

THE GREAT RAILROAD CONVENTION.

PORTLAND, August 2.

TRIRD DAY. The Convention assembled at half-past 9 o'clock; Mr. Pryor, Mayor of Halifax in the chair.

He stated the fact which had been referred to before, that the Government had ordered a survey of a line from New Brunswick to St. John, which would connect the two cities.

At the instance of General Dearborn, who had taken the Chair in consequence of Governor Hubbard being obliged to leave, three enthusiastic cheers were given for Her Majesty Queen Victoria, which was intently responded to, by Mr. Wilton, proposing three hearty cheers for the President of the United States, Mr. John Neal, of Portland.

EXECUTIVE COUNCIL.—A full meeting of the members of the Executive Council took place in the City on Thursday last, and continued its sitting until a late hour on Friday. It is understood that a large amount of public business was transacted.

ENGLISH NEWS. THE QUEEN AND PRINCE ALBERT are announced to appear in Dublin next month, for the opening of the Centennial Exhibition at the Royal Dublin Society.

LOAD BROUGHT.—It was rumored some time ago, and the rumour is now confirmed by the party who visited the United States. Excitement is essential to the existence of this eccentric and extraordinary man.

DOES CALIFORNIA PAY?—The total gold received from California, is as follows: At the Philadelphia Mint, \$1,000,000. At the Branch Mint at New Orleans, \$1,000,000. The gold received yesterday by the Cherokee, say \$100,000. Add the amount consumed in the arts, \$100,000.

