NEWS SUMMARY.

By the last mail from England we observe some further changes in Lord Russell's Cabinet. Sir Robert Peel is to be replaced by Mr. Chichester Fortescue, one of the under-secretaries of State for the Colonies, as Secretary for Ireland, and Mr. Forster succeeds him as under Secretary for the Colonies. The First Lord of the Admirality to succeed the Duke of Somerset, has not been yet appointed. The New Cabinet will not be without important questions to discuss and settle. Among them will be that of the extension of the Elective franchise in England. A ten-pound rental is at present the lowest qualification for voting for a member of Parliament. Frequent efforts have been made in the Legislature for some years past to reduce it to six pounds, which it is very probable Lord Russell's ministry will support in the Commons. The final settlement of the various points of difference with the United States Government will also be a question of grave importance to both countries; but as both are at present very unwilling to proceed to extremes, it is to be hoped that no serious obstacle may stand in the way of the continuance of friendly relations.

The vigorous and decided measures adopted by the Irish Government to suppress the Fenian conspiracy, is producing the desired effect. Two of the principal leaders had been convicted, and each sentenced to twenty years penal servitude. The trials were still going on. No serious apprehension appears to be entertained of any outbreak. All the influence of character or property, whether Catholic or Protestant, is in strong opposition to the infatuated attempts of the Fenians to disturb the peace of the country.

Much excitement prevails in England, in consequence of the news from Jamaica. All but universal condemnation of the cruel and illegal course pursued by Governor Eyrie, is expressed for the vindictive and vengeful retaliation inflicted on the blacks, after the riot at Morant Bay had been entirely suppressed. The execution of G. W. Gordon, a member of the Colonial Legislature, upon the sentence of a Court Martial composed chiefly of a few young naval officers, is generally looked upon as murder, under the mere semblance of a trial, and the shooting and hanging of about 2000 persons, male and female, almost without enquiry, has produced throughout the kingdom a general feeling of horror and disgust. Large public meetings were being held to petition the Government to institute an impartial and vigorous enquiry. Mr. Gordon, by every account that can be gathered, was a man of unblemished character and high respectability. He was undoubtedly a religious man, a member of the Church of England and not a Baptist, but as he was a man of property and liberality, was an active agent in whatever concerned the promotion of religious or benevolent objects in every denomination. Mr. G., who was a coloured man, well educated and of considerable ability, had been a strong advocate for justice being done to the blacks, which it evidently appears they had not received at the hands of the Government of the Island. His language in some of his popular addresses may have been imprudent, considering the ignorance of those he was addressing, but no one possessed of common sense could torture it into sedition or rebellion. There does not appear to have been the smallest foundation for Governor Eyre's representation to Mr. Cardwell, that there was a general conspiracy of the blacks throughout the Island, and his reflections on the Baptist Missionaries are unfounded and disgraceful to him in the highest degree, and are even contradicted in some of his despatches. We cannot believe but that he will be called to a strict account.

Notices, &c.

Notice.

The Foreign Missionary Board will meet, (D V.) in Tremont, Aylesford, on Tuesday, the 23rd day of January. A full attendance is desirable.

As it is intended to make a remittance to Burmah soon after, those who purpose to forward money for this object will please do so without delay,

C. Tupper, *Secretary*.

Aylesford, Dec. 23rd, 1865.

Annapolis Co. Ministerial Conference.

The Annapolis County Baptist Ministerial Conference, will meet (D. V.) at Granville Ferry, on Tuesday, the 16th Jan., at 2 o'clock. Preaching on the preceding evening, by Rev. Dr. Tupper, Rev N. Vidito, his alternate. A full attendance is solicited. May the Holy Spirit be given to us.

W. H. Porter,
Secretary of Conference.

A correspondent sends us a copy of the anecdote, respecting the poet Young, being "driven out of the garden," from a work published in 1789. It is probably more accurate than the one in the C. M., a few weeks since, but it is so nearly the same that we do not think it desirable to repeat it.

Colchester County S. School Convention.

The Colchester Co. Sabbath School Convention will meet at Great Village, on Friday the 29th inst., at 2 o'clock, P. M.

T. B. Layton, Secretary.

Letters Received.

Rev. W. H. Porter, the $2 were credited correctly. Rev. S. B. Kempton, 1 sub., $1. Alex. Meldrum, $1. W. Logan, $4. Rev. J. Chase. Jas. R. Eaton. Rev. P. F. Murray, $8. W. Aymar, Esq., $12. A. Marshall, Esq., 1 sub., $10. Edw. McCabe, 1 sub. $2. Rev. W. Hall, $5. M. Sibley, $2 86. Rev. S. March. J. G. Paint. Jas. Lantz, 1 sub. Rev. Dr. Tupper. J. E. Rand. H. R. Cunningham, $2.

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