

Latest from Europe!

FRANCE.

Jan. 22.—"We learn by a letter from London," says the Opinion Nationale, "that the French Government, adhering in a certain measure to the pretensions of the English Cabinet, appears disposed to assume the initiative in diplomatic demonstrations against the blockade of the Southern ports, which is considered ineffective. We have already expressed our opinion on this subject, and we no more understand to-day than we did yesterday, or even two months ago, in virtue of what law, principle, or rule, the blockade of the Confederate States can be condemned as insufficient. The Cabinet of Washington may adduce three arguments, the importance of which we think paramount:—1. It is operating on its own territory, as the Southern have not been recognised by any Government either in Europe or America. 2. It has never adhered to the Conventions of 1856. 3. These conventions do not lay down any rules for deciding whether a blockade is effective or not.—The pretensions put forward by Great Britain are altogether vague and arbitrary, and we should be sorry to see France follow or precede her in that course."

The Emperor of the French is said to be intensely mortified at the course taken by M. Thouvenel in limiting the privileges of the American Minister, in the way of taking his countrymen to the Court balls and receptions.—The fact that tickets had been refused to a majority of the American applicants was not made known to his Majesty till the evening of the ball, and it is said that he at once ordered tickets to be sent. The Court officials were determined that the Americans should be excluded, however, and no tickets were sent. Another Court ball is to be given on Wednesday, and to it Mr. Dayton is invited to take as many people as he likes. It is hoped that this will heal the mortified vanity of the Americans in Paris.

It is observed that the relations between France and Turkey have become very far from friendly. Syrian affairs are, of course, presumed to be the cause of the misunderstanding.

There is a rumor in Paris that the Emperor Napoleon had rather a narrow escape, whilst out shooting last week. The Duke of Magenta (Marshal M'Mahon), who does not appear to be as good a shot as he is a soldier, lodged a few shots in the nape of his Majesty's neck, happily, however, without doing further damage.

The Monitor contains the peculiar announcement that "a profound feeling of regret and indignation has been aroused in England, as well as in France, by the vindictive act of destroying the port of Charleston."

ITALY.

A Paris letter notices the energetic, it might even be said warlike, attitude of Austria towards Italy, and affirms that the relations between the two countries are the source of serious anxiety to the Cabinet at Paris. Since the peace of Villafranca the Emperor Francis Joseph has been using every possible means to improve the efficiency of his army, and now the Austrian officers flatter themselves that they are in a position to avenge Magenta and Solferino. That the disgrace of 1859 may be the more completely wiped out, they express a hope that in the anticipated war they may not have to fight Italian troops only, but be led against the united armies of France and Italy.

The Pope is making an effort to unite the Greek and Latin Churches. He has established a permanent special congregation of Cardinals, who must occupy themselves exclusively with the affairs of the Eastern Church, and he has, moreover, as a preliminary measure, suppressed the congregation hitherto charged with the censorship of the oriental books.

THE ROMAN QUESTION.—The Opinions of to-day says:—"There is a question of substituting Italian for Pontifical troops in the Patrimony of St. Peter, or, at least of establishing mixed garrisons of French and Italian troops, in order to ensure tranquility in the interior, and deprive the brigands of all refuge."

Rome would continue to be occupied by the French. "The Pontifical Government would thus be enabled to dismiss almost all its troops, and be relieved from a heavy burden."

The Opinions also states that the Emperor of the French is taking steps with Russia for the recognition of the Kingdom of Italy by that Power.

RUSSIA.

The Russian Government are about to push their railway system, and with that object they have issued treasury bonds to the amount of thirty million of roubles, as a subvention to a railway company. The bonds will, it is said, be discounted by the National Bank.

MISCELLANEOUS.

A CERTIFICATION.—A superintendent of police once made an entry in his register, from which the following is an extract:—"The prisoner set upon me, called me an ass, a precious dolt, a scarecrow, a ragamuffin, and an idiot—all of which I certify to be true."

THE LATE PRINCE CONSORT'S WILL.—His Royal Highness has willed the whole of his property—a very considerable sum—to the Queen, for the ultimate benefit of their younger children. His care of the revenues of the Duchy of Cornwall will result in the Prince of Wales having nearly half a million in hand when he comes of age next November, together with the annual income in the best possible order.

GAVAZZI THREATENED WITH A PROSECUTION.—We have received from Dublin a copy of a letter addressed by Gavazzi to a clergyman in that city. It is dated Pistoia, Italy, December 27, and states that he (Gavazzi) has been formally accused to the Attorney-General, and served with notice for a regular trial on the charge of attacking the religion of the State on various specified points. The trial was under the judgment of the Tribunal to see if there was sufficient motive to proceed against him by public trial. Out of seven accusers five are foreigners, and two among them Irishmen—perhaps from Galway or Tuam.—London paper.

THE PRINCE OF WALES.—The Prince of Wales remains at Osborne with the Queen until the arrival of his brother, Prince Alfred, who is expected in England in the course of the present month. Shortly after his arrival the Prince of Wales will carry out the plan laid down for him in completion of his education by the Queen and his deeply-lamented father, of making a tour in the Holy Land and the other historical localities of the East. It had been intended that his Royal Highness should set out upon this expedition towards the end of last year, and, as the journeys in the East can only be performed during the cooler months of the year, the Queen has decided that the wishes and arrangements of the Prince Consort, which are considered sacred by the Queen and the Prince of Wales, should shortly be carried into execution. The Prince will necessarily travel in the most private manner.—Times.

Notices, &c.

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Academy Athenium.

LECTURE.—We have been requested by the Secretary of the Acadia Athenium to give notice that P. C. Hill, Esq., will be unable, owing to local matters &c., &c., to deliver his Lecture on "Self Defence" at Wolfville, but wishes the Society to accept another on "The British Provinces and the United States, contrasted,—from personal observation."

Letters Received.

W. T. Hammond, 3rd, 10s. Capt. Sanderson, 25th. H. E. Payson, Esq., 24th, \$17.—Former letter acknowledged in C. M. Jan. 15. Daniel Eaton, 4th. W. Churchill, 1st, £3. 1 sub. Duncan Robertson, 30th, 20s. 1 sub. Capt. D. F. Curry, 5th. W. H. Harris, 3rd, £2 10s. 1 sub. R. H. Phillips, 3rd.—Reply sent. C. Bezanon, 20th. Rev. Jas. Reid, 29th, 32s. 6d. Rev. A. W. Bars, 1st. Joseph D. Marsters, 6th, 12s. 6d. Rev. D. M. Welton. Rev. S. Thompson, 4th. Richardson Harris, Esq., 5th, 28s. 9d. S. Brown, 4th. D. A. Steele, 7th. Rev. Chas. Randall, 5th, 20s. C. H. Harrington, 3rd, 2 subs., £3 17s. 6d. Rev. D. W. C. Dimock, 8th. S. Morrison, 9th. Rev. S. McLeod, 4th, 10s. P. E. I., 8s. N. S. C. Jost, Esq., 8th. J. B. McNutt, 1st, 20s. H. R. Cunningham, 7th.

Woodill's Worm Lozenges.

The following are selected from many certificates in favour of Woodill's Worm Lozenges. "Having examined the prescription from which Woodill's Worm Lozenges are prepared, I can state that they contain the most wholesome ingredients—I can also certify that they are efficacious, having used them in my practice. (Signed) HENRY B. FORMAN, M. D., Halifax, February 9, 1860. Surgeon."

Sharp's Balsam for Coughs and Colds. Halifax, Jan. 13th, 1862.

Dr. Sharp.—Dear Sir.—Having labored under a severe cold for some time, with a constant tickling in the throat and a violent cough which deprived me of rest both night and day. I heard of your Balsam of Hoarhound and Aniseed. I was advised to try a bottle of it and did so and I can truly say that I never rested better than I did the next night. My cough has left me and the hoarseness is gradually giving way, although I have not yet used half the bottle. I can with confidence recommend it to the public and would strongly advise any one troubled with a Cough to a bottle of your Balsam.

I remain your humble servant, GEORGE W. BAILEY, of the New Orleans Metropolitan Troop. Cogswell and Forsyth, General Agents. For sale by Avery Brown, & Co., Brown Brothers, & Co., & Richardson, Junr., J. L. Woodill. Jan. 22. 3 mths.

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Table listing various publications and their prices: Army List, issued monthly, £0 2 6; British Workman, per annum, 1 3; Cassell's Family paper, per annum, 7 6; Dial, (and Star), weekly, per quarter, 5 0; Englishwoman's Domestic Magazine, per annum, 8 9; Family Herald, per annum, 7 6; Good Words, per annum, 7 6; Hooker's British Ferns, quarterly, 3 1; Illustrated News of the World, per quarter, 5 0; Journal of Health, per annum, 3 9; King's Magazine for Boys, per annum, 3 9; Ladies' Treasury, monthly per annum, 7 6; London Journal, per annum, 7 6; MacMillan's Magazine, per annum, 15 0; News of the World, per quarter, 5 0; Once a Week, per quarter, 3 9; Punch, the London Charivari, per quarter, 5 0; Rifleman's Weekly Journal, per annum, 10 0; Saint James' Magazine, per annum, 15 0; Temple Bar Magazine, per annum, 15 0; Universal News, weekly, per quarter, 5 0; Volunteer Army List, monthly, 1 6; What Not, Magazine of Fashions, &c., per an, 7 6; Youth's Magazine, per annum, 6 2. All letters to be prepaid. Address G. E. Morton & Co., opposite the Province Building, Halifax.

Marriages.

By the Rev. A. W. Bars, on the 1st of January, Mr. Jackson Boyd, of Booth Bay, in the State of Maine, to Miss Sophia Bonger, of Ragged Islands. On the 29th Jan. 1862, by the Rev. I. Wallace, A. M., assisted by the Rev. H. DeBlois, A. M., Capt. William Smith, to Mary Havilah, eldest daughter of Mr. Read Hall, all of Granville, N. S. On Christmas Eve, 1861, by the Rev. Isaiah Wallace, A. M., Capt. Jacob Bent, to Miss Elizabeth Weatherspoon, both of Granville Ferry, N. S. Also, at the Baptist Parsonage, Lower Granville, by the same, on the 29th Dec., 1861, Mr. Charles Chidder, to Miss Margaret Shanks. Also, at the same place, by the same, on the 12th inst., Mr. Mordant M. Randal, to Miss Mary Adelia Anderson, both of Bridgetown, N. S.

Deaths.

On Thursday evening, George A. Mitchell, in the 35th year of his age. On Friday evening, Margaret, beloved wife of Capt. Thomas Callaway, aged 22 years. At Lower Horton, on 31st ult., aged 76 years, Elizabeth, the beloved wife of Mr. John Fuller. At Pugwash, N. S., on 31st ult., Mr. Frederick Bergman, aged 68 years. At Joggins Mines, Cumberland Co., Jan 2nd, Rosanna, wife of Capt. Hugh McLanor, aged thirty-five years. At Liverpool, N. S., on Wednesday, the 5th inst., Snow P. Freeman, Esq., in the 58th year of his age. At the Poor's Asylum, Feb. 7th, Daniel Baker, aged 77 years, a native of Musquodoboit. At Granville Mountain, N. S., July 26th, 1861, aged 16 years, Sarah H., Dec. 14th aged 9 years, Alonzo. Dec. 22nd, aged 11 months, Elwood Y. Dec. 25th, aged 5 years, Arminella. Jan. 2nd, 1862, aged 7 years, Melissa. All these were the beloved children of Daniel W. and Mary L. Bohaker. The four last named were swept away by that malady, Diphtheria. May God sustain by His Grace the bereaved parents in this hour of inexpressible sorrow. Also on the 9th Jan., at the residence of Mr. Bohaker, of Diphtheria, Charles Bogart, aged 37 years, leaving a disconsolate widow and many relatives and friends to mourn their loss. In Windsor, on the 1st inst., Mr. Josiah Fuller, aged 79 years. Mr. Fuller was baptized in Falmouth, by Father Theodore S. Harding, in the year 1807. He was ordained Deacon of the Baptist Church, Windsor, in the year 1821, which position he filled with honor till his death. His life and death were eminently those of the Christian. At Onslow, Jan. 10th, Mr. Daniel M. Blair, aged 78 years.

Shipping List. PORT OF HALIFAX.

Arrived. Tuesday, 4th.—Steamer Delta, Hunter, St. John, N. B. 33 hours; brig Latina, Fanning, Cienfuegos 17 days. Wednesday, 5th.—Schr. Friend, Westhaver, Lunenburg; Sylvia, Young, do; brig Golden Rule, Patter-on, Porto Rico 16 days. Thursday, 6th.—Brigs Spanish Main, Gange, Cienfuegos 23 days—T. C. Kinneer & Co.; General Williams Doane, do 23 days—G. H. Starr & Co.; schrs. J. mes, Henders-n, Ponce 22 days; Ninth of June, McEachin, New York 9 days—Black, Bros. & Co. and others. Friday, 7th.—R. M. steamer Europa, Anderson, Boston 37 hours—68 passengers, 26 for Halifax. Saturday, 8th.—Brig General Washington, hence for Jamaica, returned from sea, having lost fore-top-sail yard, &c.; schrs Dart, Conrad, Cienfuegos 19 days; Tartar, Boyle, do; R. M. Steamer Ospray, Gulliford, St John's, N. F. 3 days. Sunday, 9th.—R. M. S. America, Moodie, Liverpool via Queenstown to S. Cunard and Co; Schr Rival Dunlap, Liverpool, 10 hours. Monday, 10th.—Schr Sabine, Thomas, New Brunswick, 4 days.

Cleared. Monday 3rd.—brig Express, Frith, St. Jago de Cuba; schr Comet Fraser, Mahone Bay. Tuesday, 4th.—brigs Emily Jane, Watt, Porto Rico; Dasher, Murphy, F. W. Indies; Sarah Newall, B. W. Indies; schrs Spey, McPherson, Porto Rico; John Henry, McDonald, Sydney. Wednesday, 5th.—Brig General Washington, Jenkins, Jamaica; schrs Ospray, Murphy, B. W. Indies; Richard O'Bryan, O'Bryan, Canso; brig Boston, O'Brien Boston. Thursday, 6th.—French schr Henrietta, Farvaque, St. Pierre Miq; R. M. steamship Europa, Anderson, Liverpool. Friday, 7th.—brig Iris, Purdy, Glasgow; schr Friend, Westhaver, Lunenburg. Saturday, 8th.—Merlin, Sampson, Bermuda and St. Thomas; Ceila, Dolby, Brazil; Louisa, Seaboyer, Trinidad; Janet, Crowell, F. W. Indies; Pacific, Lemieux, Boston; Enchantress, Locke, Ragged Islands.

Memoranda. Boston, 2nd.—Arrived schrs Roderick, Random, Liverpool, N. S.; Vesta, Smith, Halifax. New York, 3rd.—Arrived E. R. Nickerson, Fortune Bay, Nfld.; Franklin, Cow Bay; Harvest, Queen, Cornwallis. 3rd.—Cleared brig Anna Gelder, Bermuda; Achiver, Halifax. St. Thomas, Jan. 10th.—The bark Return, of Yarmouth, from Philadelphia for Ireland, arrived here on the 8 h, in a leaky condition. The steamer Adriatic, is reported by telegraph, frozen in at North Sydney.

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Bazaar.

THE Ladies of the Baptist Church and Congregation in Hantsport, intend holding a Bazaar in August next, to defray the expenses of repairing the Baptist Church at Hantsport. Contributions thankfully received by the Committee. Mrs. E. DAVISON. Mrs. Wm. DAVISON. Mrs. G. JOHNSTON. Mrs. C. DAVISON. Mrs. D. W. FAULKNER. Mrs. J. TOYE. Hantsport, January, 1862. Jan. 29. 3 ins.*

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IN THE HOUSE OF ASSEMBLY.

RESOLVED, That no Bill of a private or local nature, or petition therefor, be received by the House after the fourteenth day from the opening of each Session of the present House of Assembly; and that the Clerk do, one month previously to the opening of the Legislature, cause this resolution to be inserted in five or more of the public newspapers. A true extract. Jan. 8. ALEX. JAMES, Clerk of Assembly