

FOREIGN

LATEST FROM EUROPE. By the packet ships Hannibal, Capt. Hibbard, from London, and Pacific Crocker from Liverpool...

FRANCE. The exposition of Casimir Perrier, and the project of a law presented by the Ministry on the 25th August...

ENGLAND. The Reform Bill was dragging slowly along. The 2nd clause is described as the tedious debate...

RUSSIA AND POLAND. If the statements and bulletins published in the German papers were entitled to full credit, there would be a hope left for Poland...

Belgium. Brussels, Aug. 27.—The French army has commenced the Exhibition of this great part of it will immediately return to France...

Austria. From the Courier 30th August. The Nuremberg Correspondent of the 22nd inst. which arrived this morning, states that...

Switzerland. At Basle, a second battle has taken place between the troops of the Diet and a body of peasants, acting in behalf of what is called the Provisional government...

PORTUGAL. In the British House of Commons, Mr. Robinson asked whether or not it was a fact that the French were in treaty with the Portuguese...

GREECE. MALTA, Aug. 5.—By the Pelican, which arrived on the 28th from Napoli, in 5 days, we were informed that every thing in that distracted country remains in the most alarming state...

GREAT BRITAIN. IMPERIAL PARLIAMENT. THE CORONATION. House of Lords, Aug. 22. The Marquis of Londonderry wished to correct an error which had gone forth with respect to what the Noble Earl said...

PORTSMOUTH, (Eng.) Aug. 2.—We regret to find that two officers of the Kensington, American corvette, have thought it proper to take offence for what they conceived to be a slight passed upon them...

LONG POLE KE. WELLESLEY. This eccentric gentleman, as was mentioned in former articles from England, was put into jail for a contempt of the Court of Chancery...

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Ireland. Earl Wicklow rose in pursuance to the notice which he had given on Friday evening last, that he should ask the Noble Earl opposite a question respecting the yeomanry of Ireland...

THE LONDON COURT JOURNAL makes the following mention of Mr. Paulding's new novel. 'THE DOCTOR'S FRESIDE, IN TWO VOLUMES. This tale is founded on Mrs. Grant's 'Memoirs of an American Lady'...

EXTRAORDINARY PERFORMANCE. Our readers will recollect an account we gave a month ago of the performance of a hundred miles in harness in less than twelve hours by a mare called Kitty...

ADVANTAGES OF REFORM.—A correspondent has favoured us with the following anecdote of the strange notions entertained by some of the lower orders on the subject of the reform bill...

LOWER CANADA. QUEBEC AGRICULTURAL SOCIETY. The sixteenth Annual Cattle Show, Ploughing Match and Exhibition of this Society, was held yesterday, at Mr. Anderson's farm, near Dorchester Bridge...

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THE PRINCIPALS AND THEIR FRIENDS then bent their course towards the Champs-Elysees, but when they had got there, M. de Rumigny observed: 'Why here we are, and without weapons, I must go and fetch some.' General Lamarque, aware of his being an excellent marksman, desired that they should be furnished only with swords...

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the produce of their own lands, fashioned to their own use and ornament, by their own hands; and we believe that in the eyes of all those whose good opinion is the most valuable, such families are more highly respected, than if they were clothed in the gaudy and flimsy trappings of foreign manufacture. Sixteen Canadian and seven European ploughs entered; most of which performed excellent work, altho' the ground was rather wet and heavy. One of the greatest benefits of these meetings is that samples of some of the most improved productions or performances of the agricultural classes, are brought under the view of a great number of persons who are, or would have been, ignorant of their existence, and consequently would make no effort at improvement, while from having seen and admired at these meetings, superior productions or performances, like themselves, every one is excited to imitate, and even surpass them. The premiums themselves are probably of little use, excepting as a means of bringing persons and things together, and holding up what is good for general admiration and imitation. The good effect already produced in this neighbourhood, is evident; and we are informed that similar societies are established in most of the Counties of this District; many of which have held their own annual exhibitions this year; merely according to the spirit voted by the Legislature, which are paid over by the Quebec Society to the Treasurer. The County Societies meet every two months, in the different parishes included in them, in relation, and have begun to form small collections of agricultural publications for the use of their members. The Quebec Society has now a tolerable good Agricultural Library, which is open every day to subscribers to the Society, its honorary members, and the officers of the country societies, at the Society's rooms at the Ramparts.—[Gazette.] An extraordinary attempt to murder a young lady in the streets of Plattsburgh, is now exciting a great deal of conversation in that place, and as confused reports may have reached the city, we have deemed it necessary to lay before our readers an account of the circumstances founded on private information received from the neighborhood. A Miss Blanchard, from Salem in the State of New York, a young lady such celebrated for her beauty and accomplishments, was walking through the streets with her sister, (Mrs. Salee,) about eight o'clock in the evening when they were met by a man wrapped up in a great coat, close buttoned about his face and chin, and with his hat brought over his eyes. She has since examined this individual, after carefully scanning their countenances as well as the light permitted, suddenly grasped Miss B. by the throat, and gave her a deep wound in the hip with a dirk or other sharp instrument, which was prevented from entering in a mortal part, by her having thrown her arms in her fright. The alarm being given the villain made his escape. The young lady was happy to say, is not likely to suffer much inconvenience from the wound. She has since been examined before the Magistrates, but nothing which she or others said in their evidence could bring a positive charge against any individual, Suspect, it is true, has been fixed upon a person who has recently been in the neighbourhood.—[Montreal Gazette.] Among the passengers by the packet ship George Comins, sailed from New York for Liverpool on the 9th, are Alexander Leslie, Esquire, of Montreal, and Major Duncan, and Captain Clark, 86th Regiment. Arthur Bastable, Esquire, formerly of Kingston arrived lately at New York. The last St. John Weekly Observer has noticed the late fracas at Madawaska:— "THE BORDER."—There have been alarming stories since our last, of the success of Uncle Sam's "come over the border" with arms in their hands, and committing sundry depredations upon the lands and settlements of our peaceable fellow subjects at Madawaska. This has naturally given rise to much conversation both in town and country, and we doubt not to much "boiling of blood" in the veins. "One of our illustrious Quarter Masters has been talking of opposing force to force,"—and our friend, the Editor of the Nova Scotia, promises, in the name of necessity, to appeal to every man from sixteen to sixty, to come over the border on our behalf. Our neighbours may therefore take notice that we do not lack pick in the quarter, and they have but to come over the border in earnest, to be taught a lesson they will not soon forget. But, notwithstanding all this, we are happy to be able to announce, upon good authority, that the whole turmoil has been raised by a dozen or twenty troublesome fellows on the frontier, who are not contented with the proper authorities of Maine, and less by the general Government of the United States. We trust that such will prove to be the case when the matter is duly investigated, as doubtless it will be. We cannot think the United States would offer a war with Great Britain, at present, and on an account of a few square miles of wild land, particularly after the commercial relations of the two countries have been so recently placed on an amicable footing. The general interest of both nations may be advanced by trade but not by war—at least if the general feeling be such that they will sleep in their scabbards in the beds of rust they have long since acquired. DOMESTIC. BANK MEETING. Pursuant to public notice, a meeting of the inhabitants was held at the Inn of Walter Dittrich, on Saturday the first day of October, with the view of taking into consideration the propriety of establishing a Banking Institution in St. Catharines, where William Hamilton Merritt, Esq., was called to the chair, and Mr. Henry Mullberger appointed secretary—whereupon the following resolutions were unanimously adopted:—Resolved—Whereas, the only noted Institution in this province being the Bank of Upper Canada, situated in the Town of York, with a capital of £100,000 distributing its circulating medium among a population of near 300,000 souls, it is the opinion of this meeting that the capital is not sufficient for the general trade of the province, and in its location, and in its distribution, unequal to the wants of many parts of the country. Resolved, That this institution, like all others of a similar nature, is governed by a board of directors, whereas it is necessary that the whole should concur in opinion before...