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FFICE:.....MACDONNELLSTREET

Jul. 14. dw1m

the liquor, but broke his nose.

At London, on Friday, a large party were engaged at the Cove Bridge of the G. W. Railway, in searching for the body of a supposed suicide. It finally trans pired that a drunken fellow named Ford had been bathing in the locality, and being somewhat absent minded, rambled home without putting on his clothes again.

TRANSMOGRIFIED.—They have got a

TRANSMOGRIFIED.—They have got a bathing place senced in on the bank of the river at Montreal, and the water is working miracles among the inhabitants of the classic Griffintown. One woman went to look for her little son who had been performing his ablutions, but in consequence of the change in his complexion she was some time in recognizing him. The wives of several married bathers have been momentarily deceived in the identity of their husbands simply because their faces were clean.

PROSY.—An affair of honor was near coming off in Hallfar the other day, the quarted lasting officialed between two gentlemen, about which should sit next a certain lade in a boarding house. The time of meeting was arranged, and one chap presented himself looking pistols, handling pistols, and seeming quite sarguinary, but the affair was brought to a prosy terminating, by the other fellow's running to the holice Magistrate and laying a complaint against his antagonis for threatening uplaced hot were the same guinary, but the affair was brought to a prosy terminating, by the other fellow's running to the holice Magistrate and laying a complaint against his antagonis for threatening uplaced hot we have up his mind to having a hole drilled in his carcass.

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The Wavenero Barration.— This fine corps mustered at Gult on Friday last, to put in their 16 days firill for 1868 and '69 being their second period, having assumbled at Hamiturg to perform their drill for 1867. The attalion bontains

TOWN COUNCIL.

The Council met on Monday night—the Mayor in the chair. Present: Dr. Herod, Messrs. Holliday, Heffernan, Massie, Day, Howard, Buckland, Melvin, Sayers, Chadwick, Mays, Mitchell, Harvey and McCurry. The Clerk read the

Sayers, Chadwick, Mays, Mitchell, Harvey and McCurry. The Clerk read the minutes.

The Clerk read two accounts—one from James Massie & Co., for pails used at the fire at Mr. Mays', and the other was for the expenses of providing straw, lumber, &c., for fitting up beds for the volunteers. Referred to Finance Committee.

The Mayor read a petition from John Blakeley concerning the children of Henry Mellor, who had been left destitute by their father's going to the States. There are four little ones, Mellor's children by his first marriage, and Mr Blakeley is the father of his second wife. Mellor had written for his wife and family to meet him at Suspension Bridge, but when they got there he had not arrived, and they were obliged to return, their luggage being kept for their fare. This Mrs. Mellor was afterwards able to rodeem. The object of the petition was that the town might take care of the children—the petitioner asking nothing on behalf of Mrs. Mellor. It appears that the children are likely to be adopted by some femilies in town. Mr. Heffernan said he had no doubt they would be taken at the Hospital until such times as permanent arrangements could be made for them.

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at the Hospital until such times as permented to the beauting of the Temperance Society will be held this evening in their Hall. The programme as usual will be varied and interesting.

MECHANICS INSTITUTE.—The Librarian requests us to state that on and atter the 1st of August subscriptions to the Institute must be paid in bankable funds. Up to that time silver will be taken at par for all subscriptions.

BARBAROUS.—On Monday morting Mr Charles Nichol found his cow hacked in different parts of the body in a most barbarous manner. The wounds appear to have been inflicted with an axe or some such weapon. It is possible the beast had been foraging in a stable or soile such place where she had no right to be, but this does not apologise for the inhuman manner in which she was treated.

There is a great demand for harvest laborers in all parts of the Province, at high wages. The Windsor Record says there is fear that much grain will be scene sufficient help to store the same in season.

BURIED ALIVE.—On the morping of the 8th inst., a going manner content of the Shi hist., as going manner was buried under twenty feet of earth in a well he was digging. It was four hours before he was got out. The sandy mature of the earth was the cause in the fearful mishap.

Last week a party of men were enjoying the contents of a bottle on the Mountain near Hamilton, when one of them offered to be the liquor that he would jump down the side of said eminence. The bet was taken and the modern McCullough jumped down fity feet, and won the liquor, but broke his nose.

At London, on Friday, a large party

sidered the petition of H. Hatch for assistance to drain surface water off swamp on Edinburgh Road, and recommend a grant of \$20 for that purpose, the seme to be paid when the improvement proposed in said petition is completed to the satisfaction of your committee.—Adopted.

Mr Sayers read the Relief Committe's report as follows:
Your Committee on relief beg to report that having considered the petition of R. 40 liver, they are of opinion that he should have laid his petition before the Reeve and Council of the township of duelph, Mr. Oliver having been for many years a resident and ratepayer of that municipality. Your committee cannot, therefore, recommend that the prayer of his petition become the commend and a the prayer of his petition become the commend and the prayer of his petition become the commend and the prayer of his petition become the commend and the prayer of his petition become the commend and the prayer of his petition become the commend and the prayer of his petition become the commend and the prayer of his petition become the commend and the prayer of his petition become the commend and the prayer of his petition become the commend and the prayer of his petition become the commend and the prayer of his petition the commend and the prayer of his petition the commend and the prayer of his petition the pray

Spectator of Monday has the following item:—Robert Alexander, a stone cutter,

New Publications.

London Society.—The other day we oticed the holiday number of this first class periodical, and we have now to acknowledge the receipt from Messrs. Chewett & Co., of Toronto, of the regular July number, which will be found of unnumber, which will be found of un-nusual interest, and beautifully illustrated. The contents are: How Algy won the bet (continuation); Society at the Zoo; Tenley and the Neighborhood; visits to country ouses; the Piccadilly Papers; the physiology of the dance; codes of ceremonial; twice trapped; Madame de Pompadour; East London opium smokers; on the cliff; Mr. Fairweather's yachting; the gentle craft; poppies in the corn, &c. For sale at the bookstores in town, or may be

obtained through Messrs. Chewett & Co. Heart of Mid Lothian .- Messrs. Appleton & Co. have sent us the last issue of their remarkably cheap series of the Waverly Novels, being the ever popular tale of the "Heart of Mid Lothian." We have so often spoken in terms of the highest commendation of this series now

have so often spoken in terms of the highest commendation of this series now being issued by the Messrs. Appleton that it is only necessary to mention the appearance of each volume to ensure for it a large sale. Like the rest, the present volume is beautifully printed, and sells for 25 cents—a marvel of cheapness. For sale at the bookstores in town.

Harper's Magazine.—W. E. Tunis & Co. have sent us Harper's Magazine for a August. Harper's comes to us a welcome visitor once a month, and the present number is no less so than its predecessors. The reading matter is varied and interesting, and the illustrations beautiful. The contents are:—To and upon the Amoor River; a lovers' garden; among the Audes of Peru and Bolivia: John Bull in Abyssinia; life's changes; the woman's kingdom (continued); how Fort McAlister was taken; selfish sorrow; part first of Parole D'Houneur; a visit to the French Corps Legislatiff; part four of the new Timothy; why the ancients had

The All-comers' Interest

Pool targets are to be p ferent ranges, and sightin allowed at 10c. each. I have adopted the Wimbled

BY TELEGRAI

Despatches to the Evening Me

BY ATLANTIC CABL London, July 20—The Trage this mass a leading editorial on the finances inited States. The article closes as for The true interest of the United States menet lies in its honor and right. It is the taxes generally are, it is influided to the true are true are true at the true are tru ter that everything should be taxed upon the property of the repudiate the terms upon which the medebt was created." It is announced that Admiral Farragut will visit Greece early day. Lord Napier of Magdala, for self and for the officers and men of the saintan Expedition has made grate knowledgments to both Houses of ment for their recent vote of thanks.

Cork, July 20.—A gunsmith, sho broken into last night and plundered contents by six armed men. The polynomial of the contents by six armed men. The polynomial contents by six armed men. The polynomial contents with the contents of t

American Despatch

jority.

the French Corps Legislatiff; part four of the new Timothy; why the ancients had no printing press; the streets of Washington; English photographs by an American, &c. For sale at Day's bookstore.

DOMINION RIFLE ASSOCIATION.

THE PRIZE LIST.**

The prize list prepared by the Council of the Dominion Rifle Association, was submitted to Sir George E. Cartier on Saturday, and approved by him. The present list is based on the Government grant of \$5,000. The Council will issue supplementary lists from time to time as the extent of the contribution will warrant. The list has been prepared with good judgment and will call out a most wholesome competition. The following is a summary of the prizes offered:

A prize open to all comers, members of the Dominion Rifle Association, \$600 in all, the highest amount to a single competitor getting \$100, the balance being divided among 25 competitors, in \$20, \$10 and \$5 prizes; the range for these prizes are 400, 600, 800 and a thousand yards. Open to any rifle in any position. The Dominion of Canada prize open to all certified and efficient members of the staff who are also members of the Canada Rifle Association. The 1st prize to go to a single competitor, is \$500; there are 30 prizes at \$20 each, and 30 at \$10 each, making the whole sum competed for \$1.400. These prizes are to be competed for most of the staff who are also members of the Canada of 300 yards; the second at 600 and 700 yards; the second at 600 yards; the second at 600 and 700 yards; the second at 600 yards; the second at 600 and 700 yards; the second at 60

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..MACDONNELL STREET

UESDAY EVEN'G, JULY 21, 1868.

One of the strangest countries couns in Europe is Austria. Though world as fresh and vigorous as

hed that but few expected she ld play any conspicuous part in history of nations for many years Perhaps in deeds of arms will not; she appears to have nt that war is a losing game even to victors, and hence we find her, of the most autocratic of Powers, of the most jealous of the prero ves of her nobles casting aside the ruments of war, and endeavoring levate the social condition of her Concessions that have been ored for by the Hungarians have yielded to them, and some thousof her soldiers have been allow But none of these things is so rising as her collision with the

Who would have deemed it ible a few years ago that Austria ld ever do aught contrary to the es of His Holiness? But notstanding his protests, or his argut that as the Concordat was a conbetween two parties, it could not nulled without the consent of , it has been nullified by the devote of the Austrian Parliament d the civil power is supreme over cclesiastic. Marriage is hencea civil contract, deriving its from the law of the land, and ng all religious denominations on me footing. is reform has engendered the ac-

hostility of the clergy against n Von Beust, the Austrian and lister, against his ministry and policy. It may be unnecessary that there is but little possibilf their being able to bring matck to their former position .re is one thing about all reforms are really entitled to the designathey are invariably and transported by they are invariable and the progressive; they never stop, a lapse. The efforts of the Prince, bishop of Olmutz, are therefore likely to be effectual, although he strong himself at the head of a formula olargy.

FOR HOT WEATHER,

Porto Rico Yellow Refined Crushed A

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Extra Cru ignitary has issued a circular to rdinates, in which he says marriages and civil tribucannot be recognized by the nd that the ecclesiastical ill continue to sit as hereding on all cases brought If Catholics enter into civil marriage they shall publicly and notoriousserious sin, and if they se to give satisfaction,

enied the sacraments t the clergy of Aus usurp a power which have better become ecclesias-the Middle Ages than of the the Middle Ages than of the enth century, but there is reaspelieve, that like men of their other lands, they have lived to an officer of the reaspelieve, and that ecclesiastical rule rorst form of despotism that recreated a country—is nearly and in Austria.

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BULE RIOT IN TEXAS.—On the of the 15th inst., a serious row dat Millican, on the Central Rail-Amob of about 25 negroes, led by a school teacher and a negro believe, that like men of their

uble Riot in Texas.—On the of the 15th inst., a serious row is at Millican, on the Central Rail-A mob of about 25 negroes, led by a school teacher and a negro named Brooks, attempted to me William Halliday, but the dizens interfered to prevent the m, and headed by the Sheriff and is of the Freedmen's Bureau, atto suppress the mob. The rest he death of ten or twelve ne-On the 16th inst., the numbers of on both sides and skirmishing during the day, the estimated of casualties being 25. A small poops arrived late last night, and the rioters after killing three helatter, numbering between brisons, had fortified themmarons, and re-

Progress in Ireland.

The Irish poor law report has closed some unexpected facts, In February last it is shown that there were 62,123 persons in receipt of relief withon and after the first day of Austrackt, silver will only be taken this office in payment of accounts, If for subscriptions at four per tiscount for large silver, and tencent discount for Small silver, to that date silver will be taken payment of all accounts and subthings at par. but a decline was rather to have been expected. The commissioners remark upon the prevalence of distress in ome of the manufacturing districts of Ireland as accounting for the increase, as the agricultural population have been rather better circumstanced than in the former year. They add several important expressions of opinions, as, for example, that distress occurring locally in certain districts has been made the subject of exagger ated descriptions in the public press; that he Irish farm laborer is better fed, and at far less cost, than his representatives in England; that his clothing is much superior now to what it was before the famine; that more than four hundred thousand of the worst class cabins have disappeared from markable evidence of the improved condition of the Irish peasantry has been their comparative freedom from epidemic disease during the last eighter of actions for many vears." crease, as the agricultural population

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New Advertisements.

CARD.

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JOHN HOGG.

SILVER NUISANCE. 1868.

Guelph, 16th July, 1868.

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Guelph July 13th. dw

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