NOTICE!

We wish it to be distinctly understood that no paper will be stopped, until al. arrears are paid up. It is very small for in Milton that Nesbit, the School Teachmen to continue to take our papers for three or four months, and then return er, who murdered his wife, has committhem marked refused. The law will bear | ted suicide by cutting his throat from us out in sending the paper until the car to ear. He was residing in Caledon stop his paper. Post masters should ac- at the time. Nesbit was for many years , quaint parties of the fact. We can take a teacher in Palermo, and before he fell no notice of papers returned, unless the party doing so, has paid up in FULL. into drinking habits, was highly esteem-Let this be distinctly understood. Any ed by all who knew him. person wishing to stop his paper has only to remit the amount, and at the same

MILTON, JUNE 22, 1865.

LOCAL NEWS.

COUNTY COUNCIL .-- This body will the 27th inst.

company with another boy.

Kenny, of Hamilton, and Joseph Law-100 yards. Lawson bets \$25 against of the mountain.

from the different Volunteer and drill Associations of the county. Tickets of admission 25 cents. Proceeds to be applied to the liquidation of the debt on the Drill Shed, which is to be formally opened that day.

he is in good health.

NELSON COMPETITIVE EXAMIN-TION.—To-morrow, representatives from the one party was found guilty, and the W. Laidlaw and Mr Cameron Q. C. compete for the prizes so liberally offered by the township council. The competi-Hall, Nelson. We hope to be able to give a full report next week.

MENTS.—We gave last week a few of out of twenty-seven, were rejected.— cution. The defence attempted to set the Halton appointments, and now pro- Now, we would by no means assert that up an alibi by the evidence of the family by, D. G. Sutherland, B. A., D. Wright, their sentiments to the friends of the ac to be sworn. Upon this followed a long superannuated, and George Washington, supernumerary

useful reading matter.

was adjourned for a month, came up law-makers should repeal it at their next that he did not see George Howell there. again on Monday last at 12 o'clock. session. It was once said to commit a Several of the skedaddling witnesses were successful crime, one should go alone; the jury retired and in about ten minsubpæned and sworn, but their memories now it is only necessary to go in comutes brought in a verdict of not guilty. were at fault in regard to the purchase pany with others, sever on the trial, of whiskey. One would almost suppose and get one to swear the other off. It as his Counsel will move to set aside the that Shakespear's Sweet oblivious anti- is useless to argue that McCraney's verdiet and get a new trial, on the dote, to raze out the written troubles of evidence could not possibly affect himself. ground of not admitting the evidence of the brain,' had been mixed with the We would like to ask, had Howell been Howell. liquor of the witnesses, so that they had found guilty, would McCraney have HENRY NEAL, who pleaded guilty not the slightest recollection of where been admitted to bail with the prospect of stealing money in Oakville was sent-Magistrate had no alternative but to dismiss the case. So ended the first low him to go about his business on Dunkin case in Milton.

A NEW VOL.! LOOK AT THE JULY No.!-Portraits of President . Johnson -two views; Secretary Harlan; Queen Emperor Alexandria; Julius Cæsar, spirators, and How they Look; the being troubled for it. Hint to Maiden Ladies; Dictionary of jecting an inch beyond the boot. gavings; Hats-a New Notion, illust- Howell to hear beforehand of the inten- son-Men;" Early Patriots of America, illust- plains that he imparted the information | The Texas rebels have given in, so

WELLS, No. 389 Broadway, N. Y,

RUMOURED SUICIDE.—It is reported

27th inst. The first for a new saddle, to corrupt the fountain head of justice, valued at \$15, open to hack horses, half we think it time in the interest of law and The Canadian Champton mile and repeat; entrance \$2. Three order to raise our voice against it. to make a field. The second race will be for a bridle and martingale, open to all horses that never won public money. Half mile heat. Entrance 50cts. The we were greeted in the Court-room by Great Britain and France have with- Sir Joseph Paxton, the designer of races will begin at 1 o'clock, p. m.

parties have signified their willingness to thought by his actions that he was there and restrictions on commerce. atory for attempting to steal Mr Demp- Milton. The indications of oil are pro- front of our offense?" Why, that we sey's horse, has escaped from prison in nounced to be good by gentlemen from had DARED to publish the evidence of Enniskillen, and are found chiefly on the Matthews' before the trial. That FOOT RACE.—We are able to an- Charles half of Mr. Fallis' lot. we had exercised the usual privilege of Gas is observed to bubble up constantly the press in reporting, without note or nounce this week the exact date and from the water, and although a number comment, what appeared in evidence in conditions of the race between Charles of attempts have been made to sink a open Court. We wonder if our friend well on the lot, they have been unsuccess- has come down heavy on the 'Globe' 27th inst., on Main Street, Milton; for are also said to be found along the base strikes us as supremely ridiculous, is

We are indebted to John Coyne Esq. MILITARY Source AT OMAGH.—A for the latest English papers, including Military Soiree will be held at Omagh, the London Times, Telegraph, Daily A large number of persons are expected dailies. We are happy to learn that to be present, as well as representatives Mr. Coyne had a safe and pleasant voy-

The Howell-McCraney Trial.

Abrey at once entered into negociations that the trials were a farce, and that out- his native village should well look after with Government the result. which was, side influence was so strongly exerted him. that the Survey was ordered to be com- that the verdict was biassed. It would pleted. Mr. Abrey's numerous friends have been far better for the young men in this county will be glad to learn that themselves had the trial proceeded in the ordinary way, then, if acquitted, the public would have sympathized with them as wrongfully accused. As it is, other acquitted, although the evidence for the prisoner. The evidence and was as strong in one case as the other. cross-examination of the witnesses in ed by carefully "weeding out" any juror nothing materially new, came up; we who was supposed to be against the ac- consider it unnecessary to repeat the cused, his sentiments having been pre- evidence of the Mathews' and Jones WESLEYAN CONFERENCE APPOINT- viously ascertained. Fifteen jurymen who were only witnesses for the proseceed to give the rest. They are, the jury on the last trial were bribed of the prisoner, when Mr Cameron Georgetown, James E. Dyer and B. all that we assert is, that they had for called for the evidence of James Mc-Clement; Oakville, William Willough- the most part incautiously revealed Craney contending that he had a right

GODEY .- We have received the July one, who stood out longest for acquittal. Magistrates who interfered were remindnumber of this first class Ladies' Maga- Then the admission of McCrancy as ed by Mr Cameron that the chairman zine. It contains a capital steel engrav- evidence is freely commented upon, al- alone had the right of deciding a ques ing entitled 'Noon' a superb double fash- though we think it a question of law tion of law. Finally the judge ruled in ion plate, besides the usual amount of alone, and if the weight of authority favor of McCraney's evidence being sustain the chairman in his decision, he taken. is not to be blamed. Whether law or not, THE ROPER CASE.—This case, which it is not equity, and if necessary, our

of entire liberation. What a farce too, enced to 3 months hard labor. to find McCraney guilty, and then ak bail, for an amount suggested by his own Counsel. If the decision of the Court, on the appeal in his case, is adverse, what is to prevent him from go-Brantford, 40 or 50 houses burnt, and

; Our Country ; "Able-bodied tion to arrest them. Armstrong com-

THEMSELVES in a proper light by their former masters.

"Stop my Paper."

Such was the salutation with which of a sen on the 3rd inst.

son, of Toronto Gore. The race will ful, owing to the disagreeable taste and and 'Times' for being so naughty as to begin at 2 p. m., on Tuesday next the odour of the water. Indications of oil COMMENT upon the evidence. What that a man of any sense should think that he was doing us an injury by refusing us the privilege of sending him a journal, the paper of which alone costs on Wednesday next, at 2 o'clock p. m. News, Morning Herald, and five other into account the other heavy expenses of compositing, &c, we are actually giving the paper away. The "stop my paper" of such men, only shows themselves in the light of petty tyrants, who "have the will, but not the power to hurt." We were very careful before the tri- We would be more severe on the act, als to abstain from commenting on the did we not attribute it to a certain imevidence, as it might affect the verdict petuosity which hurries its subject into MR. ABREY, P. L. S.—We give in of the jury. Had the friends of the ac- acts, of which his sober second thought another column a letter from this Genicused been equally solicitous to secure does not approve. Knowing by sad extleman now at Manitoulin Island. We a fair trial and the unbiassed verdict of perience his excitable temperament, our mentioned a few weeks ago the fact of his twelve sworn men, the public would have friend should remember that the dog having got the survey, and of its being less cause of complaint. There is a uni- days are approaching, and keep himself countermanded by the Government. Mr versal feeling throughout the County perfectly cool. His two supporters in

Quarter Sessions.

THIRD DAY. The only case taken up the third day was that of the Queen against George Howell. G. T. Bastedo for the Crown. cused; so that THEY were selected. discussion. Mr Bastedo for the Crown In choosing the second jury, all who stenuously contended against his admiswere on the first were rejected, except ibillity as a witness. Several of the

> JAMES MCCRANEY SWORN.—Stated that he did not assist in the robbery, After an able address by Mr Cameron McCraney was then admitted to bail,

News of the Week.

There has been a very severe fire in

Victoria; the Empress Eugenie; the ing to the "happy land of Liberty," and an immense loss of property. It is supas to the bail, perhaps there may be in posed to be the work of an incendiary. with sketches of Character; the Con- fluence enough to prevent his securities The investigation in Hamilton against the Chief of Police and Alderman Pat ters, is still proceeding. Taylor has Physiognomy of Classes; Love and Another dedge resorted to en the been brought from the Penitentiary and Lovers; Second Marriages; Fat Folks trial was comparing the feet of the has confirmed to the hear-say evidence and Lean Folks, and How to cure them, prisoners, as the tracks on the snow of Armstrong. Nevins Jones was sworn with Illustrations; the Russian, with were said to be nearly alike. Me and asserted that he heard from thieves portraits; Enlarging the Lungs; Im- Craney's foot is doubtless somewhat that the Police were protecting them. mortality of Mind, A Wonderful Pre- larger than Howell's, but it was made Jeffery and Edwards, two arrested for diction [Fulfilled; Hymenial Poetry; to appear still larger, by the former hav- the Hamilton robberies, swore that they Maiden's Eyes; An Appeal from the ing on a pair of coarse boots, projecting had never stated that the Police and South; Art and Artists; Practical an inch beyond the toes, while the lat- Alderman were on their side. There is Preaching; Work-Day Religion; A ter wore fine stub-toes, with the toe pro- nothing definite as yet, but the Times thinks that the weight of evidence is Phrenology and Physiognomy, with en- Again, how came McCraney and against the Chief of Police and Patter-

AMERICAN.

rated; Our Finances; The Atlantic to three persons, and that one of these that all restrictions on trade west of the Cable, and Americans in England; with must have divulged. Two of the names Mississippi will be removed. Kirby much more in July double No. Phreuo- we know, and we would not for a mo- Smith has retired to Mexico with a large logical Jonrnal. Best No. ever issued, ment suppose that they would be guilty quantity of specie. The South before Begins a new Vol. Only 20 cents, by of imparting the information. How- surrendering Brownsville, sold their seture post, or a year for \$2. Subscribe ever, they should not screen the third artillery to the French in Mexico. The

now. Address Messrs Fowler & larty, if he be guilty of the act, but negroes in Richmond have petitioned the the Great Western Railway, England, energetically to Americans concerning since this time last year. The money new in custody in this city, and the should come boldly out and place president against their harsh treatment, an exursion train with 1000 passenges the Mexican question. upse Shrewsbury and 14 persons

before the public. We consider we John Mitchell the compatriot of Mc- were k and 40 seriously injured. are but discharging our duty to the Gee and Smith O'Brien in the Irish There is some agitation in Italy, public, when we notice the fact of the troubles, the Slaveholder in Alabama, the result of which has been, that the popular dissatistaction at the manner the Editor of the Richmond Enquirer, Pope has yielded to Victor Emanuel, of conducting the trials; not that we the special organ of Jeff Davis, bought who is recognized as King of Italy. have any prejudice in the matter. All out the Daily News in New York and The recent rebellion in Hayti has that we would ask is a fair and im- commenced his old trade of abusing failed. partial administration of justice. It is the North, but has at last been arrested The Paris correspondent of the Times pated these fears. The weather since of the first importance that trial by jury by the Government. Ben. Wood former- says that France has given the Washing- has been so fine and yet so cool that REMARKABLE PROCEEDING AT MIL- that some of your readers might like to MILTON HORSE RACES.—There will should be zealously guarded, as a sacred by the Government to understand that rapid progress must have been made. Ton.—The trial of Howell and Me make a home on this Island, and others two horse races on Tuesday next, the privilege, and when an attempt is made of the privilege, and when an attempt is made of the privilege, and when an attempt is made of the privilege, and when an attempt is made of the privilege, and when an attempt is made of the privilege, and when an attempt is made of the privilege, and when an attempt is made of the privilege, and when an attempt is made of the privilege, and when an attempt is made of the privilege, and when an attempt is made of the privilege, and when an attempt is made of the privilege, and when an attempt is made of the privilege, and when an attempt is made of the privilege, and when an attempt is made of the privilege, and when an attempt is made of the privilege, and when an attempt is made of the privilege. time say he wishes it stopped from that date, and the matter will be attended to. be two horse races on Tuesday next, the privilege, and when an attempt is made of the Daily News, has also been arrested French will not allow any Power to midge was thought to have appeared in perpetration of an extensive robbery in like at least to pay a visit here, I beg to

> in the North. FOREIGN.

a certain learned gentleman, who was drawn their recognition of belligerent the first Crystal Palace in 1851, is dead. meet at the Court House on Tuesday | COAL OIL NEAR MILTON.—We are making himself particularly officious at rights to the South, and the United He was 6 2 years of age. informed that a number of responsible the recent trials. One would have States are withdrawing their blockade

the South to carry on treasonable plots without mercy. ministerial assurance was given that nor in any of our exchanges. The hay Times a few days since, the impression there was no likelihood of trouble with crop is now beyond danger, and, prevailed that a strong effort was being the 12th ult., I passed through Guelph, The Princess of Wales was delivered America on the Mexican question.

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There has been another severe railway accident on the South Eastern, 11

Still Favourable.

a single unfavourable report in some have been published,) terminated on my journey. In a debate in the Corps Legislative fifty letters from all parts of the country, Wednesday last. As intimated in the without doubt, will be the largest and made by influential relatives of Howell Fergus, and to Arthur village, the first

changes hands, and the severity of Another week the country has been the previous stringency, imparts a blessed with most favourable weather degree of ease hardly anticipated. Wool for the growing crops. In some sections is coming forward freely, and is realizat the date of our last publication, fears ing a first-rate profit to producers! the were entertained of damage from the butter yield is certain to be large, and drouth, but genial though not heavy the prospects altogether grow brighter showers on Saturday and Monday dissi- as the days go by .- Trade Review.

best ever cut in Canada. Root crops to secure his aquittal or lieniency in his are also progressing finely, promising an sentence, and the result seems to confirm

every quarter, with regard to every Notwithstanding the direct evidence of Owen Sound, where we arrived about article of produce, the same good story Nevins Jones, an accomplice of the dusk. The country along this road Trade throughout nearly all the clusive circumstances, Howell has been with that about Milton. The Western country towns continues active. acquitted and McCraney was released on first difference to be noticed is a good ESCAPE.—We see by the 'Leader' take shares in a company to be formed, specially to intimidate the officers of The Times is out against Jeff Davis persons were killed and 120 wounded. Thus far in many localities the month, bail, the Magistrates deciding not to that Chancey Hurlburt, the bey lately to dig for Petroleum on the farm of the law, and to manipulate pliant jury- but advises merciful treatment for him. Charles Dickens was on the middle of May to the middle to pass sentence. These parties were Guelph to Owen Sound. I might also sent to the Penetanguishine Reform- Richard Fallis Esq, about one mile from men. And what was "the head and There has been a serious accident on escaped injury. France has spoken of June, has been the best thirty days suspected of complicity with the gang notice that I observed very few fields of

realized for cattle, horses, wool, lumber, result of the trial may well excite apand early deliveries of butter is circulat- prehensions as to how far the influence ing rapidly, and though the amount is of prominent persons will be exercised not large, the activity with which it in trials yet pending .- Hamilton Tines,

Correspondence.

To the Editor of the CANADIAN CHAMPION.

On board the Magic of Brook, South Bay, Manitoulin Island.

MY DEAR CHAMPION, -Presuming on a charge of receiving \$25,000 from attack, it and will deal with fillibusters Brant County, C. W., we have not seen that vicinity, (the particulars of which trespass on your columns a few notes of

> abundant yield. On every hand, from the correctness of this supposition. Forest, Durham, Johnstown, &c., to parties to the robbery, and other con shows quite a variety of scenery, comroad, traversing the whole extent from fall wheat, and scarcely any orchards of any description. Some of the villages along the road seem to be improving, while others apparently seem to be about holding their own. Owen Sound town is quite a romantic looking place, situated in a deep valley at the head of the Sound of the same name. Here completed my party, consisting in all of ten men, procured my provisions, and purchased the boat to convey us to our destination. Having completed our outfit, we set sail on Tuesday afternoon, and reached a place on the peninsula called North Keppel, better known as Purgatory, distant about twenty miles from Owen Sound, where we camped for the night. Next morning we again started, got into a dense fog, and could only run by the aid of the compass for several hours, when a heavy north-easterly storm came up, and cleared off the fog, bringing to view at the same time bold rocky shore, about two miles to the left, and innumerable white caps in the distance, directly across our bow. Nevertheless, we kept on our way, watching the white caps ahead, and the shore for a small bay to put into; at the left soon the sea began to roll fearfully, and no prospect of a safe put out, so we kept on our way at a fine speed, with all sail set. At length we came in sight of what appeared to be a small island, directly ahead, and made for it. As the sea continued to get worse, we were obliged to lower the main sail, keeping on with only the foresail set, and reached off the lee side of the island, where we found a small bay and ran in out of harms way. All feeling that dry land was much safer than out in an open boat on the waters of Georgian Bay during a storm, we were soon ashore, had our tents pitched, and a good fire built, dried ourselves and remained comfort-

Next morning, as the storm had somewhat subsided, we again set sail. A very heavy swell still rolled, but as we were anxious to take advantage of the wind, and as the venture on the day before had made us less afraid of a little wetting now and then. As a wave rolled over us, we proceeded on quite nicely, and were soon out of sight of our Island (we called it Duckey Island.) During the day we passed close by Cabots Head, rounded Bears Rump, and camped on the south shore of the Island, having seen some remarkable and grand scenery during the day. Next morning we again set sail, pass-

ed by the Isle of Cares, (on which stands a light house) Flower Pot Island, was in sight of Lovely Island, passed several others, among which was Horse Island, and came in sight of the Great Manitoulin. We sailed up the south shore, and towards evening made the entrance of South Bay, hugged the westerly shore, and at dark camped in a small bay, about three miles from the entrance, having been but three and a half days on the way from Owen Sound. South Bay enters Lake Huron quite abruptly, being about one quarter of a mile wide at the mouth, and widening to from five to eight miles within, and extends some twenty or twenty-five miles into the Island. Its shores are numerously indented with small bays, affording fine harbours for such vessels as ours. Altogether, it is a very handsome bay. The shores in some places are quite precipitous, but generally descend very gradually to the waters'edge, thus giving quite a variety of The fires of last summer bark so de-

stroyed the timber on the Island, that from the water a person would imagine the Island was well settled, with an agricultural population, but, on closer inspection, those places that at first looked like clearings, are found only to be spots that the fire ran over and burned the timber, which the wind has since blown down, and exhibits a scene very much like a fallow. Except one or two settlements, scarcely an Indian is to be found on the shores of South Bay. Most of the Indians on the Island reside on the northerly side. At the farther end of the bay is the

portage to the Manitowaning bay, which runs in from the north shore, the distance across the Isthmus being only about two miles. Up the westerly shore of Manitowaning Bay, about two miles from its head and the end of the portage, is situated the village of Manitow. aning, where resides Mr. Dupont, the Superintendent of the Indians, whom I find to be a gentleman in every sense of the word. Here, also, reside the doctor and the minister, with their families, and a clerk of the department, together with some Indians. The officers of the department all have comfortable frame houses. There is also a fine looking church and a stone house. This is the place of our Post Office, and is general headquarters. The officers and their families here, with a geological exploring party, under the superintendence of Mr. J. Bell, from Kingston, sent out by Sir W. E. Logan, and our own party, are all the white people I have seen since I came. Perhaps when I have more time, and have seen more of the Island, I may write again. Yours truly.

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