

IMPERIAL PARLIAMENT.

LONDON, March 16.—In the House of Commons this afternoon Mr. Gladstone in answering several interrogatories concerning the exact nature of the announced agreement with Russia, said England and Russia had agreed that no further advances should be made in Afghanistan.

DOMINION PARLIAMENT.

OTTAWA, March 13. The Dynamite bill from the Senate was read a first time. Mr. Davies said that the prophecies made by the advocates of the National Policy in 1878 had not been fulfilled, and they had proved themselves flies on the wheel.

THE SUDAN TROUBLE.

LONDON, March 13.—General Gordon's diary is written on Egyptian telegraph blanks. The pages are sewed together with twine, and every page is illuminated with pictures, fantastic and serious.

ROLLER SKATING.

HOW DONOVAN CAME TO ENTER FOR, AND WIN, THE SIX DAYS' RACE. An Elmira, N.Y., despatch to the New York Tribune tells the story of how young Donovan, of that city, came to win the six days' race, the \$500 cash, and gold medal studded with diamonds.

HAVE YOU

Hot and dry skin? Soiling sensations? Swelling of the ankles? Vague feelings of uneasiness? Frothy or brick-dust stools?

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WANDERING HOME.

Hark! to the ripples of childish laughter, The playful sail, the joyous call, Of the children down in the valley yonder, Who mock the voice of the waterfall.

CHINESE NOT WANTED.

A PARTY FORBIDDEN TO LAND AT VICTORIA. VICTORIA, B.C., March 13.—Twenty Chinese immigrants that arrived on the steamer from Hong Kong to-day were not allowed to land.

A POOR, WEAK SISTER.

who is suffering from ailments peculiar to her sex, and who has tried in vain, but knowing she needs medical help, will find, in Dr. Piro's "Favorite Prescription," a preparation which will give her strength and new life through the restoration of all her organs to their natural and healthy action.

WONDERS.

E. H. BECKWITH, Norwich, Conn., Dec. 18th, 1881, stated: "I owe my life to Warner's Sarsaparilla Cure; when I began it, I was suffering with diabetes, and after using seven dozen bottles my doctor pronounced the water free from sugar; it has done wonders for me."

WRECK OF HUMANITY.

Several hon. members having spoken, Mr. Dejerindus said that hon. gentlemen opposite were never tired of crying out that the Province of Quebec had received more than she was entitled to, but he would quote from an article in L'Electeur, the organ of the Liberal party in the City of Quebec, in which it was stated that the Province of Quebec had paid into the Dominion treasury more than she had received from it.

THE PRINCE'S VISIT TO DUBLIN.

DUBLIN, March 13.—Loyalist members of the municipal council have resolved to present an address of welcome to the Prince and Princess of Wales, expressing gratification at their visit, which, it will be said, proves a desire to put an end to the neglect from which Ireland has so long suffered.

A Campaigner's Experience.

LAWRENCE MIX, Esq., Warsaw, N.Y., a well known campaign orator, in 1832 took 15 bottles of Warner's Sarsaparilla Cure for kidney trouble, (after many physicians of excellent standing had given him up), and was cured.

PROMINENT IRISH ORGAN IN NEW YORK LECTURES CANADA.

NEW YORK, March 13.—A prominent Irish organ publishes an editorial to-day warning Canadians against offers of aid to England. The article concludes as follows:—Let bravely-armed men who wish to manifest their "loyalty" pay their passages to England and offer themselves as sacrifices in England's holy war upon the Sudan nationalists individually if they will, but not a single regiment nor dollar of money must leave Canadian shores to assist England. This is the platform the real friends of Canada will stand upon and defend.

LOCAL HORSE MARKET.

American horse traders are in town buying, but they appear to be slow in giving reasonable prices for good animals. Mr. Maguire, of Coleridge street, during the past week sold the following:—2 bay mares, 6 years old, \$200; 1 pony, \$47.50; 1 do, \$60; 1 bay horse, \$136; 1 bay horse, \$160; 1 bay mare, \$22.50; 1 pony, \$182.50. During the past week the following horses were shipped to the States:—5 horses, \$372; 4 mares for breeding purposes, \$445; 2 horses, \$240; 2 do, \$205; 4 mares for breeding purposes, \$170; 2 horses, \$12; 12 do, \$135; 1 do, \$108; 1 stallion, \$300; 7 horses, \$95; 1 mare for breeding purposes, \$122.50; 3 horses, \$47.50.

PERMANENT SECURITY.

T. O. LEWIS, San Francisco, Cal., Oct. 23, 1881, says: "I have suffered for ten years with congested kidneys, and have passed stones ranging in size from the head of a pin to a pea, which caused strangury of the neck of the bladder. The best physicians in this city said I could not recover. I used four bottles of Warner's Sarsaparilla Cure, and got rid of my troubles." Writing June 23rd, 1884, he says, "The cure effected in 1881 was permanent."

TOMB ROBBERS.

PA. 18, March 13.—An atrocious act of sacrilege has thrown the little town of Saint-Nauve, near Nevers, into a state of wild excitement. During the night a gang of malefactors forced their way into the cemetery and desecrated over one hundred tombs. They also destroyed all the crosses in the neighboring cemetery of Clamcy and placed it in the same manner. It is supposed that the anarchists are implicated, but nothing certain has been discovered. The Procureur de la République and the local magistrates have begun an inquiry.

A MIXED MARRIAGE.

VIENNA, March 12.—The news that the Pope had by a special dispensation sanctioned the mixed marriage of the Heretic Baron Espartero with the Catholic Countess Gastrone was made public here only to-day. The newspaper states that such a dispensation was never before granted. An authority on the marriage law, the late Cardinal Kutschker, is quoted as saying in his work on the subject that never had a Pope sanctioned the union of a Heretic and Catholic. All circles of society at Vienna content with surprise on what may be termed a tremendous sensation.

THE TRIALS OF A MINISTER.

THE REV. J. P. ARNOLD (Baptist), Camden, Tenn., in 1873 was taken with Bright's Disease, which produced two large abscesses. In 1878 another abscess formed which discharged for eighteen months. In 1881 two abscesses formed. He then began Warner's Sarsaparilla Cure, which restored me to perfect health," and June, 1883, he wrote, "my health is as good as ever." Try it.

Home Items and Topics.

"All your own fault. If you remain sick when you can get hop bitters that never fail." "The weakest woman, smallest child, and sickest invalid can use hop bitters with safety and great good." "Old men tottering around from Rheumatism, kidney trouble or any weakness will be made almost new by using hop bitters." "My wife and daughter were made healthy by the use of hop bitters and I recommend them to my people.—Methodist Clergyman." "Ask any good doctor if hop bitters are not the best family medicine on earth!"

ONTARIO LEGISLATURE.

TORONTO, March 10.—In the house to-day, after routine, a bill respecting assignments to creditors was read a second time. It is only to go into effect upon the proclamation by the lieutenant-governor, as if the Dominion possessed a general insolvency law, this measure would be inoperative. It protects assignments for the benefit of creditors and bona fide sales, and provides that a general assignment is not to be void by reason of the introduction of a clause releasing a debtor. The leader of the opposition approved of the measure. An act for the further improving of the administration of law was, on motion of the attorney-general, read a second time. It deals with questions of procedure; also a bill making warehouse receipts for crude petroleum negotiable by endorsement. After recess Mr. Ross, minister of education, moved the adoption of the agreement giving three publishing firms a monopoly for ten years of the publishing of school readers authorized by the educational department, and made an elaborate defence of the agreement, going over the history of the school reader question for fifteen years past. He concluded by moving that the house confirm the agreement. Mr. Creighton, of the Opposition, followed in a trenchant attack upon the blundering policy of the Education Department for the past five years, and particularly regarding the adoption of the first three separate readers, then a composite series, and finally a new series edited by the minister himself, and for the publication of which a monopoly had been conferred upon three firms for ten years. A publisher had publicly announced that if there was open competition he would guarantee to give the books at a cost fifty per cent. less. After a long debate the resolution was carried by 40 yeas to 30 nays. The house adjourned at 1.45.

Never.

Mrs. HELEN LEIKEM, West McHenry, Ill., two years ago used Warner's Sarsaparilla for complete nervous prostration. August, 1884, she wrote, "I have never enjoyed such good health, have had no return of my old trouble." Try it.

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FROM HALIFAX.

Table listing ship names and departure dates from Halifax to various ports like Montreal and Liverpool.

FROM PORTLAND TO LIVERPOOL.

Table listing ship names and departure dates from Portland to Liverpool via Halifax.

FROM BALTIMORE.

Table listing ship names and departure dates from Baltimore to various ports.

Rates of Passage from Montreal via Halifax.

Table showing rates for Cabin, Intermediate, and Steerage on routes to Liverpool and Baltimore.

Rates of Passage from Montreal via Portland.

Table showing rates for Cabin, Intermediate, and Steerage on routes to Liverpool and Baltimore via Portland.

NEWFOUNDLAND LINE.—The S.S. Newfoundland is intended to perform a Winter service between Halifax and St. John's, Nfld., as follows:

Table listing ship names and departure dates for the Newfoundland line.

FROM PHILADELPHIA:

Table listing ship names and departure dates from Philadelphia to various ports.

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Through Rates and Through Bills of Lading for East-bound traffic can be obtained from any of the Agents of the above named Railways. For Freight, Passage or other information apply to John M. Durrin, 21, Queen's Quay East, New York; or Alexander Hamilton, Rue de Valenciennes, Paris; or Richard Burns, Hamburg; or Ruys & Co., Rotterdam; or C. Hugo, Antwerp; or James Moss & Co., Bordeaux; or Fisher & Biner, Schusselkorf, No. 8 Bremen; or Charley & Malouin, Belfast; or James Scott & Co., Queen's Quay, London; or James A. Allen, 70 Great Clyde street, Glasgow; or Allan Brothers, James Street, Liverpool; or Allan, Rae & Co., Quebec; or Allan & Co., 72 LaSalle street, Chicago; or H. Bourlier, Toronto; or Love & Alden, 207 Broadway, New York; or 298 Washington street, Boston; or G. W. Robinson, 126 St. James street, opposite St. Lawrence Hall.

1 India street, Portland, 86 State street, Boston, and 27 Common street, Montreal. March 10, 1885.