

MISCELLANEOUS NEWS.

AR KENTRUGH.—The seat of E. M. Gawn, Esq., the gardener has been cutting white cabbage since the 15th inst., and on the 17th, gathered a dish of asparagus, and a cucumber, and the first, we believe, in the island.—*Manx Liberator.*

SPECIAL INCUBATION.—In Northampton Church, a robin has actually built her nest under the fringe of the velvet canopy of the desk, and has deposited three eggs, which she is now anxiously watching over.—*Western Mail.*

COCK-DO.—The cuckoo was both heard and seen last week at the park of Sir George Sitwell, Bart., Remishaw-field, near Chesterfield. It is conjectured by some persons that an early appearance of this feathered visitor in this country presages an early harvest.

HOCKEY AND LACK TRADES.—A practice has commenced within these few weeks, which, if not prevented in time, will tend to depopulate the midland counties—namely, an extensive exportation of English-bird stockings from Belgium and Holland, and sold at 60 per cent. below the market.

REJOYCE IN THE WORKHOUSE.—Last Monday the board discussed the propriety of allowing the inmates recreation for the day. Whilst a deputation had gone to the governor for leave, fourteen of them sealed the walls and stayed out till about seven o'clock in the evening.—*Leicester Mercury.*

LARGE WALKER.—A large whale was thrown on shore on the 21st inst., near Flimby, of a prodigious size. Its length was fifty-eight feet, breadth across the back fourteen feet, height eight feet, and girth twenty-six feet.—*Carlisle Patriot.*

IT IS SAID that the opening of the London and South-Western line throughout its entire length will take place on the 1st inst., and that the same day as the partial opening of the North Midland line. It is intended, we believe, that seven trains shall run each way daily.

LARGE PICK.—A pick was captured in Windermer on Tuesday last, by Mr. George Robinson, of Bowness, which measured forty-two inches in length, girth round the body twenty inches and three quarters, and weighed twenty-seven and a half pounds.—*Carlisle Patriot.*

DR. LARNER.—A memorial, it is said, is being got up by some of the principal members of the British Association for the Advancement of Science, to present to the Council, to pray them to remove the Rev. Dr. Dionysius Larnier from his office as one of their members, on account of his late disgraceful conduct in the elopement from Brighton.

THE SPORTS OF THE TOWN.—The intention of the Earl of Eglinton and a number of his friends to renew the sports of last year. The spot selected for the amusement is the ground adjoining the Park Hotel, at Norwood, which will be taken by the Noble Earl for the purpose of the journey.

THE QUEEN.—It is whispered, circles likely to be acquainted with the fact, that Her Majesty is a way likely to prevent the succession to the throne from passing into any other than the direct line. The report derives strength from her Majesty's recent abstention from the usual exercise on horseback, and also from dancing, which she is known to take much pleasure in.—*Globe, Government paper.*

ON SATURDAY last, a respectable inhabitant of Haddington, having obtained permission to ascend the column built in commemoration of the late Earl of Hopetoun, threw himself from a balcony, near the top, about 90 feet from the ground. When picked up, he was found quite dead, with his eyes bandaged by a pocket handkerchief. He had been in low spirits for some time.—*Scotch Paper.*

WE UNDERSTAND that the joint opinions of two of the most eminent men at the meeting of the Coroners' Jury, and that the opinion being to the effect that they are not liable, Mr. Wakley, the Coroner for Middlesex, addressed the jury, and has given directions to the summoning officer not to summon them in future.—*Courier.*

SINGULAR CIRCUMSTANCE.—A child of four years old, son of Mr. B. Burley, of Treknock, wandered away from his home the other day; when, after some search, he was found under a sow, with a litter of pigs, making out a very comfortable home. It had often made the pigs his playmates; but it was not known before that he had been so completely adopted in their family circle.

SOCIALISM.—We hear that it is the intention of Mr. Owen, the head of the Socialists, to visit Salisbury in the course of a few days, and to deliver a lecture explaining fully his views and doctrines to his disciples there. Mr. Owen was present at Queenwood on Sunday last, and expounded his principles to the community at that place, and to numerous visitors.—*Derbyshire Gazette.*

THEIR IS NOW in this town a mountain of pork in the shape of a living pig. The length of the grunting giant is eleven feet, and the height four feet and two inches, and the weight, at present, some sixty pounds. The specimen of a pig was bred in Westmoreland. It is not yet "fat," but it is calculated by judges that in the most fine state it would weigh about seventy score.—*Warwick Paper.*

ROYAL ARTILLERY.—A detachment to complete the companies in the island under the command of Major-General Sir John Peel, and drivers for service in the Mediterranean and Canada, and the detaching being numerous in the latter place—fifteen having been sent from the Montreal district, and five gunners and one gunner, on the line of march near La Prairie, on the American frontier.

COALS.—A correspondent declares the following to be a never-failing remedy for corns, and is recommended by J. Henderson, M.R.C.S., and therefore on respectable authority. It is a mixture of iodine four drachms, iodure of iron twelve grains, chloride of ammonia four drachms; to be applied with a camel hair brush, after paring the corn. The sufferer will rejoice to learn that three applications are generally sufficient.—*Morning Herald.*

THE METROPOLIS.—The metropolitan area is seventy square miles, or nine miles and a half in diameter, and thus assuming a radius of five miles from St. Paul's Cathedral. Every year London is adding to its population that of a city equal to York. The total population of the metropolis is now 1,260,000, and by the end of the next year it will be 2,000,000, and in ten years a population of 4,000,000 has been added, which is as much as the ancient city in the time of Charles II.

BRITISH MUSEUM.—The number of persons who visited this national establishment during Easter week, was 20,135. On Tuesday, 13th inst., 13,139; on Wednesday, 14th, 13,139; on Thursday, 15th, 13,139; on Friday, 16th, 13,139. The greatest order and decorum prevailed, and the visitors throughout the week have been principally of the class of artisans, showing a decided improvement in their taste for national amusements.

RETAL POLICE.—It is a matter of no little satisfaction to find that the "new coercion" is meeting a strong opposition in most parts of the country. In some counties it has been rejected; and in others, where it has been accepted, the public are beginning to manifest their hatred at the idea of making slaves at home. The sooner the two Bills, now before Parliament, are abandoned, the better, and we are much mistaken if one passed a year ago, will not be repealed ere long.

ANOTHER INCENDIARY FIRE IN DEVON.—The fire at Mr. Gernon's, Wilmotcombe, on Sunday, appears to have been most destructive. Mr. and Mrs. Gernon were attending church, when they were apprised of the fire. On arrival, at the farm they found the dwelling-house, out-houses, barn, and stables, one mass of ruins. Three fine horses, several calves, the whole of their implements in husbandry, carts, harness, are all completely destroyed; scarcely a vestige of furniture, and not a particle of their clothes, was saved.

RETAL POLICE IN NOTTINGHAMSHIRE.—At the meeting of magistrates, on Tuesday last, a great majority decided upon adopting the Consular Act in this county, and a superintendent was elected. The Duke of Newcastle and Colonel Williams, who received very coolly by the meeting; and only nine magistrates out of forty-two could be found to oppose the introduction of this spy system into the county of Nottingham.

THE TEMPERANCE REFORMATION.—The success of Father Matthew's mission has been so great, that it is still more remarkable than any other part of Ireland which he has yet visited. On Tuesday week, and part of Wednesday, he administered the temperance pledge to 25,000 persons of all ages in the small town of Ennis, and on Wednesday, he arrived in Wexford (where the peasantry form the distance of thirty miles had congregated), and administered the pledge to 32,000 persons.

A FEW DAYS ago, a fire broke out in the woods of Lagrange and Sully-la-Chapelle, near Orleans, the property of Count Jules de la Roche-Aymon. About seventy-five acres of wood were destroyed. Some trenches were found on the spot where the fire commenced, but no doubt that it was wilful. The act must have been the result of some private vengeance, as of the evidence of the crime, the excited themselves zealously in arresting the progress of the fire.

DEATH FROM SWIMMING.—A second inquest was held before Mr. Wakley, on view of the body of Edward Hutchins, aged 47, who was drowned in the employ of Messrs. G. Norbury, copperminers, at Mile End, and on the afternoon of Monday last he was taken to a swimming bath, but had scarcely swum down before he fell with great violence upon his head, and fractured his skull. He was removed to the London Hospital, where he expired at eleven o'clock on Friday night. Verdict, "Accidental death."

SEDUCTORS.—A bill has been introduced into the House of Commons, to enable Justices of Peace in Special Sessions, on proof of two witnesses, whereof one not exceeding £50 to be paid within six months, to the party complaining, or levied by distress, or to commit for six months. The measure is also proposed in cases of breach of promise of marriage.

A CASE OF HYDROPHOBIA occurred at Wolverhampton on Friday last, the victim being a poor man residing in Bricklin-street, and who was last seen on Thursday with a slight pain in one of his hands, which was quickly succeeded by the worst symptoms of this fearful complaint. The sufferer denied the knowledge of the disease, and was bitten by a dog, but was at length removed by a companion who visited him, that they had both been slightly bitten when working together by a strange dog which had entered the workshop; the fear produced by the wound still remained on his hand. The unfortunate man lingered in extreme agony until Friday night, when he expired.—*Birmingham Gazette.*

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CHIMOND. Mr. John Young, M. D., arrived in this port from

Sporting Intelligence.

HATTERICK BRIDGE MEETING. 1840.

of Mr. O. C. Milledge.....(Heselite) 1
ake of Cleveland's b.f. by Miley Moloch 2
r. Wilkin's b.c. Septimus..... 3
e H. T. O. Powlett's f. Kedge..... 4
R. J. O. Fairlie's b. f. Cookery..... 5

HOLD CUP, OR SPECIE, at the option of the
anner, by subscription of 10 sows each. Mars
d geldings allowed 3lb. Two miles. (8 subs.)

r. Orle's Bee's Wing.....(Cartwright) 1
J. B. Roswell's The Hydras..... 2
r. Wilkin's b. f. Interlude..... 3
ake of Cleveland's h. f. by Voltaire..... 4
r. Attwood's ch. c. Little Philip..... 5

4 on Bee's Wing, and 3 to 1 last Five. The

well off with the exception of Interlude, who
 three or four lengths astern, the Hydra going
 with the lead, at a very severe pace, with Bee's
 about a length behind. The horse led them
 about a mile and a half, but
 at the straight turn the old mare went
 him, and at the distance decided, and won
 two lengths.

BROUGH HANDICAP of 15 sows each, 10 ft. and
 5 ly, 5 declared, &c. One mile and a half.
 subs, 2 of whom paid only 5 sows each.)

r. Stephenson's br. c. Neptune.....(Francis) 1
 rd. Edgington's b. c. Doctor Caius..... 2
 r. Wrafter's gr. h. Hackfall..... 3
 r. Wormald's b. g. Tiny..... 4

4 on Hackfall, and 3 to 1 agst Dr. Caius. Tiny
 off with the lead, Hackfall being second, Dr.
 third, and Neptune last. The lot went in this
 with but little variation as far as the low turn,

MANCHESTER, TUESDAY EVENING.

attendance this morning was quite in keeping with the near approach of an event upon which so many eyes are well known to be pending. Our quotations were laid, in one or two instances, against the lead "smelter." The grand revolution was in the rapid "downfall" of the "Bellona," and the "downfall" of St. Bennett and Abraham Newland, neither of whom was in the slightest favour, so decidedly was the spirit to "down" on the two mares. The business finished at 100 minutes; St. Bennett's and Abraham's prices were

1 and upwards. George was backed for a little
 y at 33 to 1, and then at 200 to 7. The prices
 present hour cannot be expected to be those of
 morning, as every post must introduce us to
 opinion formed of the horses arrived, and also their
 tion, &c.

THE CHESTER CUP.

to 1	against Sir T. Stanley's Cowboy.—t
to 1	Mr. J. Henderson's Lanercost.—t
to 1	Mr. Robinson's Melbourne.
to 1	to Oakley.

to 1	...	Col. Peers Day or Aigiers.— ~~take~~
		11 in hundreds
to 1	...	Mr. Fowler's Gilbert Gurney.
to 1	...	Dawson's lot.—off
to 1	...	Lord Eglinton's Bellona.
to 6	...	Mr. Copeland's King Cole.—t
to 25	...	Lord Eglinton's Opera.—off
to 11	...	Mr. R. Price's Captain Pops.—t

to 1 ... Lord Westminster's Sir Ralph.
to 1 ... Mr. Speed's Airswell.
to 1 ... The Feather.—t and then off
to 7 ... Mr. Knox's George.—t freely
to 7 ... Mr. Thompson's Stansty.—t
to 8 ... Bellona and Opera.—t
4 to 2 the field v. any two.

MARRIAGE

Wednesday last, at Kirkstall Church, by the
Joseph Ware, Mr. Joseph Mitchell, of
town, cloth merchant, to Sarah, second daughter
m. Dodsworth, Esq., of Park Square, Leeds.
Easter Tuesday, at Woodhouse Church, Mr.
ry Egddell, mechanic, to Miss Ann Jackson, both
is town.

Wednesday, at the church of Holy Trinity,
legate, York, Mr. John Minstoff, son of Mr.
tuff, Dunnington, to Mary, second daughter of
Buckle, of the same place.

Monday, at Kirkstall Church, by the Rev. Josh.

Monday last, at the Catholic Chapel, Blake-
st, by the Rev. Thos. Billington, Capt. Mitchell,
Miss Ann Prince, both of York.
On Sunday last, at St. Cuthbert's, by the Rev. J.
Rev. Mr. James Corner, bricklayer, to Miss Ja-

same day, at the parish church, Otley, Mr. W. W. Harrison, farmer, to Miss E. Fawson, both of Otley on Saturday last, at Otley, Mr. John Newbold, to Rebecca Wood, all of that place.

same day, at Ripon Cathedral, by the Rev. J. W. Pearson, B.D., Mr. James Smith, of Ripon, solicitor, to Miss Todd, of Studley.

Tuesday, at Newton-on-Ouse, by the Rev. John
 H. Truett, to Miss Elizabeth Burton, milliner and dress-
 er, of the former place.
 On the 24th inst., at the Collegiate church, Manchester,
 by the Rev. H. Fielding, M.A., Mr. Stephen New-
 man, of the above town, to Miss Elizabeth, the eldest
 daughter of John Squire, Esq., of Sherburn, near
 Thirsk, Yorkshire, in this county.
 On Saturday week, at York, Mr. Henry Shaw,
 of the above town, to Miss Jane Wrigglesworth, both of Pock-
 ton.
 On the 28th inst., at the Collegiate church, by the
 Rev. Mr. Johnson, Mr. Thomas Gray, at Barton-
 on-Nearwood, to Mrs. Margaret Cockburn,
 one of Mr. John Elton, of the King's Arms, Man-
 chester.
 On the 27th ult., at St. Mary's Church, Mr. Thos.
 ter, to Mary, eldest daughter of Mr. John
 Thomas, both of Cheetham.
 On the 27th inst., at the parish church, Easing-

Rev. William Marden, William W. Blackett,
of Manchester, to Sarah Anne, second daughter
of William Croft, Esq., Weaste Villa, near Man-
chester.
On the 28th ult., at the parish church, Bolton, by
Rev. John Lyons, A.M., Mr. John Sewcroft,
organist, Deansgate, Great Bolton, to Fanny, fourth
daughter of Mr. Robert Howarth, drysalter, of
London.
On the 28th ult., at the same place, by the Rev.
Blade, vicar, the Rev. John Henry Pooley, rector
of Scotter, Lincolnshire, to Sarah Grundy, youngest
daughter of the late Col. Fletcher, of the Holms,
High, near Bolton.

On the 21st inst., at Stauwemoreland Cathedral, Mr. Richard Smith, to Miss Susan Beaumont, both of
s.
On Thursday, Mr. F. Woolhouse, of Sheffield, is
is Deputy, of Doncaster.
Same day, at Kellington by the Rev. George La-
ter, Mr. John Tate, to Miss Wormeld, only
daughter of Mr. Wormeld, farmer and grazer, of
Sheffield.
Same day, at Belgrave chapel, by the R. W.
Milton, W. H. Ropes, Esq., of St. Petersburg,
Helen Harriett, eldest daughter of J. D. Hall,
of this town.
Same day, at Ripon Cathedral, by the Rev. J.
S. Nesbitt, son of Mrs. Dickson, Esq., of Mowbray
Square, only son of T. Dickins, Esq., of Mowbray
Square, to Eliza, eldest surviving daughter of Mr.
Ryton, of Ripon.
On Wednesday week, at the parish church, Brad-
ford, by the Rev. Croft, vicar, and rector, to Miss Mary
Hindulhurst, both of Thornton.

DEATHS.

On Monday last, at Wetherby, in his 63rd year, **John Heselton**, late of Leeds.

On the 17th ult., aged 38 years, **Sarah**, the wife of **John Tempest**, of Huddersfield, after a very short illness.

On Wednesday week, after a week's illness, in the city, **Hull**, **Mr. Jones**, the theatrical manager.

J. Jones was a native of **Belton**, in **Leicestershire**, where he was born on the 20th of April, 1784.

On Monday last, at her residence, **Old Malton**, aged 54, **Elizabeth**, relict of the **Rev. John Richard-**

rector of Norton, and curate of St. Mary's church, Old Malton.

On Sunday last, after a short but severe illness, died Mr. George Ellis, late of the Mint Yard, York.

Same day, aged 34, Mr. Joseph Idle, son of Mrs. Idle, maltster, Meadow-lane, in this town.

On Saturday last, at the house of Mrs. Riddell, Prospect-street, Hull, aged ten years and seven months, died, only son of John Murray, Esq., of 74, Leaden-street, London.

Same day, after a short illness, in his 78th year, Thomas Bischoff, Esq., agent to the Bank of England Branch, in this town, since the commencement of the establishment in 1827.

On Friday, aged 62, Mary relict of the late Mr.

Lumb, of this town.
 On 28th ult., aged 68 years, Mr. John Bell, Ducie
 House Inn, Strangeways, Manchester.
 On the 27th ult., Elizabeth, wife of Mr. John
 Bell, and saw manufacturer, of Manchester.
 On the 24th ult., aged 55 years, Mrs. Eliza Great-
 land, only daughter of Mr. Roberts, of the Bal-
 con Inn, St. George's Road, Manchester.
 On the 26th ult., aged 12 years, Lucius Donough,
 eldest son of Donough O'Brien, Esq., of Abbey
 ur, Chester.
 On the 25th ult., in her 111th year, Anne Gordon
 ne, eldest daughter of Captain Edward John
 Leather, Hope-street, Liverpool.
 On Monday, Mr. Hoult, master-silverplater, aged

years, of Hannover-street.

