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Railways and railway shares,
Mortgages and other debts to the
vince due by the Railway company.
Custom Houses, Post offices, and

Ordinance property transferred to the Colonies by the Imperial Government.

Arsenals, drill rooms, and military clothing, account rements, and ammunition.

Lands reserved for public purposes.

55th. All the lands, mines, minerals and

60th. But if Nova Scotia and New Brunswick do not contract obligations exceeding those to which those provinces are now liable and if these obligations shall be respectively less than seven and eight millions at the time of the union, they shall be entitled annually to 5 per cent on the difference which may exist between the total capital of their obligations and the sum of eight and seven mil-

the powers which the Governments of these Provinces possess through their Legislacures but simply to limit the debts which they will be allowed to bring iato the account against the general government. But the respective Legislatures, after the expiration of five years from the date of the union, will have no power to contract the obligations

just spoken of, 61st. As Newfoundland and the Island of Prince Edward have not contracted debts equal to those of the other provinces, they will have the right to receive an advance from the General Government in semi-annual payments of an amount equal to the interest at 5 per cent on the difference between the amount of their respective debts at the date of the union, and the average of the debt per head of the population of Canada, Nova Scotia, and New Brunswick of the same date.

62nd. In consideration of the transference of the power of taxation to the the general Legislature, the Provinces are to have the per head of the population computed on the population of 1861. The population of Newboundland is estimated for this purpose at able to claim more from the general govern- say that it is very encouraging to us to ment for local objects, and this aid is to b paid them semi-annually and in advance.

62nd. As the condition of New Brunswick is such that that Province must expend immediately a considerable amount from the local revenue, that Province is to receive annually during ten years an additional sum of \$63,000. But so long as her obligations shall remain below \$1,000 000, there shall be deducted from this sum of \$63,000 an amount equal to the interest at 5 per cent, on the difference between the capital sum of the Provincial debt and \$7

63rd. Newfoundland, for abandoning he rights on her mines, minerals, and Crown Lands, which are not yet sold nor occupied shall receive annually \$150,000 in semi-annual payments. But that Province reserves the right to open, construct and control her roads and bridges situated on these lands, which however, shall be subject t the laws, in that respect, which the General Scribe, and to send us their advertisements. Government shall think ought to be en-

64th, The General Government is assume all the engagements which may have been undertaken before the union with the Imperial Government for the defence of the Provinces.

65th. The General Government is cause to be completed without delay the Intercolonial Railway between River du Loup through New Brunswick. 66th. The Convention, attaching

highest importance for the Confederate Pro-North-West territories, and to the amelior ses, engages itself to give effect to these as and we shall be happy to give publicity 67th, The sanction of the Imperial Parthe principles adopted by the Convention.

68th. The deliberations of the Convention ernment; and the President of the Con vention is authorized to submit a copy to the Governor General, in order that he may transmit it to the Secretary of State to the

We extremely regret to hear from Allahabad that her Majesty's 77th at that station has been almost decimated by cholera. The disease broke out about a fortnight ago, and the deaths have since been on an average of ten or twelve per diem. None of the officers had, however, been attacked. At the date of our letter it was found necessary to split up the regiment into detachments, and send them into camp in various directions. It was remarkable that the The barracks of the 77th are blamed for this. The site was condemned by the military authorities two years ago, when first on the certainty and promptitude of the the 77th lost more than a hundred men from administration of justice in their country. fever, dysentery, and cholers; but the Su- Certainly, all the incidents of the and undecided in the matter of laying out murder, the unravelling of a slender clue, the military lines in Allahabad, that no the speedy tracking of the fugitive across shange has taken place, and the spot may new be called "Golgotha"—the place of the

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CASE OF BODY SNATCHING.—This mor-Railways and railway shares,
Mortgages and other debts to the Province due by the Railway company.

Custom Houses, Post offices, and other public buildings, except those reserved by the General Government for the use of the local Legislatures and Governments.

The examination was private, and the whole of the morning was occupied in taking the affidavits of the witnesses, Their statement of the case is somewhat as follows:— A corporal of the P. C. O. Rifle Brigade, named Bennard, died a short time ago and was interred in the military cometery, Papineau Boad. Last week a private named Slater also died, and when the party detailed to dig the grave arrived at the cemeter; royal prerogatives belonging to their Majesty in the Provinces of Upper Canada, Lower Canada, New Brunswick, Nova Scotia, and Prince Edward's Island, for the use of those Prince Edward's Island, for the use of those Provinces, will belong respectively to the local governments of the territories where they are situated; subject nevertheless to the trusts and interests of their parties therein.

56th. All sums of money due by the purchasers or lessees of these lands, mines, and minerals, at the period of the union, will also helong to the local governments.

An examination of the grave proved that this supposition was correct, the coffin being empty, except the shirt of the deceased, which had been left in it. This being the fact, upon the burial of Slater. Sergeant Tarrant, with a guard of men, was ordered to watch! Slater's grave. About 1:30 on Sunday morning, one of the guard gave the alarm that there was a number of persons in the granned and the these serves. minerals, at the period of the union, will also belong to the local governments.

57th. The different provinces will remain respectively in possession of all other public properties which may be found within them; but the confederation will have the right to take such lands and public properties as it may require for the fortification or defence of the sountry.

58th. The general government will assume that there was a number of persons in the ground, and that they had commenced opening the newly-made grave; where upon the whole party rushed out, and the others field. In their flight, one of them sprained his ankle, and, as they were not willing that one alone should be caught, they all gave themselves up. One of them has been wounded on the head, said to have been done by a soldier after head of the head. of the sountry.

58th. The general government will assume all the debts and obligations of the different provinces.

59th. The debt of Canada, so far as it is not specially attributed to Upper or Lower Canada, respectively, is not at the time of John Vices, James Dier, James Williams, the union to exceed \$62,500,000; that of New Nova Scotia, \$8,000,000; and that of New Brunswick, \$7,000,000.

Brunswick, \$7,000,000.

The American Company owning mineral

MORE LAND-SLIDES FROM CAPE DIA-MOND,-The Quebec Daily News says that during the heavy rain of Wednesday night a number of land slides occurred in different parts of Champlain street. A large quantity of rock and earth came down in the spot where the fatal disaster occurred a few weeks gations and the sum of eight and seven millions respectively. There is a like provision for Newfoundland and Prince Edward Island.

The foregoing is not intended to restrain the powers which the Governments of these other slide took place in rear of Mr. P. Cook's forge, Cap Blane, driving the build ing, which, we believe, is a wooden one, from its foundation. Fortunately there was no one injured in any of the places we have named; but the people residing in the locality are all impressed with a constant feeling of dread and uneasiness, and seem to think it is only a question of time when the whole rock will come tumbling down burying beneath it hundreds of human be

Berald

CARLETON PLACE. Wednesday, Nov. 23rd, 1864.

We are happy to be able to inform right respectively to a grant of 80 centimes numerous readers, that the circulation of the Herald is steadily increasing. During the last two weeks we have added fifty-four 130,000 souls. The Provinces will not be new subscribers to our list. We need not ceive such unmistakable proofs that labors to furnish the public, with a good newspaper, at a low price, are appreciated. If our subscription list continues to increase at the same rate, we shall be able to make some further improvements in our paper In the meantime, we shall, spare neither la bor nor expense, to keep our readers posted in the news of the day, -even though we should sometimes be under the expense, as we have frequently been, in the past, of is suing extra sheets, when anything of im portance was transpiring.

There are many of our readers who wis well to the Herald, who might aid us, very materially, by asking their neighbors to sub scribe, and to send us their advertisements. a wide publication to notices inserted in its

We publish, to-day, a synopsis of the new onstitution framed at the late conference in Quebec. Some of the newspapers which have published it, claim that it is genuine, and Truro in Nova Scotia, making it pass others deny its authenticity. We are not in a position to decide which are correct; nor are we prepared to say whether or not vinces to the communication with the its adoption will be for the good of the country. At all events, there is no harm in dis ations necessary for the development of the commerce between the Great West and the cussing the question fully, in all its bearings the views of any of our readers who may liament and of the local Parliaments is to be feel inclined to express their opinions. We sought for the union of the Provinces, on publish, to-day, a letter from a correspondent who takes strong ground against the scheme shall be signed by the delegates, and sub. as it appears at present. We think it will be easier to form a correct opinion when the policy of the government is more fully developed. In the mean time we observe that every Atlantic mail steamer, now, brings fresh English opinions as to the project of Confederation, which is meeting with very favorable reception from the public men throughout the United Kingdom:

Perhaps in no country in the world is the administration of justice so perfect and so complete as in England. Instance the conviction of Muller for the murder of Mr. Briggs after a trial which it is believed has disease this year was chiefly confined to honestly brought punishment to the guilty. Very few natives had suffered. It is true, as the 'News' says, that the English people may well congratulate themselves murder, the unravelling of a slender clue, harbor of New York by detectives sent out in a fast steamer to overtake him, his return The schooner Mario Victorio, from Montreal with the strong circumstant to be confronted with the strong circumstant to the confronted with the strong circumstant to confront the strong circumstant the strong circ to be confronted with the strong circumstan

A telegram to the "Globe" says, the liberal policy adopted by Mr. McDougall in relation discovery of what are called the Iron Mountains, at Goulais Bay, forty-five miles from Sault Ste Maire. The ore is intermixed with dark slate. Further developments may be expected, as active explorations are going on. The Government Surveyor who is running the Indian boundary line, reports finding boulders of iron ore on The American Company owning mineral lands in Goulais Bay propose constructing five miles of railway, to the shore, in the spring, and putting on a force of one hundred and fifty men. It is proper to say that good deal annoyed with irregular applica tions. The regulations require the applicant to furnish plan and description by a provincial land surveyor. Amusing instances are recounted in the Department of persons telegraphing applications for blocks in rear of cortain bays. Of course, no notice could be taken of such applica-

The death of Mr. James Leech, of the "London Punch," is a great loss to the editorial staff of that paper, with which he has been connected for over twenty years. The London correspondent of the "Globe" pays him a just tribute. In referring to his ability, he asks-How delicate was his satire; how bonnie were his English girls how charming his children; how admirably he hit off all the peculiarities and changes of costume and dress. The swell had no friend in him, whether he belonged to the upper ten thousand or to the Jeames class of aristocratic servants. The Bond-street dandy was as mercilessly caricatured by him as the Billingsgate costermonger; and while lous enough, there were others which gave a bright hue to the happy homes of England Poor Leech died of overwork-that malady which, during the last few years, has taken off so many of our best men. His mind was ever on the rack for subjects-his pencil and the hand which guided it were never at rest. His income was, of course, a very large one —for years past it is said his earnings have averaged fifty pounds a week. But his family were a dead weight upon his energies; not the members of his own houshold, but relatives who if report speaks truly, were ever ready to take advantage of his bound-less good-nature. He expended thousands of pounds in these channels alone. For the ast ten years he has been slowly dving. His nervous system was so shattered that the organ-grinders tortured him like the rack; and when, partly to escape this species of torment and partly to be near his old friend and schoolfellow, Thackeray, he moved to Kensington, he unfortunately found himself in the neighbourhood of a workshop, the noise of which fairly dis-tracted him. For years past he had scarcely ever been seen to smile, thus adding another example to the many on record of humourists who had a canker at their hearts. These humourists, too, do not get through their work as easily as might be expected. Tom Moore spent many weary hours over some of the shertest of his satirical poems; and Charles Dicken's little the 5th of November, between the Fenians funny dialogues cost him infinite pains. and the Orangemen. The trouble is not Yesterday John Leech was buried in Kensal Green cemetery, almost by the side of his departed friend Thackeray—only a little demanded from the city authorities the murgirl's grave separating the two resting There was not a dry eye in the crowd, and even the elergyman's voice was at times the officer in charge of the police who seized rendered almost inaudible by his emotion. There were none of the titled aristocraev present; but the throng included those rhom Leech loved best-authors and men of letters, his own colleagues of the press, and almost every artist of celebrity. the night of his death a child's party was to have been held at his house. Now nothing remains for the children whom he loved but to plant flowers on his grave.

We have great pleasure in publishin such incidents of successful medical treatment, in difficult cases, as the following The "Ottawa Citizen" says-"It is our pleasing duty to record a matter of local in terest, in connection with the General Protestant Hospital of this city. Last month, a man named H. Mathers, 40 years of age, entered the above institution, in expectation of having his thigh amputated, for a trouble-some disease in the knee joint, commonly called white swelling, which had been a source of great suffering for over thirteen years. However, in order to save the limb, the formidable operation of cutting out the entire knee joint was performed by Dr. J. A. Grant, assisted by the Hospital staff. The case is progressing most favorably, there being now every prospect of an entire success. This is exceedingly gratifying, as it will be the first recovery from such an operation in

It is reported from Quebec that Parlia-

Liberal party in the constituency.

Riflemen, Attention!

The Carleton Place Rifle Company will -On the 19th of September Governor Kento the Lake Superior mineral lands, in the muster, for drill at the School House on nedy opened the fourth Session of the Vanregulations of the 3rd of March last, has Wednesday evening, at 7 o'clock. All who couver Legislature. The Governor asks told already. The result is a complete vin- can attend should do so. The inspection for its views respecting the proposed union direction from the charges made by the will take place on the 7th of December and with British Columbia. The Victoria press Leader and other journals in the interest of the company need not expect to be reported oppose this unless Vancouver with the old monopoly. It will be remembered that efficient, nor receive their pay, unless all the smallest population has an equal number of lands had been sold in 6,000 acre blocks, members shall have put in their sixteen days representatives. The legislature has howthat the arrears were unpaid, and that the drill. It is true, the last order provides ever, adopted resolutions favorable to the minerals were locked up. Mr. McDougall that the Cantain may hand in a special cer- union. Among other matters to come be promptly perfected the faulty regulations, tificate, in case of "illness or other reason- fore the legislature are the question of and ordered sales in 400 acre blocks at \$1 able or unavoidable cause" of absence from education, the relations between white men per sere cash. The results are that about drill, of one or more of the men; but there and the Indian tribes, and postal communi 30,000 acres of unsurveyed and otherwise are many who absent themselves from mus- cation. British Columbia papers report an unproductive Crown Lands have been sold, ter, time after time, for whom no excuse abundant supply of gold. The supply of Carried and \$30,000 each received. The points at can be made. They will, we fear, be the goods was so great that traders are glad to which the sales have been made are Thun- means of preventing the company from sell at any price. Dr. Rac of the overland der Bay, Black Bay, St. Ignace, and Batche- being reported efficient, and of being paid. telegraph had arrived at the mouth of the waung Bay. Some fine specimens of iron To enable all such to make up their time, Quesnell. He came down from Fort George ore are shown in the office of Mr. Devine, the Captain will attend as many drills as in a cance with one Indian. John Fraser, who has charge of Upper Canada mineral may be necessary, between this and the inlands. These specimens are from the late spection. The order, to which we refer, is dated 31st August, 1864, and is as follows:

An efficient Volunteer Corps shall be taken to mean s Company, the whole of whose members unless prevented by illness or other reasonable or unavoidable cause, which shall be specially certified by the Officer commanding the Company or Battalion, shall have complied with the requirements in respect to attendance at drill and target practice hereinatter laid down, and which shall, except for cause certified as above, parade its full strength at inspection, and shall at such inspection perform the exercises hereinafter appointed under the command of its own Officers, to the satisfaction of the Inspecting Officer, and whose clothing, arms, utrements and equipments shall be reported to be in proper condition.

No pay will be allowed to any individua

and woe-begone change their grim aspect Volunteer whose Company is not efficient.

BRIGADE ORDER The undermentioned Volunteer Corps. naving completed their course of sixteen days drill for the year 1864, will muster fo the annual inspection, as below detailed:

GANANOQUE RIFLES. Capt. McCrum, Corps Dec. 1, 4 p m., Ar mory Dec. 2, 9 a. m. GANANOQUE GAR. ARTILLERY. Capt, Jones, Corps Dec. 2, 10 a.m., Armory Dec. 2. 9 a.m BROCKVILLE RIFLES. Major Crawford, Corps Dec. 3, 4 p.m., Ar mory Dec. 3, 11 a. m.

MERRICKVILLE RIFLES. Capt. Gwynne, Corps Dec. 5, 1.30 p. m. Armory Dec. 5, 11.30 a. m. FITZROY INFANTRY, Fraser, Corps Dec. 6, 10 a.m.; Ar mory Dec. 6, 10 a.m. PAKENHAM RIFLES.

O'Neil, Corps Doc. 6, 2 p.m.; A mory Dec. 6, 8:30 a.m. CARLETON PLACE RIFLES. Capt. Poole, Corps Dec. 7, 3 p.m.; Armory Dec. 7, 11 a.m. PERTH INFANTRY.

Morris, Corps Dec. 8, 1:30 p.m. Armory Dec. 8, 10 a. m. PERTH RIFLES, Lieut. McLaren, Corps Dec. 8, 3 p.m. IROQUOIS GAR. ARTILLERY.

Cant. McDonell, Corps Dec. 9, 3 Armory Dec. 9, 1 p. m. PRESCOTT 2ND RIFLES, White, Corps Dec. 10, 1.30 p. Armory Dec. 10, 10 a.m. PRESCOTT GAR. ARTILLERY, Roebuck, Corps Dcc. 10, 2:30 p. m.

PRESCOTT 1ST RIFLES. Jessup, Corps Dec. 10, 4 p. m. Armory Dec. 10, 10 a.m. OTTAWA ENGINEER, Sinclair, Corps Dec. 12, 1:30 p. m. Armory Dec. 13, 10 a. m.

Armory Dec. 10, 11:30 a.m.

OTTAWA 3RD RIFLES, Capt. Gallway, Corps Dec. 12, 3 p. Armory Dec. 13, 10 a, m OTTAWA GAR. ABTILLERY, Capt. Forrest, Corps Dec. 13, 1:30 p. m. Armory Dec. 13, 10 a. m.

OTTAWA F. B. ARTILLERY, Workman, Corps Dec. 13, 3 p. m. Armory Dec. 13, 11 a. m. W. H. JACKSON, LT.-COL. Brigade Major.

Brigade Office,

Brockville, 15th Nov. It is very much to be recretted that extent as they are in Canada. All lovers of their country have heard with regret of what has lately taken place in Toronto, on derous pikes taken from one of their number by the police. Sergeant-Major McDowell the pikes in McGuire's house, was served with a lawver's letter informing him that unless the pikes were at once returned to McGuire an action would be brought against him for the recovery of them. McDowell cannot comply with the demand, as the weapons are in the hands of the authorities of the city, by whom, no doubt, they will be retained till the law compels them to hand them over to these who claim them as their pro-

perty. The case is undergoing investigation before his Honor, Judge Harrison. gret, of the death of Mr. Desbarats, one of the Queen's printers in Quebec. This event has epened up the question of the best us have one parliament, one legislative countries. and most economical mode of having the cil, and one governor. Local affairs could public printing of the Province done, in the be trusted to committees from the various future. Mr. McDougall—the Provincial decisions (like an elective committee) in local Secretary—is already applying himself to matters would be final. the task, and is examining and comparing the different systems of public printing in France, England and America.

The Hen. George Brown sailed for Europe, on Wednesday last, on public business the whole is attainable. Besides the whole matter will be subjected to the revision of the Imperial Parliament, and that august body will consent to no measure which will confer with the Imperial authorities in would tend to assimilate the institutions of the Imperial States. The child-ren thinking her asleep, tried to waken her, and not succeeding, began to cry. Presently they espied a gentleman, in a hunting suit, and running towards him, besought him would tend to assimilate the institutions of the Imperial authorities in the succeeding to the Imperial authorities in the succeeding to the Imperial States. The Child-ren thinking her asleep, tried to waken her, and not succeeding, began to cry. Presently they espied a gentleman, in a hunting suit, and running towards him, besought him to help them to waken granny. The hunterman followed by another content of the Imperial authorities in the succeeding to the ground, in a fainting fit. The child-ren thinking her asleep, tried to waken her, and not succeeding, began to cry. Presently they espied a gentleman, in a hunting suit, and running towards him, besought him to help them to waken granny. The hunterman followed by another content of the succeeding the succeeding to the present of the succeeding the succeeding to the succeeding reference to colonial defences and the NorthNotwithstanding the ample details which

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Horton Council,

VANCOUVER AND BRITISH COLUMBIA: Meeting opened at ten o'clock, forencon.

and Farrall. The former minutes read, and approved. A communication from the Receiver-Gen-

session of council. Mr. Bennet and Mr. Degg were authorised to advertise the closing of the Bruley road, from Bennet's Corners to the government road, which they have done, but as a counter petition has been presented to this council, praying that the said Bruley road be kept open for the use of the public generally, we therefore, Resolve That the said Bruley road, from Bennet's Corners to the government road, as heretofore laid out, be still travelled and kept open. -Carried

formerly of Hawkesbury, C.W., on William

Upper Ottawa Correspondence.

being steadily pushed forward, and, in a

eating, drinking, feasting and dancing Nothing like being merry these hard times

t makes the countenances of the harrassed

for a time, and clothe themselves in smiles.

TOWNSHIP OF M'NAB.

PEMBROKE.

thing to say in that matter.

ime. Money seems to be scarce.

The steamers of the "Union Fr

The Brockville and Ottawa Railway is

Moved by Mr. Eady, seconded by casioned by the want of spikes; but they were forwarded on Monday last, and the work will now progress rapidly. It is said that as soon as the cars enter Arnprior, the people of Renfrew are to have a grand cents, which Mr. Jamieson, Treasurer, demonstration—a dinner, a supper, and a ball. The delegates from the Maritime Provinces were kept in a jolly state of excitement during their stay here, and imitating their example the lieges are determined -Carried to celebrate the great railway approach by

Moved by Mr. Eady, seconded by Mr. McNab, Resolved, That there be an order drawn on the Treasurer in favor of Mr. John Gibbon, contractor, for the repairing of the Bonechere bridge at the flat rapids. for the sum of \$55.—Carried.

prior Council are about to block up. A new Moved by Mr. McNab, seconded by Mr. road has been made, and a good one, and I Airth, Resolved, That this council do think the Township fathers of McNab are adjourn for one hour. giving themselves unnecessary trouble for In accordance with the adjournment the

council do now meet again.

A good many tenders are now in the and Farrall. Building Committee's hands for the comple-Moved by Mr. Eady, seconded by Mr. tion of the County Buildings; backed by Airth, Resolved, That this council do hereby appoint Mr. James New and Mr. William good securities, and it is to be hoped that this vexed question will now be finally settled. ady commissioners to procure cedar for the The Provisional Council is soon to meet, in covering of a bridge at, or near, Mr. New's order to give out the contract, as it is expected the buildings will be completed next nummer. Then there will be a struggle for offices. A Sheriff, Clerk of the Peace.

the Crown, Crier, &c., &c., must be ap-Moved by Mr. Airth, seconded by Mr. the time. pointed, and there will be rare masterstrokes McNab, Resolved, That this council do now New York, Nov. 16. - The Herald's of intrigue attempted. The Pembroke people expect all the offices to be distributed amongst them; but Mr. McIntyre has some-Treasurer for the same. - Carried.

BOATING.

Airth, Resolved, That whereas our Clerk pointed to the vacant chief justiceship, and has been furnished with a copy, from the Major Gen. Butler brought into the war dewarding Company" will stop running next week, and then Arnprior will be the great resort as the depot and terminus of the new and William Feighney's and other lots of ernor Dennison being already in the Cabinet railroad. It will not proceed further than Arnprior this winter, and it is questionable whether it will go further at all for some -Carried.

To the Editor of the C. P. Herald. SIR-We have always been opposed to By order the scheme of Confederation, and are now more than ever against the plan as semi-officially laid down in the Montreal Gazette. There is too much machinery, too great a NORTH LANARK ELECTION. complication in the cumbrous affair that the Conference has laid before the public. Local legislatures, and local departments and local povernors must, by the very nature of things, ome time or other, sooner or later, clash with the general government; then dissatisfaction, discontent and factious opposition to anything affecting the general good must follow. It is all very well to draw out sentiments, opinions and resolution on paper—to draft a constitution calculated to take the whole of the British American colonies within its scope and under its working; but when the matter resolves itself into a material reality, difficulties will arise and obstacles intervene, which no human foresight could prevent and no prognostications, howver mature, could indicate. Besides all the difficulties which may arise to distarb the harmonious working of certain colonies under the ægis of the new constitution, the matter of expense must be taken into consideration. The expenses for the adminis-tration of the government and the items in The expenses for the administhe new civil list must swell out the expenditure to an enormous extent; and as all the expenses are to be defrayed by the general

covernment, and by those sections of the Con-ederation which are most populous, Canada would have to bear the greater share of the ourden. We are now deeply in debt, and federal parliaments, federal departments, and federal governors would not diminish our liabilities or decrease the taxes which must be imposed upon us to meet every contingency. As a matter of necessity the expenditure must be trebled, and who is to new and untried man might sometimes forepay this augmentation. The people of Canada. The largest share must be paid by us, consequently our expenditure would be double of what it is at the present moment. There is only one thing in the scheme of the Ottawa Union in the remark that "North the Ottawa Union in the Remark the Union in the Remark that "North the which we approve, and that is the affirmation of Ottawa as the Capital of the Confed-

If we are to have a union at all-if it be absolutely necessary that a legislative union must be effected—let us have it pure and The whole scheme must be submitted to

Minutes of the sixth meeting of the municipality of the Township of Horton, held according to adjournment, in the Town Hall, on Monday the 7th day of November, 1864. Present : the Reeve, Eady, Airth, McNab

A petition from David Price, and others, against closing the Bruley road, read.

Moved by Mr. Eady, seconded by Mr.

McNab, Resolved, That that there be an order drawn on the Treasurer, in favor of Mr. Thomas Clark, for the sum of twelve dollars, as agreed on contract for repairing some places on the Opeongo road .-

Moved by Mr. Eady, seconded by McNab, Resolved, That, whereas, at the last

McNab, Resolved, That there be an order drawn on the Treasurer for an outlay in advertising the closing of the Bruley road, amounting to three dollars and thirty air be pleased to pay to Mr. Bennet and Mr. Degg, the said sum of three dellars and thirty-six cents covering the expenses already laid out, together with eight pence postage.

The temporary station at Arnprior is com-pleted, and all they are now waiting for is Moved by Mr. Eady, seconded by Mr. McNab, Resolved, That this council appoint Mr. Thomas Clark, and Mr. William derby, commissioners, to have the bridge at The Municipal Council of this Township Mr. Ferguson's., the bridge at Mr. Clark's, has petitioned the County Council to keep and the hill above Mr. Farrall's repaired. open a road which has been travelled for thirty-four years, and which the Arnsaid repairs not to exceed five pounds .-Carried

Present : the Reeve, Eady, Airth, McNab

Clerk of the County Court, Deputy Clerk of -Carried

irer, of a certain amount of back taxes, due on Mr. Duncan McIntyre's, Butler and Governor Brough, of Ohio, but Mr. Thomas New's, Mr. Duncan McGregor's the latter was dropped on account of Govland, they are hereby ordered to be struck off the Collector's Roll for all time to come.

Moved by Mr. Airth, seconded by Eady, Resolved, That this council do adjourn until further notice.

JAMES JOHSTON.

As briefly announced in our last issue. Mr. McDougall has been triumphantly returned for the North Riding of Lanark, the electors thus repudiating the blot which a York, for disposition in the prize courts. few designing and impotent politicians would cast upon them by nominating a Conservative for election in this staunch Reform Riding. We do not agree with some who December. have written on this contest, that it was one in which the Federation principle was involved to any great extent—Mr. McDougformer than because he was a member of the principles of the scheme which is so much talked of in some circles. When Mr. Bell was offered an office, it was a very graceful cial's Washington special says later Rich tribute of respect which his constituents mond papers are received, and they show conferred on him by electing Mr. McDougall in his stead—and nobody will be inclined to deny that Mr. McDougall is a very worthy successor to Mr. Bell. For seventeen long years Mr. Bell has represented North Lanark, and not one vote has been given during that long veried that has not be strictly for that long period that has not be strictly for is suspected here that the rebels are entire-the interest of the party of which he was ly unprepared for this grand coup of Sheran adherent. This fact has been very grace-man, and they have perpetrated a great fully acknowledged by the result of the con-blunder in sending Hood to invade Tentest. His retirement many view with some misgiving, inasmuch as it would be a matter beyond the range of possibility to secure the services of a representative whose career would be more free from political mistakes day. and inconsistencies which they imagine a go on the impulse of a moment of excitement, Lanark has done well. A more intelligent vain for the missing body of electors cannot be found in the eastern shore of Vir Province. It has chosen an able man. The constituency is worthy of its member, and the barges were laden. Four men were on board these barges and are supposed to have and that whatever becomes of the Coalitie or its scheme, we are gratified that Mr. Mc- There is no news from the front, Dougall represents a Central Canadian constituency;" and further, that the Ottawa section stood badly in need of a representative of ability combined with trustworthiness. -Perth Courier.

AMERICAN NEWS

Cincinnati, Nov. 16. A despatch says that about fifty rebel risoners at Camp Morton succeeded in scalng the fence on Monday night, about torty

Over 2,000 men left Indianapolis, Ind. esterday for the front; 5,000 still remain in camp there.

The Cincinnati Gazette's Nashville de spatch says that the rebel army under Genaral Hood, numbering 30,000 men, is still oncentrating in the vicinity of Florence

Headquarters, Army of the Potomac Nov. 15.—The rebels have lately been playing a sharp game in front of a part of our line near the Appomattox. At this point there is a small creek in front of our works, across which they have built a dam, which has threatened to force back our picket line to a dangerous extent. To counteract this movement. General Egan, devised works which he superiutended personally. On visiting a part of the line on Sunday night a rebel sharp-shooter succeeded after several attempts in wounding him, the ball entering the right arm, passing down several inches painful, but not dangerous. He goes home to-morrow on leave of twenty days, and it is to be hoped he will be able to return to his command by the time his furlough ex-

A sharp fight occurred between the rickets last night about ten o'clock, which lasted about an hour without any noticeable result.

W. D. McGREGOR. Portland, Nov. 16.—The steamship Nova Scotia arrived here at 3 o'clock A. M. Her news has been telegraphed from Cape Race. New York, Nov. 16.—A steamer, supposed to be the Quaker City, was seen at 8 M. on the 12th inst., lat. 34.45, long. 75.30, chasing another, upon which she was gaining

The reported capture of Augusta, Ga., by Gen. Sherman, is treated by the military authorities here as a pure canard. There is po information here to make the slightest foundation for the rumor-even if Gen. Sherman is marching in that direction he has not yet had time to reach Augusta, and there is no expectation of hearing from him for several days except through the South.

ern newspapers. The Tribune's Washington special says, the report gains currency that Mr. Fessen den will be succeeded by R. J. Walker. Secretary Stanton's illness is so severe his physicians have advised him to abandon

his official anxieties. The Times' Washington special says Gen. Hancock has been temporarily relieved of his command at his own request, to attend to his wound.

Portland, Nov. 16.-The U. S. revenue cutter Mahon Webster, reports going into residence, the timber to be sound and good, and to be left on the ground, as the said fired upon by a battery, while two miles and council have granted the sum of six pounds a half distant. One blank cartridge and for the same, the logs to be sixteen feet long. two excellent live shots fell short. She had her colours flying. It was blewing a gale at

take up the municipal officers' accounts, and Washington special says :- It is now reducdraft orders for the different amounts, on the ed to a certainty that between now and the meeting of the Supreme Court, on the first Moved by Mr. Eady, seconded by Mr. Monday in Dec., Mr. Stanton is to be ap-

> The Commercial's Washington special says Gen. Butler had an interview with the President to day, and it is already reported that he has been assigned to command an important expedition and that he will not return to the army of the James. His

> speech in New York is warmly commended. Richmond papers say Sherman was at Atlanta on the 7th. No allusion to his movements since then can be found in the files received, nor can it he seen as previously stated, that they offer any advice preparing the public for startling news of his operations.

The Florida has been ordered to New The Post's Washington special says runors are abundant that our Government will offer generous terms to the rebels before

Bermuda dates on the 8th instant, state that the pirate Chicamanga arrived on the all was elected more because he was a Re- 5th, and Fatham Hole on the morning of the 7th, for repairs. She had captured a present Cabinet, or because he favored the bark and two schooners. Names unknown besides those already reported.

New York, Nov. 16th .- The Commor

St. Johns, Nfld., November 15th.—The steamer Canada, from Boston, via Halifax for Liverpool, passed Cape Race on Sun-

New York, November 16th.—Gold closed at 2261. Stocks at Gallagher's.—Gold, 2282; Erie 982.
Fort Monroe, Nov. 15th.—The steamer

evening of the 13th inst., has returned. Captain Williams reports having searched in vain for the missing boats, but found the eastern shore of Virginia strewn with railroad ties supposed to be those with which perished. Their names are not known here.

It appears that the stimulus given to coton cultivation in Egypt and Syria by the high price of cotton, consequent on the American civil war, has caused a considerable emigration of Jews from Morocco to A poor old woman with her two little the above-named countries, where they the different legislatures, and it is absurd to grandsons went into the forest, near the suppose that the people of these provinces would finally adopt a measure which is to pick up sticks and rotten wood. Being treble their expenses, when one source of weak, hungry, and tired, she presently fell license fee on every Jewess quitting his license fee on every Jewess quitting his dominions.