

FOREIGN INTELLIGENCE.

FRANCE.

Another quarrel on the Continent! Scarcely had the excitement about the Turco-Greek dispute died away when the French Press suddenly seizes upon a subject of no great importance in itself, but capable of being made by skilful manipulation and well-sustained appeals to national feeling a serious embarrassment.

The France publishes an article headed 'Public feeling in France,' in which it treats of the railway question in Belgium, and says:—'People believe they see the hand of Prussia in the last Belgian affair. It is necessary that it should be known abroad that France is tired of the present precarious and uncertain condition of foreign relations.'

The *Liberte* admits that when the Prussian press demands the geographical unity of Germany, it does no more than its duty; but on the other hand, the French press is bound to demand the same unity for France.

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It has not the slightest doubt that this would be the answer:—'Rather immediate war, ending in general disarmament, than an armed peace.'

The Countess de Paris has given birth to a son, who has received the title of Duke of Orleans—the title borne by his grandfather when near apparent to the French Throne.

VOLTAIRE'S STATUE.—The word 'reactionary' is a familiar reproach in the mouths of so-called liberals. Whoever wishes to maintain religion, loyalty, or social order, is guilty of 'reaction.'

SPAIN

GENERAL SERRANO'S DISCOURSE.—The Constituent Cortes were at last solemnly opened on the 11th instant by our Provincial Government, and in their name General Serrano read an inaugural discourse as remarkable for its respectful silence on some most important topics, as for the radical liberalism with which it alluded to others.

SLANDER AGAINST CATHOLICS.—In its declaration the Government boasts of having sought inspiration in the most 'radical liberalism' during its short tenure of office, and of having accordingly proclaimed religious liberty, liberty of the press, liberty of teaching, liberty of meeting, and liberty of association.

Certain powerful associations had grown up, full of the spirit of the ancient regimen; that is of the spirit of Catholicism, which were an obstacle and a stumbling block to the onward march of the revolution, and it was found necessary to clear and smooth its path by banishing them from the country.

THE PENSAMIENTO.—The whole speech is thus briefly summed up by the *pensamiento*:—'We have overturned a throne—God knows why; we have banished the Jesuits and dispersed the nuns; we have pulled down churches, and conspired at acts of brutal barbarity against priests and holy images; we have ruined our credit and augmented the national debt; we have distributed emoluments and numberless lucrative posts among our friends and relatives; torrents of Spanish blood has been shed in Cadix and in Malaga; we are on the brink of losing our colonies; the Savings' Bank and the Bank of Deposits are as empty as the Treasury; the clergy and the State pensioners are literally starving; we are menaced by a civil war; and finally we have endeavoured to secure the assemblage of such Constituent Cortes as shall approve all we have done and may yet have to do.'

It is reported that the ex-King Ferdinand of Portugal has personally declared to the Duke de Montpensier his determination not to accept the throne of Spain.

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ITALY.

PIEDMONT.—The dishonour and humiliation which have fallen upon the once noble House of Savoy, through the faults of its own members, receive every day fresh illustration. In 1860, Farina suggested to Cavour that the king should make a public exposition of his person in the discontented southern provinces.

are said to be compared by the Neapolitans to 'those of the Campagna Elysées or the Forte St. Martin.'—[Tablet.]

VENALITY OF DEPUTIES.—Some squabbling is taking place between the Government and the contracting parties in the late transaction of the 'Regia-Comitessa.' Unpleasant circumstances, reflecting little credit on some of our honorable members, are coming to light in connection with the affair.

The *Uniers* relates that the good Christians of Italy, admonished by a sign which has never deceived them, though the world will deride it as unworthy of notice, are expecting grave events. On the banks of the Poscetto, near S. Francesco, near Assisi, a ravine usually without water, is a hermitage long inhabited by the Serapio patriarch.

ROME.—REVOLUTIONARY CONSISTENCY.—In 1859 the revolutionists inveighed against Pius IX. for having bestowed decorations and medals of honour on his soldiers for their valour in quelling the revolt of Perugia.

INSOLVENCY OF NAPLES.—The travellers of every nation arriving from Naples confirm the extreme coldness of the royal reception.

There are above 5,000 political prisoners, all Catholic and royalist, lying without trial, and nearly starving, in the goals of the Two Sicilies since 1851. A commission has just been sent to inquire into it, which will end in nothing, as others have done. Nothing save an amnesty can now restore quiet in Naples, and this Victor Emmanuel dare not give save to Garibaldi and Mazzinians.

RUSSIA.

All the south of Russia is transformed into a veritable arsenal; the fortresses of Bender, Oczakov and Nikolaisff are being armed to the teeth with cannon on a new system and depots of ammunition and arms for an army of 200,000 men are being established there; the regiments which are to compose that army are arriving little by little, either by the railway from Kiet' to Odesa, which has just been completed, but which is only used for the transport or by sea in the case of those who come from the Caucasus.

I am assured, moreover, that in the docks of Nikolaisff engineers and American workmen are working secretly at the construction of several monitors. The language of the superior Russian employes, civil and military, leaves no doubt as to the intention of the Government, for they say openly that the moment has come to avenge the defeat of the Crimea, and that Russia is resolved on attacking Turkey and Austria, while her ally, Prussia, will keep France in check on the Rhine.—*Cor. du Nord-Est.*

LIQUID FUEL AS A SUBSTITUTE FOR COAL.—The experiments made from time to time to prove the practicability and expediency of employing mineral oils as a substitute for coal have been followed by the adoption in many cases of the former material in stead of the latter for the purpose of generating steam for manufacturing purposes.

the practical trials an evaporative duty of 12-436lb. was obtained, or the maximum less about half a pound. With additional care in regulating the supply of air and other details, it is expected that an evaporative efficiency of 13lb. of water per lb. of oil burnt will be obtained.

THE PANTOMIME OF LOVE.—The fan and the handkerchief in fair and skilful hands can tell the story of affection more gracefully than the tongue, but to give their silent language its full effect it should be winged with perfume.

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WHAT IS BRISTOL'S SARSAPARILLA?—It is rather late in the day to propound this question. Thirty-seven years of unbroken success as a remedy for malignant cutaneous and ulcerous disorders, would seem to establish the fact that as a blood depurative it stands foremost among modern medicines.

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WHAT CAN AIL THAT CHILD

How many thousands of parents ask themselves this question, as they see their children becoming more emaciated and miserable every day, while neither their physician nor themselves can assign any cause.

Parents you can save your children. Devins' Vegetable Form Pastilles are a safe and certain cure; they not only destroy the worms, but they neutralize the vitiated mucous in which the vermin breed. Do not delay! Try them! Prepared only by Devins & Bolton, Chemists, next the Court House, Montreal.

INSOLVENT ACT OF 1864.

PROVINCE OF QUEBEC, IN THE SUPERIOR COURT. Dist. of Montreal.

In the matter of MARGUERITE and JULIE PEPIN, Spinners and Traders of the City of Montreal, Insolvents.

THE undersigned have filed in the office of this Court, a consent of discharge executed by their creditors, and on the seventeenth day of April next, they will apply to the said Court for a confirmation of the said deed.

MARGUERITE & JULIE PEPIN. By their Attorney ad litem, NAPOLEON BEAUDRY. Montreal, 20th January, 1869. 2m27

INSOLVENT ACT OF 1864.

PROVINCE OF QUEBEC, IN THE SUPERIOR COURT. Dist. of Montreal.

In the matter of ANDREW MACFARLANE and ROBERT MACFARLANE, Insolvents.

NOTICE is hereby given, that on Wednesday, the Seventeenth day of March next, at ten of the Clock in the forenoon, or so soon as Counsel can be heard, the undersigned will apply to the said Court, for a discharge under the said Act.

ROBERT MACFARLANE. By his Attorney ad litem, STRACHAN BETHUNE. Montreal, 28th December, 1868. 2m23

INSOLVENT ACT OF 1864

In the matter of Thos. Edwards, of Montreal, An Insolvent.

A final dividend sheet has been prepared, subject to objection until the Twentieth day of March next.

T. SAUVAGEAU, Official Assignee. Montreal, 23 Feb, 1869. 2w30

INSOLVENT ACT OF 1864.

In the matter of R. PREVOST, of Montreal, Insolvent.

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FOR THROAT DISORDERS AND COUGHS.

Brown's Bronchial Troches are offered with the fullest confidence in their efficacy. They have been thoroughly tested, and maintain the good reputation they have justly acquired.

These Lozenges are prepared from a highly esteemed recipe for alleviating Bronchial Affections, Asthma, Hoarseness, Coughs, Colds, and Irritation or Soreness of the Throat.

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A DOWN TOWN MERCHANT.

Having passed sleepless nights, disturbed by the agonies and cries of a suffering child, and becoming convinced that Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup was just the thing needed, procured a supply for the child. On reaching home, and acquainting his wife with what he had done, she refused to have it administered to the child, as she was strongly in favor of Homeopathy.

Having the fac-simile of 'CURTIS & PERKINS' on the outside wrapper. All others are base imitations. February, 1868. 2m.

CANADA. IN THE SUPERIOR COURT.

In the matter of JOSEPH OCTAVE MEROIER, of the City of Montreal, Trader, An Insolvent.

TANCREDE SAUVAGEAU Official Assignee.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undersigned has filed in the office of this Court a deed of composition and discharge, executed by his creditors, and that on Saturday, the twentieth day of March next, at ten of the clock, in the forenoon, or so soon as Counsel can be heard, he will apply to the said Court for a confirmation of the discharge thereby effected in his favor under the said Act, and also for the discharge of the said Assignee.

Montreal, 13th Jan, 1869. JOSEPH OCTAVE MEROIER, By DUHAMEL & DROLET, his Attorneys ad litem. 2m24

INSOLVENT ACT OF 1864.

In the matter of A. D. Joubert, Trader, of the City of Montreal, An Insolvent,

TANCREDE SAUVAGEAU, Assignee.

I, The undersigned, have prepared my final account which is open for inspection until the Seventeenth day of March next, and on the said day, at ten o'clock A.M. I will apply to the superior Court of the District of Montreal to be discharged from my office as such assignee.

Montreal 15 February 1869. T. SAUVAGEAU, Assignee. St. Sacrament Street, No. 18. 2w29

INSOLVENT ACT OF 1864.

PROVINCE OF QUEBEC, IN THE SUPERIOR COURT, Dist. of Montreal.

In the matter of JEAN BAPTISTE BEAUDOIN, of Lachine, District of Montreal, An Insolvent.

ON the twenty-second day of April next, the undersigned will apply to the said Court for his discharge under the said Act.

JEAN BTE. BAUDOIN. By NAPOLEON BEAUDRY, His Attorney ad litem. Montreal, 15th February, 1869. 2m29

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