loss of transports, &c., had for a while been reduced to half a ration per day, but supplies were arriving plentifully at latest date. Sickness of various kinds, incidental to their exposed situation, and cholera, had again made their appearance. The allies keep up their spirits wonderfully, considering their privations.

☞ The latest English papers announce the death of General the Right Hon Sir James Kempt, at his residence South Audley street, London, on Wednesday the 20th December. The deceased General had seen much service with the Duke of Wellington, and contributed by his ability and courage to the glorious victory of Waterloo. He was subsequently Lieutenant Governor of Nova Scotia, the affairs of which he administered with the decided approbation of his Sovereign and the people: and Governor-General of Canada, during a very difficult period. After this he was appointed Master General of the Ordnance. On his vacating this responsible office, one of the best as well as most important under the British Crown, Sir James retired into private life, with the reputation of having been one of the most talented and useful officers of the British Army.

☞ The Committee of the London Union on Church matters, has just issued its fifth annual Report. We shall make some interesting extracts, in approval of the Synodical action of the Church in the Colonies, next week. The Committee are not anxious for the introduction of a measure to Parliament to regulate the synodical organization of the Colonial Church, "because they are satisfied that this great question is settling itself, as all such questions ought to be settled, not by a measure imposed by any central authority, civil or ecclesiastical, but by partial measures in each locality, dictated by the good sense of the Church itself, with a view to its wants and the circumstances of society with which it has to deal, and in conformity with its own principles."

THE BAZAAR.—We have seen some very beautiful articles of ladies' workmanship, intended for the Bazar, in aid of the Patriotic Fund, which is to to be held at the *Masonic Hall*, (instead of the Artillery Park, as previously advertised) on Tuesday next, the 29th inst. From the very general feeling in the community in behalf of the object, we augur the happiest success to this benevolent undertaking.

☞ The St. George's Society held their Quarterly Meeting on Tuesday evening. It is not usual to notice these brotherly gatherings publicly, but as several of the Resolutions have a public interest at the present time, we may claim permission to do so. One Resolution passed was a vote of thanks to Mr. Wilson, one of the Firemen, by whose exertions the banners and flags of St George's Society were rescued at the late fire at the Barrack Stores. A second Resolution expressed the desire of the Society that their Banners and Flags should appear in St. Paul's, on the occasion of the nuptials of His Lordship the Bishop, who is one of the Patrons of the Society. And a third Resolution, which is one of the greatest interest at the present time, as evincing the charitable feeling of the Englishmen in Halifax, with reference to the present struggle, and which we dare say will be imitated by other National Societies, while it expressed admiration at the exploits of the Army and Navy and our Allies in the East, opened up a subscription in aid of the Patriotic Fund to alleviate the distress of their widows and orphans, which was largely responded to by all the Members present.

☞ The Lord Bishop intends (D. V.) to hold Confirmations in the course of 1855, in every Parish which he has not visited during the past Summer, commencing his Tour along the Western coast soon after Easter.

His Lordship the Bishop of Newfoundland, with his chaplain, the Rev. E. A. C. Bayley, came passengers in the Mail Steamer from St. John's, Newfoundland.

TO CORRESPONDENTS.

We feel obliged to *Cilo* for his favour; but think that so much has been already written on this subject that it would be better to lay it aside for the present.

The letter from Colonel Butler will meet with due attention.

The steamboat inspectors at Boston and Charlestown have reported upon the collision between the Canada and Ocean in Boston harbor. The officers of the former are acquitted of all blame, and the licences of the captain and pilots of the latter are revoked.

LETTERS RECEIVED.

From Moses Shaw, Esq. with one new Subscriber and payment half of Advance; From Hon. H. Roberts—directions will be attended to. From C. W. Leaver, Esq.—directions attended to. From Rev. R. B. Nichols—directions will be attended to. From Hon. Hon. R. J. Uniacke—directions attended to. From Geo. E. Jones, Esq.—directions will be attended to.

Holloway's Ointment.—A Miraculous Cure of Ulcerous Sores.—Augustus Cook, a conveyancer, of Cape Town, Cape of Good Hope, was afflicted for a long time with scrofulous sores on his arms and legs, his case in the end became so desperate, that it appeared evident he must forsake his employment. A friend, however, persuaded him to use Holloway's Ointment, and to take the Pills according to the printed directions, which he did. After a short time, he found himself considerably better, and by persevering with these remedies, in a few weeks he was completely cured, and is now able to work with renewed vigour.

Births.

On the 28th Dec., at Middle Musquodoboit, the wife of the Rev. S. Dutton Green, of a daughter.

Married.

January 4th, at St. Paul's Cathedral, by the Lord Bishop of Newfoundland, the Right Reverend HIBBERT BINNEY, D. D., Lord Bishop of Nova Scotia, to MARY, daughter of the Hon. Mr. Justice Bliss.

At Arnadale, Newport, on Wednesday, 27th Dec., by the Rev. Thomas H. Davies, Mr. JAMES WHITTEN ALLISON, junr. to Miss MARGARET MALCOM MOSHER, daughter of Nicholas Mosher, Esq., M. P. P.

At Granville, by the Rev. W. H. Cheshan on the 2nd Nov., Mr. WILLIAM WILSON, to Parker's Cove, to Miss CHARLOTTE LONGMIRE, of the same place. By the same, at the residence of the bride's father, Dec. 14th, Mr. DAVID AMBERMAN, of 'the Ferry,' to Miss MARY ELIZABETH COLLINS.

On the 14th Dec., at Middle Musquodoboit, by the Rev. S. Dutton Green, Mr. HENRY MCHEFFEY, of Gay's River, to Miss ANN HAY, of Musquodoboit.

Died.

At Worcester, Mass. U. S., Dec 10 Mr WM. MOIR, aged 47 years, a native of Davenport, England, and for many years a resident of this city.

On Thursday, 28th ult., Mrs. ABIGAIL FRASER, in the 70th year of her age.

On Friday 29th ult., after a short illness, FLORENCE, aged 4 years; On Saturday, following, ARTHUR ALBERT aged nine months, children of John and Charlotte Edwards.

On Saturday, Dec. 30, ELEANOR JANE, daughter of James H. Lindsay, aged 4 years and 4 months.

On Friday, the 22nd Dec., at P. E. Is., of Scarlet fever, RICHARD UNIACKE, third son of Mrs. Wilson, widow of the late Thos. Wilson, aged 7 years; Afternoon Saturday, the 23d, at half past 2, of the same, JOSEPH CHAPPELL, eldest son of the above in the 11th year of his age.

Suddenly, on Monday, JOHN, son of Mr. George Irwin, in the 18th year of his age.

At Newport, on the 11th Dec., HANNAH SERITA, aged 8 years, daughter of the late Capt. W. W. Briant.

At Cornwallis, on Sunday, Dec. 10th, Mrs. NANCY BIGELOW, aged 81 years, wife of Ebenezer Bigelow.

At Lower Horton, on Sunday, the 3rd Dec. last, aged 75 years, NANCY, relict of the late James Hamilton, and daughter of the late James Harris, Senr.

Shipping List.

ARRIVED.

Saturday, Dec. 30th.—Schr. Mayflower, Burin.

Tuesday, Jan. 2nd.—R. M. Steamer Osprey, Corbin, St. John's, N. F.; barque Janet, Picton; schrs. Magnet, Griffin, Fortune Bay; Kate, Messervey, St. George's Bay.

Wednesday, January 3.—R. M. Steamship Asia, Lott, Liverpool, G. B., 10 days—124 passengers—9 for Halifax.

Thursday, Jan. 4th.—Brigt. Loyalist, Miller, Falmouth, Jam., 32 days; brigt. Trio, McLeod, Charlottetown, 7 days—bound to New York; schr. Salem, Liverpool, N. S.

Friday January 5th.—R. M. Steamship America, Lang, Boston 39 hours; packt. schr. Liverpool, Day, Liverpool, 12 hours; schr. Velocity, Mc. Pherson, Boston, 9 days; schr. Spray, La Have; schr. Florence, Cape Negro.

CLEARED.

Saturday, Dec. 30th.—Brigts. Belle, Thomas, Matanzas; Belle, Campbell, Porto Rico; schr. Uncle Tom, Dickson, Newfoundland.

Wednesday, Jan'y. 3rd.—R. M. Steamship Asia, Lott, Boston; schr. Chieftain, Fraser, West Indies; Magdalen, Chiavary, Souris.

January 4th.—R. M. Osprey, Corbin, St. Johns, Nfld.; Mary Eleanor, Martin, St. Jago de Cuba.

January 5th.—Mary, Robinson, Jamaica; Sarah, Griffin, Ann Eliza, Hopewell, St. John's, Nfld.; Royal, Malloch, Weldpool, N. B.; Martha, Wood, Porto Rico; Advalorem, Harding.

COUNTRY MARKET.

PRICES ON SATURDAY JANUARY. 6.

Apples, per bush.	4s. a 5s.
Bacon, per lb.	7½d
Beef, fresh, per cwt.	30s. a 35s.
Lamb, per lb.	3d a 3½d.
Butter, fresh, per lb.	1s 2d.
Cheese, per lb	6d. a 7½d.
Chickens, per pair,	1s 2d. a 2s.
Eggs, per doz	1s. a 1s 3d.
Geese, each,	2s. 3d.
Hams, green, per lb.	5d.
Do. smoked, per lb.	7½d
Hay, per ton.	50 10s.
Homespun, cotton & wool, per yard	1s. 7d. a 1s. 9d
Do. all wool,	2s. 6d.
Oatmeal, per cwt.	25s.
Oats, per bus.	3s. 9d.
Pork, fresh, per lb.	4d. a 5d.
Potatoes, per bushel,	3s. a 4s.
Socks, per doz.	12s.
Turkies, per lb.	9d.
Yarn, worsted per lb.	2s. 6d.

AT THE WHARVES.

Wood, per cord.	38s.
Coal, per chaldron.	40s.

SCHOOL FOR YOUNG LADIES.

140 *Brunswick Street.*

MISS COOKESLEY begs to inform her Friends and the Public generally, that on Jan'y 9th, 1855, the Christmas Vacation will be terminated, and her ESTABLISHMENT FOR YOUNG LADIES, at 140 Brunswick street, re-opened. Jan. 6

COLONIAL CHURCH & SCHOOL SOCIETY

THE TRAINING AND MODEL SCHOOLS of the Society, 150 Gottingen Street, Halifax, will re-open after the Christmas Vacation, on Monday 8th January, 1855. Jan 6

COLONIAL CHURCH & SCHOOL SOCIETY.

WANTED a CATECHIST and SCHOOL TEACHER, to labor for the above-named Society in Nova Scotia. Salary about £100 per annum. Persons offering themselves for the work must be pious and attached members of the Episcopal Church, and a Knowledge of Vocal Music is necessary. Applications to be addressed to the Rev. T. DUNN, Halifax, N. S.
Jan'y 6 1855. 3i

MR. W. HUNT STEVENS,

Professor of Music from the Royal Academy of Music.

BEGS to Announce His Arrival in Halifax, and that he is open for engagements in his Profession. Circulars may be obtained on Application to Mr. W. HUNT STEVENS, Hollis Street, or to Miss WILLIAMSON at her Establishment, Morris Street.
Jan'y. 6

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And for Sale at W. Gossip's Book Store,
24 Granville-street.

A CHARGE Delivered to the CLERGY of the Diocese of Nova Scotia, at the VISITATION held in the Cathedral Church of St. Paul, at Halifax, on the 11th Day of October 1854. By HIBBERT, Lord Bishop of Nova Scotia.
December, 1854.

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JUST Received per R. M. Steamship *America* a large and varied ASSORTMENT OF BIBLES, PRAYER BOOKS, &c. &c. &c.
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A Class will be formed for Instruction in Vocal Music under the direction of a competent Teacher. Terms made known on application to the Principal.

Two Annual Exhibitions of £10 and £5 have been founded by the Alumni of King's College, and will be open for Competition at the Encaenia, A.D. 1855.
Dec. 28th, 1854.

A SALE OF FANCY ARTICLES,

IN AID OF THE PATRIOTIC FUND,

FOR the Benefit of the WIDOWS and ORPHANS of the gallant Soldiers and Sailors, who fell in the present contest in the East, will be held at the Free Mason Hall on TUESDAY the 9th day of January, 1855,—Patroned by the Honble. Mrs. Gore.

Contributions will be most thankfully received by the

Honble Mrs. Gore,	Bellevue.
Mrs. Dr. Twining,	Morris Street.
Mrs. Walker,	Morris Street.
Miss Stodhert,	Engineer Square.

And by any of the Ladies of the Committee.
The Band of the 76th Regiment will attend.
Dec. 16.

"*PARLEZ VOUS FRANCAIS?*"

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