

THE MONARCHS OF EUROPE.

Queen Victoria, now one of the oldest sovereigns in Europe, will be 80 years of age on the 24th inst. Her Majesty has reigned for over 50 years. She is in good health and may be hoped to live and reign for many years to come.

such alleged rights. He treated the government of the Dominion with the same respect as it has in the past, and promptly press this question to a solution satisfactory to Canada, and that the money will be used in settling the claims of our fishermen for the great losses sustained by the forcible seizure and detention of their vessels and crews.

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