

By the Telegraphic Despatch from New York, which will appear below, the certain anticipations of Peace, which we referred to in our last number, have been realized, the Treaty having been actually and finally signed at Paris previous to the sailing of the American Mail from Liverpool, which brought the news. Our next mail by the *Arabia*, which we doubt not will reach us before we are ready for our week's issue, will bring us the specific terms of the Treaty which have been looked for with so much anxiety. We think there is reason to believe they will be mainly satisfactory. The Peace however appears to have been hailed with somewhat different feelings in France and England. We alluded in our last to some of the causes which might make it less popular in England than elsewhere. It is evident that the feelings, and resources, and preparations for war in England have risen with the emergency, resulting without doubt from the national chagrin and disappointment occasioned by the gross mismanagement and heavy losses incurred in its commencement. Such has always been the English character, where the vigorous prosecution of a war depends upon the general sentiment of the people and not in the mere will of one or a few individuals. Most modern English wars have begun with blunders and misfortune, but have ended, so far as physical power was concerned, with signal success. She has sometimes lost by diplomacy what she has gained by arms. For ourselves, it is with unqualified gratification and thankfulness that we are enabled to announce the glad tidings of the cessation of national misery and human carnage among the powers of Europe, especially when our own beloved nation is so deeply concerned in the event. Whatever may be the necessities of war, we all can appreciate the blessings of peace. Blessings, the absence of which no victories can compensate. How far the mighty struggle that has just terminated may be overruled for the future advancement of the true interests of our race time only can show.



ARRIVAL of the ARABIA.

PEACE NEWS CONFIRMED.

WE stop the press to announce that the Steamer *Arabia* arrived early this morning from Liverpool, with news to the 12th inst. We give extracts of the most important particulars.

Peace Proclaimed.

PARIS, SUNDAY, March 30.—At half-past 2 o'clock to-day the Prefect of Police had the following announcement placarded:—

"CONGRESS OF PARIS, March 30.—Peace was signed to-day, at 1 o'clock, at the Ministry of Foreign Affairs. The Plenipotentiaries of France, of Austria, of Great Britain, of Prussia, of Russia, of Sardinia, and of Turkey affixed their signatures to the treaty which puts an end to the present war, and which, in settling the Eastern question, places the peace of Europe upon a firm and durable basis.

"PIETRI, Prefect of Police."

At two o'clock the cannon of the Invalides announced the signature of the treaty by a salute of 101 guns.

At three o'clock the Proclamation of Peace was stuck upon the walls of Paris.

OFFICIAL DESPATCH FROM LORD CLARENDON.

(From the London Gazette Extraordinary.)

FOREIGN OFFICE, March 31.—A despatch has been this morning received from the Earl of Clarendon, her Majesty's principal Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, dated Paris, March 30, announcing the signature of peace at two o'clock on that day, at the Foreign Office, Paris:—"The Plenipotentiaries of Great Britain, of Austria, of France, of Prussia, of Russia, of Sardinia, and of Turkey, have affixed their signatures to the treaty which puts an end to the war, and which, while definitively settling the Eastern question, establishes the tranquillity of Europe on solid and durable bases. The exchange of the ratifications will take place at Paris in four weeks, or sooner, if possible; until then the stipulations of the treaty cannot be made public."

REJOICING IN THE METROPOLIS.

Shortly after ten o'clock on Sunday night a royal salute of 100 guns from the park and tower of London, announced to the inhabitants of this metropolis that peace had been finally concluded. Instructions were not issued from the Horse Guards until after seven o'clock, and in order that Divine service might not be interrupted in the

metropolitan churches, the hour appointed for the ceremony was ten o'clock. The fact gained publicity, and a very large concourse of persons collected in St. James's Park, within the space leading from the entrance by the Horse Guards to the Duke of York's column. The military bands at St. George's and Wellington barracks at the same time played the National Anthem, and when the park guns had ceased the report of the guns at the tower were distinctly heard booming in the distance. The bells of the different metropolitan churches rang merry peals until after midnight, in commemoration of the event.

On Monday morning, at an early hour, large crowds of people began to assemble in and around the Royal Exchange, in the anticipation that the conclusion of peace would be formally proclaimed by the Lord Mayor. By 11 o'clock the assemblage comprised several thousand individuals, and several influential city gentlemen forwarded a message to the Lord Mayor, requesting him to present himself to the people, and gratify them by publicly reading any official communication that he might have received on the subject of peace. His lordship urged, as an objection to this course, that the peace was not yet ratified, but ultimately consented to adopt the course suggested.

General Intelligence.

HIGHLY COMMENDABLE.—The City Marshall, George Irwin, Esq., and six of the Police Constables were initiated into the Order of the Sons of Temperance, on Wednesday evening last.

120 passengers arrived here on Friday last, in the Packet brig *America*, from Boston; also 30 do. in the Packet brig *Boston*. A number of them have gone to work on the Railroad, and others at the new Barracks, at Fort Needham.

The Bank of Nova Scotia has been removed to Vass' brick building Bedford Row.

It is said that a gentleman, of Truro, in conjunction with other parties, is about to commence the manufacture of oil, &c., on an extended scale, from the famous Pitch Lake in the island of Trinidad.—Chron.

That part of the parish of Sackville in the vicinity of the Railway Station situate at the head of the Basin has had its name changed and will for the future be called "Bedford."—Id.

New Brunswick.

By Telegraph to St. John's, N. B.

FREDERICTON, April 8th.

The Bill for the repeal of the Prohibitory Law was taken up and discussed.

The first Railway Bill passed the Legislative Council by a majority of five. On the 9th and 10th, the House was occupied principally in the discussion of the Bill to repeal the Prohibitory Law. On the 11th, a motion was made to postpone the Bill for three months, which was carried by 23 to 17.

It is probable that although the Prohibitory Bill is not to be repealed, there may be some amendments of the Law brought before the Legislature.

The Superintendent of Education Mr. D'Avray in his report of Schools in N. Brunswick furnishes valuable statistical information.

The number of School Houses in N. B. is 903; number of Schools in operation during the year, 828; total number of pupils, of all ages, 29,005.

The number of teachers in the Province, exclusive of Kent, from which county no returns are published, is, of all grades, 513 male and 294 female.

The total amount expended for school purposes (exclusive of Kent County) during the year is £30255 8s. 3d.

Canada.

When the news of the birth of the young King of Algiers arrived at Toronto, on the 2nd inst., it was proposed in the House of Assembly that the House should adjourn in honour of the event.

Messrs. Brown and McKenzie opposed the motion, and in doing so denounced the Emperor as a tyrant and traitor, and his conduct as false to the cause of liberty in France. The motion was however carried by 79 against 21, and in the midst of the applause which followed, the members generally rose and sang "Partant pour la Syrie" and "God save the Queen."

The Elective Legislative Council Bill has passed the Lower House of the Canadian Legislature, by a vote of 81 to 12. It has been introduced into the Upper House—the body it is intended to reform—read a first time and ordered to a second reading on the 17th instant.

The *Semour Canadien* informs us that a Bill has been brought into the Canadian Legislature for establishing three Normal Schools in Canada East. One at Quebec in connexion with the University of Laval, another united with McGill College at Montreal, and the other under the control of the Superintendent of Education at Montreal also.

Letters Received.

A. Whitman, 12th, rem. Rev. C. Tupper, 11th, rem.—Certainly.—Much obliged. Rev. J. C. Morse, 8th, rem. R. R. Layton, 10th, rem. J. B. McNutt, 5th, rem. Rev. J. C. Hurd, C. Jost, 6th, rem. Rev. J. Chase, 11th. R. D. Porter, 13th. Mrs. Dunn, 9th. Capt. W. Churchill, 9th. W. H. Sabean, 12th. Rev. G. Armstrong, 12th. D. Rogers, Esq., 15th. Rev. J. Spencer, 13th. Rev. J. J. Skinner, 14th. Rev. A. W. Bars, 11th. Ward Eaton, Esq., rem. J. Moore. J. Y. Payzant.

To Correspondents.—The following communications are received and will appear shortly:—

Memo on "Baptist History." "Horton Academy Exhibition." Upsilon on "Biblical Criticism." Omega on "Past and Present." Viator on "Berwick Female Institution." C*** on "Unscriptural Phrases." Delix Meritus on "Misquotations." Observer on "Congregational versus Choir singing." "Religion in Common Life." "The Great Commission" by Rev. A. W. Bars. Poetry by W. H. and Isabella. "The Prohibitory Bill," &c., by J.

Monies Received.

Received for Gaelic Mission, and forwarded, the widow's mite, (Aunt Mitty, Nietaux), 7s. 6d.

Received for Foreign Missions, per hands of Rev. S. T. Rand, 20s.

J. W. BARSS, Treasurer.

Wolfville, April 4, 1856.

MR. EDITOR—Please acknowledge the receipt of £2 10s. P. E. I. Currency, from "A friend to pure versions," and a fellow-labourer in the kingdom of Christ.

I remain, dear Sir, yours very truly,
DAVID ROGERS,
Charlottetown, P. E. I., 7th inst.

M'Lane's Celebrated Vermifuge in MISSOURI.

JOB P. O., OREGON CO., Mo., July 22nd, 1855.

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Yours, &c.
WM. O. NETTLE.

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It was manifestly the intention of Providence that the world should not arrive at perfection at once, but that we should be progressive in all our actions. Each generation therefore benefits by the discoveries of the past, and we have only to search for our wants to find them out.—To cure a simple cough or cold, how many the remedies!—how few of service! Science has now lent her aid, and the result is perfection, compared to previous discoveries. For the truth of this assertion, go to G. E. Morton & Co., and get a box of Gerry's Pectoral Tablets.

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For sale by G. E. Morton & Co., and Druggists everywhere.

Married.

On the 15th inst., by the Rev. P. G. McGregor, Mr. P. Stewart, to Sarah, third daughter of the late Mr. T. Gentles.

At Antigonish, on the 9th inst., by the Rev. Dr. Cameron, Duncan Chisholm, Esq., Merchant of that place, to Margaret, second daughter of the late Patrick Power, Esq.

Died.

On Wednesday, 16th inst., after a long and painful illness, Mrs. Ann West, widow of the late John West, in the 65th year of her age, leaving a large circle of relations and acquaintance to mourn her loss.

On the 16th inst., Catherine Archer, widow of the late Michael Archer, in the 70th year of her age.

Suddenly, on the 16th inst., Mr. George Thomson, At Windsor Road, on the 6th inst., Daniel Wier, Esq., J. P., in the 74th year of his age.

At Grand Falls, Victoria Co., N. B., on the 14th ult., Mrs. Ann C. Eaton, in her 66th year.

At Rugged Islands, February 26th, Mr. Edward Dunn, aged 56 years. Mr. D. had been a member of the Baptist church for thirty years, and after striving to serve the cause of the Redeemer on earth, died rejoicing in the prospect of entering His Kingdom above.

At Mill Town, Calais, on the 9th inst., Emma Elizabeth, third daughter of Peter B. and Lucy G. Teed, aged 3 years and 11 months.

MY CHILD.

A light is from our household gone,
A voice we loved is still'd,
A place is vacant at our hearth,
Which never can be fill'd.

A gentle heart, that throbb'd but now
With tenderness and love,
Has hush'd its weary throbbings here
To throbb in bliss above.

Yes, to the home where angels are,
Her trusting soul has fled,
And yet we bond above the tomb
With tears, and call her dead,
We call her dead, but ah! we know
She dwells where living waters flow.

PETER B. TEED.

Shipping List.

Arrived.

TUESDAY, April 16th.—Brig Florence, Jones, Barbadoes, 16 days—T. C. Kinnear & Co.; brig Lady Ogle, Woods, Matanzas, 16 days—N. L. & T. J. West; schr Alice, Moore, Baltimore, 7 days—Creighton & Grassie.

WEDNESDAY, April 16th.—Schr Dart, Dixon, Fortune Bay, N. F., 8 days—Bares & Harris; Coquette, Torbay; Sylvia, Lunenburg; brig General Washington, Day, Wilmington, N. C., 9 days—Wm. Stairs, Son & Morrow.

THURSDAY, 17th.—Govt. schr Daring, Daly, Lunenburg reports saw no ice; Martha, Placentia, 7 days—Allison & Co; Rambler, Sydney; Triumph, Power, New York, 4 days—bound to Newfld.

FRIDAY, 18th.—Schr Flora McDonald, Potter, Westport, 3 days; John, Bristol, Fortune Bay, 15 days—G. H. Starr & Co; barque Halifax, Laybold, Boston, 3 days—Young & Hart.

SATURDAY, 19th.—Schr Mars, Cameron, Boston, 4 days; Chieftain, Fraser, Portland, 4 days; Inkerman, New York, 7 days—Esson, Book & Co.

MONDAY, 21st.—Schr Seabird, Lianan—coal—left foremast on Monday last; Susan, Lingaa, C. B.

Cleared.

TUESDAY, April 15th.—Brig America, O'Brien, Boston; brig Tigris, LeBlanco, St. Pierre; schr G. O. Bigelow, Witten, Bermuda; Mary Ann, Lang, New York.

WEDNESDAY, April 16th.—Schr Atalanta, Burin, N. F.; Brig Express, Frith, Kingston, Jan.

THURSDAY, 17th.—Brig Margaret Mortimer, Burke, B. W. Indies; schr Lima, O'Brien, Philadelphia; Eagle, Belling, Fishing; Sarah, McLeod, do.

FRIDAY, 18th.—Schr Aurora, Wilson, N. W. India; SATURDAY, 19th.—Barque Selah, Baltimore; brig Florence, Jones, Jamaica; brig Belle, Spanish Porto Rico.

MONDAY, 21st.—Schr Three Brothers, Nfld.

TUESDAY, 22nd.—Schr Elmouthe, Curry, Fortune Bay, Nfld.

Memoranda.

FALMOUTH, March 20.—Arr. James McNab, Halifax. At Port Maria, 16th ult., brig Fawn, hence.

DEMERSARA, March 2.—Arr. Velocity, Halifax. 20th—Mary, do.

TRINIDAD, March 8.—Arr. brig Rob Roy, Reade, Halifax, 17 days; Mary, Rugged Islands.

LIVERPOOL, G. B., March 12.—Sailed, Allies, Halifax. 14th—Transit, do. 15th—Huron, Yarmouth.

18th—Thompson, Halifax. 19th—Standard, do. 23th—Wolfe, do; loading, Ann Roddu, Ellen Lewis, Fury, Alliance, and Jane Tudor, Halifax; Paxton, do and P. E. Island; Banahoe, Pictou; Susan, do; Marmion, Richibucto.

CLADE, March 24.—Sailed, Mic-mac, McNutt, Halifax. 26th—T. & J. Coffin, do; loading, Voltigeur, Pictou.

CAGLIARI, March 15.—Sid. Wild Horse, Halifax.

DEAL, March 23.—Sid. John Barrow, Halifax; White Star, do; loading, Lady Amherst, Mary Ann, and Hope, do; Thos. Begbie, Ch'town.

Disasters.

The Barque Alliance, which arrived at New York, on the 11th inst., reports that when in lat 37 25, lon 71 47, saw the top of a steamship's paddle box, painted black, with a new board in it.

EXTRAORDINARY PRESERVATION.—A schooner, called the *Lightfoot*, of fifty tons burthen, laden with fish and lumber, left the wharf of Liverpool, N. S., for Barbadoes, on the 4th of March last, with the owner on board, Mr. Robert Harlow, acting in the capacity of seaman. On the night of the 12th, during a heavy gale, the schooner was upset, and shortly afterwards, all hands were washed overboard, excepting Mr. Harlow. On the next morning, the schooner's masts being broken off close to the deck, she righted, full of water. Harlow had previously lashed himself to the rail, and he remained in this position, up to the waist in water, being frequently submerged altogether until the 17th ultimo.—five days—without a morsel of food or a drop of fresh water, when he was taken from the wreck by a boat from the *Thomas*, Captain Calhoun, and brought to this city on Monday last. The poor fellow, when taken on board the *Thomas*, although sadly prostrated in body, was perfectly happy, and taken as if he were at home with his wife and children—where he imagined himself to be—his mind being sadly impaired by his intense suffering. A gentleman who saw Harlow on Monday, and conversed with him, informs us that he had little or no knowledge of his pitiable condition after the first twenty-four hours, and although he looked pale and wan, yet he had nearly regained his health.—He proceeded to his home in a Nova Scotia Schooner on Monday night last.—St. John, N. B. Courier, 11th inst.