

become solvent; its last balance-sheet showing a realised surplus of £50,000 a year; that order has become as secure as in England, and that trade has revived; but they are probably not aware that the auction value of sugar estate has doubled, that the consumptive New Englanders are beginning to resort to the island for its enchanting climate, and that the Government hopes yet to attract English settlers. Colonists in the Australian sense are not wanted, but land is plentiful, the island can grow anything, and young men with two or three thousand pounds would find that coffee, tea, or cinchona planting pays, as growing wheat never will.—Spectator, June 10, 1871.

LATEST FROM EUROPE.

ENGLAND.

The Dublin riots have left a bitter feeling amongst the people. All persons arrested for obstructing the thoroughfares on Sunday have been discharged from custody on payment of small fines.

The Ballot Bill, having passed in the House of Commons was rejected on Tuesday last in the House of Lords by a majority of 49. The Marquis of Ripon made a lengthy argument in favor of the bill, in the course of which he referred to his experience in the United States in most pleasant terms, and paid a compliment to American institutions.

The Earl of Shaftsbury made a demand for two months time for the discussion of the question of the Ballot. A vigorous debate ensued, which was participated in by the Lord Chancellor, and various other Peers.

On Thursday in the House of Commons, Mr. Diernell moved that a Committee be appointed to inspect the Journals of the House of Lords, and report whether Ministers declared that Royal Warrant abolishing purchase system has been issued without statutory power.

The motion was rejected after a vehement discussion, during which Diernell charged that the Upper House has been juggled out of its privileges by abuse of Royal prerogative.

On Friday a terrific explosion of gun cotton occurred at Stow Market, county of Suffolk, by which eighteen persons were killed, and fifty wounded.

The Scott Centenary was celebrated with great éclat at Edinburgh, on Wednesday last.

In the House of Lords on Saturday Lord Redesdale questioned the right of United States to maintain the demand of indemnity for damages by the "Alabama," now that the American Government had granted amnesty to rebels, and reconciliation with the South was complete. He asked whether the Government intended to bring this point to the attention of the arbitrators at Geneva. Lord Granville replied that the question would be argued in all its bearings by Sir Roundell Palmer, and other eminent counsel.

It is reported that Sir Alexander Cockburn, Lord Chief Justice of England, has been appointed British member at the board of arbitration upon Alabama and other claims pending under the treaty of Washington.

Over twenty thousand people were present at the meeting in Hyde Park on Saturday last to get up Fenian sympathy. Speeches were made from six different stands. Communist and American flags, and banners with Irish harp and suitable mottoes, were displayed. Among the speakers were Bradlaugh, Odger and other radicals. There was no disturbance.

Notwithstanding the prohibition, the raising of the siege was celebrated at Londonderry yesterday. The police attempted to stop the procession, amid a shower of bricks. The riot Act was read; but the people only dispersed when the military were called out.

Her Majesty the Queen has been taken ill, and is now confined to her room. Her physicians are in constant attendance. The sudden indisposition of the Queen causes much anxiety in the royal household.

FRANCE.—The war budget has been increased two hundred and seventy-one millions of francs. It is thought the vote of the assembly upon the motion for the prolongation of time of office of M. Thiers for three years will stand about as follows:—For the proposition 300, against it 230—probably absentees 130.

The Paris city council has voted to raise a loan of 350,000,000 francs for rebuilding and repair of edifices destroyed or injured during the reign of the Commune.

The French Government has commenced negotiations in Hungary for the purchase of 40,000 horses for the cavalry.

The Catholic paper, the Univers, in

commenting upon the debate on Rome in the French Assembly, says it is useless to disguise the fact that the cause of the Temporal Power is lost in that body, "All our hopes have been disappointed," it adds, "in the only nation upon which the Papacy could count, the last support fails it." Humanly speaking, all is over.

GERMANY.—The Emperor William has not yet ratified the Convention for the evacuation of the French departments of Seine—Seine et Oise, &c.

A meeting was held at Heidelberg on Sunday the 6th Inst., for the formation of a new German Catholic Church; forty delegates were present from various parts of Germany, Austria, and Switzerland. A Committee was appointed to draw up a constitution for the new church to be ratified at Munich in September.

MISCELLANEOUS.

The Philippines Island supply the world with a large proportion of the hemp that is used for manufacturing purposes. We have the following account in one of our exchanges of the late terrible Earthquake on the principal of these Islands: "The village of Catarin began to subside. A vast number of people assembled to witness this extraordinary spectacle, when suddenly, after a series of terrific shocks, the earth seemed to be torn asunder and the whole plain fell in. Immense masses of rock were shot into the air, and columns of fire leaped up. The people were all engulfed. Other shocks followed; other rents were made in the earth, from which streams of lava poured. The woods caught fire, and the inhabitants who were not swallowed up in the earth or crushed beneath the ruins of the buildings were compelled to fly before the flames. A pall of black dust hung over the island, and from this it seemed to rain fire.

In consequence of this catastrophe, the price of hemp has slightly advanced.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

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A want long felt will now be supplied. The Hour of Singing, compiled by the distinguished composer L. O. EMERSON, and by W. S. TILDEN, a faithful and successful Teacher of Music in High Schools, is filled with good and appropriate music, which may be sung in one, two or three parts, and a portion in four parts. There is also a Comprehensive Elementary Course, and a Collection of "Hymns and Tunes" for opening and closing.

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"COME ONE, COME ALL," TO THE FANCY SALE AND TEA,

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Extra Articles will be sold cheap. As the proceeds are to be devoted to repairing Brooklyn Baptist Meeting House, and the Burial Ground adjacent, a liberal patronage is requested.

N. B.—Through the kindness of VERNON SMITH, Esq., R. M. persons may travel for half fare between Windsor and Berwick. If friends come from Berwick, the evening train which ends at Kentville, will run through to Berwick the same night.

F. S.—Should the weather prove unfavorable the "Affair" will take place next day. Contributions from friends elsewhere will be kindly received by Mrs. W. GLENN, Lockhartville. "H. REID, Avonport. "G. N. BALLENTINE. Aug. 9th.

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WINDSOR & ANNAPOLIS RAILWAY.

KENTVILLE, June 30, 1871. SMALL PARCELS up to 7 lbs. weight, will be conveyed by the EXPRESS TRAINS from any Station on this Line to any other, at 10 cts. each, over 7 lbs. and under 50 lbs. at 15 cts. As soon as circumstances permit, they are prepared to carry through Halifax and any Station, on their Express Parcels by every train, at from 20 to 30 cents each, according to weight, including cartage at Halifax. Aug 9

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The department does not bind itself to accept the lowest or any Tender. P. MITCHELL, Minister of Marine and Fisheries, Department Marine and Fisheries, } Ottawa, 8th July, 1871. } July 26. 4ms.