ACCIDENT.——Last Saturday afternoon, as Job Melkin, an ironstone-miner, was working in the pits at Spinkhill, a quantity of bind fell upon him, breaking his thigh, and injuring him severely in various parts of his body.

ORDINATIONS.—We give a list of fifteen ordinations to be held on Trinity Sunday, June 18th, viz., by the Archbishop of York, the Bishops of London, Lincoln, Rochester, Bath and Wells, Gloucester and Bristol, Exeter, Peterborough, Worcester, Chichester, Lichfield, Ely, Oxford, Manchester, and Hereford.—The prayer for the Ember Weeks should be used to-morrow (Whit Sunday) and following days, until the interesting ceremonies take place.

BARLBRO'.—Late on Saturday night, or early on Sunday morning last, the butcher's shop belonging to Mr. George Hibbard, jun., of Barlbro', was broken into, and several small pieces of beef and mutton were stolen therefrom. The thief or thieves at present remain undetected.

BASLOW.——Two excellent sermons were preached in the Wesleyan Methodist Chapel, Baslow, on Sunday last, by Mr. Joseph Andrew, in aid of the Sunday school, belonging to the chapel. The collections made amounted to £3 13s 11½.—On Tuesday week, some thieves stole from a cart of Mr. Joseph Webster's of Parwich, at Baslow, while he left it to take some refreshment, fifteen scythe blades, with which they got clear off. They are of Biggins make, and there will be a sharp look out for the future, as there have been some suspicious characters observed prowling about.

ACCIDENT WHILE ANGLING.—On Friday, the 2nd instant, William Harriss, Esq., of Little Longstone, was angling in that beautiful part of the river Wye, situate in Monsal Dale, accompanied by a boy. In crossing the plank bridge (a very dangerous one) the latter fell into the river (which is very deep just below) unobserved by his master; the poor fellow's cries soon arrested his attention; he plunged into the river just as the boy was at the dangerous spot, caught hold of him firmly, and succeeded by good swimming in gaining the bank, but not until both of them were much exhausted.

On Tuesday evening, as Mr. John Gregory, butcher, Great Longstone, was riding into the village, his horse fell suddenly on descending the Miners'-hill. The poor animal was severely injured, but the rider escaped with a slight bruise or two.

MANCHESTER, BUXTON, AND MATLOCK RAILWAY.—The opposition of the Manchester, Sheffield, and Lincolnshire Company, against the above company's deviation bill, was heard in the committee on Wednesday. We learn from a private source that everything promises well at present in the committee for the shareholders.

CRICH.—After an excellent sermon preached in the parish church of Crich, June 4th, by the Hon. and Right Reverend the Lord Bishop of Sodor and Man, his lordship clearly and earnestly impressed upon parents the necessity of a Scriptural education for their children, not only as a foundation of that knowledge which can alone make them wise unto salvation, but also to fit them for the proper discharge of their duties in this life. The object of the appeal was towards the completion of the Parochial School, to which the children of all denominations of Christians will have access. The collection amounted to £11.

MAIL TRAINS.—On and after the 18th of June an alteration will take place in the arrival of the up and down mail trains on the Midland Railway.

CRICKET ARRANGEMENTS.—Nottingham agst Sheffield, at the latter town, July 3.—Nottingham against Sussex, in a short time.

BELPER.—Richard Green, parcel porter at the Belper station, has been apprehended and committed to the Derby County Gaol, on Wednesday, on a charge of embezzling certain sums of money to the amount of about £27, the property of the Midland Railway Company.

ODD FELLOWS, BRADLEY.—The anniversary of "The Travellers' Rest Lodge" of this order was celebrated on Wednesday, the 31st ult.; after service at church and a very excellent sermon by the Rev. Evan Thomas, a large body of members and friends of the order, accompanied by the usual music and banners, proceeded to Host Hazeldine's, where a most sumptuous dinner was provided for the occasion. In the absence of Mr. Tomlinson, of Bradley Pastures, who was to have officiated as chairman, but was prevented by indisposition from attending, Mr. J. W. Lister was called upon to preside. The usual loyal toasts and sentiments were given, and a variety of appropriate speeches and songs contributed much to the enjoyment of the party. We are glad to hear that this lodge is in a very prosperous condition, there having been a considerable increase both in the funds and the number of members since the last anniversary.

W[illegible].—This annual fair was held on Monday last, and was well attended; but no great amount of business was done. There was a pretty sprinkling of the knowing gentry there, but we are glad to learn that their efforts met with very little success.

On Wednesday, one of the officers of Wakefield House of Correction, of the name of Ellis, was charged at Wakefield Court House, with embezzling a quantity of leather, the property of the Riding, from the prison. He was committed for trial at the next West Riding Sessions.

ISLE OF AXHOLME EXTENSION.—On Wednesday evening this extension of the Great Northern passed the third reading in the House of Commons. From an inspection of the plan it will be seen that this extension is made to connect the port of Gainsburgh, by way of Crowle and other towns, to Reedholme Wood, and thence to Wakefield, passing by Doncaster at a distance of four miles.

EMBEZZLEMENT BY A RAILWAY CLERK, AT NOTTINGHAM.—John Wright, the young man regarding whom we had a paragraph a fortnight ago concerning the embezzlement of £3 odd, received by him on behalf of the railway company, at Nottingham, and who we stated had been remanded on Saturday, the 27th, by the Nottingham magistrates, was again brought up on Monday week, when he was again remanded till Thursday, on which day he was committed to take his trial at the ensuing Nottingham Borough Sessions.

RUGELEY GREAT HORSE FAIR.—This important fair, which nominally commences on the 1st of June, attracted to the neighbourhood several days previously some of the great London dealers, or their agents, namely, Messrs. Collins, Phillips, and Tanney, Bartley, Cox, and Attwood. Horses of the first class have fetched, as usual, very high prices, £100 to £150 having been realised by their owners—the London dealers, however, having been the only buyers of such animals. On Thursday, the fair formally commenced; and the town was pretty full. Middling horses were not in such demand. The Trent Valley Railway now affords great facility for visiting Rugeley, there being a station within a short distance of the town.

CAPTURE OF SWINDLERS.—On the 23rd inst. Mr. Jollins, an excise officer, arrived at Nottingham, with information that two men, named John Wilson and Philip Bain, who for some time had been defrauding the revenue to a considerable extent, had been traced from Canterbury to Newark, and were supposed to be in the neighbourhood. On Wednesday morning suspicion fell on two persons, who lately came to Nottingham, and entered upon a mill, maltkiln, and premises, intending to carry on business under the firm of Whitton and Co., as millers, maltsters, agricultural implement dealers, &c. They had obtained goods from several tradesmen in the town, and in some cases without paying for them. Two of the borough police then went to the mill in disguise in search of the men, who espied them coming, and suspecting that all was not right, started off. They were, however, apprehended, after being chased some two or three miles, and taken into custody. The amount of the original debt to the government was £2[illegible] for malt duty; but the excise now claim £400, the parties having become liable to double duty by quitting Canterbury without payment. They have offered to pay the proper amount, to be raised by a sale of their effects, but it has been refused. We hear that a sale will take place shortly. They are, it is said, part of an organized body, who have been practising frauds on the revenue to an immense extent. Shortly after the apprehension of these men, Inspector Bosworth, of the Bristol police arrived with a warrant against them for obtaining goods under false pretences.—*Nottingham Review.*

HARVEST PROSPECTS IN THE WEST RIDING.—A letter, written from the West Riding of Yorkshire, says:—The rain which has fallen since Saturday last has been of incalculable benefit to this district, in the improvement which it has effected in the crops of spring-sown corn, the earlier potatoes and the meadows and pastures. Owing to the fine sunny weather which prevailed during the last month, vegetation is more advanced than it has been known to be at this season since the year 1835. The grain crops generally are looking well, and though the wheats on cold soils lacked moisture prior to the recent rains, that want has now been supplied, and an experienced farmer tells me that wheat will begin to fall out in a very few days. The season is favourable for getting in turnip seed; and from what I hear and see around, there is just a fair prospect of an abundant harvest.

JUSTICE ROOM, HEMSWORTH.

THURSDAY, JUNE 8.

(Before W. J. Bagshawe, Esq.)

Thomas Nightingale and William Horner, both of Eckington, were charged by Richard Rippon, constable, with committing a breach of the peace.

John Heald, constable, said that on the 23rd of May, between eleven and twelve o'clock at night, he was called out to preserve the peace, when he found the defendants fighting a battle in the street near the Duke of York public house: he said Nightingale was very frequently causing disturbances in the neighbourhood, and in Jan. last was fined for fighting; he then promised the magistrates that he would abstain from such conduct for the future, but instead of keeping his promise his conduct had been quite the reverse.

Horner said it was true they were fighting, but said he was compelled by Nightingale, and called evidence to prove that he declined fighting when Nightingale challenged him, until he was compelled either to fight or run.

Nightingale, in his defence, said that about a fortnight before the 23rd of May he was at the Duke of York public-house when either Horner or his brother took his cap, and he had not been able to get it back. He went down on the night in question to try to get it back, and found Horner at the same public-house; they then agreed to fight.

The case against Horner was dismissed, and Nightingale was called upon to enter in his own recognizances in the amount of £10, and find one surety in the same amount, and pay 13s. 6d. costs.

John Pailey, of Elmton, charged James Haslam, game keeper to W. H. De Rodes, Esq., with assaulting him at the parish of Elmton.

Defendant was ordered to pay 14s. 6d. costs.

Francis Presley, of Killamarsh, tailor, charged John Hurst with being a disorderly apprentice.

Complainant said that Hurst absented himself on the 7th day of last January, and he had not been able to come up with him since, until Wednesday, when the Killamarsh constable apprehended him at Retford.

Defendant said when I was bound apprentice I expected I was to do as my master ordered me, and he told me to go about my business or I should not have gone. I have been in Retford ever since January, and my master knew were I was. I had no holidays at Christmas, and I went to a dancing on the 6th of January, and returned home about 12 o'clock at night. I had to rattle at the door so long that I thought they must be all dead in bed. At last my master came down stairs, and opened the door for me, and then began to abuse me.

Samuel Parr, a lodger in Presley's house, stated that Hurst frequently went out, and did not return home until very late hours.

It appeared that Hurst was bound apprentice to Presley, about four years ago, and Presley was to receive a premium of £4 11s, but only 6s of the premium had been paid.

Presley said if Hurst would pay the premium and costs, he would give him his indenture.

Ordered to pay the premium and 28s costs, by four monthly instalments, and, in default, to be committed to the house of correction for three months.

Samuel Milner, of Killamarsh, was brought up in custody, charged with stealing £1, the property of Mr. Smith, of Bolsover.

Prosecutor did not appear, and on

Milner promising to attend before the Magistrates, at Eckington, on the 22nd inst., he was discharged.

THE TORTUOUS PATHS OF LOVE.—In a romantic dale of Derbyshire lives a dashing farmer, who farms his own land; he is a bachelor, and has for some years past desired to have a wife to share in his joys and sorrows. But such a wife as he desires is not to be found at every turn: for she must be possessed of youth, beauty, and wealth. Now, it happened in the course of last summer, that his attention was fixed on a rich heiress, (the daughter of a jolly farmer of the old school, "who lives on the hill") a lovely maiden of eighteen. At the time to which we allude, there lived with the jolly old farmer, on the hill, a six feet six farm servant of a good middle age, industrious, and very careful, having, in the course of his servitude, saved about two hundred pounds. The gallant farmer and his sweetheart made this swain their confidant; he was employed on Sundays, and at other times, when opportunity served, to carry messages from the one to the other, a distance of four miles, and for a time he fulfilled his engagement in a most trustworthy manner—becoming, of course, very intimate with the lovely heroine of the tale. Now it struck him one day, while he was following the plough, that the lady would do better for himself than for his employer; this he has told since, but he was cautious enough not to open his mind to the lady at once, so he had recourse to a little strategy: he continued to carry their messages as usual, but on every occasion he had a secret to tell to each, which he charged them, on pain of the loss of his services, to tell to no one, and this, by both in every instance, was agreed to. To the gallant beau, he represented the belle as despising him, of being very violent in her temper, and also of being secretly attached to another, with whom, on several occasions, he had seen her, and that if he was in his place he would not prosecute the matter any further. To the fair one, he represented the farmer as being extremely prodigal, drunken, quarrelsome, and much given to courtesans; and the consequence of these artful tales was, that he turned her mind entirely against the boxom farmer, so that she would never after have another interview with him. This was the time when he offered himself as her suitor. This he did at first with some degree of trepidation; to which she replied, that there was a great difference in their age, education, and situation in life—he only a servant, she a rich heiress. But all this was spoken in such a kind, sweet, soft, easy manner, that instead of abashing him, it very much emboldened him, and in the end she consented to receive his addresses. All this was done, and carried on month after month, without the old farmer (her father) knowing anything at all about it; but at length they were betrayed by one whom they had entrusted with their secrets. When her father knew what was going on in his house, he was very wroth, and turned away his servant, to prevent, as he said, "further mischief." But love will find out a way, and the intimacy was clandestinely continued. Finally, she consented to give the hero of our tale her hand; and he went to a neighbouring priest for a license. The day was fixed, their plans (as they thought) well laid, and the day arrived: they were to meet in an adjacent town, early in the morning. He rose with the lark, and set off to the appointed rendezvous. The rustic swain on that morning wore a blue cow-gown (a smock-frock) to prevent suspicion, and carried his coat tied up in a handkerchief, which he intended to put on when the danger of being overtaken was past. In this garb he stood against a shop-window in anxious suspense, expecting every moment to behold his beloved one; the clock struck six—she had not arrived; seven—still she came not; eight—nine—ten—yet she did not appear. The pangs of love's delay then seized him, and in despair he bent his feeble steps towards home, sighing and sobbing most piteously. Alas! his true love had also risen early, intending, in a few hours, to be a bride. She set off from her father's house secretly and alone, but she had not long been gone, when the servant-maid (who, unfortunately, was not going to be married also) betrayed her to her father, who followed after her, overtook her, and forcibly carried her back. He has made a close prisoner of her, and declares she shall be such until she reach the age of twenty-one—the age of discretion for heiresses. And in order that his determination may not prove abortive, and discrediting the adage that "love laughs at locksmiths," he has barricaded the doors and windows with bars of iron strong enough to resist the attack of a giant; and the fair one laments in durance vile the loss, both of the jolly farmer and of the gigantic servant lover.

OPENING OF THE GREAT NORTHERN AND ASKERN BRANCH RAILWAYS.—On Monday last, these two lines of railway were opened. Before half-past ten o'clock the time appointed for their departure from Doncaster, the street in front of the New Angel was crowded by spectators, anxious to witness the start. The bells of the parish church rung merrily, and the weather being fine and cheerful, all went off in fine style. The two new lines of railway will for the present be worked by the Lancashire and Yorkshire Company, and hence the demonstration of Monday last was under their especial and exclusive management.

COMPARATIVE PRICES OF GRAIN.

Weekly Averages by the Imperial Qr., from the *Gazette* of Friday last, June 2, 1848.	s.	d.	Averages from the corresponding *Gazette* of last year, Friday, June 4, 1847.	s.	d.
Wheat ...	47	8	Wheat ...	102	5
Barley ...	32	8	Barley ...	56	3
Oats ...	20	8	Oats ...	35	3
Rye ...	28	9	Rye ...	73	11
Beans ...	36	9	Beans ...	59	11
Peas ...	36	11	Peas ...	59	3

Duties.—Wheat 8s. per quarter; oats, 2s 6d.; rye, 2s; barley, beans and peas, 2s per quarter.

MANSLAUGHTER AT BRAMPTON.

Considerable excitement was caused in Brampton and the neighbourhood on Friday last, by its becoming known that a labourer named Henry Young, a widower, residing at Wasp Nest, had used such violence towards Ann Slater, a widow lodging with him, in ejecting her from his house, as to endanger her life. The following appear to be the facts of the case. The woman had been lodging with Young for two or three months, and had left about a fortnight since. On Friday morning she and her daughter went to the house to fetch some goods away which were her property. Soon after twelve o'clock Young came home to his dinner, and an argument was commenced between him and Mrs. Slater respecting her right to take possession of certain articles. Whilst she was sitting upon a chair, Young suddenly seized her by the back part of the neck and shoulder, swung her round, and pushed her out of the door with great violence. Mr. Jones, surgeon, was sent for immediately, but when he arrived she was speechless and insensible, and continued in that state until Sunday morning, when she died. In consequence of the precarious state in which the unfortunate woman lay, Young was taken into custody. He was brought up on the following morning for examination before the sitting magistrates at Chesterfield; some witnesses were examined, and he was remanded.

An inquest was held on the body on Monday morning at Mr. Gregory's, the Red Lion, Brampton, before Mr. Hutchinson, coroner, and a respectable jury, of whom Mr. Parker was foreman, when the following evidence was adduced.

Elizabeth Jackson, on being sworn, said: I am daughter to the deceased, who is a widow about 54 years of age. My mother and two of my brothers had been living with Henry Young for two or three months. She left him a fortnight since last Saturday. One of my brothers left before she did. My mother had some furniture at Young's, which she did not bring away with her, and on Friday last I went with her to his house to fetch the goods away. This was in the forenoon. Young was not at home then. He came about twelve o'clock to his dinner, and said, "Have you taken Jack's bed," meaning my brother John's. My mother said "yes; we have pulled the bed and bedstocks down, and taken them away." Young then said to my mother, "what are you going to leave me for Ned's money," meaning my other brother Edward. She said "Nothing; if he owes you money you must ask him for it; I should think you would not stop my things for his money." He said "There shall nothing go out of this house until I have got the money, and if she (meaning my mother) would get the money and bring it to him she should then have her things." She said there was a two-gallon bottle which he had taken away, and also another gallon bottle which she could not find. She then said, "There was a new brush I brought when I came here, and you have worn it out." He said, "Have you used nothing of mine?" She said, "No; I have used my own." Young then jumped up off the sofa, took hold of my mother by the back part of her neck and shoulders, pulled her out of a chair in which she was sitting, spun her round, and pushed her out of the door—head first. As he was pushing her out of the door he struck her with his fist, threatening her that if she came again he would break her neck, and throw some fire, or otherwise water, in her face. She fell sideway upon the ground, and got up herself, telling Young that she would make him pay for it. I then went into Joseph Lowe's house, about fifteen yards distant, and she followed me; she sat down in the house, and putting her hands up to her face said, "Oh dear! he has hurt my neck." This was about five or ten minutes after it was done. She began to be sick and fainting, and went to the door. Charlotte Randall then went to her, and she was carried into Randall's house; I went to her there, and she said, "Oh! my dear Bess! I'm going to die." These were the last words she ever spoke; I have been with her all the time till her death, which took place at half-past eleven yesterday (Sunday) morning.

By the Foreman: She did not seem to be at all sensible; she tried to speak, but could not.

By a Juror: When they were talking Henry Young was very angry at my mother saying she would not go away without her things. She was generally a healthy woman, and not disposed to fulness in her neck. I do not know whether they had quarrelled before.

Charlotte Randall, wife of Robert Randall, living at Wasp Nest, Brampton, said: Our house is about 15 yards from Henry Young's. Mrs. Slater and her son lodged there till within the last fortnight, since which time she has been lodging with me. I was at Joseph Lowe's on Friday last, about ten minutes past 12 o'clock; she came in there, and said, "Oh! dear, Charlotte, he's stunned my neck." She then got up, went to the door, and leant against the railings. She cried out that he had stunned her neck, and that it had flown into her head. She began vomiting, and fainted away. With the assistance of John Mallender, a neighbour, we took her into our house, and laid her on the sofa. When she was leaning against the rails, she said to Mallender, "He has killed me and picked me out of doors." She continued ill till Sunday, when she died. She never spoke after she came into our house.

John Mallender, shoemaker, of Wasp Nest, corroborated the evidence of the last witness, adding that when they took deceased into Randall's house, her throat began to swell so much, that they were obliged to cut her cap strings off.

Mr. Jones, surgeon, of Chesterfield, was next sworn. He said: I was called in about half-past 12 o'clock on Friday last to see Mrs. Slater. I found her lying upon a couch, quite insensible, speechless, and paralysed on the right side of her body. I considered that she was suffering from compression of the brain; she got no better, and I attended her until her death, which took place yesterday morning about half-past eleven. I have made a *post mortem* examination of the body. The appearance of the body was pale and flabby, but otherwise healthy. There was no mark whatever of violence on the scalp. The skull being removed, no indications of disease presented themselves between it and the surface of the brain, except that the vessels were enlarged and loaded with blood. The skull itself, likewise, was free from any appearance of fracture. After removing the coverings of the brain, the upper part of the left half of the brain was found much congested. After removing the brain itself from the skull, a considerable quantity of bloody fluid exuded. I then observed a portion of extravasated blood upon the surface of the smaller brain (cerebellum) in the form of a clot, likewise some blood pressing upon the upper portion of the spinal marrow. In the right ventricle of the brain there was as much clotted blood as distended it. The left ventricle was also much injected, as was the brain generally. On dissecting down to the spine, I found the upper vertebra (atlas) to be of a very unusual character, for instead of being a complete ring of bone, it was, in the posterior part, ligumentus. The heart was rather larger than usual, pale, and flabby but otherwise healthy in its valves. The extravasation of blood on the surface and in the substance of the brain has been, in my opinion, the cause of death. It is my opinion that the violence used has been the cause of such extravasation, but it is possible, though not very probable, that the extravasation may have resulted from other causes.

The Coroner pointed out the leading features of the case to the jury, drawing their attention especially to that part of Mrs. Jackson's evidence in which she described the kind of violence used by Young towards her mother, and the opinion expressed by Mr. Jones, that the violence used had caused the death of the deceased. If they (the jury) came to that conclusion in their own minds, it would then become their duty to return a verdict of manslaughter.

The Coroner and the strangers present then withdrew, and

The jury, after consulting together for about ten minutes, returned a verdict of Manslaughter against Henry Young.

On Tuesday morning, Young was brought up for examination at the Borough Court, before E. G. Maynard, Esq., and J. G. Crompton, Esq., charged with feloniously killing and slaying Ann Slater, on the 2nd of June.

The witnesses examined at the inquest were called, but as their evidence was precisely to the same effect as that we have already given, it is not necessary to repeat it here.

The prisoner contradicted the statement of Mrs. Jackson relative as to the violence used by him at the time he ejected Mrs. Slater from his house. He said that he took hold of her by the shoulders, pulled her out of the chair, and brought her into the middle of the room. He then said to her "Now, Ann, go out." She would not, and she used violent language, whereupon he placed both his hands upon her shoulders and pushed her out of the door.

The witness, in answer to some questions put to her by the Bench, denied this, and said that prisoner placed one hand at the back part of her mother's neck and the other upon her shoulder when he pushed her out. Her mother did not seem excited or passionate at the time.

At the conclusion of Mr. Jones' evidence he said, in reply to some questions put to him by the Bench, that, coupling the observations which he made at the *post mortem* examination with the kind and degree of violence as described by the witness Elizabeth Jackson, he was of opinion that such violence was the cause of death.

The prisoner was then committed to take his trial at the ensuing assizes, and the witnesses were bound over to appear against him.

CHESTERFIELD UNION.

SATURDAY, JUNE 3.

Present: Mr. F. Hurst, chairman; Messrs. Alsop, Hopkinson, Knowles, Saxelby, Gregory, Lee, Gratton, Biggin, Drabble, Rutherford, Holland, Handley, Goodwin, Margerison, Clay, Parker (Pilsley), &c.

Paupers in the house, 161.

Cash at the bankers, £1195 7s 7d. Cheques were signed in payment of various sums, amounting to £203 1s 5d.

The house and its inmates were reported to be in good order.

The bread and meat were reported to be good, except the bread for Ashover, which was reported to be sour.

Mr. Weale, assistant poor-law commissioner, attended the board. He said that temporary relief out of the house might be given to able-bodied persons out of employment; but beyond that, work of some sort must be required from such recipients in exchange.

A letter from the poor-law commissioners had been received by the clerk to the same effect.

There were many applications for relief by lace hands out of employment; but it was expected that they would very soon get again employed at their usual wages.

Mr. Weale inquired if any parishes in the union were in the habit of relieving their poor from other sources than the poor's rate: if so, it would throw an undue portion of the household expenses on all the other parishes.

In reply, he was informed that the parish of Sutton did so.

Mr. Weale said he would attend to this subject on a future day.

DERBY.

On Ascension-day, or what is commonly called Holy Thursday, the ancient form of perambulating the boundaries of St. Peter's parish took place.

GREAT CRICKET MATCH.—A cricket match is to be commenced at Derby on Monday, August 21st, between eleven of all England and twenty of Derbyshire, for the benefit of Dakin, a well-known player, and a native of Derby.

DERBY AND DERBYSHIRE AUXILIARY BIBLE SOCIETY.—The anniversary meeting of this society was held on Tuesday, in the Athenæum-room, Derby, Matthew Gisborne, Esq., in the chair. The attendance was large, and highly respectable. The sum of £33 was collected at the door.

NOTTINGHAM BANKRUPTCY COURT.

FRIDAY, JUNE 3.

(Before Mr. Commissioner Balguy.)

Re William Blount, of Ripley, Derbyshire, grocer. Mr. William Peat, of Derby, was appointed sole trade assignee under this estate. Solicitor, Mr. Vallack, of Derby.

Re William Edward Cope, of Melbourne Derbyshire, draper. The last examination was passed without opposition.

Re James Roughton, of Leicester, wine merchant. This was an adjournment meeting fo the choice of assignees, at which Mr. James Cooke, of Leicester, auctioneer, was appointed the trade assignee.

Fiats were opened against

Joshua Harrison, of Clinton-street, Nottingham, stove-grate manufacturer, and

Joseph Lowe, of Lenton, lace-maker.

SHEFFIELD.

Monday being Whit Monday, it will be observed as a general holiday, and the shops, with a few exceptions, closed.

A meeting of the Yorkshire Union of Mechanics Institutions, presided over by the Dean of Ripon, is to be held on Whit Tuesday.

A Chartist *soiree* will take place in the theatre, Sheffield, on Whit Tuesday, at which it is announced Mr. Feargus O'Connor, M.P. for Nottingham, will attend.

On Sunday evening last, as one of the engine men employed at the Chapel Town Iron Works, residing at Ecclesfield, and who had been drinking at a beer house in Chapel Town, and returning home at a late hour, was passing down Colt-lane, he was stopped by three men who had disguised their faces with blacking, and feloniously took from his pocket two sovereigns. At present they remain undiscovered.

THE ARMY.—During the week, the squadron of the 4th Royal Irish Dragoon Guards, which occupied our barracks nearly two years, have left, one troop with Major Hodge, for Manchester, the other under the command of Captain Cunningham, for Coventry, to relieve the 11th Hussars. The Royal Irish will be succeeded in Sheffield and Nottingham by the 3rd Dragoon Guards, now on their route from Scotland. Nottingham will be head quarters.

During last week, a quantity of lead was stolen from Ecclesfield Church. Henry Smith, a resident of the parish, in whose premises several ingots were found, was taken up on suspicion, and conveyed before the Magistrates last Tuesday, at Sheffield, but discharged, as the lead could not be identified; Smith had been more than once previously convicted. He was afterwards committed to the Riding prison at Wakefield, and tried at the ensuing Rotherham sessions, for robbing George Foster, of Sheffield, nailer, of 10s, and also some provisions.

MANSFIELD.

SUICIDE.—A young man named Clarke, of Mansfield Woodhouse, who had been for some time past in a desponding state, committed suicide, on Monday last, by hanging himself.

MANSFIELD BOARD OF GUARDIANS, JUNE 1.—At the weekly meeting of guardians, present Mr. Wilson, vice-chairman; Rev. W. Goodacre, H. D. Pod, Esq., Messrs. Hardwick, Bettridge, Jowett, Boot, Marsh, Bowler, Birks, Dickens, Belfield, Hill (Teversal), Hill (Tibshelf). Out relief, East-district £68 13s.; West district, £53 5s. 3d. Number in the house, 118; vagrants relieved, 216; treasurer's balance, £30 2s. 8d. A letter was read from the registrar-general, sanctioning the appointment of the Rev. Martin Roe, M.A. to be registrar of births and deaths for the Blidworth district. The relief lists of the parishes in the west district were revised.

DRAGOON GUARDS.—The troop of the 4th Dragoon Guards, which has been for some time past stationed at Mansfield, left on Wednesday last, for Sheffield. We cannot allow this opportunity to pass over without paying a tribute of respect, due to the officers and men of this troop, who conducted themselves with the greatest urbanity, good feeling, and good conduct during their stay there. They were replaced by a troop of the 3rd Dragoon Guards, who entered the town the same morning, headed by their excellent band. The two troops met in the Market Place, the one leaving and the other coming into the town, and the salute given to each other had a very pretty effect.

ACCIDENTS.—Mr. Thomas Minnitt and Mr. Carter were returning from Alfreton in a gig, on Friday evening, and as they were proceeding down Stockwell-gate, in Mansfield, two children attempted to cross the road, and in doing so, one of them, a little boy about six years old, a son of Mr. Haslam, who resides on the Rope Walk, was knocked down, and one of the wheels of the gig passed over the poor little fellow's thigh, breaking the bone. No blame could be attached to Mr. Minnitt, who was driving, as he tried all possible means to avert the accident, but without success; as we hear that the parties have caused every attention to be paid to the little sufferer, and that he is now going on as favourably as can be expected.—On the morning of the same day, as an elderly man of the name of Hardstaff, who is nearly blind, was passing along Black Lane West, and going down the Black Bull-yard, his foot was caught by the stud to which the doors are fastened when closed, and he fell, breaking his thigh. He lies in a very precarious state.

MANSFIELD POLICE.—Thursday, June 1st.—*(Before Col. Wildman and Capt. Welfitt.)*—John Scott, James Wallace, Thomas Palmer, and John Jones, tramps, were committed to fourteen days' hard labour, for breaking the shop window of Mr. Featherstone, Mansfield.—Benjamin Stokes, servant to Mr. Smith, of Norton, for misbehaviour, was committed, but they afterwards agreed to separate, Stokes paying costs of proceedings.—Samuel Handley, of Warsop, was fined £1 and costs, for a trespass in search of game, but on account of his large family and promising not to offend again in like manner, he was forgiven.—William Hibbert and Richd. Atkinson, of Mansfield, were each fined £2 and costs, for breaking the gate of a field occupied by Mr. Minnitt, and Hibbert, not paying, committed to a month's hard labour.—Mr. John Naylor, of Pleasley Hill, was find £1 and costs, for assaulting John Cooke, of Chesterfield.—Hezekiah Quinton, jun., of Mansfield, was committed to a month's hard labour for arrears in bastardy, but the execution of the committal was suspended to give opportunity to pay.—Robert Meakes, of Hucknall-under-Huthwaite, was find £5 and costs, for paying a workman's wages otherwise than in money.

WORKSOP.

GARDEN ROBBERIES.—On Saturday night last, the flower gardens of the Misses Grafton and Mr. Fox, supervisor of excise, both situate in East Gate, were entered, and a quantity of choice flowers stolen.

THE DRAGOONS.—On Tuesday morning last, two troops and the staff of the 3rd Dragoon Guards arrived at this town from Edinburgh, and on Wednesday morning they left for Nottingham. The inhabitants were much gratified with the excellent performances of the regimental band.

THUNDER STORM.—About noon, on Saturday last, this town was visited by a heavy thunder storm. The lightning was not very vivid, but there was one sudden and most terrific peal of thunder, and rain and hail literally fell in torrents. The latter did considerable damage to the garden produce.

ACCIDENT.—On Tuesday last, a painful accident befel Charles Hagues, of the Manton Toll Gate, who is engaged with a horse and cart on that part of the Sheffield and Lincolnshire line of railway, constructing near Worksop. He was fastening a hook to one of the waggons, when he slipped, and the waggon ran over his foot and severely injured it.

WORKSOP COUNTY COURT.—*(Before Richard Wildman, Esq., judge.)*—Swindin *v.* Jones and another: Mr. Smith, of Doncaster, ably argued the case on behalf of the defendants, in support of an application for a new trial, on the ground that the surrender was waived by a subsequent notice to quit—that new evidence had been discovered since the trial, and that the verdict was against the evidence. His Honour declined to grant a new trial. Simpson *v.* Thorold and others: Mr. Beardshaw appeared for the plaintiff, and Mr. Owen for the defendants. The plaintiff in this case is a labouring man residing at Carlton-in-Lindrick, and the defendants are the overseers of the poor of that parish. The action was brought to recover the sum of £10 for the value of a shed or stable and pig-sty, which the plaintiff had erected on premises recently occupied by him of the defendants, and for damage alleged to be done to furniture of plaintiff's by the defendants when they were removing it off the premi-es. The trial was one of considerable interest, it occupied five hours and upwards, and terminated in a verdict for the defendants.

BIRTHDAY FESTIVITIES ON THE GOOD OLD PLAN.—On Sunday last George Savile Foljambe, Esq., of Osberton Hall, attained his 48th year, and in commemoration of that event, he gave, on Monday, to the inmates of the Worksop Union, and those persons receiving out-door relief, an excellent dinner, consisting of the good old English fare of roast beef and plum-pudding, which was partaken of under a spacious and beautiful marquee, lent for the purpose by Robert Ramsden, Esq., of Carlton Hall, and which was erected on the grass-plot at the back of the Union-house. Two hundred and fifty persons were feasted on this occasion, and a happy party it was. Before dinner all the company standing up, the children sang grace, and at the conclusion of the dinner, they sung a verse of thanksgiving, with a most pleasing and solemn effect. The poor people were waited upon and received every needful attention from Messrs. Watkins, Webster, Wake, T. L. Beardsall, Shaw, Lambert, S. White, Eyre, Bishop, Hett, &c. After the tables were cleared, pipes, tobacco, and ale were introduced. Mr. Watkins, one of the guardians of the poor, gave "The health of Mr. Foljambe, with many thanks to him for his liberality, and God bless him." He told the poor people assembled that Mr. Foljambe had as much pleasure in giving them a dinner, as they could possibly have in partaking of it.—that he was a gentleman in the neighbourhood who did as much good as any nobleman in it; and his purse was always open to relieve the poor. On this occasion he had manifested his liberal and kindly feelings in a way that would not soon be forgotten. He had known many of his acts of charity which were not made public, and he had no doubt that all present felt as he did, grateful for the kindness of Mr. Foljambe in thinking of them; and he hoped that they would never forget the House of Osberton. He hoped, too, that Lady Milton and the Foljambe family would live long to enjoy the blessings of all those he had made happy on that day,—and, in looking round, he saw many persons who had reason to bless him for it. The toast was drunk with tremendous applause, three-times three and one cheer more. Every heart seemed to be as full as that of Mr. Watkins, who gave the toast. Mr. Lambert, the master of the workhouse, gave "the health of the Lady Milton," which was received with loud applause. After a short interval, Mr. Watkins proposed "The health of the young 'Squire of Osberton (amid deafening cheers), wishing that he might live many years to be a blessing to his father,—that he would follow the good steps which his parent had taken—and that on some future day the children of those present, if they needed it, which he hoped would not be the case, might receive the same beneficent attention from him as his father had conferred upon the company.—"Jemmy Jackson," a blind and well-known itinerant fiddler, for many years resident in Worksop, then took his violin and amused his companions by playing several airs. The children of the Union School also sung several beautiful hymns and pieces. In the afternoon tea and plum cake were supplied to the delighted party. The greatest order and harmony pervaded the whole of the proceedings. We sincerely wish that Mr. Foljambe could but have been blessed with his eye-sight to have witnessed for himself the smiling faces—indicative of the merry and, we believe, grateful hearts of these less favoured members of God's universal family. We have also been informed that on the same day, the infant daughter of Mr. Foljambe and Lady Milton Foljambe was baptised at Scofton church by the Rev. W. Bury, (Mr. Foljambe's domestic chaplain). Mrs. Foljambe (mother of the Squire), Mr. Chambers, of Hodsack Priory, and Wm. Milner, Esq., M.P., were the sponsors. The children taught in the school of Mr. Foljambe at Scofton were liberally supplied with tea, &c., and the whole of the persons in his employ with good old English cheer.

MARKETS FOR MANUFACTURES.

(From the Manchester Guardian of Wednesday.)

MANCHESTER, TUESDAY, JUNE 6.—There is still a tolerably fair inquiry for cloth suitable for India and China; but the demand which previously existed for the home trade has declined: and the market has been on the whole quite as flat and depressed as at any period during the last month. The yarn trade is also much depressed, as, in addition to the absence of the usual German demand, the unfavourable rate of exchange with St. Petersburgh, and the prohibition of the export of Russian gold and silver coin, have tended to check purchases for Russian account. We regret to learn that the commercial advices from Germany continue unfavourable; and it is to be feared that some time must necessarily elapse before confidence is so far restored as to cause an active resumption of business with that country. The prices of yarn are consequently still rather drooping; though the decline, of late, has been to a very small extent.

Meanwhile, the low price of yarn is not an unmixed evil, as it is giving work to the hand-loom weavers in all parts of the country, who are now, we believe, very generally in full employment, and consequently in a better condition than they have been in for some time previously.

The accounts of the produce of the last crop of cotton in the United States continue favourable. There seems to be now very little doubt that the entire crop will not fall short of 2,300,000 bales; and, though some small portion of it may be kept back, there is now no question of a supply quite equal to the demand. The growing crop is also very favourably spoken of.

ROCHDALE, MONDAY, JUNE 5.—We have had to-day a rather better demand for flannels than on the preceding Monday, but no improvement in prices. We have had again two or three London buyers in the market, but their attention has been principally directed to what may be termed "job lots," or purchases for cash from needy sellers. Wool is much the same as it was in the preceding week, both in demand and price.

HALIFAX, SATURDAY, JUNE 3.—The improvement in the worsted trade, which we noticed last week, has not been maintained, and our Piece Hall has been to-day as dull as can well be conceived. There is a trifling improvement in the demand for yarn, but not such as to alter the character of the business doing, which falls immensely below the power of production. The wool market is bare, and very little is inquired for; price without alteration.

HUDDERSFIELD, TUESDAY, JUNE 6.—We have had few buyers, and the consequence has been a dull market. In the warehouses, and in the home trade, there is a general complaint that money is difficult to be obtained; and, although there is a disposition to buy, few are willing to increase their obligations, without a better prospect of being able to meet their payments.

LEEDS, TUESDAY, JUNE 6.—We have had a very indifferent market to-day, and altogether the business done since last Tuesday was very trifling.

Births.

At South Collingham, Notts., on the 31st ult., Mrs. T. Smith Woolley, jun., of a daughter.

On Thursday last, at Park Terrace, Chorley, the lady of the Rev. Henry Thomas Fletcher, incumbent of St. George's Church, Chorley, of a son.

Marriages.

On the 1st of June, at Wirksworth, Derbyshire, by the Hon. and Right Rev. the Lord Bishop of Sodor and Man, Edmund Wilmot, Esq., youngest son of the late Sir Robert Wilmot, Bart., of Chaddesden, to Anne, youngest daughter of Francis Hurt, Esq., of Alderwasley.

On Thursday last, at Chesterfield, by the Rev. Geo. Butt, M.A., Mr. J. J. Hutton, of the firm of Hutton and Newton, sickle and scythe manufacturers, Phœnix Works, Highbne, near Sheffield, to Elizabeth, only daughter of Mr. Edward Ardron, Meadow Cottage, Whittington.

On Sunday last, at Chesterfield, by the Rev. Joseph Holmes, M.A., curate, Mr. Wm. Taylor, hair-dresser, to Miss Sarah Claypham, both of Chesterfield.

On Tuesday last, at Chesterfield, by the Rev. Geo. Butt, M.A., curate, Mr. Wm. Brown, coal miner, to Mrs. Ann Gorman, both of the Canal Wharf, Chesterfield.

On Thursday, the 8th inst., at Chesterfield, Mr. John Nuthall, to Miss Hannah Nicholson, both of that place.

At Staveley, on the 8th instant, by the Rev. Mr. Braithwaite, curate, Mr. Royston, surgeon, of Whitwell, to Miss Slagg, of Staveley Woodthorpe.

Also, on the same day, by the Rev. J. D. M'Farlane, Mr. Corringham, to Miss Flint, of the Hague, near Staveley.

At Baslow, on the 25th ult., Mr. George Smith, gardener, of Wirksworth, to Miss Mary Broadhead, of Calver.

At Mansfield, on Monday, Mr. Wm. Forman, to Miss Mary Gosling.

At the same place, on Tuesday, Mr. Jas. Johnson, to Miss Mary Draycott.

Also, at Mansfield, on Wednesday, Mr. Wm. Alvey, to Miss Mary Goodwin.

On Saturday last, at Hassop Roman Catholic Chapel, Mr. Samuel Kitchen, of Bromley, near Baslow, to Miss Driver, of Hassop.

June 1st, at St. Mary's Church, Worksop, Mr. John Wainwright, of Hundow, to Mary, second daughter of the late Mr. T. Else, of the former place.

At North Collingham Church, on Tuesday, May 30th, by the Rev. J. Jones, Mr. Edmund Tarton, son of the late Mr. Edward Turton, of Ripley, to Eleanor, only daughter of the late Jonathan Turner, Esq., North Collingham.

On Thursday, at Beeston, by the Rev. Edward Gregory, M.A., curate of Panton, Lincolnshire, Mr. John Shelton, of Grove Cottage, near Lenton, to Mary Ann, widow of John Etherington, gentleman, formerly of Nottingham Park.

On Tuesday, the 30th ult., at the Abbey Church, Shrewsbury, by the Rev. John Porter, M.A., Mr. Wm. Homer, of Newcastle-under Lyne, youngest son of J. Homer, Esq., of Edgbaston, to Mary Hannah, youngest daughter of the late Thomas Newling, Esq., of Shrewsbury.

On the 4th of April, at Byculla, Bombay, by the Rev. George Candy, Lieutenant John Sherbrooke Gell, Adjutant Ghaut Light Infantry, to Mary Leigh, eldest daughter of George Atkinson, Esq., R.N., of Northcourt, Torquay.

Deaths.

At Walton, on the 3rd inst., after a long illness, Mrs. Jane Cooper, aged 66.

At Woodthorpe, in the parish of Northwingfield, on the 30th ult., Mr. Job Lech, at the advanced of 77 years.

At Skegerleg, in the township of Wessington, on the 2nd inst., Joseph, son of Mr. Wm. Rawson, farmer, aged seven years.

At Milltown, Ashover, on the 2nd inst., John Berrisford, labourer, aged 22 years.

At Ashover, on the 4th instant, Jane, youngest daughter of Mr. Samuel Mellor, carpenter, aged 11 years, after a long and painful illness, which she bore with much patience and fortitude.

On Sunday last, at Edensor, Mrs. Grace Stone, widow of the late Mr. Joseph Stone, aged 76 years.

On Friday last, at Renishaw, Mr. Godfrey Booker, aged 62 years.

Same day, at Eckington, Mr. William Wheelhouse, aged 33 years.

On Sunday last, Thomas, the son of Mr. Samuel Millington, Eckington, aged three years.

Last week, at a very advanced age, Mrs. Brook, relict of the late Mr. Brook, of Thorpe Common, near Wentworth.

On Saturday last, Mrs. Mackenzie, relict of the late Mr. Mackenzie, Corn-market, Derby.

On Friday last, at Langley, in this county, Henry Brough, Esq.

At Winster, on the 2nd inst., Mary Clementina, only child of Charles Carill Worsley, Esq., aged two years and a half.

At Langley, on Friday last, Henry Brough, Esq.

On Monday, the 29th ult., Mrs. Evans, wife of the Rev. Richard Evans, of Hollinsclough, near Buxton, aged 45.

At Ilkeston, on Monday, the 5th inst., Eleanor Gertrude, daughter of G. B. Norman, Esq., aged 18 months.

On Friday, the 2nd inst., at Breedon-on-the-Hill, W. Lomas, Esq., surgeon.

At Wirksworth, on the 30th ult., Ann, relict of the late Mr. David Doxey, aged 53.

At the same place, on the 3rd instant, Mary Ann, eldest daughter of Mr. Thomas Ogden, butcher, aged 18 years.

At Kirk Ireton, on the 31st ult., Thomas, son of Mr. Thos. Ward, aged five years.

At the same place, on the 1st inst., John Leedham, infant son of Mr. Saml. Dean.

On the 1st inst., aged 76, Admiral (of the red) Sir William Hotham, G.C.H.

On the 30th ult., at the White Lion Inn, Kendall, in his 54th year, the Rev. Irving Carlyle, incumbent of New Mills, Derbyshire.

In April last, in the Valley of Cypriani, in the Italian Tyrol, aged 33 years, the celebrated ecstatica Marie Dominique Lazzari, described by Lord Shrewsbury and others. The whole population of the valley followed her remains to the church.

Sporting Intelligence.

ASCOT HEATH RACES.

TUESDAY, JUNE 6.

The Trial Stakes of 5 sovs each, with 50 added, for two yr-olds, 6st 4lb; three, 7st 4lb; four, 8st 7lb; five, 9st; six and aged, 9st 4lb. New mile. Thirteen subs.

Mr. Beavcrie's War Eagle ....(J. Marson) 1
Lord Caledon's Wanota 2
Mr. Pedley's Foreclosure 3

Five others started, but were not placed.

Betting—7 to 4 on War Eagle and 4 to 1 agst Wanota. Syrup made play at a moderate pace for the first quarter of a mile, the lot then closed and ran in company to the road, where the favourite took up the running, went through with it, and won easy by a length; Foreclosure an indifferent third. Run in 1 min. 50 secs.

Sweepstakes of 50 sovs each, h ft, for two yr-olds; colts, 8st 7lb; fillies, 8st 3lb. Three quarters of a mile. Six subs.

Mr. Herbert's c by Venison, out of Odessa..(Sly) 1
Mr. Dewitt's c by Venison, out of Folly 2
Lord Exeter's Turban 3

Betting—6 to 4 on the Odessa colt, who waited on the Folly colt to the foot of the hill, headed him at the stand, and won by half a length. Turban was beaten off. Run in 1 min. 27 secs.

The Gold Vase given by her Majesty, added to a Sweepstakes of 20 sovs each; three yr-olds, 7st 3lb; four, 9st 7lb; six and aged, 9st 2lb; mares and geldings allowed 3lb; winners extra. Two miles. Nine subs.

Lord Exeter's Sis, to Hydrangea ......(J. Sharp) 1
Lord Clifden's Footstool 2
Captain Harcourt's Ellerdale 3
Sir J. B. Mill's Cymba 4

Betting—7 to 4 each agst Ellerdale and Cymba, 3 to 1 agst Footstool, and 6 to 1 agst Sis, to Hydrangea. Footstool made play at a moderate pace, Sis, to Hydrangea followed at an interval of two or three lengths, with Ellerdale in her wake; there was no change in this order until they were opposite the grand stand, where Sis, to Hydrangea went up with a rush and won, in the last two or three strides, by half a length; Ellerdale a moderate third. Run in 3 min. 45 secs.

The Produce Stakes of 50 sovs each, h ft, for three yr-olds; colts, 8st 9lb; fillies, 8st 5lb; 3lb and 5lb allowed, &c., the second to save his stake. Once round. Seven subs.

Mr. Bowes's Wiasma ....(F. Butler) Walked over

The Ascot Stakes of 25 sovs each, 15ft, and 5 only if declared, &c., the second to receive 100 sovs out of the stakes, and the third 50; the winner of any handicap after the weights are declared to carry 7lb extra. Two miles and a half. Two hundred and eighteen subs, 172 of whom declared.

Duke of Richmond's Vampyre ......(Kitchener) 1
Lord Chesterfield's Lady Wildair 2
Mr. Merry's Chanticleer 3

Twenty others started, but were not placed.

Betting—4 to 1 agst Vampyre, 7 to 1 agst Lady Wildair, 9 to 1 agst Montpensier, 10 to 1 agst Tarella, 11 to 1 agst Chanticleer, 12 to 1 agst Miss Orbell, 15 to 1 agst Miss Whip filly, 16 to 1 agst Planche, 100 to 6 agst Nestor, 20 to 1 agst Joe o'Sot, and 20 to 1 agst Sword Player. Marpessus and the Miss Whip filly got off together, the horse leading, Isoline third, Sword Player fourth, and Vampyre fifth, followed by Nestor and Sultana; in the centre were Lady Wildair, Chanticleer, Rat trap, and Joe o'Sot. They ran in this order to the top of the course, where Marpessus took the lead, which he kept to the Swinley post, where Vampyre ran past him, and carried on the running at a good pace, the Miss Whip filly second, and Marpessus third. On nearing the turn into straight running Lady Wildair and Chanticleer quitted the ruck, but it was not until they got to the distance post that they took the positions assigned to them by the judge at the finish. Lady Wildair made her effort opposite the Stand, but could not reach the favourite, who ran home a clever winner by half a length; Chanticleer a bad third; Sword Player fourth, and Montpensier fifth. Nestor ricked his shoulder early in the race. Run in 4 min. 31 secs.

The Ascot Derby Stakes of 50 sovs each, h ft, for three yr-olds; colts, 8st 7lb; fillies, 8st 3lb. Swinley course. Thirteen subs.

Lord Chesterfield's Distaffina ....(F. Butler) 1
Sir G. Heathcote's f by Velocipede, out of Miss Wilfred 2
Mr. Payne's Woodcraft 3
Sir J. Hawley's Lovelace 0

Betting.—6 to 5 agst Distaffina and 6 to 1 agst Woodcraft. The Miss Wilfred filly cut out the work, until within half a distance of home, when Distaffina went in front and won easily by a length. Lovelace broke down. Run in 2 min. 16 secs.

The First Year of the Ascot Triennial Foal Stakes of 10 sovs each, with 100 added, for foals of 1846; colts, 8st 7lb; fillies, 8st 4lb; the second to receive 50 sovs out of the stakes. T.Y.C. Sixty-seven subs.

Lord Eglinton's Elthiron ....(Marlow) 1
Lord Albemarle's Bonnes 2

17 others also started, but were not placed.

Betting.—3 to 1 agst Jester, 4 to 1 agst Elthiron, 6 to 1 agst Rochester, 8 to 1 agst Drakelow, 10 to 1 agst Irish Jig, and 10 to 1 agst Bonnes. The Jester colt made play, followed by Rochester, Elthiron, and the ruck to the distance, where he retired, and Elthiron took up the running, having a bevy of attendants, the most prominent of whom were Rochester, Hotspur, the Odessa filly, and Drakelow; the lot ran in a body to the stand, where Bonnes came up; the race was closely contested between him and Elthiron, the latter winning by a head only; Drakelow, the Jester, and Hotspur were close up. Run in 1 min. 20 sec.

The Welcome Stakes of 20 sovs each, with a bonus of 5 sovs each; for three yr-olds; colts, 8st 7lb; fillies, 8st 2lb. Swinley course. Twenty eight subs, and 15 to the house.

Mr. Bowes's Springy Jack ....(F. Butler) 1
Duke of Richmond's Jumpiper 2
Colonel Peel's Lady Mouler 3
Mr. R. H. Nevill's Dover 4
Lord Chesterfield's Sampson 5

Betting.—5 to 1 on Springy Jack. Hornpipe took a great lead at starting, followed by Dover, the favourite lying off several lengths, nor did he make any effort until near the distance, he then passed his horses and ran home a very easy winner by a length. Run in 2 min. 36 sec.

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 7.

Sweepstakes of 10 sovs each, with 50 added, for three-yr-olds, 7st; four, 8st; five, 8st 9lb; six and aged, 8st 7lb. The winner to be sold for 300 sovs, if demanded, &c. T.Y.C. Five subs.

Lord Chesterfield's Picnic, 6 yrs ....(Nat) 1
Mr. A. Bartley's Grist, 3 yrs 2
Mr. Pedley's Lady Mary, 3 yrs 3
Capt. Harvey's Pickpocket, 3 yrs 4

Betting.—6 to 4 agst Picnic, 5 to 2 agst Grist, 3 to 1 agst Lady Mary, and 4 to 1 agst Pickpocket. Won in a canter, by a length. Run in 1 min. 20 sec.

The Fernhill Stakes of 15 sovs each, 5 ft, with 50 added, for two-yr-olds, 7st, and three, 9st; fillies and geldings allowed 3lb. Half a mile. Sixteen subs.

Mr. Death's The Moor, 3 yrs ....(S. Mann) 1
Col. Anson's Blanc, 3 yrs 2
Mr. Elam's First Chance, 2 yrs 3
Count Batthyany's Eva, 2 yrs 4
Duke of Rutland's St. Ann, 3 yrs 5

Betting. 7 to 2 on Blanc, and 7 to 1 agst any other. The Moor made all the running, and won very easily by a length. Run in 1 min.

The Coronation Stakes of 100 sovs each, h ft, for three-yr old fillies, 8st 7lb each. New mile. Eight subs.

Lord Chesterfield's Distaffina ....(Nat) 1
Lord Exeter's Tisiphone 2
Sir G. Heathcote's f by Velocipede 3
Mr. Combe's f by The Nob 4

Betting.—6 to 4 agst Rosalind filly, 2 to 1 agst Distaffina, and 2 to 1 agst Tisiphone. Tisiphone cut out the work to the distance, where it was taken up by Distaffina, who ran home a very easy winner by a length. Run in 1 min. 48 sec.

The Windsor Stakes of 10 sovs each, with 100 added. One mile and three-quarters. Seventy-six subs.

Mr. Bowes's Springy Jack ....(F. Butler) 1
Mr. Bowes's Wiasma 2
Mr. Green's Shylock 3
Mr. Osbaldeston's Fugleman 4
Mr. Griffiths's Dinder 5

Betting.—6 to 4 on Springy Jack and 2 to 1 agst Shylock, Dinder took a clear lead at starting, followed by Wiasma and Springy Jack, Shylock lying off; in this order they ran to the Brick-kiln, where Wiasma went in front, Springy Jack and Shylock taking the second and third positions immediately after. No further change occurred until they reached the distance, where the favourite passed the mare, and ran in an easy winner by a length. Run in 3 minutes and 12 seconds.

The Royal Hunt Cup, value 200 sovs, by subscription of 10 sovs each, with 100 added. New mile. Thirty three subs.

Sir R. Pigot's Corringham ....(Robinson) 1
Mr. Drinkald's Dulcet 2
Lord Exeter's Cosachia 3

Sixteen others started, but were not placed.

Betting.—5 to 1 agst Sharston, 6 to 1 agst Cosachia, 6 to 1 agst Sir Tatton Sykes, 7 to 1 agst Dulcet, 7 to 1 agst Bridle, 8 to 1 agst The Cur, 8 to 1 agst Clementina, 9 to 1 agst Chanticleer, 12 to 1 agst Conyngham, and 1000 to 6 agst Marie Louise. Clementina made the running, followed by Valley and Burlesque, Cosachia and several others lying close up; they ran without any material alteration to the distance, when Conyngham, Dulcet, and Cosachia singled themselves out, and ran a very fine race home, Conyngham winning by a neck, Dulcet, who obtained the second place, beating the mare by half a length; the Cur and Sharston were well up. Run in 1 min. 42 secs.

The Windsor Town Plate of 50 sovs; two-yr-olds, 5st 6lb; three, 7st 10lb; four, 8st 8lb; five and upwards, 9st; mares and geldings allowed 3lb; and the winner to be sold for 100 sovs, if demanded, &c. T.Y.C.

Mr. Stephenson's Willingham, 2 yrs..(Dockeray) 1
Mr. Thompson's Latch-lug, 2 yrs 2
Mr. Bowes's bro to Lunedale, 3 yrs 3

Seven others started but, were not placed.

Betting.—2 to 1 agst Ruth, 4 to 1 agst Isis, and 5 to 1 each agst Willingham, Lady Lurewell, and Ellinea. Ruth cut out the work to the distance, where Willingham took up it up, went on by himself, won in a canter by two lengths, and was claimed. Run in 1 min. 19 secs.

THURSDAY, JUNE 8.

St. James's Palace Stakes of 100 sovs each, h ft, &c. One mile. Nine subs.

Mr. Payne's Glendower ....(Nat) 1
Col. Anson's Backbiter 2

Won easily by two lengths.

Her Majesty's Plate of 100 gs. To start at the New Mile post, and go once round.

Lord Clifden's Footstool .... (Robinson) 1
Lord Exeter's Tophana 2

Won very easily by two lengths.

A Piece of Plate, value 500 sovs, the gift of the Emperor of Russia, added to a Sweepstakes of 20 sovs each, &c. About two miles and a half. 15 subs, two of whom did not name.

Mr. J. B. Day's The Hero..........(A. Day) 1
Mr. B. Green's Flatcatcher 2
Duke of Bedford's Saddle 3
Mr. Pedley's Foreclosure 4

The Hero won with the greatest ease by a length. Saddle a bad third.

Sweepstakes of 50 sovs each, h ft. Swinley Course. 21 subs.

Mr. Payne's Glendower .... (Nat) 1
Lord Exeter's Swordplayer 2
Col. Anson's Backbiter 3

100 to 15 on Glendower. Won in a canter by three lengths.

The New Stakes of 10 sovs each, with 100 added. T.Y.C. 38 subs.

Mr. B. Green's Garrick ....(Robinson) 1
Mr. Payne's Glauca 2
Lord Lonsdale's c by Epirus 3
Mr. J. B. Day's Whitley 4

Garrick won easily by a length. Epirus colt a bad third.

The Visitors' Plate of 100 sovs (handicap), by subscription of 5 sovs each: the surplus, with the entrance of non-subscribers, to go to the second horse. Once round and a distance.

Lord Clifden's Footstool ....(Robinson) 1
Mr. Combe's Trasmere 2
Mr. J. Day's Milliner 3

Eight others started, but were not placed. Won cleverly by a length. Milliner a bad third.

The Stand Plate of 70 sovs. Swinley Course.

Lord Chesterfield's Lady Lurewell ....(Nat) 1
Lord W. Powlett's Fravonil 2
Mr. G. Hobson's Passion Flower 3
Lord Exeter's Recuba 4
Mr. Wortley's Premier 5
Major Pitt's Hobart 6

Won easily by a length.

LONDON, THURSDAY EVENING.

In the early part of the day Public Securities indicated a little further advance, and Consols were done as high as 84¾. This position was, however, not sustained, the quotations at the close of business being 84⅛, and afterwards they declined to 84⅝. The business was chiefly governed by the arrangements for the settlement to-morrow, the accounts from the Continent, apparently not having exercised any influence one way or other. The Three per Cents. Reduced were done from 83 to 2¾, the Three-and-a-Quarter per Cents. 84⅜, Bank Stock 191 2¼, and Exchequer Bills 31s. 40s. prem. There was no operation in India Stock or Bonds.

No change worth notice occurred in Foreign Securities; the range of business was still contracted, and very little variation occurred in prices. Brazil old Bonds were sold at 67; Ditto, Small, 68; Mexican, 15¾; Danish 64½; Spanish Five per Cents., 12; Ditto Three per Cents., 22¼; Venezuelan, 16¼; Russian, 86¼; Dutch Two-and-a-Half per Cents., 42¼; and the Four per Cent. Certificates, 65¾.

A very small amount of business was done in Railway Shares, and without any alteration in the character of the transactions.

BLYTH FAIR, HOLY THURSDAY.—This fair was duller than usual; the show of cattle was moderate, and few changed hands. Beef and mutton were much lower, from 6d to 7d per lb: prime cuts, 7½d per lb. Pigs were higher than usual.

The Earl of Arundel and Surrey had a large party to dinner on Wednesday evening, at his residence on Carlton-house-terrace. The guests were all respectable tradespeople, special constables of St. Martin's parish, who had acted under his lordship as captain of that district.

AN AMERICAN GOTHAMITE.—A country Jonathan, on seeing a water-cart in an American city, exclaimed to the driver:—"I say, hold on, Mister! Your tub is busted behind, and all the water's leakin away!"—*Burritt's Christian Citizen.*

"Really, my dear," said poor Mr. Jones to his "better half," you have sadly disappointed me. I once considered you a *jewel* of a woman, but you've turned out only a bit of matrimonial paste." "Then, my love," was the reply, "console yourself with the idea that paste is very adhesive, and I shall stick to you as long as I live."

"DOING" A POLICEMAN.—"Well, I got clean done the other day, to be sure," said policeman X 21, putting his pewter pot on the bench beside. "Taint often I'm done; but I jest was then, and no mistake." "As how?" inquired his friend. "I'll tell you. I was a resting, calm and quiet as could be, against Mrs. Higginbottom's airy railings; thinking o' things in general, and the beef-steak pudding as Sairey Jones had promised to make for me that evening in particular, when a cove comes runnin' round a corner, with his face as red as a pickled cabbage, and scarcely able to draw his breath to bow. 'O! Police,' says he, 'I'm precious glad I found you. Look sharp, you're wanted; and I'm blest if he didn't seem quite done up with running, for he couldn't say any more for puffing and blowing. 'What's the row?' says I. 'Make haste—run—' says he, as soon as he had got o'breath, 'run to Stubbs's Court. There's a cove a lickin of his wife with a thick stick, and she's a calling murder, and there's such crowds o' people standin' round.' 'What sort of a chap is he?' says I, 'cause, you see, I thought if he was a sparky, or summun o' that sort, I wouldn't undertake him by myself.) 'O, he's rather a British chap,' says the feller, 'but he's monstrous savage.' That was enough. Off I cut to Stubbs's Court like winkin'. And when I got there—guess what it was?" "Why, wasn't there no row at all?" inquired the friends. "Oh, there was a cove lickin' of his wife with a thick stick, sure enough! and they were kicking up a desperate row, and there was a quantity of people a standing round. But who do you think the men and his wife was?" "Can't say—who?" "Punch and Judy," said X 21, "blest if it wasn't."

Country Markets.

YESTERDAY'S

WAKEFIELD CORN MARKE

JUNE 9.

(By Express.)

The arrivals continue liberal. We have a very thin attendance of buyers to-day, and the business done is extremely limited.

Prices of fresh Wheats must be called 1s per quarter lower, and common sorts are nominally at the same reductions.

Grinding Barley sells at less money.

Beans rather cheaper.

In Oats and Shelling no alteration.

Malt steady.

Inspector's Return of Average Prices at Wakefield this week:

Wheat	Barley	Oats	Rye	Beans	Peas
Qrs.	Qrs.	Qrs.	Qrs.		
[illegible]	2[illegible]4	717	—	177	
[illegible]	30s 1[illegible]d	22s 0d	—	[illegible]	—

Arrivals during the week.

Wheat	9[illegible]	Beans	1[illegible]
Barley	7[illegible]	Peas	—
Oats	[illegible]	Malt	—
Rapeseed	11[illegible]	Shelling	270

Wheat, per qr. of 60 lbs. to the bushel.

		New	Old
Norfolk and Suffolk	Red	47 51	48 53
Ditto	White	52 54	51 52
Yorkshire and Lincolnshire	White	47 49	44 46
Foreign	White	00 00	53 55
Rye		— —	—

Barley, per qr. Imperial.

Norfolk and Suffolk	33 34	— —
Yorkshire and Lincolnshire	32 34	27 28
Grinding	00 00	24 30

Oats per stone:—

	d. d.	d. d.
Potato	— —	27 2
Feed	— —	24 ?2
Mealing 14 lbs.		11 1

Beans, per qr. of 63 lbs to the bushel.

English, Old	— — 41 44
Ditto New	— — 36 38
Foreign	— — — —

Malt, per load of six bushels, ... 46s 50s 42 44s

Peas, per qr.

White	34s 36
Grey	34s 35

Tares, per qr. 30s 32

Shelling, per load of 264 lbs. 21 27 24s 25

Rapeseed, per Last Imperial, ... £27 £28

CHESTERFIELD CORN MARKET, June 3.

We have no alteration from last week's report, although stocks in farmers' hands are getting very low, the fine appearance of the growing crops prevents any material advance, and the rapidly advancing blooming season for wheat will be watched with much anxiety.

WEEKLY CORN RETURN FOR CHESTERFIELD

Made to the Comptroller by the Officer acting as Inspector.—Saturday, June 3, 1848.

An account of the quantities and prices of British Corn, sold in the market for the said town, during the week ending Saturday last, according to the returns made to the inspector by the different corn-factors, computed by the standard imperial measure:—

	Total quantities Imp. measure.		Total Amount.			Price per qr. Imp. mea.		
	QRS.	BUSH.	£.	s.	d.	£.	s.	d.
Wheat	126	2	316	11	2	2	10	1¼
Barley	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Oats ...	74	0	84	0	3	1	0	10¾
Rye ..	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Beans ..	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Peas ...	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

DERBY CORN MARKET, June 9.

We have a small market, the demand for wheat is limited & prices may be quoted barely 1s lower. Other things dull, and unaltered in value.

Wheat, ... 48s to 50s per 36 stones
Barley, malting .... —s to —s
Old oats .... 24s to 26s per 24 stones
— seed .... 27s to —s
Beans, old .... 40s to 42s per 28 stones
—— Egyptian .... —s to —s
—— new .... 43s to —s
Flour 36s to —s per 20 stones

INSPECTOR'S WEEKLY CORN RETURN FOR SHEFFIELD, June 3, 1848.

Best Household Bread 6d per 4 lbs. loaf. Seconds 5d ditto. Brown ditto ....0d; Second ditto ....0d.

	Qrs.	Bls.	£.	s.	d.	£.	s.	d.
Wheat......	197	2	253	19	4	2	12	5 per qr.
Barley	2	0	2	2	0	1	11	0 ,,
Oats	29	4	31	14	3	1	1	6 ,,
Rye	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0 ,,
Beans	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0 ,,
Peas	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0 ,,

LYNN CORN MARKET, June 6.

There was a fair supply of wheat at market to-day. The trade was dull at a reduction of 1s per qr. There was scarcely any barley offering, and last week's prices were fully supported. Oats, beans, and peas were without alteration in value. Wheat, white 48s to 49s; red 47s to 48s; barley, 28s to 31s; beans 30 to 32s; peas 30s to 33s; oats 19s to 25s per quarter.

NEWARK CORN MARKET, June 7.

Whitsun fair being so near we have only had a thin attendance, but a very good supply of grain; London market being lower the market began heavy, but ended about 1s cheaper. Wheat white, 48s to 50s; red 47s to 48s; barley, 28s to 32s; beans, 40s to 42s; oats 22s to 25s; malt 58s to 60s per quarter.

NOTTINGHAM MEAT MARKET.—WEDNESDAY.

Best beef, 7s 6d to 7s 6d; inferior, 7s 0d. Best mutton 6d to 6½d; inferior, 6d. Calves, 5d to 6d. Hides, 3s 6d to 3s 9d; rough fat 4s 6d; skins 3d to 4d.

LIVERPOOL CORN MARKET, June 6.

At this day's market there was rather more disposition to do business in wheat than for some time, but at 1d per 70lb under Friday's prices, and fully 2d under those of this day week. There were good arrivals at market, but the demand was also trifling, and they declined ¼d to 1d per 45lb. In grinding barley no change; but beans were cheaper, especially Egyptian, which declined 1s per quarter. The demand for Indian corn and meal almost entirely subsided, and though the former of good quality, was offered at 24s and the latter at 14s hardly a sale can be reported. Flour was 1s per sack, and 6d per barrel cheaper; but with a more ready sale, at the reduction. Oatmeal without alteration.

SALFORD CATTLE MARKET, June 7.

At our market to-day the demand continues good, and both beef and mutton find buyers at the full rates of last week. Beef 4½d to 6½d; mutton 5d to 7d. Beasts, 1430; sheep, 9045.

DERBY CATTLE MARKET, June 8.

To-day there was a plentiful supply of fat and store calves viz., 102 fat, and 100 store. Beef made from 6d to 6½d; Mutton, 6d to 7d; Veal 4d to 6d per lb; Rough fat 4s 6d per stone; Hides, 1½d per lb; Calf-skins, 2½ to 3½d.

ROTHERHAM CATTLE MARKET, June 5.

The show of sheep was only small, yet equal to the demand; of beasts a large supply, there being more than two hundred from the north, of superior quality. The attendance of buyers being very numerous, a brisk sale in both trades and higher prices were obtained than last week's quotations. Beef, 7s to 7s 6d per stone; mutton, 6d to 6½d per lb. Cattle 2[illegible]; sheep 2[illegible].

LINCOLN FORTNIGHT FAT STOCK MARKET.

There was an improved supply of fat stock, and prices continued to decline: for shorn sheep was sold, at 6s to 6½d per st. Beef 6s 6d to 7s 3d per stone.

NEWARK CATTLE MARKET, June 7.

There has not been by any means a large market to-day; the supply of stock was limited, and the attendance small. There were only 132 sheep, 97 beasts, and 22 pigs. The prices of last week were scarcely maintained.

AVERAGE PRICES OF SUGAR.

Average prices of Brown or Muscovado Sugar, computed from Returns made in the week ending the 2[illegible] of May, 1848, exclusive of Customs Duties, paid or payable thereon, on the importation thereof into Great Britain:—

	s.	d.
From the British possessions in America	2[illegible]	3¼ per cwt.
From the Mauritius	2[illegible]	11¼
From the East Indies	2[illegible]	0
Average price of the three foregoing descriptions of sugar, jointly, computed as above	2[illegible]	[illegible]

By authority of Parliament,
HENRY BICKNELL, Clerk of the Grocers' Company.
Grocers' Hall, June 2, 1847.

LIVERPOOL COTTON MARKET, June 6.

Although the demand from the trade, with some little doing for export and speculation, is to a fair extent, the market continues depressed, and somewhat irregular, but in prices, there is little or no change to be noticed. The sales in the three days are estimated at 14,000, including 1,000 American taken on speculation and for export. The imports reported since Friday are 21,107 bags, all from the trade.

GAINSBRO' SHIP NEWS to the [illegible] inclusive:—

ARRIVED.

Gipsey	Brewitt	London
Retire	Dixon	Do
Tramit	Smith	Do
Kate and Jane	Hard	Rochester
Rob Roy	London	[illegible]
Flora	Parkin	Newcastle
John Barker	Pearson	from Dantzic
Henry and Elizabeth	Wells	with railway sleepers

SAILED.

Eclipse	Allbanks	London
Benett	Booth	Do.
Catherine	Chittam	Colchester
Lord Nelson	Wise	Lynn

FAIRS.

June 10, Burslem, Ruddey—12, Hampton-in-Arden, Warwick, Bilston, Newcastle-under-Lyme, Clun, Littledean, Kewbottom, Bromyard, Kington, Bunger, Gunster, Comb St. Nicholas, Portbury, Queen Camel, Rainham, Stamford, Whitdown, Bicester, Bakewell, Southwell, Heisworth, Oundle—13, Henley-in-Arden, Henley, Longnor, Walsall, Ellesmere, Newark, Shrewsbury, Painswick, Cawthorpe, Woodstock, Yardley, Ashby-de-la-Zouch, Melton Mowbray—14, Bedworth, Leek, Ludlow, Tewkesbury (cattle market), Minehead, Wimsham, Lenton, Wellingborough—15, Birmingham, Banbury, Bingham, Upton, Swaffham, Castle Donnington—16, Derby—17, Taunton.

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