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New Orleans, August 20.—On Monday morning last, Dr. Eux Guideray and Felix Solinu, who had quarrelled at a ball, met in the old grand prairie, St. Landry parish, to settle the dispute by a set fight. One hundred persons had as interested in the said that the persons and the property of fist fight. One hundred persons had assembled. After the fist fight, a combat with pistols, growing out of an old feud between Guideray and others present, re-sulted in the killing of three men and the wounding of the fourth.

#### Guelph Evening Mercury

Sir Hugh Allan has returned to Ottawa. An apparently very confi dential intercourse between himself and Hon. Mr. Langevin has been noticed, and in the morning he had an interview of great length with Sir John A. and Hon. Mr. Langevin. It is thought that the subject of their conference was the general drift of evidence that it will be necessary or advisable to give before the Commission.

2:17 a.m.; 9.45avm.; 1:50 p.m., 6:00 p.m., 6:30 p.m., 11:00 a.m.; 4:12 p.m. al. 8:33 p.m.

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Hon. Peter Mitchell left on Wednesday for the Maritime Provinces Hon. Dr. Tupper went thither some days ago<sup>a</sup> Hon. Hugh Macdonald has also gone. Mr. Mackenzie's trip to the sea coast has stirred up the Privy Council to an alarming extent.

The Royal Whitewashing Commit-tee are busy arranging preliminaries for their investigation, which will, it is announced, be commenced next week and pushed through with the utmost rapidity. Sir John is a close observer, and personally directs all their proceedings.

THE Ottawa Reform Association met again on Tuesday night. The constitution and by-laws were adopt-ed and a large number of new mem-bers admitted. The prospects of the Association are extremely gratifying.

HON. MR. SMITH, of Westmoreland, N B., who at the Ottawa indignation meeting asked all that had signed the memorial to pledge themselves to ignore the Royal Commission, and refuse to ra cognize it in any way, was up to that time a strong supporter of the Ministry and has always been held in great respect by the Government party. He it was who was offered the Governorship of his Province on the expiration of Governor Wilmot's term, his claim to the first position in the Province being conceded on both sides. With the example of so worthy a man to guide us, we cannot be accused of partizanship in regarding the Commission as a sham and urging the public to support their representatives in treating it with the contempt it deserves.

The first action of any importance for some time back in favor of Free Trade in the United States was taken the other day by a Farmers' anti-Monopoly Convention at Des Moines, Iowa. Some 250 delegates, representing one-third of all the Counties in the State, were present.

following anecdote, or rather quotes it from Daniel Dougherty, one of Philadelphia's ablest lawyers and most brilliant raconteurs :- Guy kept the National Hotel in Washington, and among his guests was General Cass, then Senator from Michigan. Guy dressed like Cass, and although not as portly, his face, including a Western friend of the house come in after a long ride, dusty and tired, and, General Cass, who was quietly standing there. Mistaking him for Guy, he slapthere. Mistaking him for Guy, he slapped him on the shoulder, and exclaimed, "Well, old fellow, here I am!! The last time I hung my hat up in your shanty one of your clerks sent me to the fourth storey; but now that I have got hold of you I insist upon a lower room." The general, a most dignified personage, taken aback by this startling salute, cooly replied, "You have committed a mistake, sir. I am not Mr. Guy; I am General Cass, of Michigan," and angrily turned away. The Western man was shocked at the unconscious cutrage he had committed; but before he had recovered from his mortification General Cass, who had passed around the office, confronted him again, when, a second time mistaking him for Guy, he faced him and said, "Here you are at last! I have just made a devil of a mistake; I met old Cass, and took him for you, and I am afraid the Michigander has gone off mad." What General Cass would have said may be well imagined, if the real Guy had not approached and rescued the innocent offender from the twice-assailed and twice-angered statesman.—Editora's Drawmen, in Harper's Magazine for September.

A Tea Swindle.—It has been discovered that a New York firm have for some time past heep appeared in what. ped him on the shoulder, and exclaimed

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by many citizens to avert the murderous fresh water to remove the salky taste from design of the mob. Mr. Blair, of Fort Scott, used his best endeavors to save the life of Keller. His remarks were temperate but not sufficient. Elder Gares was then called for, and offered prayer for Keller, at the close of which Keller was taken by twelve men and hanged.

New Orleans, August 20.—On Monday propring last. Dr. Env. Guidaray and sound teas and offered for sale. Governments of the more thanks and offered for sale. dirty stur. It is said that the persons interested in the swindle have already been effered \$55,000 for the tea as it stands. The Board of Health have prohibited its sale as being poisonous, but how effective this formal action will be in regard to the matter remains to be seen. The impression is that it will be disposed of among the poorer classes, by the rascals who are working the plot.

THURSDAY EVENING, AUG. 21, 1873

Grand Trunk Railway Trainsleave Guelph as follows:

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Going South. 6.50 a.m., 11.45 a.m., 1.05 p.m. and 5.04 p.m. Going North—12:00 a.m. for Southampton mixed 1.40 p.m. for Palmerston; 5.50 p.m. for Fergus; \$.15 p.m. for Harriston.

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8	"	ground "	"	1.00
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THE FORTY SIXTH SEMI-ANNUAL SES-

EXECUTOR'S SALE-

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the Counties in the State, were present. Resolutions were passed maintaining the competency of the State Government to interdict excessive freight charges on railways, denouncing the back pay "steal," extravagant expenditure, &c., and demanding that iron, salt, lumber, and woclien and cotton fabrics be admitted duty free.

John Guy and General Cass.—In years gone by there dwelt in Washington John Guy, a character in his way, in connection with whom Colonel Forney tells the following aneedote, or rather quotes it from Daniel Dougherty, one of Philadel-TARM FOR SALE — Being west half

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A Tea Swindle.—It has been discovered that a New York firm have for some time past been engaged in what may be termed doctoring tea, or what may be termed doctoring tea, or what may be termed making saleable a vast quantity of condemned tea, by giving it the appearance of the genuine article.—The tea now undergoing this strange.

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process was a part of the cargo of a vessel which struck on a rock, knocking a hole in her side, and for sixty days the tea was immersed in the sea water in the hold. When it finally reached New York it was officially examined and was pronounced rotten from its long soaking, and the price brought for 9,100 chests was but \$500. After purchasing the tea, the owner employed some common mud soows in transferring it to an obscure malt-house. The tea was washed in

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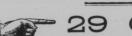
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