LOCAL LOGOGRAPHS POOL TOURNAMENT.

NEWSY NUGGETS Picked np Around Town by Nor-wester Prospectors for the Information of Nor's Wester Readers.

-Wet weather is very fashionable, Bombastes.—"Whoever dare them boots displace
Must meet Bombastes face to face."

-James D. Geddes, Esq., representative elect for this district, left for Regina on Thursday last to attend his sessional duties. -Mr. J. K. O.wa'd, the defeated candidate, also left for Regina on the same train, presumably to follow up his unavailing pro-

-The Rev. Father Remas renders heart-felt thanks to those charitable persons in town who have kindly given him the leavclothing for the poor of his mission.

-There was another sun shower yester-day. The rain came down by the bushel sprinkled with hail and some of the heavens artillery as an accompaniment. Too much rain now is the cry.

gess, having sufficiently recovered from the effects of his fall, will proceed homew rds on Thursday. He will be accompanied by Mr. Chi holm his private Secretary. Chipman Bros. are building a s'ore along

side of the building they now occupy. They intend to move into the new store when it is completed.

That is just the kind of stock we need here and we hope Mr. Burns will make it known evening, to his Trans-Atlantic friend.

-We understand that Sub-Collector of Customs Bannerman has received orders to ie deliver the horses recently seized a second time, to the owner Mr. Oxarart without payment of the costs. A number of the horses are reported missing, for which Mr. Oxarart holds the sub-collector responsible.

-Capt, Geddes, of Oltaws, Entomologist is stopping at the Royal. He is making a collection of insects for the Department of Agriculture. In this neighborhood he has captured a number of curious and beautiful specimens of butterflies and other insects quite new to our entomologists. The Capt. will p occed to the mountains in a few days' and gather specimens there.

-Mr. McCoskrie. Calgary's clever archi tect has shown us the plans of a farm residence which he has prepared for the Rev. E. Paske Smith. Rev. Mr. Smith has purchased a farm near Mr. Geddes's on the Bow, and he intends to make valuable and extensive improvements on it. This is some thing like confidence and we trust that the Rev. gentleman's efforts will be at ended

bidd ng spirited. The horses sold from \$15 man is stationed in charge of a drug store. to \$96, a good figure for cast horse. This Someone has evidently prejudiced him sale is considered the best that hasever taken against our town if we may juage from the in his usually capable way as auctioneer. following:

-Mr Augnire who arrived from Ireland on Saturday, is looking for a location. He intends to go into mixed farming on a considerable scale. He has visited Red Deer Lake, Fish Creek and other points in this vicinity with which he is delighted, We enjoyed a tew moments conversation with Mr. A. last evening and he expressed hims self as highly delighted with the country. We hope that Mr. A. will see his way clear to locate.

the interior on Sunday enjoyed themselves junc ion of two rivers, from whose limpid swimming the jords and the showers generally. One deputation was reported lost, but | trout are caught. The growth of Calgary turned up about sunset pretty well noaked has been remarkable; not more than turee (i. e.) by the rain. Much anxiety was felt months ago not a house had been erected, CHOICE CORNED TONGLED for two or three scents who, mounted on and now nearly a mile of very clean frame cayuses created quite a flutter as they der buildings line the main street. It is built parted for the government farm They re-turned thoroughly denoted but not dis-turned thoroughly denoted but not discouraged, just as a beautiful rambow arched they have it speedily dries up leaving the the sky from a point on the Elbow to anoth-er on the Bow.

-We call the attention of tourists to the advertisement of Mr. Moulton, proprietor of the Royal Hotel, of the opening of a branch at Holt City or Laggan as it is now called in the tire tables. This will supply a much needed want of the trave'ling pub he, and we have no doubt from the satisfactory way in which the Royal is conducted that the branch will be equally deserving of patronace an I we trust that the enterprise of the popular proprietor will be substantially rewarded. The magnitudent scenery of the Rockies, now so easy of access by the C. P. R. the trains of which now run to the summit, will be sure to attract hund eds of tourists during the summer. more especially at they can now be assured of comfor able accomodation whilet there.

Washington Johnston E-q:, Chief Inspector of weights and measures, arrived inere last week for the purpose of establishing an office here for Mr. R. T. Huggard who is the Inspector here will open his office in the building on Stephen avenue next to M. G. McLean's. Mr Johnston while here whipped thestream for some speckled beauties, and we believe, had good luck. He left for the east yesterday.

Mr. M. G. McLean obtained a large number of signatures to the petition to the North-west Council asking for an appropriation of \$1.000 from that body, towards repairing and replacing the new traffic bridge, which was injured by the recent freshet. Mr. Geddes took the petition with him on Thursday to Regina and he will present it to

our report of the opening of Theatre Hall the other evening, we omitted to mention that the orchest a music was furnished by Mr. and Mrs. Milward. Mrs. Milward presided at the piano and Mr. Milward played the violin on each evening of the performance. We need scarcely say that the music was everything that could be desired.

- Remember the Concert on Tuesday 15th inst, in aid of the Church of England buildng fund, in Boynton's hall. A good programme has been prepared. " Box and Cox" and "The late Arrival" by the Dramatic club, Songs and music by Mesdames Johnston, Douglas, and Millward, Miss. Roberts, Messrs, Millward, Douglas, Deveber, Spenser and Rogers. Reading by Rev E. P. Smith. Admission to all parts of the house 50 cents. For further particulars see programmes.

-By advertisement in another column it July 4, 1884. will be seen that a grand billiard tournsment is projected at the Royal Hotel to commence on Monday evening next. The prizes will amount in value to \$135.00. The 1st prize is a gold medal valued at \$25.00: the second a meershaum pipe, valued at \$12. For English billiards the 1st prize is to be For English billiards the 1st prize is to be \$25.0; the 2nd a revolver, valued at \$20.00. Pyramid Pool, 1st prize a, geld medal, valued at \$25.00; 2nd prize, a fishing rod outfit, valued at \$12.00. The billiard tables are to newly velveted and the fullest preparations are being made to make the tournament quite to the state of t

ON THE FOURTH.

At Clark's Castle Mountain Billiard Hall. The glorious Fourth came and went and so did Jack Clark's pool tournament, which

commenced on Friday afternoon at the Tomatees. Cast'e Mountain Billiard Hall. Nine conpetitors entered viz. Messrs. Player, Collins, Hudson, Fields. Mitchel', Harris, Pad-more, Baines and McVitty. Mr. Padmore being absent Mr. Clark acted as his substi-

In the first score the competitors paired as fo'lows Player and Collins. Hudson and Fields. Clark and Baines. Mitchell and Harris. MoVitty being left over, The competition on this score was the best three out of five. and it resplted for the following Collins. Hudson, Harris, Baynes and Mc-Vitty being left over.

In the second score the fo'loving were paired : McVitty and Baines. Harais and Collins, Hudson being left over.

The second score best three out of five resulted in the following : McVitty and Coilins. McVitty and Hudson then played best three ont of five resulting in McVitty Deputy Minister of Interior, A. M. Burbeing the winner. The play off between McVit'y and Collins resulted in the former winning the first prize \$25 and the se and to Yr. Coliins.

Mr. Collins is almost a professional. He plays an excellent game, as does Mr. Mc-Vitty who is only an amateur. THE BILLIARD MATCH.

opened at the Caste Mountain Billiard Hali -Many of our townspeople think that on Saturday evening at 7 o'clock. The there has been too much rain, but the farm- following named competitors entered :-The pastur g s ooking splendid, so are the ins. Player and Gladstone. In the first scoee Mossrs. Thomas and Develber played -Mr. Burns has shown us a letter from a best two out of three resulting in favor of friend in Scotland enquiring as to the de Mr. Thomas, Messrs. Marsh and Co lins mand for Clydesyale horses in this country. played resulting in favor of Mr. Collins. Messrs. Player and Gladstone will p'ay this This match will probably be finished to-

morrow evening. The prizes are \$25.00 and \$12.00 Mr. Ralph Whi e, of the Nor'-wester office acted as referee in the pocol tournament. He is also referee in the Lilliard

During the progress of the g me the Castle Monntain Billiard Hall was crowded with spectators. Mr. Clark, the gent'cmanlike proprietor was courteous and attentive throughout the progress of the game. There was considerable betting. C. lgary billiardists won't take a back seat to the next.

-Our special despatches had not arrived up to the hour of so ng to pre s. . Mr Moulton's communication will appear in our next. It was crowded out of

Still Another View

A friend has just handed us a copy of the Gue ph Mercury of June 21 t, which contains a long letter from Mr. John Higinbot ham, son of Col. Higinbotham Esq. ex-M. P. The sale of horses etc., which was held The letter is a long account of a trip from at the barracks, was we'l attended and the Guelph to Fort McLeod where the young

"The Rockies now rose in view, and, of course that side of the cars from which they were first seen was crowded by those who were eager to get a glimpse of the far off far famed beauties. At first they were very indistinct, being hardly distinguishable from indistinct, being hardly distinguishable from the clouds that hove ed around them, but gradually trey loomed up showing their snow capped heads and striped sides, which reflected the morning sup with lamid and an outdor. Before we had time to get our trap.

ready for vacating the cars, we found ourselves descending in to a beautiful place, surrounded on all sides by hi is, and at the

With all these natural advantages Calgary will never be of any great account, as it is not a ranching district and certainly not an agricultural one. In the case of the latter the cold nights and summer frosts nearly always nip up the ripening crops. It may at some time be a min ng supply station or manufacturing centre, but it will never receive the reliable support that is de

rived from a farming community. Master Higginbotham has evidently got bewildered for we find him further on say-

"After a delightfully pleasant drive with Mr. Moulton behind a team of Indian ponies and an agreeable experience at a ball with some of the villagers I retired, In the early morning I took my departure on the stage drawn by a prancing four-in-hand. I was fortunate enough to secure a seat with the driver who made the scenes by the way exceedingly interesting by his tales and eluci.
dations of early life in these parts as a trader and hunter. A tew hours thus pleasantly spent brought us to a winding road. through a clump of willow shrubs which grew along the banks of Fish Creek, which we forded. A short circuitous dr ve brought us to 160 acre farm of beautiful land, all under cultivation and which had produced magnificent specimens of root crop-, etc., some of which the Marquis of Lorne saw at Calgary. Here also is the finest barn in the territories, all owned by "Honest" John Glen. guide to Capt. Butler author of "The Great Lone Land"

John Glen's farm is just eight miles from Calgary by the post road, and why it took the young man a few hours to travel that -By some pnaccountable in a lvertance in distance we cannot say. However, the reference to Glenn's farm is conc usive testi- MORTIMER & CO. mony against his own utterances about the bug a-boo frosts and that there is nothing to back Calgary up. John Glenn's farm is

MEDICINE HAT

Specia! correspondence of the Nor'-wester. Dominien day was celebrated here in good style in the morning with a base ball match between the citizens and railroad men, fesulting in victory for the citizens, score 59 to 43, citizens defeating their opponents by the amount of \$250 were distributed among the different participants in games and

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