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THE POPE.

The correspondent of the *Times* at Rome says: "Cardinal Jacobini, the Papal Secretary of State, has sent a circular to the Nuncios in regard to the recent meeting in Rome to urge the abolition of the Papal guarantee, the purport of which may be judged from the fact that the Pope has openly said that he considers the speeches made at the meeting as a greater offence against the Church than the disturbances at the removal of Pius IX., inasmuch as at the abolition meeting insults were directly, and with impunity, levelled at the living Pontiff, in his own person, as the head of the Catholic religion, and as a sovereign guaranteed by Italian laws." Excited meetings against the Papal guarantees were held on Sunday at Geneoa and Sienna. Much excitement has been caused in Berlin by an article in the Augsburg *Allegemine Zeitung* declaring that, by ratifying the appointment of Dr. Karumus, Catholic Bishop of Treves, the German Government have "gone to Canossa." Liberal papers agree that the Roman Curia has triumphed over Prince Bismarck. Another despatch says. Relative to the article in the Augsburg *Allegemaipe Zeitung*, asserting that the German Government has yielded to the Vatican, the *Kreuz Zeitung* declares the Government will never sacrifice the rights of the State and the Emperor, or has approved the negotiations with the Vatican.

WOOD TRADE.

From Farnworth & Jardine's, Liverpool Wood Circular of August 1st, we quote as follows:—

The arrivals from British North America during the past month have been 55 vessels 44,264tons, against 104 vessels, 68,839 tons during the corresponding month last year.

The import has been moderate, and the deliveries have been on a larger scale, which has led to an improved feeling in our market and generally firmer prices; this we trust will not be marred, as it too often is, by an undue increase in the shipments, which would very soon cause a reaction in our still sensitive market.

New Brunswick and Nova Scotia Spruce and Pine Deals, etc.—The import of spruce has been fairly moderate, and the consumption has been equal to last year, leaving us with a more healthy stock; the result has been an improved tone in the market, and an advance in value of from 5 to 7-6 per standard; the country trade, however, do not freely respond to this advance, and will, no doubt, be cautious buyers until the season is further advanced, and it is seen how supplies come forward. It is still most desirable that shipments should continue on a moderate scale for the remainder of the year. Pine deals are not inquired for. Birch rules low in price, and stocks, though lighter than last year, are still too heavy.

The aggregate tonnage to this date in 1879, 1880, and 1881, is respectively 156,187, 196,010and 153,669.

The following are the quotations of sales during the past month:—

Birch.—By auction St. John, 15 inches average, at an average of 6 1 4d per foot; Dalhousie, 14 1-2 inches, at 14 1-2d per foot.

Spruce deals.—By auction St John, at £6 10 per standard; Parrsboro at £6 12 per standard; other ports at from £6 7-6 to £6 10 per standard; the latest sales have been by private at £6 15 per standard.

Scantling and boards.—The former at from £6 2-6 to £6 5 per standard; the latter at from £5 10 to £5 12 6 per standard.

Palings.—5 feet 3 by 1 inch at 70*s.* per mille; 4 1-2 feet 3by 1 inch at 50*s.* per mille.

HOW EASY IT IS TO DIE.

"If I had strength to hold a pen, I would write how easy and delightful it is to die," were the last words of the celebrated surgeon, Wm. Hunter; and Louis XIV is recorded as saying, with his last breath, "*I* thought dying had been more difficult."

That the painlessness of death is owing to some benumbed influence acting on the sensory nerves may be inferred from the fact that untoward external surroundings rarely trouble the dying.

On the day that Lord Collingwood breathed his last the Mediterranean was tumultous; those elements which had been the scene of his past glories rose and fell in swelling undulations and seemed as if rocking him to sleep. Capt. Thomas ventured to ask if he was disturbed by the tossing of the ship. "No, Thomas," he answered, "I am now in a state that nothing can disturb me more—I am dying, and I am sure it must be consolatory to you and all that love me to see how comfortably I am coming to my end." In the *Qaarterly Review* there is related an instance of a criminal who escaped death by hanging by the breaking of the rope. Henry IV. of France sent his physician to examine him, who reported that after a moment's suffering the man saw an appearance like fire, across which appeared a most beautiful avenue of trees. When a pardon was mentioned the prisoner cooly replied that it was not worth asking for. Those who have been near death from drowning, and afterward restored to consciousness, assert that the dying suffer but little pain.

Capt. Marryatt states that his sensations at one time when nearly drowned were rather pleasant than otherwise. "The first struggle for life once over, the water closing around assumed the appearance of waving green fields. * * * It is not a feeling of pain, but seems like sinking down, overpowered by sleep, in the long, soft grass of the cool meadow."

Now, this is precisely the condition presented in death from disease. Insensibility comes on, the mind loses consciousness of external objects, and death rapidly and placidly ensues from asphyxia.

THE CZAR'S PERSONAL POWER ABOVE DISCUSSION!

An article on Russian affairs published by the Moscow *Gazette* attracts attention in Vienna. It represents the personal power of the Czar as being above discussion. A compromise tending to modify or diminish it would be a source of peril to the state. The hope of obtaining anything by concessions is vain. The very existence of Russia is dependent on the autocratic power of its sovereign. This article is said to be due to the pen of M Kalkoff, editor of the journal that prints it, and the leading member of the Penslavist party. M Kalkoff is certainly not an official scribe, and the views he now sets forth may be regarded as those of the party to which he belongs. Yet there can be little doubt that they have the full approval both of the Czar himself and General Ignatieff, and for the present, at all events, there is likely to be a truce to all rumors of a constitutional government in Russia.

CHILIAN DEFEAT.

News from Peru, in Panama announces that the Chilians have been routed in an engagement in the vicinity of Pisco, 42 leagues south of Lima. Of 400 Chilians attacked only 26 escaped, It is said that Pierola is at Ayacuaho with 7,000 Araquipanos. Campero will be in the field with 10.000 Bolivian troops, and Montero, now in the north of Peru, has a strong force, which is daily increasing. Caseres is in Chorisco with 2,000 men, and is trying to attack Lima. Many fights have taken place between Chilians and Peruvians in Lima in some of which the Chilians have been worsted. How long this state of things will continue it is hard to conjecture. Garcia Calderon it is announced, intends resigning. Two-thirds of his Cabinet have tendered their resignation, and it is thought that if peace is made the only person allowed to enter into terms will be Pierola.

THE PRE-ADAMITES.

"Holy Willie" of St. John, who went in such raptures over Dr. Winchell's book on the pre-adamites will be delighted to read anything furnishing support to his theory. For his benefit we publish the following;—

A most important discovery has been made in Spain. While engaged in working the lead mines in the Province of Segovia, seventy miles northwest of Madrid, the miners found an entrance into an immense cavern, in which they found upon an argillaceous deposit and in the midst of stalagamites 500 skeletons of men and women. Ten well-shaped aud perfect skulls of a prehistoric type have been obtained, besides chipped stones and quartz implements and fragments of rude pottery.

THE LAND LEAGUE CONVENTION.

Great preparations are making for the Land League convention at Newcastle, 29th inst, Justin McCarthy will preside, and delegates from each branch of the League in Great Britain will be present, Parnel will make a statement regarding the future policy and action of the Home Rulers.

THE WAR IN AFAGHANISTAN.

A Calcutta despatch says:—It is reported that the Ameers soldiers who deserted to Ayoub Khan after the recent battle are deserting back to the Ameer. The latter's envoy stated the Ameer has a strong army at Cabul, and does not want money or arms, The Ameer's prospects are more hopeful,

Rheumatism of the Blood and Debility.

HAVERHILL, Mass. March 17, 1881.

Gentlemen,—Thirteen years ago I was troubled with rheumatism of the blood. My blood was in such poor condition that when I retired my arms would become so paralyzed that I could not move the clothes to cover me. At last PERUVIAN SYRUP was recommended, and on taking two small bottles I was completely restored to health, and had no occasion to use it again for ten years About three years ago I was taken with kidney complaint, and had dreadful pains in my back and side. At times, when in the street, I would have such severe attacks that I would be obliged to sit down on a door step, and I would cry like a child. After suffering for some time I remembered what the PERUVIAN SYRUP had formerly done for me, and the use of one large bottle entirely cured me. A few years since my sisters health completely broke down, She was so weak that she could do no work. She consulted Dr. Durkee, of Roxbury who recommended PERUVIAN SYRUP. He said it was just the remedy to meet her case, and the only one he knew of. The result proved the correctness of his opinion, for the use of one bottle completely cured her. Yours very truely,

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The same having been seized by me under an execution issued out of the Northumberland County Court by Richard Davidson, against the said William E. Hay.

Sheriff's Office, Newcastle, May 23, 1881. } JOHN SHERIFF, Sheriff of Northumberland Co.

May 28 '81.

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