

Latest accounts from the Cape of Good Hope represent that the expedition fitted out against the rebellious boers at Cape Natal, had been completely successful. There had been a large influx of negroes captured by the British vessels engaged in suppressing the slave-trade, and many inducements had been held out to them to go to the West Indies as hired labourers to work on the plantations, but without much success.

We learn from Bohemia, that on the night of the 30th ult. a fire which originated in a stable at Hirseliberg, in that country, spread with such irresistible force and rapidity, that 110 houses were destroyed, and the rest of the town was only saved with the greatest difficulty.

A dreadful storm visited Marseilles on the 11th. The awful claps of thunder, which continued incessantly for above an hour, the fury of the hurricane, and the torrents of rain which inundated the city, gave reason to fear deplorable result.—This fear has, unhappily, been realized.

The Cologne Gazette states that the proceedings in the affair of the University of Pisa have brought to light very serious results. A vast conspiracy has been discovered, the object of which was to overthrow the government and revolutionize the country.

Lord Congleton (formerly Sir Henry Parnell) put a period to his existence on Wednesday morning, the 18th instant, at his residence, in Cadogan place, London, by hanging himself with a handkerchief.

From all quarters of Ireland there is the most cheering promise of an abundant harvest. The corn, fruit, and potato crops will be at market fully a month before those of last year's harvest.

The Progres du Pas de Calais states that some English persons have been arrested at Calais for passing false money.

The cholera has been raging in Calcutta, carrying off many scores of natives and several Europeans.

The Slesian Gazette states that the greater part of the manufacturing town of Belchatow, in the District of Petrikanwart, was last month destroyed by fire.

France begins to emulate England in bewailing "distress;" the great wine-trade is decaying, and the linen-trade calls for protection. The usual resort is at once demanded, exclusive duties on foreign goods; and England is threatened with a check to the linen-thread trade—a new blow to our depressed commerce.

The following is from the reply of King Louis Philippe to the address of the Archbishop of Paris, on occasion of his late fête:

"I am happy, my Lord Archbishop, that you have appreciated my efforts for the welfare of religion.—You are conscious that they are conformable to your own. But it is necessary to consider the difficult times in which we live, and we must not commence to construct what we cannot complete. I am aware that religion has need of all legal influence, to support herself against the numerous attacks of those who have had the misfortune to abandon her. I shall be happy if, ere I die, I may be able to accomplish all the good which I have meditated for religion."

French Academy of Science.—At a sitting of the Academy, M. Siguer read a paper on the means of preventing the explosion of boilers in steam-vessels, or of confining the effects of such explosions, when they do occur, within very circumscribed limits. He recommends, as the general principle, that the boilers should be composed of many distinct parts (tubes,) so that in the event of a rupture of any one portion there may be no injury beyond the engine-room; and that the metal of which they are composed should be thin, in order that it may not be deprived of its tenacity in the process of manufacture; and he insists upon strict attention being paid to their shape, which should, he says, be spherical, cylindrical, or conical, as being best calculated to offer an equal resistance to the explosive power. Another precaution recommended by the learned academician is, that the calorific which the steam is generated, should be in contact only in the upper part of the boiler, in order that, in the event of an explosion, the whole of the water may not be expelled by the sudden development of the steam at the heated surface. Mr. Siguer observed, that his ideas as to the mode of constructing boilers were, by no means, new; but that the experiments he had performed, convinced him that they were good, and that all departures from the principle in question must be attended with danger.

Charity of the Irish.—Among no people on the earth is there found such a sympathy and respect for the unfortunate as there is among the Irish. With them the rule is, never to enquire into the cause or manner of sorrow, but immediately to relieve it, whatever it may be. Whatever be the faults of my poor countrymen, the native delicacy, the untaught kindness of their natures, can counterbalance and redeem them all. With them the soothing word is ever ready—the kind voice—the hand ever stretched out to welcome and receive—and the "cead millia faltheage" of the Irish gushing fresh and warm from the heart. Food and lodging are by them considered nothing, and for the greatest charity they bestow, the approval of their own hearts and the blessing of the distressed is sufficient reward. Charity with them is spontaneous—it does not stop to ponder or consider; and like their other impulses, it springs forth pure and unadulterated from their simple and unreflecting hearts.—*Dublin Monthly Magazine.*

It is not known generally that the Affghanistan territory is mentioned in Scripture. It occurs in that chapter of Kings which relates the life of King Solomon, chap. 9, v 13. "And Hiram came out from Tyre to see the cities which Solomon had given him, and they pleased him not. And he said what cities are those thou hast given me, my brother? And he called them the lord of Cabul unto this day."—*Boston Atlas.*

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