

From late Halifax Papers.

LONDON, June 8.

Disraeli says that no less than seven-teen bills of domestic importance are to come before Parliament, and he urges members to be diligent to avert a pro-cession.

A destructive fire occurred at Newn-ham, Cambridgeshire, to-day. Eleven families were rendered homeless.

The international conference to dis-cuss measures to prevent the spread of cholera, meets at Vienna on the 15th instant.

The prospects of the crops in India are reported to be good.

The feeling at Versailles is gloomy; the proposal for the dissolution of the Assembly has been signed by 125 Deput-ies, who have hopes of securing in ad-dition the signatures of the 139 members forming the Left Centre; the motion for the dissolution will be presented in the Chamber at the earliest opportunity. The Left Centre is determined to have a settlement of the question of a Republic or a dissolution, before the August ad-journment.

NEW YORK 9.

Capt. Cassop, of the steamer "Elyhins stone, at Quebec, reports that June 2nd he spoke the barque "Macedonian" of Newcastle, bound for Quebec, at St. Paul's Island, on the 18th shipwrecked; crew and passengers, 170 in number, taken off by the Norwegian vessel "Ponte Corvo" from Christiania.

An explosion in a mine on Sunday night at Wilkesbarre, Pa., several min-ers were killed and injured.

LONDON 8.

The Earl of Yarborough is addicted to drink; and on Tuesday last the De-puty Sergeant-at-Arms of the House of Lords, believing him to be in a worse condition than usual, coaxed him into a private room and left him there. Upon the return of the officer to the room, half an hour later, the Earl was gone, and has not since been seen.

Advices from Paris state that the manifesto of the Left Centre, calling for declaration of the Republic, or disso-lution of the Assembly, has caused the great sensation since the overthrow of President Thiers. It is generally thought that its effect will be to hasten the day of dissolution, and not im-prove the prospects of the establishment of a regular Government. The Conser-vatives are dismayed.

NEW YORK 8.

A Portsmouth, N. H., despatch to-day says the Faraday is lying off the shoals, and she will come into Port-mouth's lower harbor at slack tide. She has successfully laid all her cable, and buoyed it off Jeffery's Ledge.

The boundary question between Chili and the Argentine Republic will be set-tled by arbitration.

The dispute between Chili and Bolivia is expected to be arranged in the same way.

OTTAWA 8.

Mr. Edgar reached here yesterday. The Local Government refused to con-fer with him, because he had no creden-tials. The Victoria papers publish the correspondence in connection with his mission. It indicates the stubborn de-termination of the British Columbia Government to stand out for the fulfil-ment of the terms of Union.

Father Racine, of Quebec, will prob-ably be consecrated Bishop of Ottawa within a fortnight.

Mr. Huntington, President of the Council, will reach this city this even-ing.

A full Cabinet meeting will be held to-morrow, when it is likely the danger arising out of the vacancy of portfolio held by Mr. Dorian will be arranged.

Alfred Todd, Clerk of Private Bills, House of Commons, died last Saturday. A report comes from Toronto that Mr. Blake will re-enter the Cabinet as Minister of Justice.

Mr. Mackenzie will visit Kingston this week to examine its capacity for accommodating the new Military Col-lege.

The village of Kempville, near this city, had the railway station and fifteen houses blown down by a Tornado yester-day. Several people were injured, some seriously.

The question of Presbyterian Union is still undecided.

LONDON 9.

A sensation was caused in the French Assembly yesterday by the discovery of a supposed Bonapartist plot. The Left claim that 230 members are pledged to vote for a dissolution of the Assembly, and they only require thirty more votes to carry the motion, which they intend to introduce at the earliest day possi-ble.

Stormy weather in Spain delayed the battle between the Carlists and Repub-licans.

The "Times" in an editorial com-menting on the communication recently sent to the various Powers by the Span-ish Government, says: It is a hint that the time approaches when the Span-ish Government must be received with- in the pale of nations on terms of equal-ity.

The Catholic pilgrims from America were received by the Pope to-day.

NEW YORK 10.

The Danish ship "Percy," at Quebec has the master, his wife, and crew of the Norwegian bark "Wilhelm" pick- ed off the wreck of that vessel May 13. The Wilhelm was bound to Halifax.

Schooner "Epile," loaded with a mixed cargo, among which was some nitro glycerine, was blown up on Lake Superior on Monday. Every man on board, seven or eight in all, were killed. The vessel and cargo is a total loss; no insurance.

LONDON 9.

The Times correspondent at Paris telegraphs that it is expected Mr. Du-faure in a few days will ask the com- mittee on Constitutional Laws to come to a vote on the first article of the bill introduced in May 1873, providing that the Government consisted of a Senate Chamber of Representatives, and a President of the Republic. If the com- mittee rejects the article the Left Cen- tre will move in the Assembly to refer a similar proposition to a new commission. Should this fail the Left Centre as a last resort will move the dissolution of the Assembly.

In the event of an adverse vote on the motion the deputies belonging to all sections of the left may resign en masse.

CALCUTTA 9.

Advices from the famine districts are more favorable. Cases of actual starva- tion are more rare.

The number of persons employed in the various relief works is decreasing in consequence of the rains, which pre- vail everywhere.

NEW YORK, April 9.

Gold 108. Sterling exchange steady. The commonwealth of Massachusetts honored the memory of Charles Sum- er by appropriate exercise in Music Hall, including an oration by George William Curtis, of New York.

OTTAWA June 10

There was a great fire here, at the corner of Wellington and Kent streets at 3 o'clock this morning. Premier McKenzie's residence, the Queen's Hall and six business tenements were totally destroyed, and others damaged. The estimated loss in buildings is \$30,000. The value of personal property destroy- ed is not known, but the loss is heavy.

Ministers McKenzie, from Kingston and Huntington, from Montreal, arriv- ed last night.

Kingston is now certain to be the site of the Military College.

The union of the two branches of the Presbyterian Church was consummated yesterday, after a protracted sitting. Both Synods are expected to terminate their labor to-morrow. Congratulatory despatches on the Union have been re- ceived from abroad.

LONDON 11.

The differences between the Khedive of Egypt and the Sublime Porto are serious, and it is feared that grave com- plications in the East are probable.

The Governments of Germany, Servia and Roumania have confidentially in- formed other European powers that they have concluded an agreement to mutually protect their interests and positions against the designs of Turkey.

The French Assembly yesterday — 342 to 337—adopted an amendment to the municipal electoral bill, fixing the age of electors at twenty-one instead of twenty-five years, defeating the govern- ment on a vital provision of the Bill. The feeling against Bonapartists in the Assembly is very bitter, so much so that the deputies, in their passage from Ver-sailles to Paris, had to be protected by a strong guard. There is a general uneasiness over the quarrel.

The extensive cotton mills of Mose- ly & Marr, Manchester, England, have been destroyed by fire; \$250,000.

Twenty-five battalions of Carlists, with twelve guns, are posted between Escella and the Arga Valley, awaiting the Republicans, who are advancing from Tafalia.

NEW YORK 11.

A boat containing three Cuban insur- gent chiefs, one of whom is named Belancourt, has been captured and taken into Nevitas.

Gold closed at 11 yesterday.

NEW YORK 12.

J. C. Bancroft Davis has been con- firm ed as the successor of Minister Ban- croft at Berlin.

There is trouble among the miners in Ohio, who have struck, and three hun- dred colored men have taken their pla- ces. The military have been called out to preserve order.

LONDON 12.

Lord Kensington, Liberal, has been returned to the House of Commons from the borough of Haversford-west in Pem- brokeshire, without opposition. Dur- ham city has returned Herschel Monck, Liberal, to the House of Commons.

Placards and advertisements are out offering a reward for the discovery of the whereabouts of the missing Earl of Yarborough.



Latest Despatches.

LONDON, June 13

"Gazette de France" thinks that civil war would result from dissolution; but it is generally thought that pre- vious to dissolution, McMahon will be authorized by the Assembly to govern a year without that body.

President Grant states he will not sign any currency bill passed by this Congress.

Henry Ward Beecher regards the Garden of Eden story as a parable. The Garden and the people therein never existed, in fact people believing the story are literally mummies, and will not favorably compare with the Egyptian article.

PARIS, 15.

The Government suspended newspa- pers: 'La Pays' Bonapartist; 'Le Rappel' Radical Republican; and 'Le Dex Menviennne Siecil' Conservative Republican, because of their violent at- tacks on its policy. Cavaignac is an- xious to fight Gambetta. Nine mem- bers of the 'La Pays' staff offer to fight nine Republican deputies, and will draw lots for the choice of arms.

A large fire is raging in the north of the city.

M. De Stroix has been sentenced to six months imprisonment and fined 200 francs for assaulting Gambetta.

The Bonapartists are conspiring to dissolve the Assembly, and have a plebiscite. MacMahon seems equal to the occasion, and will preserve order.

NEW YORK, 15.—Gold 11.

Currency Bill was rejected by yeas 108, nays 146.

LONDON, 15.

The French Government are taking vigorous steps to suppress agitators in barracks. Great excitement exists in regard to the sitting of the Assembly to-day.

The Italian Seate has been prorogu- ed.

The Americans pilgrims attended mass in the Catacombs.

Bismark opposes amnesty to the im- prisoned Prussian Bishops; still a peti- tion to the Emperor William will prob- ably succeed.

The Public Worship Regulation Bill, now before the Parliament and in- tended to restrain the Ritualists, threat- ens to lead the coalition with High Church clergy and Liberals. Glad- stone leads opposition to the Bill.

HALIFAX, 16.

Hon. W. Annand was offered the collectorship here and refused.

LONDON, 16.

The result of yesterday's vote in the French Chamber Committee of 30 re- ceived an imperative mandate forcing them to promptly organize either the Septennate without proclaiming the Republic or constitute a definite Re- public under MacMahon. It is proba- ble the Septennate will be declared. Bonapartists apparently abandon all hopes of success.

New York 16.—Gold 111.

Congress passed a general bill au- thorizing all persons to lay Atlantic cables.

ANOTHER HEROIC ENGINEER

A telegram from Council Bluff, Iowa, says that on Friday morn- ing last, an extra stock train on the Red Oak Branch of the Burlington and Missouri Railway was nearing Far- ragut, Jack Evans, the engineer, dis- covered a small child on the track, about sixty yards distant. The engine was reversed and the brakes applied, but the engineer knew that the train could not be stopped in time to save the child. Evans ran out upon the cow- catcher, and when the train had reach- ed within about ten feet of the child he made a flying leap, caught the child in his arms, and both rolled into the ditch in time to escape the train which was running at fifteen miles an hour. The child one year old was uninjured. The engine-r sprained his ankle, and was considerably bruised but not seriously injured.

SHIP NEWS

PORT OF HARBOR GRACE

ENTERED.

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CLEARED.

June 15—Susan, Brown, Sydney, ballast—D. Green.

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Measuring Tapes, Hat, Clothes, and Crumb Brushes, Curtain Bands, Rings, Roller Ends, &c,

House, Table and Spring Beds, Egg Beaters, Tooth Picks, Violins, Strings, Pins & Bridges, Con- certinas, Flutinas

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By order of the Board.

J. W. SMITH, Manager.

June 10 3i.

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