seems most happily developed in the flowery path of poesy. We need not say that they are both writers of more than or dinary ability; and we are proud to have their services engaged in behalf of the church of which both are devoted

We shall feel very much obliged to our reverend brethren by the communication of statistical matter relative to their respective charges, such as we have been lately publishing. We can assure them that this species of information is ex ceedingly gratifying to the members of the Church at large and the more particular they are in the accounts of the ris and progress of their respective parishes, the more pleased, we are fully authorized to state, will our numerous readers be. We have heard many expressions of commendation bestowed upon the full and interesting account of the 'Rec. tory of Grimsby,' recently published in The Church; perhaps, then, we shall be excused for suggesting that, as a specimen of the information which our congregations throughout the Diocese very eagerly desire.

We have great satisfaction in transferring to our columns the following Address to the Earl of Durham, and his Lord. ship's gracious reply. We have been apprized by the Vene rable the Archdeacon that there was not time to convey a copy of the Address to all the Clergy in the Province for their approbation, but as there is not a sentiment contained in it in which they will not cordially concur, they will at once, we feel assured, excuse the unavoidable circumstance to which we allude :-

To His Excellency the Right Honourable John George Earl of Durham, Viscount Lambton, &c. &c. Knight Grand Cross of the Most Honorable Military Order of the Bath, one of Her Majesty's Most Honorable Privy Council, and Governor General, Vice Admiral, and Captain General of all Her Majesty's Provinces in and adjacent to the Continent of North America, &c. &c.

MAY'TT PLEASE YOUR EXCELLENCY:

We, Her Majesty's dutiful and Loyal Subjects, the Clergy of the Established Church of Upper Canada, beg leave to approach Your Excellency with our cordial and sincere congratulations on your safe arrival in this Prevince.

A few weeks have only passed since Your Excellency commenced the arduous duties of your exalted mission, and yet experience already justifies our confidence in your wisdom and ability, and calls forth our gratitude to our beloved Sovereign for having selected for the Government of British North America at this important crisis, a nobleman so well qualified to maintain the dignity of the Empire and the character of Her Majesty's Representative.

Deeply engaged in the duties of our sacred profession and in strengthoning the cause of order by our daily prayers and actively employed in diffusing religious knowledge and those principles of piety, Loyalty, and obedience to the laws for which the Church of England has ever been distinguished, we behold with joy her rapid progress in the wilderness, notwithstanding the many difficulties which she has to encounter. And our hearts are encouraged with the hope that under your Excellency's kind auspices, these difficulties will be gently removed without detriment or just cause of offence to any other denomination; and that under the nursing care of our beloved Queen and in accordance with your Excellency's Counsel, this magnificent Province will in a short time be filled with churches and congregations and a numerous clergy ever prepared to support the cause of social order and to maintain our connexion with the Parent State.

Cherishing no other ambition than that of promoting the temporal and spiritual happiness of our people and living in peace and harmony with our fellow subjects, we fondly anticipate the greatest blessings from Your Excellency's Government, and earnestly hope that its remembrance may be embalmed in the grateful hearts of future generations.

That Almighty God may take your Excellency into his Holy keeping and enlighten your mind with the spirit of wisdom is the fervent prayer of the CLERGY OF UPPER CA.

In the name of the Clergy of Her Majesty's Province of Upper Canada,

> JOHN STRACHAN, D.D.L.L.D. (Signed) Archdeacon of York.

I beg that the Clergy of the Established Church will accept my best and most respectful acknowledgments for this testimony of their confidence in me.

Such a tribute coming from so venerable a body, is most gratifying. Deeply convinced as I am that States, as well pure religion, I shall always deem it a sacred duty to afford its Ministers every encouragement in the exercise of their eternal truths of Christianity.

To the Editor of the Church.

London, U.C., June 29, 1838.

REV. SIR.—Being a member, and carefully brought up in the bosom of the Established Church, any thing tending to promote her interests is particularly gratifying to my feelings; and as a further convincing proof of her influence and usefulness, I most respectfully beg leave to transmit to you the tations. following satisfactory account of a Sunday School in connection with our Communion, held in the Church in the seventh Rev. Thomas Greene, Travelling Missionary in the London District, who, in the absence of our faithful and much esteemed Clergyman, the Rev. B. Cronyn, very kindly devoted for keeping the very large and respectable Congregation toand continued until late in October, when the inclemency of the season obliged us to close. My own feeble exertions, as Secretary of the institution, were cheerfully afforded, and I feel much pleasure in stating that I had no less than 108 schothat number were in regular attendance. Every Sunday the School was opened and closed by singing and prayer; the strictest order and regularity were observed by all concerned; and the Scholars made proficiency beyond all expectation .-They committed to memory no less, in the aggregate, than

shines in the department of prose, the talent of the latter fifth chapter of the Gospel of St. Matthew. It must, Sir, I is a vessel of the largest class, her size preventing her admiskindly assisted as Teachers, to cultivate and infuse the prin- very great, and from her performance on the first trial it is be- of bringing back prosperity and happiness amongst us. ciples of our venerable Church. We had just commenced lieved that she will surpass, in this respect, any vessel out of again this year with the same flattering prospects, when we the port. vere informed that the Rev. Mr. Greene was to leave us, and to take charge of another station. His loss we deeply and unanimously deplore, and it is very much to be feared that both the School and the Congregation at this place will suffer materially, if not be broken up altogether, from the want of a Cergyman amongst us. As it is not in the power large a congregation and school, it may well be said that "the harvest truly is plenteous, but the labourers are few."

in your respectable and very useful paper, "the Church," and in the meantime.

> I have the honour to be, Your obdt. humble Servant, JAMES PARKINSON, Secretary to the Sunday School, seventh concession, Township of London.

#### Summary of Civil Entelligence.

LATEST NEWS FROM ENGLAND.

The Packet Ship Siddons arrived at New York brings seven days later than previous advices. We subjoin a few paragraphs of miscellaneous interest .-

GREAT BRITAIN

PARLIAMENTARY PROCEEDINGS.

was given to the poor laws amendment bill and some others. Tuesday. The Lord Chancellor moved the third reading of the bill to abolish imprisonment for debt. The bill is so

amended as not absolutely to do away with imprisonment on final process, but very considerably enlarges the remedies against pefore the person can be taken. Imprisonment on mesne proess is abelished entirely. Lord Brougham took various exceptions to the bill, but it was finally read a third time and passed. Wednesday .- The House did not sit.

Thursday .- Lord Brougham presented a petition from 45,000 baptists, against the punishment of death for murder. The Irish poor relief bill was postponed until Tuesday the 19th. A long debate ensued on certain petitions against the pooraw system, but it produced no result.

House of Commons, Monday, June 11 .- The debate on the nunicipal corporations bill for Ireland was continued, Lord John Russell moving for its re-committal. Mr. O'Connell moved to postpone the re-committal for a week, pledging himself to bring forward good reasons against the passage of the up in committee. The struggle was on the qualification, Sir £5. Sir Robert Peel's motion for the £10 qualification had suspicion, this afternoon. The robbers had taken out so previously been rejected in committee. He declared his perfeet confidence in the ability of his party to defeat the appropriation principle (for purposes of education). Lord John Russell assured the House that he should not yield on the they could not be heard. The question was then taken, and Lord John Russell's motion carried, 266 to 286.

Tuesday. The Woodstock election committee reported that the Marquis of Blandford (Tory) was duly elected. The Whig candidate was his brother, Lord John Churchill.

Mr. Hume gave notice, that at an early day he should bring orward a motion for a committee of inquiry into the state and fluctuations of the currency &c. Mr. Spring Rice said he was perfectly willing, and so was the Bank of England.

Wednesday. No business of general interest was done. The bill to abolish imprisonment for debt, from the House of Lords, was read a first time.

The arrival of John Van Buren, Esq., son of the President is announced in London papers of June 15.

York on the 13th May.

In addition to lines of steam ships to America and the West Indies, a company has been formed at London, to establish a line between that port and the Brazils.

The steam-ship Victoria, on her passage from Hull to Lonas individuals must prosper and deserve to flourish, in pro. don, burst one of her boilers on the 13th ult., by which five or portion as their conduct is actuated by the principles of six persons were killed and several severely scalded. The Victoria started from Hull in company with another steam ship, with which she raced the whole distance. When just below holy calling; knowing from long experience that their lives the London dock, the Victoria run foul of a collier brig, and are scrupulously devoted to the practice of the tenets which stove in her starboard paddle box ! The engine was immediatethey inculcate, and to the unwearied propagation of the ly stopped, and in a few minutes one of the boilers burst with a terrible explosion, divesting the quarter deck of all the baggage, and considerably shattering the ship. This steamer exploded at nearly the same place last March, and the same engine and boiler were in use, when the above accident occurred, the defective boiler having been newly repaired.

The London Herald says that the principal American firms which suspended payment have been able to liquidate their liabilities, to an extent far exceeding their most sanguine expec-

The condition of Ireland in several districts is very disturbed, In Wexford, a fatal affray took place at a sale of eattle concession of this township, under the superintendence of the distrained for tithes. They were knocked down for half their value, when the country people became enraged, attacked the police &military, killing one man and wounding several others

THE CORONATION .- It is in contemplation of the city aumuch of his time to the ministration of the Gospel in this vi- thorities, on the day of the ensuing Coronation, to illuminate cinity; and to whose exertions we are particularly indebted the Mansion House, Guildhall, the Bank of England, and all the principal civic buildings in the city, in the most mag- your first visit to this province. gether which belongs to the above Church. The Sunday nificent manner possible. The General Post-office in St. Mar\_ School alluded to commenced in the month of June last year, tin's le-Grand will be brilliantly illuminated. Workmen have its pecuniary embarrassments, the almost entire cessation of

has been appropriated to the payment of the interest.

The Liverpool papers state that a new steamer, the Tiger,

conceive, be cheering to every friend of the Church, to see, sion into any of the Liverpool docks. She is propelled by en- bring upon our country the horrors of revolt and anarchy, lead such a field open for improvement, and I beg further to assure gines of 300 horse power, with expansive valves, and is fitted us to indulge the hope that the period has now arrived, when you that no opportunity was lost on the part of those who up with Mr. Samuel Hall's patent condensers. Her speed is a wise administration of the government may have the effect

#### UNITED STATES.

very shortly, and that his corn is not in a much better condition. The wheat, having had nothing to do but ripen af- the world. If, Rev. Sir, you think what I have written worthy of your ter the dry weather commenced, is superb. There was a notice, I shall feel much obliged if you will give it a corner large fire on the Northern part of Long Island, nearly opposite New Haven, on Thursday or Friday night of last week, which continued for many hours .- New York Journal of and that we are determined, by every means in our power, to Commerce, July 18.

> PHILADELPHIA. - Among the deaths which occurred in Philadelphia last week, one hundred and twenty-five were children under two years of age.

THE FRONTIER .- We learn that Col. Worth, appointed to the new (8th) Regiment of Infantry, has arrived in town from the south, and proceeds immediately to the north, to organize the same. In the composition of this regiment, the officers have been selected with a particular reference to their previous service upon and acquaintance with the nor-Liverpool dates to the 16th and London to the 15th of June, thern frontier. Col. Worth, than whom a more able and efficient man could not have been found, alike distinguished by his gallantry in the war and his unflinching decision of character, and good sense and sagacity in every emergency, is to command on the New York portion of the frontier .-Monday, June 11. - In the House of Lords the royal assent His head quarters, Sackett's Harbor .- New York Eve. Star.

CAPT. MARYATT .- A correspondent of the Baltimore Chronicle, at Prairie du Chien, (Ill.) says-" Marryatt the Novelist has just left us. He speaks warmly of the kind reception awarded him by the officers at Green Bay and Fort Winnebago, and in one of his forthcoming works will no property, and provides that such remedies must be exhausted doubt refer to it. The author of the triangular duel has a passport to the hospitality of every clever American."

LOWER CANADA.

From the Quebec Gazette of Friday.

It has been reported here that His Excellency the Governor General is expected to return to Quebec on the close of the present week, or the beginning of the next.

A letter has been received in Quebec dated London, 9th June, from Andrew Stuart, Esq., -It states that he was busily occupied, preparing papers on Education, and on the Boundary question .- Ib.

BURGLARY .- The shop of Mr. William Venner, jun., Des-Fossès Street, St. Roch Suburbs, was broken open last bill. The motion was negatived, and the bill was again taken night, and dry goods, to the amount of £100 in cash taken away. A party of the Police set out after them Robert Peel contending for £10, and Lord John Russell for this morning, and we learn that five persons were taken on much that they were obliged to leave some in the street, which was brought to Mr. Venner this morning .- Ib.

The Protestant Episcopal Church of River du Loup was struck with lightning on the 5th inst., and was much injuqualification. A number of members rose to speak, but the red in its roof and rafters,—the etherial fluid descended from house made such an uproar with calling for the question that the ceiling to the stove, by the wire that suspended the pipe, -no injury was done below .- Ib.

## UPPER CANADA.

# MELANCHOLY OCCURRENCE.

On Tuesday last Daniel Lee, a most respectable man the father of a large family, who was employed as a sawyer as the mills of J. R. Benson Esq. about a mile from this village on the Otonabee, while sonducting some logs down the rapid was suddenly seized by paralysis and fell down in the river and although standing in less than 18 inches of water he was hurried off by the stream before any assistance could be rendered him. On the same day John Lenny who was bathing a little fur-

turned. That Daniel Lee came to his death by a fit of Epilepsy and that John Lenny was accidentally drowned when bathing. bents, &c., instead of exceeding ten millions, as is generally As the wife and family of Lenny resides in or near Kingston we will be obliged by the Chronicle and Herald giving the above an insertion .- Peterborough Sentinel.

A Gentleman arrived from Niagara Yesterday reports that the American Pirate Morreau has been found Guilty, and is ordered for execution on Monday next. The remaining heroes taken at the "Short Hills" affair being British subjects, are allowed ten days preparation for trial. - Star.

The rumoured destruction of five hundred Indians, by a Steam boat explosion in Tenessee is contradicted. A boiler did collapse it is said but no lives were lost .- ib.

We copy from our contemporary the Star, the following address of the Inhabitants of Cobourg, to the Earl of Durham, together with his Lordship's reply. The address was presented to His Excellency at Toronto by a deputation of gentlemen from this place.

To His Excellency the Right Honourable John George Earl of Durham, Viscount Lambton, &c. &c. Knight Grand Cross of the Most Honourable Military Order of the Bath, one of Her Majesty's Most Honourable Privy Council, and Governor General, Vice Admiral, and Captain General of all Her Majes-America, &c. &c.

MAY IT PLEASE YOUR EXCELLENCY:

We, the inhabitants of the town of Cobourg, beg to approach your Excellency to offer our sincere congratulations on

Your Excellency has arrived at a time when this colony, by already commenced making preparations for the same. - Globe. emigration, the depression in the value of land, the unfortu- 27th:-The fortune left by Prince Talleyrand is said to amount to nate prevalence of party spirit, and above all by the late unnabetween eight and nine millions of francs-nearly two millions tural rebellion, has been reduced almost to a state of ruin.whom he presented to the king. His estate of Valencay is to unite in a spirit of cordiality for the purpose of averting, by ment of our object.

Your Excellency's appointment as Governor General, and the extraordinary powers conferred on you by our gracious sovereign, as high commissioner, we receive as grateful evidence of the sincere desire of her Majesty, not only to restore per-DROUGHT IN LONG ISLAND .- A very severe drought pre. feet tranquillity to this portion of her dominions, but to esvails over a great part of Long Island, as well as along the tablish matters upon a permanent basis, such as will render shore of the main land. A Long Island farmer who last the investment of capital amply secure, bring entire content year raised 700 bushels of potatoes, says he shall have none to the people, and induce that influx of wealth and populaof any lay member of our communion to keep together so this year, worthy of the name, unless there should be rains tion which, under a wise government, are alone wanted to make this country one of the happiest and most prosperous in

We beg to assure your Excellency that we have the highest confidence in your abilities and integrity to effect the great objects for which you have been selected by our beloved sovereign, give our cordial support to your Excellency's administration.

We take this opportunity to express to your Excellency our conviction that the steps which you have taken to enquire into the disposition of the waste lands of the crown, with a view to the extensive promotion of emigration, will be productive of the most salutary effects; and we assure your Excellency that this and every other measure you may adopt for the future welfare of the colony, will call forth the warmest gratitude from the loyal subjects of this Province.

His Excellency, in consequence of the numerous addresses presented to him during his very short stay in Toronto, having landed at 4 o'clock on Thursday, and leaving the following day about the same hour, was unable to give a written reply. His verbal answer was of considerable length, and was made in his usual very forcible and graceful manner. The following is the substance, without any attempt, however, to clothe the sentiments he expressed in his own appropriate and beautiful lan-

His Excellency requested the deputation to convey to the inhabitants of Cobourg his extreme satisfaction at the sentiments conveyed in the address, and the cordial manner in which they had expressed their confidence in him. He regretted the deplorable state to which the country had been reduced, and the inconvenience which its inhabitants had experienced in being called from their business to suppress the predatorial attempts of robbers and pirates. He assured the deputate n that this would not again occur—that arrangements had been made for the effectual security of the country, and that the loyal subjects of this Province would be allowed in future to pursue their agricultural and other pursuits without any danger of disturbance. He said that the series of difficulties which had occurred he had no doubt proceeded from misgovernment. He did not mean to impute any fault to any individual here-we, said his Excellency, must take the blame to ourselves, (meaning, as the deputation understood, the Home Government); but he was satisfied that it would not occur again. He said that he had several important measures in contemplation, which he hoped would soon bring back the tide of prosperity to this Province. It had been determined to open a passage to the sea by means of the River St. Lawrence and the Welland Canal. The resources of the Province, he said, were unbounded, but they had never yet been perfectly developed. He did not think we were too sanguine in our expectation of returning prosperity : he had no doubt that a great influx of capital and population would ensue upon the measures he was about to adopt, and that we might be assured our confidence in him was not misplaced. He concluded by again requesting the deputation to convey to their fellow townsmen his satisfaction at the address which had been presented to him.

Lady Arthur and family arrived in Toronto on Sunday last in the Britannia steam boat from Oswego.

## Miscellaneous.

INCOME OF THE CHURCH.

There is no subject upon which the enemies of the Church are more fond of dilating, than upon the enormous wealth ther up, was seized by cramps and suddenly disappeared. The of its Clergy. A service, therefore, is done to truth to state bodies of the unfortunate individuals were found on Wednes- its real amount, in which there can be no mistake, as it is The steamer Sir Lionel Smith, from this port, entered in- day, when an inquest was held, and the following verdict re- extracted from the Parliamentary returns. It will be seen that the whole incomes of the Bishops, Chapters, Incumasserted, are under four millions, viz., £3,444,513.

Total net yearly incomes of the Bishops of Eng. £ land and Wales, subject to temporary charges 160,292 Total net yearly income of Cathedrals . . . 208,239 Separate revenues of the Dignities therein . . 66,465 Total annual income of the Archdeacons . 4,878

Total net income of all the Incumbents in England and Wales. . . . . . . . . £3,004,639 Total number of Livings is 10,719. Of these Livings there are—Under £50 - - - - 297

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ty's Provinces within and adjacent to the Continent of North Number of Parishes in which there is no Glebe House 2878 Number of Parishes in which there is none fit - - - 1728 Number of Parishes in which there are fit - - - - 5947

BIRTH.

In Peterboro' on Wednesday, the 18th inst. the lady of Edward Duffy, Esq. of a daughter.

LETTERS received during the week, ending Friday, July

Rev. W. Herchmer, with enclosure (the receipt has been forwarded); Rev. J. Padfield, rem.; M. C. Crombie, Esq.; of dollars. He is said to have left annuities to the amount of We beg, however, to assure your Excellency that, deeply im- J. Kent, Esq. with enclosure; Rev. J. Shortt, add. subs. & lars enrolled upon the books of the School, and about 90 of 50,000 francs a year, of which 12,000 francs go to the valet pressed with the duty we owe our country, we are determined rem.; Ven. The Archdeacon of York, with enclosures; Rev. G. Hallen; Rev. H. J. Grasett, and parcel; Rev. J. Reid. said to be mortgaged to the amount of 2,400,000, but that every means in our power, these calamities, and that we will rem; Mr. J. Ballard, A. P.M. Toronto, (his attention is thankmoney (in the funds producing a dividend of 120,000 francs) suffer no minor points of difference to prevent the accomplish- fully appreciated); Rev. J. L. B. Lindsay, (dated May 17th, 1838, and Postmark'd Cornwall, July 20); D. Per-13,490 verses of the Holy Scriptures, commencing at the will probably be despatched from that port to New York. She and uniform defeat of the several disgraceful and wicked at- sure; Mr. W. Page; Rev. W. Anderson, with back Nos. The happy suppression of the rebellion, and the complete ry, Esq. add.subs. and rom.; A Real Hearer, with enclo-