

GUELPH, ONT., CANADA, FRIDAY EVENING, JUNE 5, 1868.

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Despatches to the Evening Me

BY ATLANTIC CABLE.

Liverpool, June 4.—Mr. John Bri M. P. was entertained this morning public breakfast, given in his hono the prominent mamber of the liver akfast, given in his h ent members of the public breakfast, given in his home the prominent members of the Lib party of his city. Mr. Bright made eloquent and powerful speech. After viewing the policy of the various Tory ministrations up to the present time the question of the Irish Church, he d a strong contrast between the cours the present Premier and that of Giadistone in dealing with the matter advised the Lib trais to put forth all ti strength in the next pariamentary tion, and with great eatnestness warnth of language exhorted the pac-of Great Britain to support the Lib party, declaring the success of adjust he dissension of Ireland and of part ing her union with England. The tinguished speaker was frequently in rupted by applause and loudly ches at the conclusion of his remarks. London, June 4.— Another offleial patch, the last received from Gea Napler, dated ist June, reports that Koyal Crown of the late King Theods which the soldiers captured in Mag' was returned to his Queen, who remarks at the capital. at the capital.

American Despatche

Lancaster, Pa., June 4th.—The fun procession of ex-President Buchanan, the most imposing ever witnessed in country. It extended from his hom Wheatland to the city of Lancasto distance of a mile and a half. His se is computed at \$300,000. Book and the city of Lancasto distance of a mile and a half. His se is computed at \$300,000. The number killed is unknown, but wounded on both sides are in the ho the rebels retired on account a lack of ammunition. Mearly all to in the country are surrounded by the volutionists. The Government is tot unable to pay its creditors ; the sold are in arrears of pay, and many all naked are begging on the street. The Hervild's London special says G Napfer will leave a small detachmen British troops stationed in Abyssinia. New York, June 5—Goulding, the destrian, who is engaged in walking miles in 1000 consecutive hours, acc plished his 965th mile yesterday at hom He walked strongly, and altho very sore from continuous exertion, perfet be be confident of the result, will, if successful, finish the 1000th to-morrow (Saturday) morning at 4 the steamer Win. Pens, from Lon to-morrow (Saturday) morning at The steamer Wm. Penn, from La has arrived.

Meeting of the Synod of the Kirl Scotland.

Meeting of the Synod of the Afra-Scotland. The Synod of the Church of Scotland Canada met on Tuesday evening in Andrew's Church, Kingston. Am those present were the Rev. W. M. F thon, Rev. Dr. Ryerson, and other pron entmembers of the Wesleyan Confare also in session here. Rev. Robert Do formerly of Montreal, was elected Mod ator. There is an unusual large att ance of clergyman and laymen, inc ing delegates from the Lower Provi The delnets to-day have had reference the extension of the Church to Br Columbia, in response to an applica from that Colony, which alluded h fully to its speedy incorporation with Dominion. Mr. Alexander Morits 1 Dr. Mathieson, Principal Snodgras, Jenkins, and other prominent memb took part in the discussions, and spot-thusiastically in favor of the anion of Church of Scotland throughout the D inion as a necessary se quence of inion as a necessary se quence of political union which has been so has consumated. It appeared that \$12 had been contributed by the Church Ontario and Quebec for the purpose meeting the annual deficiency of the dowment fund arising from the ail of the Commercial Bank. An anime and somewhat exciting discussion to place, at the evening's session, on alleged tendency of some members of Synod towards ritualism. It was evid however, from the indignation exhibi-in the general tone of the debate, ritualism finds no favour among staunch adherents of John Knox. inion as a necessary se quence political union which has been so

MFLANCHOLY ACCIDENT.-On nesday a well-to do farmer named A Campbell, living on Haldimand Pla near Cobourg, was crushed to death large mass of stone falling in on which he was endeavoring to bury. body was crushed to a jelly when for by the neighbors.

ANOTHER ELECTION .--- We be

THE GUELPH POLICE COURT. **FREEMAN & FREEMAN** Before T.W.Saunders, Esq., Police Magistrat

SOLICITORS IN CHANCER CONVEYANCERS, &C. CHATHAM, ONT. Chatham, 26th May, 1868 NOTICE TO ADVERTISERS.

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Evening Mercuny.

OFFICE:......MACDONNELL STREET. FRIDAY EVENING, JUNE 5, 1868. LACROSSE .- A Lacrosse match is to b played on Friday between the Guelph

and Paris clubs, on the commons at the

Two boys in Listowel were wrestling

The debt of the corporation of the

town of Owen Sound is \$15,000 principal, and \$8,760 interest. The amount in the

"THE FABLES OF CHRISTENDOM, or the

doctrines preached by the Catholic and

Protestant clergy without foundation in

the Bible." A Lecture on the above sub-

ject will be delivered (D. V.) in the Chris-tadelphian Hall, Sunday, 7th at 2.30 p.m.

A young man while driving from Ba-

RETURNED .- The Rev. James Nesbit,

ing for many years in connection with the

lecture in Toronto the other evening.

a few days ago, when one of them had his arm dislocated at the elbow joint, and

Great Western Station here.

the bone partially broken.

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JOHN McDOUGALL, Purser, Collingwood and Owen Sound May 21st, 1858. wit

TORONTO SAFE WORKS.

deaths have occurred at St. Mary's within a short period. Rupture of a blood vessel was the cause in one instance, heart disease in another, and the ailment of the third who died after a few hours' illness is not mentioned. ANOTHER VILLAIN. - A man named ANOTHER VILLAIN. — A man man and a fine for twelve years and a half. The good conduct procured his release a year and a half before the expiration of his He is married and has been employed as

Before T. W. Saunders, Esq., Police Magistrate FRIDAY, 5.—Joseph Benson was this morning charged by Chief Constable Kelly with unlawfully assaulting him while in the excerdion of his duty. The particulars, according to the evidence, are these: Defendant had been in the employ of Mr James O'Neil of the Anglo-American Hotel, with whom he had a dispute concerning the amount of wages which he was to receive. The quarrel wared hot, and defendant flourished a rusty knife which had been lattely ground up, and threatoned to do some'i'ung very disagreeable to Mr. O'Neil. He left the house making use of this threat, but re-turned again in the evening and ensooned himself comfortably in the kitchen. He was taking tea when the Chief Constable mand, while Mr. O'Neil seized the other. Benson struggied desperately, and in the fracas got out the knife, and inflicted a slight wound on the Chief Constable's finger. His worship doubted whether the man were sane, and remanded him for a week, until the opnion of the Gaol Sur geon could be ascertanned.

New Publications.

London Quarterly .- We have received from the Leonard Scott Publishing Co. the last number of the London Quarterly Review. The contents are : Lord Macaulay and his School, The use of Refuse

Robert South, University Reform, Lord Romilly's Irish Publications, The Farmer's Friends and Foes, The New School of Radicals, Wm. Von Humbeldt, Purchase in the Army, The Irish Church. The Review is for sale at the bookstores

The New Dominion Monthly for June, contains a large number of well written original and selected papers, and has a likeness of King Theodorus. The princi-pal articles are: The Crucible, Peyramus and Thisbie, Fishing in Canada, The Pilgrim's Rest. Chronicles of a Canadian den on Wednesday evening last was framily, Captain Howard's Dream, D-thrown from his buggy and considerably Iberville, Coloured Suns, History of King Iberville, Coloured Suns, History of King Theodorus, Vesuvius (illustrated), The Young Folks', Domestic Economy, and Editorial departments, containing many who has just returned from the Saskatch- matters of interest. Published by John

ewan District, where he has been labour- Dougall & Son, Montreal, at \$1 a year.

Canada Presbyterian Church, delivered a WILKINSON AGAIN -- By reference to SUDDEN DEATHS .- Three very sudden erved that Mr. George Wilkinson is again in the field with a first-class stock of fresh Fan^{*}ly Groceries, which he will sell at very moderate prices

GOOD TO HAVE BEEN THERE .- A man named McDougall, a former resident of Wallaceburg near Chatham, has return-

ed from Penitentiary after confinement there for twelve years and a half. His

WELLINGTON COUNTY COUNCIL. (Continued.)

THURSDAY, June 4. The Council met at 8 p.m.; present 29 members, the Warden in the chair. Mr Whitelaw presented the report of the County Roads Committee, which was as follows :

REPORT OF COM. ON COUNTY ROADS. Your Committee beg leave to report that they have examined the County Engineer's report showing the various contract is by them for the report of the County Roads for the current year, and would recommend that no further expen-diture be incurred except the sum of \$2000, to be laid out as recommended in the report of the North District Engineer also that Mr. Carter, contractor, be paid the balance due h'm for the construction of the Ospringe and Bristol road, in as-cordance with the report of Mr. Cooper, County Engineer. REPORT OF COM. ON COUNTY ROADS.

the report of the North District Engineer; also that Mr. Carter, contractor, be paid the balance due b'im for the construction of the Ospringe and Bristol road, in ac-cordance with the report of Mr. Cooper, County Engineer. Your Committee would recommend that the County Solicitor be instructed to defend the suit of Mr. Campbell against this County for gravel and other damages, and that the Warden be authorized to order payment to Mr. Murton, County Arbitrator, for his time and necessary expenses incurred already in this matter. They would also recommend that the Warden be empowered to sell the lot owned by the Cocrity, in the village of Fergus, provided no more gravel can be got on said lot for the use of the County roads, and full value can be received for the same.

Todas, and full value can be received for the same. Having <u>c</u>iven due consideration to the patitions of certain ratepayers of Mary-boro, praying this Council to assume as a County Road the centre line between lots 9 and 10 of said townships; also the petition of the township Council of Peel, praying the Council to assume and im-prove the ro' 'from the village of Alma to the 3rd concession of Peel; and also the petition of the Corporation of the township of Minto, praying the Council to assume the 8th and 9th concession road in said township form the town line of Howiek to the village of Harriston, as a County road, and have the same gravel-led forthwith. Your committee cannot recommend any further liabilities to be entered into by this County in the assump-tion of any of these roads. Your Committee having taken into con-sideration the petition of certain ratepay-ers of the Town of Guelph in regard to the Guelph and Elimia Road, cannot re-commend the Council to assume any por-tion of said road, but would recommend that a grant of \$3,000 be given to the G. & E. Road Co., upon coadition that they mplet the roads with 'n the limits of the cuuty from the town line of Woolwich to the town of Guelph. In regard to the roads already assumed, your committee recommend that the fol-lowing sums be expended in completion

WILKINSON AGAIN.—By reference to our advertising columns to-day it will be observed that Mr. George Wilkinson is and improvement of said roads :---To no. ight ho 'ergus and Douglas road as far as the village of Douglas the sum of \$3,000; to gravel and improve the Hillsburg and Reading road \$5,000; towards finishing the Glenallan road \$3,000, making in all. the Glenalian road \$3,000, making in all, v. th the grant recommended to the Guelph and Elmira Road Co., the sum of \$14,000, for which sum your committee would recommend that Debentures be issued by this County, payable in twelve years at farthest from the date of the By-law, and that such by-law be introduced this session and published according to law.

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instructed to prepare any plans and speci-fications that may yet be necessary for the Douglas & Garafraxa Road, the Glenallan and Hillsburg and Garafraxa Road, and that the following gentlemen be appoint-ed to let the contracts on the several roads: Douglas and Garafraxa Road, the Warden, Messrs. Grain, Dobbin and Me-Innes; Hillsburg and Garafraxa Road, the Warden, Messrs. Cooper, Cornock, Hunter and McMillan. Glenallan Road, the Warden, Messrs. Grain, Cross and Sutherland. And that as the season is far advanced the contracts be let as soon as practicable. Mr. Mitchell read the Report of the Road and Bridge Committee :--Your Committee on Roads and Bridges

iss practicable. Mr. Mitchell read the Report of the Road and Bridge Committee :--Your Committee on Roads and Bridges beg leave to report that they have con-sidered the petitions and matters referred to them and recommend that the following grants be made for the purpose of improv-ing and repairing townlines, bridges and roads:--Townline between Arthur and Luther \$300; do between Marthur side: Approach to bridge on line between Arthur \$300; Bridge at Mount Forest \$400; Approach to bridge on line between Luther and Amaranth \$50; Town Line between Arthur and Peel \$156; Bridge across Grand River near Fergus \$200; Road in Orangeville \$100; Town Line between Amaranth and Garafraxa \$300; Bridge on line between Peel and Mary-boro, 17 Con. \$200; Town Line between Minto and Arthur \$100; Town Line between Minto and Arthur \$200; Town Line between Minto and Arthur \$100; Town Line between Minto and Arthur \$100; Town Line between Minto and Arthur \$100; Town Line between Minto and Arthur \$200; Town Line between Township of Normanby grant an equivalent and also that the grant of \$100 made dur-ing the same year on the line between Luther and Proton be transferred to the Township of Luther-Proton to give an equal sum. We also recommend that all the aforesid grants be expended by and payable to the order of the Reeves of the Municipalities interested, and that said Reeves report in reference to said expen-diture at the December Session of the Council. With regard to the petition of Peel and Maryboro, in reference to Bridge on the Consetoga River, your Committee believe the matter has been settled by the mutual action of said municipalities.

believe the matter has been settled by the mutual action of said municipalities. Moved by Mr. Swan, seconded by Mr. Jull, that the report of the Road and Bridge Committee be adopted.—Carried. Yeas 19: nays 11. Moved by Mr. Stirton, seconded by Mr Mair, that the said report be not now concurred in, but that it be referred back to said Committee, with instructions to amend the same by erasing that portion of said report recommending certain grants, and inserting in place thereof the following clause: That the sum of \$4000 be granted as aid to the improvement of the several township and county lines throughout the county, and that the said be expended upon said town and county lines in proportion to the amount of as-sessment of the municipalities lying con-tiguous thereto, and interested in the same under the direction and manage-ment of the Reeves of the municipalities interested, and report to this 'Qouncil on said expenditure, and that said Com-mittee do specify the particular portions of said town and county lines upon which said appropriations shall be ex-pended and the sums of each appropria tion. Lost.



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Emclph, 14th May, 1868.

and several of their occupants thrown out and bruised. The loss will be about one hundred dollars in all.

The Council met at 9 a. m.; between the tranship displayed by that gentleman thirty-one members, the Warden in the chair. The Clerk read the minutes. Moved by Mr. Melivin, seconded by Mr. Mitchell, that the County Engineers be

by the neighbors. ANOTHER ELECTION.—We beli that Mr. Angus Morrison, M. P. Niagara, has decided to accept Collectorship of Toronto, that Hon. Wm. McDougall will be appor-ed Judge of the County of York, H Chancellor Vankoughnet will beco Chief Justice, the Hon. W. P. H land Lieut. Governor of Ontario, mr. Gwynne Chancellor. We m say that we are pleased to find the Mr. Gwynne Chancellor. We may say that we are pleased to find the Mr. Gwynne Chancellor. We may say that we are pleased to find the Mr. Gwynne Chancellor. We may say that we are pleased to find the Mr. Gwynne Chancellor. We may admirably. His retirement fr Niagara, or rather the prospect such, has caused quite a flut among the politicians there. Kirby, it is said, has consented to come a candidate, and it is likely the he will be opposed by either. Mr. J. J. Brown or Mr. W. A. Thor son. The rumored appointment the Hon. W. P. Howland to Lieut. Governorship fails to ple the Conservatives, who think fl some one affiliated with their par should be elected. The bar are son what chagrined at the prospect of Hon. William McDougall becomi Judge of such an important Count as York, but we imagine, that the will live to get over their troubly Very little is said in reference to to other appointments.—St. Catheri Journal.