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Apoetem.

LINES ON WOMAN.

AR READ ALTERNATILLY, OR AS THEY AND QUITTEN, AS MAY SUIT THE TARK OF ALPINE MENTS OF READERS.

The bliss of him no tongue can tell Who is a woman doth confide; Who with a woman scorns to dwell, Unnumbered evils will betide,

They fill each leisurable day
With joy and innocent delight a
With cheerless gloom and misecy
Are none possessed while in their sight

They make the daily path of life A pleasant journey strewed with flowers a A dreavy scene of painful strife They quickly charge with matchless powers

Domestic joys will fast decay Where remale influence is unknown a Where'er a woman holds her sways A man is in perfection shown

She's never failing to display
Truth in its native loveliness &
A heart inclined to treachery
A woman never did possess.

That man true dignity will find Who tries the matrimonial state; Who pours contempt on woman kir Will mourn his folly when too la

THE BROKEN HEART.

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I saw her when her cheek was bright
And beautiful and fair,
Love, joy, and all that wins delight,
Which charms the heart, or glads the sight,
Seemd met together there.

The glow, the giance from cheek and eye,
The hair of shining jet;
The look, the smile, and stifled sigh,
Her forehead arched, and white, and high,
Methinks I see them yet:

I saw her on her bridal day,
With hope upon her brow;
Her smile, her her wish, was brightly gay,
And joy, with his sid, was brightly gay,
And joy, with his her her brow.
Was there to gild her yow.
The jest, the laugh, the social cheer,
All bitterness forbid;
Her heart was light, her cheek was clear,
And dark and long the tashes were,
Which fringed her fallen lid.

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I saw her when her cheek was wan,
Her eye looked dim and dead,
Her there ye looked dim and dead,
Her there will be the same was gone,
Her there will be the same was gone,
Her bear will be the same was gone,
She bowed beneath the misery
Which hearts corroded know,
Her face had lost its gladdening glee,
And sadly calm, she seem'd to me
A monument of woe.

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I saw her in her winding sheet,
An Ag stoneless thing of earth,
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Twas she who gave her birthAno. Twas she who gave her birthAno. The stoneless of the throng part,
Frond live upon her face,
Which smiling, by in doath's embrace—
"Twas he who broke her heart!

THE DRUNKARD'S LAST SPREE.

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"One more spree with my noble companions, and I'll have done with drinking
forever. O curse this fatal passion—this
growing thirst that is never satisfied but in
deep po'ations of the exhitarating poison. My
wite, my children, I cannot always make you
unhappy. No, no—one more spree, and I'll
drink no more forever!"
Thus said an unhanny and degraded young

wite, my culturers, I cannot spree, and I'll dink no more forever!'

Thus said an unbappy and degraded young man, as he got up from his low couch in a basement in the rear of St. Paul's. The sun was already in the zenith, and when the joor man had straggered to the open air, the bright dight of the cloudless sky bewildered him, and the noise of the busy multitude abroad in the streets, sunk heavily upon his heart.

What a fool I am, continued he; what a wretched, miserable being! Can I reform! Will these bloated cheeks ever again resume the hue of health? Will these limbs, that now tremble like an aspen, ever again be steady? Will this burning fever be quenched? Oh Harriet! my wife—how bitterly have I wronged thee—I who ought to have—but O heavens! I cannot provide for her. I am ruined! The ample fortune that

my father gave me—it is gone—gone with my health and happiness. And if that were all, I could still hope. But my wife's—my wife's inheritance—that is gone also. All—all is engulfed in the deep of that worse than hell, where demons in human shape deal out destruction in the wine cup. Oh, is there no revenge? No, no, no. I am my own destroyer!—and they—they, the wretches who have swept away my all, even they begin to despite me—they sneer at me, and already hint at my destruction. C, what is more horrible than the life of a druskard??

The inebriate wept. His head was racked by pains from the last evening's debauch. And now that the difficulties of his situation were forced home upon his thoughts in the hour of reflection, his soul was stricken. He sobbed like a child.

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The door was gently opened, and a young pale matron stood bending over the weeper. She was beautiful—but the paleness of her cheek, and anxious glances of her eye, stold how muct she had suffered from the humiliation of him she still so fondly loved. She bent over him, and smoothing back the shaggy locks that hung over his forehead, and wiping away his scalding tears with the white scarf that covered her bosom, imprinted a long kies upon his Junning bow. Oh how true is wonan's love! The wretched being before her had neglected, and injured, and reduced her to beggary—he had become a degraded sothis person was offensive—his breath was like the noisome vapors of the distillery, and his miserable frame was a mass of bloaded and suffering mortality. Harriet sull loved her husband. With all his transgressions, he westure to her—his vice was beastly intemperance. band. With all rus transposation true to her—his vice was beastly intemperance. She would still forgive him; and do any thing in her power to save him she loved.

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*William,? said she, "are you not faint?—have you breakfasted ? W! can I do for you, my dear husland?"

"Oh, curse me, Harriet, curse me! Don't talk midly to the wretch who has so basely injured you. Oh that I had courage to—?"

"To what, my dear husband—to reform? Oh say that word, dear William—and I will do any thing for you—I will work—I will beg—I will do any thing for you—I will work—I will beg—I will do any thing that a woman can do, and which is not vile and sinful, to save you."

you."

"Harriet," said he, "I was about to say that if I had the courage to die, I should have one consolation. But I have not. No, no, no!"

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"Stay this emotion, my husband," said the wife; "say you will try to reform and you will make me happy. Oh, William, do make the trial, I beseech you—if not for my sake, yet for the sake of your little ones. Oh don't deny my prayers."

The husband and wife that day partook of a frugal dinner in their little apartment, the best that she could provide with her scanty means. He had renewed his solemn promised to reform. She knew he had often promised to the form of the same transfer of the future, his countenance seemed once more to resume an expression, such as had won her youthful heart.

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That afternoon was a happy one for both. In the evening they walked out upon the Battery, and talked of hopes that had been blighted, and of happiness they would theneeforward strive to sccure. Leisurely they walked home to their apartments. She had placed her smiling children in their little cot, and smoothed down the pillows to make sweet the sleep of the cherubs, and had just turned to leave them, when she heard a loud laugh in the street, and a call from some one for Fitz Roy. A loud knocking at the door instantly suissed her of the nature of their errand.

She sunk into a chair. She knew that his companions were at the threshold; but she had hopes that he who had so lately pleeged his word forever to shun them, would not again be jed astray. For some time he made no answer to the intruders. But at last, wavied with their importunities, he went to the door, and for half an hour maintained his resolution to

avoid them. He told them of his shame - his degradation - his sufferings He degradation—his sufferings. He reminded them of the horrible doom that awaited them, as well as himself—and finally, told them of his pledge to his wife forever to abstain from

his pledge to his wife lorever to abstant from the cup.

They laughed certright at his 4 temperance pledge?—and the idea that his wife held the rod over him, tickled their fancies. They accordingly let off a volley of ridicule and isaunts that were axceedingly snnoying to Fither the results of the results

Roy. Still be held out, and was about closing th door in their faces, when a new comer appeared. The young Dick Million had that day come of age, and was now on the way to—Hall, to give a grand entertainment to his

"Come Fitz," said he gaily, " just go down and give us a lift. Come we will have something that will do the heart good. Wel you go?"

ust be excused gentlemen; 1-He was interrupted by a boisterous peak as merriment from his late companious.

"Don't you think," says one, "that Bill

here has signed the temperance pledge—the real blue temperance tee-total. Only think of that, Dick. Comical, is nt it ??

And his woman wears the small clothes.

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said another, laughing.

"You are ----infernal villains, st. of you,"

ome," interposed Dick Million ay to do business. Fitz, yo " Come, come this is no way to do business. Fitz, you won't deny me; come, go tell your sweet wife—she's a good wife, that of yours, Fitz, go gotell her that you are going down with Dick Million just to have one more spree, and then you will leave off. What say—will ye do it?

Fitz Roy for a moment hesitated, He said

Fitz Roy for a moment hesitated. He said not a word, but retired to the room where his wife sat weeping and briefly told her that he was going with Dick Million, to have one more spree—and then, Harriet, then I will leave off drinking forever. Good night, wife you need not wait for me."

He went with the revellers. There were many deep drinkers in that company. Loud was their merriment, and to a late hour was

carousal kept ap.

Harriet threw herself in an agony of grief b Harriet tinew derself in an agony of gricf by the side of her children, and wept herself to sleep. She was exhausted and tired with watching, and oh, how sweet is the oblivion of sleep to the veretche and broken hearted. She awoke with the earliest dawn. Her hushand had not returned. She sent a messenger to the hall. He had left at a late hour of the night. No trace could be found of him. The wretched wish had not vot stall hope, and give up to despair. Her friends rescued her from a state bordering on destraction but it was a long time before she recovered strength and fortitude sufficient to he made acquainted with the fate of her husband. Harriet timey fate of her husband.

The morning after the incidents above tool place, the lifeless body of William Fitz Roy was taken from the water at the foot of one of the piers. The miserable man had taken his last spree—had wandered off into the river

THE TRANSCRIPT.

QUEBEC, WEDNESDAY, 27TH NOV.

We are happy to learn from the Upper Ca-ada papers that a Petition to the Provincia Parliament is now going the rounds of the several Districts of the Province, for signature the object of which is to obtain a law for "the protection of Her Majesty's faithful subjects om the machinations of the disaffected por tion of the people of Upper Canada, and the bitants residing upon the norther frontier of the United States of America. The petition sets forth-and it is but too true there is a great number of traitors in Up per Canada, and prays that it may be mad ulsory upon all Candidates for a seat in the House of Assembly, and for all Electors to take an oath, when required to do so by th Returning Officer or any Freeholder, to the effect that he has not taken up arms against vereign, or been guilty of Treason, or ta- me

ken the Hunter's Jath, &c. Some law is needed for restricting the political power at present possessed by the Yankee politicians who in-fest Upper Canada and the suggestions throws out in this petition may be acted upon with advantage by the Legislature during its next sessions. The "Responsible Government" presses will no doubt be soon in full cry against such a proposition, for it would grieve em sorely to see a number of their friends deservedly disfranchised † a taw o dious designs, and the idea of their obtaining a najority of members to support C.eir riew when none but loyal men sould sote, would become statesty intenable.

The defect of form by wirths of which Me Moria lately escaped further proceedings against him on the warrant issued for his apprehension last falt is explained in the Gazett of Monday; and the explanation which is as follows, gives us a clue to the precise nature charge upon which the warrant was of the

" The defact of form to which we alfuded The defect of form 30 which we alluded was of this nature: a person convicted of a crime is aided in effecting his escape, the per-sons so aiding are held by the law to be guilty of the same crime; but the convict at the time of the escape happened to be in the custedy of persons not known to the law as his keep-ets.?

The above divested of mystery means to say that Mr. Morin was suspected of aiding the escape of Theller and Dodge, who were in custody of the military authorities, and conse-quently not under charge of persons known to the civil law.

Wednesday the 13th instant being the Aniversary of the Battle of the Windm Prescott, was celebrated in that place by a ge-

FIRE AND LOSS OF LIFE .- On Monday night a quarter before ten, a fire broke out in a wooden two story house in Champlain Street on the river side, three doors from the Mariner Chapel at Diamond Harbour, and, before ar alarm could be properly given the building was completely enveloped in flames threate destruction of property to an incalculable extent. The flames speedily extended to the houses opposite, also of wood, and those ad-joining on the north side, so that in the course of twenty minutes or half an hour four house were on fire from top to bottom, and soon after a filfth shared the same fate. By this time a considerable number of persons arrived to ren-assistance, among them G. Black, Esqr. up-builder, and a strong party of his men, ose strengous exertions, aided by the neighbours, the fine new two story stone houses lately built by Mr. Chas. Leek, and adjoining, on the west side, that in which the fire of menced, were saved, although they were frequently in the most imminent do ger, and the appearance of one of them on e following orning proved that the exertions must hav ost superhuman. On the town sid been al the danger to the adjoining houses was, if possible, greater-for although it happened fortu nately that the ground on which a house stood that was burnt in Novr. 1838, had not beer rebuilt upon, a strong westerly wind and large quantities of wood that were lying about rendred it extremely bazardous to approach sufficiently near with the engines to be of service most undaunted efforts by men wh proved themselves to be of a salamandrine na ture, prevented the spread of the fire beyond the five houses which were in flames before any operations could be commenced. But all their exertions would have been of no avail whatever if all the houses that stood opposi to those burnt had been rebuilt on the plan as they were previous to their de little more than a year ago—the fire must have swept the street from the spot where it com-menced to the inclined plane, as it has already when some fifty or sixty houses were destroy-

The following is a list of the houses burnt:-1. Wooden house the property of Mrs. Widow John Hall, mother of Mr. Ed. Hall, of the Globe tavern -tenanted, in the low r part, by Mr. Ralph Wilson, mariner, and in the upper his step father Mr. William Will son and two children, whose melancholy fate is detailed below. Mr. Wilson is at present absent at sea, and his wife kept a tavern in the nd much difficulty in escaping house; she had much difficulty in escaping with her children and, we learn, received ome severe inj. ries.

2 & 3. Two wooden bouses under one too roperty of Monseigneur Signay, Roman Catholic Bishop of Quebec; the whole of the lower flat occupied by Mr. Allard, schoolmas ter. In the upper part resided the following :-Patrick Rickens, wife, and family; Thomas Morris, wife, and family; Mrs. Widow Wil-Thames, schoolmistress, and family, liam John Penney, wife, and family. All th parties had time to save but a very small por on of their effects, the flames rushing the apartments of some of them before they aware of a fire having broken out.

4. Wooden house, on the cape side of the Street, opposite to that in which the fire com nenced. owned by Mr. Thomas Weston, and occupied by William Simpson, stevadore, wife and family, and Thomas O'Neill, wife, and

family.

5. Wooden house adjoining, the property of Mrs. Widow John Hall (the proprietor of the house burnt on the other side) occupied by Mrs. Widow Dawson, sister, and family, and

John Thompson, wife, and family.

To the distruction of these houses is to be added a portion of the "Priests' Wharf' rented by Messrs. Le Mesurier, Tilstone & Co with a large quantity of deals belonging to that firm, which were burnt. The fire communicated to the wharf from burning houses and it required the unwearried exertions of strong body of men to repress its progress along wharves and to save a port deals ov removing them to places of safety.

manuer in which the fire was prevented rom spreading westward of the street on the de is equally deserving of notice with the efforts made to stop its ravages in other di-rections. The adjoining buildings were of wood and the upper part of the one of which the fire communicated from Hall's house in the first instance contained a large quantity of oak-um; this was removed while in a state of ignition by a number of the neighbours several of om were severely burnt in the operation, but they persisted, and, having torn down a portion of the burning house succeeded in sav-ing the neighbouring building, the gable of which was more than half burnt through in everal places.

None of the property mentioned above was insured, the Fire Offices having of late years declined to effect policies with proprietors and tenants in that quarter. The numerous des tructive conflagrations that have occurred there justify them in this course with regard to wooden buildings, but we think they would do well to make exceptions in favour of those who build with stone. The inducement held out by such a determination on the part of the In surance Offices, to erect more substantial edifices, would no doubt have its effect and all parties would eventually be gainers. At present there is no motive to go to any expens beyond what can actually be dispensed with It is said with much truth, "there is no use in my building a stone house if it be surrounded with wooden ones, and I am unable to obtain In the case of Mr. Leek, for instance, who has lately erected two excellen stone houses adjoining that in which he resides, by the general rule adopted by the Insurance Offices, property owned by him to the amount

done on the occasion of the great fire in 1837, of £5000 or £6000 was placed in great jeopardy and had the wind been east instead of west it must inevitably have been totally destroyed. We to a that the Insurance Offices will devote some onsideration to this mat er and in the ab ce of a law, which ought long ago to have en in force, do their best, by holding out encouragement for the erection of stone buildings, to remedy the defects of the

The most melancholy portion of the above disaster remains to be told. Mr. William Wilkinson an old and well know stevadore, with his two children, Eliza and John, 12 and 13 years of age, occupied the upper part of the ouse in which the fire originated and were in bed at the time the alarm was given-given too late, however, to save them, for there but too much reason to believe that all three perished, neither of them having since beer seen; and yesterday morning a few calcined remains of some of the internal parts of a human being found among the ashes, proved the treadful surmise to be a morunful fact. A man, also, whose name we have been unable to certain, is also missing since the comme ment of the fire, and it is feared he has sha the fate of Wilkinson and his children.

This is the fourth disastrous fire that has a curred in Champlain Street, PAnce des Men, since 1832. The first broke out on the day set aside for fasting and prayer on the cessation of the first cholera in Quebec and a large num of houses were destroyed. In November, 1837, between the 20th and 26th, we believe, thirty or forty houses were destroyed on nearly the same ground. The street had sprung up, Pha-nix like from its ashes when on the 28th Nevember, 1838, upwards of forty houses, many of them on the very spots that had been rel upon within the preceding year, were con-sumed, and now, in 1839, the same visitation has again occurred and although the destruct on of property be not equal in amount, the disaster is more calamitour, from the loss of human life that has accompanied at-

The whole of the street commencing with Mr. Martin's property adjoining the inclined plane, and up to Diamond Harbour, has been destroyed on the different occasions to which we have alluded, with the exception of Mr. Leek's property, the Mariner's chapel and two or three small houses opposite. Sometions of the street have been three times down within the same number of years.

No American mail reached Quebec yester day which caused considerable disappointm as the news by the British Queen was confdently expected. Private letters from Me dently expected. Frivate letters from as-treal mention that a gentleman arrived the on Sunday, from New York, which place 's left on Thursday evg. The British Quembel not then arrived. Admitting that she is only on the 3rd as stated by some New papers that she would, she was over det New York on Thursday—but the regular with which the steam ships have hitherto pe formed their trips makes us too impatient.

The papers from Upper Canada receive yesterday, contain nothing new, if we extend an able letter from Dr. Rolph to the Duke Richmond on the subject of emigration, blished by the Patriot.

The St. George steamer left the port a Monday at 11, a.m., for the purpose of twa up the Hibernia, reported in our last as we aground in the Traverse. The steamer turned yesterday afternoon, having been able to reach the spot where the Hibernia She got as far as Goose Island, where she countered very severe weather, and was ged to put back; she reached Crans Island, where the exercise, and anchored for the night. ing, and anchored for the night.

The St. George met the General the Wave, and several other vessels, day morning, near Grosse Isle, sailing

To the Editor of Sin,—In your paper appeal was made to panies for the purpos remunerate the unit suffered at the late fir remunerate the unit suffered at the late fit nothing to that effect knowledge. I iman proper quarier to api the Office where the as the majority of the were instrumental in lower part of the hou doubt, have done th where the fire origin ble to do so, the dest extended too far before the sufference of the sufference of the sufference of the sufference on of their cichtes, he expenses, independans which they are land, Ireland and Sc practice of the Fire remunerate individus in some portions of the sufference of the fire remunerate individus in some portions of the sufference of the fire remunerate individus in some portions of the sufference of the fire remunerate individus in some portions of the sufference of the fire remunerate individus in some portions of the sufference of the fire remunerate individus in some portions of the sufference of the in some portions of th it is even customary
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On Sunday last, and from the Right Reversion Montreal, a collection funds of the Society Knowledge, when was contributed tow excellent institution net so large as is usu not so large as is usu such occasions, many, without the walls doubt, been prevente of the weather and the desirous of promoting tian labours, directed deposit their contribution. Eag. Her Majesty's (acc. as Treasurer for Mercury. cury.

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To the Editor of the Quobec Transcript.

Bin,—In your paper of Wednesday last, an appeal was made to the Fire Insurance Companies for the purpose of adopting measures the unfortunate individuals who suffered at the late fire in St. John's Suburi nothing to that effect has yet been done, to my knowledge. I imagine, however, that the proper quarter to appeal to would have been the Office where the furniture was insured as the majority of the individuals who suffered were instrumental in saving the effects in the lower part of the house, and would, I make no doubt, have done the like in the upper part, where the fire originated, but it was impossible to do so, the destructive element having extended too far before the alarm was given. It is true, there was not much furniture in the lower part of the house, but that does not in the sun-lest degree cuttail the disinterested services of the sufferers. Some of them have furnilies, and are unable to sustain the loss which has already occurred, by the destruction of their civiles, loss of time, and Doctors expenses, independent of the exeruciating pains which they are still suffering. In England, Irlead and Scotland, it is the common practice of the Fire Insurance Companies to remuerate individuals who suffer at triers; and is some portions of the above mentioned places it is even customary to reward individual is who can prove that they have been active in rendering service at fires, although they may not have suffered or sustained any loss; and I feel confident that had such a circumstance occurred in any other city very little delay would have taken place in enquiring into that take of the sufferers, and a proper compensation made to each individual. Should nothing be done in the matter in the proper quarter, it will certainly be no encouragement to others in feture to render assistance at fires.

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As Eve Witness.

On Sunday last, after an excellent discourse from the Right Reverent the Lord Bishop of Montreal, a collection was made in aid of the funds of the Society for Promoting Christian Knowledge, when the sum of forty pounds was contributed towards the support of this excellent institution. The congregation was not so large as is usual in the cathedral upon such occasions, many, especially families living without the Falls of the city, having, no doubt, been presented attending by the state of the weather and the roads; but all who are desirous of promoting and extending the christian labours, directed by the Society, may deposit their contributions with Henry Jessopp, Eng. Her Majesty's Collector of Customs, who sace as Treasurer for the Society in Quebec.—
Morcury.

Several questions have been put to us regarding the completion of the Chambly Canal, for which the borrowing of a sum of £30,000 the interest to be paid out of the Provincial Reveaus, at the meeting of the Special Council last winter. We understand that a sum of about a thousand pounds has been paid for preventing the dilapidation of the work done, which has cost about seventy thousand pounds; but it has not been possible to roise the money for completing the Canal, less than a mite of which is unfinished. This is to be regretted as the importations at St. Johns have greatly encreased, and the bulky articles would be conveyed cheaper, by this route than otherwise. We understand that the Revenue at St. Johns from datable articles the present year has been We understand that the Revenue at St. Johns from dutiable articles the present year has been about £22,000. If the fish, salt and plaster coming in by the St. Lawrence, could go up by the Canal, there can be no doubt but that here would be a great and advantageous increase of trade and revenue. But these are very secondary considerations with some of our most influential public men and policians—fluenties.

clans.—Gazette.

The Daily Buffaloniam is defunct. The saons assigned by the Editor for this sudden emise after all his bulky promises of extending some states, a soming winter, the general crash, affording at too much reason to anticipate, the difficult of raising capital, for the prosecution of a sily-paper, and the impossibility of conduct gone, under all these circumstances." He wes himself a most capital character for anticy, "good nature," benevolence and anticy," and for "liberality to a fault in his inious." He however, lets it-leak out, that are people have looked on him, as "a malisus and recongulu monster," and under all cumstances we would quite as lie befleve ien as himself; for it is not to be forgotten, if for the lest two-years that "prays and

brigandage have been rife, he has been the apologist of every species of crime, were it only committed under the flimsy garb of particism. This is perhaps what he terms being liberal in his opinions to a fault, and a most cursed fault it is; the same which besets the notorious Solomon Southwick the "Family Neuspaper" writer, so much esteroised in the United States; and the same which is preparing for that devoted country, horrors which he eye hat not seen, nor the heart of man conceived.—Toronto Patriot.

BY THIS MORNING'S MAIL.

There is no American mail again to-day,

The Uoper Canada mail brings us the ronto Examiner and Coburg \$1 ar of the 20th instant. The editor of the former paper, Mr-Francis Hincks, has offered himself as a Candidate, at the next general election, for the ntation of the County of Oxford.

From the Coburg Star we copy the followng items :-

ing items:—

When we inform the public that a re-organization of the Hunter's lodges is taking place throughout the Province, and particularly in this District, the Districts of Victoria and Prince Edward, the necessity for laws which will ensure our protection, will he apparent to all. Those infamous societies are also established in the Midland, Johnstown, and in part of the Eastern Districts, also in the Home, Gore, Niagara and London Districts. Let the loyalists of Upper Canada look to their own preservation while they can.

It has been stated to us, in a manner that we cannot doubt the correctness of our informa-

we cannot doubt the correctness of our informa-tion, that the "Patriots" in the United States have been making overtures to no less a perso-nage than Mr. William Hamilton Merritt, to take compand of the

have been making overtures to no less a personage than Mr. William Hamilton Merritt, to take command of them when they next invade U. Canada. Will Mr. Merritt inform the public whether the information given us is true; and if so, what answer he returned to the proposal made to him? We pause for a reply. We have also heard the name of Mr. Warren, to this grave charge? We have been obligingly favored with a brief outline of the further proceedings had in term in the case of the Point su Belie Prisoners, whose sentence has been some time suspended in consequence of a division of opinion among the four judges present in the country, as to the legality of their conviction; Judges Jones and Macaulay arguing against said conviction, and Sherwood and McLean in its favour.—They retain their opinions, it seems, and the Chief Justice.

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Court Marial EROKEN UP BY RIOT.—A rumor has reached us, but upon no very direa authority, of a most scandalous outrager said to have been enacted a few days since in Cramahe, during the sitting of a Court-Martial on some delinquent militia men of the 21 Northumberland regiment, liable to be fined for not attending training. A mob, headed by two individuals from the River Trent, named Weaver, are stated to have broken into the room where the court was sitting, and driven the officers composing it, by violence away, upsetting the table and destroying their papers. If true, a severe and prompt example must be made of the offenders, or military authority will become a farce amongst us.

A meeting of Merchants was held in Cobourg last evening, pursuant to notice, at which was adopted the following wholesome resolution:

resolution: It was resolved, That in consequence of the Banks of Upper Canada having resumed specie payments, this meeting deem it advisable to decline taking shin-plasters after the 1st December next.

a. Mr. Leek begs to return his sincere thanks and express gratitude to George Black, Esq. his sons, and workmen, Mr. Ainslie, Mr. Christias Hoffman, jr. and others who by great and unwearied exertions succeeded in saving his property from the destruction with which it was menaced at the disastrous five on Monday night:

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Secretary

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H. J. JAMILSON.

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THIRTEEN CASES, just imported, of WINTER (LOTHING, at BROWN'S Twinter Lothing, at BROWN's Cheap Clothing Store, corner of Fort and Bunde Streets—consisting of patent Pilot Cloths, Flannels, Drawers, Shirts, Weather-lis, Fur Coats, Buffalo Ditto, Gauntlet Gloves, India Rubber and Bang-up Coats from 25s. apwards, Ladies' Cariole Boots and Slippers, Gentlemen's Mud Boots, and a general assortment of warin made-up Clothing, just the thing for a Canadian Winter, at prices to suit every n.an's pocket.

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and will with his present Stock be effered at
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HORATIO CARWELL,
4th November. 4, Fabrique Street

CALEDONIA SPRINGS.

THE favorable opinion I formerly enter-tained of the waters of the Caledonia Springs is MORE THAN CONTINNED, as well from the benefits I personally derived from their use, as from what I observed of their effects on others. The water should be drank in mode-rate quantities before breakfast, and persevered in for some weeks at least. in for some weeks at least.

(Signed) WILLIAM ROBINSON, M D

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50 ditto Souchong 100 boxes Pecco, 100 ditto Souchong,

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