mourning has caused no considerable stir trade.

ravages of the Cholera have placed so thousands of families in mourning, that the general adoption of the sable habit is comively unperceived.

numerous—almost daily—Cabinet Coun- held within the last three weeks have, as a r of course, given rise to all kinds of specu- s as to the future policy of the Ministry, rumours of its modification are freely circu- According to the *Standard*, the Marquis nsdowne, Lord John Russell, and Viscount nerston, threaten to retire, unless their col- ues will consent to a virtual re-enactment of Corn Laws, by the imposition of a moderate d duty on the importation of foreign Wheat. this as it may, the odds are increasing every that Free Trade will explode. Mr. Cobden l soon have to draw his calico round him, and , like Cæsar, never to rise again. There is n a probability of Lord John being his Brutus. The *United Service Gazette* is horrified by the rmation—which it believes to be "too true" hat extensive reductions are contemplated in e Army and Navy.

Then, again, it is asserted that the Turkish estion is not quite settled, that the Autocrat nsiders the entrance of the British fleet into the rdanelles as an infraction of existing treaties, d that the difficulty consists in pacifying the mperor, and preserving our honour at the same me.

Canada, like Ireland, is just now a "great diffi- lty," and has, I have reason to believe, seriously ccupied the attention of the Cabinet. There is, owever, one rumour to which I attach some redit.

It is said that Earl Grey is about to resign the Seals of the Colonial Office, and it is quite certain hat there are only two Members of the Cabinet —Sir G. Grey and Sir C. Wood, both his Lord- hip's relations—who would interpose a word to revent so wise and necessary a determination.

I have only to point to the present unsatisfac- ory state of Canada, the Cape, the West Indies, nd New South Wales, to show that Earl Grey is bungling, self-willed, and incapable Minister; nd, as a partisan in the Upper House, he not un- requently damages the cause he wishes to advo- cate.

Amidst all these reports one curious fact has escaped—I allude to the abandonment of Free Trade principles by the Duke of Bedford. This has been currently reported in political circles for some weeks past, but has not before attracted public notice. If correct, and there is little rea- son to doubt it, it must have great weight with the Whig portion of the landed interest, who never had any sincere attachment to the new theory, and who only supported it because it was a Ministerial measure.

Sir Robert Peel has lately paid a mysterious visit to the Head of the house of Russell, at Wo- burn Abbey. Whether the ex-Premier went as a peace-maker, or to give his advice, matters very little.

The Ministry is doomed, and its dissolution is purely a question of time. It has literally no support out of the Legislature, and it is utterly impossible to get up a feeling in its favour in the country. At the same time I should not be sur- prised if it were temporarily replaced by a more Radical Government.

Besides the Free Traders proper, there is Sir R. Peel and his staff, together with many of the re- gular supporters of the present Cabinet, who might assist in its formation.

It does not follow that Lord John Russell's re- signation would be a summons for Lord Stanley to assume his place.

I had almost forgotten to mention that the Right Hon. Fox Maule, Secretary at War, who lately became a member of the Cabinet, is desig- nated at the Clubs as the successor of Earl Grey at the Colonial Office. The hon. member for Perth is a man of business habits, and that is, I believe, all that can be said in his favor.

Lord A. Lennox, a Protectionist, has been elect- ed for Shoreham, without opposition, Sir J. Shel- ley, the Whig candidate, having prudently retired from a hopeless contest.

Two great Protectionist meetings were held last week. The first, at Reigate, consisted of the men of Surrey and Kent, with Earl Stanhope as the principle speaker; the other, at Newport Pagnell, where Mr. D'Israeli shone with his usual bril- liancy. These leaders represent the two great divisions of the party, and although the ends they seek are identical, the modes by which they pro- pose to arrive at are different. Lord Stanhope- ering the rapidity with which ruin is overtaking the agriculturists and others dependant on the land, is for restoring Protection at once; Mr. D'Israeli proposes, first, to re-impose moderate import duties, and with the proceeds to form a sinking fund to pay off the National Debt. He also contends for the equalization of the Land Tax, and the transfer of local taxation to the Con- solidated Fund. The *Times* calls the Protectionist activity a "*furore*," or "unaccountable phenom- ena." The Counties are represented as having lost their senses. They ought to be considered rather, as having come to their senses

Alison, the historian, is assailed for his Philipic of "Free Trade at its Zenith," in the last number of *Blackwood*—which puts the *Times* out of breath.

The great Smithfield Cattle Club exhibition commenced on Tuesday morning in the immense Bazaar in Baker Street, Portman Square, and to look upon the jolly countenances of the agricul- turists, who have journeyed to town to feast their eyes upon the fine specimens of breeding and feed- ing, which the cattle, sheep, and pigs, unquesti- onably display, one would suppose that the wail of agricultural distress was a gigantic imposture. But if you talk quietly with the farmers, you find them unanimous in declaring that it would be im- possible for them to exist on present prices. They, however, for the most part, entertain a lively hope that better days are in store for them, and that wheat cannot long be so low as 5s. a bushel; and the crowded stalls of the Bazaar show very dis- tinctly that the spirit of emulation is rife as ever with the graziers and the tillers of the soil.

The privations of the laboring classes continue to be brought to light by the three "Commis- sioners" of the *Morning Chronicle*, and a disposi- tion to ameliorate the condition of the sufferers has been manifested in influential quarters. Lord Ashley and Mr. Sidney Herbert have taken up the cause of the poor needle-women, and have put forth a plan for assisting the thousands, whose labors are badly requited, because their services are not required, to emigrate to our distant Colo- nies, where their services are required, and will be fairly remunerated. The benevolent scheme will, perhaps, be taken up by Government, and in the meantime subscriptions to a considerable amount, from private individuals, have already been re- ceived.

The Returns of the Board of Trade, issued on the 1st instant, continue to represent our export trade as increasing. In the month ending the 5th November, there has been an increase in the ex- ports, as compared with the corresponding period last year, of 1,000,000 sterling; the increase in the first ten months of the present year, as com- pared to the same period in 1848, is £9,200,000; while contrasted with 1846 and 1847, there is likewise an excess of nearly £4,000,000. Mr. Fonblanque, of the *Examiner*, who superintends the abridgment of these Returns, would, I think, add materially to the value of the information, by giving the quantity as well as the value of the ex- ports. Some idea of the prices obtained by our exports, either in money or in goods, would then be afforded. As the matter stands, we learn that the money value of exported goods has increased 20 per cent. since last year; but the *quantity* of goods sent out, there can be no doubt, considerably exceeds this ratio, and, as it is, the price obtained for commodities, as well as the quantity sold, that indicates the gain resulting from the business transacted. I cannot, I must confess, look upon these Returns as complete proofs of the improved condition of our commerce.

The death of the Earl of Carnarvon took place on Monday, and was not unexpected, the noble Peer having been seriously indisposed for some time past. As Lord Porchester, in the lifetime of his father, the deceased nobleman, was a promi- nent member of the House of Commons, and one of the most talented and uncompromising oppo- nents of the Reform Bill, Lord Carnarvon was also favorably known as an author. The death of his Lordship will diminish by one the Protectionist majority in the House of Lords—his son and suc- cessor, the present Earl, being a minor. I have also to announce the death of Ebenezer Elliott, the "Corn Law Rhymer," which took place on the 1st December.

Although Boz does not figure this year in the list of Christmas authors, the literature for this season is varied, and not devoid of attraction. First, we have a novelty from the pen of Thackeray, who is just recovered from a severe attack of ill- ness; then the re-publication of Mr. *Pips his Diary*, from the pages of *Punch*. Lea has also an- nounces a comic series in the vein of the rising generation; and we have one or two Christmas books, from the pens of aristocratical ladies. The theatres, too, are all excitement, for their harvest time is coming on.

The statement that the dispute between Russia and Turkey was altogether settled appears to have been untrue. The original proposition has indeed been abandoned, but, in lieu of it, the Czar makes two new demands, which are likely to lead to long and important negociations. These demands are rendered doubly obnoxious by the harsh and arbitrary terms in which they are couched. Rus- sia, we are told, insists on her demand for the re- moval of Bem and the other renegades from the frontier, on their being excluded from active ser- vice, and on their being kept and treated as prison- ers. The reply of the Porte to this note is sim- ple and firm. The Porte declares that the per- sons in question, by embracing the Mahomedan Faith, have not only become entitled to Turkish protection, but that they are now Turkish sub- jects, and that the Porte, as an independent Power, has an exclusive jurisdiction over them. This reply was at once made known to the Russian and Austrian Ambassadors. Baron Titow, the representative of Russia, received his copy of the note, with the following remarks:—"The Polish refugees are not to be removed; they are to be expelled. We must insist upon this expression being made use of in the decrees, notes, and pub- lications of the Porte. We must insist on the ex- pulsion of those Poles who have passports from other states, as soon as Russia shall have con- vinced those States, and the Porte itself, of the revolutionary intrigues of which those Poles were guilty in Russia. Bem and the other renegades must be confined and strictly guarded. The lat- ter is a condition on which the Court of St. Peters- burgh *must* insist." Baron Titow declined to for- ward to his Court the reply of Turkey, unless these remarks were received into it. The Turk- ish Government declared that these demands were inadmissable, and the note, accompanied by M. de Titow's remarks, was sent to Fuad Effendi, with instructions to that Diplomatist to endeavor to reconcile the Emperor Nicholas to the non- acceptance of his Envoy's remarks, and the de- mands of Russia. The Austrian Minister, M. Sturmer, taking his cue from Russia, has declined to enter into diplomatic negociations with the Porte; so that the parties in the quarrel are re- stored to the positions occupied at the outset. It is hoped that France and England will sustain the Porte in its honorable refusal, the result of which is, of course, doubtful. Both Turkey and Russia are preparing for the worst.

Prussia and Austria are still at issue with re- gard to the new German Parliament, against which the latter power protests, declaring "that should disturbances, in Germany, and discord re- sult from the Convocation of Parliament at Erfurt, she will interfere for the restoration of order." In this matter Russia again appears as the ally of Austria, having echoed her intentions in a "confidential" note to the Court of Berlin. This probability of intervention explains why Russia keeps on foot some 200,000 men so near her Polish frontier. Another rumor pointing to possible hostilities between the German Powers, is that of an Austrian armed intervention in Saxony. The Saxon Chambers have declared themselves in favor of the Prussian scheme of Confederation—the Saxon Government against it—and the latter, it is said, have applied to Aus- tria for the same questionable sort of service, which that Power has so recently received from Russia, against its Hungarian subjects. Austrian troops are being concentrated in Bohemia and Cracow. Most of this intelligence has at present no other vouchers than mere report; but it is such as is naturally enough propagated in the present internal crisis of Germany, and in the avowed opposition of interest and opinion between its two principal Powers. It may be doubted whether Austria, without money and without popularity, would be rash enough to commence hostilities against the Northern German League, of which Prussia is the head. On the other hand, it must be borne in mind that Russia—which is evidently prompting Austria in this new quarrel—has no concern for its ultimate bearings on Austria, provided Russian influence is extended and strengthened in Europe.

There is no intelligence worth noting from either France or Italy. The immediate return of the Pope to the Vatican appears to be far from certain.

BIRTH.

On Saturday, the 29th December, at Milncraig Cottage, Carillon, the lady of Captain FRANCIS TRUELOW CUNINGHAME, of a daughter.

MARRIED.

At Christ Church, by the Rev. Dr. Bethune, Rector, on Wednesday, the 26th ultimo, Miss ANN RICE, third daughter of Mr. W. RICE, Wire Worker, to JOHN MACNOW, Esquire, both of this city.

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MONTREAL, 31st December, 1849.

To Colonel GUGY:

SIR,—A publication has appeared in the *Montreal Gazette* of this morning, purporting to be a Report of the Proceedings of a Meeting of the League, held at Mack's Hotel on Saturday evening last. Your friends complaining of it, as being unfair and unjust to you, it is because I think I know, and can assign, the reason of that injustice that I now address you.

I am, as you know, the Plaintiff in a suit against Mr. Ferres, one of the Proprietors and Editor of the *Montreal Gazette*, which suit you conduct as my Attorney. You did not undertake to do so, however, until you had made every at- tempt in your power to bring about an amicable settlement. Yet Mr. Ferres has conceived against you great personal animosity; and I affirm that, about the period of the commencement of the suit, he threatened to be revenged on you, and he said that he would ruin you by means of the paper.

Conductors of newspapers have so much power, and it is so difficult to contend against them, that I feel it to be my duty to give you my testimony for publication.

I have the honor to be,
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Your obedient servant,
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5,000	"	"	"	Tennessee.
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LOTTERIES FOR JANUARY 1850!

Date.	Capital Prize.	No. of Ballots.	Tk'ts.	Price of Whole	Price of Qrs.
Jan. 1,	$20,000	75 Nos. 12 drawn,	$ 5,	$17 50	
Jan. 2,	30,000	78 Nos. 13 drawn,	10,	32 50	
Jan. 3,	25,000	78 Nos. 13 drawn,	5,	17 50	
Jan. 4,	18,000	75 Nos. 14 drawn,	5,	16 25	
Jan. 5,	30,000	75 Nos. 12 drawn,	10,	32 50	
Jan. 7,	26,000	78 Nos. 13 drawn,	8,	25 00	
Jan. 8,	22,000	78 Nos. 13 drawn,	5,	17 50	
Jan. 9,	35,000	75 Nos. 11 drawn,	10,	32 50	
Jan. 10,	22,500	78 Nos. 14 drawn,	5,	17 50	
Jan. 11,	15,000	75 Nos. 14 drawn,	4,	13 00	
Jan. 12,	50,000	78 Nos. 12 drawn,	15,	57 00	
Jan. 14,	15,000	66 Nos. 12 drawn,	8,	23 00	
Jan. 15,	20,000	75 Nos. 12 drawn,	5,	17 50	
Jan. 16,	35,000	78 Nos. 16 drawn,	10,	30 00	
Jan. 17,	3 of 10,000	72 Nos. 13 drawn,	5,	16 00	
Jan. 18,	18,000	78 Nos. 13 drawn,	5,	17 50	
Jan. 19,	27,500	75 Nos. 12 drawn,	10,	32 50	
Jan. 21,	20,000	78 Nos. 13 drawn,	8,	27 50	
Jan. 22,	24,000	75 Nos. 12 drawn,	5,	17 50	
Jan. 23,	34,000	75 Nos. 12 drawn,	10,	32 50	
Jan. 24,	20,000	78 Nos. 12 drawn,	5,	17 50	
Jan. 25,	10,000	66 Nos. 13 drawn,	4,	11 00	
Jan. 26,	60,000	78 Nos. 12 drawn,	20,	70 00	
Jan. 28,	27,500	75 Nos. 11 drawn,	8,	27 50	
Jan. 29,	18,000	78 Nos. 12 drawn,	5,	17 50	
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NOTICE.

THURSDAY NEXT, January 3, being a DAY of THANKSGIVING, appointed by Proclamation, no business will be transacted at this Institution.

All Notes or Bills due on that day, must be paid on the day preceding, in conformity with an Act passed in the last Session, viz., 12 Victoria, chap. 22.

By order,

B. H. LEMOINE,
Cashier.

Montreal, Jan. 1, 1850. 40

NOTICE.

THURSDAY next, the 3rd of JANUARY, having been appointed a day of GENERAL THANKSGIVING, by His Excellency the GOVERNOR-GENERAL, will be observed as a HOLYDAY at the various BANKS represented by us.

All NOTES and BILLS maturing on that Day must be paid on the DAY PREVIOUS.

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Montreal, 29th December, 1849. 39

COMMERCIAL BANK, M. D.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that a DIVIDEND of THREE PER CENT., upon the CAPITAL STOCK of the INSTITUTION, has THIS DAY been declared, for the HALF YEAR ending 31st DECEMBER next, payable at the BANK, its OFFICES, and AGENCIES, on and after the SECOND day of JANUARY, 1850.

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By order of the Board,

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Kingston, 29th November, 1849. 39

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Montreal, Dec. 12, 1849. 51

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E. LAMONTAGNE,
Sec. & Tres.

Montreal, Jan. 2, 1850. 40

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December 21. 35

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500 cases Superior Old Bottled Wines

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