

Internal Condition of Russia.

(From the London Times.)

Sated with battle and sieges, and finding nothing very remarkable in the manner in which the war affects our own resources, we naturally become more anxious to lift the hitherto impenetrable veil which separates us from the interior of Russia...

Miscellaneous Items.

THE CRYSTAL PALACE REPORT.—The report of the Crystal Palace Company has been issued, preparatory to the meeting on Thursday. The amount expended up to the 30th of June was £1,281,000, and the liabilities to be discharged before closing the capital account amount to £45,000, which will make a total of £1,326,000.

We have therefore great reason to be grateful to the conductors of Blackwood's Magazine for having admitted into its pages the narrative of an English subject for many years resident in Russia, who left that country only at the beginning of the present summer...

The net revenue of Ireland for the year ending Jan. 5, 1855, was £5,434,806, of which £1,853,000 was realised by Customs; Excise, £2,205,000; Stamps, £453,000; Property and Income-tax, £549,000; Post Office, £10,000; small branches of the hereditary revenue, £800; and in miscellaneous, including repayment of advance, £360,000.

The intelligence brought by the overland mail from India is barren of all interest. The dates are Calcutta, July 4; Bombay, July 11. The country was in a state of profound tranquillity. An expedition to the Presian Gulf was talked of, but the rumour appears to be groundless. Speculation was rife in all the Queen's regiments as to the probabilities of their being called into active service in the war.

By a recent decision of the Admiralty, the proceeds of the Russian prizes lately captured by revenue cruisers are not to be divided among the captors.

Nearly one thousand gentlemen were appointed to commissions in the Army between the 1st of January and the 1st of July. In July, upwards of 200 commissions were conferred on candidates.

COST OF THE WAR.—Altogether, from the sum of £49,506,610, which sufficed only as lately as 1851 for the wants of the country, we have already in this second year of war come to need between £80,000,000 and £90,000,000, and the aggregate charges for the army, navy, and ordnance, which for the three years ending with 1853 amounted only to between £16,000,000 and 17,000,000 have risen in the present year to between £46,000,000 and £47,000,000.

A HERO'S CHARGE.—Sir George Brown has refused an offer of 1100 guineas for the grey hunter which carried him at the Alma. The horse has quite recovered from the bullet riddling he received, and is at present at Coates's Repository at Leamington, in which town his gallant owner has been located since his return from the East.

A PROFOUND TRUTH.—The first time that the celebrated Dean Swift became known to Addison, Steele, and the leading wits of London, a hundred and fifty years ago, he was hurriedly pacing the floor in St. James's Coffee-house, when a country squire entering, he abruptly asked him if he remembered any good weather in this world. "Yes, sir," was the reply; "I thank God I remember a great deal of good weather in my time."

STOPPING IDOLATRY.—At the last Scotch Free Church General Assembly, a petition was proposed for Parliament for the repeal of the grant of £2,300,000 to the temple of Juggernaut, and to dissolve all government connection with the idolatrous shrines in India. There are offerings still given to idol temples in the name of the India Company. Government also supports an institution for the training of Mohammedan priests in Calcutta.

London News

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