are collecting on the frontiers, and are treated with great kindness by the Turks.

PRUSSIA and THE GERMAN STATES.

The German Moniteur, of the 5th instruction between Lord Durham and the Whig government; and his generously aided the attempt. He could afford to do it; publishes the names of the Members of State named by the Government. A formal protest was entered by the Consul of these who knew him than his slowness to give un hope in Lord Brougham. are collecting on the frontiers, and are mal protest was entered by the Consul of the Administration, against Hanover, for withdrawing from the alliance of the 26th May. A Dunish war frigate and a bark

MISCELLANEOUS. The steamer City of Glusgow will sail from Glasgow, for New York, on the 9th. The Bishon of Exeter has been defeated. in his contest with the Rev. Mr. Gorham.

have been seen cruising off Bolk.

LAST DAYS OF LORD DURYAM.

(BY HARRIET MARTINEAU.)

"It was on a fine September day, on by his countenance more than by words—that all was over—that their great senter-prise was ruined. When they sat down consultation, that adviser and friend would fain have persuaded himself and others that all was not over. That this was the result of an intrigue was to them clear. The Ministers and Lord Dutham had a deadly enemy, who had given notice of what they migh expect, when he declared that he burled defiance at Lord Melbourne's head; and Lord Meibourne and his com head; and Lord Me-bourne and his come rades dared not withstand his enemy even white the first lawyers in the coupie disagreed as to whether the Ordinance of Lord Durham was legal or illegal. What Sir John Colborne had done was approved or passed over and when in a most critical difficulty which Sir J. Colborne should never have thrown upon him, Lord Durham used powers which Sir J. Colborne had used without question, his watchful enemy land to the south of Europe for his_health; but he found himself so ill at Dover that he twend aside to Cowes, where he became to weak to leave his couch. Even then, used powers which Sir J. Colborne had used without question, his watchful enemy scized his opportunity to scare his friends to weak to leave his couch. Even then, and when he was unable to take any nour ishment but a little fruit, there was so Durbam was to blame in not having furnished the government et home with sufficient documentary material fee his defence. best could not but believe that much work yet lay between him and the grave; but on a high prize of success in retrieving the colony, and forming a new and sound colonial rystem. But he soon saw that Lord Durtham was right in proposing to return. The Governor General had no health for such a struggle as this must now have been. Governor General had no health for such a bird gray; but she followed bird in a fcw months, leaving their young son to emulate the virtues of his parents as such unequalled difficulties; and death in the midet of the work was only too prophable. Again—the colony was still in too retires ad uncettled a late to be received.

so that the packet could be thrown on board. He met honours in abundance, however, on his landing, and all the way to London—crowded public meetings—ad-dresses—escorts—every token of confidence and attachment that could cheer his heart There was great joy throughout the liberal party when his first words at the Devenport meeting were known. They referred to his "declarations to the people of Scotland in 1834" as his present creed. But he dis-appointed the liberals by his magnanimous determination to devote himself to the retrieval of Canada, and to listen to nothing else till that was effected. Lady Durham

ness to give up hope in Lord Brougham, and his quickness in seizing on favourable explanations, of doubtful conduct. He now required of his friends silence in both Houses about his quarrel; and kept silence himself. While the newspapers of all parties were commenting on the weakness of the Whige, and teclaring they could not remain in power beyond Easter at the furthest'—(a curious hit as to date)—Lord Durham devoted himself only the more to the support of a ministry which, with all its sin and weakness, professed a liberal tits in and weakness, professed a liberal ts sins and weakness, professed a liberal policy. He was eoon joined by his coadju-tors from Canada, and they worked to-gether at the celebrated Report. There was more cavel about small circumstances on the publication of the Report—worthy of mention only as showing how he was betrayed when relied on the 'cordial support of friends, and the 'generous forbestance' of opponents. Much of his time and labour was devoted to the instruction of his successor, Mr. C. Poulett Thomson—st terwards Lord Sydenham—who wisely re solved to adopt the Durham policy with the u most completeness. Many bours every day were spent in consultation and preparations of measures; and to good purpose.— Not only were Lord Durham's plans all adopted by Lord Sydenham, but his own best measures were planned in Lord Dur-ham's house in London, prepared for intro-duction in Canada, and the agents informed and instructed. These duties done, but few months of life remained to the baffled Statesman. When he could give informa-

murder of Dr. Parkman was read in Court on the 19th in Boston, and then Mr. Ciff-ford, Attorney General, addressed the jus-in a deliberate and solemn manner, confinden... "He held to his work to the last. On the night before his departure," a Proclamation settled the right of squatters on Crown Lands. As he went down to the harbour, crowde stretched as far as the eye ted the deed. Mr. Clifford concluded a few minutes past past ten o'clock, and the Court could see—every head uncovered, and not a sound but of the carriages. This deep silence of sympathy moved him strongly: and Government to retire. Fourteen peremphe believed that this was his last sight of torce of the control of the carriages. he believed that this was his last sight of an assemblage of men; for he had no to idea that he could reach England alive.—
As the frigate, the Inconstant, was slowly towed out of the harbour, heavy snow clouds seemed to sink and settle upon her, while over the water came the sound of the cannon which installed his successor.—

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The successor of the successor Those of his Council who remained behind to clear off a rears of business, were alarmed, during their sad and silent dinner, by a report of fire on board the frigate; and a fire there was rbut it was presently extinguished. There was no intermission of storms up to the moment of landing at Plymoth, on the 1st moment of landing at Plymoth, on the 1st December. While the ship was in herbour there, the weather was so buil-terous that there was difficulty to the countries of the court and took his so buil-terous that there was difficulty to the countries of the court and took his reasonable to the prisoner entered the Court and took his reasonable to the dock—he exhibited the same other Districts were availing themselves of the Q icen's messengers in finding any seagoers who would undertake to convey on board the luconstant the packet of orders to land Lord Dutham without the honours. It was done by a boat being allowed to drive. The examination of witnesses then the continued on Monday.— It proceeded.

THE SPRING BUSINESS.

The Toledo Blade, commenting on the business of next season, says—"We do not wish to indulge in gloomy speculations on the subject of the Spring business, but we cannot be insensible to a fact so painfully apparent as that which now stares our commercial men in the face. The late foreign advices are very unfavorable as to corn-almost amounting to a prohibition as a very substantial reason for not entering into business for a few days, we have had all sorts of

depend for an active Spring trade. There is nothing to encourage the belief that the foreign demand will greatly improve. Our market must, in consequence, be limited, and controlled by the home demand and home prices. Farmers will hold on for bethome prices. Farmers will hold on for bet-ter markets, and but little of the crop will come forward. Our boats will find but little to do. Never have we known a season which opened so unpromisingly. Fortu-nately the winter along our lines has been favorable for the wheat crop, and if this concontinue good, it is not improbable that we may have a very active season of fall busi-

MEETING of PARLIAMENT

We are authorized to state that ture.-[Globe, 28th March.



HURON SIGNAL.

THURSDAY, APRIL 4, 1850.

THE COMING SESSION. Tuy Provincial Parliament is to meet on the 14th of next month for the dispatch of business, members of the Cabinet pretends to know any- under-current in every little community, in the chances are, therefore, against us; and, as we lent rumors to their proper source. We must have no ambition to carn the reputation of a false however, crave the indulgence of our readers a phophet, we forbear guessing, entirely. Besides, present, while we not only notice, but contrawe are aware that our hints wishes and supposi- dict in the most emphatic manner, one of thes

trieval of Canada, and to listen to nothing else till that was effected. Lady Durham upon shipping it from the seabord.— Road speculations. But, although we are aware immediately on her return resigned her. This is the article upon which we mainly of this fact, we are also aware that gold, silver being in gaol: about the dismissal of Judge.

and Bank Bills form no part of a good Road. It Acland and the app is generally formed of wood, stone or gravel, and these we possess in abundance. In particular, we believe there are few Districts in which beg leave to remark that, although Judge Adams. good gravel can be procured at less expense than it can be along the leading roads of the Counties of Toronto, being one great Tory would not be were out of office to-morrow. Those sett, the importance which is attached to furnous and Perth. Labor is, therefore, the capital required to make good Roads in these Counties, and we would assuredly think little of the man who would tell us that we cannot supply the labour. We feel satisfied that there is scarcely one Farmer in the United Counties who, with his team, could not afford to work five pounds worth of labor on the roads, throughout the course of the year; and this amount of labor would make our leading Roads equal to any in the Province. Now, it must be understood that this labors of far from being bestowed by the Farmer, will be paid to him in full, in the course of avery few years, and that he will receive annually, a fair-rate of interest on his outley. It is thus certain, that exclusive of the incalculable satisfaction and comfort of travelling on good Roads, the insportance which is attached to live the different nature. If, however, we join with some is condemning threading the double the present should promise to double the present sharpy! In the second place, we beg leave to remark that, all these rumors, or rather, lies, have emanated from the same common source, and the third place, we beg leave to remark that, all the fact, that the People desire Retreachment, and if the Government went to the fact, that the People desire Retreachment, and if the Government want to the fact, that the People desire Retreachment, and if the Government want to the fact, that the People desire Retreachment, and if the Government want to the fact, that the People desire Retreachment, and if the Government want to the fact, that the People desire Retreachment, and if the Government want to the fact, that the People desire Retreachment, and if the Government want to the fact, and the fact, that the People desire Retreachment, and if the Government want to the fact, and if the Government want to the fact, and the fact, that the People desire Retreachment, and if the Government want to the fact, and if the Governm the Provincial Parliament will a very few years, and that he will receive annumeet for the despatch of business ally, a fair rate of interest on his outlay. It is thus on the 14th May. An official prorogation to the 3rd May will isfaction and comfort of travelling on good Ronds, appear in the GAZETTE, but this and the wast saving of time, teams and carriages, arises from there being more than profit. On this principle of putting in labor as 40 days between the last day profor the meeting of the Legisla- be required, merely to purchase the proper tools or implements of labor; and we feel confident that five times that sum can be raised from the merchants, tradesmen and gentlemen of Goderich and Stratford. We forbear entering into particular calculations, or urging any farther renarks on the subject at present, as we under stand that a prospectus for making a gravel road from Goderich to the Cliaton Arms Inn, is about to be issued, and will contain calculations and stimates that may be depended on-and we trust the inhabitants of the United Counties, and the farmers in particular, will consider the subject with the interest and attention to which it is entitled.

SLANDER

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difficulties of the United Counties were mad from the best of motives, and were suggested by FREE TRADE, DIRECT TAXATION, what we considered to be very serious and disagreeable facts. Our views are now before the inhabitants, we are very sorry that we cannot conscientiously contradict them, but we shall be extremely well pleased if, at the end of the preparation amongst the various countries of the earth, for entering into the lists as comagreeable facts. Our views are now before the

The necessity for retrenchment in Gov-

From the Brantford Herald.

extremely well pleased if, at the end of the present year, Mr. Smith's views shall turn out to be correct, and it shall be discovered that our "facts" were fictions.

If We are pleased to understand that the Goderich Lodge of the Independent Order of Odd Fellows has again revived and come into active operation—that a number of new members have been added to the society, that the funds are in a flourishing condition, and that a Benevolent Ball for the benefit of the Widows and Orphans belonging to the Institution, will take place about the middle of next month.

If The Court of General Quarter Sessions and the County Court opened on Tuesday. As usual the criminal calander was a blank, and the Judicial wisdom of their Worships will seeming by be allowed to rust for lack of exercise. There are two or three vexatious cases in the County Court, but, as a whole, the business is light and will probably be closed this evening.

The necessity for retrenchment in Government in Government in Government in Government of the earth, for entering into the lists as competitions for the prizes which are to be awarded to the victors, in the great though bloodless fight, between the nations, which is to take place, next year, with England for the battle field,—at the present moment, when the unest powerful and enlightened for the battle field,—at the present moment, when the unest powerful and enlightened for the battle field,—at the present moment, when the unest powerful and enlightened for the battle field,—at the victors, in the great though bloodless fight, between the nations, which is to take place, next year, with England for the battle field,—at the victors, in the great though bloodless fight, between the nations, which is to take place, next year, with England for the battle field,—at the victors, in the great though bloodless fight, between the nations, which is to take place, next year, with England for the battle field,—at the present moment, when the unest powerful and enlightened and of active operation—at the une larger share of liberality in their transact that would be so low tempt. Public confidence extended to such an u

necessary, and the people of free from bardens of every his world the spectacle of a peoposessed of the very best synthe whole expense of which tolls collected on their public be thought to be sanguine, being the same of the country from having free true there are many others, of which we will now allade the advantages to be read inviting the world to visit he are the example in liberal thus set, the great impetitive to the free manufactures, the induces the dealers that would visit her encouragement which free manufactures, the induces then held out to immigran which would then be gives gress and reform, by provinciples, and by leading ing a direct tax, to equire the manufactures, the manufactures the inducent of space competing a direct tax, to equire the manufactures in which the remarks rather abruptly, good one, and we will ere ry, and the people of m bardens of every k We cannot but agree cotemporaries, who com

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FIRE IN

A fire broke out ut 7 o'clock, in ings in west Woo Blacksmith's Sho shops, occupied b Frazer. The nigh gress of the flame efforts to save eith entirely unavailing and Hook and lad scene of configra effectually proved discipline. They attempt to save tioned was hope turned their atten the adjoining but separated from th Street, and were ger of being des leeward of the f was effected, wit deal of personal
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Mr. Murray

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