

thirty thousand souls. This speaks well for the morality of the Bathurst District.—*Transcript.*

ENTERPRISING.—The propeller *Genesee Chief* has been purchased for \$18,000, by some gentlemen from Montreal, who are to despatch her to San Francisco during the present season.—*Globe.*

GREAT BRITAIN.

THE MURDER AT CLAPHAM.—Monday, a coroner's inquest was held at the Two Brewers, Clapham Rise, to enquire into the circumstances attend int up in the deaths of Mary Weston, aged 35, and Mary Elizabeth Weston, her daughter, aged 18 months, who were murdered by James Weston on Saturday morning. The coroner and jury were engaged for five hours in the investigation. The coroner having summed up the evidence, the jury, after about ten minutes' deliberation, returned a verdict of "Wilful murder" in both cases against James Weston, husband of the elder deceased.

THE CONVICT QUESTION.—It is said that an intimation has been given by Lord Grey to parties interested in emigration to the Cape of Good Hope that the plan of sending convicts to that colony has been withdrawn. Some definite announcement to this effect was required, since the unsettled state of the question was calculated to interfere injuriously with the proceedings of merchants and others in this country connected with the trade of the place.

UNITED STATES.

INLAND SHIP BUILDING.—The *St. Louis Renelle* says a full rigged schooner has been built at Mineral Point, Wisconsin, and transported thence across the country forty miles, to Galena, where she was launched. She sails direct for San Francisco, via Chagres and Panama, the design being to draw her on a truck across the Isthmus. She will reach St. Louis about the middle of November.

FEMALE PHYSICIANS.—The *Syracuse Star* says that the Central "Medical College," recently established in that city, is about to share the honors with the Geneva Medical College, in giving to females an opportunity for studying the profession. Mrs. Gleason, of Glen Haven Water Cure, Mrs. Davis, of Mount Morris, and Miss Mary M. Taylor of Buffalo, have made application to the trustees and faculty, for permission to attend the course of lectures to be given this winter.

BOOK TRADE IN CINCINNATI.—The *Cincinnati Gazette* puts down the aggregate amount of the book trade branch of industry in Cincinnati, at about one million of dollars per year.—The *Gazette* says that the business is not by any means confined to the sale of books made elsewhere, but is composed in a very considerable degree, of books manufactured throughout at home. There are about thirty booksellers in the city, three stereotyping establishments, and fifteen power presses running principally on book work, one of which is employed constantly in German publications. Six of the power presses are driven by water in one establishment, the others generally by steam. The entire number of power presses in the city, book, news, and job, is 25. The number of binderies is ten.

VERMONT FRUIT GROWERS' CONVENTION.—The Fruit Growers' Convention—a new notion in our State—was held last week at Montpelier. The object is, to promote the growth and improvement of fruit in the State. President Wheeler of Burlington, was appointed President of the meeting. A State Horticultural Society was organized, and Chauncey Goodrich, of Burlington, elected President of the Society. There were exhibited about sixty varieties of apples, and specimens of pears.—*St. Johnsbury Caledonian.*

ARRIVAL OF THE "CAMBRIA."

New York, Nov. 12.

Letters from Vienna state that a Russian courier had arrived there with the intelligence that the Czar would not press for the extradition of the Hungarian refugees.

Some 60 vessels were wrecked on the East Coast, during the late equinoctial gales, attended with loss of life.

Queen Dowager Adelaide is ill, and not expected to recover.

A memorial to Lord Palmerston, urging the Foreign Secretary to use every means in his power to put a stop to the barbarities of Haynau, and to restore to Hungary a Constitutional Government, has been put in circulation.

Lola Montez has stabbed her new husband, who had left her. A fire occurred in London on the evening of the 23rd, in the drug store of Bays, Brothers & Co, which were consumed, and about thirteen other buildings were much damaged. The loss is represented as being very great.

FRANCE.—The Council of Ministers which was held on Wednesday, and at which the President of the Republic was present, was one of considerable importance. The letter of M. D. Falloux was discussed, and the Ministers agreed that it amounted to his resignation.

BROKERS' CIRCULAR.

Montreal, Friday, 9th Nov., 1849.

Flour.—The business of the week has been unimportant, at prices within the range of our quotations, viz; 20s to 21s 3d. "Fine," unless of first-rate quality, is totally unsaleable.

GRAIN &c.—**Wheat.**—The only samples of U. C. Mixed offering have been of middling quality, and found buyers at 1s. 4d.—really good would be saleable at 4s. 6d. Lower Canada Red is offered at 4s. 6d. per minim, buyers offering 4s. 3d. **Pras.**—Considerable; sales have taken place at 2s. 3d. to 2s. 5d. per minim; the latter price as however not to-day procurable. **Provisions.**—The sales of Beef are so entirely retail in character, as not to be worth noticing. **Miss Park**, has advanced. Sales of uninspected hams have taken place at 65s, and of inspected at 67s. 6d. Prime Mess is asked for and saleable at 52s. 6d. Prime is not so much in demand, and was yesterday offered at 40s., the best offer being 37s. 6d.

BUTTER.—Small sales at 5½d. to 7½d. There is a fair stock now in market.

ASHES.—Have been active at irregular prices. Pots have been sold during the week at 33s. to 36s. 3d, and Pearls 32s. to 32s. 7½d. The stock of both kinds is very light.

FREIGHTS.—No tonnage offering.

EXCHANGE.—The transactions since our last have been very trifling; Bank being heavy at 12 per cent. prem.

Stocks.—*Montreal Bank.*—Offering during the week at 10 and 10½, but without sales. *City Bank.*—In active demand at 40 discount, without sellers. *Bank British North America.*—Offered at 20 discount, without takers. *Banque du Peuple.*—Asked for at 35 discount—without sellers. *Upper Canada Bank and Commercial Bank.*—Nominal as quoted—No sales. *Montreal Mining Consols.*—Sales to some extent have taken place at 13s. to 13s. 3d. cash, and at 15s. per Share on time. The higher cash rate is not to day procurable—but they are still readily saleable at 15s. on time. *Quebec Mining Company.*—Nominal at 11s. per Share, but without sales during the week. *Montreal Telegraph Company.*—Without sales—3 premium offered. In other Stocks, nothing to notice.

Montreal, Monday, 12th Nov., 1849.

There were some transactions on Saturday, both in flour and ashes, but without establishing any variation from the quotations above given.

BIRTHS.

Montreal—26th ult, Mrs James Clarke, of a son. 3rd inst, Mrs A Hubbard, of a daughter. 4th inst, Mrs W R Scott, of a daughter. Kemptville—19th ult, Mrs (Rev) James Cooper, of a daughter. Perth—27th ult, the wife of Dr Wilson, of a son. 29th ult, the wife of T M Radenhurst, Esq, of a daughter.

MARRIAGES.

Montreal—6th inst, by the Rev Mr Bond. Mr George M'iver, to Sophronia Maria, daughter of Mr Zeno B Clark. By the Rev Mr M'loud, Alexander Reaume, of Newark, to Ann Stringer, eldest daughter of the late Nathaniel Stringer. 8th inst, by the Rev J Girwood. Mr John Bond, second son of Robert Bond, Esq, farmer, parish of St Laurent, to Miss Marion, youngest daughter of the late Robert Hishop, Esq, farmer, St Rose. Brantford—31st ult, John Ferris, Esq, to Emily, youngest daughter of R R Bown, Esq.