

## FOREIGN INTELLIGENCE.

English papers to the 5th July, state, that the country is suffering under a drought. The thermometer varying from 75 to 82 degrees. Oats and barley had risen in the markets. Reports have been received at Philadelphia, that a treaty of peace has been signed between the Burmese and the British, on the 24th February, at Yandaloo, forty-two miles below Ava.

From Devonport, under date of June 17, we have the following information:—

His Majesty's ship Pyramus, Capt Robert Gambier has returned from Vera Cruz, with Mr. Morier (as we mentioned in our last) who went out to negotiate a commercial treaty with the Mexican Republic, in which object he has not succeeded. The extreme jealousy and suspicion of that government, that every proposition made originates in a sinister design, the still bigotted attachment to long existing opinions, and the claims put in by Mr. Poincet, the American Representative, to equal privileges with any other State, have prevented the accomplishment of Mr. Morier's Mission.

"The Mexican Government have also decided not to send an Ambassador to this country, for the present, and not to join the Colombian State in an attack on Cuba."

By papers received at Baltimore, from Carthagena, up to 3d July, it appears to be the general opinion, that General Paez will be condemned to death, and as President Boliver was expected in two or three weeks, tranquillity, it was supposed would be restored.

It appears by accounts from Cape Coast, dated the 30th April, that there is every probability of that part of the coast being involved in war.— It had been rumored that the Ashantees were on the move.

A letter from Philadelphia, states that accounts from Mr. Owen's settlement at Harmony, are very unfavorable. It is expected that he will shortly be compelled to abandon his project.

Portsmouth, June 12.

This morning the Edward transport, Lieut. Burney, arrived from Sierra Leone, whence she sailed on the 20th of March.— The Brazen, 28, Capt. Willis, was the only ship of war there. Three slave vessels, she had captured, were condemned by her. One of these prizes is 96 feet long, and 261 tons burthen. She is to be sent to England under the name of "The Black Beauty, of Southampton." The Edward has brought home the master and mate of the ship Malta of Liverpool, for trial on a charge of slaving.

The Board of Admiralty have determined on fitting out a northern expedition to the Arctic Seas. Its object appears to be to explore the Eastern shores of the island of Spitzbergen. Captain Parry has been selected for this interesting survey, and the Hecla is to be prepared for the service. Captain Parry and a party of the Hecla's officers are to leave the Hecla in the neighborhood of Spitzbergen and with boats and vessels of a peculiar construction, attempt to reach the North Pole.

## DOMESTIC INTELLIGENCE.

For the last three weeks we have had continued heavy rains, accompanied with thick fog, about the peninsula of Halifax.

Thursday the 5th August his Ex-

cellency the Governor in Chief, and her Ladyship the Countess of Dalhousie embarked, under a salute from George's Island and the ships of his Majesty's navy in port, on board