

stance of a note from Bismarck, which says the French Government are accountable for the violence of the Ultramontane press in France.

Private advices state that the famine in Bengal is assuming increasing importance and is engaging the earnest attention of leading men in financial and commercial circles in London.

Despatches from Penang report that the Atchinese continue a desperate resistance to the occupation of their country by the Dutch. The Dutch army has been reinforced.

Intelligence has just been received of the death of Dr. Livingstone in the interior of Africa. He died of dysentery. His body has been embalmed and is being conveyed to England by way of Zanzibar.

Mr. Disraeli, in an address to his constituents in Buckinghamshire, seeking re-election to Parliament, strongly condemns the action of the Ministry in inaugurating the Ashantee war. He also claims that it would have been far better for the country if within the last five years the foreign policy of the government had been a little more energetic.

RUSSIA.—A telegram on Saturday from St. Petersburg, gives full particulars of the Royal wedding, celebrated there on the previous day between the Duke of Edinburgh and the Grand Duchess Maria. The chapel was brilliantly illuminated with candles, and the aisles and the side doors were crowded with ladies and gentlemen.

The procession entered the chapel in the following order: First the Grand Equerries then the Emperor Alexander and the Empress Maria, followed by the Grand Duke Alexander, the heir apparent, and Princess Adagmar, His Royal Highness the Prince of Wales and the Princess of Wales, Prince Arthur and the German Princess Imperial. Then came the bridegroom, the rest of the Imperial family with the bride, followed by an immense train of Court officials.

The bride wore a long crimson velvet mantle trimmed with ermine, and a magnificent diamond coronet. Her train was borne by four pages.

Prince Alfred, the Bridegroom, wore the Russian Naval uniform.

The Russian Princesses wore blue velvet and gold.

In every available position crowds of interested and animated spectators watched the gorgeous spectacle.

The Duke and the Duchess advanced to a part of the floor covered with crimson velvet, while gold crowns are held over their heads by attendants, which performance is continued during all the marriage ceremony. The prescribed rites of the Greek Church are minutely followed, and now the wedded pair follow the High Priest three times around the altar, holding the end of the Priest's robe in their joined hands. With the disengaged right hands they carry lighted candles, thus concluding the peculiar symbolic marriage rites of the Greek Church.

The procession next went to the Hall of Alexander, where the Dean of Westminster performed the English marriage ceremony. Many English gentlemen were present, wearing scarlet, officers of high rank, ladies, nobles, diplomats, and the chief men of the Empire, headed by Prince Gortschakoff, now 76 years old. After the ceremonies there were splendid festivities.

On Monday a grand military review was to take place in front of the winter palace. The troops participating to consist of 41 battalions infantry, 38 squadrons cavalry, and an artillery force of 140 guns.

The weather was delightful and sleighing splendid.

FRANCE.—In the Assembly on Wednesday the Bills conferring on Government the nomination of Mayors, passed by a majority of 43.

The left submitted an interpellation of Government regarding its treatment of the press, which, after a violent debate, was laid on the table by a majority of 100. At the close of the Assembly Deputy Haegrin sent his second to Gambetta with a challenge to fight a duel.

Ex-President Thiers has been presented with a gold medal by the French residents of Philadelphia.

The French steamer "Zouave" sunk off Corsica. Nineteen persons were drowned, including the captain and chief engineer. The quarrel between Gambetta and Haentjens is settled. Both parties withdrawing the offensive expressions.

GERMANY.—The Reichstag will be convoked on the 5th February next.

ITALY.—The Italian Government has received an official despatch warmly expressing the friendly feeling of France towards Italy.

The Pope was reported ill on Saturday but was better on Monday.

SPAIN.—Spanish advices state that General Don Quixote has opened the campaign against the Carlists in Valencia.

SOUTH AMERICA.—Peruvian dates of the 28th of December says the financial excitement is dying out in Chili. The Catholics are endeavoring to control the school question. The priests are threatening excommunication by the Pope to those not favorable to them.

Marriages.

At DeBert River, (No date given) by Rev. M. F. Freeman Mr. William Pigout, to Mrs. Mary Yall, both of Great Village, London-Gerry.

At Lockport, Dec. 23rd, by Rev. Edward Whitman, at the residence of Mr. Charles Hayden, Joseph H. Saunders, Esq., of Norwich, England, to Miss Deborah I. Nichols, of Port La Tour, Shelburne Co.

At St. Marys Bay, on the 14th inst., by the Rev. A. Cogswell, Mr. Dennis T. Hutchinson, to Miss Wealthy Small, all of Digby Neck.

At the North Range, by the same, Mr. George Graham, of New Tusket, to Miss Mary Elvina Ryan.

At the same place, by the same, Mr. James Moseley, of Weymouth, to Miss Mary Eliza Rian.

On the 18th inst., by the Rev. Dr. Warren, Mr. William Ross, to Lizzie, second daughter of Mr. M. J. O'Brien.

At Sambro, on the 13th inst., by the Rev. Thomas Anglin, Mr. George Henry Finley, to Matilda, daughter of Mr. Joshua Nickerson, all of Coats Cove, Sambro.

On the 22nd inst., by the Very Rev. Dean Ballock, assisted by the Rev. John Abbott, May, eldest daughter of B. W. Salter, Esq., to Alfred C. son of Wm. Edwards, Esq., of Toronto, Ontario.

At Bridgewater, on the 16th inst., by the Rev. P. W. Morrison, Mr. Alpheus Vienot, to Miss Arathusa, third daughter of Henry Bailly, Esq., Registrar of Deeds, Lunenburg County.

At New Harbor, April 2nd, by Rev. M. A. Bixlow, Mr. Andrew T. Sangster, of New Harbor, to Mary Manthorn, of Seal Harbor.

At Tracadie, Oct. 14th, 1873, by the same, Joseph Paris, and Margaret Diamond, both of Tracadie.

At Isaac's Harbor, Jan. 14th, 1874, by the same, Charles Burke, and Sophia A. Fanning, both of Isaac's Harbor.

At Conger's Bank, on the 15th Jan. 1874, by Rev. S. March, Isaiah G. Singleton, of Bridgewater, Annapolis Co., to Mrs. Sarah Lowe, of L-Have.

By Rev. H. Achilles, on the 18th Jan. 1874, at Middlefield, Queens Co., Mr. Jaier M. Hunt, to Miss Eunice D. Rhyno, all of Middlefield, Queens Co.

At the residence of the bride's father, Union Street, Avonford, Dec. 31st, by the Rev. J. L. Lead, William E. Hicks, Esq., to Miss Zylma E. Graves, eldest daughter of Samuel Graves.

At River Sid. Cottage, Jan. 20th, by the same, George E. Cronach, Esq., to Miss Mary L. Martin, of Cornwall.

By the Rev. W. G. Parker, Jan. 21st, at the bride's father, Mr. Charles Wiswal, of Wilmot, to Miss Eunice, second daughter of Mr. Joseph Craig, of Middleton, Annapolis Co.

At St. Marys Bay, Nov. 29th, 1873, by the Rev. James England, J. McL. Smith, Esq., and Hattie L., second daughter of the late Wm. B. Bent, Esq.

At the Methodist Church Athol, on the 22nd inst., by the Rev. D. B. Scott, assisted by the Rev. John Betts, Mr. Charles B. D'Amham, Telegrapher Western Union Co., Fort Hastings, Cape Breton, to Miss Clara M. Elderkin, eldest daughter of Jephtha Elderkin, Esq., Athol.

At Little River, on the 12th inst., by Rev. J. C. Morse, Mr. Franklin Small, to Miss Ida Doucet.

Also, at the house of the bride, on the 15th inst., by the same, Mr. Harding Denton, to Miss Almira, daughter of Deacon Geo. Cornwell, all of Little River.

Deaths.

At Milton, Queen Co., Jan. 13th, of consumption, Miss Cynthia Randall, aged 18.

On the 20th inst., Joseph James Northup, of the firm of John Northup & Sons, aged 50 years.

On Monday, Jan. 13th inst., Frances, widow of the late Wm. Gormley, of Truro.

On the 22nd inst., in the 80th year of his age, Mary C. Gibbs, relict of the late John Gibbs, of Halifax.

At Hawkesbury, C. B., Jan. 9th, Mary Le neri, aged 8 months, child of Mr. and Mrs. Solomon Emoree.

Whilst chopping in the woods on the 16th inst., a young man named James Mullock, aged 35, felled a tree upon himself, and was afterwards found a short distance from the tree quite dead. He was a steady and industrious man, and has left a young wife and two months old to deplore his loss.

The event was improv'd—on the occasion of the funeral, by a sermon from Rev. S. March, text Amos iv. 11. "Prepare to meet thy God."

At Cornwallis, Jan. 15th, Alexander McPhail, Esq., aged 85. He was for many years an active member of the Baptist Church. While living in Wolfville he was ordained deacon of the church there, by Father Harding, which office he sustained in the church with credit for many years. In the later years of his life he has lived in Cornwallis, and by the distance from the house of God has been deprived of the public means of grace. He left a widow and a family, most of whom are settled in the United States.—Com.

At Dartmouth, on the 24th January, Mr. Daniel Robson, Shipwright, aged 39 years.

On Sunday, the 25th inst., John Werner, formerly of Poland, in the 50th year of his age.

Shipping List.

ARRIVED.

TUESDAY, JANUARY 20th.—Schr. Lois Jane, Pickles, Mahone Bay.

WEDNESDAY, 21st.—Schr. Rival, Arnold, Sheet Harbor.

THURSDAY, 22nd.—Steamer Alhambra, of Quebec, Agrove Portland; French schr. Maria Adelaide, Benarrie, St. Pierre, Miq.

FRIDAY, 23rd.—No arrivals.

SATURDAY, 24th.—Steamer Alpha, Shaw, Bermuda and St. Thomas; steam-tug A. C. Whitney, Salter, LaHave; brig. Spanish Main, John-ton, St. John's, P. R.; Kingston, Veal, Demerara; schrs. Curlew, Gardner, Liverpool, N. S.; Frank Newton, Burns, Lunenburg; Ida May, Lobnes, Getson's Cove; A-la-mode, Himmelman, do.

SUNDAY, 25th.—Schr. Metcote, Fr. Mouton, St. Pierre, Miq.; schrs. Grand Master, Seaboyer, St. John's, Nfld.; Theresa, Deegan, Souris, P. E. I.; John McKean, McNeil, Grand River, P. E. I.; Quattotte, Bellong, Sydney; Greyhound, Hemlow, Liscomb; Rival, Cook, Liverpool, N. S.

MONDAY 26th.—Schr. Snow Queen, Parkinson, St. John's Nfld.

CLEARED.

TUESDAY, JANUARY 20th.—Steamer Merlin, Walsh, St. John's, Nfld., via Cow Bay; brig. Annie Ingram, Ashwood, Port-au-Prince.

WEDNESDAY, 21st.—Bis. Premier, Wilson, B. W. Indies; Achur, Staples, LaHave; schrs. Village Belle, McPhee, Sheet Harbor; Sybil, Abrill, Ship Harbor.

THURSDAY, 22nd.—Barks Netherton, Couch, St. John's, Nfld.; Louis A. Martinez, Brittain, LaHave; schr. Alliance, Ritecy, Liverpool, N. S.

FRIDAY, 23rd.—S. S. Alhambra, Angrove, Portland; bt. Bessie, Wentzell, Jamaica; schrs. Vantage, Corkum, Getson's Cove; Island Gem, Giffin, Shelburne.

SATURDAY, 24th.—Brigs. Eagle, Swain, Jamaica; Minniehaha, Morrill, Cieufoezos; schrs. Stronsa, Martell, Porto Rico; Briton, Leslie, New York; W. R. Barry, Sherrard, Getson's Cove; Mary Alice, Conrod, Lunenburg; Three Brothers, Eisenhauer, Mahone Bay.

MONDAY 26th.—Stmr. Alpha, Shaw, Bermuda and St. Thomas; schr. Eliza Christie, B-nnell, Porto Rico.

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