

TELEGRAPH NEWS

London, June 18.
The political situation in Spain is far from satisfactory to the friends of the country. Republicans are dissatisfied with the action of the Cortes in establishing a Regency, trouble is expected when Marshal Serrano takes the oath of his new office.

New York, June 18.
Gold steady to day; money easy.

London, June 18.
The Irish Church Bill was again before the House of Lords to night, and was debated by Earl Russell, the Duke of Abercorn, the Duke of Argyll, the Bishop of Litchfield, and Lord Westbury.

The press this morning infer from the tone of the debate in the House of Lords, that the passage of the Irish Church Bill is certain. The Times says the disestablishment is foredoomed. The extent and mode remain to be settled. Modifications of the Bill are now admissible.

New York, June 19.
Gold 136 3/4.

Ottawa, June 18.
The House was occupied with the consideration of concurrence in the report of Committee of Supply.

On the items for militia and defence Rowell complained of the increase of pay to members of the staff, while the drill pay of rank and file was diminished. He thought two thirds of the staff could well be dispensed with.

Sandfield Macdonald said there was a vast amount of unnecessary expense connected with the militia which was causing great dissatisfaction in the country.

Blanchard and the Minister of Militia defended the arrangements existing.

In reply to Rose, Carlier said the volunteers were to drill thirteen days and receive fifty cents per day and others one dollar per. Two thousand tents and ten thousand blankets had been procured for the use of the volunteers.

In days of drilling volunteers would be called to drill at reasonable period of the year.

In reply to Levesconte he said that gentlemen not examined were not to receive commissions in the active militia. It was intended to make about thirty-five regimental divisions.

All bills in items passed before six o'clock. Supplementary estimates for the year ending 30th June, 1870, contain the item of \$320 for a fog whistle at Seal Island.

Ottawa, June 19.
Rose stated that Government accepted vote of last night on salaries of officers of Kingston Penitentiary.

Remaining items of supply passed. House in Committee passed resolution imposing tonnage of ten cents to improve port of Chatham.

The resolution was then embodied in Act for improving Harbours and Channels in certain ports in the Dominion, and bills passed.

Insolvency Bill passed second reading in Senate, and referred to Special Committee.

London, June 19.
At three o'clock this morning after a warm debate and amid intense excitement the House of Lords passed the Irish Church Bill to a second reading. 179 against 146.

New York, June 19.
Henry J. Raymond, editor of the N. York Times, died yesterday of apoplexy.

Gold 136 3/4.

Ottawa, June 21.
Discussion took place on motion of Fortin to adopt report of Committee on Fisheries and Navigation Revenues, recommending to suspend that portion of the Fisheries Act which compels fishermen to raise their nets and seines from Saturdays till Mondays.

The Government agreed to consider the matter, and if desirable pass an order in Council to that effect.

The report of Committee on Supply was concurred in.

On the item of \$147,000 for opening and providing for the North West Territory, Holton objected to so large a vote.

In reference to the item of \$8,900 for Emigration services, Sir John stated that agents were to be appointed in Scotland and the North and South of Ireland, to the latter of which places Mr. John, of the Canadian Freeman, was appointed.

Ottawa, June 21.
Resolutions passed for raising loan of three hundred thousand pounds for the purchase of Hudson's Bay Territory; and another three hundred thousand pounds for opening communication with said Territory.

Bill to provide for temporary Government of Rupert's Land passed.

Also bill respecting Inspectors of steamboats and bill respecting engineers and investigation into shipwrecks.

Sir John stated correspondence with Imperial Government loan was incomplete, and would not admit of being brought down. To the last Imperial despatch an answer had been sent.

In reply to MacKenzie, MacDonnell stated that arbitration regarding claim of construction of Parliament buildings would be hoped soon conclude. The estimate for roofing and completing library building was \$145,000. He had learned while in England that an iron roof preserving the same architectural appearance could be put up for \$6,000.

Report of Fisheries Committee recommending suspension of that portion of Fisheries Act that compelled fishing nets to be raised over Sunday was adopted.

Bill respecting duties of Justices of Peace out of Sessions read third time and passed. House sits this evening, will prorogue to-morrow.

YARMOUTH AND ANNAPOLIS RAILWAY EXTENSION.—The report of the Civil Engineer, appointed to survey the line for the above Railway, returned to Sandford Fleming, Esq. shows the estimated cost of construction by the interior line, a distance of 80 1/2 miles, to be as follows: For construction, including 10 per cent. for contingencies, \$1,879,351.55, for rolling stock, \$242,250; total, \$2,121,601.55, or a cost, including rolling stock, per mile of \$26,273.82.

The Excursion over the Woodstock Railway to St. Stephen, on Tuesday last, was not so well patronized as is the case. The present season of the year is one which our farmers are too busily occupied about their farming operations to permit of their taking recreation in the way referred to.—Woodstock Sentinel.

Owing to the increased facilities afforded to travelling public by our daily trains and steamers, Woodstock is being visited this season by an unusually large number of strangers.—Id.

The Standard.

SAINT ANDREWS, JUNE 23, 1869.

The Troops are fast leaving the B. N. A. Colonies,—now called the Dominion of Canada.

We have before us the speeches of some friends (who like ourselves were strong advocates for Confederation) who asserted during the election campaign, "that unless we were united in Confederation, the troops would be withdrawn from the Colonies," now we want a joke for the sake of politics,—but we do say that they were mistaken—for the forces are being withdrawn, and the guns and ammunition are also being shipped to England. These changes might have taken place even were the Provinces not confederated, as the Manchester school of politicians in the Imperial Parliament, have long been clamoring for a reduction of the Army, and the consequent removal of the troops from the Colonies.

It was generally believed, however, that the dear bought experience of such impolitic military changes in Australia, the Cape of Good Hope, and other dependencies, the British Government, would not consent to leave the Colonies unprotected, as it must know, that the Colonists were not in a position to defend themselves, and that they could not keep up a standing army. True the Hon. Mr. Gladstone, now premier, said in his famous Liverpool speech, that Britain would send her last man, and last ship to protect her colonies; nevertheless the withdrawal of the troops has in some measure reinforced the statements of those who opposed the Union; but we cannot after all believe that the removal of the forces in the Dominion are a consequence of Confederation.

SCHOOL EXAMINATION.—We beg to leave to intimate that a Public Examination of the Parish School will be held on Friday the 2nd July, commencing at 10 o'clock. In the evening of the same day, the preceptor of the School, Mr. White, will deliver a Lecture on "Education," to which parents and all interested in the instruction of youth are invited to attend. We have no doubt that in Mr. White's hands the lecture will be a popular one.

NEW LIGHT HOUSE.—We beg to direct the attention of contractors to an advertisement in our columns requiring Tenders for the erection of a Light House on Machias Seal Island; they are to be addressed to John Harley, Inspector of Lights—to whose influence may be attributed this necessary public benefit.

SUDDEN DEATHS.—An old man named James McKay, a native Scotland, in the employ of Mr. Henry O'Neill, retired to bed on Monday night last in his usual health, and was found next morning dead, it is supposed from heart disease. "Jimmy" as he was called, was an inoffensive, decent man, of about 60 years of age; he formerly went to sea, but for the last few years lived in this town.

On Monday last, a Mrs. McGinnis residing at Chamcook, while to the act of milking her cow, was struck down suddenly, and expired. The cause of her death is attributed also to heart disease. She leaves a husband and three children to mourn their loss.

BROOM CORN.—The "Journal" wishes to know whether "broom corn" of good quality, can be grown in the Maritime Provinces.

Some years ago the late Thomas Sims started a broom factory in this place, and also tried to raise broom corn. From some cause it did not come to perfection, in fact we tried it on good ground but it did not arrive at maturity. The seasons are too short, and the climate did not appear adapted for its successful culture.

At the "turning of the first sod" on the Houlton Branch of the St. Andrews Railway—the "Sentinel" says, excursionists from Calais and St. Stephen took part in the ceremony.

Friday last 18th June, being the anniversary of the Battle of Waterloo was celebrated by one of the old heroes of the Peninsular Army, Major Pharesant, who had the "Union Jack" hung out over his residence; (long may it wave over the Province.) He entertained as usual, some friends at a "dejeuner a la fourchette." The day and all who honor it, with several other loyal and patriotic toasts were drunk; and the company separated with the hope that the host might long enjoy good health and celebrate one of Britain's greatest military triumphs.

The attention of Coasters, Fishermen and Pilots is directed to the official notice from the Collector of Customs, in our advertising columns.

From the telegrams and Boston papers, we learn that the Great Peace Jubilee, held in Boston last week, was a magnificent affair and a perfect success. We learn from St. Andrews friends who were present and have some knowledge of vocal sounds, that both the instrumental and vocal performances were splendid.

AN INQUEST was held by Dr. S. T. Gore, Coroner, on the 22d inst., on the body of Jas. McKay, aged 60 years, found dead in his bed. Verdict.—Death from natural causes.

The third number of the "Presbyterian Advocate" has reached us, and is well filled with interesting and instructive articles. An additional useful feature in the present number is the introduction of a selection of secular news, shipping list and a few advertisements, and so far the paper is non-political.

JOHN BOLTON, Esq., M. P., returned from Ottawa on Tuesday last. His legislative labors appear to agree with him.

Boston papers of Monday speak in high tones of the Jubilee, and give reports of sermons preached on the great Peace demonstration. From the "Journal" we copy the following items:—

JUBILEE SPEECH OF THE BRITISH MINISTER AT WASHINGTON.—At the Banquet given to President Grant, the Mayor proposed two toasts—President Grant, and Her Majesty Queen Victoria. The former was accepted gratefully, but with the usual "silent nod" of the President. The latter called up Minister Thornton, who thus responded:—

Mr. Mayor and Gentlemen,—I hardly feel called upon to say much more than to respond to the sentiment which has been offered. I in the first place ought not to respond because his honor the Mayor promised me that this would be a banquet without any speeches at all. (Laughter.) However, it affords me very much pleasure to answer the toast which has been given. I am not in the habit of speaking, but I thank you very much for the honor you have done the guests who have been invited here to witness this wonderful performance (applause); for it is indeed a wonderful performance. I thank Mayor Shurtleff especially for the mention which he has made of my beloved Sovereign. She approaches, I am sure, the objects of the meeting. (Applause.) I am sure that she more than appreciates the celebration of the return of peace to this country. There may be some people in England, and I will not deny that there are, who think that the separation or division of this country would be an advantage to England, but I am proud to say of the men of England,—of the honorable portion of the people of England,—that they do not think so at all. (Loud applause and cheer.) They are not in sympathy with any such idea. It would be a strange thing, indeed, if a good mother should wish to see quarrels among her children. (Applause.) I would rather be inclined to have them all friends with her—brothers and sisters—in order that they might add to the common stock. Some people think there cannot be a sentimental friendship between England and the United States. I am quite of a different opinion. (Applause.) I believe that there can be even a sentimental friendship. I believe that there should be such a friendship in order that all the world might see the advantage of liberal institutions, which I think we can claim to have established in this country. We have the pride of having established liberal institutions in this country. They have already grown beyond the mother's expectations; but nevertheless, she established them. (Applause.) Surely the interest of both countries should be sufficient of itself to make a friendship between them—England must profit by trade with this country, and the common stock is increased and improved by it. England must profit by the union and influence and prosperity of this country. (Applause.) Therefore, I am happy to have the opportunity to drink to the stability of the union of this country. (Loud and prolonged applause.)

Minister Thornton resumed his seat amid applause, after which the banquet was resumed.

FAST SAILING.—Capt. Pritchard has received letters from his ship "Cambrian" which has made the run from Cardiff to River Plate in 45 days, having on board a full cargo of 1700 tons. She reached Western Islands in 5 days, thence to Equator in 23, to lat. of Rio Janeiro in 35, and thence to River Plate in 40 days. This run is equal to a passage of sixteen days from this port to Liverpool, and taking into consideration the calmness of the Equator, is certainly an extraordinary run.—Our St. John built ships are sustaining their reputation for superiority in all waters.—(Id.)

TRULY A PEACE FESTIVAL.—It is a fact as creditable to the character of our citizens as to that of our hundreds of thousands of stranger visitors, that there have been fewer arrests for petty or major crimes during the past week than during any week for the past fifteen years. It is also extremely gratifying to note that our numerous exchanges, who had representatives here during Jubilee week, speak of the good order which prevailed everywhere in the most complimentary terms.

THE CROPS.—A Chicago paper publishes crop dispatches from twenty-four points in Illinois, seven in Iowa, and five in Wisconsin.—They report the prospects for wheat fine, and some places will double the last year's crop. Corn is generally backward, owing to the cold and wet. Some corn is being replanted, and the crop will not be as large as usual. Oats and barley look well. Potatoes are promising, except a few places where bugs have appeared.—The wheat harvest has commenced. In South-rn Illinois the yield averages twenty-five bushels per acre.

LIBERALISM IN RUSSIA.—Another step in advance is contemplated by the Russian Government. This is no less than the establishment of local government. The Minister of the Interior is now occupied with a project of law for the institution of elective municipal councils in the cities of the Russian Empire, Poland being excepted. A more important change could hardly be made. Higher local government has been carried on exclusively by functionaries nominated at St. Petersburg.

—The wife of Rev. Father Taylor died on Saturday evening, after an illness of about four weeks. She was seventy-four years of age, and had she lived until the 12th of next October would have been fifty years married. She was exemplary in all relations of life; and a genuine Christian.

ITEMS.
BRITISH COLUMBIA.—Gov. Seymour died on the 10th inst., on board the H. M. S. gunboat Sparrowhawk. Mr. Musgrave, Governor of Newfoundland is appointed his successor. Several excursionists left by train this morning for Woodstock.

London, June 21.
It was reported that the Cambridge boatman will withdraw from the match with the Harvard Club.

The steamship "Great Eastern" arrived at Brest on Sunday night, and yesterday the shore and ocean lines of the Atlantic cable having been spliced, she sailed for Miguillon and St. Pierre.

New York, June 22.
Gold 137 1/4.

—Joiners are scarce on Western Extension where they are in demand on bridge work. We learn that those at work have "struck" for \$2 a day.

—The price of meat and butter is rapidly falling in St. John market.

—A Tobacco Manufacturing Company is being formed at Moncton; Capital \$20,000.

COUNTERFEITS.—Photographed \$5 Bank B. N. America note was detected yesterday at the Bank counter. It was well executed, and would easily deceive any one but an expert in such matters. One of them can now be seen at the office of C. E. L. Jarvis, Insurance Agent, Princeps-street.—(Daily News.)

MISS COULT, the distinguished lady of wealth and of enlarged benefactions, opened person, a few days since, and in the presence of all the royal family in the city and of numerous dukes and lords, archbishops and bishops as well as others, the Columbus Square Market in London. She inherits her vast wealth from the house of Coult & Co., and has increased it greatly by continuing the business after the death of her father, and becoming as she is now the head of the house. She signs herself August G. Bardett Coult.

EIGHT DESSERTS from the Currier here were reported last evening, and we understand that more than double that number were left behind by the 22nd Regt., at Fredericton, a few weeks since.—(Telegraph.)

MEASLES.—Probably never before was St. John so afflicted with the measles as at the present time. The type is extremely mild however, and scarcely a death has occurred from this disease, though hundreds or thousands have been suffering at a time. In some instances persons who had previously fallen victims to the disease have not escaped this time, and we have heard of one well authenticated case in which the contagion took effect a third time on the one individual.—(Id.)

—Emma A. Ridley, of Auburn, N. Y., was struck by lightning and instantly killed the other day while standing at a table ironing. No injury was done to the house.

ARRIVED.
On the 22nd inst. at the residence of Col. D. Mowatt, Walton Place, by the Rev. P. Keay, A. M., Walter B. Morris, Esq., to MARY, third daughter of the late David W. Jack, Esq., of St. Andrews.

On the 21st inst., at Bradford's Hotel, by the Rev. W. Q. Ketchum, Rector, Mr. Wm. Thompson to Miss Adelia Fountain, both of Deer Island.

At St. Luke's Church, on the 18th inst., by the Rev. S. D. Lee Street, Rector, Ward Chipman Hazen, of the Parish of Woodstock in the County of Carleton, to Miss Ann Jane Coult, of the same place.

On the 10th inst., by the Rev. W. H. Street Robert Frederick Porter, to Miss Isabella Irvine, second daughter of Mr. John Irvine, all of the Parish of Andover, Victoria County.

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Athlete, Waycott, Boston, 38 cords bark

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GOVERNMENT HOUSE, Friday 28th

PRESENT:

His Excellency the Governor in Council.

ON the recommendation of the Minister of Customs, and under the 8th section of the Act 31 VI 1869, "An Act respecting the Customs," has been passed to order, by order, that the Harbour of St. John, in Cape Breton, Province of Nova Scotia, be and the same is hereby declared to be an Out Port of the name of Port Caledonia, and the Survey of the Port of Sydney.

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At Albion H.

Ladies Cambric Handkerchiefs, 40c

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