# THE CONCEPTION-BAY MAN

#### ON THE DEATH OF A FRIEND.

### BY MILNES.

I'm not where I was yesterday, Though my home be still the same, For I have lost the veriest friend Whom ever a friend could name; I'm not what I was yesterday, Though change there be little to see, For a part of myself has lapsed away From Time to Eternity.

I have lost a thought, that many a year Was most famaliar food To my inmost mind, by night or day, In merry or plaintive mood; I have lost a hope, that many a year Looked far on a gleaming way, When the walls of life were closing round, And the sky was sombre gray.

For long, too long, in distant climes My.lot was cast, and then A frail and casual intercourse Was ail I had with men; Bat lonelily in distant climes I was well content to roam, And felt no void, for my heart was full Of the friend it had left at home.

And now I was close to my native shores, And I felt him at my side, His spirit was in that homeward wind, His voice in that homeward tide ; For what were to me my native shores, But that they held the scene Where my youth's most geniel flowers had And affection's root had been? [blown,

I thought, how should I see him first, How should our hands first meet : Within his room,-upon the stair,-At the corner of the street? I thought, where should I hear him first, How catch his greeting tone ?-

copy of a notice to quit their habitations stated to have been served on the inhabitants of St. George's Bay, Newfoundland, by the French Alexandria, and northward to the Dardenelles, Naval Commandant on that coast, and I am di- This, together with the land line to connect Conrected to inform you that Sir E. B. Lytton has not acceived a copy of any such notice. CARNARVON.

## TO THE ADMIRALTY. 5th October, 1858.

Sir,-We have been informed by the Commander-in-Chief of the French naval force stationed off Newfoundland has officially served on Ocean, following the coast of South Arabia to Loans or Debts, and to all other cases where tically a notice to quit their habitations, and that that notice has been made directly, and not that plans exist, and are under the consideration through any officer of the British Government. We request you to be so good as to inform of telegraphs from Tennasserim to Singapore,

us,--ed to you a copy of the notice, or of the address to him on the subject from the Chamber of com merce.

2. Whether the notice has been laid before her Majesty in Council, in order that her pleasure may be taken as to the mode in which this aggression on the part of France is to be resisted?

C. F. JONES, Seeretary.

## REPLY.

Admiralty, Oct. 13, 1858. Sir,-I am commanded by my Lords, Commissioners of the Admirality to acquaint you that your inquiry ought more properly to have been addrrssed to Her Majesty's Secretary of State for Foreign offairs. H. CORRY.

RESPONSE TO THE ADMIRALTY. October 19, 1858. Sir,--We requested to be informed whether a British Admir al had reported to your office that which had taken place on his station between himself and other subjects of the British Crown. We further asked whether you had taken mea\_ sures to acquaint the Queen in Council, of a viclation of her sovereignty by a Foreign Power, and of the demand for protection addressed to her by those who are called on by that Power to depart trom their allegiance and transfer it else.

Mediterranean fleet and military posts should be exclusively in our own hands. A cable is now on its way to Candiu, to be laid southwards to stantinople with the landing-point at the Dardanells, is promised to be compleated next month. There will still remain the link between Corfu and Candia unfinished ; but through Germany and Turkey our electric connection' with Alexandria will be complete. As is well known, the guarantee of the Home Government has enabled a company to raise the necessary funds for constructing a line across Egypt, down the Red Sea'to Aden, and along the bottom of the Indian

is promised to be accomplished in eighteen months. We shall do no more than indicate throughout the whole term of Life. of Government, for extending the Indian system whence one branch is to go to Sarawak and the Philippine Islands and thence to Hong Kong 1. Whether Sir Honston Stuart has forward- whilst another branch is to go to Batavia and other Dutch possessions between India and Australia, to touch at North Australia and find its way as a coast line to Sydney .- Observer.

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## NEWFOUNDLAND A FRENCH COLONY

The following correspondence respecting Newfoundland has taken place between the Foreign Affairs Committe, of Grey's-inn-lane and the Colonial and Admiralty-offices :--

## TO THE CO LONIAL SECRETARY.

Oct. 5, 1858. Sir,-We beg to call your attention to an aggression of France on the coast of Newfoundland which is not the less alarming because it was predicted twelve months ago by the inspectors of the fisheries.

The Commander-in-Chief of the French nava force stationed off Newfoundland has given what is practically a notice to quit their habitations to the inhabitants of St. George's Bay. We can find no warrent in any existing treaty for such an act, since England possesses the full severeignty of Newfoundland, while France posseses only such liherty of fishing as is positively granted to her by treaty.

But Article 11 of the abrogated treaty of 14th January, 1857, contains a provision granting in\_ definite power to the French officers, and the recent aggression leads us to suppose that orders have been given by the Emperor of the French to act as if the treaty were actually in force. We therefore beg you to be so kind as to inform us :--

Whether you have received a copy of the notice served on the inhabitands of St. George's Bay, and, if so, whether you have any objection to make that notice public?

2 Whether the matter was been brought before her Majesty in Council, with a view to obtain from France satisfaction for the injuary committed, and security against its repetition.

C.F. JONES, Secretary.

## REPLY.

Sir.-I am Directed by Secretary Sir E. B.

where. You tell us that ] "an enquiry ] ought more properly to have been addressed to her Majesty's Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs." We did not ask what were the rights that Englad had ceded to France on the coast of Newfoundland. We did not ask whether the French Government had been called upon to disavow and dismiss the officer who had committed a breach of the peace between the two Thursdays, and Saturdays,

But we gave you an opportunity of showing General Post Office, the efficiency of the airangements made by your, St John's, 18th May, 1858-

department for the protection of Newfoundland and of proving that, as a loyal subject and sworn servant of her Majesty, you had referred to her sovereign authority a matter which most nearly concerned that prerogative of peace and war which, for the protection of the people, the Constitution places in the hands of the Crown, and does not allow to be delegated to a department

or a subject.

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This opportunity you have not accepted, and we are therefore, compelled to believe that, so far as you are concerned, the rights and liberties of Newfoundland are as defencless against | way's Ointment. In the nursery it is invaluable the abrogated treaty of 14th January, 1857, as a cooling application for the rashes, exceriathe maritime rights of England are against the authorised Declaration of Paris of the 16th Ap- tion for aleviating the torture of a "broken ril, 1856.

NATIONAL TELEGRAPHIC COMMUNICATION -It admits no longer of any doubt that telegraph lines must connect the mother country with her dependencies ; and, from the circumorders of the bowels; it is in truth, coextensiv stance that we live in an island, and that the with the range of civilization. intervening land is occupied by nations with whom we may at any day be at war, such telegraphs must be submarine and under our own control. It is understood that Government are Is Edited and published every Wednesday

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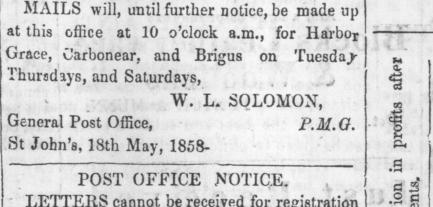
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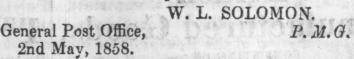
W. L. SOLOMON, Post Master General.

Post Office department, St. John's Nfid., 25th Aug., 1858.

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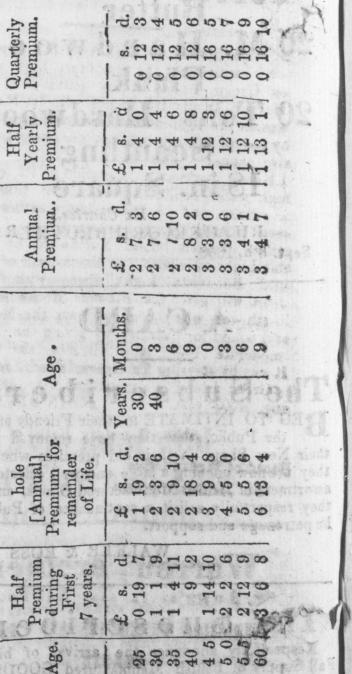
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seriously entertaining the question of laying morning, by GEORGE WEBBER, at his office,

Downing-street, 20th Oct., 1858. a cable from our shores to Gibraltar in one Water Street, opposite the Premises of W. stretch, a distance of 1,100 nautical miles and thence to Malta, there to join the Malta-Corfu DONNELLY, Esq.

Lytton, to acknowledge your letter dated the line. We earnestly hope this will be speedily TERMS.—Fifteen shillings per Annum half 5th instant, inquiring whether he has received a accomplished. Our communications with our in advance.

