

side of the alley. In this manner a close in the the chief landed proprietors out of their own The following have paid 10s. for the Evangelical Pioneer High Street would sometimes resemble a modern | body for the whole duration of each parliament: coffee-room more than anything else. It so that the Chamber of Deputies should comprise happened that one morning, while Lord Coal- 383 members, to be elected according to a prostoun was preparing to enjoy his matutinal treat, visional law which would be issued for the occatwo girls, who lived in the second flat above sion, and in such a way as to "represent all were amusing themselves with a kitten, which, classes of citizens," and that the Diet thus formin thoughtless sport, they had swung over the ed should frame the definitive laws by which the window by a cord tied around its middle, and popular franchise should thereafter be distributhoisted for some time up and down, till the ed

creature was getting rather desperate with its These several points being discussed by the exertions. In this crisis his lordship popped his people, and by the various political societies, came A. Winchester, Fingal. James Sharp, Lobo. Henry Edgradually to be regarded with dissatisfaction. head out of the window directly below that from which the kitten swung, little suspecting, The aristocratic form of the upper chamber and the indirect form of election for the lower, was good easy man, what a danger impended, like strongly condemned, and while this uneasy feelthe sword of Dionysius, over his head, hung, too, ing was at its height, the Ministry resorted to the by a single-not hair, it is true but scarcely a more responsible material-garter, when down udicious steps of issuing an order for the discame the exasperated animal, at full caree;, solution of the central committee of the National directly upon his senatorial wig. No sooner did Guard, consisting of about 200 individuals, and regarded as the most influential political club in (3s 6d), London. Wm. J. Purdy, Dr. Stewart, Mrs. the girls perceive what sort of a landing place their kitten had found, than, in terror and surthe city, and at the same time of parading a large prise, they began to draw it up ; but this meamilitary force which bivouacked at night upon sure was now too late, for along with the the glacis.

animal, up also came the judge's wig, fixed full The result was that on the 15th May the popu-His lordship's surlace, headed chiefly by the students of the colprise on finding his wig lifted off his head, was leges, rose to assert themselves, and at once proredoubled when, on looking up, he perceived it ceeded to the Minister with their demands langling its way upwards, without any means, These were that the military should be with dr .wn, visible to him, by which its motions might be that the central committee of the National Guard accounted for. The astonishment, the dread, should not be dissolved, and that the law for the the almost awe of the senator below-the half elections should be declared null and void. mirth, half terror of the gils above-together

with the fierce and relentless energy of retention The Ministry, immediately on beholding the

on the part of puss between, altogether formed new storm they had raised, lost courage and bea scene to which language cannot do justice, but came confused just as in the first outbreak in which George Cruikshank might perhaps embody March. They hesitated, however, of course just with considerable effect in one of those inimitable long enough to take away all grace from concessketches which he is pleased to call Points of Humor. It was a joke soon explained and par- The military were to act only in concert with the are not overlooked. doned; but assuredly the perpetrators of it did afterwards get many lengthened injunctions from be allowed to continue their sittings, and the their parents never again to fish over the whole scheme for the diet was swept away and window, with such a bait, for honest men's an announcement made that a single chamber should be convened, in the first instance by universal suffrage, and that to this chamber should be confided the task of framing the permanent

The benefit of these concessions was, however,

entirely compromised by the letter of resignation

which the Ministry, from whom they were wrung,

issued the next day. This letter openly acknow-

ledged that the concessions were made, not will-

Vienna was accordingly greeted the next morn-

ing with the astonishing news that the Imperial

by a bulletin from the Ministry, stating that his

Majesty had that hour taken his departure, it was

believed for Inspruck, with no other communica-

tion to the head of his cabinet than a verbal

message to that effect. From this moment all

was confusion, and pending the doubt as to the

Emperor's return, the Ministers recovered a little

courage and reason, and declared their intention

to remain at their posts and to do their duty.

ingly, but because they could not be withheld. It

#### THE RELIC OF ST. ANDREW. constitution.

in its determined talons.

wirs."

ROME, April 8 .- The recovery of the relic of the head of St. Andrew, stolen from St. Peter's about three weeks ago, has given lise to one of the most magnificent festivals ever held in Rome. This relic was brought from the Peloponnesus in 1462 (nine years after the taking of Constantinople), by Cardinal Bessarione, and the beautithe open temple, with the statue of the produced great excitement at once. The demonpostle, near the Milvian Bridge, was crected on strations of the students and the populace were the spot where it had been deposited, above the altar, still remaining, on which Pope Pius II. breaks, they struck the Emperor and his partisans celebrated mass before carrying it with his own with an instant panic. hands to the Vatican. The relic is one of those schibited from the loggia, to the right of the igh altar, at the vespers on St. Peter's Day. Family had fled ! This was at once confirmed nd is kept in a silver bust set with jewels, the value of which has been estimated at 18,000 scudi. The culprit must have been perfectly familiar with the internal arrangements of S Peter's. The popular belief was, that the Emperior of Austria or the Emperor of Russia had omething to do with the affair. His Holiness was deeply affected by the sacrilege ; religious services were ordered, and a reward of 500 scudi was offered to any one, not even excepting the culprit, for the recovery. It was at last found,

the jewels detached, but deposited near, buried

vol. I.:

E. Bingham, Aylmer. Wm. Wakeling, London. even proposed by Bennet, in his Herald, that a Henry Palmerston, Sarah H. Jewel, Mary A. Baker, marauding expedition should be undertak en by Edgar Ward, Melvin Due, Job Billington (8s 3d), Nor- Irishmen in America for his rescue. The promandale. Henry Mitchell, Patrick Boughter, Benjanin Sanderson, T. M. Boughner, C. Boughner, Beamsford. D. Secon, Eld. H. Lacy, A. Stevens, Niagara. That will end it.

James Ferguson (6s. 8d.), Port Stanley. Thomas Mills. wards, Dorchester. Mrs. Cary, London.

The following have paid 5s. :

"Pamela Vining, Robert Scott, Ingersolville. Sol. L. Thompson, St. Thomas. Joseph Brickley, G. H. Teeple, H. Bencraft, Aylmer. Wm. Cromwell, Charles Beanpre Geo. Millard, Normandale. Isaac Fry, Beamsville. B. Parker, Jordan. G. Anderson, Niagara. J. Wilson, one party may probably, upon the whole, be Doran (3s 6d), Detroit.

2s. 6d - Lydia Smalley, Wm. H. Moore, John M'Dona'd. Normandale.

The name of Samuel Gowan was inserted by mistake among the acknowledgments in No. 24 of this paper. are extremely promising.

## THE EVANGELICAL PIONEER

LONDON, SATURDAY, JUNE 24, 1848.

A correspondent who informs us that " an emissary from that hotbed of dissension and disunion has made his appearance in the shape of an agent for the sion, and this done they gave up everything. Montreal paper," may rest assured that these movements

> are missing we request to be informed of it, that the matter may be investigated.

### SUMMARY.

Absence from home and other interruption: have deprived us of the opportunity of making remarks on the course of events, during the past three or four weeks: and in such times as these, the history of a month is the matter of a volume. There is searcely any respect in which the aspect of affairs is materially improved, unless in the view of desperate men, who will regard any change an improvement. For ourselves, ardently as we desire to see the emancipation of the human mind, and the establishment of free institutions every where, we cannot dis cover in the impassioned and unreflecting efforts of mere mobs, the power which is to achieve freedom and independence. The mobs have learned cage, and lashing its sides in the cleared are: a, ends to be kept in view. It is intended in the deemer's Kingdom and the salvation of souls.

The last news is that his Majesty has reached Inspruck, where he was received by his Tyrolean growls defiance to its keeper. Yet, what awaits first place, to effect an organized union of Regular it but destruction or a raturn to cantivity in a Bantists. The accomplishment straiter and a stronger cage. The most promi- present form will prepare us for united effort in from his disorderly capital, it seems doubtful nent feature of the news of the past month, is every Christian enterprise, and it will afford us the utter lawlessness of the mob power, which the means of bringing our combined influence to supposed it to be in Canada, that the public is everywhere threatens the overthrow of all that bear upon any public question. But union, ex- responsible for the advancement of this great is promising in recent movements. In France, cept upon high grounds of principle, may prove interest. That there should be different opinions Emperor produced the greatest excitement; the Italy and Prussia, this is especially apparent. In anything but a blessing, and therefore it is in- as to the mode of carrying it on, as to the exinhabitants are unanimously for the Emperor Paris it is evident there is a tyranny more capricious and destructive than even the Bourbons with the objects of the society, that none but property, as to the teaching of religion, and o'clockdared to dream of. In Italy it is plain that those who are decided in their principles can ever the qualification of teachers, we of course expectneither principle nor affection exercises any con- think of joining it. It is proposed to form a ed; but to find those who profess to be of the trol over the arbitary will of a dominant rabble. depot of the Strict Baptist Tract Society's publi- popular party, arraying themselves against pul- preparing for some mighty conflict; when suddenly another From one end of Europe to the other, the symp- cations, along with those of the American Bap- lic schools, is something new; and is a curious appeared, rising from the earth like smoke from a building toms of approaching anarchy are more and more tist Publication Society, and works of a kindred illustration of the way in which extremes meet. threatening. It threatens to come to this, that character, and that the first efforts of the society It is only to be accounted for by the reflex influthere will seem nothing left but the terrible choice shall be directed to the dissemination of them. ence of a habitual opposition to state endow- from the trees; shingles and boards rent from buildings and between domestic and foreign war. The pas- In this way an efficient practical test is at once ments. This opposition is not unnaturally awak- carried to a tremendous height, and whirled about in wild sions inflamed to fury must find vent, either in provided ; the prosecution of the object will lead ened to watchfulness, and even suspicion, of any which were seen mounting into the clouds, large tree topsdestruction or on the field of battle. In the midst of the universal commotion, the which it rests; the intelligence and piety of the to a church establishment. The school and the be the fate of the next moment, gave it the most awful and calmness and the firmness with which Great churches will be promoted, and at the same time pulpit have some things in common, and fixing alarming appearance of anything that we ever saw or ever Britain holds her place, is most striking. Al- our principles will be made more extensively upon these points to the neglect of the essential It was indeed one of those terrible visitations of Providence though recent commercial disasters, and the ex- known. For it is proposed that the union should difference, public schools are denounced as an that we have read of from childhood, but never wished to see, tensive failure of her resources, might almost in be aggressive in its character; that in the course invasion of our social rights, or in the mildest and hope we may never witness again. It seemed to have their faces and carrying tapers, as did the rest. The noble Guard, the Civics, and all the military now in Town, brought up the rear. In St. a free press, to apply the strongest incentive to prove a self-satisfying band of itinerant preachers ry that at this juncture, this question should be Peter's his Holmess gave the benediction with the relic, and at night another illumination, both the relic and at night another illumination, both the relic and at night another illumination and disaffection; the common sense, the relic and at night another illumination and disaffection; the common sense, the relic and the relic of the city and St. Peter's took place, which plate calmly, f airly, the chance of a final struggle, the principle, the love of order in the popular they will find an important work to do, in furnish- it is certain that a mere 'taking it for granted' will their lives from their temporary habitation, are again mind have triumphed. It is unquestionable that ing our churches with reading of the proper not secure this great interest in the hearts of the houseless. Its greatest width through West Oxford was Mr. Charles Gavan Duffy, editor of the Nation, every salutary reform has received a mighty stamp. Our farming communities are entering the Canadian people. The common school must impulse, and popular institutions will rapidly be stage in which books of some kind will be bought, not be merely tolerated, the people must search moulded to the exigences of the age. But every and it does to some extent depend upon us, out both the principle and the policy of the subhope of the disorganizer and the revolutionist, whether the demand shall be supplied by the ject, and then it will be cherished and fostered as an hourspirit of the times- hat it should be open to all must have vanished before the steady and unrepealers, without pledge or qualification, and its wavering attachment to law and order, which edifying productions of our best authors. This outery was raised a few days ago about the imgovernment committed to a legislative council of has rallied all the intelligence and virtue of the effort, if carried through with spirit, will evident- position of a tax for educational purposes in To- late appearance. Not a fence to be seen; the cattle, and land around the throne. The danger lay in the ly do much to mould a rising generation. In the ronto, and we were disappointed that it was not mittee of five to act as the cabinet of the new first wild impulse; that passed, and the sad ex- more remote regions of the country the col- more thoroughly canvassed. The friends of pubperience, the social disquiet, the commercial porteurs will act as pioneers, and not only by lic schools have nothing to fear except from in- Toundation; the people escaping from death by leaping into From all that we can gather from our letters ruin, the threatening anarchy of these "glorious their visits from house to house, but by holding difference. It was on this account we gave received by the mail of this morning, there is revolutions" disenchant the wild dream, and warn public meetings, preaching the gospel, and aiding place, two weeks ago, to a communication from siding, and left standing wrecks. The fruit and ornametal evidently trouble at hand. It would be dishonest us of the terrible hazard. Those who were the in the formation of Sunday schools, they will an esteemed correspondent, from whom however, trees, torn up by the roots, lie strewed about in the wildest to conceal the fact that Ireland abounds with most liable to be carried away by the first im- prepare the way for the more thorough and sys- on this point, we entirely differ. pulse, will be brought to a pause by a view of tematic labours of the Home Missionary. In this the disastrous results. For in every country in- connection, we may mention one indirect advantto which these disorganizing influences reach the age, resulting from this plan of operations. We starvation of the poor will be the first and the may trust ere long to see an increasing number most permanent result. In the letters of the of young men engaging in a course of studies prenews-writer we hear chiefly of the conflict of paratory to the Christian ministry. By going out rival parties, and the movement of the political as agents of this society during a portion of the We are happy to find that the suggestions pageant, but behind all that there is an amount year, they would gain an experience which would ecently urged by us upon public attention for of unrecorded suffering and sorrow, the wail of be invaluable to them, they would recruit or preward must be offered for the recovery of the the immediate termination of the lamentable which will soon drown the vivas of the Forum. serve health, do something towards their support, relic; the exchequer would not allow of this, hostilities between Denmark and the German Commerce destroyed, industry interrupted, all and above all, find a suitable introduction to their arts of life and peace paralyzed ! Who shall proper work-preaching Christ and seeking the day Pius IX. spent some time in prayer in the Orders have positively been despatched to Gen. tell the story of the famishing wives and children salvation of souls. Amongst other aggressive agencies, it is pro-The first rude shock withstood, and everything posed that the Evangelical Pioneer should bewill go to strengthen the hearts of the lovers of come the property as well as the organ of the This is not the only remarkable incident con- which that General had thought himself justified peace and order. But there is a great lesson union. This is an important point; in fact, it is in levying upon the poor and unoffending inhabit- taught by these events, which will not be lost this which renders all the rest practicable. It ants of a purely Danish province, will be at once upon the people of England. That lesson is in provides for the most formidable items of exrel.nquished, and if any money has been collected favour of progress, social and political. Improve- pense. The paper must have a publisher and a ment or destruction, reform or revolution is the place of publication, and here we have the ex--To explain the recent important events which once be followed by the conclusion of an armistice choice presented to us, and we shall see the same pences of a depot and its agent at once secured have occurred at Vienna, we insert the following the terms of which would provide for the immedi-, intelligence and principle that rally to the defence gratis. The colporteurs also acting as travelling sketch by the intelligent correspondent of the ate cessation of hostilities by sea and land; for of order, take the reform of our own institutions in agents, will greatly advance the interests of the the evacuation of the Duchy of Schleswig and hand, with a grasp as firm and a purpose as steady. paper, and as they will be entitled to a per-cent-Some weeks back the proposed new Austrian its islands by all the troops of both the belliger-The Chartist procession was a ridiculous failure, age for their services, the paper will contribute constitution was published and was received at ents, and for the restitution of captured ships first with satisfaction. The chief provisions of the and property. The further evacuation of Holsfirst with satisfaction. The chief provisions of the and property. The further evacuation of Hols-constitution in question were that the Diet should tein would of course follow on the fulfilment of sion of the franchise, reform and retrenchment, we have no other means of doing; it will make be composed of two chambers, namely, a Senate these other conditions; the Duchies would thus the abolition of church establishments are guarand Chamber of Deputies, that the Senate should be relieved from the wasting presence of hostile anteed by the very power which forbids violence; Although it is really so at present, it is not enand Chamber of Deputies, that the Senate should be refleved from the wasting presence of normal ancea by the very power which for bus violence. Although it is really so at present, it is not ened too much as a private speculation, and the

Mitchell used in the United States, of a kind much as if it were a business matter of their fundamental principle. Let us go the length of that all judicious men there must regret. It is own.

posal has been received with some degree of suitable place for a depository; what amount superstructure, and we mistake the character of favour in the "Young Ireland" circles of New Mesler, John Cook, St. Catherines. James Tut, Brant- York, and there will be some loud talk about it. how is the necessary capital to be provided and of Canada equal to those of any country. We

> the mode of management, and a multitude of way be clearly seen and the right ascertained. kindred questions will arise, and should at once and the right will be done. be approached in a practical way. It would on

will be more rare. The several parties are throwmany accounts have been desirable, that the comittees of the several associations should have laid, and by which the union may be instituted.

desirable result are nearer and clearer than we should be held early; but there is one reason have hitherto ventured to anticipate. It is not why it should be put back as far as the weather six weeks since we proposed to the denomination will permit. It is provided that a meeting of at large, the formation of a union upon strict shareholders of the Pioneer be held before the an insertion in the Pioneer ? principles, for the advocacy and maintainance of distinctive views, and already it has received the accounts. Now it is on many accounts of import-Waterford, 10 05 Lobo, Waterford, 16 75 Do. London, Waterford, 16 75 Lobo, Waterford, 16 75 Lobo, Fond Hill, 3 50 London, 13 New arrangements are made regarding throughout Canada West. As has been inti- proposed convention should be held at the same Dundas, the mailing of the paper, by which we shall henceforth mated, committees have been appointed by the time and place. In the event of the property avoid all irregularities. In every case in which papers Western, Grand River, Eastern, and we may being transferred from the one body to the other,

September, for the purpose of arranging the pre- stantially what was stated in previous articles, Townsend, liminaries to the actual formation of this union, and what has been stated by the deputation of and we cannot but look towards their action with the Western Association at St. George's and St. Thomas deep interest. It is not merely that the immedi- Beamsville. We have desired that it should be te objects of the society are useful and import- clearly and particularly before our readers; and int, the formation of the society itself is the ac- if we have at all succeeded, it must be apparent, complishment of a great and good object. All that much more is involved in this proposal, than hearts have felt how desirable it is that one in the mere institution of a tract society. It is a faith and baptism, we should become visibly and step towards a complete organization of the Bapeffectually one. Amid the experienced dis- tists in this province ; a step which we trust may vantages of disunion, the hearts of all have lead on to our co-operation in all great and good been preparing for the measure, and in its ac- objects. It will at once array us as one. body mplishment many faithful ones will recognise against the invasion of error and division; it will the answer of persevering prayer. The effort at once give us the means of uniting our power mands the best attention of all who are inter- for the accomplishment of common interests ; passing through the province, professing to be Baptist Minissted in the denomination, and we trust that the we shall be prepared to act promptly on any mbined intelligence, wisdom, and piety of the public emergency, and the habit of acting togethe nomination will be brought to bear upon it. will bring us into harmony, and strengthen the their power; it is the power of the enraged It may be useful at this time to remind our ties of brotherhood. It will also vasily extend tiger, which has dashed aside the wires of its readers of the nature of the proposal and the our means of seeking the extension of the Re-

raising the question, Should we have any school In carrying out these proposals, a variety of law? Should schools be either provided for, or important considerations demand speedy atten- regulated by law? When we have thoroughly tion. It must be determined where is the most examined the foundation let us proceed to the of capital must be invested in the enterprise; our population if we do not speedily see the schools of membership. The extent of our operations, is felt, the remedy is appreciated, only let the

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CORRESPONDENCE. St. Catherines, Jane 16, 1848.

The following are the sums collected for Foreign Missions, by me, during the last six months. Will you give the same Gr. River Assoc. coll. 16 19 Southwould. 12 50 6 83 3 75 2nd ch. Charlotteville, 1st ch. 13 2nd ch. 2 00 St. Catherines Walsingham, Rainham, 38 50 2nd ch. P'e ! eim Do. Ist ch. 10 25 1st ch. 5 13 2nd ch. 2 00 Yarmouth, erly, 1st ch. t. George 2nd ch. 2 00 St. Ge lit ch. 114 75 Louth, 2nd ch. 3 00 | Queenston Do. Sum Total, \$655 56

My dear Brother Inglis.

Jacob Kitchen of Beamsville, and Moses Barber of Townsend, gave one hundred each of the above sum, to constitute themselves life members of the American Baptist Missionary Union.

Yours, most truly and affectionately, SALEM T. GRISWOLD, St. Catherines

CAUTION TO THE CHURCHES.

Mr. Editor,-Nothing can be more important to the interests of the Baptist Churches in Canada, than the purity of her ministry; therefore, I feel it to be a duty to caution the Churches against imposition. There are two individuals. ters. The one is an Elder Greenfield, from Williamson, Wayne, N. Y., U. S. I am credible informed Mr. G has no standing in the denomination, though he professes to have a letter from a Church in Parma, Munros Co., N. Y. The other person is a Mr. Lawrence, from England, who has ent a year in the States, and has left in disgrace. The Churches should be particularly careful never to encourage any man onless he has credentials from some person or pesons on whose recommendation they can safely rely.

Yours

A LOVER OF TRUTH.

ing themselves into the contest 'full tilt,' although it would seem that there will be large bodies of got together at an earlier date than that menseceders from either party. The defection from tioned above ; but there are several important reasons why it should be delayed : it is necessary equal to that from the other, but it will not tell that the members of committee should have an equally upon the issue. The Barn-burner opportunity of ascertaining the views and feelhism will cost General Cass the State of New ings of their brethren ; and that they mature York, a serious consideration for himself and his their own views. It is not a matter to be gone about hastily and rashly. It is expected that the committees will at once take measures to secure a general convention of Baptists, at some central point; before which their plans may be

The prospects of accomplishing this most It might seem desirable that this convention

probably add, the Haldimand Associations, to it is almost indispensable. meet at St. George's, the first Wednesday in In the above remarks we have repeated sub-

It may be all very well to catch Irish votes by

such sympathy. But when the Presidential elec-

tion is over, these outbreaks of philanthrophy

supporters ; otherwise, the old man's prospects UNION OF BAPTISTS IN CANADA.

wond the Porta St. Pancrazio the secret is said to have been revealed through the confessional; the judicial investigation is therefore suspended. The Holy Father wept for joy when it was brought and given into his own hands. The event was announced on Saturday by the Cardinal Vicar; all the bells in Rome rang a joyous peal for half an hour after the Ave Maria, the cupola of St. Peters was illuminated, and, by a spontaneous act on the part of the people, so was the whole City. The Te Deum was sung the next day at St. Andrea denia Valle and St. Peter's; but the grand celebration was not till Wednesday, when the relic that of the Corpus Domini. All the ecclesiastical colleges, religious orders, chapters of basilicas, parochial clergy, &c., preceded' the gorgeous shrine borne by the canons of the Vatican. The relic was placed in a glass coffer on a kind of car, and a wide silk canopy supported over it ; after which came his Holiness, with the aspect of one absorbed in devotion; next followed the Sacred College, with the Senate, the Roman their faces and carrying tapers, as did the rest. now in Town, brought up the rear. In St. Peter's his Holiness gave the benediction with was still more brilliant than the first.

GOOD NEWS FOR PEOPLE WHO HAVE LOST THAIR HEADS.-On the morning or the 1st inst., [April] his eminence the Cardinal-Vicar caused the following notice to be published :-- " God has deigned to hear the prayers of the Sovereign Pontiff, and of the pious population of Rome, in causing the head of the glorious Apostle St. Andrew to be miraculously recovered. To celebrate this happy event, the superiors of all the churches are to have the bells of all the churches rung this evening for the Ave Maria for half-anhour, as upon festival days." Scarcely had this notice been issued by the Cardinal-Vicar than the sound was heard of all the bells in the city and all the houses were spontaneously illuminated. An extraordinary illumination of the facade, of the portico, and cupola of St. Peter's, vast numbers who are in the words of Lord John as it were, carried the news of this happy event Russell, "weary with suffering, and would view to the inhabitants of the mountain districts. with complacency a change of rule." Next day a solemn Te Deum was chanted in the church of St. Andrea della Valle, in the midst of an immense concourse of the Faithful of all classes. [Gazette di Roma, quoted by the Lon don Tablet.] We hear (adds the Editor of the Tablet), the circumstances were as follows :-"The chief of the police, despairing of success, had informed the Holy Father that a large reand his Holiness told the chief of the police he confederation had already been anticipated by was certain the relic would be discovered. Next the pacific disposition of the cabinet of Berlin. hurch of St. Peter's and before night a person eral Wrangel to withdraw the German troops of these heroes of the barricades !! cume and informed the chief of the police that at once from that part of Jutland which he had if he sent to a place which he described, the relic occupied; and of course the threatened contribucould be discovered, which happened accordingly. tion of war, amounting to no less than £400,000. nected with the prayers of Pius IX."

#### THE INSURRECTION IN AUSTRIA.

completed t' vir 24th year, of members named by offered to the north of Europe, upon conditions its influence for the other. the Emperor for life, without reference to rank by which the rights of Denmark and of the Ger-

ects with "frantic loyalty," and thus between two and three hundred miles away whether he will speedily be induced to return.

PRESENT STATE OF VIENNA .- The flight of the and the maintenance of the constitutional monarchy.

Several young men took advantage of the confusion which prevailed to proclaim the Republic ; but the people were excessively exasperated, was carried from the former to the latter church | fell upon them, and would have hanged them if in a procession equally vast and magnificent with the national guard had not interfered and rescued them. All are acting in concert for the speedy restoration of order; and a deputation has been sent to the Emperor, expressing the universal desire that he will come back immediately.

## IRELAND.

New-York, June 19. Accounts received in this city from Dublin Princes, the members of all the Casini, and (a state, that, after the sentence of Mitchell, the new feature in such solemnities) a procession of Irish Confederation published an address, signed nobie ladies, all in black, with lace veils over by Mr. Smith O'Brien, declaring that the period sacred obligation, and advising the people to and prepare for that struggle."

> has written a powerful article, headed, "The Business of To-day," in which he urges the dissolution of the two repeal associations, and the formation of a new one, kindled with the new one hundred repealers, the foremost in Ireland for capacity and devotion, with an executive comorganization.

THE PROBABLE STOPPAGE OF THE WAR IN DENMARK From the London Times, May 26.

FLIGHT OF THE IMPERIAL FAMILY FROM VIENNA. hoped that this step in the right direction will at

POPULAR EDUCATION.

# It is not so entirely a settled question as we

TERRIFIC STORM. Ingersoll, June 20th, 1848. Dear Brother Inglis,

I attempt to give you an idea, though at best but a very imperfect one, of the terrible tornado from which this village

For nearly half an hour a thick, dark cloud hung but a short distance to the west of us, presenting a most singular appearance, whirling about in the wildest commotion, as if on fire, but it soon assumed 'a most terrific appearance, and seemed to be directing its course through this place. The confusion. The densely black and maddened cloud-upon to extend and strengthen the foundation upon thing that bears the most distant resemblance its tremendous roar and our confused thoughts of what would

> originated about two miles west of this, near Jacob Chotes's, Its headlong velocity was at first slow, but soon became

The forest seemed to be the sport of this awfal visitor, in many places scarcely a free has been left standing. The sheep, and horses running promiscuously through meadows and fields of grain. Not a house, shed, or barn but what is cellars, or prostrating themselves upon the ground. Other thrown off from their foundations, stripped of their roofs and

The damage and loss of property must be very great ; but as yet we have not heard of any lives being lost; several persons, however, have been slightly injured. The northern extremity of the blast passed the village about 40 rods to the south, in nearly a south-east direction, a few gusts in their backward whirl passing through this place, doing only slight lamage.

Had it passed through the village, none but God alone cara tell what the result would have been. But the blood of the Lamb was or seemed to have been sprinkled upon our doorposts and lintels, and the destroying angel passed over. The people were greatly alarmed, none knowing where to retreat with their families from the pending danger. Nothing is talked of now but the almost miraculous preservation of the place from absolute destruction. O, if so awful is the tornado, what must it be when " the heavens are rolled together as a scroll, and the elements melt with fervent heat"?

Yours affectionately,

### THE INFLUENCE OF SABBATH SCHOOLS UPON THE WORLD'S CONVERSION.

#### BY THE REV. E. SAVAGE.

It is a fact well known to intelligent and faithful Sabbath school teachers, and one over which they have long mourned, that Christians generally do not feel the insportance of Sabbath school instruction to me great work of evangelising the world One reason, no doubt is, that the main influence of the institution in this respect is indirect and remote. Children are not regarded as exerting an influence against the spread of the gospel; hence their conversion and intimate knowledge of the scriptures are not sufficiently

or birth, and of 150 farther members chosen by man portion of the duchies might be reconciled. There have been expressions of sympathy for responsibility is left to one or two individuals, as | would be advantageous first of all to examine its | appreciated as a means hereafter to be employed

Perhaps it

