including the boats' crow, blew up so she was backing out from Scott's landing about three miles above Casottomo at half past 2 o'clock, this P. M. The force of the explosion was past 2 o'clock, this P. M. The force of the explosion was terrific, and completely shattered the boat, which immediately sunk in 20 feet of water. Of the passengers, a large proportion are lost; and of the crew, only the Capt and clerk are saved. The former is severely, if not fatally, injured. Up to seven o'clock this evening 15 have been recovered in a hortibly mutilated condition. It is impossible, at present, to give the names of those who were killed.

RIOT IN ST. LOUIS.—St. Louis. April 5.—At the municipal election to-day, there was much excitement and a fearful riot

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On the 12th instant, two men named Hall and Gilroy, wrangled in a gambling house in New York, and bit each other too brutally, that the former dired immediately after the wrangle, and the latter had to have his arm amputated.

It is ca'culated, that flax cotton, prepared by Claussen's method, can be furnished to the manufacturer at six cents per pound, and leave ample margin for profits to those who produce the flax and prepare it.

A machine for the rinting of Delainea has been invented and put in operation in Providence, that will print twelve colors. This is going beyond any other machine hitherto made for the same purpose.

SAVANNAH, April 11.—A fire was discovered at two o'clock this (Sunday) morning, in Lamar's cotton-press sheds, and tho wind being high, the flames spread with great rapidity.

Lamar's warehouse contained several presses, and from 4000 to 5000 bales of cotton, which were entirely consumed.

The ships Jane Hammond and Isabella were aground at the wharf, and could not be removed—the former was nearly consumed, with a large quantity of cotton on board.

The number of miles of railroad in operation in the United States, January 1, 1852, was, as nearly as can be ascertained, 10,8141. At the same time, there was in construction an extent of railroad amounting, according to the most reliable estimates, to 10,8081 miles.

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The average cost of building railroads, per mile, in New England, is about \$45,000; in New York, Pensylvania, and Maryland, \$40,000. In many of the Western States, the cost of grading does not exceed \$1000 per mile.

NOVA SCUTIA,

Most Important Decision.—In a cause of Saltus vs.

Furlong, on demutrer argued in November, the Supreme Court here have this day decided, that the English Bankrupt Laws are not in force in the Colonies. The Court was divided. The Chief Justice, Judge Halliburuon, and Judge Deshares deciding in the negative; Judge Bliss and Judge Deshares deciding in the negative; Judge Bliss and Judge Deshares deciding in the negative; Judge Bliss and Judge Deshares deciding in the negative; Judge Bliss and Judge Deshares deciding in the negative; Judge Bliss and Judge Deshares have held the reverse dectine, and that these Laws are in force, whilst in P. E. Island it has, as here, been held they are not. This is, perhaps, one of the most momentous decisions to merchants and traders ever delivered in this Province. It may be doubtful how far this, under such discumstances, is a settled question.—Recorder.

Quespuc, 6th April.—Three sahooners laden with provisions &c., from the lower ports, arrived here to-day—met but with little obstruction from the ice; they are the first arrivals of the season. Some of our streets have seven inches of snow on them yet.

From late English Papers.

In the House of Lords, in reply to Lord Campbell, the Earl of Derby said the Government had taken into consideration the report of the commissioners, and they had come to the conclusion, that the beautiful structure having accomplished all the objects for which it was intended, the contractors should now be called upon to remove it. (Hear.)

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LOSS OF LIFE.

Sr. Louis. April 3.—The Steamer Glencove, which arrived this evening about eight o'clock, while making the landing blew up with a terrible explosion, bursting all her boilers. She had about 150 passengers on board at the time, a largnumber of whom were killed.

The steamer Cataract, Georgian and the control of the steamer cataract, Georgian and the control of the steamer cataract. gis and Western, which were lying along-ide at the time, sustained considerable damage, several were also killed on board these boats. The number of the killed is not yet ascertained, but must be very large. The Glencove took fire and

burnt to the waters edge.

An awful steamboat explosion took place at Lexington, Me.. on Friday. The old boilers of the Saluda collapsed, and killed about one hundred persons. The boat is said to have been crowded with Mormon emigrants, who were on their way to

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Quesses, 6th April.—Three schooners laden with provisions &c., from the lower ports, arrived here to-day—met but with little obstruction from the ice; they are the first arrivals of the season. Some of our streets have seen inches of anow on them yet.

AURTALIA.—We learn that emigration to Australia is about to take place on quite an extensive scale, from the Province, the present spring. A vessel is to leave Halfax about the first of May, and one or two are fitting out at Yatmouth for the strengton. Gold is the loadstone which draws them on. One thing seems to be certain, that unless some new inducement is held out to influence our young men to remain at home, the strengton of the present spring. A vessel is to leave the first of land has been purchased. It is calculated that two hundred and extension. The timber from one hundred and sixty screen of land has been purchased. It is calculated that two hundred and entered the strengton. Madison, 12., April 3.—The streams Red Stone, Capt. A LARGE BRIDGE.-The Buffalo Commercial Advertiser

the next census will show a greater decrease in our population!

then the last.—Halifax Recorder.

The Quebec Mercury says, that a ramour has been corrent in Quebec, during the last two days, to the effect, that Lord Eigin has actually tendered his resignation of the effect, that Lord Eigin has actually tendered his resignation of the office of Governor General, and that His Excellency expects to leave Canada at an early date.

The distance between Washington city and Boston, about five handred miles, can be travelled in twenty-five hours.

HASZARD'S GAZETTE.

TUESDAY, MAY 4, 1852.

The Courier arrived this morning, and brought the English Mail, with dates to the 17th April. There is no very particular news, the public mind being principally engaged in the coming Elections.

From the Halifax British North American, April 26. The steamship Niagara arrived this morning in 101 days from Liverpool, with 70 passengers, 25 of whom are for Hali-

fax.

The news from Australia announces a vast increase in the production of gold, and serious difficulties seem likely to arisowing to the general rush of the population of towns to the

mines.

The news from India is unimportant.

A Portuguese vessel h s been lost with 40 lives.

We have scrutinized the English Journals and perceive that no person has been named to succeed the late Sir J Harvey as Lieut. Governor of Nova Scotia.

(From Wilmer & Smith's European Times, April 17.) (From Wilmer & Smith's European Times, April 17.)

Since the recent holidays there are indications of every great improvement in most of the commercial markets, and in the aspect of the testile trade of the country. There is an increased inquiry both for shipping and home consumption, the news from America and India having had a beneficial effect act only on the manufacturing markets, but on these for raw material and produce also.

A submarine telegraph communication between London and Dublin is expected to be formed by the 20th of May, the wires to be thrown across the channel from Port Patrick to Douaghadee.

The Caffree had not surrendered unconditionally, as was mentioned, and another vigorous attack was about being made on them.

A COLONIAL JUDGE IN DIFFICULTIES .-- The follo

which it was intended, the contractors shown now so cancer upon to remove it. (Hear.)

The Earl of Derby, in reply to question from the Earl of Minto, defined having pledged himself to advise a dissolution of Parliament at any specific period, or that after the assembling of the New Parliament a proregation would take place this year. What he had an opportunity of pronouncing, in the course of the coming autumn, an opinion on certain questions, which it was important to decide before Parliament meets in 1853.

Mr. Green, the veteran aerial voyager, retires this season from aeronautic pursuits. He has now made 489 ascents, and intends completing the number of 500 during the ensuing seasons.

The Lancet records the case of a lady, whose appetite was a fine property of the province and the province in the province, L'eut. Col. MURRAY. commanding the 25d light landers.—Church Witness.

STEAM PROPELLER BETWEEN BOSTON AND HALIFAX.—Mr.

D. Curtis launched at Medford, on Friday, a finely modelled in twenty-five hours.

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RULES AND REGULATIONS.

1. An Entrance Fee of Two Shillings, and an Annual Subscription of Three Shillings, payable in advance, shall constitute the person paying it a Member of the Society.

2. The Officers of the Society shall consist of a President, three Vice Presidents, a Secretary, and a Treasurer, who shall be elected annually, and shall continue in Office for one year, and until others are elected in their stead.

3. A General Committee shall be chosen at the same time, consisting of Ten Members, of whom Three, together with the Secretary, shall be a Quorum.

4. There shall be a General Meeting of the Society in each year, on the first Wednesday in January, for the Election of

year, on the first Wednesday in January, for the Election of Office-hearers and the transaction of general business.

5. There shall be Two Annual Exhibitions of Pruits, Flowers, and Vegetables, to which the Public shall be admitted on payment of such sum as the Committee of Management shall determine upon; and Subscribers by tickets, to be fornished for that purpose, gratis.

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6. It shall be the duty of the General Committee to submit to the Annual General Meetings such fundamental and byo laws as shall from time to time be found requisite; to direct and manage the Exhibitions before mentioned; to determine on the number and amount of Prizes, the rales of competition, &c.; to appoint Judges for the said Exhibitions; and generally to manage the whole affairs of the Society.

The Society have recorded to the chief of Officers when

to manage the whole affairs of the Society.

The Society then proceeded to the choice of Officers, when the following were elected:—

T. H. Haviland, Eaq., President.

Mrs. Grubb,
Hon. Charles Young,
Robert Booth, Esq.,
John Lawson, E-q., Secretary.
Benjamin Desbrisay, Esq., Treasurer.

In conformity with the Third Rule, the following were elected a General Committee:—

Mrs. E. Palmer, Mrs. Pope, Miss Grubb, Mrs. Gall, Mrs.
Forbes, Messrs. Deblois, E. Grubb, J. Hensley, J. M. Holl, jun., and John Gates.

Resolved, That the Committee be instructed to wait up est them to honor the Society by becoming the Po

Mr. Lawson then read an Inaugural Address, where was Resolved, That the thanks of the Society be given gentleman for his Address, and that he be requested to printed.

usual thanks were then voted to the Chairman, feeting adjourned sine die.

JOHN LAWSON, Secret

We, whose names are hereto subscribed, agree to b wn Horticultural Society:-T. H. Haviland, Mrs. M'Donald, Mrs. Peake, L. Jenkins,
J. M. Holl, jun.,
J. Brecken,
Alext. Beazeley,
Benj. Desbrisay,
H. B. Swabey, Mrs. Peake,
Mrs. Pope,
Mrs. W. Dawson,
Miss Beazeley,
Miss Grubh,
Miss L. Grubh,

Mrs. G-tll, James D. Haszard.

Mrs. Tremain,
The English Mail having arrived this morning, for want and space, we are precluded from inserting the Letter of "N." and some other communications—they will be attended The Case of Mr. Angus M. Donald, Preventive Office

J. Pope, Mrs. G. Beer, Mrs. E. Palmer,

East Point, will appear in our next.

May 2,—Cleared for the Fishery—the Schooner Euphemia
Malone, master,—for James Peake, Esq.

E. W. Thresher, Mrs. Walkinshaw, E. Grubb, James D. Haszard.

[COMMUNICATED]
An interesting Meeting of the friends of Temperant held in the School House in Little York, on the eve Monday, the 10th inst. The Chair was taken by Mr. I Monday, the 19th test. The Chair was taken by Mr. I who after the singing of a hyme and prayer, opened a ceedings with a short and pathetic address.

The following Resolutions were then submitted to thing, which, after freely discussing the principles embethem, were unanimously adopted:

Moved by Mr. J. Balderson, seconded by Mr. Brent-

1. Resolved. That the common use of Intexicating Resolved, That the common use of Intoxicating is a great evil, and ought to be discountenanced.
 Moved by Mr. G. Cook, seconded by Mr. David Cr.
 2. Resolved, That the common use of Intoxicating is destructive of peace and order in so lety, and shabolished by Law.

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Mr. C., in moving the second Resolution, said—"T of Maine his abolished this triffic, and he was sanguin hope, that this leland would arise and imitate this action." (Cheers.)

Moved by Mr. Jis. Douglas, seconded by Mr. W. B.

Moved by Mr. J.s. Douglas, seconded by Mr. W. B. 3. Resolved, That the common use of Intoxicating is a directle with, and in its tendency is productive of comisery and should be abolished, and that the makers and thereof are enemies to the Commonwealth.

In speaking to the third Resolution, Mr. D. remarked President. Let us suppose Intoxicating Liquors to limited scope, and we shall find, that it gradually it soundness and troubles the peace of mind of him over reigns; that it wastea his fortune, destroys his health bases his character, and aggravates all the miseries in has involved him with the concluding pangs of bitter. And, Mr. President, surely it becomes this Society, others may say, to cultivate a kind, generous and symaner, which feels for distress wherever it is behewill enter into the concerns of our brethren, and striv gate their afflictions. This is the temper to which, by commands, our holy religion seeks to form us, this is gate their affections. This is the temper to which, by commands, our holy religion seeks to form us, this is of Jesus, this is the temper of Heaven, and, as Chr not only becomes us to abstain from the use of Int Liquors ourselves, but to use all our influence to eram naster from our land."

Little York, April 23, 1852.

COUNCIL OFFICE, April 3
His Excellency the Lieutenant Governor in Council
pleased to appoint Thomas Alexander Montgomery, Esq.
of Light Duty for the Port of Charlottetown, in the plas
mus Desbrisny, Esq., resigned.
CHARLES DESBRISAY,

SECRETARY'S OFFICE, April 1
His Excellency the Lieutenant Governor has been pleas
point the following Gentlemen, Trustees of the Central
Honorables George Coles, William Swabey, James V
Joseph Pope; Benjamin Ilavies, Edward Thornton, Tho
Haviland, jan., Daniel Hodgson, William Forgan, and .
worth, Esqs.

JAMES WARBURTON, Colon

Tenders will be received at this Office until Saturday
Sth instant, for building a Ferry Sip and Landing at the
Wharf, and for a Slip at the Wharf, Minchin's Point.
JAMES WARBURTON, Co

Ship News.

Sailed for Prince Edward Island from Liver April 8,-Falcon April 13.-Sir Alexander. Daggengers.

In the Ice Boat last evening, Hon. W. W. Lord, and

At Launching Place, on the 26th ult., by the Rev. Fr naid, Mr. John Smith, to Miss Margerie Scott, of Nova On the 22d inst., at St. Fleanor's Church, by the Read, Mr. Robert Henry Ellis, of Lot 12, to Ann, daug Hugh M*Arthur, of 16. Died.

On the 3d April, at Lot 44, East Point, after a long illness, Mr. John M'Eachern, he left this transitory li regretted by all who knew him, aged 54 years.

At Newtown, Belfast, on Thursday the 22d April, the howels, after an illness of five months, which he bo fortitude, Mr. William M'Phuil, senr., District Teach CARRIAGE FOR SALE.

at Mt. John Stumble's, Saddler. If not sold TURDAY next, it will be then offered at Auction at House. For particulars, apply to J. WEA May 4, 1852.

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Title Malls for the neighbouring Provinces will after the First of May, every TUESPAY and Follock, are pletou. Letters to be registered and Newspaper to be posted half an hour before that time. The Mail will be made up on the following days, at the same hands and the same hands

THOMAS OV General Post Office, May 3, 1852.

Custom House, Charlo
4th May, 1852.

THE Honorable the Commissioners of Her Majest
have been pleased to direct the Surveyor of Shi
blutetown, to continue in the Execution of the Duties
in Prince and King's Counties, when his services are
Shipbuilders and others.

G. R. G0