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The Argentine War.

To-day is regarded by Portenos as an eventful turning-point in their local history. Nine years have elapsed, since the famous revolution of the "11 de Setiembre" drove Urquiza's power from this city, and changed the prestige of a Liberator into the odium of an oppressor. As we had not the pleasure of knowing this country in that epoch, nor once entertained the curiosity to examine the circumstances and men who figured in the political drama, it will suffice to say that the anniversary is productive of more enthusiasm in the breasts of natives than, perhaps, it merits, and certainly much more than is felt by our foreign population. Many, therefore, pretend to see the probability of an engagement on to-day,-but the recollection must have a two-fold effect; for, while Mitre will recal to his soldiers the happy omen of a successful revolt, Urquiza, with as much reason, will seek to deprive his enemies of their favorite anniversary by turning it to his own account as one of his lucky days in the kalendar. Cromwell, a man of the strongest intellect, believed in the in case of defeat. Again altho' Bue-3rd of September : on that day he was born, on that day he gained "the crowning mercy" of the victory at Worcester, and on that day he died-It is not therefore unnatural to think that this anniversary is fraught with interest, or pregnant with misfortune for oither of the contending parties. The circumstance of High Mass on yesterday for the protection of Divine Providence, coupled with the latest reports of the approach of the two armies has given rise to a presentiment in town, that the question will be definitively settled to.day.

During the past week, every day was expected to bring the news of a battle, but with the exception of some guerilla encounters and slow marches, the courier gave absolutely no food for newspapers. Iu the absence of information, some surmised that the war movements were kept secret, and therefore applied themselves to coin important items, which found a brief circulation. Fabius Cunctator was a very able general who obtained renown from his slow movements, but as it is not yet clear who is the Argentine Hannibal both Mitre and Urquiza This has surprised many persons who seem to imitate the Roman tactician-Great anxiety and some doubt of the reality of a war have been created by these delays, which seem to have no definite limit.

Strange to say, Mitre has displayed more activity than the Captain General who has been already long enough on horse back to have reached the Andes. This is accounted for by the report that Urquiza means to collect all his available forces for the occasion, which he promises to be his last visit to Buenos Aires. Probably our forces would first cross the frontier, since Urquiza had only advanced from Salvatierra to the Orqueta river, while the Portenos, striking their camp at Rojas, marched to the Arroyo Dulce and halted at Pergamin. Thus only a few leagues at present interpose between the opposite forces, and it is difficult to imagine how 40 or 50,000 men can find forage for themselves and quent be put on his trial, when captuhorses in so circumscribed an area.

If it be true that Urquiz a is entren ching his position on the Arroyo Pabon, it looks like a determination to await Mitre, and give him battle on a vantage ground. Nevertheless the inevitable custom of skirmishing may provoke a pitched battle almost unexpectedly. Although Sas promises victory with so much confidence, Urquiza evidently considers this campaign the most serious he has yet undertaken, and wisely enough calculates the chances of a reverse. Hence it is that instad of dashing into this province, he has allowed his adversary to take the initiative, leaving himself the alternative of falling back on Rosario or trying to outflank Mi- placed at liberty, some of them comtre, as circumstances may require. The proverb goes that "every cock fights best on his own danghill," but rities considered their opposition har-

THE WEEKLY STANDARD, not fail to inspire into his soldiers in Cordoba reckoning on Urquiza's su- a civil war or cut the throats of Argenthe pithy harangue, "let us seek out the enemy, if they do not seek us." From past experience, we can safely conclude that the Federals rely on the impetuosity of their onset. If Mitre's troops, instead of taking panic, shew good fight one half-hour, the charm of Urquiza's factics is evaporated, and superior discipline would seem to decide in Mitre's favor : still. the Spartan determination to leave the field with his shield or on it, which has been expressed by each of the Argentine generals will involve a prolonged combat in which chance may deeide what valor has been unable to effect.

Notwithstanding the very different accounts given on both sides, it may be supposed that there is little nume- that lately burned down houses, men rical superiority' and that each is equally aware of the real uncertainty; we cannot think that their movements will materially influence the campaigu. Rumor says that this squadron has gone up to attack Rosario; but even if they annihilated Urquiza's naval nos Aires should lose her ships, which this circumstance must put their enemies in the dangerous position of fighting desperate men who had little engagement must decide the quarrel : victory on the water is of secondary importance. The city outworks are now formid-

able, and with one half of Mitre's army added to the garrison, no South Amethem by assault. On Monday last the town was declared in state of assembles : this has the effect of closing the civil tribunals calling the natives, en masse' to the different lines of defence, closing the shops until 9 A. M. and after 4 P. M. and is consequently something less severe than what we term martial law. Colonel Gelly-Obes, who is at least noted for indefatigable diligence, has been named defender of the city, with L. Colonel Gregorio Dillon and D. Juan Senorans for aides-decamp. By same decree D. Hector Varela, editor of the "Tribuna" has been created Major, Secretary and aide-de-camp to the Minister of War. believed him unwell, and some affect to wonder that the arch enemy of Urquiza has not taken the field with the same alacrity with which he served under Garibaldi in Naples. It must be borne in mind that the gallant-officer also wields the pen, and as the 'Tribuna'" has done much service in inciting the ci izens to fight, his sword might be less useful than his goosequill in support of the cause he has espoused. In combining the exercise of both, he has left no room for his partisans to complain, but we should advise him a little moderation at least as far as his pen is concerned with foreigners and their properties.

Some excitement has been caused by letters said to have been written by Urquiza and Pedernera, inciting the Cacique Calfucurá to make incursions on this territory; the local press anticipated that in the rayings of pardemands that the first named delinred (!) . but, as they have already prowe think it an useless formality.

News from the interior provinces is scant: we have the President's account of his 'honeymoon' at Cordoba, addresed to the sovereign Congress and dated August 26th. The resistance of Taboada is confirmed, but our Cordoban allies seem to give litele satisfaction. Notwithstanding the retirement of Derqui and his troops, Allende the intruded governor reigns undisturbed, and the city which was represented to be so hostile to Paraná looked quietly on at the deportation of their deputies as prisoners. Many of these latter have since been ing to this city, others proceeding to Montevideo, as if the National autho hibidea may be counteracted by the miless. Meantime it is stated in our

ment to besech his own re-instalment when the Captain-General shall have triumphed." Thus of the terrible re-action in the provinces, Buenos Ayres has gained nothing more than a few volunteers from Cordoba, and the feeble co-operation of Santiago, verifying Scott's adage "who would be free, themselves must strike the blow."

From Mendoza we learn that fresh shocks of earthquake had been perceptible; this may be a timely warning to the feelish inhabitants who are re-building their city on the treacherous site of their recent destruction. Tucuman has likewise suffered a repetition of the fatal prairie fires and cattle.

In this city, the state of siege and of the issue. As for the hostile fleets great uncertainty of the turn events may take, has for a time suspended commerce, and excused us from givt ing market returns. In dry goods, is Varela's press. Yet, whether we positively nothing is doing, one sole laught in scorn at the impotent venom article, grey duck, for military trousers force, they cannot cut him off since is in demand by government, who rethe inner provinces are open to him quire some 20,000 yards of this fabric. The money market is of course very tight, and gold ounces at an unusual would seem to cut off an easy retreat, price. At the same time some foreigners feel uneasy about the chances of a siege, and two English, one Spanish and one French war-steamer have enchance of flight. The issue of a land tered this port. The English Admiral is already here and the foreign ministers are expected from Parana. Last week the government seized the horses of some English residents, but at an intimation of our Consul-General, we are happy to state, they were returrican army could attempt to farry ned to the owners. In another column we refer to the ridiculous pretension of obliging foreigners to serve in the Natonal Guard, and were rather surprised that our colleague "the Commercial Times" did not express his sentiments even should they be at variance with the government or party he advocates so eloquently.

It is with sincere regret we notice ome of the Trishmen lately arrived have taken the bounty, and this is a sufficient proof of how ill-timed was the said expedition which was sent out here without the knowledge or advice of any well-informed countrynen in these parts.

The French packet which leaves on Saturday may be the bearer of important intelligence, for which purpose n case of hostile movements or a solution of the tedious Argentine difficulty, we will favor our readers with a special sheet by Saturday next.

#### Tribuna versus neutrality.

Since Cadmus first invented letters or Guttemberg printing, human reaon has never received such an insult as is contained in the Colaboracion of the "Tribuna" and entitled the foreign population.

It was necessary for us to read the ridiculous production twice through, ere we really believed that any journalist could have the audacity to publish such a rhodomon ade of hyperbolean trash. We might indeed have ty-strife, the neutrality of foreigners should be doubted or impugued in individual cases, but certainly none ration that Buenos Ayres has a right to force us from our neutral ground and enlist us in the motley files of the National Guard.

Of late, insinuations have been rife in the local press that the foreign residents were partisans of Mitre; but now this has been found incorrect, and we must be forced to take part in a givil war that we view with abhorrence. Il Urquiza demanded our assistance we should resolutely refuse, and, as indifferent spectators, it is impossible to see what stronger claim on us has Mitre, or how we could expect the protection of foreigners if we turn renegades and fight for a cause that has not our sympathy. It is alleged, for a simile, that we are bound to help in extinguishing a fire, or resisting the Indians : but are we justified by this buna" views Urquiza as worse than an Indian, but probably he returns the compliment, and for aught we know Senor Varela's scalp is quite safe, for the present.

The plain fact is, impunity has produced impudence; and, much as we admire the liberty of the press, we should earnestly wish to see some check given to a popular organ that cries down the most useful part of our society, (namely, foreign residents,) and may to morrow demand our heads as it does to-day our arms with equal how of justice.

If the object of the "Tribuna" ha been to gain the prestige of foreign favor, they have gone very badly to work, and produced a number of ene mies. Many of us are inclined to believe that the lines referred to are rather the nightmare incoherencies of some invenile poetaster than the insinugitions of a party whose mouth-piece of the a tack, or soberly demand remedy for the insult, it is clear that Buenos Ayres has neither the right to require, nor power to enforce aik enrolment of foreigners. If Portenos are not content with our neutrality let them not count us for allies : we are not impressed with a confiding love for the institutions of this Republic, nor do we covet a Creole papeleta in preference to the rights and honors of an European citizen.

Press Piracy.

We all abhor plagiarists who, like the bird in the fable, plume themselves with other peoples ideas. Poor and empty-headed must be the jour nalist that hashes up a rechausiee of articles from other papers to enrich his own. This is justly termed presspiracy, a crime for which the offender as if all were equally poor and yet alike disposed to plunder their neiglibors. There does not, however, seem any ground for these numerous accusations. Our colleagues forget that an Editor's cont-of-arms is the pen and seissors transverse. With the former he gives leaders, which are private properity and sometimes moreesteemed by himself than by the public. The seissors meantime, is his great engine in the mechanism of his columns. The chief merit of a paper is not its rhetorical diction, or learned quotations, but the varied intorest of its news, with a mixture of veracity and novelty. Hence it is clear, that every fact, published in whatever form, is the common property of news-retailers; and when such tems are copied verbatim, the etiquette of the press demands that the name of the paper be subjoined. There is one exception, as regards statistics; which necessarily involve fixed facts that depend on no one authority, and are as free to all as the air we breathe-

Now it has pleased the Revista Coamercial to charge the Weekly Stan dard, with borrowing mercantile items from its columns. In the three columns of commercial information aping in our last number, only one sixth of that quantity was compiled from the local press. A part was the result of our personal calculations, some more was favored us by commer cial houses, and lastly the sales was a summary of the daily reports published. It is due to our offended college gue to state that we, in common with our foreign brethern, esteem the "Revista" as the best authority on such matters, and consult its columns for such items'; but, for the sake of truth, we could not affix its name to a general summary classified by us and which has not been totted up in any single number of that paper.

Again we say, figures are facts, and whether it be the census of Jamaica or market returns, their publication makes them common property, and no paper can claim their paternity, enthalasm that the other general can- local press that Pena ex-governor of argument to light the conflagration of unless they be a mere invention.

We therefore plead not guilty, and if a jury of sensible editors condeing us, we are ready to swallow our pen wiper and digest the aspersion.

#### SOUTH AMERICA. New Granada.

Civil war is raging on the plain around Bogota. Between June 1st and 13th three battles had taken place; the federal troops were on every occasion worsted by the rebels. The last engagement came off at noon, when the centralists attacked the government camp, driving out its defenders and gaining a splendid victory. The political situation may be thus defined : at Cauca the war will probably soon terminate, for Arboleda united his forces with those of Cordoba and Tarama, and marched, on June 17th, to attack t'e federal army under San chez and Perea, who ocupied Junnambu in numbers three times superior to the insurgents. At Santander also several conflicts had occurred in resisting the Confederate government.

#### Chile.

The election of Perez would seem to augur a most auspicious future for this republic. In several departments the voting was unanimous , wh ich indicates, the complete public confidence enjoyed by the new President, whose inauguration was to take place on Sept. 9th. At Valparaiso tho house of Sanchez & son has failed for 600.000 hard dollars; but it is asserted t at they have given security to pay 75 p. 3 in 6,12 & 18 months.

#### Montevideo.

The mystery that involved the disappearance of D. |Jenaro Pineiro has at length been cleared up. As was supposed the unhappy victim wis foully assassinated along with his housekeeper in his countryhouse outdeserves to be stuck in the pillory side the city. The chief of police and tormented by printer's devils. Second find no clue to the secret, in the X Of late, every paper in town has dwelling, but suspicion accid ntally dwelling, but suspicion accid ntally suffered an imputation of privateering, fell on a part of the garden planted with trees. Here two bodies were found and the criminals had planted shrubs on the spot to avoid detection. Unfortunately the reputed murderers escaped by the French packet, and altho' the Spanish Consul employed measures to overtake them in Spain, there is much reason to believe that the ends of justice are defeated, and that this is another of the many instances in S. America of crimes perpetrated with impunity.

The government has ordered a corps of 200 men to act as an inspection in the frontier departments of Colonic and Soriano. The house of Serna had stopped payment. It is said a strong allied uaval force remains in port pending the arrangement of the English and French claims, which may cause some difficulties with the sister repu-

## Paraguay.

Dates are up to 31st ult. After the reception of Doc'or Lorenzo Torres as confidential agent of Buenos Agres, D. Baldomero Garcia directed a note to the Government demanding explanations concerning said interview. Lopez replied in a diplomatic communication of rather evasive terms.

Monthly exports 63,6408, imports 110,2068.

#### United States. Latest news of the war.

The American frigate "Annie Bo ven", arrived at Rio Janeiro Aug. 26th, has brought dates from New York up to July 19th.

The city of Fairx (1) had been sei zed by federal troops, into whose hands fell a quantity of stores, arms and baggage. Harper's Ferry was likewise garrisqued by Unionists, who thus cept up a free communication between Maryland and Virginia : in the latter state a large Federal army under General Patterson had obtained a series of advantages over the rebels who succumbed to the combined attacks of this officer and General Mac Dowall- Chilian chambers.

On the 17th the Chamber of Repro sentatives passed the bill for a new tariff, which levies 3 per 8 off coffee, and 10 per 8 off tea; also 10 per 8 additional on all articles taxed above 50 per 3 it is supposed this will give return of 35 millions import duties or double the present returns.

(Jornal do Comercio.)

#### LOCAL EVENTS.

Wondorful rescue. - Captain Zulueta of the brig "Destino" picked up, off Cape St. Mary, a boat with eleven persons, including 2 women and 2 children, who had been wrecked in the "Wm. Hyne" fron Patagonia, They had been five days in the boat, without food and almost dead from exhaustion-They were brought safely to Rio.

Wanted .- From the politoness of Mr. Posadas, a letter-box or office, for newspapers at last hour. Since he has closed the Capitania and agencies, to periodicals, let him provide a substitute. He has forgotten the old proverb "don't throw out the dirty water, till you have the clean.!!

Assassination.-A youth aged 16 years was murdered, last week, in a pulperia on the beach. The assassin, as too often happens in this country has escaped. He is supposed to be a fellownicknamed "Perdiz."

Bank interest.—By order, dated August 28th 61, the bank gives 10 p. 8 on deposits in specie and discounts same at 11: p. 8 per an.

Treasuro trove.-The capricious wheel of our lettery has turned out 50,000\$ for the shopman of Don Adolfo Wilkinson. The cronis, ta of the "Tribuna" will be jealousil so are we!

Funeral honors.-The usual church-rites were celebrated for the la to Doctor Portela in St. Ignatius church the 31st ult. We under-stand it is the intention of the Medical Bos ard to publish a likeness of their dist tinguished co-frere, as a testimony of respect towards his reputed worth.

Fire.-Last Saturday in the old custom-house, some of the tow became ignited but was speedily extinguished.

State of siege. Our readers will find in another column that the city is declared in assamblea. Tho 11 de Setiembro is our political equinox, so we must look out for squalls.

What's up.-Some speculators, said to be foreigners, were arrested last week for giving play to their lively imagination in circulating falso reports about the Argentine campaign.
In slang linge, Spaniards call there stories bolas, which is rendered in English rhetoric by stunners, fizzers or coppers.

Sisters of charity .- These excellent ladies only mindful of the nevolunteered five sisters of the community to attend the hospital train which. was embarked yesterday for San Nicoas, under the direction of Dr. Mon-

Ceriolano Marquez. The entence of this criminal is yet undecided; one justice condemns him to death, the other to ten years ponal ser vitude. The appeal is pending in the reme court.

Tho hos ile floots .- The "Salto de Guayra" reports the National squadron anchored under the Rosario batteries. Ours was stationed at the mouth of the Pavon. Our former miral Don José Muratori has arrived from Entre-Rios.

Irish servants .- Any porsous requiring farm-servants or houses maids can apply at this office, or N. 48 callo Reconquista.

Tribunal of Commorco-The election for the vacant, dignity of consul in this corporation gave a return in favor of Don Agustin Drago.

Good exemple.-We are Hoppy to observe that a treaty of unique ween the republics of Chile, Pero Ecuador has been agreed upon, now under the deliberation



New pavement.—The kerbstone of St. Francis over which the "Tribuna" has so often tripped, is now quite smooth for thin-skinned journalists or bare footed friars.. Calle Ma yo is also under improvement: but the Plaza 25 still demands reformation.

Architectural order .- The Cathedral façade will soon look very pretty. The angels have their hair nicely brushed; it is said, that the columns will not be finished by the Tuscan or Ionic orders, but by the order of the Municipality.

B. C. Provident Assn.—We

are authorised to state that the shares of the association will continue to be allotted to eligible members upon payment of 18 premium until the 1st of October inclusive, after which subscribers will only be admitted upon the understanding that their deposits bear no interest until after the declaration of the first half yearly dividend. Supplement.—It any important news arrive in town before the sailing of the "Saintonge, we will give a supplement, for the convenience of those who may send papers by the French packet.

Maritime items.-From Bahia we learn that eight shipwrecked passengers of the Portuguese brig "Paquete do Minho" from England to Buenos Ayres, reached the Island of San Jorge. The Oriental barque "Europa" from Genoa, entered Bahia terribly damaged, and was condemned. The Brazil S. was detained 12 days at Sta. Ca alina by stress of weather and had her rudder broken.

#### Comestibles

In comestibles there have been no sales effected of importance since our last, and importers are as loth to do business as the almaceneros, who are now unable to meet their engagements with their wonted punctuality.

Meanwhile stocks are daily increas ing and will not be diminished until the settlement of our present political difficulties.

The official account of Stocks in the Custom House deposits on the 31st July has recently been published, we extract the following.

Bottled Beer nearly 11,000 barrels 6,000 " Sugars 48,000 boxes Duich Gin

The arrivals of Coals during the week have been as follows:

Macduff from Liverpool 344 tons to G. Bell & Co. Adventure from Liverpool 500 tons

to Gas Company. Raymond from Dublin, 225 tons to C. J. Getting & Co.

The cargo per "Antonina" has been delivered to the Government at 19\$ per ton.

Cádiz salt is an article of little interest at the present moment.

During the year ending Aug. 31st the number of vessels that arrived in these rivers with Cádiz salt was 161, conveying 428,007 fanegas or 57,068

#### Table of imports entered Constwise.

Week endin	g Sept. 1st.	
Cow hides	1	0723
Calf do		347
Horse do		140 -
Nonatos do		327
Nutria .k'ns	bales	184
Sheep do	dozen	2674
Lambs do		37
Mares grease	arrobes	54
fiidian corn	finegas	433
Feathers .	lb.	212
Yorba	tercios	738
Charcoal	f negas	423
Lumber .	cart louds	73
Wheat	fin gis	331
Horns .		3860
W.ol	arrobes	100
Algarrobo	camas	113
Pork	arrobes	
Salt-beef	barrels	
Salt-beef Oranges Lemons		
Pemona		

yearly av.	341,2 347,1 359,1 359,1 362,5 341,3	2077,3	346,2
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Sep.	347, 2 365 329 343, 3 360, 6 335, 2	2070, 5	345, 1
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nted on	July	2,221	2,126	2.517	2.061	2,160	2,385	13,469	3,260 2,245	
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ollars onth o	May,		9.220	2.599	9.179	9,153		13,726	888'8	
ency d	Apl.	2,371				2.306	2,256	13,764	2,294	
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e of the	Jan.   Feb.   Mar.	9.381	9.488	9 448				14,139	2,355	
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chang	July	65 65 66,6	397, 6	66, 6 66, 3
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#### ARRIVALS.

And Imports: · Sept. 2nd.

Bordeaux June 26th Russian barque, "Dwina" to Bacque & Co. with

general cargo. Liverpool, July 4th English barque "Mystery" to order, with cargo of dry

Marseilles, June 26th Italian poleacre "Caprera to Delfino with wine, oil, liquors and tiles.

3rd.

Banda Oriental, English steamer 'Changador''.

4th. Montevideo, Oriental steamer, "Mon tevideo" with 75 passengers. Montevideo, Spanish, war steame

Concordia."
Montevideo, French war steame "Fulminante."

6th. Montevideo, American steame "Mississippi" with '75 passengers.

San Nicolas, National steamer "Gualeguay." New York, May 20th American lugger "Emma I Mead" to Edwards with

7th Malaga, May 20th Span. brig "Nucvo Martin" to Zumaran with wine of

19'000 feet lumber.

and lead.

Montevideo, English war steame "Curley"

Montevideo, English war steamer 'Ardent" with the English admira on board.

Uruguay Oriental steamer "Monte video" with 72 passengers.

Cuyabá. Braz. steamer "Marque

Liverpool May 15 and Montevideo 5th inst., English barque™Mary Au Folliot" to Bates Stokes, with dry goods and hardware.

New York; American brig "Karnak' to Zimmermann Fairs.

Asunciou, Paraguay steamer "Sal to de Guayrá."

#### SAILINGS.

And exports. 31st.

For Brazil, Portuguese brig, San José, by Sagory, with 4000 quintals beef, 70 dry horse hides. Sept. 2nd.

Asuncion, Paraguay steamer "Jejuy" Brazil, Dutch brig, "Anna Cathe

Antwerp, Belgian brig "Antwerpia", with 6,143 dry cow hides, 100 do. horse, 179 bales wool, & 73 pipes

Montevideo, Amer. steamer "Mississippi". Brazilian ports, Braz, brig "Dos

Patagones, National brig "Rio Ne-

gro" with groceries & dry goods. 4th.

Marseilles & Genoa, Italian barque "Assunzione".

Uruguay, Or. steamer "Montevideo." 6th.

Antwerp, Dutch brig "D. T. Visser" with 899 salted hides, 4,161 dry do., 216 bales wool, 200 dry horse hides, 14,000 horns.

Rosario English barque "Coniston" with 267 cases dry goods, 116 bales do., and 20 tons coal.

Tigre, English st. "Espigador." Tigre, National st. "Changador." Parana, French war steamer "Fulninante."

7th. Cadiz, Ital. barque, "Ernest" in bal-

Foreign ports, English "Lancashire Witch" in ballast. Parnaguá, Braz. brig, "Maria Rosa" San Nicolas, Nation. S.S. "Guale-

Montevideo, Amer. S. S. "Mississip-

8th. Bourbon, French frigate "Mancho"

with 112 live mules, Montevideo Or. st. "Montevideo" Montevideo Braz. st. "Marquez de

#### M DEATH.

On Thursday 5th inst, aged 10 ge, 686,417 tons. ears. Hugh, the beloved son of Mr. H. Campbell, Chischis.

#### MISCELLANEOUS.

-The emperor Napoleon has ordeed a squadron to proceed forthwith to the Dardanelles.

The Queen of Spain has ordered 20 days court mourning for the Duchess

Viscount Sudley has been appointed a Deputy-Licutenant for the county Donegal.

Lord Campbell died enormously wealthy, having in his profession and in office accumulated full 200,000%.

A statue to Cavour is proposed to be erected in London by the numerous admirers of the illustrious statesman.

Sir W. Atherstone, the Attorney-General, has been re-elected for Durham without opposition.

Mr. T. Broeck has contradicted his reported retirement from the turf. The Marquis of Downshire is expending a large sum of money on impro ving the pier and harbour of Dundrum.

The will of the late Duke of Sutherland has been proved. The personal property in England was sworn at 1,000,000/.

James Kennedy Thompson, Esq., of Backnagh Hall, Kikeel, has been appointed to the commission of the peace for the county Down.

Mr. Randall Mackley' surgeon at Great Horton, near Bradford, accused of making a false return of the death of his housekeeper, has been committed for trial.

A letter from Rome, in the Journal des Debats, says the address to the Emperor represents two-fifths of the whole commercial and landed income of the city, The subscrip ion amongst the Aber-

deen tenantry for a monument to the memory of the late Lord Aberdeen amounts to 600%.

The son of one of the Siamese Ampassadors, a lad of twelve years of age, will remain in France for his edu-

The final decree of the Appeal Court, at Paris, in the Patterson-Bonaparte case, was given on Monday against the validity of the Baltimore marriage, with costs.

A letter from Weimar announces the approaching marriage of Listz, the pianist, to the Princess Witgenstein, amatch which has been already spoken of.

The Tuileries-or rather the southern wing of the palace-is under repair. The cost is estimated at 40,-000,0001. (1,600,0007.)

There was an cuthusiastic meeting in London, on Tuesday, to welcome Anderson, the fugitive slave; and a fund was announced on his behalf.

Some experiments are being made at Portsmouth with a new description of diving apparatus which dispenses with the air pump.

It is stated that the State Fire Insurance Company narrowly escaped a heavy loss by the great fire in Lon- yet finally decided whether the party don, having declined to renew their risk last Lady-day.

The sum of 01,556! has been voted by the House of Commons to defray the expenses of erecting, repairing and maintaining public buildings in Ifcland for the year ending 31st March, 1862.

The new Lord Chancellor is the on of a physician of Bradford, and afterwards at Bristol, at which former place Sir Rr. Bethell was born on June 30th, 1860. His precocity was so unusual, that when four and a half years old, he could write as well read.

A return to an order of the House of Commons has just been published, January. 1861. The total number of no; the 25th June, 1859!"

steam vessels is 1,945; the total amount of registered tonnage is 4:0,880 tons; and the amount of gross tonna

-A Paris letter in the Independan ce says:- "The famous M: Blouding has proposed to the French authorities to cross the Seine upon a rope stretched between the Palace of the Tuileries and barrack of Quai d'Orsay. This will be a gratuitous sight to the Paris population."

-A great cooking depot has recently been opened in Glasgow for the sale of food at a remarkably cheap rate, and has become an extensive affair. The shops and saloons now number six. To give some idea of the demand for food at these places, it may be stated that last week the number of rations sold and consumed mounted to upwards of 20,000.

Count Flahault, the present Amba sador of the Emperor of the French to her Majesty, is probably one of the few survivors of those who were present at the battle of Friedland, fought in June, 1807. After Napoleou's great victory over the Russians and Prus sians, the terms of the treaty of Tilsit were agreed to on a raft in the river Niepmen, or Memel, where the Emperors of France and Russia were said to have agreed to divide the world between them as conquerors. On the raft on that memorable occasion Count Flahault was in attendance on the great Napoleon as his aide-de-

THE QUEEN'S VISIT.-It is stated hat her Majesty the Queen will arrive in Dublin on the 15th of August, and will remain for a week at the Viceregal lodge, his Excellency the Lord Licutenaut remaining at the castle during the sojourn of her Majesty. It is also stated that the Queen will proceed from Dublin to Carton, where she will honour his Grace the Duke of Leinster by becoming his guest for a week. Her Majesty will visit the camp every day during her stay in the neighbourhood. She will proceed to Killarney and Cork, and it is stated that she will return by Dublin, and on her return to England she will be accompanied by the Prince of Wales.

It is expected that her Majesty will arrive in Killarney on Monday, the 26th of August. During two of the four days sojourn of the Royal party at the Lakes they will be the guests of the Right Hon Cot. Herbert, M. P. at Muckross, and on the other two, days they will be partakers of Lord Viscount Castlerosse's hospitalities at Keumare House. All the arrangements, including the most magnificent decorations, for the reception and entertainment of the Royal party, at both mansions, are costly in the extreme, and quite commensurate with the exalted station of the illustrious strangers. A numerous stuff of tradesmen and artists has arrived from London, who are all busily engaged, night and day, under the supervision of Mr. Justin M'Carthy, of Killarny in executing the several alterations and improvements. The leading members of the Royal party will, it is expected, be her Majesty the Queen, the Prince Consort, the Prince of Wa les, the Duke of Cambridge, Lord Viscount Palmerston, and his Excellency the Lord Lieutenant. It is not will include any of the junior members of the Royal Family .- Cork Constitution.

-Mr. Edwin James, Q. C., was married at the British Embassy at Paris, on Tuesday.

The Marquis De Lavalette, at present Ambassador of Franco at Constantinople, will, according to reports in Paris, supersede the Duke De Grammont at Rome.

The Charicari gives a woodcut in which an old French soldier is represented holding in his arms a young child bearing the name of "Italie," on its cap. "I recognise this infant," says the soldier to an official girt with the tri-coloured flag at the registragiving in a tabular form the whole of tion-office of one of the mairies. "Vory the registered steam vessels in the good" replies the other, "its name, United Kingdom, on or before the 1st and the place of its birth?" "Solferi-

WOMAN'S SCEPTRE-There is something extremely pleasant and even touching-at least, of a very sweet, soft, and winning effect-in this peculiar of needlowork, distinguishing women from men. Men are incapable of any such by-play aside from the main business of life; but women, be of what earthly rank they may, however gifted with intellect or genius, or endowed with much beauty-havoalways some little handiwork ready to fill the tiny gap of every vacant moment. A needle is familiar to the fingers of them all. A queen, no doubt, plies it on occasions; the woman poet can use it as adroitly as her pen; the woman's eye, that has discovered a new star, turns from its glory to send the polished little instrument gleaming along the hem of her kerchief. orto darn a casual fray in her dress. And they have greatly the advantage of men in this respect. The slender thread of silk or cotton keeps them united with the small, familiar, genule interests of life, the continually operating influences of which, do so much for the health of the character, and carry off what would otherwise be a dangerous accumulation of morbid sensibility. A vast deal of human sympathy runs along this electric line. strotching from the throne to the wicker chair of the scamstress, and keeping high and low in a species of communion with their kindred beings.

MICROMETERS have been constructed by the aid of Photography by Mr. Clarence Mosit, of New York. He has thus succeeded in reducing a scale of ten inches, divided into tenth parts of an inch, to the length of half an inch, divided into two hundredth parts of an inch. This method of reduction promises to be the most simple and economical hitherto devised.

THE SULTAN MAHMOUD .- There is a story about the death of Abdul Medjid's father, the formidable Mahmoud, which will bear telling-the more so as we heard it from the lips of a young Turk just arrived in England. Mahmoud lay on his divan of death, he remembered that a great review of the garrison of Constantinople was to take place under his palace windows in three days' time. He desired that, at whatever moment he might expire. his death should be kept secret from the troops until the review was over-Sultan Mahmound died on the samo night; but three days afterwards his dead body, covered with his wellknown cloak, and capped with his well-known fez, bearing a diamond at. grette, was propped up, an opera-glass in one of his cold hands, at an open window, beneath which the troops defiled, shouting "Long live the Sultan !!!

THE WRITING OF THE DEAD .- A thought in warm sunny life, and then suddenly rising up to us, when tho hand that traced and the heart that cherished it are dust, is, verily, as a ghost. It is a likeness struck off the fond human being and surviving it-Far more truthful than bust or portrait, it bids the tears flow and the pulse beat. What ghost can the churchyard yield to us like the writing of the dead -Bulwer Lytton,

ANSWER GIVEN TO ANY QUESTION AT THE SHORTEST NOTICE .- Mr. Dornal Osbono was anxious to know what the duties were under the office Military Cookery." It must be, we should say, for the purpose of "cook-ing the accounts;" or, it may be to teach the raw recruits how properly in cooking to make a mess of it; or, again, it may be with the object of giving those very raw recruits a good dressing every time they deserve it. Oshorne, my little dear, you pay your money (that is, your usual bd. for this week's number) and so you are at pe feet liberty to take your choi-

co .- Punch. A VERY NATURAL MISTARE.-Lord Dufferin, the British Commissioner in Syria, has been appointed a Knight Commander of the Bath. As Syria is comprehended in the Ottoman Empire the Bath with whose order his tords. hip has been decorated will, perhaps be erroneously imagined to be the Turkish Bath.—Ibit.



#### GENERAL ITEMS.

According to the Scotsman the office of Secretary for Ireland is likely to become vacantsoon. Lord Herbert of Lee has positively resigned the War Offico. His health was unequal to the wear and tear of the onerous duties of that important department. Our Edimburgh contemporary states that the present Home Secretary, Sir Geor ge Cornwall Lewis, will succed the noble Lord as Secretary, of State for War, and that Mr. Cardwell, the Secretary of State for Ireland, will, be transferred to the home department Thus we have a probability, perhaps something more, of a vacancy occurring in our secretaryship. For that office, the same journal states there are three names put forward-The Right Hon. H. A. Herbert, of Muckross, who at one time occupied the important position; Mr. Chichester Fortescue, and Mr. Ralph Bernal Oaborne. The accounts we received from di-

fferent parts of the country in reference to the prospects of the harvest are of the most encouraging character, and the anticipations of an early and abundant harvest are almost universal. In the potato crop we hear no symptom of the diseasethas as yet oxhibited itself, and it is to be hoped that it has now finally ceased to afflict as. The erop, from present appearances, promises to be a most extensive one, and of its soundness no doubts appear to be entertained. Some apprehensions were experienced for the wheat crop during the recent heavy rains, and was funred it would be laid when ripening had commenced. In some districts the crop appears light, but it is calculated that an average yield may be looked for; oats, it is thought, will be an improved crop, and will give a large return of straw, while the hay crop is perhaps the only one in which anything approaching a deficiency is reckoned on. The prospects of the agriculturists are, on the whole, good, and leave no ground for those croakings and prophecies of evil which are to be generally heard about this period of the year.

Almost all the French journals state that Prince Napoleon and the Princess Clothilde are to leave about the 15th July for America. This news will give rise to many conjectures; for it was reported some time ago, and the journals recontly arrived from New York contain the statement in large type that the Emperor had ordered his consin not to go to the United States.

From Paris we are informed that Victor Emmanuel contemplates a visit shortly to Naples, where it is stated he will reside some time, his mission, no doubt, being to endeavour to sestore that much distracted kingdon to tranquillity, and by dispensing royal favourato reconcilo the Neapolitans to the degradation to which his will and ambitions policy has reduced them.

Accounts have been received from Tabiti to the 10th March. A postoffice service had been organised in thelFrench establishments in Oceanica. The chief of the third section of the Indian services, who had been sent on a mission to Moorea, had returned. The councils of the districts, and the Indians whom he had been able to see manifested the strongest desire to have the sholition of the right of pasturage on wasto land definitively declared by the government, as they thought it of convention to Lisbon, and rendewould improve the condition of the red valuablesorvices as an interprepeople by making them labour. In ma- ter, as well as by his advice, for he had ny of the districts the inhabitants have commenced forming enclosures to prevent the cattle from straying, thus fo llowing the example given by a French resident, Captain Valles, on the retired list, who had just obtained an abundant crop of good hay on a piece of ground formerly full of weeds. M. Dudon, a French surgeon, was occupied in vaccinating the children of

The formation of a fleet of gunboats for the North Sea is at present the ob-ject of negotiations between Prussia on the one hand and Oldemburg and the town of Bremen on the other. Hanover has declined all participation in this measure, because it is proposed to Prussis. It is part of this plan that the the fleet should be borne half by Pru- most sacred ministry. esis and half by the two small states In December, 1808, Dr Doyle re-

above named. There is a hitch in the negociations arising from a demand on the part of the small states for com peneation in the f rm of a diminution of their contingent. Now this cannot be granted except by the Diet, the well known deliberateness of whose proceedings renders any immediate execution of this plan very improbable. Great activity provails in the manufactory of arms throughout -Prussia, especially at Suld. This is owing, in some measure, to large orders from the United States government.

#### LITERATURE.

"The Life, Times and Corresponden ce of the Rigt Rev. Dr. Doyle, Bis-hop of Kildare and Leighlin, by William John Fitzpatrick, J. P. (Dublin) James Duffy."

James Warrn Doyle, the future Bis hop of Kildare. was born in the gutum of 1786, in the town of New Ross, county of Wexford. He was a posthumous child, his father, who had been a respectable farmer, residing a few wiles from New Ross, having died some week previously to his birth. Old James Doyle had been twice married. By his first wife he had five children, and by his second four, including the subject of this .ketch. The mother of Dr. Doylo was a woman of vigorous intellect and great strength of mind, and her illustrious son inherited from her the qualities which subsequently rendered him so

James received as good a preliminary education as the country could then efford, and at nineteen years of age, his vocation for the church having become decided, he entered his novicisto at the Augustinian Convent at Grantstown. In the following year, January, 1806, he made his vows as a member of the Order of St Augustine, and shortly afterwards proceeded to Portugal, in order to prosecute his stu dies at the College of Coimbra, an ancient and celebrated scat of learning. His progress was exceedingly rapid, and he soon acquired those varied stores of knowledge which he afterwards used with such effect. In after life he always arowed himself favourable to continental education. In his parlia mentary examinations he expressed the opinion that it was very advantageous to young occlesiastics to travel abroad and to spend some time at universities-that it enlarged their minds and improved their feelings, and that there was no class of men who could be possibly employed at home in the Catholic church who would be so much attached to this country and its institutions as those who had lived abroad. "I myself (he said) never would have loved the British constitution to much as I do had I not been acquainted with the foring of government which prevail in the countries where I have resided. It is by comparison with other institutions; that the excellence of our own is best known" Whilet Dr. Doyle was a student at Coimbra, Portugal was invaded by Napoleon, and the geelesiastics of the university and the students were all enrolled as volunteers to resist the progress of the French. Dr. Doyle was one of those who exchanged his cap and gown for the holmet and the sword. After the defeat of the French at Vimiera he accompanied Colonel Murray with the articles great local knowledge and acquain tanco with Portuguese politics. His talents and devotion to the House of Braganza were well known to the Roval Janta, and during his sojourn in Lisbon he had confidential interviews withthatimportant body. M. Fitzpatrick states that proposals, which in any other case would have dazzled and seduced, were more than once tendered to the yourg and gifted student-an allusion to which will be found in the following pass ge from one of his fa-

mous pattorals:-We have at an early period of our life rejected the favours of the great, and fied even from the smiles of a court, that we might, in our native land, from which we had become an exile to procure an education, labour expense of the first establishment of in the most humble department of the

the following year was ordained in Enniscerthy by Dr Ryan the Coadjutor Bishop of Ferns. After remaining some time in Rosa amongst his relatives and friends, from whon he had been so long separated, he proceeded to Carlow College in the year 1813, with a character for learning and ability rarely attained by a nan of his age, who up to that time had notita-Carlow College be successively filled the professorships of thetoric, classics, moral and natural philosophy, and theology and sacred Scripture.

turned to Ireland, and in October of

His famo as a learned theologian s well as his reputation for genera ability, soon jextended far and wide, and when the See of Kildere and Leighlin became vacant in 1819 by the death of Dr. Corcoran, the clergy of the diocese unanimonsly named Dr. Doyle as his successor-he being then coarcely thirty-three years of age and younger than any other member of the piepocal body in Ireland. The selection was confirmed by the Pope, and Dr. Doyle was solemnly consecrated bishop on Sunday, the 14th November, 1819, in the parish chapel of Carlow. The new bishop showed his fitness for the ardnous duties imposed on him by the energy, firmness and judgment which he immediately displayed in the ecclesiastical government of his diocese. The death of such a prelate and Irishman filled the country with mourning. His noble and melancholy features are beautifully proserved in the grand work-the chef d'auvre of Hogan-which is placed over his grave in the cathedral of Car-

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