

although he was rich, yet for our sakes he became poor, that we, through his poverty, might become rich. Then to do good and to communicate forget not, for with such sacrifices God is well pleased. We here remind you that love to God and his cause lies at the bottom of all true christian effort. We must love God's cause if we love him. O then, with the means in your power, to carry on the glorious missionary enterprise, be persuaded to direct them to their most reasonable use, and profitable investment.

Here then, brethren, it lies with you, as God's agents, to supply the destitute and heathen with the regular ministry, and preaching of the glorious gospel of Christ.

Then let us engage more heartily than ever, in the cause of missions, let us pray more, let us do more, let us give more for the cause of God.

May the great Head of the Church increase your numbers, perfect your zeal, extend your usefulness, and gladden your hearts in the general prosperity of His cause.

May the year upon which we now enter be to you all a happy and useful one. We greet you all affectionately and sincerely in Jesus Christ. Engage heartily in the cause of God, and he will revive his work at home and abroad.

May the grace of our Lord Jesus Christ be with you all. Amen.

For the Christian

Obituary Notice

MRS. ELIZABETH

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eamer Niagara arrived on Monday (29th) being the quickest passage made time past. But little news of importance brought by her. Nothing later appears.

ebate in Parliament of most general importance has been that on the Oaths Bill. Sir Dick Thesiger had given notice of his intention to move in committee the insertion of the words "on the true faith of a Christian." The interest of the debate lay chiefly in that a majority of one hundred and forty were in favor of treating Englishmen of wish faith like all other Englishmen. The oaths on either side were those with which we have been long familiar; the whole case may be well summed up in the language of a forsworn man, that the oaths were designed, not a test of heterodoxy and of orthodoxy, of loyalty; that now they were contended on religious considerations only. Hence objections to disqualifications on religious grounds were bound to support the bill. The lies, however, gave a little variety to the debate, by moving an amendment with a view to the oath one which they could conscientiously take, and thus to place themselves in relation to the same footing as all other oaths.

ford and Cambridge are showing their ability by arranging examinations for middle schools, at which certificates shall be conferred without inquiry into the creed and denomination of the lads examined. A title, at present "Associate of Arts," is to be conferred at fifteen years of age. This is a mode of stimulating to improvement of the quality of education which we must altogether commend.

FRANCE.

An article in the *Moniteur* expresses in the most terms to the departed Legislative Assembly, as likewise to the Council of State and Senate, the thanks of the Emperor and of the nation for the services rendered by those political bodies to France.

Great attention is now being given to the elections. General Cavaignac has consented to stand for the third circumscription for which he was originally elected in 1848. M. Carnot will also stand. M. Lamartine has positively declined to stand either for Paris or Mâcon. The leading refugees have now made their voice heard in the elections, and the South of France is inundated with circulars, signed by Ledru Rollin, recommending perfect abstinence. Nevertheless some socialist candidates are already announced.

ITALY.

The Pope made his solemn entry into the

city of Bologna on Tuesday last week. The crowd was immense. On Wednesday Pius IX. crowned the image of the Holy Virgin on Monte della Guardia. His Holiness addressed a speech to the people.

A letter from Parma, of the 3rd inst., announces that the trial of the prisoners accused of having been connected with the political disturbances of the year 1854 has taken an extraordinary turn. One prisoner, who had given information against his accomplices, has refused to appear to give evidence against them in public. He declares that he had received a promise from the authorities that he should not be confronted with his confederates. Every inducement has been held out to him to prevail on him to repeat his evidence in court, but he remains obstinate. The judges have consequently continued the trial without him, and it is believed that the other prisoners will be acquitted.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

BAZAAR.

THE LADIES of Chester in aid of the cause of the poor on Wednesday, the 27th inst. will raise funds for a Bazaar at the Theatre Royal, commencing at 7 o'clock.

EDWARD J. POTTER
Clare, June 17th, 1857.
July 1. 4w.

NOTICE.

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Wolfville, May 16th, 1857.
May 20.

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June 3

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Yours, etc.,

July 1, 1855.

[From the Boston Herald.]

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Yours respectfully,

DANIEL N. MURPHY.

Professor O. J. Wood.

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Yours truly,

J. K. BRAGG.

Pastor of the Orthodox Church, Brookfield.

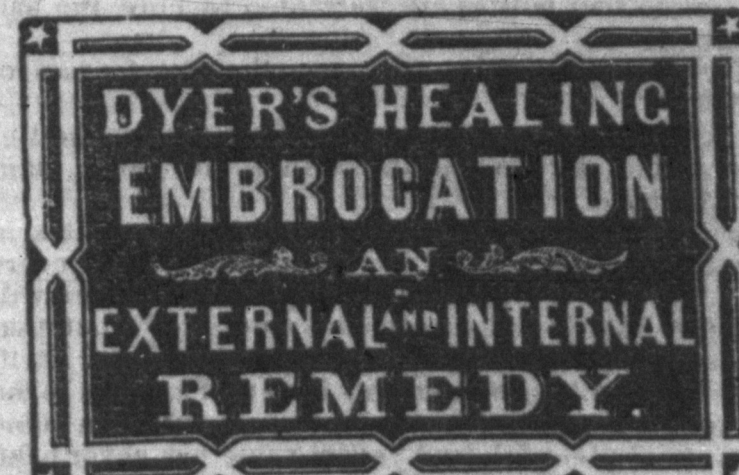
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[From the Missouri Democrat.]

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