On Tuesday, at Three o'clock P. M., His Excellency the Governor General proceeded in state to the Chamber of the Legislative Council in the Parliament Building. The Members of the Legislative Council being assembled, His Excellency was pleased to command the attendance of the Legislative Assembly, and that House being present, His Excellency opened the Fourth Session of the Third Parliament of the Province of Canada with the following Speech from the Throne :-

SPEECH:

In again meeting you for the discharge of our Legislative duties, it affords me much satisfaction to congratulate you on the general prosperity of the Province.

The crop of last year was abundant the revenue from Customs, and the traffic on the Provincial Canals, are steadily increasing; and the securities of the Province command a high price.

The effect of recent changes in the Im-

perial Navigation Law is also beginning alleged, however, by persons connected with the Shipping Interest, that certain provisions of the Immigration Act are unfavorable to the extension of to be felt in the more frequent resort of brafich of our Import Trade. The subject is an important one, and I recommend it to your consideration.

Under these favorable circumstances, the further improvement of the means of internal communication has recently en-gaged a large share of public attention.— joined to the County of York. In many parts of Western Canada, capital In many parts of Western Canada, capital has been applied extensively and with much advantage by persons interested in the several localities, and by others, to the construction of good country roads; and measures have been taken in both sections of the Province with the view of pressing of the Province with the view of pressing

forward important lines of Railway. Parliament has already given proof of its disposition to afford to undertakings of this description, which are calculated to be beneficial to the Province, such aid as can be properly given to them, without impairing the Provincial Credit, or encouraging improvident speculation. I feel confident that in any further legislation which you may see fit to adopt on this subject you will adhere to the principles of this judicious Policy.

A considerable increase in correspon-A considerable increase in correspondence has, I am happy to inform you, taken place since the new Postage Law came into operation. This fact, which furnishes conclusive proof of the advantage accruing to the community from the measure, warrants moreover the expectation that the receipts of the Department will before long recover from the depression and the Act regulating the formation of place for the meeting of Parliament; also, a bill to fix the time and place for the meeting of Parliament; also, a bill to fix the time and place for the meeting of Parliament; also, a bill to fix the time and place for the meeting of Parliament; also, a bill to fix the time and place for the meeting of Parliament; also, a bill to fix the time and place for the meeting of Parliament; also, a bill to fix the time and place for the meeting of Parliament; also, a bill to fix the time and place for the meeting of Parliament; also, a bill to fix the time and place for the meeting of Parliament; also, a bill to fix the time and place for the meeting of Parliament; also, a bill to fix the time and place for the meeting of Parliament; also, a bill to fix the time and place for the meeting of Parliament; also, a bill to fix the time and place for the meeting of Parliament; also, a bill to fix the time and place for the meeting of Parliament; also, a bill to fix the time and place for the meeting of Parliament; also, a bill to fix the time and place for the meeting of Parliament; also, a bill to fix the time and place for the meeting of Parliament; also, a bill to fix the time and place for the meeting of Parliament; also, a bill to fix the time and place for the meeting of Parliament; also, a bill to fix the time and place for the meeting of Parliament; also, a bill to fix the time and place for the meeting of Parliament; also, a bill to fix the time and place for the meeting of Parliament; also, a bill to fix the time and place for the meeting of Parliament; also, a bill to fix the time and place for the meeting of Parliament for the sion consequent on the adoption of greatly reduced rates of postage.

Under the operation of the measures which have been recently adopted by the Legislatures of the several North American Provinces, the intercolonial Trade is assuming proportions of increasing magnitude and promises to become a consimitude and promises to become a consimilation and promi nitude and promises to become a considerable branch of our industry. I shall lay before you a Despatch in which her Majesty's Principal Secretary of State for the Colonies submits for consideration a proposal for the construction of a railway between Halifax and Quebec or Montreal, which has an important bearing on treal, which has an important bearing on this subject.

has been so long pending between Canada and New Brunswick, has been productive of much inconvenience to both Provinces, and of no small hardship to those who are interested in the Territory which is the subject of conflicting claims. In accordance with a suggestion made by the Seminary and the subject of conflicting claims. In accordance with a suggestion made by the Seminary and the subject of conflicting claims. In accordance with a suggestion made by the Seminary and the subject of conflicting claims. In accordance with a suggestion made by the Seminary and the subject of conflicting claims. In accordance with a suggestion made by the Seminary and the subject of conflicting claims. In accordance with a suggestion made by the Seminary and the subject of conflicting claims. and New Brunswick, has been productive ance with a suggestion made by the Seance with a suggestion made by the Secretary of State, I requested the Lieutenant-Governor of New Brunswick to meet time here last autumn, with the view of arranging the details of a scheme of arbitration for the settlement of this question. The report of the arbitrators, who were The report of the arbitrators, who were appointed in pursuance of the agreement entered into at that time, by the Governments of the two Provinces, will, I have reason to believe, be presented at an early

With the concurrence of the Executive of this Province, permission has been granted by Her Majesty's Imperial Government to the Government of the United States to erect a Light House on the Horse Shoe Reef in the Niagara River at his remarks on the subject till the debate was reprove highly advantageous to the Shipping o'clock. that frequents those waters.

It is yet too early to speak with confidence of the results of the great Exhibition which is now being held in London.

From the reports which have reached me. From the reports which have reached me, however, I have reason to hope that Canadian produce and industry will be found for the final settlement of the Clergy Reserves. on this interesting occasion. Much credit is due to those who have exerted themselves for the promotion of this object Gentlemen of the Legislative Assembly.

I have received a communication from her Majesty's Principal Secretary of State for the Colonies, which I shall lay before you, intimating that her Majesty has been serves, which you entrusted to me for transmission last Session-and stating the views of Her Majesty's Imperial Government on the subject of that Address.

and Expenditure and the Estimates for the year, to be laid before you, and I rely on your making the necessary provision for the exigencies of the Public Service and others. They were respectively read a first and the maintenance of the Provincial time.

Honorable Gentlemen, and Gentlemen.

provided for by the Civil List Act of 1846, and I shall lay before you the correspondence which has passed between this Government and the Secretary of State on the subject.

I again recommend to your consideration the important subject of an increase in the Parliamentary Representation of

the Province. The expediency of amending the School and Municipal Laws of Eastern Canada in some of their details, with the view of securing in a more ample manner for that section of the Province the benefits which these enactments are designed to confer, will probably engage your attention.

As the Province advances in wealth and population, and the authority of the local Parliament is extended and confirmed, the Honorable Gentlemen of the Legislative responsibilities which attach to Members Council: Gentlemen of the Legislative of this Legislature become necessarily responsibilities which attach to Members more onerous. The people of Canada, while they justly appreciate the requirements of an age of progress, are attached to their institutions, and faithful to their early traditions, and I am confident that you will earnestly endeavor, in humble reliance on the Divine blessing, to promote in this spirit their best interests.

His Excellency having retired, a bill relating to Common Schools was read a first time.

The Speaker then read the Royal Speech, and it was ordered to be printed in English and French

—500 copies of each.
A Committee of Privileges and a Committee on

Journals of the House.

Ifon. Mr Do Blaquiere gave notice that he will, on Friday, move for a copy of the Charter for a College for the exclusive use of members of the Church of England, applied for by the Bishop of

Toronto.

Hon. Mr Irving handed in a petition from the

LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.

Tuesday, May 20.

session.

Mr Letellier, elected to represent Kamouraska,

Mr Letellier, elected to represent Kamourasha, took the oath, was introduced by Messrs Polette and Chaveau, and took his seat.

Mr W. L. Mackenzio was introduced by Messrs De Witt and Dr Smith, and took his seat for Hal-Mr H. J. Boulton gave notice that he will, or

Joint Stock Companies.

Mr H. Sherwood gave notice of an inquiry on the removal of the Seat of Government at the close of the present session; also, that he will introduce a Bill to repeal the Usury Laws in Upper

the Payment of Jurors.

Mr Ross rose to move an Address in answer to

The dispute respecting Boundary, which the Speech from the Throne, and was interrupted

Mr II. Sherwood, who rose on a point of order,

Sir A. N. Macnab suggested that the conside ration of the Address be adjourned to Friday.

Mr Baldwin said it might be adjourned to

moved accordingly.

Mr Morrison seconded the motion, reserving

Sir A. N. Macnab gave notice of his intentio

States.

Hon. Mr Robinson presented a petition from the Municipal Council of the County of Simcoe against any division of West Gwillimbury.

Mr Egan presented a petition for the improvement of the navigation of the Ottawa.

Hon. H. J. Price presented a polition for the repeal of the Railrond Guarantee Act.

Mr W. L. Mackenzie gave, notice of a motion to pleased to receive very graciously the bring in a bill to provide for the appointment of Address on the subject of the Clergy Reserves which you entrusted to me for

Mr Smith gave notice to incorporate the King-ston and Toronto Junction Railroad Company. Hon. J. H. Cameron introduced a bill to facil ernment on the subject of that Address.

I shall direct the accounts of Revenue bills for the further amendment of the crimina law-for the better administration of the estates of deceased persons—to compel the registration of

On the motion of the Hon. R. Baldwin, a select Honorable Gentlemen, and Gentlemen.

A measure will be submitted to you for measure will be submitted to you for mittees of the House.

effecting a reduction in certain charges The House adjourned at four o'clock.

ARRIVAL OF THE AFRICA:

The Africa arrived at New York yesterday; she left Liverpool on the, 10th furnish matter for many weeks debate, inst., and brings three days later news

from all parts of Europe.

Cotton declined & a &; sales of the week 32,700 bales; Consols 97 a 971 for noney on account, and varies in advance. LIVERPOOL MARKET, May 10 .- There s more activity in Flour and Grain market; Corn more saleable at improved tion, it may be, he supposes he will be able rates, with large quotations; White 33s. 6d. a 34s.; Yellow 30s. 6d.; Indian Meal dull and low.

Provisions .- Pork being scarce, transactions are limited; Lard has declined 2s. a 2s. 6d.

The Duke of Saldanha has been made President of the Council of the Ministry by the Queen of Portugal. The news arrived by electric telegraph, via Paris, the Pension List, when Ministers susthat the revolutionary movement is com-

We learn from Madrid, that the government, on the 1st inst., despatched a courier even to the principle of a measure until to Lisbon with new instructions to the Spanish Minister in reference to the suc- is rare that the discourtesy of preventing cess of the Saldanha insurrection. One of the Madrid papers announces that being thought requisite that its provisions Count de Thomas is the accredited Minister Plenipotentiary Extraordinary at the Spanish Court. We learn also from Ma- circumstances, it seems impolitic for Mi drid, that the Spanish Government is ac- nisters to hazard the residuum of poputively negotiating for the adjustment of larity they may yet possess, by repelling the line of boundary between the countries from the threshold of the House a meaalong the Pyrrenean frontier.

From Naples the accounts state that the claims for damage done to various nations, in consequence of the war in Sicily, have been brought to a satisfactory ar

There was to have been an emeute in Paris on the 4th, but like many other predicted events it did not come off; perhaps, to the great disappointment of an interested party, the people had prepared for a fete, not for a fight; although the weather was unfavorable, they continued to be

Emile Gerardin persists in his assertions that General Changarnier proposes to invade England with 120,000 men, and now states that the General sent a written proposition to Ledru Rollin to the same effect; Gerardin's partisans say he had the same in his possession. The charge has not been owned.

The King of Prussia and Emperor of Russia are, it is said, to meet at Warsaw during the present month.

Prince Schwartzenburg is to leave enna for Dresden on the 12th inst. The Hellespont, for Plymouth, left the



GUELPH HERALD:

TUESDAY, MAY 27, 1851.

PROVINCIAL PARLIAMENT.

The Provincial Parliament has been supporters of Protection to Home and Co- you. opened with the usual formatity of a Golonial Industry took place in Edinburgh vernor's speech, which, devoid of inforon the 22nd ultimo, the Earl of Eglinton mation as such documents generally are, in the chair. Over 1500 of the elite of affords less than ususal matter for comthe Scottish agriculturists sat down to dinment; indeed, what strikes the reader ner in the Music Room, the largest public the dexterity with which the matters to room in the city, and a variety of arguwhich it was anticipated the attention of the mentative and animating addresses were Legislature would be directed, are either merely hinted at or left wholly unnoticed. The propriety of abating or removing the very prepostorous tax recently imposed immigration; some "piper's news" about Railroads and the recent Postal arrangements; the announcement that some boundary line difficulty between Canada and New Brunswick is likely to be settled "at an early period;" that the Yankees have got leave to erect a Light House on the outlet of Lake Erie, which is likely to the Shipping Sumed.

The House then adjourned till Wednesday at 3 been so chary in his notice of these last, been so chary in his notice of these last, and the shipping sum of the sh

will be introduced by the opposition, and by gentlemen who do business on their own ing the Legislature to adopt measures for hook, to allay the craving of the public the speedy settlement of the Clery Reserve appetite for legislative discussions, and to question. whatever may be the result. Mr Macken-

zie, it will be noticed, has taken his seat

under rather questionable auspices, having

been introduced by DeWitt, a leader of

the Lower Canadian Annexationists, and

Dr Smith, a Clear Grit, selecting a seat on

the ministerial benches, from which posi-

to "rake" his old friends and allies, and

so more effectually to defeat or annoy

them, than were he to assume a station in

the adverse line. We observe as yet but

one division, on the motion of Mr Henry

John Boulton for leave to introduce a Bil

prohibiting the Executive from expending

public money for any purpose without the special consent of Parliament, and limiting

tained a defeat, ominous, we may hope,

of many such during the session. As

members are never deemed committed

they have voted for its second reading, it

the introduction of a Bill is perpetrated, it

should at least be known to the public.

ere it be condemned; and, under existing

sure wearing at least a popular aspect,

and which, even on their own showing,

following are the names on the division:

YEAS -Messrs, Badgley, Boulton of Norfolk,

son, Sanbern, Seymour, Sherwood, of Brockville, Sherwood of Toronto, Smith of Durham, and

delivered by noblemen, landholders, and

farmers present. Perhaps the following extract from the Manchester Guardian, an

ultra Free Trade journal, will best show

the present apprehensions of the party,

party in this borough, only two years ago, when a vacancy occurred, that it could afford to have a contest between two Liberals, both thorough-

if it did no good, could do no harm.

FAREWELL SOIREE. On Wednesday evening, a Soiree was given to the Rev. Messrs Spencer and Griffin, of the Weslevan Methodist Church, by members of the Temperance Societies in towh. Nearly 200 persons at down to tea in the Temperance Hall, the repast having been furnished by Mr Geo. Mimmack, in a style much superior to any similar affair in Guelph. After tea, the Chairman, C. J. Mickle, to present an address to their Rev. guests on the casion of their anticipated departure from the locality, it would now be read by the Secretary. He was sure nothing was farther from the intention of the Society, nothing could be more repulsive to the feelings of their guests, than fulsome flattery. Their desire was simply to record their acknowledgment of the services of their Reverend

The Committee of the Guelph Temperance Reformation Society avail themselves of the present opportunity of acknowledging your services in aid of the cause they are leagued to uphold, during the period you have been resident in the locality; and they do so, they believe, in a right spirit, and from the best motives. Dacrying all merit on their own part for the performance of merit in the performance of the perf what it was their bounden duty to effect, they seek not to laud their fellow-laborers in this great moral reformation; nor are they ignorant that the conscientious conviction that you have humbly Yeas — Messrs, Badgley, Boulton of Nortolk, Boulton of Toronto, Cameron of Cornwall, Cayley, Chauveau, Christie, De Witt, Dickson, Hopkins, Letollier, Mackerzie, Macnab, Malloch, McCon-nell, McFarland, Merritt, Mcyers, Prince, Robinendeavored to do llis work whose servants years, is the only meed ye covet. But the Committee desire that those who may hereafter fill the positions you have here occupied, and others in like desire that those who has have been then so have here occupied, and others in like circumstances, may know that the upholders of the cause of Total Abstinence in Guelph are no unobservant spectators of the conduct of those whom Providence has appointed to minister among them in holy things, and that they can distinguish

Shewood of Tolons, Sinth Stevenson,—26.

Nays.—Messrs. Attorney General Baldwin, Bell, Boutillier, Cartier, Cauchon, Solicitor General Drummond, Dunnas, Egan, Fargusson, Fortier, Fournier, Fourquin, Guillet, Hincks, Jobin, Attorney General LaFontaine, LaTerriere, Laurin, Morrison, Price, Ross, Sauvageau, Scott of Two Mountains, Smith of Wentworth, and Tache—25. Bell, Boutillier, Cartier, Cauchen, Solicitor General Drummond, Dunnas, Egan, Fracossox, Fortier, Fournier, Fourquin, Guillet, Hincks, Jobin, Attorney General Lafontaine, LaTerriere, Laurin, Morrison, Price, Ross, Sauvageau, Scott of Two Mountains, Smith of Wentworth, and Tache—25.

It will be observed that the name of the member for Waterloo, notwithständing, as would appear from the Advertiser, his having been able to reconcile, ere he left home, the wide-asunder dogmas of "thohaving been able to reconcile, ere he left home, the wide-asunder dogmas of "thorough going Clear Grits" and "moderate Reformers," to persuade both parties that he would do all that either required of him—appears ensconced among a crowd of Frenchmen, the opponent of a measure to give l'arliament control over the expenditure of the Government; only three other Upper Canada members (exclusive of Ministers) to bear him company—and

Cape of Good Hope on the 4th ultimo. There had been some fighting, but nothing very serious. Some Cape mounted Riffles are said to have gone over to the Caffres.

The influx of visitors to the great Exhibition continued unabated. \$10,000 are taken for entrance fees daily.

The of the field of the field of the session, denouncing the policy he has helped Baldwin and Co. to carry out, will set all right.

We give the report from the Patriot, of its being the intention of ministers to appropriate £40,000 more of the public money to pay the Lower Canada Rebellion losses. Bad as they are, we cannot in other thank God for husbands and sons rescued from the slavery and dugradation of mebriety by its instrumentality—they believe it a duty to state that, under God, they ascribe no past delinquency, and promises to be a good boy in future. Never mind! Another round robin at the end of the session, denouncing the policy he has helped Baldwin and Co. to carry out, will set all right.

We give the report from the Patriot, of its being the intention of ministers to appropriate £40,000 more of the public money to pay the Lower Canada Rebellion losses. Bad as they are, we cannot in the overthrow of the abet-tors and applogists of inebriety in the County of Waterloo, but will be animated, by the success that has here attended your efforts, to a zealous and fearless advocacy of the cause of Temperance in other thank God for husbands and mothers thank God for husbands and mothers

PROTECTIONIST DEMONSTRATION IN sould Providence permit you to revisit the loca-Scotland - A meeting of the friends and lity, the warmest welcome will here ever await

By order of the Committee. C. J. MICKLE, President. GEO. PIRIE, Secretary.

Guelph, 21st May, 1851. Rov. Mr Spencer said he felt placed in peculiar circumstances, occupying a position he had never before held, and which in some respects he never considerable sacrifice of his feelings he had con-sented to be present on this occasion. He was not particularly foud of these tea-meetings under any circumstances, more especially when, as now, the object was to bestow praise on individuals. have got leave to erect a Light House on have got leave to erect a Light House on have got leave to erect a Light House on have got leave to erect a Light House on have got leave to erect a Light House on have got leave to hear somewhat of the results of the "Great Exhibition," are in list Excellency's apprehension the matters chiefly worthy the attention of the collective Wisdom of Canada. The slight collective Wisdom of Canada. The slight collective Wisdom of Canada. The slight collective Wisdom of Canada in the direction of the collective Wisdom of Canada. The slight collective Wisdom of Canada in the direction of the collective Wisdom of Canada. The slight collective Wisdom of Canada in the direction of the collective Wisdom of Canada. The slight collective Wisdom of Canada in the direction of the collective Wisdom of Canada. The slight collective Wisdom of Canada in the direction of the collective Wisdom of Canada. The slight collective Wisdom of Canada in the direction of the collective Wisdom of Canada. The slight collective Wisdom of Canada in the direction of the collective Wisdom of Canada. The slight collective Wisdom of Canada in the direction of the collective Wisdom of Canada in the direction of the collective Wisdom of Canada in the direction of the collective Wisdom of Canada in the direction of the collective Wisdom of Canada in the direction of the collective Wisdom of Canada in the light of the collection of the collective wind the collection of coss, and quits the field, leaving Mr. Freshield in uncontested possession of it. And what account does Mr. Alderman Wire give of his canvass? Ho was met by the old Liberal, nay Radical constituents, with a demand for a fixed duty on corn. 'Pledge yourself to support only a moderate fixed duty, and you shall have our votes.' tion. His Excellency need scarce have been so chary in his notice of these last, seeing that a place in the speech, not an alteration in the Statue book, is all they are likely to achieve. The one requiring a two-third vote, cannot possibly, in the present state of parties in the Lower House, be carried; and even the ultra-Radical Examiner asserts that the reference to it in the speech

meagre, a sufficient quantity of material Messrs. Gow & Orme propose erecting that in all places, at all times, and under every possible circumstance, he tyas prepared to give his unequivocal support and influence in ale of this great and good cause. (Much applause.) Rev. Mr Griffin said he had never been more

decidedly at a loss for words. Last night he had drawn out a sketch of an address on Total Abstidrawn out a sketch of an address on Total Abstinence to be delivered on the present occasion, but it had afterwards occurred to him that the present was not a meeting for the discussion of such a theme, but for the purpose of acknowledging certain services supposed to have been rendered by his colleague and himself, for which token of their approbation his thanks were due to his friends, while all the glory of the work achieved was to be ascribed to God. He was much pleased with the report, in that it attributed to the Spirit of God all that had been accomplished; not to this agent nor to that instrumentality, but to Esq., President of the Guelph Temperance Reformation Society, offered some preliminary remarks in reference to the occasion of their meeting, and stated that the Society having resolved in behalf of the cause obtain all the applicates, those who stand aside regulating its movements and supplying the means of progress were unnoticed. Some take a prominent part and are applicated, while others, far more capuble and more hearty in the work, are overlooked and forgotten. This is an evil under the Sun," but their own "This is an evil under the Sun, but the fellings are their reward, and "their reases, (if not of men,) is of God who knoweth the heart," God knows I scale not your applause, nor that of any man; but I receive this token of your approval as man; but I receive this token of your approval as acknowledgment of the services of their Reverend friends in the cause they had espoused, a duty for which they had Scripture warrant, and to encourage others in like circumstances to follow their example. The Choir having sung a Temperance glee, the Secretary read the following address:

To the Rev. Messrs Spencer and Griffia.

Reverend Sirs:

The Committee of the Guelph Temperance Reformation Society avail themselves of the present opportunity of acknowledging your services in aid of the cause they are leagued to uphold, during the neriad way have hear resident in the Applause.]

We are sorry we cannot find room for the very admirable addresses of the Rev. Messrs Macgregor and Braine. A vote of thanks was passed, on the motion of Mr Griffin, seconded by Mr Braine, to the Temperance Choir, for their voluntary and unsolicited services; and the evening was concluded by Mr Speacer pronouncing the blessing.

PETTY SESSIONS .- On Wednesday last, eight

young mechanics were summoned before the Magistrates, at the instance of the Town Inspector, charged with having been engaged in a Charivari on the evening of Monday, the 12th inst. We suppress the names of the parties concernedour design in reporting the case being to point to the evils consequent on these breaches of the peace, which have here become a regular nuisance, and the laudable determination of the Justices to put them down by the strong arm of the law; not to wound the feelings of individuals who, it may be, were unconscious of the culpability they incurred by engaging in such lawless proceeding. A young couple in town having entered into "the bonds of holy matrimony," some fifteen or twenty youths, acquaintance of the bridegroom, we may scarce write friends, saw meet to visit his residence " under cloud of night," wearing their outward garments in a rather unusual fashion, and to regale the happy pair with a concert of most unearthly music, vocal and instrumental, proceeding also to acts of a still more questionable description. The newly-wedded little relishing such a diabolical overture to the honeymoon, and other means having failed to disperse the serenaders, the Town Inspector was brought up to the rescue, and Dr Clarke having also taken the field with his characteristic decision and energy, the assailants were speedily put to route, horse, foot, and artillery. The Reeve and Dr Clarke composed the Court, and the parties charged having severally denied being present on the occasion libelled, evidence was adduced in support of the charge. The Inspector stated that the bridegroom money to pay the Lower Canada Rebellion losses. Bad as they are, we cannot believe it possible they could contemplate such another monstrosity.

The Inspector stated that its office and of temperance in other lands because of Temperance in other lands because of Temperance in other lands of the night mentioned, in no very enviable of the night mentioned, in no very enviable plight, and intimated that "having unfortunately cherish the remembrance of your services and of cherish the remembrance of your services and of the night mentioned. got married that evening," he had got a larger number of visitors and more music than he either anticipated or desired. The Inspector could not identify any of the parties; their presence on the occasion was however proved by other witnesses. although there was not evidence adduced to show that they were all actively engaged in the affair. Eventually, the Magistrates found the charge proved against seven of the accused, and the eighth having pleaded guilty, they were severally wished to occupy again. There were those sentenced to a fine of 5s. and 6s. 9d. expenses, or around him who were well aware that it was at in default, seven of them to 30 days' imprisonmeut, and the eighth (a boy) to 10 days. The fine was forthwith paid on account of two of the parties, some of the others in a spirit of bravado preferring to go to gaol, and one having cleared the present apprehensions of the party, however some may see fit to scoff and sneer at the idea of the recurrence to a protective policy:—

"Within the last eight and forty hours, what has happened at Beston? We believe we are correct in saying that, so strong was the liberal party in this borough, only two years ago, when some six dollars to pay as the constable's charge for fetching him back. Dr Clarke, in passing sentence, stated that the law ruled that parties present on such an eccasion, although not actually taking part in the disturbance, were yet held as accessaries, if not employed in putting it down; and that had a riot ensued, or the charge been brought before the Quarter Sessions, the affair

work, were left unnoticed, and unscaled work were left unnoticed, and unscaled work and the present state of parties in the Lower is not difficult to understand what this like, the state of the present state of parties in the Lower is an at difficult to understand what this like, the state of the present state of parties in the Lower is an at difficult to understand what this like, the state of the present state of parties in the Lower is an at difficult to understand what this like the state of the present state of the present state of the present state of the present in the present state of the present state