

News Summary.

EUROPEAN.

A blind beggar recently begged of a Scotch innkeeper. He told a painful story. The guide wife fed him, but Boniface quietly put half a crown in the poor fellow's path. The cure was complete. The beggar stopped for the coin, miraculously received his sight—and a basting.

The purpose in the London Zoological Garden has the influenza. He traveled by rail from Boston to London comfortably wrapped in a wet blanket covered with wet grass. He must have sat in a draft—at all events his blowing has turned to a sneeze.

When Lord Lyndhurst got old he 'experienced religion'—a royal Duchess having influenced his mind in that direction. So says the Court Journal.

Beethoven's friends are much annoyed that his bones have been disturbed for a splendid reinterment by the Manner Gesang Verein of Vienna, and say they will resist further proceedings in the matter.

The apartments at Warsaw of the aged Prince Lubomirski were recently visited by Gen. Trepow to search for arms. Several very ancient and curious weapons were seized—one, a poignard with a jewel-hilt, was passed around for examination, and suddenly disappeared. The Commissioner of police who was present denounced the servants as the thieves. The Prince suggested a search of all present; the General assented, and the poignard was found in the Commissary's own pocket.

Prince Napoleon's son was only half baptized at his birth, and now that his father wishes the baptism completed it cannot be done, as the godfather, Victor Emmanuel, is excommunicated, and the Prince refuses to have anybody else.

The British Government is about to establish gymnasia for the soldiers in all the barracks in the kingdom.

Inquiries into English christening statistics show that a person was named Alas—the parent imagining that 'Alas, my brother,' meant my brother Alas. Some people maintained that Elbriss was a person's name, such being written by their grandfathers at the beginning of books.

London milliners have been subscribing to help the victims at Warsaw. somebody says the needle is true to the Pole still.

Three Italians traveling in Tartary have been imprisoned by the Emir of Bokhara, who could not understand what sort of infernal machine a photographic apparatus was. etc. etc. is about as wise as the Cossack who rode at a trombone player in Napoleon's army, and skidded on the performer aiming the bell of his instrument full at him.

Marshal D'Ornano, the last surviving general officer of the old Imperial Guard died recently at Paris, aged 79. He dies with the highest honors which the empire could bestow—a Marshal of France, a Senator, Grand Cross of the Legion of Honor, and Governor of the Invalides. The Emperor attended his death-bed.

'The London Weekly Review' says that at the recent meeting of the Reformed Secession Synod of Holland every member, ministers, elders, audience, and all smoked a pipe. The immense clouds of smoke did not, however, stand in the way of business.

Some London Roman Catholics have been in the habit of performing a service of adoration before the tomb of Edward the Confessor, in Westminster Abbey, on the anniversary of the translation of that Saint. This year, however, the authorities prevented the ceremony by closing the chapel in which the monument is placed.

The Turkish National Exhibition, commercially, proved a failure to the amount of more than £14,000.

The matches between Heenan and King, and Macco and Ryall, are proceeding satisfactorily, and only £100 aside remains to be staked on the part of the first named for their great match for £2,000.

Six hundred and fifty persons per hour on an average visit the British Museum from 10 a. m. to 6 p. m. It is stated of the Museum, that to judge from the attendance, it is of far less interest to the public than it was ten or twelve years ago.

CANADIAN.

It is reported that the proprietors of the cotton mill near Thorold are about to sell the whole or part of the machinery, to be removed to another part of the country.

More troops are expected at London, C. W.

The Rev. Dr. Edward Hincks, Rector of Killyleagh, Ireland, son of the late Rev. Dr. Hincks, and brother of the Hon. Francis Hincks, has had the honor of being appointed by the King of Prussia one of the Chevaliers of the Order of Merit in Science and Arts. The order consists of 30 Germans and 50 foreigners, selected for their superior requirements. Dr. Hincks has long been known as a profound Oriental scholar.

Last week a man named Charles Shepherd, residing at Escott, went from home, leaving two children in the house. Upon his return he found the house in flames and to his horror discovered that both his children had been burned to death.

George Washington Waitt, who was brought before the Montreal Police Magistrate, on Friday, on a charge of inducing men in Montreal to enlist into the Federal army, has been committed for trial at the Queen's Bench on the 24th March. Bail will be taken in \$2,000, in two sureties of \$1,000 each.

A wind mill is being constructed at Kingston, C. W., an auxiliary to steam power, for pumping water to the lake, and supplying the city with water.

A volunteer in one of the back townships has sent a petition to headquarters for promotion to the grade

of non-commissioned officer. His petition is based upon the representation that there are seven officers in his company already, and himself being the only private, is liable to an unendurable amount of drilling.

Our Government land costs one dollar an acre on an average, and champagne two dollars a bottle! How many a man dies landless, who, during his life, has swallowed a terrible township, trees and all. So a young man, who smokes cigars and tobacco to the amount of one dollar per week, wastes a farm of fifty acres each year, what in a short time would be worth a thousand by its mere rise in value.

'The Milton "Champion"' says "The "Illustrated News" of this week is well got up, and is, as usual, full of interesting reading matter. The engravings are also executed in the best style of the art. Taking it altogether, the "Illustrated News" is not only a credit to the enterprising proprietors, but to the Province.

We learn that Mr. E. C. Terrill has purchased a large tract of territory among the Mississippi hills, comprising about two thousand acres, or twenty-five farms; and that gold has already been discovered on several of them. It is thought by many that these hills contain the auriferous quartz veins which yield the fine gold found in the valleys below by Hunter, Morrill Colby, and others. These lots or farms surround the one in which the Hately nugget was found. Many of the streams in the hills give good promise, and the metalliferous character of the ledges in the Hill Range is further confirmed by the discovery of copper on the St. Jacques Farm, and an eight-inch vein of copper bearing sulphuret of iron, on the Powell farm, to the development of which latter property Mr. Terrill has formed an alliance with Mr. Thompson, late of the firm of Hunter & Thompson.

BUSINESS NOTICES.

R. J. S., Elora—Cash received; out of last week's number.

H. L. K., Walsingham—Please remit in future to A. S. Irving, No. 19, King street west, Toronto.

S. F., Mount Pleasant—Cash received; paper sent.

J. E. B., Thorold—Cash received.

J. M., Vittoria—Your letter will receive attention.

J. H. T., Fenwick—Paper sent.

Robert F. Deans, Colborne—Cash received; if our subscribers in Colborne do not receive their papers you are responsible, we will attend to your case in a day or two.

C. J. Ladd, Delaware—Your letter sent to A. S. Irving, Toronto. Cash received.

J. S., Cobourg—Cash received.

C. W. L., Prescott—Cash received.

A. H., Nowmarket—Cash received.

R. F., Niagara—Letter received and attended to.

J. R. Morris, Rondeau refuses to take the News because he has to pay for them in bills. Can our readers in that locality get some reliable man to order the paper for them? If not, got up a cub of 10, remit the cash to the office and we will send your papers addressed to each subscriber, post-paid, and one copy free to the party getting it up.

T. W. Stratford—Cash received.

T. Clappison, Watford—Note received; will be attended to.

John F., Galt—Cash received.

W. A. P., Collingwood—Cash received.

T. B. M., Oil Springs—Cash received; order increased.

Our friends in Cayuga will be compelled to apply to A. S. Irving, No. 19, King Street West, Toronto for the Illustrated News in future, as Mr. Messinger declines to act as agent.

Thos. R., Georgetown—Cash received.

J. W. Queenston—Cash received.

J. H. D., Brantford—Cash received.

A. MoL., St. Thomas—Cash received.

T. F. M., Aylmer—Cash received; letter forwarded to Mr. Irving, who will make it all right.

S. & L., Montreal—It was an oversight of ours, or we would have given you credit. We will do better in future.

D. McMaster, Sarnia—Your papers were posted at the proper time. We will inquire into the cause of the delay. We try to be punctual.

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JAMES CHARLTON, AUDIT OFFICE, HAMILTON, Nov. 28, 1863.

LIVERPOOL MARKETS.

A. R. MACPHERSON & CO.'S REGISTERED PRICE CURRENT. LIVERPOOL, Oct. 17th, 1863.

Table of market prices for various goods including Beef, Prime mutton, Bacon, Flour, and Petroleum.

PETROLEUM.

Table of petroleum prices for American Crude, Canadian, and Imperial Gallon.

INSTRUCTION IN MUSIC.

MRS. JOHN E. MURPHY would respectfully inform her friends and the public, that she is prepared to receive a limited number of pupils for instruction on the Piano Forte, at her residence, Mulberry street, between Park and MacNab. References given if required. Hamilton, June 20th, 1863.

DAVID WALKER, Royal Exchange Hotel and Railway Refreshment Rooms, CHATHAM, C. W. October, 1863. 24-6m

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