

FOREIGN NEWS.

The Smyrna Delaware State Temperance Advocate says a Roman Catholic Bishop of Philadelphia has applied to the Legislature to become a Corporation in order to hold property. This paper wisely advises the Legislature of Pennsylvania to reject such an application. Famine in the remote settlements and mines of California has done a great work of death, thousands having died of absolute starvation. much sickness also prevails on some of the vessels from Panama to St. Francisco. It is said an agitation is just about to be started to revise the Constitution so as to allow Slavery—and divide the State into two portions. A Society or Order exists in the State of Pennsylvania called the "Philanthropic Order of Anti-tobaccoists." Mr. King, Vice-President Elect of the United States, who went to Havana to recover his health, has so far done so, as to have strong hopes of being in Washington at his post in May. The authorities of Mexico (if there are any such,) have sent commissioners to invite Santa Anna to return there and assume a dictatorship. This is a miserable expedient. They require two things—educate the people and expel the miserable corrupt priests of the country. Mexico is literally torn to pieces by factions and wars. There was a rising or revolt lately at Matamoros, and another at Tampico. The whole country resembles one vast Indian settlement, tribe quarrelling with tribe. General Arista resigned on the 5th January, and Chief Justice Señor Cevallos is the present executive. Considerable excitement exists at Washington on account of a rumour that an American steam vessel the "Black Warrior" had been fired into by the Cuban authorities without any provocation. War is talked of by the extreme democratic party. General Pierce is at Washington, surrounded by the leading Democratic politicians, caucusing about the future policy of the incoming Administration. It is said he has come to the conclusion not to occupy the White House until it is repaired. European intelligence says that the Austrian Emperor and Louis Napoleon are both to be crowned in May. Kossuth and Mazzini have been concocting in London some plan of future operations. The Italian it is said has left England on some mission, and Kossuth has issued a proclamation giving his views, addressed to all Hungarian soldiers and Italians. A great strike of workmen has taken place at Baltimore, about 5000 of them refused to work on the Baltimore and Ohio railroad unless higher prices were paid. Louis Napoleon's health is said to be very bad. His empress is said to be a regular Spanish pride, driving whip-in-hand four horses, and performing other masculine exploits. Mr. Cobden in England has written a pamphlet, giving his opinion of the character of Wellington as a warrior, stating that no warrior can earn a good name with posterity unless engaged in a defensive war, and condemning many of the wars in which Wellington was engaged, as also the present war spirit of France and England. It has caused considerable excitement.

DOMESTIC NEWS.

A man named Kirkwood was very suddenly killed in the Great Mill of Mr. Warren of Oshawa on the 22nd February. The Town Council of Oshawa have granted four licenses, two for temperance houses, and two for liquor houses. Poisoning is becoming very common in Canada; a case of the kind happened last week in Toronto, a Mrs. Mense, an innkeeper's wife, of a bad reputation, was poisoned by herself or some unknown hand. A case is just reported of a woman supposed to have been poisoned by her husband at Sandwich. Mr. Burrows of Kingston, a lawyer little known, has been appointed Judge of the County Court of the United Counties of Frontenac Lenox and Addington in the place of Mr. Kirkpatrick resigned.

Parliament.—Bills to provide for the safety of travellers on the highways—in legalize the use of sulphuric in killing noxious animals, were read a first time. Bill to extend the right of prisoners to be heard by counsel, was read a second time. Other bills of minor importance affecting local interests have been read a second time. The Government are about to lay before the House a proposition to pay members of the Legislative Council for their attendance. Bills to amend the District Court Act and to facilitate the duties of Justices of Peace in convictions and other things, were read a second time. The New University Bill was brought up and discussed by Mr. Hincks, Brown, and others. On the Petition of the Canadian Institute of Toronto, the Government have agreed to vote a sum of money for its support, as well as to science—a very useful measure. The Clerks of the Peace in Upper Canada are applying for alterations in the Jury Act. It is not known whether Mr. Hincks will press his remedial Commercial Paper or not. The American Reciprocity Act of Mr. Seymour is very one-sided in its nature. At late dates 25 members were absent from Quebec. Various important bills will come up for discussion this week which will be alluded to in our next issue. Mr. Young's Free Trade Resolutions have not yet come up. A discussion took place in the House on the defective state of Education in Lower Canada.

Miscellaneous News.—Mr. H. B. Snow, the author of Uncle Tom's Cabin, is to sail for Glasgow, Scotland, on the 25th March. The Pennsylvania Canals are to be opened for business on the 21st instant. Late American news say that the American Congress will authorize the President to negotiate a reciprocity treaty with the British. It is said that the merchants of Toronto have already commenced importing goods by way of the United States at Lewiston. The steamer Chief Justice brings over large quantities of goods daily, and the steamer Admiral is to follow suit soon to Rochester; the lake boats are all preparing for an early opening of navigation. Thomas Clarkson has been elected President of the Board of Trade. An alliance has been made between the St. Patrick's Society and the St. Patrick's benevolent Society, the former merging into the latter, as it is said for political purposes. It was rumored that several eminent persons were to be executed in Havana. The latest American news state that the Maine Liquor Law had passed the Legislature of Illinois.

Receipts since our last Issue.

W. H. P. North Cove, for K., \$14, 1853; S. B. New market, \$23, 1853; R. E. of Oakville, for Miss J. R., 1853, \$1; A. Young, Tyron, \$5; A. H. Aphodol, \$2; this brother would oblige by calling on Mr. D. for his sub. \$4. 9c. S. J. L. Lora, \$1, 1853; J. Q. B. Bradford, \$3; W. McL., Middleton, \$6, 1853; T. D. West Flemberg, \$2; 1853—the papers to the three subscribers were sent a long time ago in due course of mail, and if they have gone astray

the fault is in the post office. I. D. M., Burford, \$1; papers for subscribers from this office are all regularly mailed—by some mistake the two alluded to were not, J. C. Cornwall, \$4, 1853. Wm. R., London, 1853, \$1, by hands of Evans & Co., Toronto; Geo. B., Boltonville, \$1, by hands of Lawson, J. E. L., Stratford, \$1, 1853—he had not paid before. T. H., Hawkesbury, \$2, 1853. H. McT., Amherstburg, \$2, 1853. J. M., St. David's, \$1, 1853. In our last, we incorrectly stated in the receipts, \$9 to H. of Waverdown, it should have been \$0 to us, and \$2 for the Rev. R. D.

Subscribers will take notice that at this time of the year, our terms call for \$14, which can be paid at any time before the expiration of six months, from 1st January 1853. All R. TERMS. Any person subscribing as a new subscriber will pay \$1 in advance or within one month. Our terms can not be departed from. No letter with money from the Phoenix Division has reached this office. Motion is authorized to act as agent for this paper in the vicinity of Newmarket. Robert McGeorge, of Amherstburg, will please act as our agent for 1853. All Agents, when they send money, should specify for whom it is.

MARKETS.

TORONTO, MONDAY 25th February, 1853. No material change has taken place in our markets or in the New York Markets since our last issue. The tendency of the flour market in New York is to rise. Canadian sold at \$5 25c to 25c, on the 25th February. Wheat was held at \$1 25c in that city. Peas at 40c. Late advices from England are better. In Toronto Wheat brings from 4s to 4s 4 1/2d fall, spring from 3s 6d to 3s 9d. Flour, best, 2 1/2 3d. Potatoes 1s 6d to 2s 3d. Peas 2s. 6d. to 3s. 6d. Barley 2s. Butter, fresh, from 10d to 11d, tub 9d. Eggs 7 1/2 to 9d. Oats 1s 6d to 1s. 10d. Hay \$11 to \$14. Pork \$5 to \$6 1/2. Beef \$4 to \$5. Seed, per bushel, \$3 to \$6 1/2. The weather in the beginning of last week was cold, wind west north-west, in the latter part of the week quite mild, two days were spring like, Saturday and Sunday quite mild, wind in the south-east, to-day an easterly storm has set in with rain.

Temperance Movement—County of Perth.

The Subscriber invites his fellow settlers in the County of PERTH, of which STRATFORD is the County Town, to aid him in promoting the circulation of information on the important subjects of TEMPERANCE and the MAINE LIQUOR LAW in the County. He desires not any monied influence, but only that which is in the power of every man and woman to afford—namely, the assisting the distribution of printed papers, bearing on the above subjects, and the inducing all to peruse them, and to notice the facts which may be referred to. He intends to put in the hands of every family in the County a Temperance Publication, and he only wishes and expects the assistance of its inhabitants, (to nearly all of whom he is well known) to forward his views in the circulation, distribution, and reading of them. The Publications will be such as, he hopes, will not disturb the religious or political feelings of any person. At the same time, as the importance of the consideration of Temperance and the Maine Liquor Law has been referred to universally by the Press, he invites leading men and others in other Counties, to consider whether such a movement as this should not be made in their localities. There are two publications he can refer to, as so worthy of perusal, that he hopes a mere reference to them will be sufficient—1. Dr. Guthrie, of Edinburgh's—"Plea against Drunkenness," (which has been copied seriatim in the "Spirit of the Age," Hamilton), and 2. "Use and Abuse of Alcoholic Liquors, in Health and Disease," by Dr. Carpenter, price only 1s 3d. at Hamilton and other places. JOHN J. E. LINTON. Stratford, County Perth, } 7th Feb., 1853.

CHARLES DURAND, Esqr., BARRISTER, ATTORNEY, and SOLICITOR, in CHANCERY, respectfully informs all debtors of employing him professionally, that he has removed his office from Yonge Street near his private residence, to his new office, over the store of B. M. Clark & Co., Grocers, near the corner of Yonge and Temperance Streets, near Lawson & Clarkson's store. He is now prepared to attend business in all of the courts of this Province, or to Conveyancing and Agency Toronto, February 22nd 1853.

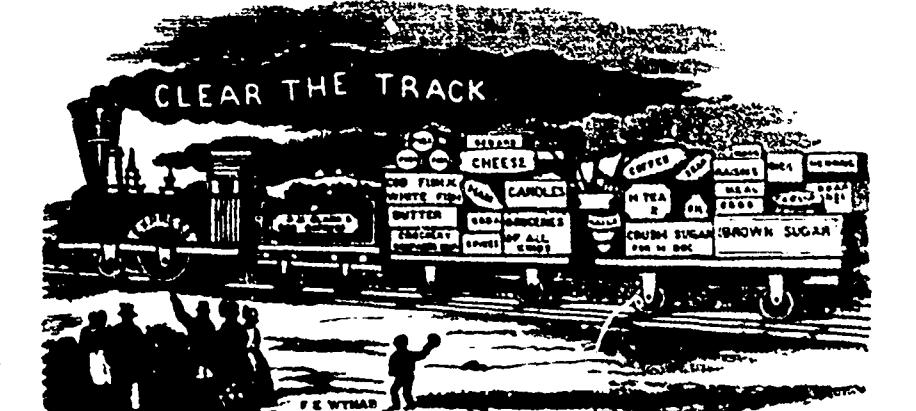
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