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DARRACH. DARRACH. The House again took up the Report of the Special Committee on the Petition of Neil Dar-med, which had been agreed to by the House, or Saturday, 8th instant, (as given in Hausard's Gazettee, No. 24); and agreed to strike out the last clause thereof, which recommends the printing of 30 acros of Land, in Lot 55, to the Petitioner, and an application be made to the Liead. Governor to that clead: and to substitute instead thereof the following. <sup>14</sup> Your Committee would therefore recommend that an Address be presented to His Excellency the Lieat. Governor, requesting that he will be pleased to submit the evidence and report of the Special Committee of this House, to the Judges of the Supreme Court, or Court of Chan-cery, with the view to ascertain their decision our the merits of Neil Darrach's case, and should they recommend a new trial to be commenced, then this House will make good any expense at-tending the same."

JUNIPER KNESS. Mr. Locouron gave notice that he would, in the next Session of the Legislature, move that a duty of Fire Shillings be imposed on each and every Juniper Knee, exported from this Island, during the year 1854.—The hon. member and that his object, in giving such timely notice, was that parties who might, hereafter, contract for the supply of any quantity of Juniper Knees for exportation, might be fully aware, when so doing, of what might be the action of the Legi-lature in a future Session, with reference to that article. In New Brunswick, with a view to the protection of the Ship-building and general in-terests, an export duty of 4s. 6d. had been im-posed upon each and every Juniper Knee which should be exported from the Province ; and he was persuaded that a due regard to the Ship-building and general interests of this Colony de-manded the imposition of a similar protective duty by its Legislature.

the House: To His Excellency Sir Alexander Bannerman, Knight, Lieut. Governor, &c., &c., &c. May it please your Excellency: The House of Assembly, in the Report on the Post Office Department, which was presented to Your Excellency, recommend that an additional Sum of Five Pounds be paid to the Post Master at Georgetown. And the House also while in Committee of the whole on the Petition of An-gus Macdonald, of East Point, late a Preventive Officer, agreed to allow him the sum of £7 10s. 7d. the amount of Costs incurred by him in prosecuting certain partice for an alleged breach

(d. the amount of Costs incurred by him in prosecuting certain parties for an alleged breach of the Revenue Act of 1851. Both these am-ounts were not provided for in Committee of Supply; and, therefore the House of Assembly respectfully request your Excellency in Council to direct the payments to be made, and the House will provide for the same in its next.Ses-ion

The Collins' steamer Arctic arrived at New York on 5th April, with Liverpool dates to the 23 ult. A letter from M. Bucos, the French Minister of Marine, in reply to one addressed to him by Mr. Ewart, M. P., is published in the English papers. It gives assurances of the most pacific intentions of the French Government, and considers that any serious misunderstanding between the two nations would be one of the ceatest might proper series and the second series of the se

ing of the chains.) 1 never city or indirectly, gave such directly or indirectly, gave such stated in the paper, of seeing the p cabin. I can prive there can be a was an executions to the deck, a of the color store, aundry articles framingers, duras, &c. of every des cu-hions, and parts of cargo con to the surface, so that it is quite e not a possibility of a human bein board."

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CALLET STREET, F SAN FRANCISCO, F Thoeloudless skies and balmy at had prevailed for some time pre-net original, has awakened th had prevailed for some time pre dute, continuing, has awakened th activity. The accounts from the are highly favourable, and there is anticipate general success among 1 the session. The agricultural int favoured, and the prospect before t der of the year is gratifying in the form is a happy laad, and her gr now is a sober, morral popula intelligence enough, but too mud dergrees.

intelligence enough, but too mue degrees. It would afford many of your could they but see the beautiful flowers gathered on the city hi air, this 15th day of February, greets mine eyel. I shall be o the fact as established, that C paradise of botanists, minoralo gists, as well as of knaves and medicine, religion and polities. The most interesting item the,last fortnight is, the declin Flour, which took an awful pl just after the sailing of the must have made a few of the se on the wants of the community

must have made a few of the se on the wants of the community curious, as the declension was §10 per barrel in the course three days. But I still main will rule high, and pay well, o arrive before lat September. Great improvements are goin Splendid, substantial, fire-proo taking the places of wooden ter direction, and the work progre gical aid A few short months tion of the business district of quite insured against the recur calamitous fire. The owners calamitous fire. The owners buildings seem to have been ig vere earthquakes which have o recently as 1812-'28-'34. On recently as 1812-28-34. On currences, I have been credibly the four-feet-thick walls of a were so widely rent, that a through. Such a shock as Ai suffered would make awful hav interior, railroads, plank ros are projected in every directio ing built, exhibiting a commen and certifying the fact that a lation is rapidly extending itsellimits. limits

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at New York, with "two millic Everybody reads of cheae millic few stop to dwell on their imn Few people have any more id and trillions are, than they ha brogans worn by the cobblers million of dollars possesses a rather startling to a man the such a pile. To count this su §1,500 an hour, and eight hour requise a man to work near if the said dollars were placed would reach a hundred and while their transportation wo teen wagons, carrying two to *Times*.

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# Saturday, April 1

CLOSING OF THE

sion. Report on the subject of the Crown Lands and Crown Fishery Reserves. Note.-With reference to the Report of the Special Committee on this subject, as adopted by the House Saturday the 6th instant, and published in Husser(3') Gazetic, No. 24, the Reporte, at the request of Ma. CLARK signed the Report, it contained a recom-medation "that reasonable compensation should be made, for the sacrifices which tenants 'and 'andi free holders' would be called upon to endure, when required to give ap, for fishing purposes, any parts of the Reserves in their occupation or possession." but, that the words " and small freeholders" which had been inserted in the Report, at the suggestion of Ma. CLARK, were struck out when the Report was andle consideration on a Committee of the whole House; and, consequently, the Report, at the suggestion of Ma. CLARK signed H. The hon. member show wishes it to be further stated, that he was acti-dentially absent, at the time the division on the Report at Ma. CLARK signed H. The hon. member show wishes it to be further stated, that he Report at Narks, Report. R. B. INFARD, CLARK signed in Committee. R. B. HUNKA, Report. This day, at Two o'clock, I ALEXANDER BANNERMAN came Chamber, and being seated, Black Rod was directed to con SCRAPS OF NEWS.

ance of the House of Assembly with their Spaker, His Excell in Her Majesty's name, to giv Bills, after which His Exceller close the Session with the foll SPEECH : Mr. President, and Honorable

Legislative Council; Mr. Speaker, and Gentlemen of sembly;

I am happy to release you tive duties, and to thank you

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gentest misfortunes. A fire took place on the 19th ultimo, in the Prince of Wales' Tower, in Windsor Castle... Several rooms in the occupation of the Royal family were badly burned, and at one time the whole edifice was in danger of total destruction. The Canadian House of Assembly has passed a bill increasing the representation in that body from eighty-four to one hundred and twenty-eight members.

WEDNESDAY, April 13.

DARRACH.

JUNIPER KNEES.

ALLOWANCES. ALLOWANCES. Hon. Mr. TROBATON. from a Committee ap-pointed to prepare an Address to His Excellency on the Subject of certain allowances to the Post Master at Georgetown and Angus Macdonald, of East Point, late a Preventive officer, reported

the following Address which was agreed to by the House

REPORT ON THE PETITION OF NEIL

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tive duties, and to thank you to the public business of the O Session. The measures which you I soon obtain publicity throug wel; and those important A pending clauses are attached warded to the Secretary of S nied by explanations, which offer to Her Majesty's confider fore such Acts are submitted fore such Acts are submitted tion of the Queen.

Mr. Speaker and Gentiemen Assembly: The Sapply which you have posal of the Ensoutive, for it will be applied to the purpos been voted.

Mr. President and Honorabi Legislative Council; Mr. Speaker and Gentlemen Associably;

Mr. Speaker and Gentlemen Amonby: I take this opportunity to faction at your having abets any course which might he negotiations, which, I annou ing of the Session, had comm bajeety's and the United Sta-been prepared, and is unde-of the high contracting par-tion of 1818, by whom alo can be abregated or modified, that this important question otherwise, you have, in any yourselves to that protection where Americans subjects the bave no right to fish, and fro were excluded during the b Majesty's cruisers. A few days ago I received voluminous report on the Fi appended to that report, pag T. This years every reset harbours of Prince Edward and, this new days about them.