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J. L. STEWART, EDITOR. see Auction column. MONDAY EVENING, JAN. 19, 1874

The desperate efforts of the Government to defeat every man of brains who their appearance in this list. is likely to criticise their acts in Parlia-ment excite suspicion. Why this mor-Election Cardbid fear of men of ability who refuse to promise allegiance to them? Why this tragic appeal to the electors to keep Charles Tupper, James Macdonald, Peter Mitchell and A. L. Palmer out of the **Commercial Union As**

Commons? Why, when their Onturio majority is sure to be very large, Dog Lostthe demoniac efforts to oust Sir AUCTIONS. John Macdonald from a seat he has Clothing, &cfilled for thirty years-a seat in which On First Page: Men and Things at his hair has turned gray? The Govern Ottawa; and Notes and News. ment have no need of his seat; their 'On Fourth Page : Saturday's Second majority is large enough without it; but Raition, satur a sus antimust is a treater they fear criticism; they are conscious of crocked ways that expose themselves to criticism; and no crime can be greater in an independent candidate than Trade room, this morning : brains. The doctrine is that a strong opposition is necessary-that doctrin with strong breeze; nothing in sight. as propounded by one of the speakers at the Saturday evening meeting-and order longer than any other Organ made. yet they want to have every member elected as a pledged supporter of the For testimonials apply to Landry & Mc-

Government! a odd sheathe ilie 1 Carthy. is the set och it. The meeting called by the self-styled Brevities.

Reformers," Saturday night, afforded It was the daughter of Mr. Robt. Robinan opportunity for the incongruous elements of the office-seekers' party to son of Carleton whowas choked on Saturcome in conflict with each other. The day The younglady had only recovered with which the elections have nothing t whole proceedings were as good as a fo adiptheria, and the expressions of sym- do and in which they take no interest. any one not looking for an office pathy for the parents' affliction have He made one important statementin the Custom House. Every speaker, been many and warm. This is the fifth seemed to have his own end to serve, child they have lost. He made one important statement—a statement that seemed to explain fully the cause of his anxiety to defeat Mr. his own particular spite to gratify, his A Division of the Sons of Temperance Paimer-and that was that it was the

own disappointment to declare. There was organized at Woodstock, on Mon- wish of the Mackenzie Government that was unanimity in one thing only-scan- day evening last, by Samuel Watts, Esq. St. John should elect pledged supporters dal; this they all talked glibly. Mr. The Division, says the Sentinal, opens of any policy they might choose to fix on. dal; this they all talked glibly. Mr. Blis has followed up his threat by an nouncing himself as a candidate. He believes in brains, and offers his to his party. His candidature will weaken the of old clothes. The alarm was given, "Reform" candidates.

"Reformers" chances, of course. An anxious and aimless one out West water thrown on the fire, except a few Jones, excusing his absence.

pailfulls. thought she had got matters nicely fixed for life by saying "yes" when a Mr. How proposed to make her the partner of his domesticity. But the abominable creature broke off the engagement be-creature broke off the engagement be-the decision was to instruct all the friends others had acted corruptly or foolishly. What he tried to say was a long

A Wrangling Reform Bat-ification Meeting -A Row in the Grit Camp.

ssion and had served the public faith-For advertisements of WANTED, LOST, A meeting was privately called Saturfully he had a right to expect a seat on FOUND, FOR SALE, REMOVED, OF TO LET day evening, the notice having been such the bench. He would resent the unfair that only the annexationists and old aspersion on gentlemen of his profession. He was happy, he said, to see so many of those before him with whom he had gone Antis were likely to see it, for the ratifi-Advertisers must send in their favors cation of the candidates of Mr. J. W. before 12 o'clock, noon, in order to insure Cudlip and Mr. John Berryman-these through previ

gentleman being facetiously known as Lee's Opera House "the Reform party in convention as-Amusements— Lee's Opera House Election Meeting To-Night— Election Card— Isaac Burpee do John V Ellis do John Berryman and others do John Berryman and others conclusion he said he supported th

motions, and the latter to add dignity to whole ticket. Mr. Weldon's speech was Mechanics' Institute Lectures-H Lawrance Sturdee Files, &c-T McAvity & Sons floor and gave the signals for applause. that have been made on Mr. Palmer by mmercial Union Assurance Co-A C & G E Fairweather bulder Braces-g Lost-C McLauchlan & Son Hanington Bros was expected that Mr. Wel close his speech that gentleman of Grit Government. He then made an E H Lester appeal for the dismissal of clerks and and bit his lips other officials, so that friends of the preindirectly praisi was evident dist sent Ministry could be rewarded and honesty ensured! He said this in the

tone of a man who is obeying orders, looking askance at the Minister of Cus-Mr. J. Travis Point Lepreaux Weather and Marine Reports toms for approval. Mr. Burpee slightly The following is the telegraphic report nodded, while Mr. Berryman disapprovlawyers as th him, and made from Point Lepreanx to the Board of ingly shook his head. This was the first Mr. Pugsley ha of "our party" evidence of dissension in the meeting. 9 A. M .-- Wind S. W.; cloudy and mild He said the chief work of the present pose Mr. DeVel Mr. Ellis, in r Government would be undoing what the latform. His cl old Government had done. At this The Estey Organs will stand in perfect Mr. Berryman again shock his head medand his grey nothly bru itatively, as though the old Government ook of defiance. had accomplished much that he did not wish to see undone. Then Mr. Lawrence

INDIAN INK MEZZOTINTOS at NOTMAN'S talked, a great deal about Sir, George Cartier, who is dead, about Sir John Macdonald, who is a candidate for Kingston, Ontario, and not for St. John, and

but it was not necessary to have any A letter was read from Mr. Simcon

Hon. Mr. Burpee spoke next, and tried gation of Richmond, a few weeks ago, presented their Pastor, Rev. Kenneth McKay, with a handsome new sleich, and lump Mr: Burpee. story about what he said at the last elec-Wild Life. tion, what he thought of the prorogation, what he thought of the conduct of Capt. James Hobbs has been canvass-Capt. James Hobbs has been canvass-ing the city for his work entitled "Wild r have be successful beyond his most san-guine expectations, as his work is re-plete with the wild scenes of the bor-der, and contains much valuable in-formation. Major Overton, Isaiah Wal-ker, Irvin P. Long, and ether well known citizens endorse Capt. Hobbs' work as a tyuthful narrative, having been present in with him in some of the scenes described is in Mexico, and having known him from other members of Parliament, the side on which he had taken a stand. He was a great reformer, but didn't say what he would reform. He confessed that on the whole he was not a great orator, but he assured the electors of St. John that Mr. Blake, who was head and shoulders over any other man in the House would do what talking New Brunswick might need done. He then took up the strain about the dismissal of officials, and man.-Kansas City Times. was understood to intimate that any opposition to the ministerial candidates would be cause for dismissal. Mr. Lawrence announced that Mr. De-

Telegraph. Øy but lawyers could be appointed judges? When a lawyer had risen high in his pro-

Canadian, British and Foreign.

TTo the Associated Press.]

LONDON, Jan. 17 The extensive flour mills at Leith were almost totally destroyed by fire last night. Loss £250,000. Four hundred hands

hrown out of employment. Breadstuffs quiet; amount of bullion gone into the Bank of England on balregarded as an able reply to the attacks ance to-day £10,000. NEW YORK, Jan. 17.

ion would return of The Director and fast closing up again. rival candidates for Parliament, and it e return of grew red feldon was and there countenan-for the Directors of the Lake Shore and Michigan Southern Railroad voted it in-expedient to pay in February semi-annual dividend on stock. The Chief Justiceship remains unset-tled, and it is thought nomination will not be made before next week. don would

LONDON, Jan. 18. THE WAR CLOUD.

The threatening article in the North he support German Gazette last week on the policy he had dared opof France with regard to the Papal question excites uneasiness and indignation in Rome and Paris. L'Opinion Nationale took the gry flush. says that notwithstanding their recent success the Prussians are still ignorant

of that nobleness which refrains from insulting the conquered. that a public man weed not be a good DISCOUNT AND EXCHANGE. speaker was nonsense. After hearing Mr.

The Directors of the Bank of England Maher's able speech he was sorry that to-day fixed the minimum rate of dis leman had not been chosen as the count at the Bank at 34 per cent. lidate of the party. A great party like The rate for money at the Stock Exthat of Reform should choose men acchange to-day on Government securities quainted with Parliamentary practice and

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itutional law-men who can under- is 21 per cent. MADRID, Jan. 18.

stand and discuss questions that arise in SPAIN. Parliament. Such men were in the party Gen. Dominiquez has been appointed and they had been overlooked. He (Ellis) had been a consistent member of the to the comma nd of the central army party and had a good mind to test the operating against the Carlists. stion at the polls. [Applause and The railway viaduct at Toquella fell isses.] Mr. Burpee had not split his yesterday, and 33 workmen were killed.

party but he had left it when he failed to The publication of three more newsapprove its action. [Cheers and hisses.] papers of Madrid has been suspended by Mr. Jones was a very good man, but the the Government NEW YORK, Jan. 19. party would not vote for him. Four boys from the Telegraph office REPORTED DROWNING

real.

A special from Grand Rapids; Michigan who had been shouting "Elder !" "Elder !" at every opportunity, were now silenced says the report is current there that by the breaking up of the meeting in while some people were skating on the consternation. A consultation was held river at Burr Oak on the Michigan South-



He was glad of it. He was against nominating Mr. Weldon, a lawyer, becaase lawyers no sooner got in Parliament than

Mr. M. W. Maher made a fluent speech evidently referring to the cards of Gov-

disgusting scramble for office, and nomi-Vestern Extension Ry., Port Philip Free Stone, 50 Exchange Bank Sterling, 60 days, 914; Do. do., sight, 978; Drafts on U. S. currency,

Insane through Jealousy making the Pacific Railway a Govern-

attack had been made on lawyers, he got hold of a dagger and again attempt- National, hard or soft coal

Agents wanted to canvass this city and vicinity. M. McLeod, General Agent. St. John Stock Exchange.

A partition was put up for Bayles's acnodation, and he took that with him also. In tearing down the partition he destroyed the ceiling and otherwise injured the place. On inquiry Mr. Pugsley learned that the horse and sled of an auctioneer had been seen at the place late at night, and he went to Mr. Maher's place and found the partition, counters, etc., exposed for sale. Mr. Pugsley has made a complaint against Bayles at the

vestigated.

City Police Court.

The dock this morning had very few occupants for Monday. Some arrests received from his wife, and Wm. Cleave-

otte street and fined \$8.

A young man created consternation in one of the city hotels last night. He is a John Thomas drunk and shouting in Brussels street, was fined the same sum. clerk in a dry goods house and is en-William Quirk, arrested in Waterloo, gaged to a young lady in the city. For some time he has complained that the Robert Smith, in Union, and John Mar-

(Late ANGUS MCAFEE),

then he expressed a great desire to jump from his window. All the time he raved and many and and all the stores preof his false one. He was finally quieted Call and examine them

and put to sleep with some of his com- ship and Mill Castings, Ship Windlasse

panions to watch over him. This morn-ing he is better, and the "temporary in-#3⁻ Tin, Lead, Copper and Sheet IronWork

The ocean steamer Coldrado is now five days overdue at San Francisco Co-

Cheating a Landlord.

OVERDUE.

G. R. Pugsley, Esq., leased the basenent of a house at the foot of the Market to M. Bayles and a man named Home. They were partners in the liquor business, but, as it didn't pay, Home in a short time left the city. Bayles carried in Mexico, and having known him from his b yhood as a truthful straightforward on the business, but would pay no rent, so he was sued by Mr. Pugsley, who got a judgment against him last Thursday

Mr. Bayles was not to be caught so easily, so he left the place and took all his pro-perty with him. That was not all he did. BOARD ROOM, Jan. 17th, 1874. Shrs 1/2 yr Ask Bid police court, where the affair will be in-

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were made, but the partles were not in the Station, peculiar circumstances having secured their release. Of this number were Wm. Bailey, who was sent home to his family on a petition being land, who was let go under other circum-

Patrick Higgins was arrested in Char-



house were called to look after him. He



