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### Local News.

Sailed FOR EUROPE .- Hon. Geo. Brown nd family sailed for Europe from New York yesterday. Mr. Brown's absence will be short.

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THE THEATER TO-NIGHT.—As will be seen by advertisement, the talented Townsend family appear for the first time before a Gaelph andlence to-night in the Town Hall. Mr John Townsend, the manager, is a distinguished actor, who has earned for himself a high reputation both in England and in Canada. The different members of his family are also clever and accomplished players, and form a company which for versality and his trionic talent is seldom met with in this province. The pieces for to-night are. Shakespeare's immortal play, "The Shakespeare's immortal play, "The Merchant of Venice," Mr. Townsend per onating "Shylock" and two capital fare -"The Two Lawyers," and "The Timie Lover." The pieces will be put on the stage with all the accessories of scenery, splendid costume, &c. Such an attractive bill, and such an excellent company, will doubtless crowd the Hall to-night with a large and delighted

### Puslinch Ploughing Match.

The Bank of Montreal. Probably the meanest and most treacherous thing Mr. King, the Manager of the Bank of Montreal, has yet done to injure other banking institutions was to direct the agents of that Bank in London Belleville, and other towns other banking institutions was to direct the agents of that Bank in London, Belleville, and other towns, to refuse the bills of the Royal Canadian Bank, a new and perfectly sound institution. Mr. King has denied that he issued such orders to liss agents, but he did what nearly amounted to the same thing. He ordered those agents to receive the bills "only for collection," which was clearly intended to impair confidence in the Royal Canadian, cause a run upon it, and thus cripple it, if not compel it to suspend payment. It is quite evident that unless some legislative restrictions be imposed upon the Bank of Montreal, it will become a great monopoly, usurping the power which should belong to the Government only, and using it for the destraction of all rival Institutions. —The people of Canada feel deeply interested in this matter, and they should make their voices heard upon it in the Legislative halls.—Hamilton Times.

A WOMAN FOUND DEAD ON THE CARS

On Tuesday afternoon as the day express train going east arrived in London, a lady, whose age would be between 50 and 60 years, was found dead in the ladies' closet. A brakesman on board the train states that he sew deceased shake hands with a person at the Windsor station, named Mrs Crowe, and having entered the car, was observed to be weeping bitterly. Shortly after the train was in motion, the old lady left her seat and went into the closet, and did not come out until the chief of London pol', with an assistant, carried her out, and placed her in the beggage room, a corpse. The coroner was soon on the spot, when an an inspection of her baggage took place. She had on the train with her a carpet bag and two baskets, containing sundries. On her person was found about \$450 in currency, and a small sum in silver. She had a ticket from Detroit to New York, and a check for a trunk with the address "Mrs M. Gallagüer, East Larned street, Detroit." The chief of police telegraphed to Detroit, and no dout the body will be sent to that city for interment.

### LAMPS! LAMPS! LAMPS!

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Expensiones in Ventilation.—An English paper says:—"If the Abyssinian expedition produces no other satisfactory result, it will be the means at least of furnishing us with some useful facts as to the best practical modes of obtaining ventilation. The hospital ships which left London, Sept. 27, have been provided with various contrivances for the administration of fresh air, and the removal of foul air. The relative advantages of these different methods will be tested by surgeons who have been specially trained at the Netley School, and who have gone out in charge of the ships. These gentlemen are provided with thermometers, anemometers, and all the accessory apparatus requisite to test thoroughly the efficiency of ventilation, e.c., and will furnish the elaborate report to the Army Medical Department."

# Evening Merculy. Death of Bishop Strahan

TORONTO, 3. p. m., Oct. 31.
Right Rev. Bishop Strahan, of the Diocese of Toronto, died at noon to-day, in the 92nd year of his age.

South Riding Turnip Match.

prizes were awarded, believing that the practice and experience of such cannot be too widely dissemblanted amongst our brother farmers.

Your committee believe that any remarks or suggestions from them are uncalled for, as the cases in point will speak for themselves, and would therefore most respectfully beg leave to submit the foregoing.

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Guelph, Oct. 23rd, 1867.

Evan McDonald, Guelph township, 52480 lbs. per acre; width of drill, 29 inches; space between the turnips, 14 inches; seed, Sharpe's improved variety, 2 be. per acre; sown from 20th to 25th June; 25 londs well-offed manure per acre; fall wheat stable ploughed in the fall and once in spring with manure. Joseph Parkinson, Eramoss, 69160 lbs per acre; drill, 30 inches; space between 16 inches; Sharpe's and Skirving's seed, 14 lbs per acre; sown June 17th; 25 loads manure per acre; soring wheat stubble.

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harles Head, Eramosa, 40320 lbs. per acres; width of drill, 26 inches; space between turnips, 15 inches; seed, King of Swedes, 1 lb. per acre; sown from the 18th to the 20th of June; 30 loads manuse per acre; cat stubble, ploughed in fall and twice in spring; manure with first ploughing in spring.

Erin Ploughing Match.

The annual Pioughing Match, under the auspices of the Township Agricultural Society, was held on Wednesday, the 23rd inst., or the farm of Mr Robert Kennedy. There were 11 entries in all. The day being pleasant, there was quite a large assemblage of spectators, who manifested a deep interest in the proceedings. The field was well adapted for the purpose, and the work was of a superior character, and very creditable to the ploughmen. Indeed the ploughing in the second class was scarcely, if anything he hind that done by competitors in the first class, and the judges had no easy task in making the awards. Mr and Mrs Kennedy hospitably entertained the officers and ploughmen during the day, and after the match was over Messus Lesson and Higgins, hotel keepers, Bristol, provided an excellent dinner, which was done full justice to by the company, who spent a very pleasant evening at the houses of their entertainers. The judges were Messus, Alex. Kennedy, Acton; Win Tolton, and James Bolton, Eramosa; and Aaron Abbott, Erin. The prized were awarded as follows:

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SECOND CLASS—1st, Robert Everdell, 2nd, James McArthur; 3rd, John D. Currie; 4th, Geo. Hurd, 5th, Chas Fergusson. [All these used the Milloy plough.]

Boys' CLASS—1st, Colin Campbell (McMillan plough); 2nd, Ira Graham [Milloy plough]; 3rd, Hugh R Smith, [Milloy plough]. Halton County Ploughing Match.

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The above match took place on the farm of Mr. Johnston Harrison, in the immediate neighborhood of Mitton, on Tuesday last. Only seven competitors entered the lists. The ground was all that could be desired, only too dry; nevertheless the work was very well done. The ploughmen were hospitably treated at the house of Mr. Harrison. The following are the names of the successful competitors, those in the second class being men who never took a County prize:

MENS' CLASS.—Ist, Jonathan Fetherstone (Stephenson plough); 2nd, Henry Rydal (do. do.); 3rd, Jas. Jervis (do. do.)

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Sometime of a Novelty.—Sir Robert
Napler, of the Abyssinian expedition is a
practical Engineer. It is possible that
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Vienna letters describe M. de Beust as being much harassed by the hostility of the fuedal and clerical parties in the Empire. He has gone to London to see Lord Stanley, with a view to a common understanding between Austria and England on the Eastern question

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Italian Soldiers Deserting to Garibaldi by Thousands.

French Troops Landing AT CIVITA VECCHIA.

Bismarck promises to Interfere in Italian Affairs.

(MIDNIGHT DESPATCHES.)

the revenues of the Italian Government. General La Marmora has been sent on a mission to Paris.

Paris, Oct. 29, evening.—The municipality of Paris gave a grand banquet to their Imperial Highnesses the Emperor Napoleon and the Empress Engenie and their guest the Emperor Francis Joseph of Austria. The banquet took place in the Hotel de Ville, which was splendidly decorated for the occasion. The Emperor of Austria, in the course of the evening, made an elequent and feeling speech. He returned his thanks to the Emperors and Empress, to the municipality of Paris, and to the people of France, for the noble hospitality with which he had been received and selemnly invoked a closer amity between the Empires of France and Austria. In this grand spectacle of international hospitality and friendship he beheld a new pledge of peace for Europe, and a freeling guarantee for the progress and properly of nations. The speech of the Emperor was received, with profound empiror was received to the profound empiror was received with profound empiror was received with profound empiror was received to the profound ent. During the progress of the festival the Hotel de Ville, which was brilliantly illuminated, was surrounded by a vast assemblage of people who repeatedly cheered for Emperor Transics Joseph, and the Emperor and Empress of the French. When the Imperial party at the conclusion of the entertainment passed through the crowd in their carriages, on their return to the Tuilleriss, the most enthusisatic demonstrations were made by the people.

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Paris, Oct. 39.—The Emperor Franci Joseph, on his return to Vienna, will pay King William of Prussia a visit at Berlin It is reported that the Pope has inform ed the French government that if King Victor Emmanuel enters Rome, he, the Pope, will leave.

London, Oct. 30.—No further despatch es have been received from Italy, and no thing is known as to the future course of Gen. Garibaldi.

### To-day's Despatches

(MIDNIGHT DESPATCHES.)

Paris, Oct 29, 10 p. m.—The insurgents in Rome are active. An outbreak is momentarily feared. Garibaldi is six miles and an active and continuous and foreign into the city. The French fleet has arrived at Civita Vecchia and is unloading. The Pope was expected there.

Florence, Oct. 29.—Communication with Rome is cut off. The national diet will soon meet. It is rumored the Italians have crossed the frontier.

Florence, Oct. 28.—The new Cabinet formed by General Menabrea is organized as follows:—Marine and Foreign Affairs, Gen. Menabrea; Home, Signor Qualterio; Finance, Signor Cambray; Commerce, Signor Digny; Works, Signor Contell:
War, Gen. Vale; Justice, Signor Marii, Paris, Oct. 28, evening.—More ships have left Toulon for Civita Vecchia. The Italians will disarm them.

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