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From the Montreal Herald.

THE SPEAKERSHIP. On their return to their own Chamber Mr. Cayley rose to propose that Sir Allar N. McNab be the Speaker of that House Excitation, Attraction, Repulsion, Induction
I stribution, and Transference, of Electricity.

Gavin Russell.

Carlton Place, Feb. 12, 1848.

This article, on the interesting and highly important subject of Electricity, is from the pen of our "dearly beloved" companion, the talented and scientific Dr. Gavin Russell, of Carleton Place, in the District of Bathurst. We are sorry that we are not at present in possession of his two former articles on this subject; but as many of the most influential gentlamen of the District have spoken to us on the necessity of an additional Medical practitioner in Goderich, source of great gratification to him to be able to remark, that from expressions which had fallen from the Hon. member for the

arnois, and Mr. Hincks for Oxford; the Commons of opposite political leanings.—
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as he would feel if it were proposed to as he would feel if it were proposed to place in the Chair some gentleman who could speak nothing but French, and to whose decisions he should be called on to yield, as to the limits within which he should be restrained. Certainly, the gentleman whom he was about to propose was pre-eminently fitted for the office. He was acquainted with most of the members, and enjoyed the goodwill of every one of them, as much as the hone, gentleman already proposed. His dignity, knowledge of parliamentary law, and urbanity of manner, were also as great, and had endeared him to members on all sides of the House; nor did he know any other person who could be selected, so little obnoxious to adverse he know any other person who selected, so little obnoxious t opinions. He moved that the Hon. A. N. Morin should be Speaker.

From the Globe.

THE PARLIAMENTARY SESSION. The FARLIAMENTARY SESSION.

The first session of the new Parliament is now engaged in transacting the business of the Province, and the proceedings can be looked forward to with satisfaction, for the people of Canada are now fairly represented. With great pleasure we remark that the choice of the Speaker has been succeeded by acts of substantial and prompt justice to three individuals deprived of their vote for that important functionary, by the

SCOTCH AND ENGLISH FARMING.—There seems to be a great desire on the part of the English agriculturists to assimilate their system to that pursued north of the border. We begin to export farm servants for the purpose of effecting the change. Two very respectable young men set out on Tuesday, carrying with them a fund of experience acquired under Thomas Mackenzie, Eaq. of Ord, from whose ploughs they go to till the soil of England. This certainly does hon-Tache, Gngy, Hincks, Burnit, Armstrong, Scatt (Two Mountains), Rosseau, Thornson, Leurin, Gnillet.—51.

Nars.—Wilson, Bely, G. Sherwood, H. Sherwood, Cayley, McDonald, Badgley, Crysler, Webster, McLean, Robinson, Sir A. N. McNab, Malloch, Meyere, McCon and have any necessary explanations made in his own language, by the person to whose plantions made in his own language, by the person to whose decision it was his duty to bow. He felt an affability of the conceived that the necessity for respectable young men set out on Tuesday, carrying with them a fund of experience acquired under Thomas Mackenzie, Esq. of Ord, from whose ploughs they go to till the soil of England. This certainly does honour to our country, as it acknowledges a greater advance in agricultural science.—

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HURON SIGNAL.

FRIDAY, MARCH 10, 1848. CONSERVATISM AND RADICALISM.

"And that Press which shall much longer continue to oppose the onward progress, so far from being directors in the great movement of covernment, will not be permitted to turn even me of the inferior wheels in the machine. In our last we gave an article from the

Cobourg Star, of winch this paragraph is a part; and when we read it, we did think that the muddy clouds of factional prejudice were begin-ing to vanish from the political horrizon, and and delical presidence in Goderich we caretrain a kind of distant bept have many yet have the pleasure of secing Dr. Ressell destroy that the committee of the that, in the language of the Star,—"Our Con-servative brethren instead of sighing for the good old times of irresponsibility. atticle which has completely upset, not only our tind and feeble anticipations, but also the entire series of his former article. His definition, or explanation of Conservatism is so purely unintelligable, in fact, so a tirely abstract, that it has no relation to any tangible existence, and therefore precludes all place as one of the poets of Scotland, was a place as one of the poets of Scotland, was a place as one of the poets of Scotland, was a place as one of the poets of Scotland, was a place as one of the poets of Scotland, was a place as one of the poets of Scotland, was a place as one of the poets of Scotland, was a place as one of the poets of Scotland, was a place as one of the poets of Scotland, was a place as one of the poets, while Tan. ingible existence, and therefore precludes all place as one of the poets of Scotland, was citiesm or examination; and his character of an attorney's copying clerk; while Tannahill, also of the same country, a poet, surpassing perhaps Ferguson, was a weaver.
Esop was a slave. Homer was a beggar.
Daniel Defoe was apprenticed to a hosier.
Demosthence was the son of a cutler—
Hogarth an engraver of pewter pots. Virgil was the son of a baker. Gay was an apprentice to a silk necreer. Ben Jonson was a prentice to a silk necreer. Ben Jonson was a prentice to a silk necreer. and on a larger scale, than it has ever existed in any other country. We would suppose that he ould have invited us to look upon the national inorance, the universal licentiousness and interpretation in the country of the country o

known—they are certainly however, a mighty dozen—His return home—Won't tempting to substantiate the apparent proposition of the south, and Hibbert and Tuckersmith, on Services and Mr. Hingke for Oxford; the like by my of the 12. The usual relative proposed to the larger of the Course of the Colory of Star.

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tion to the present condition of that science, just as absurd as i: would be to compare the

ess to indulge in vague speculations and conless to indulge in vague speculations and conjectures; or to draw imaginative pictures of the comparative merits of Conservatism and Radicalism; the facts are before us, and around us, and we have only to look at these facts, and the question in decided. And we would wish to be shown any great important beneficial change that has taken place in any country, and more especially in Canada, that has been affected by Conservatism; in fact the thing would be a contradiction in terms. The "Star" seems to present of at least three-sevents of the entire of the contradiction in terms. The "Star" seems to present of at least three-sevents of the entire of the contradiction in terms. Conservatism; in fact the thing would be a contradiction in terms. The "Star" seems to lament the want of an Aristocracy in Canada; and we can always sympathise with the sighing, but we have not one sigh to expead upon this subject. We admit an aristocracy of mind, and where it exists it requires not an act of parliament, nor a parchment constitution, to give it supremacy, that is its inherent prerogative from God; but an aristocracy of wealth, wielding a supremacy of polisical power, has been, and ever will be, while it exists, a moral plague spot on society. May Heaven protect Canada from such lenterprise; and the millions of money which: society. May Heaven protect Canada from such enterprise; and the millions of money which a visitation. Mind is the only distinguishing could and would be valued to support a viguet

Columbus was a weaver. Franklin was a bricklayer. Porson was son of a parish clerk. Prideaux, was employing to sweep Exeter College. Akenside was the son of a butcher. Pope was the son of a mer-

HURON DISTRICT. The Township of Biddulph lies on the East side of the London Road, and is bounded on the South by the Township of London. It is thickly settled, having a population of 1,217. At the last Yankee victory in Mexico.

remittances to Britain, have been the means of bringing out numbers, and we are persuaded that rest, cannot be satisfied, till that same degree of there are now many persons enjoying a com-fortable existence in Canada, who only for these these who gave it."—John Lock.

Here, then, are two authorities whose names and fully as high on the scale of thinking men pendently of this fact, we again state our conviction, that the zeal which they manifest for ness, and suddenly into sleep. There is no their own interest, is laudable; and had the dreaming in this state; the entire brain is at th belonged to the conservative government of British Government and its Agents in general, rest or rather in a kind of tremulous buzzing ir day; and we rather think that Pitt was been only as zealous and as persevering in selling jumble; every fibre, as it were, shivering and employer and paymaster of Edmund Burke. land, and settling the country, we think Canada shaking; but so very confusedly and feebly that would now have presented a very different aspect.

So far as we understand, the terms upon which ing even the disjointed thoughts or fragments of

nada would not acknowledge them in the sent state of the country. Still it is exclusively in consequence of a practical illustration Lock's sentiment that the present family of inover occupy the British Throne. But, in for the Clergy Reserves 8.3d, per acre payable in eight annual instalments, or living animal, but otherwise, the sleep is the force of the clergy Reserves 8.3d, per acre payable. the Reformers or Radicals of Canada with the very moderate, as the settler, by paying the yearm with a design of severing their coanexion in Baitain. The idea of establishing repubanism in this country at present, is so truly posterous, that the man who would attempt solutions of Louis Joseph Papineau, or to tax ly sum of five pounds for eight years, or four on her part, throws off a large portion of the posterous, that the man who would attempt field, on the lake shore, north of Colborne, beadvocate it, is nearly ready for the asylum. sides 600 acres appropriated as building lots in the village of Albert—contains 62,038 acres; would be likelier to succeed in Ireland, and the village of Albert—contains us, would be likelier to succeed in Ireland, and the village of Albert—contains us, would be and dire calamities—all rush upon the imaginaand think it will be a very long time indeed beand the township of Wawanosh, on the east side of and dire calamities—all rush upon the imaginaand the village of Albert—contains us, would be and dire calamities—all rush upon the imagination in a kind of promiscuous jumble, producing to the property of th that in Wawanosh in particular, there is a large of terror. The wretched maniac is afraid to portion of very superior land; and on the east minant Conservatives, and with them it auters the same purpose as the story of the Popy and the Wooden Shoes did for Lord George ordon. It is an excellent sham. But in the bond place, to compare the science of civil vernment at the period of the French Revolution to the necessity and benefits of emigration, it will be a long time before these but alas, alas! is in vain. Consciousness of emigration, it will be a long time before these but alas, alas! it is in vam. Consciousness valuable lands are made available to the comforts has awoke, and it is a fearful consciousness, full and happiness of the human family. The Imperior of nothing but gloom, dismal forebodings and the and happiness of the human family. The Imperial Government in the reign of the Third Geo. semistry and mechanics of the two periods.

is questionable in fact if public opinion, in atters both of politics and religion, has not upper canada, to the support of a Protestant part pace with the rapid advance of physical of the process of the tangent and accusations of a living injured constitution of politics and religion, has not upper canada, to the support of a Protestant part pace with the rapid advance of physical of the process of the tangent and accusations of a living injured constitution of the process of the tangent and accusations of a living injured constitution of the process of the tangent and accusations of a living injured constitution of the process of the tangent and accusations of a living injured constitution of the process of the tangent are tangent and accusations of a living injured constitution of the process of the tangent and accusations of a living injured constitution of the process of the tangent and accusations of a living injured constitution of the process of the tangent and accusations of a living injured constitution of the process of the tangent and accusations of a living injured constitution of the process of the tangent and accusations of a living injured constitution of the process of the tangent and accusations of a living injured constitution of the process of the tangent and accusations of a living injured constitution of the process of the tangent and accusations of a living injured constitution of the process of the tangent and accusations of a living injured constitution of the process of the tangent and accusations of a living injured constitution of the tangent and accusations of a living injured constitution of the tangent and accusations of a living injured constitution of the tangent and accusations of a living injured constitution of the tangent and accusation of the ta

science during the last fifty years. But it is use- thousand pounds per annum to King's College in Toronto; and is 1828, a grant of 500,000 acres

and nocessary war 'n might be as oreditably, human race; and to shew that it is not measured and perhaps as profitably spent in assisting this to men according to their rank or riches, nor mecessarily associated with the possession of utopian ravings; for near being a "universal wealth, we subjoin the following beautiful facts fact," must, in defiance of all the precepts and wealth, we subjoin the following beautiful facts lact, land, in detailed to the second number of the Journal of Edu-from the second number of the Journal of Edu-the end of time. We must therefore give upour dreamy theories, and lay hold of facts. And Columbus was a weaver. Franklin was a journeyman printer. Massillon, as well in the first place, we understand that exclusive as Flechter, arose amidst the humblest of all the hundreds of thousands of pounds atervocations. Niebubr was a peasant. Sextus V. was employed in keeping swine. Rollin was the son of a cutler. Ferguson, the great astronomer, and Hogo, the celebrated in the series of t has only been prevented by an advance of tenmillions sterling f.om the national exchequerthis is one fact. In the next place, we under stand that the living portion of those for whose benefit all this money was given, are just as dos-titute and as needful of assistance to-day as they were at the time the money was advanced
—this, then, is a second fact. Now the inference which we draw from these two facts, and we beg liberty to give it with all due modesty and deference, is simply that if the British Government had employed not ten, but fifty millions (and that is a small sum in British expenditure), and large line of the battle-ships loaded with five millions of the surplus population of the Empire, and placed them in communities upon good tracts of the wild lands of Canada, the commercial convulsions of Britain and the starying miseries of Ireland would have been cured

for generations to come. A large portion of the destitute would have been placed in circumstances of comparative and permanent comfort; and the achievement itself would, in the estimation of the men of fifty years hence, have ranked higher on the scale of national nobleness than the combined glories of all the "just and necessary

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eeed, less he should meet so offended creation. He reman and every man's hand views himself as the outcas rejected of mankind. There of hope. All, all is dark which Almighty power dre hell, anything to escape fr agony of his present awful of Here, then, is the climax s in this stage that the mad rible and revolting consequent the delirium tremens, outrages, atocities, murder is insupportable and the ma again the oblivious cup to sciousness and relieve him the deeper he drinks the m the craving—the insatiable he sinks down into the hu senseless animality. The pursues the same wretche and raving, and sleeping as cles, nerves and sinews-b tines-all, all have become feebled by over-action ; and wretch stands forth as the half-murdered monument o limbs are unable to sup body; they are tremblin afraid to walk, lest he shot of equilibrium or the law of ed from him. His he etakes, he is utterly unab his lips, even to slake th

nought to convey remonst ation ; at every turn and ev

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