, has left

The Politische Correspondez reports that Prince Lobanoff, Russian ambassador, informed Safvet Pasha that Adrianople would be retained by the Russians until the Treaty of Berlin is completely

A Berlin despatch says the Prussian Finance Minister has remodelled the budget, largely reducing the deficiency.

Panacea, Little Maid and Nellie Thorne Gems from Authors .- Shakespere and --

Even as the spade, which throws aside many a useless clod, sometimes reveals a sparkling jewel, so did many of our great writers often in a poor field, find many rich gems of thought. Some of these are applicable to every-day life in all its phases. Take, e.g., the motto of the STAR's inspired pen:

"Before our pen shall Error fly, And Truth the vacant place supply.'

The next we cull from is Shakespere. The second heat was also won by He is in everybody's mouth, and yet the him tell the value of "Content." He

How true!

Here him speak of the fellow who is going to burst things generally, the fellow of swollen principle:

How many cowards, whose hearts are all as 1 As stairs of sand, wear yet upon their chins 4 The board of Hercules, [thank goodness, we

have none] or frowning Mars, Who inward searched, have livers white as

Listen to him cutting to the bond those fellows too lazy, perhaps, to work, who go a preaching without the grace of God or divine calling:

* * * * * "In religion What damned error but some sober brow Will bless it and approve it with a text. Hiding the grossness with fair ornament?"

Even to buffers he gives advice. He

* * * * "Beware Of entrance into a quarrel, but being in, Bear it that the opposing may beware of thee. This is what we hope to do. Immortal Shakespere guide us.

Historical Mots.

CAXTON WAS THE FIRST PRINTER IN

ENGLAND.

Herodotus was the first Historian, Miss Thompson whose book is prescribed by the N. B. School Board, is the

Eleanor was the heroine of the Opera Glasses, Microscopes, crusades. When her husband the Royal Edward lay wounded from the Saracens poisoned spear, she sucked the poison and venom from the wound and saved his life. Just a hint to modern wives.

PETER THE GREAT at review of his troops before some brother sovereigns, wished to show the discipline in his army. The crowned heads stood on the brink of a beetling cliff. Five hundred feet below were jagged rocks, against which the billows beat and roared "Rock-thwarted." Peter signed to an officer of his band, who rode up and pointing over the ledge said, "jump." The officer hesitated looked at the Czar and nervously twitched hls reins. "Off sir," shouted the tyrant, and with a bound, the man went into death, below. This is how the STAR will make people stand round by and

When Julian the apostate was in his gasp, he took a handful of his hearts blood and throwing it at the Heavens, exclaimed, "I renounce thee O Galilean." He must be having a nice time now!

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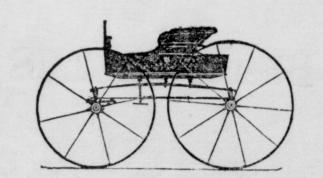
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IN THE SUPREME COURT.

In the Election Petition for the County of York, in which Hiram Dow is Petitioner, The Morning Star will contain

TOTICE is hereby given that the above Petitioner has, on the eighth day of October instant, lodged at the Office of the Clerk of the Pleas, notice of an application to withdraw the Petition, so far as the same is against Andrew G. Blair, of which notice the following is a copy:

"Contested Elections. County of York. "Petition of Hiram Dow, presented twen-

"The Petitioner proposes to apply to withdraw his petition so far as the same is against Andrew G. Blair, upon the following "That the said Andrew G. Blair has vacated his seat under the Consolidated Statutes,

aware of evidence that bribery has been committed by or with the knowledge and consent of the said Andrew G. Blair, and it has been agreed between the Petitioner and the said Andrew G. Blair, that application shall be made to withdraw the petition. 'And prays that a day may be appointed for

"HIRAM DOW, " Petitioner.'

And take notice, that by the Law relating o Contested Elections, any person who might have been a Petitioner in respect of the said Election, may within seven days after publication by the Sheriff of this Notice, give notice in writing of his intention, on the hearing, to apply for leave to be substituted as a Peti-

HIRAM DOW, Petitioner.

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" In the Supreme Court.

ieth day of July, A. D. 1878. Chapter 4, and the Petitioner is not aware and has no reason to believe he will become

hearing his application. "Dated this eighth day of October, A. D.

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