

**THE TREATY OF PEACE AND THE RESERVED QUESTIONS.**

The *Journal des Debats* has a long article indicating the provisions of "The Treaty of Paris," and more especially relating to the way in which the Congress has filled up the fifth article of the Austrian propositions; the article which, it will be remembered, conceded to the belligerent powers the right to advance special conditions "in the general interest of Europe." The article states, that the Russian Plenipotentiaries did not defend the retention of the military arsenal of Nicolaieff, nor any of the military establishments in the Black Sea or the Sea of Azoff. Sebastopol will not be rebuilt. The Black Sea and the Sea of Azoff are to be completely neutral Seas, and no ships of war, except light ones, for police purposes, will be allowed. All the Russian forts in the Black Sea, from the Caucasus to the limit of the Russian territory, not far from Batum, will be destroyed, and are never to be re-established. With regard to the Russian fortresses upon the northern side of the Caucasus, from the Black Sea to the Caspian, the Allies have given way, but the treaty provides that the frontier which separates Russia and Turkey at this part shall be rectified, and that the Russians shall abandon their conquest, and return from Kars into their own territory. Russia preserves its possession of the Aland Isles, but only on the condition never to fortify them or maintain there a military position. This stipulation is considered very favourable to Sweden; Stockholm being but three or four hours distance by steamer from those islands. The treaty pronounces the suppression of the Russian protectorate in the Danubian Principalities; but the Conference still hesitates between the different systems of political and administrative organisation which have been proposed. Three of its members are to be sent to the spot in order to ascertain the feeling of the people. The choice of these Plenipotentiaries is now under consideration. Whether the withdrawal of the Austrian troops should be immediate, or should be postponed until peace and order in those countries shall be secured (!) has not, as yet been decided. Turkey has demanded an indemnity for the expenses of the war, and has revived old claims for the compensation for the repeated occupations of the Principalities by the Russians. Plenipotentiaries have opposed this claim, and the Congress has not yet come to a decision upon it.

**A NEW CONCORDAT.**—It is announced that a brief or "concordat" has been entered into between Naples and the Pope. The particular stipulations are not yet known, but it is said that henceforth, all the questions of an ecclesiastical nature in the Two Sicilies will have to be referred to Rome.

The Empress Dowager of Russia is expected at the court of her brother, the King of Prussia, Berlin, in the course of May, and after remaining some time, will take her departure for some of the watering places in the South.

**THE EAGLE PEN.**—The Eagle pen, which was taken from the king of birds to sign the treaty of Paris, was extracted by M. Feuillet de Couches himself. It requires more than the strength and *savoir-faire* of a *chef de protocole* to deprive this bird of one of its feathers. The task is not an easy one. The Eagle in the *Jardin des Plantes*, in undergoing this operation, was entangled in a strong net. The powerful bird made a long resistance, and in the scuffle with it the workman who took it upon himself to make this extract was dashed to the ground in no very gentle manner. This was done exactly a week previous to the signing of the treaty, as the pen had to be prepared before it could be used for writing.

The cost of towing the steam floating battery *Glutton* from the Crimea to England, was Twelve Thousand Five Hundred Pounds, although she has never fired a shot against the enemy.

**HEALTH OF THE CRIMEAN ARMY.**

The *Gazette* contains a despatch from General Sir W. Codrington to Lord Panmure, enclosing a report of Dr. Hall on the sanitary state of the army, for the week ending March 22d. Notwithstanding the recent arrivals of several drafts of recruits and the cold winds which have prevailed, Dr. Hall reports, that the increase of admissions to the hospital has only been small. Taking the whole force in the Crimea, out of 16 deaths, seven took place in the Land Transport Corps, and out of the 16 three were from the direct effect of drunkenness. The troops stationed at Kertch are equally healthy. The Cavalry Division on the Bosphorus is also very healthy.

**FRANCE.**

The *Moniteur* contains returns which show that, up to April 1st, the quantity of beet-root sugar manufactured in 1856 was 40,183,000 kilogrammes more, and that the quantity sold for consumption or bonded in Government stores was 29,285 kilogrammes more than up to the same time in the previous year.

A letter from Toulon states, that all the Russian prisoners who were remaining in that port have, within the last week, been embarked for Odessa. They were about 100 in number, of whom three were officers.

Two vessels at Marseilles are loading for the Black Sea, and one for the Baltic.

**THE ITALIAN QUESTION**

The Paris correspondent of the *Times* asserts, that the Congress is still occupied with the Italian question, though it is not well known, what can be done beyond giving advice to the Pope and the King of Naples.

**AN EXCUSE.**

The Russian diplomats in Paris have excused themselves from attending the ball given by the Turkish plenipotentiary on the plea, that one of their *attaches* has the measles.

**THE PRINCIPALITIES.**

The Vienna correspondent of the *Times* writes:—"The Moldavo-Wallachian question is not definitively settled by the Treaty of Peace signed on the 30th of March, but the 'parties that have made peace' have agreed to send a commission into the two Principalities. On its arrival, the commission will proceed to form two general Divans; the one for Wallachia, and the other for Moldavia, whose members are to be elected by the people. As soon as the Divans are duly formed, they will proceed to draw up new organic statutes, and propose such reforms as may appear requisite and desirable. When the project of national Divans is completed, it will be sent to Constantinople, and after being revised by the representatives of the powers, the new constitution will be granted to the Principalities by their Suzerain, the Sultan.

**PRUSSIA.**

The *Staats Anzeiger* contains an official notice, dated the 3d inst., repealing the prohibition of the export of horses from Prussia.

The official *Wiener Zeitung* announces, that the grand cross of the Order of St. Stephen has been given to Count Buol-Schauenstein, "for his long, faithful, and distinguished services, and his co-operation in the conferences, which led to the peace concluded on the 30th of March."

Messrs. Thomas Brasse and E. Bretts, the eminent railway contractors, sailed in the steamer *Africa*, for New York, en route for Canada, for the purpose of making arrangements with the Canadian Government—which is about to increase the railway system in that country.

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By Order of the Committee,  
GEORGE B. SEYFANG, Secretary,  
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By Order,  
C. R. COCKER.

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April 7th, 1854. Agent for P. E.

**HARPER'S MAGAZINE for MAY,** just received at HASZARD & OWEN'S Book Store.

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THE Subscriber in returning thanks to the travelling public generally for past patronage, assures those who may still favor him with their support, that they will find good entertainment, and every attention paid to the care of luggage, &c., by calling at his Hotel situate on the Main Post Road, within few minutes walk of the public Wharf, to which the Packets and steamers ply regularly to and from P. E. Island.

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PETER SCHURMAN.

Shediac, New Brunswick, April 23d, 1856.

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TO BE SOLD by Private Contract, that beautiful situated FARM, on the Malpeque Road, distant about 8 1/2 miles from Charlottetown, the property of Dr. DAV. It contains 155 acres, of which about 100 are in a good state of cultivation, the residue being covered with a mixed growth of hard and soft wood, including suitable Fencing material. Upon the premises is a comfortable 1 1/2 story DWELLING HOUSE, 45 feet by 35 feet, with a BARN 45 by 25 feet, and a Well of water at a short distance from the farm yard. The Property is enhanced by a permanent stream of water which flows through it; and altogether is adapted for Farming purposes. It is held under Lease for 999 years, of which 973 are unexpired, and is subject to the yearly rent of One Shilling per acre only.

Possession can be given in April next, or earlier, if required. For terms, and further particulars, enquire of JOHN LONGWORTH, Esq., Barrister-at-Law, Charlottetown, who is fully authorized to treat for the sale.  
Charlottetown, Jan. 17, 1856.

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Spirit levels assorted sizes,  
do. with plumb and side light,  
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Axes, Hatchets and Hammers assorted,  
Superior Morrice Locks, at prices from 1s 9d to 20s each.

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Electro Plated Drop Escutcheons,  
Screws, a large lot,  
Excelsior Screw Auger Bits, sizes from 3-16 to 1 inch,

Chisels, all sizes,  
Screw Wrenches, Hand and Bench Vices,  
Oil Stones, Turkey and Hindostan, &c., lately received from the United States, and for sale by

HASZARD & OWEN.

Oct. 24, 1855.

**"WAXWORK."**

THE handsome and well-known Horse "Waxwork," imported from England by the Royal Agricultural Society in 1853, will serve for the season at the following places, commencing on the 20th of April:—

He will, on Monday the 5th of May, go on the Anderson Road as far as Mrs. Dixon's Mills. Thence on Tuesday proceed on as far as Mr. James Bullpit's, Crapaud. Thence on Wednesday, return on the Argyle Shore, as far as Mr. John McPhail's, Black Point. Thence on Thursday, go on to Mr. Archibald McDougall's, Nine-mile Creek. Thence on Friday, cross to Mr. Wm. Ross's, and stand from 12 till 3. Thence go on to Mr. Alexander McCann's, Long Creek. Thence return home on the Tryon Road.

He will on the following week go on the New Glasgow Road, and stand at Mr. Christopher Bullman's. Thence on to Mr. Dickinson's, New Glasgow. Thence on to Cavendish. Thence return on the Glasgow Road, as far as Mr. John Clark's. Thence on Thursday return home at the Subscriber's Stables, Old York River Road. And in Charlottetown on Saturday, once a fortnight, at the Stables of Mr. Jonathan Collings, and alternately once a fortnight to the above named places for the season.

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