with Abraham's, natural and spiritual seed, en those who follow "in the steps of that faith of our father Abraham, which he had being yet uncircumcised," Rom, iv. 12. "So then they which be of faith are blessed with frithful Abraham," Gal. iii 9. "Christ hath redeemed us from the curse of the law."
"That the blessing of Abraham, might come on the Gentiles through Jesus Chart," Gal. iii. 13, 14. What then was this "blessing" but that of the covenant, "To be a God to but that of the covenant, "To be a God to with frithful Abraham, to the Church of Louren and the Sank of the Church as we pass the Mark of Louren and the Sank of Louren of Louren and the Sank of Louren and the thee and thy seed after thee in their genera-tions?" And if we, believers, are under this of them, and the anticipated happiness the strict of them, and the anticipated happiness the strict of them. The strict of them and the anticipated happiness the strict of them. The strict of them and the anticipated happiness the strict of them. thee and thy seed after thee in their generathe having God for his God, and the God of his children after him, until they forfeited their privilege and blessing by their actual unbelief and disobedience; then earlief on the religious friends, especially to her covenant is narrowed,—and, if circum-the covenant is narrowed,—and, if covenant is narrowed,—and, if circum-the covenant is narrowed,—and, if circum-the covenant is narrowed,—and, if circum-their one with God on the bed of affliction. She when capable, in order to the continued enblessing, (in other words "who are blessed proved by Scripture in a preceding article, that Baptism is that substitute, the present sign and seal of the covenant of grace; therefore the infants of believers should receive

externally, blessings of that covenant. Just let the reader accompany me in reading, and observing, two passages from St. He who bestows a charitable dower, Paul's epistle to the Ephesians. The first Gain'd by extortion, fraud, and means unjust. is in ii. chapter 12 verse. "That at that Builds but at best a paltry, worthless tower, time (i. e. when unconverted) ye were with- And lays a useful city in the dust. out Christ, being aliens from the commonwealth of Israel, strangers (aliens) from the covenants of premise, having no hope and without God in the world."

is not the God of the children of Israel now;

or, that baptism is not the sign and seal, sig-

nifying to our outward senses, and sealing

Now let me ask, does not this phraseology find in books. of the Apostle, imply most clearly that these In real life, it is difficult to praise those whom part or heirs in full? If heirs in full, was them by their children. not God the God of themselves and of their ehildren; and were they got, (so long as they did not forfeit their birthright or title the dove to learn innocency; to the serpent to by wilful transgression.) entitled to grace learn wisdom; and why not go to the robin by wilful transgression.) entitled to grace learn wishous, and ray how go to make this still more plain red-breast, who chants as cheerfully in winter as infected all the west; for every one knows that efficient aid rendered us by Brother Allison, nor England have issued a protest, and circulated a complete the Royal letter. they not have been "carried by angels to Abrahum's hisom"-to heaven? Turn then to the vi. chap., 1. 2. 3 verses, and listen to his address to the children of these believers-" Children obey your parents in the Lord. together the 2nd and following verses-" If ye have heard of the dispensation of the grace of God, which is given to me to you ward; how that by revelation he made known unto me the mystery"-" Which in Two things are necessary to the traveller in known unto me the mystery"—" Which in other ages was not made known unto the life as well as on the rowls; a knowledge of his sells the right to commit every crime, and gives sons of men, as it is now revealed unto his way, and a perseverance in it. Apostles by the Spirit : that the Gentiles should be fellow heirs, and of the same body. Truth, charity, and sincerity, are divine cha-Gospel; whereof I am made a minister," &c. virtues. Supposing that my reader has weighed the passages, especially those italicised; I would strong man's hope; its power opens the heavens, ask, is St. Paul a safe pattern to follow in the ministry of the word of God; and is the Ephesian Church a safe exemplification of a we not safe in proclaiming that believers now are "fellow heirs," with the saints of old, in the blessings of the covenant; and that therefore they are entitled to consider God as their God, and also the God of their children, and under obligation to dedicate their children to God in infancy, by the covenant seal. Baptism? Further, do those ministers who proclaim the contrary, i. e., who say that believers are not fellow "heirs" of that covenant, in full, proclaim the whole Gospel? And lastly; are those Churches fully on the true Gospel plan, that exclude hy lively faith in the sacrifice of Him whose children from their pale, by withholding the rite by which they are dedicated to the Futher, to the Son, and to the Holy Ghost? class are strangers to vital godliness, and the

FOR THE PROVINCIAL WESLEYAN.

#### Obituary Notices. MARGARET BENT, OF GRANVILLE.

XX.

MR. EDITOR.-This Circuit continues to impress our minds with the Divine decree, dounds to God, the benefits which accrue to leyan generally, and to the lovers of our Zion in return." In whatever direction we turn our eyes we cannot fail to be reminded of those to live henceforth not unto themselves, but who are no louger inhabitants of time.-Their very appearance, observations, and general deportment pass vividly before the imagination, and we insensibly heave a sigh and inwardly exclaim, is it possible that these our esteemed friends have passed into the Spirit World. Yes they have gone from the scenes of time, have ended their probation and are enjoying their reward. Some of these were advanced in years, others in the meridian of their days, and not a few who were called away in the morning of life. Among those who have lately departwas MARGARET, the daughter of Mr. Israel Bent of Granville, in the twenty first year of her age. A short time ago, she became the victim of a disease which terminated her earthly existence.-When the Physician affirmed the impossibitionate father, with deep emotions and fervent prayer communicated to her this mournful intelligence. From that moment she appeared to lose all interest in the things of this life and earnestly sought a preparation for that which was to come and four weeks before her dissolution she obtain- and the surrounding world at the present time. ed peace with God through our Lord Jesus Christ. This great and important change was clear and perfectly satisfactory not only herself but to those who were present on happiness of her soul. So that her friends could not but notice the marked and gracious ded last Thursday by a very large and the Watchman, that several of the Circuits in the blessing. was delivered in the Wesleyan Chapel, after which the remains were committed to the work, are enjoying a gratifying measure of religious prosperity. The lack of advancement accommodate all comfortably, but throughout the Duke must expect that throughout Europe he great day. O that the young in this combuted to the reckless and unboly agitation combuted to the reckless and unboly agitation combuted to the reckless and unboly agitation comwhole, we have bad the utmost solemnity, withwill be considered as having put a human being
Berlin of printing books on linen prepared for months, and the work to be commenced within

MARY ANN MURPHY OF NEWPORT.

MARY ANN, daughter of Thomas and may be found in another column. Elizabeth Murphy, was born 27th June, 1828, and died at Newport, 27th January, The noble sentiments of Lord John Russell, versed with her a few hours before her decease, and found her, as he had done for three months previous, in a calm, resigned, and bantism: and those who deny it, ought to. prove from Scripture that we are not now under the covenant of grace, or, that the young person minister instruction and benefit to her youthful companion, foosteps to a world of unfading joy.

T. H. D. to her youthful companions, and point their blessings of the covenant are not now extended to our infant children; and, that God

Newport, March 19th, 1853.

## Brevities.

If we only open our hearts and our eyes, we shall daily witness acts of patience, self-denial and unfailing love, which far surpass what we

child of man.

An Emperor's Testimony.

Frederick, Emperor of Germany, in a mani-

festo against Pope Gregory IX, who sat in the

Pontifical Chair from A. D. 1227 to 1241, thus

"Learn, people of Italy, that the Roman Church

sures, as a brigand would do upon the highway

the best places in paradise to those who bring it

A terrible picture of a church which claims to

be the only true church of Christ on earth, but

Weslevan Academy.

MOUNT ALLISON, SACKVILLE, N. B.

March 18th. 1853.

believing Ephesians were then no longer we most reverence. Hence, few parents know, aliens from the covenants of promise, but save by intuition, the exalted sentiments of resheirs? And if so, were they only heirs in pect and admiration generally entertained for

We are sent to the ant to learn industry; to

mind.

Prayer is the weak man's refuge, and the fully justified by the history of the papacy.

Good Friday.

latter, the day commemorative of the death of the Saviour of the world, is suggestive of humi-

in the way to heaven.

kingdom come."

# THURSDAY, MARCH 24, 1853.

The friends of this Institution, who so generously subscribed to enable the Trustees to proceed with the establishment of a Branch Institution for Females, are respectfully informed that funds are now required to meet the engagements which have been made with the contractors for To-morrow will be observed by many as a the erection of the new Edifice. Those who have will in all probability spend it in merely adding subscriptions, are therefore, requested to forto their previously formal services, others will ward the amount at their earliest convenicertainly present unto God spiritual worship, ence.

Anderson & Co., Halifax, to Rev. Dr. Evans, Charlottetown, and to Rev. John Allison, or G. other having passed from "death unto life," P. Sancton, Esq., Cashier, Commercial Bank, worship God in "spirit and in truth." To the Saint John. C. F. Allison,

man, and the obligations under which they, as particular, some account of the remarkable reviunto him which died for them and rose again. To the spiritually minded, the sanctuary and city. I shall make no comment on the years of which our cause has passed, in connection with ed Redeemer, for the shedding forth of divine wishes and fervent supplications of His people influence on the Church, and the revival of the have been answered beyond our most sanguine work of God. Whilst their souls are humbled expectations.

before the all-seeing One, and they are led to On Monday, February 28, we held our missiseek renewed applications of the precious blood onary meeting, which was a solemn and interestof atonement, and obtain the blessing for which they petitioned, - their prayers for the prosperity of Zion and the salvation of sinners, will go lity of her recovery, the Father, her affect up with acceptance to the ear of Him who came nounced a series of special efforts to commence the week. unto the world to save the chief of sinners, and tollowing evening. At the two first meetings I LORD JOHN RUSSELL TO SIR HENRY BULWER. ings, &c. who himself has taught them to pray-" thy was not present, having been designated to assist Brother Smithson, at his missionary meetings in Sir, -According to the last accounts received We should hail a general revival in the Wes-Sheffield; but I hastened back to ascertain with from you, the Grand Duke of Tuscany still hesilevan Church, as the result of to-morrow's humimuch anxiety what the results of the two meetings tates on the subject of the Madiai. liation, faith and prayer, as one of the greatest of had been. Thank God-my fears had never But this is a matter on which hesitation im said to the glory of Divine grace that about blessings, and one most desirable for our people been permitted to prevail, but all my hopes and plies capital punishment. It is the same thing in expectations were surpassed. The glorious work effect to condemn a man to die by fire, like Sahad begun, with indications of success of no ordi- vanarola, or to put him to death by the slow tornary kind. Can you imagine my joy and grati- ture of an unhealthy prison. the occasion. From this memorable period the special property of the special p change which had passed upon her. In this and greatly extend. No intelligence do we more can hardly calculate in its latitude even now. Our or religious character. state of mind she continued until the weary delight to record, than that of the revival of the dear children of the Sabbath School formed a But this is an error. It is now well under-

by the blessing of God, puts forth its wonted en- the slightest hesitation. Night after night, 50 and Francesco Madiai was not that of being a Pro- large schools for the poor.

liberty of God's children. Sabbath, the 6th of Government had the most merciful intentions, come parties to the international treaty already March, was such a day for divine influence and and meant to have shortened the period of im- existing between Prussia and Great Britain for 1853. She was afflicted with consumption, on the Madiai persecution, which appear else-Therefore it of faith that it might be by grace; to the end the promise might be sure of the promise mi grace; to the end the promise might be sure ful about two years. She had been thoughts where, are worthy of all praise. They will be and many of the new converts, with overflowing punished.

to all the seed; not to that only which is of the new converts, with overflowing punished. All this, hearts, joined us in this delightful ordinance At All this, however, will avail very little. Lisbon, and gratuitous lectures on useful subto all the seed; not to that only which is of the law"; (i. e. lineal descendants) "but to that also which is of the faith of Abraham."

All this, nowever, will about her eierinal interest product the period of it, bearts, joined us in this delightful ordinance. At the reickness, and during the period of it, but did not obtain a clear testimony of her but did not obtain a

years, and left a good testimony of their by a tolerant spirit, yet the spirit of intolerance to fear; and each meeting has witnessed a full more odious.

ance with God on the bed of affliction. She ism themselves, whose sense of right has been plan not generally observed among us,—and inments which have prevailed in the most civilized Carvalho has discovered a perfectly transparent he fell down dead at the moment the coffin was cision was the sign and seal of that covenant of grace, and to be applied to the infant children of believing Abraham, as signifying what God promised; and what they must do whole congregation, and receive the right hand cision was the sign and seal of that covenant of a ments wincen ave prevaised in the most civilized carvaino has discovered a perfectly trained as sometimes exclaimed, evidently with a heart of received the country of the Duke of the baptism, as many as desired to join of which the infant children of believing Abraham, as signifying what God promised; and what they must do whole congregation, and receive the right hand of the content of the country of the Duke of the baptism, as many as desired to join the church on trial, to come forward before the out a hope of heaven?" A singular circumstant of the church on trial, to come forward before the out a hope of heaven?" We learn that the Moravian Brethren have when capable, in order to the continued enjoyment of their relationship to God, and its consequent blessings; so should the infant chivdren of all who follow in the steps of Abraham, and who inherit the same covenant blessing, (in other words "who are blessed blessing, (in other words "who are in a heathen state, and the aborigines or native tribes of Australia, who are in a heathen state, and who are in the considerations the bordinance of baptism was a solemn time, and there were few in the vord "words " declared, a short time before her death, that she had no fear of that event. and told her

> probation. The Jubilee Funds of the British and Foreign Nor was this hundred persons by any means peaceful state of mind, waiting until her Bible Society, at home and abroad, bid fair to the sole result of our meetings. I announced to change should come. May the death of this reach an amount which will do honour to the the congregation that I had reserved above forty regard for this excellent and useful Institution. these as retained their steadfastness would be Scotland. By the time other fifty years shall have rolled received in a similar way. Nor is this all. We around, where will they be? With few exceptions, in eternity. The present opportunity of years of age, meeting in class, and surely, out of Let us uphold that Society that upholds the proportion maintaining their ground. Word of God, and aims at sending it to every

congregation to-night. I am, through mercy, as renders them tributary. We do not speak of the and we can labour and rejoice together.

Humility is a flower that prospers most when people In its hands the morality of Christ has little time to spare for careful writing, for my commendation, and not as a command. planted on the rich soil of a noble and great become a terrible arm, which permits it to murder men in order to ravish from them their trea-but I am, as ever,

Your affectionate brother, CHARLES CHURCHILL. Fredericton, N. B., March 14, 1853.

# Newport, Monmouthshire.

In reference to Weslevan Methodism in this three years ago, its very existence in this locality

was menaced, but in vain, are filled with grateful have absented themselves from his levees. joy, on account of the grace by which they emselves have been preserved, and the signal dalised at learning that the Archbishop of Canmanifestation of the divine goodness, by which terbury had engaged to preach in St. Paul's Capeace has been established in all our Societies, thedral, on the 9th of March, the Jubilee sermon and prosperity introduced into all our borders. of the British and Foreign Bible Society. Poor Since the last Conference, the Spirit has been bigotry, when will you die! poured out from on high. The word preached has been accompanied with special unction; February. The Rev. John Jackson, Rector of day for religious exercises; and whilst some not already paid the first instalment of their favour of God, some have sought and found the see of Lincoln. The London Times says, the blessing of entire sanctification, backsliders have choice of Mr. Jackson will satisfy the most debeen restored, and scores of sinners have been truly converted from the error of their ways,—

Payments may be made to Messrs. Bell, our congregations have been greatly increased, als for a moderate and united episcopacy. and our people are earnestly praying for larger communications of divine influence, and a mighty Hindostan,) Budhism, (in Farther India, China ingathering of souls to Christ. Amongst many Proper, Central Table-land, Eastern Slope, and pleasing incidents which might be enumerated, eastern part of the Northern Slope, Confucianism the following is one not the least interesting: - and Rationalism, (China Proper.) Sinto, (Japan.) Some time ago a schooner put into this port, and Shamanism, (Siberia,) Fetichests, the Sikhs, lity, gratitude, love, and joy. They are led the could be several many a several weeks; during the saviour of the work, is suggested. They are led was unavoidably detained several weeks; during Parsees, &c., Jewish and corrupt forms of Christian. more especially to meditate on the evil of sin, the infinite condescension and love of Christ, the infinite condescension and the infinite pious Wesleyan, who invited one and then 825,000; Confucians and Rationalists, 67,000,000 another of the sailors, till at length the entire sect of Sinto, 25,000,000; Fetichists, 50,000 man, and the obligations under which they, as the particular, some account of the remarkable revival of religion with which the Great Head of the to live henceforth not unto themselves, but to live henceforth not unto themselves, but Church has been pleased to visit our cause in this subsequently obtained salvation, through faith in 005,000. other religious services of Good Friday, are truly blessed; their strength is renewed, their faith confirmed and their strength is renewed, their faith confirmed, and their souls are quickened know the painful ordeal of suffering, through in the captain, who too was seen successively a weeping penitent, and a happy believer. It is The Wesleyans will observe this day, by the great fire in November 1850; and you have encouraging to record, that since the happy Lynn, has placed at the disposal of the Mayor fasting and prayer, and by public acts of wor- heard from us how God has prospered our efforts captain and crew have sailed to foreign shores, the munificent donation of £1,000 for the pur-The season will be favourable for earnest in the erection of our beautiful sanctuary. It intelligence has been received, that, "they all pose of establishing a town free library. appeals to the once "crucified," but now exalt- only remains for me to tell you how the ardent stand fast in the Lord."-London Watchman.

# Despatch of the Secretary of State on the Madiai.

The following instructions from Lord John ing time. Availing ourselves of the presence and Russell to Sir H. Bulwer have appeared among

Foreign-office, Jan. 18 1853.

tude, when I found that my own family had been It seems to be imagined, indeed, by some Go-The communication of the Rev. Mr. Church- visited among the first—the prayers of many vernment, on the Continent, that if they avoid she never doubted her eternal salvation.—

The winen appears in account, with great interest. We rejoice in the proston verted to God? Thank God, this was only a they will escape the odium to themselves, and the perity enjoyed by our people in the Circuit on part, though an important part, of the mercy,— sympathy for their victims, which attends upon ed to astronomical science. which he is labouring, and pray it may continue for a spirit of awakening was abroad which we the punishment of death for offences of a political

in by us, and I shall be able, ere I close, to tell the spirit, the weakening of the mind, are but This is said to be the first translation ever made of E ernal glory. The funeral was attended last Third by the action of the present extent of this additions to the capital punishment which long of an ancient Greek poem in the Icelandic

shout dust until the resurrection of the may, in the greater number of instances, be attri-

ergy, and the usual results of sanctified, evange- 60 persons were prostrate before God, and every testant, but that of endeavouring to seduce others ... A treaty has been signed by which the lical labours appear. An instance of this kind night we rejoiced over numbers brought into the from the Roman Catholic faith; that the Tuscan Anhalt principalities of Cothen and Dessau be-

that also which is of the faith of Abraham; who is the father of us all," Rom iv. 16. acceptance with God until about three open the eyes of those Protestants who have months before her death. After this attainment of the Madiai will open the eyes of those Protestants who have smile to the Government of the Grand Duke that the logist, Grimm, (one of the greatest of the age.) "So then, they which be of faith are blessed with faithful Abraham," Gal. iii 9. "Christ hath redeemed us from the curse of the law."

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of them, and the anticipated happiness she glad that Lord John Russell, as Secretary of thronging the hallowed place, "where prayer was it may be said that her Majesty's Government from North latitude 4 deg. to 15 deg., and covenant of grace, and heirs with Abraham of the blessings of that covenant; which were of the blessings of that covenant; which were heavenly Father's house, to part no more heavenly father heavenly father

she had no fear of that event, and told her mother, she had a hope blooming with imwith nim"), receive whatever sign and seal is substituted for circumcision. But we have proved by Scripture in a preceding article, Murray,—which is frequented by numerous Christ, and to be received into the church on JOHN RUSSELL.

### Religious Items.

been identified with this Society, will ever have under the most judicious and careful training at sixtieth year of his ministry—a rare and almost which reduces them to very fine shavings. another similar opportunity to show their high once; and that, three months hence, as many of unexampled event in the ecclesiastical history of

adding largely to the Fund, should be embraced. these, we shall be able to rejoice over a goodly The Established Church of Scotland by his Nor does even this complete the view of this

hibit no sign whatever of diminished interest, Night after night, in the heaviest storms, we are was Mr. Crummell, a man of colour: his father, crowded full, and many now seem ready to give their hearts to God. Last night the penitent-benches were full; and though it storms fearfully benches were full; and though it storms fearfully bench just now, I have no fear about having a small some time as Curate of St. Stephen's, Ipswich. He is about to proceed to Liberia

strong to labour as when we commenced, and I .... Mr. Farmer, of London, well known in not only swallows up, in its orgies, the wealth am surrounded by a band of faithful and zealous Wesievan circles for his unostentatious piety and which it snatches from the superstition of the and devoted leaders, whose own souls, with mine, christian liberality, has forwarded a donation of faithful, but that it even despoils sovereigns, and lave been baptized afresh with divine influence, £1,000 to the Jubilee Fund of the British and the Committee on the Nova Scotia Junction Foreign Bible Society.

the popes are insatiable and blood-suckers. The are we insensible to the kindness of our excel-The faculty of genius is the power of lighting priests affirm that the church is our mother, our lent Chairman, who in the midst of the heaviest granted to the National Society, on the ground, its own fire. As an instance of this, reader, nurse; it is, on the contrary, an infamous step-Poverty saw a poor barber in his shop at Presmother, which devours those whom its hypocritilis own Circuit, spared his colleague to us for party in the Church, who incline towards Romish

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Cape Breton, £86 13s. 4d.; County of Sydney, £27 6s. 6d.; County of Sydney, £28 for the largest vessel affort. The Persia will be a continued protracted meeting in that they have much reason to believe, that a party in the Church, who incline towards Romish

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| Guide County of Hants, £62 11s. 2d.; County of Digby, 1000 horsepower but the probability is that even

tices the departure of the King of Bayaria from boro', £91 5s. 44d -£805 17s. 64d. Rome for Naples. King Maximilian has not pect which even the arch-heretic Nicholas Russia did not withhold, the King maintained a Circuit we have abundant cause to be thankful stiff, solder-like bearing, and contented himself and hopeful. Those noble hearts which rallied with paying ordinary civilities to the sovereign and hopeful. I hose noble hearts which railed round constitutional Methodism, when, two or three years are its very existence in this locality.

.... The Tractarians, it is said, are sadly scan-

.... The Bishop of Lincoln died on the 19th

.... The religions of Asia are, Brahmanism, (in

#### Literary and Scientific. . It is said that Lord Stanley, M. P. for

... His Royal Highness Prince Albert has

proposed the establishment, in connection with the Patent Office. Southampton's-buildings, of a national library of all mechanical and scientific movable by the Executive—and that the memworks, showing the inventions of all civilized bers of that Body should be paid. countries from the earliest times. Accompanying this library his R. H. suggests that there labours of Brother Allison, of St. John, we and the papers laid before Parliament during the each class of inventions, and also a museum or exhibition of machines, models, diagrams, draw-

. . The Leeds Mechanics Institution and Literary Society is in such a flourishing state, as to propose the erection of a suite of rooms, at the cost of £10,000; there are 2,166 members and the Agricultural Society there from that service satisfactory, and was adopted. .. The French Academy of Moral and

Political Sciences has elected Mr. Macaulay and Means. as corresponding member in the room of the ... The Academy of Sciences at St. Peters- the House adjourned. burg has elected the Earl of Rosse, P. R. S., an

honorary member of their body, in consideration of the very eminent services that he has render-... Dr. Sweinbjoern Egilsson, who died last September at Reikiavak, in Iceland, has left

among his papers a complete manuscript transwheels of life c-ased to move, and the imwork of God. May every branch of the Church large part of the first sheaves of success gathered stood that the wasting of the body, the sinking of lation, in Icelandic verse, of Homer's Odyssey. the Bill. respectable assembly, to whom a discourse was delivered in the Weslevan Chanel, after home-work, are enjoying a gratifying measure of the Danish capital, has purchased it for publication the Danish capital, has purchased it for publication the Banaches shall proceed simultaneously. tongue; and the Literary Society of Iceland, in Bill, and passed several clauses,-providing that

munity may remember their Creator in the days of their youth
Micht Pickles.

Micht Pickles. by Government, and six by the Company.

Africa, has recently forwarded to London, a

You are, therefore, instructed to speak in the tection, or sent by post to any part of the world. hoard the Castor ship of war, on her homeward

would rear a wall around the whole kingdom of lated, owing to the inhabitants having emigrated France ten feet high and two and a half feet to Australia.

... A man in Greenfield is manufacturing mishap in Paris. For some time he has blazed poplar wood into mattrasses by means of machi- in diamonds at all the Imperial fetes; on return-.... The Glasgow Herald states that a public pery which he has fitted up for the purpose ing home from the ball given by the Senate to principles of the various bodies of Evangelical of our dear Sabbath Scholars, who had given dinner is about to be given to Principal Mac. The logs are first sawed, and after the bark is the Emperor, he found that his famous diamond Protestants. Few, if any, of those who have evidence of a saving change, who would be placed farlan, on the occasion of his completing the stripped off, they are placed in a machine star had been cut from his coat

Legislative.

### THOUSE OF ASSEMBLY.

WEDNESDAY, March 16th. The afternoon was occupied by a debate on cial year, 1853 54, have been published, and, as the Educational resolutions, which were aban- anticipated, considerably exceed those voted for most extraordinary revival. The meetings ex-

In the evening Mr. M. I. Wilkins presented the Report of Committee on Protection, after which citadel at Halifax, on which £9,500 has been exsome progress was made in Committee of Ways pended out of a vote of £15,434, will have £3313

County of Hants, in favor of the Railway. Laid on the Table.

On motion of Mr. Hugh Munro, the report of votes of £23,019 Telegraph Bill was taken up and debated. Mr. Smith brought in the report of the com-

County of Halifax, £107 7s. 2d.; County of sia, a paddle steamer, ordered lately by the

.... The Roman Journal of the 11th Feb. no- County of Cumberland, £38; County of Guys-After a call of the House, the question was left a very favourable impression on the Court of taken on Mr. Munro's motion for receiving and Rome. In his interview with Pius IX., instead adopting the report against the Newfoundland

of kissing the hand of the Pope, a tribute of res- Junction Telegraph Bill, and decided in the The Act regulating the practice and proceed- Company that Mr. Petherick is the mineralogist

ings of the Supreme Court was then committed they have selected to report on the precise nature -and a number of clauses were passed.

Mr. Archibald presented a petition from 86 freeholders of Earltown against the principle of Mr. Spooner's motion for the withdrawal of the Assessment for education.

Mr. McKinnon from committee on the Petition of Joseph Wilkins of Mud Island, reported against the prayer of the petition. The petition

House went into committee on the common that applications will be made to the English Go-Law Procedure Bill, and passed the numerous vernment for the extradition of Kossuth, Mazzini, clauses of that measure, with several amendments and other refugees. In one of the last settings of

other gentlemen. Adjourned till after 3 o'clock.

On re-opening soon after 3. House went into committee on bills, and took has refused to associate in this propostion against up the bill to incorporate the Yarmouth Fishing England. and Trading company, under the charge of Mr. Lord Palmerston has anticipated any demand

An act to authorise a Provincial Loan, passed ed with scorn.

to the Common Law Procedure Bill were nega, which took place at Dresden on the 18th ult.,

Deaf and Dumb. The House then went into committee of ways and means, and spent the rest of the afternoon FORD .- We regret to announce the unexpected

in debating whether the report of the protection | demise of this respected lady, who expired on the committee should be adopted. Adjourned. SATURDAY, March 19th.

The House met at 12 o'clock, and the Elective Franchise Bill was read a third time. Mr. Martin I. Wilkins introduced a Bill to secure the independence of the Legislative doned on the passage from that place to Liver-Council. It provided that the members of that pool. Body should hold their seats for life-being irre-

Mr. Whitman moved an Address to Her from the building yard of Mesers Wm. Denny Majesty against the Consular Fees-agreed to. and Brothers, at Dumbarton, last week. Several Bills passed in Committee.

Mr. Archibald explained the provisions of new Probate Law he had introduced. Mr. Peter Smyth presented two petitions the subject of Education.

Mr. Marshall presented a petition from Guysborough for the transfer of the grant given to 24th. The Directors' report was regarded as

Hon. Provincial Secretary delivered an ela- Railway. borate argument against Protection, after which The board of Trade's returns for January show

the night in forwarding the Railway Bill. The proceeding to Canada with 15,000 labourers, to greater number of clauses passed without debate. carry on the railway undertakings in progress A protracted discussion occurred relative to the and projected there. Branch Lines, which, it was urged by several The expenditure for the relief of the poor in

TUESDAY, March 22nd. The House was in Committee on the Railway tion, the Branches shall proceed simultaneously, \_\_ but the supply bears no proportion to the de-

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## From Late English Papers

The celebrated traveller, Dr. Rea, had arrived London, to make preparations for his overland expedition in search of Sir John Franklin, and to finish the survey of the northern coast of America. He was to leave early in March fo the northern regions ria New York.

A forgery has been committed on the Bank of England, in which one of the Clerks is impli-

present Session of Parliament.

There has been a general strike of the seamen employed by the Peninsular and Oriental Steam

A singular circumstance recently occurred off

A large village in Wiltshire is almost deponi

The Duke of Brumswick has met with a sad

Lord Cowley, Her Majesty's Ambassador at Paris, is promoted to be a Grand Cross of the Order of the Bath, (Civil Service,) in reward of his labours in the diplomatic service of the

The Ordinance estimates for the ensuing finaned for the present year, was £2,529,821, the total amount required for the next year is £3.053.567. being an increase of £523.746 on the year. The voted towards the completion of the work; and the sum of £12,981, is required towards the con. Mr. Wier presented several petitions from the atruction of a new barrack at Fort Needban £4000 has been already expended out of £19.000 voted, and the work will be completed by further

THE LARGEST VESSEL IN THE WORLD .- Im. mediately after the completion of the five vessels now on stocks at the building yard of Mesers. mittee on Land Damages, and read the follow- William Denny and Brothers, of Dumbarton. ing abstract of claims allowed for different which will occupy at least a month, these gentlemen will proceed to lay down the keel of the Per-£98 3s. 9d.; County of Pictou, £127 10s.; these dimensions will be exceeded before the

The prospectus of a new Company in London styled the "Nova Scotia Mining and Copper Smelting Company," has been issued lately. Is is proposed the capital of the Company shall be It has been notified by the Nova Scotia Mining

and probable value of their property, and that he FRIDAY, March 18. | ie to proceed to Nova Scotia along with Mr. Sewell, the company's solicitor, on the 18th Maynooth College grant, was lost in the House of Commons, on Wednesday, Feb. 23, after protracted debate-the members being 162 for, and 192 against it. An amended motion, which went to include all such grants as that to Maynooth, was

was signed by the whole of the committee, Messrs. J. McKinnon, John Munro, and Stephen proposed by the bon. and learned Speaker, and the Germanic Diet, the representative for the little principality of Lichtenstein, pressed the Federal Assembly to join the other powers in a formal demand to the above effect. Prussia, however,

Killam. The several clauses passed without to extracite Mazzini or Kossuth, by saying, distinctly, that such an application would be reject-

without amendment.

Some amendments moved by Mr. McLellan of his Serene Highness Prince Ruess Ebentdorff, tived and journalized upon.

Her Majesty, his Royal Highness Prince Albert,
and the Royal family will go into mourning for a sient paupers, and Mr. Bent against any grant to fortnight. The deceased was cousin to the Duchess of Kent.

DEATH OF THE DUCHESS DOWAGER OF BED. 23d wit at Nice, after a brief illness of five days. The duchess was the danghter of Alexander, 4th Duke of Gordon. On the 13th, the R M.S. Canada passed a large

ship waterlogged and dismasted-supposed to be the Vanguard of St. John, N. B., recently aban-The Taurus, the third of a line of steamers belished by the Cunard Company, was launched

The English ship Roxburgh Castle, arrived at Cape Town from Melbourne on her way to London, with about eight tons of gold, worth 600,000l,

on and 70 passengers, after a passage of fifty days. A meeting of the St. Andrews and Quebec Railway Company was held at London on the

to the support of a Ferry.

C. P. Roney, Esq., Secretary of the Dublin Industrial Exhibition, has been appointed General Superintendent of the St. Lawrence and Atlantic

an increased export of nearly one million sterling MONDAY, March 21. over the return of the same month last year. The House was engaged until a late hour of It is said that Mr. Wm. Jackson, M P., is about

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