

UNPRECEDENTED.—A steamer made a trip between Burlington and Pittsburg, Lake Champlain, this year, on the 17th of January.

The Governor of Pennsylvania sent a message to the Legislature, on the 12th instant, protesting that "arbitrary arrests" are illegal, that Congress alone has the power to suspend the writ of habeas corpus, and recommending the passage of resolutions, requesting Congress to take such action as may bring the guilty to punishment and relieve the innocent. Gov. Curtin believes that certain arrests were necessary at the beginning of the rebellion, but thinks there is no occasion for them at the present time.

The N. Y. Herald publishes a lengthy account of the run of the Federal ram Queen of the West down the Mississippi. She destroyed three steamers loaded with provisions for the Confederates at Vicksburg, and took fifty-six prisoners. She ran under the batteries at Port Hudson, and drew their fire without being damaged. She attacked the Confederate gunboat City of Vicksburg, and was compelled to withdraw when she was discovered to be on fire from turpentine balls thrown by the enemy.

THE HYMENIAL KNOT TIED WITH A TELEGRAPH WIRE.—The Syracuse Standard states that a marriage by telegraph took place on Tuesday afternoon last, between a young lady in one of the principal villages on the Oswego railroad, and an artillery soldier, on duty near Washington. The chaplain of the bridegroom's regiment telegraphed the material question of the marriage ceremony to the lady, viz: "Do you take to be your husband?" directing her to answer, "I do," and to authorize him to propose a like question to the gentleman. In two hours after the lady received the Chaplain's first message, she received another announcing that the soldier and she were man and wife.—This telegram is her marriage certificate. It is understood that the parents of the lady were opposed to the union, and that this method was taken to outwit them. The time for the ceremony had been fixed by correspondence beforehand, and the lady was in waiting when the first message was received at the telegraph office.

European News.

FRANCE.

THE ART EXHIBITORS.—The Moniteur of Thursday mentions that the recent speech of the Emperor to the French exhibitors has drawn from the British Government an expression of satisfaction, and of its strong conviction, reciprocating the friendly sentiments of the Emperor towards this country, that this feeling of mutual esteem will strengthen the ties which unite the two nations as well as their Governments.

The Emperor in person delivered the rewards to the French exhibitors in the London Exhibition. In the course of his speech the Emperor humorously remarked that the redoubtable French invasion of England had taken place after all—not with arms which carry ruin, but with those which confer prosperity and comfort. The Emperor passed a high encomium upon England, from which he observed that France had borrowed many moral conquests and derived the spirit of liberty, "which, being extended to all opinions, ensures the development of all interests." He added that when France had completed the bases of public liberties she too would attain the same result.

RECOGNITION.—The rumors which have lately been prevalent respecting the intention of the French Government to suggest peaceful proposals to the American belligerents were recently confirmed by the publication of the despatch of M. Drouyn de Lhuys. The French Minister of Foreign Affairs has sent a despatch to M. Mercier, the French Minister at Washington, suggesting to the Federal Government the propriety of opening up direct negotiation with the Confederate authorities, with a view to a settlement of the dispute. The Minister argues that the objections which would apply to any plan of mediation do not apply to this proposal, inasmuch as it does not include any foreign intervention, and still leaves the settlement of American affairs entirely in the hands of the Americans. Supposing the two parties to consent to enter into negotiations, representatives of each might be appointed to meet in some city, which could be declared neutral, there to examine into the "grievances" which have led to the war, and to consider whether a reconstruction of the Union is not possible. The French Government does not think that this plan would necessarily involve an armistice, but it points out that a cessation of hostilities would have an ameliorating influence, even should no arrangement be arrived at.

THE OPPOSITION.—The French Senate has voted an echo to the Emperor's speech, against a minority of one! But that one was the Prince Napoleon. The Prince objected to the servile clauses of the address in regard to Italy, maintaining that the Italians still desired, and had a right to, Rome as their capital. What the meaning of the public difference between the Emperor and his cousin may be, it is not easy to guess. M. Thouvenel spoke also with great firmness on the right of the Romans to decide on their own form of government, reminding the Senate that the will of the people was the sacred foundation of the present regime in France, and of the existence of the Senate itself, while he denied that France could admit the right of "occupation."

RUSSIA AND POLAND.

Of the Polish insurrection Western Europe really knows little yet which can be called dis-

ting or reliable. The assurance of the St. Petersburg official paper, that none of the insurgents belong to other classes than the working men and lower middle-class, is contradicted by a Warsaw telegram, which states that the insurgents have received considerable reinforcements from the better classes of society. Two Russian officers have been captured, heading a band of insurgents, and a general even, of the name of Wisocki, is said to be among them.

The telegraphic communication between Berlin and Warsaw has again been established, and despatches received in Warsaw state that the insurrection has a great number of partisans in Lithuania and Volhynia.

GREECE.

If we are to believe accounts reaching us through various sources, the Crown of Greece is at last in a fair way to be satisfactorily disposed of. The Duke of Coburg, it is stated, has consented to become a candidate. Mr. Elliott has announced the fact to the Greek Provisional Government. The difficulty of the Duke's childlessness is to be got over by his nominating his nephew, the Prince of Coburg-Kohary, as his successor, and the latter will even, it is stated, agree to embrace the Greek religion.

SPAIN.

RESIGNATION OF GENERAL PRIM.—Madrid Jan. 26.—The resignation of General Prim has been accepted.

General Prim proposes to place himself at the head of the Progressist party, which he intends to reorganise.

The Ministry have resolved to provoke a discussion, which may result in a vote of confidence from the Congress.

EGYPT.

The new Viceroy of Egypt has commenced his reign with a promise which it is to be hoped will be maintained during his lifetime. The consular body presented his Highness with an address, when he laid before them the programme of his intentions. He told them he had resolved to fix for himself a civil list, which he would never exceed; that he would devote all the resources of the country to its development, and that he should abolish forced labour. The latter item apparently alarmed the representative of France; but he was reassured by the Pacha informing him that he did not refer to the Suez canal scheme. The Viceroy's speech has, it is stated, produced a great effect, and, what is better for the country, it is certainly consistent with all that is reported of his previous character.

MISCELLANEOUS.

ASPIRATION OF A SOUTHERN CLERGYMAN.—Dr. Norman Macleod, in a speech delivered a few days ago at a Bible Society meeting in Scotland, said:—Dr. Palmer, of New Orleans, a man of excellent character, who represented the Presbyterian Church, had published a sermon in which he declared that the whole of the abolition movement is the outburst of the revolutionary war in France, the last development of infidelity and atheism, and he asked—Who knows but God may be preparing us for the blessed work of propagating slavery throughout the world?"

GARIBALDI.—The Movimento of Genoa gives a very favourable account of General Garibaldi's health. Having got out of bed for the first time on the 20th he walked a little on crutches; on the 22nd he took a walk out of doors, and on the 24th he went out fishing. Dr. Albanese is now the only physician that attends him.

Two new publications have been added to the Index Expurgatorius by the committee at Rome. The one is the work on Sorcery by M. Michelet, the other the newspaper published at Turin by Father Passaglia.

Henry, brother of Douglas Jerrold, and a printer by trade, is said to be a wandering half-witted beggar in Australia.

THE ROYAL WEDDING AND THE RIBBON TRADE.—"A North Warwickshire Incumbent" writes to the papers:—"Would you use your powerful influence to induce every person to wear a rosette of white ribbon on the Prince's wedding-day? If such were made a general rule through the country, every ribbon loom in Warwickshire would be set to work in a week from this time."

We hear that Captain Burton and M. Du Chaillu have settled to visit the gorilla country in company on a sporting tour. A coarse time for the great apes ought to be approaching. M. Du Chaillu visits New York before starting with Captain Burton.—The Reader.

As Good as New.

MR. MERICK WOODS, Londonderry, Vt. writes—"Mrs. S. A. Allen's Hair Restorer and Zylbalsam, have restored my hair to its original color and beauty. One year ago my hair was very thin and quite gray. I have now as fine a head of hair as I ever had."

Sold by druggists everywhere. Depot, 198 Greenwich st., New York. Avery Brown & Co. Halifax Agents.

NEW PUBLICATIONS to be found at the Book and News Agency of G. E. MORTON and Co.

Saturday Night—a weekly Magazine, by T. Hood. Handbook of the History of the United States, by Hugo Reid.

The Cruise of the St. George. Bishop Colenso on the Pentateuch. Mounted Photographs, copied from paintings by the best masters.

Corahill, and Temple Bar Magazines, London Society and other monthlies for January.

Marriages.

On Tuesday 17th inst., by the Rev. George Boyd, Mr. Wm. H. Bauld, to Elizabeth, fourth daughter of the late Wm. Bauld, Esq.

On the 12th inst., at residence of Mahew Beckwith, Esq., by the Rev. A. S. Hunt, A. M., Mr. William Belcher, to Rachel S. eldest daughter of the late Jas. Shaw, Esq., both of Cornwallis.

Feb. 9th, at Salmon River, by the Rev. A. F. Porter, Mr. William E. O'Hara, of New Harbor, to Miss Mary E. Dickey, second daughter of James Dickey, Esq.

On the 17th inst., by the Rev. Jas. Thomas, Mr. Edward Robinson, of Jamaica, to Mrs. Jane James.

Deaths.

At the Four Mile House, on Saturday 21st, Mary Morrison, wife of William Davey, in the 64th year of her age.

On the 15th inst., Christianna, the beloved wife of Robert Brannon, in the 64th year of her age.

On the 16th inst., Mrs. Catherine Farrell, in the 44th year of her age.

On Wednesday evening, of scarlet fever, James Moren, third son of James R. Lithgow, aged 4 1/2 years.

On Wednesday, Mrs. Mary Gordon, aged 75 years.

On Thursday afternoon, Mary S. Cantrell, widow of the late Dr. Wm. Cantrell, aged 65 years.

On the 13th inst., near Plaister Cove, Strait of Canso, George Edward, son of Mr. Wm. Heffernan, in the 22nd year of his age.

At Hantsport, on the 16th inst., Freddie L., the beloved child of William and Mary E. Chettick, aged 3 months.

At the Poor's Asylum, 18th Feb., John Connors, aged 40 years.

On the 15th inst., James Townsend, aged 32 years, eldest son of Charles and Jane Davis.

At Rawdon, on the 3rd Feb., after a long illness, Mrs. Hannah Welner, widow of the late Jas. Welner, in the 89th year of her age.

Of Diphtheria, on the 13th inst., at Bridgewater, Lunenburg County, Louisa Maria, aged 8 years and 6 months; and on the 16th, Lydia Alice, aged 6 years and 6 months; children of Joseph R. and Lucinda Wyman.

At Port Hood, on the 9th inst., Elizabeth, wife of Mr. Thomas Power.

At Lower Horton, on the 8th inst., Nancy, widow of the late Abel Harris, in the 92nd year of her age.

Drowned, at Pleasant River, on the 2nd ult., James Henry, second son of Mr. Thomas H. Heckman, aged 8 years.

At Belgrade, Maine, U. S., on the 25th ult., Dr. Aaron P. Crooker, aged 29 years, son of Dr. Sebra and Pernelia Crooker, of Brookfield, Queens Co. On his death bed he requested his brother to write to his mother that he was perfectly ready and willing to die, was happy and longed for the time to come. Was buried with masonic honors.

"Dear as thou wert, and justly dear,
We will not weep for thee;
One thought shall check the startling tear,
It is—that thou art free.

And thus shall faith's consoling powers,
The tears of love restrain;
Oh! who that saw thy parting hour,
Could wish thee here again?"

At Kempt, Hants Co., Jan. 19th, 1863, Deacon Joseph Bradshaw, aged 77 years. The holy religion that he professed in early life, and often recommended to others was his support in sickness and death.—Communicated by Joseph D. Marsters.—[Christian Visitor please copy.

Feb. 5th, after a short but painful sickness, Mrs. Jacob Rodgers, of Salmon River, aged 62 years. The deceased leaves a husband and 9 children to mourn their loss. She will be greatly missed by the poor, and the sick, but we believe their loss is her gain. She died in the Lord.

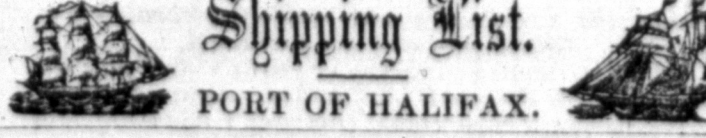
Feb. 4th, Mr. George Shepherd, aged 46 years. He was a member of Tracadie Baptist Church.

At Grand Hospital, Grand Junction, Tennessee, on the 16th day of November, Thomas H. Tupper, Sergeant of Company H. 16, Wisconsin Regiment, and son of Rev. James H. Tupper, aged 31 years, leaving a wife and three children to mourn their loss. His end was peace.

Also at Keswick, Jan. 25th, Eunice Lawrence, aged 26 years, daughter of the Rev. Jas H. Tupper, leaving a husband and four children. In her last moments she longed to depart and be with Christ, which was far better. They both were baptized 12 years ago by their father in a revival at Keswick.

At North Bar, C. B. on Monday, 2nd inst., Sarah, infant daughter of Forman and Deborah Tooker, aged 8 weeks and 2 days.

At Port George, Wilmot, on the 12th inst., Mr. John Hawksworth, aged 94 years, a native of Yorkshire England. He was one of the first settlers of Wilmot, and continued a much respected inhabitant to the time of his death.



Shipping List.

PORT OF HALIFAX.

Arrived.

Tuesday, 17th.—Steamer Edward Hawkins. Shannon, Matamoros, 21 days—cotton—bound to Liverpool; put in for coal; brig General Washington, Hanson, St. Domingo 20 days; Boston, O'Brien, Boston 36 hours—John M. Watson & Co. and others—10 passengers; schr. J. W. Derring, Purdy, Philadelphia—J. A. Moren.

Wednesday, 18th.—Brig Milo, Patterson, Cienfuegos 26 days, brig Express, Howard, St. John's, P. R. 14 days.

Thursday, 19th.—Schr. Indian Queen, Whitney, New York 10 days—J. Babcock and others.

Friday, 20th.—R. M. steamer Europa, Muir, Boston 56 hours—40 passengers, 21 for Halifax—was detained off the harbor by fog.

Saturday, 21st.—R. M. steamer Canada, Grace, Liverpool via Queenstown 14 days—176 passengers, 158 for Halifax.

Cleared.

Monday, 16th.—bark Celia, Dolby, Brazil; brigts. Margaret, Fanning, Kingston, Jamaica; Kate, McDougall, New York; schr. Sea View, Leman, Demerara.

Wednesday, 18th.—bark Lady Milne, Cowen, Liverpool, G. B.; brig. John Smith, Venning, Trinidad; schrs. Brisk, Bruce, Aux Cayes; Oases, Stanley, F. W. Indies; Peniel, pkt. Dunlop, Liverpool, N. S.; Melrose, Blanch, do; schr. Jenny Lind, Lormon, Tangier.

Thursday, 19th.—bark Halifax, O'Brien, Boston; brig Onward Doody, Porto Rico; R. M. steamer Ospray, Gulliford, Newfoundland; steamer Edward Hawkins, Thornham, Liverpool, G. B.

Friday, 20th.—Europa, Muir, Liverpool; Rover, Ryan, Jamaica; Cindor, McDonald, B. W. Indies. Saturday, 21st.—Steamer Canada, Grace, Boston; Dasher, Murphy, Porto Rico; Boston, McGregor, Boston.

Memoranda.

Boston, 13th.—old. Hero, Fowler, Aux Cayes. 14th.—arr. brig Reindeer, Halifax; schrs. Margaret Ann, Whelpley, Cornwallis; Victor, Ingalls, Grand Manan; cld. schr. Eastern Light, White, Aux Cayes. 15th.—Arr'd, brig E. Thompson, Kolman, St. Thomas. 16th.—schrs. Mary, Siteman, Halifax; Harmony, McCulloch, St. Thomas; cld. schrs. Ellen, King, Port au Prince; Henry Elliott, Douglas. New York, Feb. 12th.—old. Robert Bruce, Matamoros; Maggie McNeil, Barbados; schr. Tigress, Sial. 14th.—arr. brig Stromness, Mormick, Matanzas; Eliza Bares, Bermuda; schr. Oriental, Aux Cayes. 17th.—ship Victoria, Mounce, Liverpool; brig Mount Vernon, Lee Kingston.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

GREAT DRY GOODS SALE!! STILL CONTINUED.

THE CHEAP SALE that has for the past few weeks been going on at 150 Granville Street.

And which the public have found it so much for their interest to patronize so liberally, will be continued until the

Fifth Day of March next. Still Greater Bargains in the following Goods than have yet been offered may be looked for during the continuance of this sale.

MANTLES AND MANTLE CLOTHS In the Newest Styles and Fabric, consisting of—Plain Black Cloth, Black and Colored Velvet Pile, Whiteys Saltaras, Petersham, Sealskin, Plush and Fancy Fabrics of every variety.

—AN IMMENSE STOCK OF— DRESS GOODS, Furnishings of all descriptions in the trade. All positively at Cost! 50c REMNANTS at 50 per cent. below Cost. SAMUEL STRONG.

Feb. 25.

Cogswell & Forsyth.

HAVE received per Bark "Thames," from Liverpool.

1 Case Castile Soap, 500 lbs. Cream Tartar, 200 " Cudbear, 20 dozen Taylors' Oriental Tooth-paste,

—ALSO IN STORE— Five tons Washing Stone, One " Alum, Three " Copperas, One " Blue Stone, Two Casks Jamaica Ginger, 1000 lbs. Extract Logwood, 50 " Arnatto for cheese colouring, 150 " Acetic Acid, 30 ounces Nitrate of Silver Crystals, 50 lbs. Hyposulphate of Soda, For sale low at 130 Granville Street.

Feb. 18.

Farm for Sale IN WILMOT.

FOUR miles from Bridgetown, and three from Lawrencetown, lying on the post road, containing from 190 to 200 acres of LAND, with a good HOUSE, two Barns, Carriage-house, Wood-house, Workshop and Piggery.

A never-failing Well of water at the house, and one at the Barn. Also, a never-failing brook in the Pasture.

About 12 acres of the Land is Intervale, about 1/2 of a mile from the house. It also comprises an ORCHARD of about fifty bearing Apple trees, lately grafted, and a young orchard coming on. THOMAS FREEMAN.

Feb. 4.

GENTLEMEN'S PATENT LEATHER DRESS BOOTS.

The Cheapest in the City.

LADIES' FELT BOOTS, WITH RUBBER SOLES. ONLY 5s.

GENTLEMEN'S FELT OVERSHOES. With Rubber Soles—warm and comfortable. FOR SALE AT COST.

Rubbers, Rubbers, 3000 PAIRS Ladies' Gents', Misses' and Children's Rubber Overshoes, for sale positively at COST, at the

British and American Shoe Store, 22 GEORGE STREET, North end of Province Building. GEORGE S. YATES.

Remember the place—two doors below Morton's Medical Warehouse. Feb. 11.

BAZAAR.

THE ladies of the Baptist Church and Congregation of Windsor, intend holding a Bazaar in the early part of next September, to raise funds for paying off the debt on the Parsonage. Contributions will be thankfully received by the following Committee.—Mrs. Dr. Harding, Mrs. Thos. Bennett, Mrs. Thos. McLatchy, Mrs. Benjamin Banks, Mrs. Edward Davison, Mrs. D. M. Welton. Dec. 31st, 1862.