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Notice to Advertisers.

Hereafter parties who have con-

2,992,800 men, not reckoning the reign of the Macdonald-Cartier Govern-local troops and the militia. The ment would speedily be brought to a new military organization of France. new military organization of France, close. to about 1,400,00 men. Italy, whose to about 1,400,00 men. Italy, whose war establishment hitherto amounted to 519,630 men, including reserves, proposes to raise a force of from 730,000 men, including reserves, proposes to raise a force of from 730,000 men, including reserves, proposes to raise a force of from 730,000 men, inclusive of the nizms or milital, to 600,000 men. The Turkish army is to be raised from 270,000 men, inclusive of the nizms or milital, to 600,000 men. Finally, the military force of England is to be raised under Mr Cardwell's scheme to 800,000 men. It only remains that America keep a standing army and navy, to correspond with those of Europe, in order to have all the civilized nation of the earth armed to the teeth, and grimning defiance at each other. When all have been sufficiently desonated and weakened, some way may perhaps be devised for superseding war.

EDITORIAL NEWS.

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Public Meeting at Aberfoyle.

ceting of the electors of Puslinch, call-FRIDAY EVENING, APRIL 5, 1872. ed by Mr Stirton, M. P., was held on Thursday evening in the Town Hall at Aberfoyle. Considering the almost impassable state of the cross-roads, and the increased danger of travelling on them Hereatter parties who have contracted verticements in the WEEKLY MERCURY must-bring in their fresh advertisements or give us notice of yeomanry in the district being present, advertisements, or give us notice of the same, on Saturday, before the lirst side of the next week's paper is printed. We are obliged to make this rule in order to prevent the duplicating of advertisements which along the rease now, and so sometimes the case now, and and political to the present worthy is sometimes the case now, and member. A goodly number of Conservatives of the neighborhood were amongst the audience. Mr. Duncan McFarlane was called to the chair, and after thank-The Military Organizations of was called to the chair, and after thank-Europe. ing the meeting for the honor done him, congratulated the Reformers on the recent According to a statement in British papers, all the principal countries of Europe, except Austria, are now reorganizing their armies. Germany is about to increase her military force by 400,000, and Russia expects under if every constituency would send such

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STATISTICS show that the negro race in this country is decreasing especially in large erties.

The United States national debt has been reduced over fifteen millions of dollars during the passed between the two governments relationally in legislative union between Nova Scotia and New Brumswick.

The result of the surveys for the Canadian Pacific line indicates that the line can be built for an average per mile no greater than that of other railroads.

The Tories of Kent have decided upon offering Rufus Stephenson, M. P., as a surifice to the electors at the next election. No one else was willing to die for the party.

The Legislature of Michigan has passed a joint resolution formally opening the canals of this State to the use of the Canadians upon the same terms as our own citizens, provided their canals are also opened to us. This is in pursuance of a clause of the Treaty of Washington. The other frontier States have done like

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Coording to announcement a public return home in June.

MARRIED

TH-SMITH-On the 29th ult., at the Presbyterian Manse, Eramosa, by the Rev. Dr. Barrie, Mr. William Smith, to Miss Mary Ann Smith, both of Eramosa.

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