

FOREIGN NEWS.

The Duke of Wellington has resigned the office of Commander in Chief of the British forces, and the Duke of Cambridge has taken his place.

An International Emigration law is talked of between England and America.

The Austrian Minister Hulseman has left the United States in a fit of anger at Mr. Webster.

Kossuth will visit the Falls, and perhaps Toronto, in June, before he leaves for England.

Prince Louis Napoleon has not dared to declare himself Emperor as was expected. The causes of the deferment of the matter are said to be the opposition of Austria, Prussia and Russia, and the refusal of ROTHSCHILD to advance a loan of money to the Prince, if declared Emperor.

Four ladies, while playing with a hand cart, were killed by not observing the approach of a freight train near Rome, New York.

By last accounts from England, Flour was on the decline.

BUFFALO THEATRE BURNED—The Buffalo Rough Notes of Tuesday says:—"At about half-past one o'clock this morning, the Eagle Street Theatre was discovered to be on fire, and before the alarm could be given, the fire had made such rapid progress, that it was impossible for the firemen to arrest it before the entire building and its contents were laid in ashes. The loss must be a heavy one." Lola Montes performed at the Theatre on Monday evening—a few hours before its destruction.

Jenny and Otto Goldschmidt leave New York in steamer Atlantic, June 29th.

Jenny Lind Goldschmidt, at her private concert in Northampton, last week, had one thousand and two hundred people in attendance, and sold 1165 tickets, at prices ranging from \$1 to \$2 per ticket.

Six patients have been admitted into the Indiana Insane Hospital, within the past month, whose insanity was produced by the spirit rapping.

There are 4,000 groggeries in New York city, kept by German and Irish Catholics. The Tribune calls on Bishop Hughes and the Catholic Clergy to put an end to this infernal traffic.

Rev. Dr. Jonas King, U. S. Consul at Athens, Greece, has been sentenced to imprisonment for fifteen days, and expulsion from the Kingdom of Greece, for publishing a book consisting chiefly of extracts from the Ancient Fathers, showing that the Virgin Mary is not entitled to divine honors.

MONEY, MONEY!—The extraordinary abundance of money in the London market, begins to be felt as a serious evil. The Bank of England has reduced its rate of discount to two per cent.

Louis Napoleon's camp of 60 000 men to be formed at Compiègne, is said to be intended to threaten England and Belgium. M. Thiers has been offered permission to return to France but has declined to accept it. An American was insulted by a French officer in the streets of Rome, and on demanding satisfaction, was sent to the guard-house.

DOMESTIC NEWS.

The Huron Election excitement is all over, and Mr. Cameron has been returned without opposition, under protest from the anti-government party.

Mr. Hincks is expected to arrive daily from England. It is thought parliament will not meet till late in the summer. Several men have been killed at Toronto by accident within a week past.—The Government are about to bring before the country a cheap land system, and a plan for an elective Legislative Council.

The city of Buffalo has taken \$150,000 in the Buffalo and Bradford Railroad.—The iron for the Lake Huron Railroad is on its way to Canada.—Canadian free trade with the States is again strongly agitated, with fair prospects of its being effected.—A Suspension Bridge is to be built over the Falls for the Great Western Railway.—Business has opened very briskly on the railways and in lake navigation. Persons can go now from Montreal to New York city for \$5 in 24 hours.—Toronto city has voted £200 for the agricultural exhibition, to take place next Autumn.

A ship with tons direct from China has arrived at Quebec.—It is said large numbers of German Emigrants will arrive in Canada soon.—The Council of the County of Ontario cannot agree to have a new County. The same difficulty exists in Lincoln and Welland.

SOIREEES.

CUMMINSVILLE.—Our old friend Br. Mathews informs us that this Division is to hold a Temperance Soiree on the 16th June. Our services may be relied on.—Br. Dick will endeavor to see. The Brethren of this Division must keep their lights burning—talk and agitate. Don't despise Brothers.

A Soiree will be held to-morrow in Burford by the Claremont Sons.

JOINT MAINE LAW MEETING IN LINCOLN AND WELLAND.—The Divisions in these counties are about to call a convention, to hold a GRAND MASS MEETING of Temperance men early in June, to pass resolutions in favor of the Maine Law. The matter was started by the Grantham Division lately. It will no doubt result in good.

VILLAGE OF HASTINGS, LATE CROOKS RAPIDS.—Br. Samuel Young writes us that the cause in this place is progressing, that the people are in favor of the Maine Law. We are obliged to him for his kind estimate of our efforts. We may during the Summer visit his vicinity. We can assure him that the cause never stood better than it does now in Canada. He speaks very highly of the labors of the London Sailor.

THE LONDON SAILOR, under date 4th May, wrote us a letter from Norwood, saying the Sons there were few but very zealous. He also mentions that at CROOK'S RAPIDS, there is a pretending friend keeping a false Temperance House—a Blue-light. He says that the people there are all for the Maine Law.

Some of his appointments not mentioned in our last are as follows: He lectures at Rawdon West, 24th of May, Rawdon East, 25th, Madock, 27th, Huntingdon, 29th, Thurlow, 29th, Hungerford, 31st, he then goes East.

OUR TERMS AND NEXT PAPER.

Want of room prevents our publishing the Divisions and Agents lists at present. Our next number will be issued on the 31st May, and will contain the proceedings of the Grand Division at London. Our terms are \$1 in advance for this paper—back numbers supplied—clubs of five or above 4s. in advance. Agents taking less than 6s. 3d. from old subscribers, must account to us for the difference. We cannot wait a year or five months, and receive \$1 for this paper—and quarterly or half yearly subscriptions or payments we do not receive, without special directions. Our first June number will be issued on Saturday, the 12th June.

TEMPERANCE IN GREAT BRITAIN.

The Maine Law in our Father land is beginning to attract attention. The two leading and excellent Temperance monthly journals, the Scottish Temperance Review, and the National Temperance Chronicle, London, come out in favour of this Law.

Branches of the New Temperance League continue to be opened in all parts of England.

We advise these Journals to agitate the propriety of establishing Divisions of the Order of the Sons of Temperance, in the three kingdoms.

It seems in England Gin and Beer shops can be kept open on the Sabbath, which causes immense evils to Society and the working classes. An effort is making to get the law repealed.

In all portions of England meetings are being held, but the work with the license system, is palled down as fast as it is built up.

SIR WALTER TRAVELMAN, Baronet, has written a letter to the National Chronicle, in which he recommends Englishmen to petition Parliament immediately for a change in the license laws, giving it as his opinion that the evil of evils in England is drunkenness.

Thousands are at work in Scotland and England, for the promotion of teetotalism.

Br. Balmer, of Oakville, informs us that Mr. White, M. P. P., of Balton, has joined the Order of the Sons at Palermo. A sign of the times.

The Grand Division of Nova Scotia has just closed its Session, and is in a very prosperous condition, 500 having joined the Order within the quarter. Nearly all the Soldiers of the regiments stationed there had joined.

ST. CATHERINE'S CONCENTRATED MISTLE WATERS OF DR. CRAIG.—This is a valuable medicine, and we call public attention to it. The Dr. is also a sterling Temperance man.

THE WATCHMAN AND HIS CORRESPONDENT.

As this paper was going to press, we received a lengthy letter in the Watchman, written by a man, a teacher in the Normal School, in relation to the Brougham Sons, and our late remarks. This young man Mr. McCallum is the same who figured conspicuously last Fall in the Welland in relation to the dismissal of Cadets for taking part in the railroad celebration. We think the man and his correspondent, had better be occupied about something more useful, than in getting into religious controversies in the Order. When we was sent to us to publish we told the young man and he should have followed our advice. The Brougham Sons no doubt by their conduct thought they were doing a good act, and its morality rests with them and their Maker. In the community where they are well known to be moral and upright men. We are no bigot in religion, believing more in the efficacy of good acts than religious professions. We respect and admire the insinuation of the Sabbath, and would view it in the same light that Christ did; that is one made FOR MAN, and not FOR IT. The Watchman thinks to make great capital out of the letter, which for lack of Temperance matter, he has introduced with a flourish, as a leader to his paper. His subscribers no doubt he had better be otherwise employed in giving them QUID PRO QUO. We and our readers are well aware of his enmity, and of the secret, and even the attempts of one of his agents to injure this paper in certain vicinities. We are sorry to have to say this. The whole history of the SUMMER SESSION of the Watchman is not very creditable to its editor though having the conduct of a serious, and Temperance paper, does not act to the degree of openness and fairness we would expect.

The Quebec Gazette, 14th May has a leading article in favor of the License Law. Friend, you reason fairly. Taverns may exist without selling. It is not Taverns we complain of, but their deadly poisonous and useless drug.

RECEIPTS OF MONEY.

From J. J. L. Westminster, \$3 for 1852; R. B. Irtdown, \$3 on acct sub's, J. R. C. Pelham, 1851-2; J. M. Cumminsville, \$3 sub's 1852; R. B. minister, \$1; R. B., Oakville, \$3.

RECEIPTS OF COMMUNICATIONS.

Poetry from J. R. K. is received. Letter from C. Heim. Poetry and Letter from Spencerville. Letter from Pelham, &c. Letter and Poetry, Orono. Crook's Rapids, letter. J. D., Beamsville, letter.

SUDDEN DEATH.

Brother James Sams, of the Ontario Division, killed very suddenly on one of the wharves of the Thursday last, the 13th inst. He was standing on the boat just arriving, when one of the fenders of the boat fell suddenly, the rope having broken, and killed him instantly. He was induced to join the Ontario Division two months ago, and has occupied himself with great propriety as a Member of the Iteyan Methodist Church, and as a Son of Temperance for some months in this city. His funeral was attended by many of the Sons. There was something about the death.