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THE WEEKLY BRITISH COLONIST ton Government, constituted the main if not the

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SPECIAL TO THE DAILY BRITISH COLONIST.

(BY MAINLAND TELEGRAPE.) British Columbia.

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NEW W RETMINSTER, 23rd-Barnard's Qar-ibeo Express W. Bristol, Messenger, arri-ved last evening. Qariboo mining news rather meagre. Several claims on William, Grouse and Lewhee creek and Stout's Guleh are taking out fair pay. On Lightning creek the Spence Company took out 110 and 140 exs. for the last two weeks. The Lightning Company 57 and 112 ounces for the same time.

Sylvester with the Omineca Express arrived at Quesnelle on Monday, Jan 30th and left on return trip on the 2nd inst. He reports forty men wintering above Fort James. No new discoveries as it is impossible to prespect much in winter. He considers that there are sufficient provisions for those who are there now, but it any more come before supplies can be got in there will be a great searcity. Jim May and seven others left for Ominece about the let inst.

The weather in Garibee has been fine with but little anow for the last two weeks. Around Yale the snow is about 2 feet

depth and the river quite clear of ise between Tale and New Westminster.

The Grappler towing the ship Elmstone arrived at Burrard Inlet to-day, bringing the Victoria Coloniar dailies and weeklies for New Westminster-a welcome visitor, She starts for Victoria at noon to-morrow.

Thes. Spence has commenced the repair of the Burrard Inlet read, which notwithstanding the unfavorable weather is pro-

greesing satisfactorily. On Tuesday an inquest was held on the body of an Indian woman, when a verdict to the effect that the immediate cause of deals was the rupince of a blood vessel of the lungs, was refarmed. A slight fall of more here to night.

Europe.

Lemon, Feb 21-It is believed that the French Assembly will name a Triumvirate, including an admiral and generals, to arrange terms of peace and to shift the responsibilities of the reorganization of France on other shoul-

ders. PARM. Feb 21 A spicial says that the pre-gramme is to; conclude peace on the best terms, to clear France of Germans, place the French army in Paris under Changarnier, induce the Assembly to proclaim the Charter of 1839 as the supreme law, and to submit to a plebiscite the election of Count de Paris as King. Loubon, Feb 21-A dispatch from Havre

says that upon Alencon refusing to pay a fresh contribution, the Mayor and ten Councillors

were held as bestages. The main from Paris are now forwarded by way of Calais.

PRSTH, Feb 20-Government declares to the Lowen House that interference with the inter. nal affairs of Ronmania is not intended.

Losson, Feb 21 - Thins papers received by overland mail report that an assault was made upon Seward and his party during their visit to Hingtoo.

PARIS, Feb 22-Nothing is known of the Principal terms of perce, Algaro says they are conciliatory. The Paris Moniteur says Trchu resigned at the request of the Prussians and resurned to private life. The Versailles official rendered during the past season, and for jonrnal justifies the German demand for two million francs, and cites the example of

A large loan is already advised by the Secretary of the Treasury for the purpose of consolidating the American debt with a view to the reduction of the interest on it. There would be an impropriety in Rose accepting negotiations of a portion of this lean in Eng-land and sitting on the commission at the same time. LONDON. Feb 14-The House of Commons

te-night, on motion of Mr Gladstone, voted the dowry of £30.000 to the Princess Louise and an allowance of of £6.000. The vote was unanimous.

Mr Gladstone denied that the Prussians had placed obstacles in the way of revictualing Paris. The Premier also said the Geveroment suggated to Prussia te make known the proposed terms of peace. LONDON, Feb 13-The Queen, preceded by

the Horse Guards, in passing through Whitehall to open Parliament to-day, was greeted with mingled cheers and hisses, the fatter predeminating. The cheers were chiefly by the Germans. Strong police precautions prevented disorder. The newspapers announce that a Catholic

league-has been formed in Belgium to prepare an armed expedition against Italy, with branches established in Austria, and a meeting place has been selected in' some island. in the Mediterranean. The Italian Government has received information of the conpiracy.

FLORENCE. Feb 13-It is reported that demonstrations in favor of the Pope are in pre-

paraties in various parts of Europe. The Italian Parliament has declared the library and galleries of the Vaticen to be national property, despite Ministerial opposi-

FLORENCE, Feb 13-The Chamber of Deputies, 203 against 139, approves the policy of the Ministry relative to the inviolability of the Papal residence.

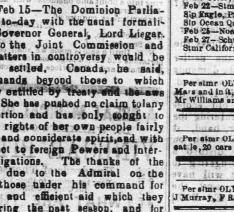
Serione disturbances are reported in Nice. The people besieged the Prefecture shouting 'viva Italia,' The treops were obliged to charge the crowd with the bayonet before

they would disporse. In the Lower Chamber on the 10th inst. a committee reported an amendment to the Papal Guarantee Bill, empowering the Supreme Judiciary to authorize au official to enter the Papal residence. Minister Lansa

opposed the amendment and considered, the guarantees as necessary to tranquilize the Catholic conscience and to prevent accusation of bad faith. He apportaced that the Ministry had determined to consider the proposed modification bill.

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OTTAWA, Feb 15-The Dominion Parliament opened to-day with the usual formalities by the Governor General, Lord Liegar. He referred to the Joint Commission and hoped the matters in controversy would be satisfactorily settled. Canada, he said, arges no demands beyond those to which she is plainly estitled by treaty and the aws of nations. She has pushed no claim tolany extreme ersertion and has only sought to maintain the rights of her own people fairly in a friendly and considerate spirit, and with all due respect to foreign Powers and International obligations. The thanks of the country are due to the Admiral on the Station and those under his command for the valuable and efficient aid which they



son, a new indictment having been found by the United States Grand Jury for collecting a foreign miners' tax from Chinamen. The crops at all points north and south of here, are reported as looking, on the average, better than usual at this season. SAN FRANCISCO, Feb 17-A party of swindlers who recently attempted to get up a gift jewelry swindle under the name of Rose & Co No. 122 Leidesdorff street, but were run off by the police, returned recently and got up a

circular promising to give the price of the Mercantile Library Lottery tickets in jewelry, with which they flooded the streets, and it is supposed they procured a considerable sum in greenbacks before they suspected that the police were on the track and decamped again. The party are all old operators in the gift enterprise swindling, and hall originally from New York where they operated at various times under many names.

The architects of San Francisco propose to meet formally in a body to-merrow night to congratulate architect Lavar at his hotel on his success over Eastern architects for the plan of the new City Hall, in open competition with them and the other members of the

Francisce from eastern and foreign ports, including twenty-six ships from New York and Boston and twenty-two ships and barks from European ports.

profession throughout the United States. Ninety vessels are now en route for San Shipping Intelligence. POBT OF VICTORIA, BRITISH COLUMBIA.

ENTERED ENTERED. Feb 21-Stmr Isabel, Starr, Port Townsend Sime Olympia. Finch. Port Townsend Sip Random, Burke, San Juan Sip Ringlesder, Dake, San Juan Feb 24-Stmr Isabel, Starr, Pt Townsend, Feb 24-Stmr Isabel, Starr, Pt Townsend, Sip Alarm, Dwyer, San Juan. Teb 27-Sloop May Queen, Burrard Inlet. Str California, Hays, Nanaimo. CLEAR END.

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Feb 27-Schr Winnifred, Lloyd, Port Townsend Stmr California, Bays. Astoria. PASSENGERS

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VERSAILLES, Feb 22-The German Emperor received Thiers to-day. General Chanzy was present at the interview.

it has not yet been signed. The Germans will probably enter Paris Sunday next without any triumphal ceremony. Bordgavz, Feb 23-Minister Ricard has

Prince de Joinville and the Due de Anmale have written to M Grevy, stating that they await the decision of the Assembly on the legality of their election before presenting themselves to take their sats in the Chamber est

PARIS, Feb 23-Information from Verstilles says it is determined that a pertion of the German army shall march through Paris on its return home. Thiers continues to oppose this, warning the Geimans of the responsibility they will incur. A placard was posted on Manday in the students' quarter, appealing to the interstants to make a last struggle should the Prossians enter the city. Nothing is positively known as to the con-

ditions of peace. The financial journals my it is utterly impossible for France to pay 800 million france or half of it even.

Thiers and Favre are at Versailles to-day LONDON, Feb 23-Parliament was startied to night by the declaration of Lord Hart-ington that disaffection exists in Ireland to such an alarming extent that it would be secertain its cause. The Conservatives are exultant ist this evidence of the failure of the Irish policy of the Government.

Begland is negotiating for the purchase of the Dutch settlement on the Gold Coast, Africa, for £32.300 sterling.

Lord Carparven appounced a measure on national defences and argued for the necessity of early preparation in view of the as-

against France. Lexnow, Feb 16-In the House of Commons this evening Sir John Heag asked whether the Government had authorized the statement by Odo Russell to Count Bismarck, on the 21st of November, to the effect that the state of

preparations had been made to back up the threat.

Giafstone repited that Bussell's arguments were unauthorized. Russell had been vested with a certain kind of discretion, and no certain instructions had been sent him. His conrections that matter was consurable. Viscount Enfield stated that the Govern-

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ment contemplated closing the british Lega-tions in minor European Courts. Longos, Feb 13-The steamer Cuba on Sat--16 arday Book Barl DeGray, Teaterdan and Mon--instegas Bernard. Hing ta-oni dii wion

TORONTO, Feb 17-The Government, organ says in relation to Sir John Rose declining to 

ticipates success in regard to the Acts passed by the Government, and recommends the early survey of the route for the Intercelenial Railroad, the encouragement of immieration, elc. OTTAWA, Feb 17-McKenzie, leader of the opposition, referred to the offensive language used towards Oanada, not only by

maintaining order and protecting the fish-

eries from encroachment. He says he an-

citizens, but by the President of the United States in his annual message, who seemed as if controlled by an irresponsible power of unfriendliness towards this constry. Mr McKenzie strongly condemned auch stterances and said there was a large and respectable class in the United States friend. ly to the Canadiana.

Sir Francis Hincks criticised somewhat

the submission tendency. Mr Edward Blake said when the American Government insisted on any demands he did not believe in submit ing. With re-gard to the fisheries, the three mile limit, counting from beadland to headland, should have been insisted upon.

Sir John A. Macdonald replied at considerable length stating that the interests of Canada would not be sacrificed by England to

her own advantage. OTTAWA; Feb 17-In the House Sir A T Gall pointed out the great importance of the Bonse giving early expression to its opinion. respecting the fishery question, and urged the great gravity of the interests concerned ss a reason for the correspondence, so that the House might be informed respecting the

apparent change of Imperial policy on the shery question. Toxonto, Feb 17-Canadian papers representing the various political parties ex-press great watisfaction at the appointment of the Commission to settle the differences between England and America. They consider that the appointment of two Canadian statesmen on the Commission secures a just representation of Canadian rights. They express a hope that the result of the deliber-ation will be a fair settlement of all differences and that each country will go on its own way trying to do what is fair and right to its neighbor. They say: "We do not the eastern question would compel Great wish to be annexed to our friends across the Britain to go to war with Bussis with or with eut allies. Sir John wanted to know what and if we cannot become one nation let us continue good neighbors and good customers

> California. "OAKLAND, Feb 17-A fatal shooting affray occurred five miles from this city this afternoon, at the conclusion of a lawsuit to which B W Carpenter, of this city, and H W K Clark, of San Francisco, were plaintiffs. Both these gentlemen were in possession of the William-son ranch. The settlers thereof were ordered to leave and Fred, son of H W & Clark, wes put on the premises as keeper to see that no damage was done to the property. Lee Lotus Reed, who claimed to be in the employ of

Williamson, and also laid claim to the land, cam to Williamson's house under the Sheriff's

te one another as in the past.

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