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From the London Times. THE HANGO MASSACRE.

It is not often that such a display of feeling has been witnessed in the House of Lords... was manifested last night, when the Marquis of Salisbury called the formal attention of the peers to the massacre of Hango.

sins. But, why did the Russians secrete themselves at all? They saw an English boat under a flag of truce, pulling in towards the shore—what occasion had 500 men to sneak away from the presence of 16? The Cossack's boat was observed from the ship to hoist the flag of truce when halfway between the ship and the shore was it possible that she struck it as she pulled in?

News of the Week.

EUROPE.

From English papers to the 23rd of June. FURTHER NEWS BY THE AMERICA AT HALIFAX. THE AUSTRIANS IN THE PRINCIPALITIES. Vienna June 16.—A sad event, which has just occurred at Jassy and been reported here by telegraph, has produced a great sensation in this capital.

PORTUGAL. We have accounts from Lisbon to the 9th. Cholera existed at several places on the banks of the Douro, and great fears were entertained that it would become general throughout Portugal during the summer.

RUSSIA. Private letters assert that the insurrection of the Russian peasants in the Ukraine is still continuing, and that it is directed against the Greek clergy and the large landholders, many of the latter having been obliged to seek a refuge in Poland.

LATEST BY MAGNETIC TELEGRAPH. FEARFUL SLAUGHTER OF THE BRITISH TROOPS.—LATEST DETAILS OF OUR LOSSES.

The Daily News says:—Although it is well understood that the Government is in possession of fuller intelligence than that communicated in Lord Panmure's despatch published yesterday morning, no further official statements have been given to the public.

We believe that, when the details were published it will be found that the check experienced by the Allies commenced with the springing of a mine by the Russians, at a moment when the assaulting columns were on the point of establishing themselves within the Russian line.

A considerable number of Russian troops lost their lives with the French and English by this explosion. In the recoil which followed, our allies, pressed by force of numbers, receded to the Mamelon and beyond it, and the Mamelon batteries were for a time in the power of the enemy.

It was at this period that the English suffered most being exposed in the position taken on the 7th to the flank fire and guns of the Mamelon.

The enemy was not suffered to remain in the regained work, but was driven back by the French to the Mamelon, our gallant allies remaining masters of the Mamelon. The English loss in killed and wounded is stated to be about 4500, including 60 officers. The spirit of the troops was admirable, and a renewal of the attack was expected.

The loss of the allied troops are believed to be greater than in any former action of the war. Sir John Campbell, Colonel Yea, of the 7th, Colonel Stafford of the 57th, and many other officers of distinguished gallantry, fell in our ranks, while the French have lost two general officers and a vast number of men in all branches of the service.

Although admitting that this is the most painful occurrence which has happened in the course of the war, the allies have fortunately other means besides an assault for retrieving the check.

Lord Darnley, in a letter to the Times, offers more positively than ever to annihilate the defensive powers of any Russian fort around the B. D. D., and to ensure peace more speedily than 200,000 men in the Crimea.

It is announced in Odessa, upon Russian authority that 10,000 cavalry and infantry are marching from Perekop to Kerch.

The Porte contains a loan of £100,000,000, under the guarantee of the Western Powers.

The exact figures of the reduction of the Austrian army are 145,000 men and 30,000 horses.

LATEST MONETARY AND COMMERCIAL. The news of the repulse of the allies in their attack on the 18th inst., and the uncertainty as to the extent of the loss, caused the funds this morning to open at a decline of nearly 1 per cent. At a later hour, in consequence of the fall on the Paris Bourse this morning that having been so great as might have been anticipated, there was a partial recovery.

NOVA SCOTIA. Orders have been received from Home by the last mail for fifty men of the Royal Artillery, serving in this garrison at that of New Brunswick, to proceed to Bogland by next steamer, en route for the Crimea, the same was notified by the commanding officer to the Corps yesterday, when nearly double the number required immediately volunteered their services.

Fifty Volunteers from the Royal Artillery, embarked in the R. M. S. Asia, for England, en route for the Crimea.

The Steamer Asia arrived about 10 o'clock yesterday morning from Boston. She had two hundred and twenty passengers, nineteen for Halifax, and eighty one thousand, thirty one hundred and fifty seven dollars in specie on freight.—Halifax Sun.

The "Foreign Legion," stationed at Melville Island, were found in open revolt on Thursday last. They complained that they had been grossly deceived both by the parties who induced them first to come on here, and by the government here before enlisting. A strong force of the 76th was sent out to quell the mutiny, and to bring the ringleaders in to the Citadel.

A report was current in town yesterday, that a vessel had been stranded at Dover, on the Western shore, having on board a number of recruits for the Foreign Legion; and that conveyance had been sent down to bring them up to the city.

FIRE. Another of the houses at "Thorpeham's corner" was consumed yesterday morning. The alarm was given at about 2 o'clock. There being scarcely a breath of wind, it was easily confined to the building in which it broke out, which was entirely destroyed. We think there can be but one opinion as to the origin of fires in that locality of late; and unless the matter be looked into, our city will be destroyed some night.—Colonist.

COMMERCIAL RELATIONS BETWEEN FRANCE AND ENGLAND. We understand that Edward Ryan, Esq., of Quebec, Vice Consul of France for Quebec and Montreal, has received a letter from Mons. de Belzeve, the officer Commandant-in-Chief on the French naval station of Newfoundland, in which he announces his intention of visiting Canada in the course of a few weeks.

His visit, Mons. de Belzeve states, will be a fulfilment of a mission intrusted to him by his Government, of a purely commercial character—its object being to facilitate and extend the trading relations between France and Canada.

UNITED STATES. DISASTER AT MAZATLAN. A frightful disaster occurred in the harbour of Mazatlan on the night of the 15th June. A violent south wind arose, the waters of the harbour were lashed into fury, the stern became furious, the craft became unmanageable, were driven from their anchorage and brought into violent collision with one another; six of the vessels were nearly entirely destroyed, and 23 of the crew drowned. The cargoes lost are estimated above one million dollars.

The vessels lost are as follows:—The British ship Benjamin Elkie, from Liverpool, with a return cargo of iron and copper, two of the crew drowned; the English bark Tartar with a full cargo from Europe, the French ship Monette, vessel and crew total loss, with a return cargo of mother-of-pearl, eye wood and skins; the Peruvian brig Miguel from Guayaquil, with a cargo of liquors, not insured; and the American scho. Copeland, in ballast. The latter was to have left the next day for San Francisco.

The Boston papers of last Friday are filled with accounts of the celebration of the fourth of July, which was conducted on an extensive scale. A very large number of casualties are reported, and the Police were kept busy. The Atlas says:

The celebration of our national anniversary made busy times for our city police. During the 48 hours ending at 6 o'clock yesterday morning, 264 persons were arrested, 175 of whom were committed to jail. At the 4th station the cells were all filled early on Wednesday evening, and it was found necessary to pile up the inebriates in heaps on the floor, and place labels upon them, so as to be able to identify them.

NEW BRUNSWICK. A very heavy rain storm set in the latter part of last week, which continued with little intermission for about two days. We hear that it has flooded the low lands in every direction, and we fear that considerable damage has been sustained in some sections of the country. The weather is now clear and warm.—New Brunswicker.

Holloway's Ointment and Pills, a certain cure for Scald Heads—Henry, Maria, and John Ames, of Bras D'Or, Nova Scotia, were all three affected with this disagreeable malady; Maria in particular was in a wretched plight with it, and although there were many remedies tried, yet the malady did not

seem to decrease, indeed the disease of road itself all over the surface of the head, to the great annoyance of the parents, and discomfort of the child; the blood of the others were equally impure. At last the parents put the three under a course of Holloway's Ointment and Pills, which cured them all in the space of nineteen days. Their health was since considerably improved. These remedies are also wonderfully efficacious in all diseases of the skin.

FAIRBANKS' PATENT SCALES. Warehouse, 34, Kilby Street,--Boston. Railroad, Hay, Coal and Farmers' SCALES set in any part of the country, at short notice and by experienced workmen. Boston, 5th July, 1855.

"Golden Fleece." NEW GOODS. THE Subscriber has now ready for inspection, a choice and well assorted STOCK OF DRY GOODS, comprising everything suitable for the present Season. FANCY DRESSES, SHAWLS, PARASOLS, PRINTED MUSLINS, BONNETS and RIBBONS, HOSIERY AND GLOVES, SEWED MUSLINS, SILKS AND SATINS, DELAINES, BROAD CLOTHS, CRAPES, BLACK LAMA CLOTHS, READY-MADE CLOTHING, AND GENTS' FURNISHING GOODS. (Which will be sold at unusually low prices Flannels, Shirtings, Calicoes, Blankets, Cottons Oil Cloths, Table Linen, Towelling, Table Covers Corded Ribbons, Stays, Hats and Caps. All of which will be sold at a great reduction on former prices. ANDREW ANDERSON. Chatham, 23rd June, 1855.

For Eastport, Calais, Portland and BOSTON. THE FAST & SUPERIOR SEA-GOING STEAMER ADMIRAL, CAPT. WOOD HUTCHINGS. Will leave her landing, next wharf to the Custom House every MONDAY and THURSDAY morning, at 8 o'clock, for Portland, sailing at Eastport. Passengers by Railroad from Portland to Boston, Montreal, Quebec, and all intermediate places, without extra charge. The speed of the ADMIRAL will ensure the passengers being in Portland in time for the First Train of Cars on Tuesday and Friday mornings. Through Tickets from Boston can be had at the Eastern and Boston & Maine Railroad Depots; also at 23 Commercial Wharf, and Faxon's Express Office, 10 Court Square, Boston. Returning leaves Portland every TUESDAY and FRIDAY Mornings, at 5 o'clock, or on arrival of the 12 o'clock Train from Boston. For further particulars apply to GEO. THOMAS, Lovell's Slip, Water Street. St. John, 25th June, 1855.

AUCTION. The Subscriber will offer for Sale, on WEDNESDAY, the 25th day of JULY, inst., at the hour of 12 o'clock noon, on the premises, (unless previously sold.) All that

VALUABLE FARM, belonging to him, situate in the William's Town Settlement, containing 200 Acres, of which 39 is under cultivation and fenced, with a good House, Barn, and Green House thereon, with a quantity of Wheat and Potatoes now growing, as also a valuable Hay Crop. Also, 2 Cows, 1 Heifer, 1 Mare, 1 Colt two years old, 1 Pig, 5 Ewes, 8 Lambs, 1 Cart, Plough, Sled and Harness, 1 Loom, 2 Stoves, 1 Whip Saw. Also, a quantity of Furniture with a variety of Farming and Lumbering Utensils, and numerous other articles. The property is a very valuable one and admirably suited for a first rate Farmer, and is situated on the line of road leading directly to the Bridge across the North West River, and only eight miles from market. The Subscriber would let the intending purchaser have a great bargain, provided the property with the moveables as they now stand are sold together previous to the day of sale, and would allow a part of the purchase money to remain repayable at a future period. The Subscriber would invite purchasers to call and examine the premises. For further particulars apply to Edward Williston, Esquire, Newcastle, or to the Subscriber on the premises. ROBERT TWEEDY. William's Town, 3rd July, 1855.

THE SUBSCRIBER Has just received, per Schooner MACKEREL, from Montreal, 180 Barrels Superfine No. 1, Canada FLOUR, 5 do do OAT MEAL, 5 do do PRIME BEEF PORK. A 1 of which he will dispose of on reasonable Terms, either Wholesale or Retail. ROBERT T. MILLAR. Douglstown, 15th June, 18 5.

NOW READY. A LECTURE, Delivered by PHILIP VIBERT, (better known to the readers of the Gleaner as Mercator,) at New Richmond, C. E., for the BENEFIT OF THE PATRIOTIC FUND. Together with a Patriotic Song, composed by the Lecturer, for the New Richmond Society. Published at the Gleaner Office, Chatham, where it can be obtained, or of the Author, New Canaan, Miramichi, 23rd June, 1855.