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be expected. One can conceive of there being Brummel once met with a pompous old French

BRUMMEL'S LOVE OF PRACTICAL JOKING .--

WHOLE NO. 868.

Poctry.

NOSEOLOGY.

The nose, believe me, was designed by fate For higher purposes than mere sufflation; And, as the index on a dial-plate Distinctly marks the solar elevation, The facial angle serves to indicate Its owner's mental gra-(or degra)-dation; And clearly shows how fast and far the sun Of intellect. which ne'er stands still, has run.

And thus, more fully to explain my creed, The idiosyncracy of every man-The power to undertake and to succeed In arms or arts-the faculty to plan And vigour to achieve a glorious deed Depends upon the nose's length or span And every mortal actually owes Whate'er he knows entirely to his nose.

In fact, of all the features that combine To give expression to the human face, I hold the nose to be the outward sign Of inward excellence-the crowning grace, Presiding, like a king, by right divine Supreme above the rest in power and place-The foremost leader of them all, whom they Must necessarily follow and obey.

It matters little what its shape must be-For though some forms are favorite ones, and no man Would keep a snub or bottle nose, if he Could change it for a Grecian or a Roman;

due a quarter before seven. Be sure to come. having, the Earthquake might most naturally Yours affectionately, MOLLBE BUSHMAU." How much I suffered from this time up to lings and crashes, but the crust of the old world dered sugar into his hair-powder. The poor

the evening of the wedding, no person ever itself. The poet would hardly dare say, "thou Marquis made his appearance at dinner powdknew, but there was great consolation in know- firm-set earth !" if he lived in our times. Every- ered to perfection, but scarcely begun to eat ing that I was acting from a sense of right and body and everything seems to be going-going, when the flies began to desert the walls and justice, and this alone comforted me. All my and the Earthquake now comes up to us and windows to settle upon his head. The weather plans worked to the fulfilment of my wishes. hints to us in a growl that, if we cannot man. was exceedingly hot, and the flies of course nu Harold agreed to gratify my whim, and Elma age to behave better, we had best be gone. merous. The Marquis relinquished his knife arrived twenty-four hours before the event of Shall we take that little hint ?- Boston Post.

her anticipated marriage. With haggard looks A Dirty Old Shawl and weeping eyes I met her at the door, and if A lady acquaintance lost a valuable shawl. A for a moment I had regretted making a martyr short time after the shawl had been missed, of myself, I could no longer, as I beheld the little girl, evidencing an ancestral poverty, withsituation of the fair young girl who stood before out the "respectable" accompaniment, rounded me. "You have come in good time," I said, to in the presence of the owner of the missing kissing her," and now be wise and all will end shawl, and the stolen garment was at once rewell." cognized.

"I don't know," said the child, "he will hate "Little girl," said the lady, "where did you me so when he discovers it to be me." obtain that shawl?" "Even if he does, he shall never abuse you,

"My father bought it for me," was the ready reply.

you shall live here with me first," I replied. In this manner we continued to converse out of the room in a cloud of powder, followed. Said the lady through the night, and when morning came "I will go with you to your father, and ascerneither of us was the least rested. The next of the company. tain where he purchased that shawl." day we were both very busy in finishing the The little one objected to this proposition. THE WAY SCANDAL GOES .- A wise man preparations for the wedding ; Elma was exact-Party of the first was unveilding in the desire gave his friend this advice: "If you take ly the height of myself and her figure was, al to see the male parent. Every stratagem pehouse in a terrace a little way out of town, be though a little stouter, quite in proportion to culiar to inventive genius was vainly resorted careful to select the centre one-because a story mine. At a quarter before seven we were in when the youngster, in the desperateness of never loses by telling; and if you take the perfect readiness. Elma was dressed and veilher case, pulled the stolen garment from her middle house, the tales which might be circued ; the few guests we had invited were pre-

nothing more to give out, in this chaos of crack- Marquis, and managed to put some finely pow-The famous trotting mare "Flora Temple, was sold in New York a few days ago, for \$15,- .- One of the most remarkable cases of sustenta-Eugenie, Empress, is driving a light pony carriage this summer, with ponies dyed, to match her toilette, and every day a change. A colored woman with a fortune of \$500,000

advertises in the Paris papers for a husband. of \$14,175. Seven years ago he was a bootblack went to Fingal to visit some of his friends. While ness with which they seek to force its immediate and fork to drive off the enemy with his handon Broadway. kerchief, but back the whole swarm came, more

Items Foreign & Local.

T. Douglas Harrington, Esq., has been chosen time alone; and, as he considered; in perfect teasingly than ever. Those of the company Grand Z. of the Supreme Grand Chapter of Roy- health. Immediately on coming out of the water. who were not in the secret could not help wonal Arch Masons in Canada. The Toronto Leader thinks the Canadian Par-

dering at this phenomenon, as the buzzing grew liament will close the present session about the a few feet from the edge of the lake. From that louder and louder every moment. Matters first week in September. grew still worse when the sugar, melting, pour-A lad of 15 died of convulsions, at Salem, oc- er to assist humself or crawl from the spot. And

ed down the Frenchman's brow and face in thick casioned by bathing while heated. The Albany Journal is printed on paper made burning sand and in the scorching rays of a midstreams, for his tormentors then changed their from the bamboo. ground of action, and having thus found a more vulnerable part, nearly drove him mad with

their stings. Unable to bear it any longer, he ed for this purpose. The captain of a vessel now unloading in New London has a hive of bees which came on the veselasped his head with both hands, and rushed

London has a hive of bees which came on the ves-

edy must be sought in the adoption of the federal principle." and provide that if such negotiations were unsuccesful, they would be "prepared to pledge themselves to legislation during the next Session of Parliament, for the purpose of re-A MAN LIVES SEVENTEEN DAYS WITHOUT FOOD medying existing difficulties. by introducing the

tion of life for a lengthened period, without food federal principle for Canada alone. It is perfectly clear that " the existing difficulhas just come under our notice, the truth of which is verified by William Balkwell, Esq., of this city, ties" were the motive and groundwork of the scheme, and that the federal union was only the facts of which we herewith give for the benesought as a means of separating the Canadas-a On the 20th of July, a person working in the separation which the Canadian Government are saw mill of Jas. Hunt, E-q., (brother of Charles pledged in all events immediately to effect-a fact One man in New York is taxed on an income Hunt. Esq., of this city.) near the Five Stakes, which perhaps sufficiently accounts for the eager-

there, he went to the lake to bathe, being at the adoption upon unwilling communities; for they are well aware that did the plan avowedly contemplate only the separation of the Canadas, it would be impossible even speciously to present it he felt a dizziness in his head, and before he had to the Imperial Government as in any manner a time to dress himself, fell prostrate on the beach, scheme of union

Mr. Cardwell is perfectly right in supposing period until Saturday, the 5th August, seventeen that the views and wishes of Great Britain are days, he remained in a fit of stupor, unable eithentitled to great weight; and they will ever be received with respectful attention in this Prov there he lay, during that long weary time, on the ince ; but the Committee feel certain that if there be one view with regard to the Colonies which is summer sun, without food. or the slightest pow-Insurance against horse thieves is the latest er of dragging himself to a place of succor, al- more clearly and distinctly held than another. by Her Majesty's Government and the people of Engenterprise in Illinois. A company has been form- though a farm-house was situated at no great disland ; if there be one wish on their part with retance off. His position was at length providenspect to which there can neither be hesitation nor doubt, it is that the people of this Province and looking after some sheep. About this time, the of others enjoying through the wise liberality of

It is not shape, but size, it seems to me, Or want of size, that makes a quick or slow man; And he who has a nose of small capacity, Will have but little genius or sagacity.

And with the ancient Jews such stress was laid Upon the important organ of enunction, That Moses, when he gave the law, forbade However great might be his ghostly unction, A Levite, if his nose were scantily made, To exercise the sacerdotal function, But instances of insufficient noses Were rare among the followers of Moses. Robert Rockliffe, Liverpool.

> Select Cale. THE VEILED BRIDE on his veiled bride. He kissed the tips of El-AND THE SUICIDE.

Harold Hopkins and I were to be married one week. He had just left me for the last time before the celebration of our nuptials. "It will seem an eternity," he said, as we parted, "but after this week of probation, we shall not part any more until death claims one of us."

"I hope not, dear Harold," I replied, reluctantly drawing my hand from his, and returning to the parlor which we had left a few min utes before. After watching him from the window until he was fairly out of sight, I lay down upon the sofa and like a foolish child began to he was handling coals of fire. cry. Harold was going on a long journey ; what if he should meet with an accident, which would prevent his return in a long time, or be instantly killed? If any such thing should occur I was sure there would be one more victim for the insane asylum, or else, one more grave in our village 'cemetry.

Harold and I had been acquainted but three months, and it seemed to me as if I had known naid, bride, and widow of an hour, and I, his him all my life, and I was sure that nothing nce betrothed ' knelt down by his corpse, and cuity could make me miserable as his absence. For a ept in bitterness together. It is difficult to whole hour I indulged in this train of thought, but was then remineded I must arouse from torshot was instantly fatal, and he died without a turning rapidly to deep black, though all o

por and set myself about some of the tasks which must be accomplished during the week before me. As I arose from the sofa I saw a folded man

uscript on the carpet, which I picked up and of the transgressor is hard." Elma and her once the closest in relationship and the most took the liberty to pursue. The contents were as child often go hand in hand to the grave of the monstrous, there are neither deaf dumb nor husband and father, and the child bears the blind, nor cretins (idiots), nor feeble or defollows:

"BROOKDALE, June 12, 1860. name of the beloved but erring Harold. "My Dear H---:-Once more 1 take the liberty to write you, imploring you to answer and tell me why you have treated me with such What an era is this of startling and shock neglect. You know that long 'ere this, we were to have been married, I still wear the en- ing occurences! The Londoners, in the time of gagement ring you gave me, and have your let- the Merry Charles, fancied it was a kind of high ters, which I still read and reread, unwilling to jinks for them to have a great plague one year believe that the writer of them is false. I can- and a great fire the next. But that was the not think but that you will some day redeem the promises so sacredly pledged to me. Think mildest style of a flea-bite in comparison of what of the utter ruin and disgrace that awaits me if we are getting up and doing and having, in you do not; must I be a mask for the world's this our day of two hundred years later. Nocontempt? Oh, Harold, I am sure you are too body ever saw just such a war as ours, as for good and generous to allow it; think how I have loved and trusted you, and let not one day more the size of it. On top of that came assasinaescape before you either write or come to me. tions, without number, from the President down. Yours still affectionately,

houlders, and throwing it at its lawful owner, lated to your prejudice will only have half the sent, and Harold was the only missing one. A distance to travel that they would if you lived few minutes more of suspense and anxiety and "Take your dirty old shawl : it's not a fashat either extreme, and so you will have twice he too arrived. I was, of course secreted, and onable one, any way?" as good a character as those residing at either he was led into the reception room to look up-

Marriages of Consanguinity. The Archieves de la Medicine Naval of of my advice : 'The servant at No. 1 told the ma's gloved hands and then they joined arms France contain a scrap of eurious information

and went to the drawing rooms where the cererespecting marriages of consanguinity in the old friends, the Bailey's, to pay him a visit mony was at once performed. I stood unobserved looking through a half closed door, through black race

"In 1849 there died at Widah, in the king- to have the bailiffs in the house every day the whole of it. Elma trembled, most of the dom of Dahomey, a Portuguese trader named No. 3 told No. 4 that it was all up with No. 1 ime from head to foot, but Harold looked selfda Souza, well-known to all the navigators who for they could not keep the bailiffs out ; and omposed and happy. I wept almost aloud thinking how disappointed he would be as soon have visited the western coast of Africa. He No. 4 told No. 5 that the officers were after as his bride was unveiled, and what would be was an important personage in the country. No. 1, and that it was as much as he could do

which he had inhabited many years, and had to prevent the levy of an execution in his Eastern funds he result! oh, how my heart palpitated, and my limbs trembled as I stood looking upon the made an immense fortune by trading with the house, and that it was nearly killing his poor scene. Soon the marriage service was over, and negroes. On his death he left behind him a dear wife! And so it went on increasing until a cow which gave birth to 6 calves on the 25th prolongation of life under peculiar circumstanthen Harold raised the ominous veil; as he dis- number of children, the issue of the four hun- it got to No. 32, who confidently assured No. birth to three calves last winter, which are all of the sufferer.-London, C.W., Prototype. 33 that the Bow-street officers had taken up living covered Elma's features he dropped it, as though dred women kept in his harem. The political

policy of the kings of Dahomey being hostile to the gentleman at No. 1, for killing his poor "Why have I been so deceived?" he exclaim- the establishment of a mixed race, the numer- dear wife with arsenic, and that it was confious progeny of da Souza was shut up in an en- dently hoped and expected that he would be applicants for admission to the Asylum for Ine-

Because you, Harold, have deceived?" I said closure by themselves, under the government of executed."--English paper. rushing into the presence of my once adored lov- one of the sons. Here, subjected to the sur-In Lanarkshire there lived a sma' sma' laird veillance of the agents of the king-the most named Hamilton, who was noted for his eccen-

despotic of all the monarchs of the earth-these utery. On one occasion a neighbor waited on and the next instant the report of a pistol and a metis (people of mixed blood) could unite in him, and requested his name as an accommoda-

told me the bridegroom was a suicide. The marriage only among themselves-in other tion to a bit bill for twenty pounds at three words, they lived in the most shameless promismonths' date, which led to the following characteristic and truly Scottish colloguy :-- "Na, In 1863 they counted children of the third na. I canna do that." "Why for no, laird, tell which of us mourned the most deeply. The generation. The color of their skins was reve hae dune the same thing for ithers ?" "Ave,

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mined at last, to do something.)

Snow fell at the White Mountains, on Wednesave, Tammos, but there's wheels within wheels ve ken naething about ; I canna do't." "It's a sma' affair to refuse me, laird." "Weel ye severe hailstorm about noon, and some gardens see. Tammos, if I was to pit my name till't, ve wad get the siller frae the bank, and when the time came round, ye wadna be ready, and 1 Union, reached that city on the 10th, on the way of State for the Colonies, dated 24th June, latewad hae to pay't; sae then me and you wad

quarrel; sae we may just as weel quarrel the " faithful" have deserted the Mormon faith and noo, as lang as the siller's in ma pouch." On returned from the licentious territory.

sel at City Point in May last. When in port, by his persevering tormentors and the laughter the bees go ashore for food : when at sea he feeds them with molasses.

Six beautiful Circassian girls with tremendous heads of hair, are en route for Barnum's new signal he was capable of making, being entirely

powerless to give the slightest sound in the way Lord Palmerston intends to hold on at least a of a shout. His efforts were at last succesful, as few years longer, for he has entered a horse for the farmer, who at first expressed an opinion that the Derby of 1867. the sufferer was some drunken Indian who had wandered on the beach and lain down, went to The King of Bavaria is fond of riding on a lo-

comotive, and indulges his taste to the great alarm his rescue, and was shocked at the sight that met his eyes. There lay the unfortunate man, in the of his attendants. most dreadful agony, shrivelled almost to a skel-Late experiments in a variety of ordinance. eton; his arms and legs reduced in thickness to show the McKay gun to be far superior to any those of a child of a few months old, his eyes thing of the kind yet invented. sunken, his features emaciated and hardly recog-Fifty thousand idiots or imbeciles are supposed

to exist in Great Britain. end. The following fact will prove the wisdom Gladiateur has this season won the Parisian scorched by the rays of the sun beating down updivision something like £100.000. An American journal states, with what truth tered appearance of the poor tellow was indeed servant of No. 2 that her master expected his

we know not, that President Johnson is suffering painful to look upon. Seventeen days before he from a nervous affection, believing himself haunt- was a health, robust being ; now he looks like a shortly; No. 2 told No. 3 that No. 1 expected ed by the ghost of Mrs. Surratt. Political parties in California are known as residence of his friend, and every means is being

Long Hairs and Short Hairs. The Marquis of Drogheda and lady are the

guests of Governor General Monck of Canada. The fact of his being kept alive so long is attrib A detective was sent to Halifax to search the uted to the moisture around the spot on which Asia for the fugitive forger Ketchum. It was re- he lay, and at the same time being able to quench ported that the firm held a considerable sum in his thirst occasionally from the cool waters of the lake, which rippled at his feet. The case is a

Mr. George Straley of York County, Pa., has most singular one, and another instance of the ult., but all of them died. The same cow gave ces. We have been unable to obtain the name

It was stated at the temperance convention at Saratoga, that the names of thirteen hundred rich men's daughters in New York are on the list of State for the Colonies. briates at Binghampton in that State.

The British Government broker, on the 1st in stant, bought £10,000 new three per cents for the reduction of the national debt of England, and £20,000 for other public accounts. It was expected that the national debt purchases would continue at the rate of £40,000 a week until the

end of September. A pugilistic encounter took place in a field outside of Halifax the other day, in which one of body with reference thereto. the combatants named Burgess, was so severely

beaten by the other named Conroy. that he is not expected to live, his lower limbs being entirely paralysed. Conroy has been arrested.

day last, notwithstanding the warm weather hereabouts. At Bradford, Vermont, there was a very were about destroyed. The hailstones remained May it please your Excellency,on the ground till 6 o'clock that evening. A large number of Mormons, says the St. Joseph to the harems and workshops of Brigham and his ly communicated to them by Your Excellency. elders. It is said that fifteen hundred of the

England, Parliamentary institutions and free self poor fellow whose sufferings must have been feargovernment, should act in reference to their own tul, recognized the man at some distance, and enaffairs as seems to themselves most consistent with deavored by every means in his power to attract their duty to their Sovereign and most conducivo his attention by lifting up his hand, the only to their own interests.

To confer on this Province the right of selfgovernment would have been mockery, if, in consequence of its claims to deference as a protector. the wish of the Mother Country was in all cases to be followed whenever expressed, whatever the pinion of those to whom the power of judging has been solemnly entrusted by the Sovereign and Legislature of Great Britain, and who, being on the spot and fully conversant with the subject. considered themselves not unable to judge with respect to their own affairs. When a wish is expressed by Her Majesty's Government, it will be nizable as those of a human being, while a great received with that deference which is due to sugportion of his body was dreadfully burnt and gestions emanating from so high a source, and will be considered with an anxions desire to meet on him during that lengthened period. The althe views of Her Majesty's advisers ; but if such views should unfortunately not coincide with the views of those on whom alone the responsibility of action in the Province falls, the Committee dried up mummy. He was at once taken to the feel assured that Her Majesty's Government will expect and desire that the Government of this taken to restore him, if possible, to health. It is Province should act according to their own condoubtful, however, if he can recover, although up victions of right, and in conformity with the sento latest accounts, he was progressing favorably iments of the people they represent.

R. D. WILMOT, (Signed) T. W. ANGLIN. D. STOW GEO. L. HATHEWAY, A. H. GILLMOR, JR., BLISS BOTSFORD, W. H ODELL. R. HUTCHINSON. Council Chamber. Fredericton, July 12, 1865.

The Secretary of State for the Colonies to the Lieutenant Governor.

DOWNING STREET, 4th August, 1865. Sir,-I have received your Despatch of the 15th July, in answer to mine of the 24th June. It might, perhaps, have been well, that that portion of the Executive Council who are in New Brunswick, should have allowed the communication made to the Colony by Her Majesty's Govnene to be generally known, and considered

The first paragraph of the Minute seems to require no other notice than the observation that transmit to you the copy of a Minute of that my Despatch enclosed for the information of the Legislature of New Brunswick the record of what had passed between Her Msjesty's Government and the Ministers of Canada on the subject of Confederation; and it was therefore impossible for any one to misunderstand the reference, or to suppose that it applied to another and a different

> Notwithstanding therefore your Despatch and its enclosures, I still confidently anticipate that the serious consideration of the Province of New Brunswick will be given to the earnest and friendsuggestions which, on the part of Her Majesy's Government, it has been my duty to convey to them through you. I have, &c., EDWARD CARDWELL. (Signed)

The marriage statistics of England for last ear are interesting: 11 mer. were married who were neither bachelors nor widowers, and 9 women who were neither spinsters nor widows. act ages of nearly two-thirds of the couples married in the year, and generally there is nothing remarkable in the disclosure. More than threefourths, both of the men and the women, were under 30. But there are some entries that certainly are rather remarkable. For instance, two lected. The Legislature was disolved and the 70. Two hundred and twenty-eight girls were married who were only 16 years old, and thirty without waiting even until they were 16. Six youths of 16 must needs take to them wives, all rather older than themselves. The days of our years are three score years and ten ; but this return shows us 177 men and 42 women who made what is called a new start in life after they had passed that boundary. Eight of these men were chelors until, after attaining the age of 70, they married, and three of the women spinsters ; 14 of the men had seen 80 birthdays. Among the whimsies may be noted a man of 92 marrying a woman of 81.

ARTHUR II. GORDON. (Signed) [Enclosure. To His Excellency the Honorable Arthur Hamilton Gordon, C. M. G., Lieutenant Governor and Commander in Chief of the Province of New Brunswick. The Executive Council in Committee have had

under consideration a Despatch from the Secret'y From the language of this Despatch, it would

be natural to infer that it related to some scheme lor affecting an entire Legislative and Adminis

OFFICIAL DESPATCHES.

General Rews.

fit of our readers.

The Lieutenant Governor to the Secretary of

Fredericton 15th July, 1865. SIR,-I received by last Mail your Despatch of the 24th June. I thought it desireable that its

contents should immediately be made public, and I accordingly directed it to be printed in the last I of course lost no time in communicating a before they retuined so decided a reply. copy of the Despatch and its enclosures to my Executive Council, and I have now the honor to

I have, &c.

The Last Visitor.

He turned upon me, gave me just one look.

one occasion Hamilton having business with the Law against enticing into Matrinony late Duke of Hamilton at Hamilton Palace, the

in 1770. Law against obtaining husbands under false Duke politely asked him to lunch. A liveried pretences, passed by the English Parliament servant waited upon them, and was most assidin 1770, enacts :--- "That woman of whatever yous in his attentions to the Duke and his age, rank, profession, or degree, who shall af- guest. At last our eccentric friend lost pater this act impose upon, seduce and betray in- tience, and looking at the servant, addressed to matrimony any of His Majesty's subjects by him thus :-- " What the dell for are ye dance. virtue of scents, cosmetic washes, artificial dancing about the room that gait; can ye no teeth, false hair, iron stays, bolstered hips, or draw in yer chair and sit down? I'm sure high heeled shoes, shall incur the penalty of the there's plenty on the table for three."

law now in force against witchcrafts and like misdemenors, and the marriage under such circumstances, upon conviction of the offending par- (By "OUR OWN SLUGGARD.'- Who is deter Next, fires, collisions, drowndings, and bloody railway accidents. Then explosions of boilers, ties, shall be null and void." ELMA FRENCH."

Although the affair ended disastrous- them preserved some traits of their European

formed from birth."

ly, I could not feel wholly unjustified in the ancestors. Among all descendants of da Souza

out the guilty one has fallen, "Verily the way vation-forming among themselves unions at

course I pursued. The innocent one still lives, -we are able to state this from personal obser-

Shocked, stunned, overcome, I dropped upon of mazazines, of powder-mills, and of arsenals the floor as nearly dead as alive, and it was full of shells and like missiles of war. Next THE EAVESDROPPER .-- Who's he that's hated some hours before my thoughts formed them- rapes, murders, arson, burglary, fratricide, mat. and despised by old and young by men and Monday-Being early in the week, don't be selves into any definite shape. Harold, my ricide, paracide and suicide,-a ghastly, shock- boys, who'll not be grieved for when he dies ? too precipitate in beginning anything. Harold, whom I had set up as an idol, which one ing row. With falling out of the clouds from -the eavesdropper. Who's always looked on Tuesday-Determine not to let the week go hour before I was ready to worship till the end flying machines and baloons, and dashing with contempt; who's mind's always on misby without achieving something brilliant: of my days, now appeared before me a deceiv- into parquets of theatres by acrobats from ropes chief bent ; who never says 'I must repent ?' Wednesday-Resolve on vigorous measures er, the destroyer of a young and innocent girl ! dangling nigh fifty feet in the air. And then -the eavesdropper. Who's round his neigh-Should I, too, consent to her ruin? should I be gigantic swindles and defalcations from banks bor's house by night, and through his window wedded to the man who had made a prior en- and brokers' establishments ; with monster for- takes a sight to see if all are seated right? gagement with another? which he had appeared geries that shake the money centre of the Con- the eavesdropper. Friday-Rather too late in the week to do

to utterly disregard. Never! so I resolved from tinent to its foundations. A gentleman about whose teutonic origin anything that moment, that he and Elma should be mar- It is a dreadful roll of events and occurences there could be but one opinion, was passing Saturday-Give yourself up to society, and ried. She should at least bear his name even to run the thought over. One would believe along the street a few days since, when he consult friends (who know best) what is to be if he deserted her the moment after the law that the laws of the universe had ceased to opcame to a halt before one of the huge posters donc next week .- Puck : San Francisco pamade her his wife; after I had drawn up the erate, and nature itself had begun to reel. We announcing the coming of the Panorama of per. have been holding our breath in fear, wonderplan in my mind I wrote to Elma. 'Paradise Lost.' He read the line, 'A Rebel-

ing what and who was to come next. At last REDCLIFFE, June 15, 1860. lion in Heaven,' when he broke forth as fol-"Dear, injured girl:-I suppose I am the the dread visitor is indeed announced at the lows : ' Von Repellion in Heafin ; Mine Got ! cause of all your misery, but I am not wilfully door. The papers introduced it under the telthat lasts not long now-Onkle Abeish tare.' so. I have received Harold's attentions for the egraph head. It is chronicled with cholera and This day week is appointed for our nuptials. panic, with forgeries and flight, with murder Charley W-, a manly little fellow of a looped-up skirt. If young ladies would but But since I read your letter which Harold acci- and rape and suicide. The visitor is earth- five years, fell and cut his upper lip so badly believe it-a man will be perfectly satisfied many-colored lucifer matches. dently dropped, I have concluded that another quake. It comes growling around, doubtless that a surgeon had to be summoned to sew up with their appearance if their petticoats are spotthan me shall be his bride. My dear Elma, looking to see if it is not about time that this the wound. He sat in his mothers lap during lessly clean and their stockings guiltless of a about. If you will be here on the appointed vast mass of living corruption and wickedness the painful operation, pale, but very quiet, re- wrinkle.

day I think it can. You shall stand beside him were swallowed up out of sight. It is an ogre, solutely shutting back his tears and moans. In closely veiled, during the ceremony, and not all ready to devour the generation that so loves her distress, the young mother could not refrain until it is too late for the words to be unspok- to sin in the very blaze of the light. The tel- from saying, "Oh, doctor, I fear it will leave en shall he dream that it is you, instead of me. egraph told us on Friday that this subterranean a disfiguring scar !" Charley looked up into Harold is willing to humor me in almost any caprice, and I can easily gain his consent to be monster, working away like a mole in the ground her tearful face, and said, in a comforting tone, veiled at our wedding, he will doubtless laugh just lifted the hump on his back at St. Louis, "Never mind, mamma, my moustache will at me for indulging so strange a whim, but I then at Cairo, and finaly near Ogdensburg and cover it !" am confident he will acquiesce before the week in Canada. No doubt the creature is tired of In the universe of God there are no acis at an end. I will write him by the next post and introduce the subject, which I know he will staying alone below stairs, while so much is cidents. From the fall of a sparrow to the fall

treat in a very playful manner, but he will find going on overhead. As none of the good things of an empire, or the sweep of a planet, all is ac- 'Patrick, you fool, what makes you steal after married three other men while losing time with Canada a great measure of the local independance her faithless one. The court was much impress- surrendered by them in 1840. at the end that it is a game serious, but just. are passed down to him by the dumb waiter, he cording to Divine Providence, whose laws are the rabbit when your gun has no lock on it?" The resolutions agreed to by the leading Ca- key, Cornelius McManus, Joseph Hianveau, ed with the statement. I will not speak of the misery it will cost me to seems to be making up his mind to open his 'Hush me darlin ; sure the rabbit don't know A German servant girl fell out of a third story nadian politicians in the month of June 1863, as Wm. Morehouse, Elijah Larlie, Lerit Therriault, everlasting. give him up, since your own already has the appearance of being so much greater. The appointed hour is at seven in the evening, be sure invitation. window at Cleveland, Ohio, the other day, and the basis of the formation of the existing Cabi- John Lynch. John Tohin, Augustine Daigle, Jowould have been killed had not a gentleman net, and adopted solely under the pressure of lo- seph Martin, Samuel Bishop, Daniel Hopkins, that.' "DIDN'T you suppose that I kept a Bible?" caught her in his arms. She asked him if he cal exigencies, contain the statement that "on Duncan Read. Thomas Crozier, Frederick W. and reach here a few hours in advance. Harold "After me, the Deluge," said a sbrewd for- "No, I didn't think that you kept God's word, The proper day for marriages .- Wedd'-" wasn t ashamed of himself," and to be off with consideration of the step most advisable for the Brown, and Nathaniel L. Price, to be Justices of final settlement of sectional difficulties, the rem- the Peace for the County of Victoria. his impertinece. will not arrive till the evening train, which is eign diplomatist. After what we have been as I knew that you never kept your own.

apothegm :--- " The goodness of gold is tried by

fire, the goodness of women by gold, and the

Elwes, the noted miser, used to say, " If

you keep one servant, your work is done ; if

goodness of men by the ordeal of women."

three, you may do it yourself."

There is a family in Detroit of quite unusual trative Union of the British North American composition. The father and mother have each Provinces, which has not yet been made public; been married three times, and have had children but words used in the concluding paragraph ta- Haif of the twenty marriages of divorced persons by each marriage, and are all now living happily ken in connection with various other circumstan- took place in London. The return states the extogether under one roof-six sets of children. | ces, lead the Committee to conclude that it is in-The famous rose-tree planted a thousand years tended to refer to the Resolutions in favor of a ago by the Emperor Louis le Debonnaire, in the Federation of the various Provinces of British eastern choir of the cathedral at Hildersheim, has North America, agreed to by the canadian Parbeen in particularly fine bloom this season, and liament at its last Session. These Resolutions looks fresher and greener than ever. Two shoots have already been submitted to the people of which eprung up from the knotty millennial root New Branswick at the time and in the manner men above 30 married spinsters who were not of the tree in 1863. have attained already the which the advocates of the scheme themselves se- 35; and a girl of 16 was married to a man above height of the roof.

The London Lancet comes forward as the advo- people were enabled to pronounce their decision cate of the custom of writing prescriptions in on the most important subject in the regular con-English. In a leading article on the subject it stitutional mode; and after ample consideration refused by an overwhelming majority to adopt points out the intense absurdity of the present system of abbreviated Latin, and asserts that it the scheme; not because it was novel, as Mr Cardwell has been led to suppose, but because has long been the practice of many eminent phythey were unable to discover any thing in it that sicians to write their prescriptions in their own gave promise of either moral or material advan-Sunday-Day of rest; of course nothing can language tage to the Empire, or to themselves; or that

The last number of Punch contains a picture afforded a prospect of improved administration or of the bottom of the Atlantic ocean, with a group increased prosperity of mermaids swinging on the cable and gamboll-The spirit of loyalth which has always animaing around it. At one side appears old Neptune, ted the people of New Brunswick, and of which who calls ont " Aho-o-o-oy there ! Let that 'ere they have on many occasions given proof, is still cable alone, can't you ?- That's the way 'tother as ardent as ever ; and whenever it becomes neone was wrecked. cessary they are prepared to place all their means

We learn from Hobart Town that the last of and resources at the absolute disposal of the Imthe Tasmanian aboriginal population has shipped perial Government ; but they cannot believe that as a seaman on board a whaling barque, and was the contemplated confederation would either in- Quarter Branch, formerly known as the Confed-Thursday-Mature yesterday's delibera- about to brave the perils of the deep in the whale crease their strength or render it more avail- erate horse lot, causing them to rush pell-mell

The only provident Indian on record is the A large majority of the people of this province Chippewa chief Hole-in-the-Day, who has, in are opposed to any closer political connection filled even with the bordering hills above. No

No man ever felt anything but irritation emphatically what right a man has to . throw

at seeing a woman's gown doing the business of the crossing-sweeper, or attached any value with skylarks, apes, cats, and squirrels ?" to the amount of open work displayed beneath An Exhibition of Industry has recently opened at Moscow, and among the many curiosities, there is a large portrait of Peter the Great made up of

> A schoolmaster recently illustrated his argu- the whole. ment in favor of corporeal punishment for child- The Committee, of course, cannot suppose that out the power to check themselves upon reaching ren by a pleasant piece of witticism. He said the British Government share the ignorance with the end of the gully .- Richmond Times. that "the child once started in a course of evil regard to the history and character of the Federconduct was like a locomotive on the wrong track al scheme which appears to prevail among the A VIRTUOUS COLONY .- Strange as it may ap-

An ancient sage uttered the following -it takes the switch to get it off." It is estimated in the last census returns that newspaper of 20th June to observe that "the in which flagrant violations of the Ten Comthere are two hundred and nineteen establish- two Canadas have put aside their ancient jealou- mandments are unknown, the taste of intoxicaments for the manufacturing of men's furnishing sies, and are ready to meet in a common Legisla- tion liquors a mystery, except to those few who goods in the United States, which represent a ture." in apparent forgetfulness of the fact that may have had the misfortune to be ill, and the capital of \$2,326,500. The material thus made they have so met for the last five and twents years, performance of Christian doctrines in their fulup costs \$3,920,607, and employs 258 male and and very probably without any conciousness on lest extent a matter of daily practice. We al-1568 female operatives. The combined product the part of the writer of the article that the jea- lude to the Pitcairn Islands, in the Southern Sea. of these manufactures is represented at \$7,218,- lousies between the Canadas, said to have been That such a people should be regarded with peyou keep two, it is half done; and if you keep 790 In pleading for damages for breach of promise posal ; and that its authors, in event of its fail- noblest lady in it downwards, who know of their

in New York the woman said she might have ure, are pledged to restore to Upper and Lower existence, is perfectly natural .- Once a Week.

SINGULAR STAMPEDE AMONG HORSES .- Between Fifty and Sixty killed .- On Thursday night last a panic se zed upon the government horses which are penned in the large enclosure near Bacon's into the deep gully which runs between, and heaping them upon each other till the vast chasm way

Minnesota, a fine, splendid farm one mile square, with Canada than that afforded by the tie of a steps could be taken to pull them out till next a comfortable dwelling, a large stock of cattle and common allegiance to the British Crown, and morning, when it was found that upwards of fifty horses, and an income, \$3,000 year, free of income considered that such a union would have a deei- of the poor animals were dead, and almost as many ded tendency to weaken that dependance on the more horribly maimed. Parties living in the The London papers unite in severely condemn. ing the practice of climbing dangerous Alpine British Empire which they so highly prize, and ineighborhood were suddenly aroused from their slumbers by the agonizing screams of the terror peaks for no earthly purpose, and the Times asks cal interests; in which opinion the Committee stricken and dying horses, but not knowing what believe that the people of the other Maritime was the matter became themselves greatly alarmaway the gift of lite and ten thousand golden op- Provinces fully concur ; but even those who de- ed least the thousands who were within the enportunities in an emulation which he only shares sire a Union must fail to discover in the Resolu-closure had become raving mad and tearing away tions adopted at Quebec, any provision whatever the enclosure which surrounded them, might by for the accomplishment of a fusion which, in the their ponderous strength, force themselves into words of Mr. Cardwell's Despatch. would unite their very households. Among the surmises as to in one Government all the British North Ameri- the origin of the stampede, we have heard that a can Provinces, and form a Province uniting in gigantic flock of white geese suddenly alighted itself all the population and all the resources of among the horses, which set them perfectly wild and caused them to dash in every direction, with-

> British public, and which induces the "Times" pear, there actually exists in the world a colony put aside, are avowedly the cause of the late pro- culiar interest by all in this kingdom, from the