

and France alone, will possess all that remains of Napoleon. His tomb, like his glory, will belong only to his country. The monarchy of 1830 is in effect the only legitimate heir of all those remembrances of which France is proud to boast. It undoubtedly belonged to that monarchy, which was the first that rallied all her strength and conciliated all the wishes of the French Revolution, to raise and honor the statue and tomb of a popular hero; for there is one thing, and one only, which bears no comparison with glory; this is liberty.

The reading of this speech was followed by loud tokens of approval. Several Deputies were sensibly affected, M. Emmanuel le Bas burst into tears.

Thomas Maitland, Esq., of the Scotch bar, is to be the new Solicitor General for Scotland.

CHURCH PASTORAL AID SOCIETY.

The anniversary meeting of this society was held on Tuesday, in the large room in Exeter Hall, London, when they were a numerous and most respectable assemblage of ladies and gentlemen. Among other supporters of the institution on the platform were the Marquis of Cholmondeley Lord Ashley, M. P. the Right Rev. the Lord Bishops of Chester, Ripon, Norwich, and Lichfield, the Venerable Archdeacon Wilberforce, Mr. Chancellor Raikes, &c. Lord Ashley, took the chair, and in an appropriate speech, expressed his gratification at the progress the Society had made, and the amount of benefit of which, although only five years in existence, it had already been productive. The secretary then read the report of the committee, from which it appeared that the receipts during the past year were £16,176, being an increase of £5,753 upon the year preceding. To the list of clergy subscribing, 200 names had been added, and 37 auxiliary associations had been formed, to which 22 clergymen had given their services as corresponding members. Grants had been made to 76 incumbents, having the charge of 534,000 souls, besides which a grant of £470 had been made towards the building of churches and chapels. Altogether, £29,707 was brought annually by the society to the service of the church of England and 196 clergymen and 36 lay assistants supported in their labours at a cost of £17,854 per annum. The aggregate amount of population thus benefited was estimated at as many as 2,000,000. The Bishop of Chester moved the adoption of the report, which being seconded by the Bishop of Lichfield, was carried unanimously. The Rev. Hugh Stowell and the Rev. Mr. Sinclair next addressed the meeting, after which a vote of thanks was given to the noble chairman, and the meeting separated.—*Morning Herald.*

There have been no fewer than 4,800 persons who have taken their departure for America during the last six weeks, from the port of Drogheda. It is supposed that each individual takes with him 30 sovereigns. In that case £100,000 in specie must have disappeared.

It is stated that there are now in Dublin, no fewer than 60,000 puncheons of Whiskey, the property of large distillers. The celebrated John Power, Esq., the most extensive and probably the most wealthy distiller in Ireland, is, it is understood, taking measures to close his extensive concerns. Honor to Father Matthew!

A new mode of forming musket balls by machinery, instead of casting them, has been invented, and the process has been adopted by the Board of Ordnance, at Woolwich.

Her Majesty has given to his Royal Highness Prince Albert a regiment—the 11th Light Dragoons—already honoured by bearing the prince's name.

Sir John Franklin, the traveller, has

resigned his office of Governor General of Van Diemen's Land.

Captains Smith and Elliott, when walking on shore one day, near Chumpee, were nearly taken by a number of Chinese soldiers, had not their swift retreat and the guns from the Queen's cutter bearing upon their pursuers saved them.

It appears by the Exposé of the Chancellor of the Exchequer, there is a deficit, including loss on postage, &c. of £2,500,000 in the year's Revenue, which he proposes making up by an addition of 10 per cent. on the Customs, Excise, and Miscellaneous.

THE ROYAL GEORGE.—The operations on the wreck of the *Royal George*, under the superintendence of Col. Pasley, have been carried on with much activity during the week, and a great quantity of the wreck, &c., has been got up by the divers. On Monday an iron 32-pounder with the carriage complete and in good preservation, was recovered; and on Tuesday the rudder was brought up, covered with copper, the top and bottom of it only being worm-eaten. The brass braces are perfect, but the pintles were broken off. Part of the transom, with a port hole, has also been got up; the wood is much decayed, but the iron knees (which are more massive than those used in ship-building in the present day) are in a more perfect state than could have been expected. Friday another iron 32-pounder, with the carriage also complete was recovered by Hiram London, the diver.—*Hampshire Telegraph.*

The Thames Tunnel is expected to be completed by the beginning of 1841.

Sunderland continues to be the most extensive ship-building port in England. There were 150 ships built there last year, and there are 128 building at present.

Accounts from Canton to the 3d of February, have been received by an arrival at New York. Mr. Gribble, on whose account Canton was blockaded by the British, having been released, the blockade was immediately raised. Mr. G. is stated to have been treated with unusual kindness by the Chinese authorities. It was expected by some that the other causes of dispute would yet be amicably arranged.

The Steam ship *Acadia*. Another of those large steam ships intended for the Halifax station, named the *Acadia*, came up the Clyde from Port Glasgow on Sunday morning, and now occupies the berth which was previously filled by the *Britannia*. This splendid vessel is intended as a consort to the *Britannia*, and is of the same proportions as that vessel. She was built by Mr. John Wood, of Port Glasgow. The engines are in the course of erection by Mr. Robert Napier of the Vulcan Foundry. *Scottish Standard.*

More Tiltng. The sports of the tilt yard are about to be revived this season, it being the intention of the Earl of Eglington and a number of his friends to renew the jousts of last year. The spot selected for the amusement is the ground adjoining the Park hotel at Norwood, which will be taken by the noble earl for the headquarters of the tourney. *Doncaster Chron.*

The latest news from Arracan, is, that the Burmese, with 15,000 men (muskets) are at the Sungyoch Pass, in a threatening position.

There is a rumour of an expedi-

tion being contemplated by Scoth-Soojsh against Herat, where his authority is still held as though by Prince Kufra. *Banbury Times, March 30th.*

The Star.

WEDNESDAY, JULY 8, 1840.

On Wednesday last the Hon. and Right Reverend Dr. SPENCER, the Bishop of this Diocese, arrived at this Town in the Yacht belonging to Dr. WILLIAM STIRLING. His Lordship was accompanied by his Chaplain (the Rev. C. BLACKMAN), and the Rev. G. A. ADDISON, A.B. At the landing place, the Rector of the Parish, accompanied by the leading members of the Church, greeted His Lordship with a welcome; which was responded to by the whole community, as the intelligence rapidly spread itself through the neighbourhood. The Bishop's appearance was very prepossessing, and we learn from every quarter, that up to the time of our writing, the predications are fully justified.

On Thursday evening the primary act of the Visitation took place in the Consecration of the Church, after which His Lordship preached a most eloquent sermon from part of the 4th verse of 17th chap. St. Matthew.—“It is good for us to be here.” and seldom we presume have so much piety and poetry been composed within the compass of a discourse. It must be a hard heart, we should imagine, that could resist the force of His Lordship's appeals. At the completion of the sermon a portion of land which has been added to the burial ground, was solemnly devoted by prayer and Episcopal usage as the sacred mortal resting place, of many who participated the solemnity. How impressive the reflection!

The Bishop was assisted at the ceremonial by four of the Clergy, the Churchwardens, and principal members of the Church. The scene was rendered yet more impressive, by the long and orderly procession of Sunday Scholars, who, (preceded by the young Ladies and Gentlemen, their conductors) accompanied the Bishop from the Rectory; and formed an interesting feature to the *coup d'œil*.

On Sunday morning the rite of Confirmation was administered to 153 persons, and at *Carbonear* in the afternoon 45 adults were likewise admitted to the imposition of hands. On both these occasions, as well as in the evening, the Bishop preached to crowded congregations.

It is worthy of remark that the respected Wesleyan Missionary and many of his congregation were present at the morning service at St. Paul's.

On Monday, as we are informed, our Diocesan, with his Chaplain, and the Rev. J. BURT, visited *Island* and *Bread and Cheese Coves*. At both these interesting settlements, the Bishop addressed congregations; administering the Lord's Supper at the former place, and Confirming 99 persons at the latter.

The Schools have not been forgotten by His Lordship,—and from the nature of his reply to an address, and the anticipations of what it will become our privilege to record respecting his valuable

interposition on the subject of genuine Education, are of the most genuine character. On this, and all the other high and important associations of a Protestant Episcopate we most heartily bid him God speed.

LAUNCH.—The *St. Fillans*, a new Brig belonging to Mr. Donnelly of *Spaniards Bay*, was launched last week amidst the cheers of some hundreds of spectators. The most accurate judges have pronounced her to be one of the finest pieces of workmanship they have ever seen. It is scarcely necessary to add, that the builders (the Messrs. KEARNEY'S) are Natives of this Island.

BY AUTHORITY.

HIS Excellency the GOVERNOR has been pleased to issue a Commission under the Great Seal of this Island constituting and appointing Hugh Alexander Emerson, Esquire. (Solicitor-General), and Bryan Robinson and Edward Mortimer Archibald, Esquires, (Barristers at Law,) to be Her Majesty's Commissioners to digest and prepare Bills, to be submitted to the consideration of the Legislature, for extending to this Colony such of the Criminal Laws of England as may be found best suited to its condition and circumstances.

Secretary's Office, 16th June, 1840.

—*Gaz.*, June 23.

On Sunday Morning last, the Lord Bishop of Newfoundland held a general Ordination at the Church of St. John in this town, when the Rev. Messrs. Addison, A. B. (Trinity College Cambridge) Wood, Howell, Boone, and Vicars (Trin. Coll. Dublin) were admitted to the Holy Order of the Priesthood. The Candidates were presented by the Rev. Charles Blackman, examining Chaplain, who, together with the Rev. T. F. H. Bridge, assisted His Lordship in the imposition of hands, and in administering the Holy Communion to the Clergy, and to the Officers of the Churches in this town. The ceremony throughout was exceedingly impressive; but we remarked, with much pain, that the Bishop suffered considerably in the performance of the sacred service. An eloquent discourse was delivered by the Rev. Geo. A. Addison on the scriptural authority and requirement of Episcopal Ordination, &c. which was listened to with deep attention by a crowded congregation. We understand Mr. Addison has been nominated the officiating Minister at St. Thomas's Church during the temporary absence of the Rev. C. Blackman, who attends His Lordship in his visitation to the Out-Missions of the Island.—*Gaz.*, June 30.

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On Sunday evening last, Mr. James Prendergast, an old and respectable inhabitant of this town; the deceased was in his 78th year, 54 of which he has spent in Harbor Grace, his funeral took place yesterday, and was numerously and respectably attended.

Ship News.

Port of Harbor Grace.

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July 7.—Lady Ann, Ryan, St. Andrews, 33 tons hardwood, timber,