BONNETS.

FURS, DRESS GOODS,

Fair Warning

As this is the season of the 'year lin whi those owing this office, that they shall all eceive their accounts before the 20th day of January; and any not paid before the 25th day of January, will be placed in THE SEPARATION OF VICTORIA

The Canadian Lost.

LINDSAY, C.W. THURSDAY, JAN. 15, 1863.

THE AMERICAN WAR.

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In Texas a fleet of Federal gunboats has been totally defeated .--There was a great loss of life, and received plans and specification for the Confederates took several hun- County Buildings, and those submitdred prisoners.

Vicksburg has been declared im- of Toronto were accepted. With pregnable, and the Federals have economy, these plans have combined ship at this election. We supply the state of abandoned any attempts to capture efficiency and architectural taste; the place.

future movements of the belligerents, in the appearance of the town. In but symptoms of a desire to cease the month of April of the past year the hostilities are beginning to manifest Provisional Council received tenders themselves.

GOVERNMENT APPOINTMENTS.

Though the stability of any cabinet depends mainly on the manner in to his having tendered so much lowwhich it treats the great questions er than the other contractors; but, of the day, and those matters which with experience, industry, perseverconcern the nation at large, yet, to secure popularity and the general support of the people, a government requires to dispense patronage and fill offices in accordance with the public wish, and with a view to benefit the country; and though the prac- the contractor not realize his anticitice of removing deserving and com- pations in a pecuniary point of view, petent officials without cause is uni- the County Council will not see him versally condemned here, yet we lose heavily. Mr. Kesteven was find a change of cabinet is frequently not bound to have the buildings combeneficial, even in the matter of pa- pleted before the first of October tronage, in removing the abuses of next, but, seeing that the whole George Adair, Hugh Gillespie, Duncan Gillesa former government. Many sine- County wished for separation at as pie, Wm. Bowens, Wm. Martin, A. A. Mccures may have to be taken from individuals whose offices were only the works to such an extent that his created as a reward for supporting a success has exceeded the expecta- Laughlin, Southern, Graves, Bowens and King, petent officials may have to be re- endeavor to gratify the wish of the be between the remaining gentlemen. On the moved to make room for those who will discharge their duties with ability and integrity.

Owing to the formation of our new County, new offices have been crehas been felt regarding the manner in which the Reform Government These duties were of a very difficult patronage in its hands. We have troubles, men were found ready to since its accession to power, has the present Ministry won for itself greater popularity in this County than by relieve Mr. Kesteven any further, of Snowden) did not close until Wednesday the late official appointments. It has shown a desire to secure support not from lukewarm friends and interested sycophants, but from the universal vote of the people, by respecting their opinions and gratifying their desires, without becoming subservient to any faction.

Much of our success as a n ambitious County depends on those sent to Quebec; and the matter bewho fill the important offices, and if ing laid before the Government no the present be indicative of what we time was lost in instructing Mr. congratulation. All our officials spect the building. Mr. O'Neil's have, more or less, been tried, and promptitude deserved all praise, and all of them have been intimately his report being most favorable, it quite pleasantly.

McDougall and Mr. Lacourse are the people. both residents of the County, and There has been no lack of candiwe are sure no other two men could dates to fill the vacant offices of our

ments, but those who possess the patronage are a sufficient guarantee that the subordinate officers shall be

The Clerks of the Division Courts of the Lindsay and Mariposa districts have only been lately appoint. ed, and, since Mr. Kirkpatrick's and Mr. Taylor's tenure of office, their promptness and business qualifications have been generally admitted. and they have already won the confidence and esteem of all who have employed their services.

COUNTY FROM PETERBORO'.

On the various subjects which have endered, will receive another notice to pay occupied public attention for the past lew months, nothing has so much to the chair, the duties of which he County of Peterborough. It is un pleasures of the evening were kept necessary to go back to the time up to a late hour, and every person this county, was much divided. piness. From the first moment in which the With many, a desire prevails to idea of separation was entertained, have a Dinner and Ball, in celebra-Since last week, nothing of a deci- a few of the leading and influential tion of the final separation, when the men of the county have steadily kept this object in view, and have perse-probably be about the beginning of carries as the principal of the Grammar School ant separation.

been made, the Provisional Council

and the buildings, being well si-No idea can be formed as to the tuated, form a very attractive feature the contest on Wednesday morningfor the buildings, and Mr. John Kesteven's, being lowest, was accepted. Numbers of people were afraid that Mr. Kesteven could not carry out the contract successfully, owing ance, and business talents of a high order, he has surmounted all obstacles, and dispelled the gloomy forebodings of many professed friends. We believe the work has given such universal satisfaction, that should early a date as possible, he hastened corrupt administration; and incom- tions of the most sanguine. In his had no chance, and that the struggle would people, he received encouragement

Building Committee. It is now admitted by all that the Committee have discharged their ated, and in some quarters anxiety duties with credit to themselves and to the advantage of the County. would dispense the large amount of nature, and, in the midst of their pleasure in recording that in no act, embarrass the movements of the Committee. When neither the Council nor the Building Committee could these municipal elections (with the exception he found a true friend in Mr. Thos. Moss, of Toronto, who, from the most disinterested motives, incurred heavy responsibilities, and finally secured the contractor's complete suc-

The Committee being informed that the prison was ready for inspecand tion, a deputation was immediately shall be, there is every reason for O'Neil to proceed forthwith and in-

onnected with the County. Mr. was manifest that the day of final HARD TIMES!-Forthe last few weeks no smith represented this County in the separation could not be far distant. newspaper has been phlished in this town ex-Smith represented this County in the separation could not be far distant. Provincial Parliament for several years with great satisfaction, and his sional Council and the Building We fancy it must be gate pleasant to pass the hat we have secured the services of the leading men of the County, as especially with paper at such an extravagan an able and upright Judge. Mr. being conducive to the interests of

have been appointed to their respective offices and give such universal satisfaction.

dates to fill the vacant offices of our quite red, all other der being gray at this sea sive; and postages would thus be equal borne by both parties, by the pre-payment sy tem. And with respect to any letters sent the office-seekers, with their friends, had several white spits on its neck and legs. Though a few deserving gentle- went there also to plead their own men have been disappointed, yet it peculiar merits. We suppose the

> Hotel. Owing to illness, neither Pyper and T. Brown.-Com. Mr. Dunsford, M. P. P., nor Mr. Smith, the newly-appointed Judge, attended; and a few others that were expected did not arrive. Not-standing, there was a good attendance, and the meeting was a decided ance, and the meeting was a decided and conducted them to the hotel, at- a general clearance. tended by the Lindsay and Ops Brass Band. The Mayor was called

the matter into consideration at their Preliminary arrangements having first meeting.

MUNICIPAL ELECTIONS.

ted by Messrs. Cumberland & Storm that the five candidates first mentioned have been elected. Mr. McLaughlin withdrew from

a law southern print in his him to will be the	
John Clark	:
R. F. Whiteside	
Johnathan Hodgson	
David Rodgers	!
Wm. Cameron	
Wm. Ramsay 1.	14
W. H. McLaughlin	3

The following gentlemen were elected for

Ward No. 1, Wm. Cottingham. Arthur McQuade. John Bailey.

> Michael Lehane. FENELON.

The following are the Councillors elected Ward No. 1, John Newson. Ronald McEachern.

Wm. Jordan. Wm. Dick.

John Jackson. BEXLEY, LAXTON AND DIGBY.

Messrs. Henry Southern, Lawrence Powers,

Laughlin, Jude Cronk, John King, Joseph Staples and Simeon Graves. It was soon ascertained that Messrs. Mc-

second day D. Gillespie resigned in Martin's and every available support from the clared the following candidates elected— Messrs. H. Gillespie,

G. Adair, J. Staples, Those who pretend to know say that Mr. Adair will be Reeve: it will probably be be

JUTTERWORTH, ANSON AND HINDEN (County

for municipal honors in the back townships evening, when the following gentlemen were

Messrs. John Lucas, Anson.

MINDEN AND STANHOPE (C'ty of Peterboro Messrs, William Gainer, Minden. John Barnam, W. S. Cameron, Stanhope.

SNOWDEN (C'ty of Peterboro'). Messrs, Hiram Wilcox, A. H. Ganatt, Robt. Ritchie,

Henry Philips, Thos. H. Enri. At the above electious everything passed

chosen of the Government are the choice of the people. Dependant of the people. Dependant on these offices are other appoint- turn disappointed.

Church in Oakwood, the proceeds of which were to be used in the liquidation of the debt upon the church Considering the state of the roads, the attendance was larger than to some extent, as it frequently occurs that upon the church in Oakwood, the proceeds of which were to be used in the liquidation of the debt upon the church in Oakwood, the proceeds of which were to be used in the liquidation of the debt upon the church in Oakwood, the proceeds of which were to be used in the liquidation of the debt upon the church in Oakwood, the proceeds of which were to be used in the liquidation of the debt upon the church in Oakwood, the proceeds of which were to be used in the liquidation of the debt upon the church in Oakwood, the proceeds of which were to be used in the liquidation of the debt upon the church in Oakwood, the proceeds of which were to be used in the liquidation of the debt upon the church in Oakwood, the proceeds of which were to be used in the liquidation of the debt upon the church in Oakwood, the proceeds of which were to be used in the liquidation of the debt upon the church in Oakwood, the proceeds of which were to be used in the liquidation of the debt upon the church in Oakwood, the proceeds of which were to be used in the liquidation of the debt upon the church in Oakwood, the proceeds of which were to be used in the liquidation of the debt upon the church in Oakwood, the proceeds of which were to be used in the liquidation of the debt upon the church in Oakwood, the proceeds of which were to be used in the liquidation of the debt upon the church in Oakwood the proceeds of which were to be used in the liquidation of the debt upon the church in Oakwood the liquidation of the debt upon the church in Oakwood the liquidation of the debt upon the church in Oakwood the liquidation of the liquidation of the liquidation of the liquidation of the liquidation o could have been expected. The luxuries of nia Observer. On Saturday last a few of the our County were represented in abundance.

friends of separation took advantage

The children of the Sabbath School enjoyed a THE SPEAKERSHIP OF THE LEGISof the return of our County member, was a very successful one, the handsome sum the newly-appointed officials and of \$70 having been realized. Interesting speeches were delivered by Revs. S. C. Philp, assembling to supper at O'Leary's Galbraith and Barker, and Messrs. G. A.

CUSTOMERS in search of Shawls, Mantle success. A number of Mr. McDou-gald's and Mr. Lacourse's friends received them at the railway station

DEATH OF MR. JUSTICE BURNS.

It is our duty to announce this morning the interested the people of this county ably discharged. Amidst an inter-death of the Hoa. Robert Easton Burns, one as our final separation from the change of very pleasant feeling, the of the puisne Judges of Her Majesty's Court of Queen's Bench. Mr. Burns' last public duty was performed at the Hamilton Assizes about two months ago. He returned to his when the question of separation was seemed determined to contribute by home affected by an attack of dropsy, accomagitated, and when opinion, even in speech and song to the general hap- panied by a general break-up of the constitu house. Yesterday, at noon, his sufferings, which had been severe, were brought to a close, and he peacefully expired, surrounded by the members of his family.

Mr. Burns was son of the Rev. John Burns, a

studying for the same profession; and Edward, preparing for the bar.—Globe of Tuesday.

CANADA.

The Guelph Advertiser, which has for pended on account of the want of support from the Guelphites. It revolves itself again into a weekly, in which form for twenty years

don Brown, Esq., Editor of the Globe, with a taken from the poplar trees in front of the reappreciation of his steady and able advocacy

SENSATION IN BUFFALO.-There is a comjust about the present time, can boast of the MELANCHOLY ACCIDENT. - We record with

much regret a sad accident which befel a young man, named Joseph Henley, at the Grand Trunk Station last Friday. He was on board at New York two hundred and fifty giving freedom to the slaves of the rebellious was a pension of 2s. 2d. a day. When discoslipped, and fell, and the wheel of the engine passed over his leg between the knee joint and the ancle. Amputation of the limb being judged necessary, the operation was successfully performed (below the knee) by Dr. Gilchrist, assisted by Dr. Powell and Dr. Reid. We are glad to learn that the sufferer is doing

on Friday last, the 2nd instant. He was living in the vicinity of Baltimore, and had gone to Lot 11 in the 5th Concession of Hamilton to cut some wood. He was chopping a tree, which happened to fall in a different direction from that he intended, and while running, as he thought, to get out of its way, a limb from the falling tree struck him on the back of the head causing instant death. An inquast was head, causing instant death. An inquest was held on his body by Mr. Harstone, coroner, and a verdict was returned in accordance with

BURNING OF THE AMERICAN HOTEL AT NIAGARA FALLS .- We are called upon to second day D. Gillespie resigned in Martin's chronicle a most destructive fire at Niagara favor. At the close of the poll the Clerk de-Falls, in the burning of the American Hotel, Alvah Cluck, proprietor. The fire broke out in the back wing of the building, at three o'clock this morning, and before the occupants were aroused, the flames had swept through the lower part of the house, cutting off all egress. The boarders were aroused and assisted out of the upper story windows by ladders. Some of the servant girls jumped from the windows and were severely injured. The building which was owned by Anson Chappel, of Lockport, was totally destroyed. It was insured for \$3,000. The loss falls most heavily upon Mr. Cluck, as the furniture and even all the clothing belonging to the family, were de-stroyed.—Rockester Express.

THE WEATHER AT THE EAST .- The Quebec Daily News says :- The oldest inhabitants of Quebec agree in saying that we have never ex-perienced milder weather in the month of January, that it has been our lot to experience during the past week. Parties travelling from the West see little or no snow until they reach Richmond; west of that place the hills are perfectly bare, and in some places green. Wheeled vehicles are now in constant use in all the Eastern townships, and the cattle are seen daily grazing in the fields. The river opposite to enable some enterprising steamboat owner to try his luck in a winter ferry. Should such

are are considering the propriety of abolis postage on newspapers circulated within and do away with the present regulation of -A few days since V. H. Corbett, while out charging 7 cents for unpaid letters. A uniform hunting, shot a deer, the color of which was rate of 5 cents cannot be regarded as oppre —Com.

TEA MEETING.—In New Year's Day a Tea Meeting was held in the Wesleyan Methodist Church in Oakwood, the proceeds of which

Sir Allan MacNab is not one of the "great of tacked by a superior force of the rebels. George Allan of Toronto, and the Hon Walter H. Dickson, are among the number. TWe can ed and missing. will resign his seat in the present Ministry to accept this office, high though it be; and if he stands out of the way, the chances are all in favor of Mr. Dixon. The Speaker must be in favor of Mr. Dixon. The Speaker must of in favor of Mr. Dixon. The Speaker must of an Upper Canadian, according to rule; and an Upper Canadian, according to rule; and Mr. Allan will of course receive the votes of Mr. Allan will of course receive the votes of Murfreesboro, 5th, via Nashville 6th.—The Murfreesboro, 5th, via Nashville 6th.—The the ultra-Conservative or old Tory party. On the other hand, Mr. Dickson is likely to have and Lemieux. Should there be other candidates than those we have named, the Upper Canada Reformers will vote for Mr. Dickson, and the probability is, the rouge members of the Council will go with them. A better Speaker could not be chosen; honest, upright, independent—he will command confidence and insure respect. We sincerely hope he will be the chosen one.—Montreal Transcript.

able woman, whom he has ill-used to such an ex-tent that her intellect has become impaired. So frequent has his abuse of her become that the people of the village, or a portion of them, determined to give him a lesson that would last him for some time, and for several determined to give him a lesson that Saturday night, when he was placed a straddie of a rail and trotted up and down one of the streets until his bearers were tired. When rethreatening to shoot some of his friends, who PERSONAL.—The Toronto correspondent of immediately on perceiving the weapon caught wounded. There has been no severe fighting the Montreal Herald, says: Several prominent him and beat him severely up and down the Americans in Toronto have presented J. Gor- principle street of the village with branches The rebels took one of our guns, but were re beautiful gold headed cane, in mark of their sidence of Robert Lawrie, Esq. Having finished their castigation, the man bleeding free- in command, and will be reinforced to-night. ly from the stripes administered, they let him go, promising to repeat the dose if he ill used his wife again. They now threaten to visit two motion in Buffalo in consequence of burglaries or three other residents of the village who use and other crimes committed there. The cheir wives in the same beastly way with similar punishment, being determined to put an end just about the present time, can boast of the to such unseemly and unmanly conduct presence of the finest set of burglars, pick. They are after one now, and it is possible we pockets and cut-throats generally, as can be found in any city of the size in the country." I a few days.—St. Catharines Journal.

n a few days .- St. Catharines Journal. APPLES AND COAL OIL .- The London Post carelessly jumping on the locomotive when he barrels of American apples. These were had to be thrown overboard, as, had they been FATAL ACCIDENT.—We learn from the Coworthless as an article of sale, and might have
Government by the President, under the speexercised a very serious effect upon the health cious plea of military necessity. bourg Sun that a young and very worthy man, named Thomas Haig, was accidentally killed of many persons. Capt. Souper exercised a on Friday last, the 2nd instant. He was living wise discretion in getting rid of them as soon

General McClellan, whose weight is stated at 150 pounds, compares curiously, in this respect, with certain chieftains of the American Revolution of 1776. General Washington weighed 209; Gen. Lincoln, 225; Gen. Knox, 169; Col. Swift, 219; Col. Michael Jackson, 252: Col. Hy. Jackson, 239; Lt.-Col. Hum-phrey, 211; Lt.-Col. Cobb, 182. A GHASTLY RECORD.—The war statisticians

are figuring up the following losses in the various engagements during the year— Rebel killed, wounded & prisoners, 103,707 Total. 236,536

MARKETS.

No. 1 4.50 4.55 of cotton, and loade rifles, muskets, &c. 4.90 4.95 supr extra. 5.15 5.30

LATEST NEWS

THE AMERICAN REVOLUTION ACCOUNTS FROM VICKSBURG-

GENERAL HOVEY WITH 1,500 MEN

THE FEDERAL RETREAT. LATEST FROM MURFREESBORO. IMMINENT CRISIS IN SOUTHERN

GOVERNOR ROBINSON (KENTUCKY) LINCOLN'S PROCLAMATION.

Cairo, Jan. 7.—We have one day's later in-

miles. Gen. Sperman's forces had tought to that an orator must be chosen for the Council. within two miles of the city when he was at-

Sir Allan MacNab is not one of the "great of lacked by a sub-note of the control candidates are spoken of. The present Rements, and even brigades, fought hand to hand ceiver General, the Hon. Mr. Morris, the Hon. The 4th Iowa lost 600 men in killed, wound-

hear from no reliable authority that Mr. Morris Gen. Hovey, with 1,500 men, was sent out

enemy evacuated in haste during Saturday night. . It is reported they were terribly de moralized from losses, but they left no property rvatives also. There are six new membehind. Gen. Negley pursued them with infantry. A cavalry force also followed to-day. bers in Lower Canada who will have a vote lantry.

Spear's First Tennessee Brigade attacked and spentlemen elected in September, viz: Messrs.

dispersed their rear guard of cavalry. Their loss in Wednesday's battle was 5,000, several loss in Wednesday's battle was 5,000, several loss in Wednesday. hundred on Thursday, over 1,200 on Friday, and 1,000 on Saturday night, including wounded and captured. We have 1,500 of them prisoners; 2 Colonels, and several Majors.

The Enquirer says that the danger of financial ruin to the Confederacy is imminent, and the high prices resulting from the enormous issue of Treasury Notes are an enemy more formidable than the Yankee armies. I recommends a tax bill to produce \$150,000.

Jeff Davis was serenaded in Richmond last

son, of Missouri, is confirmed. It occurred at rious and prolonged. "Chawin'" tobacco Little Rock, December 7th.

St. Louis, January 8 .- Gen. Curtiss received the following despatch from General Brown. dated Springfield, 3 p.m. : "Enemye rowding. fighting going on, but my men behaving well. I am holding all strong positions, and the enemy must fight as I want him, or not to night. They are fighting for bread."

Dr. Melcher sends the following, dated after noon of the 8th:—"General Brown is badly wounded. There has been no severe fighting coming in. Prisoners say that Marmaduke is Springfield contains a very large amount of

army stores, arms, and amme Fifteen 4-horse teams and thirty men belonging to the telegraph corps, are supposed to be captured a few miles south of Springfield.

stowed in the hold in which there were one creet blow. He says that the saddest result thousand eight hundred barrels of petroleum, of the proclamation will be to fire the whole the offensive smell of which is notorious. The South into a burning mass of inexhaustable odor of the oil, as might have been expected, hate. The proclamation will destroy all hope penetrated the apples, and the consequence of restoring the Union, which is only possible by adhering to the constitution as it was; further, that the most alarming aspect of the

Off the Month of the Yazoo River, January 3, via Cairo 11. The expedition against Vicksburg was abandoned yesterday safely. A strong attack by the enemy was repulsed by our gunbouts. The Yazoo is abandoned as a base of operations,

cing that stream. Governor Robinson concludes his message by advising the Legislature to place on record their protest against the proclamation. The enemy was reinforced to the number o

the enemy being impregnable on the front fa-

60,000 men. They had 160 guns in their bat-teries besides their artillery. Our losses in the Yazoo will amount to 2,500 or 3,000. The loss of the enemy is unknown.

ARRIVAL OF THE "JURA." ATTACK ON FEDERAL GUNBOATS.

pool, 1st inst., Londonderry 2nd inst., passec The working men of Manchester had held a neeting to express sympathy with the North, at which a congratulatory address to President

Cape Race, Jan. 10 .- The Jura, from Liver

New York, Jan. 11 .- The steamer Creole arrived to-night from New Orleans, 3rd inst. She was detained by order of General Banks, to bring despatches to General Halleck. She passed several gunboats bound up the river. Purser Cook reports by the arrival of the gunboat Clifton at South West Pass on the morning of the 3rd instant:-I learn that early on the morning of the 1st instant, the rebels made an attack by land and water on the Federal

GENERAL NEWS

A British paper estimates the loss to British It is stated that the book publishers in New

York are about to make a general agreement not to publish any books for six months, or until there is a reduction in the cost of paper. It is stated that the Government intend next session to bring in a Bill for the better preven-tion of those outrages which have rendered the streets of London "as unsafe as a tiger's

The London correspondent of the Edinburgh Witness says it is probable that when Parliament re-assembles the Glasgow murder case will be made the subject of Parliamentary in-

The Times says the rate at which specie shipments are being made to India is attracting much attention. Last month the total sent from England alone was £1,400,000, and a further sum of about half as much was probably dispatched on English account via Marselles.

Fifteen million pounds sterling (\$75,000. dency of British India upon works of irriga tion. These exceed in extent the most famous irrigation works of the Egyptians, and with the railways and other internal improvements of the English in that country, are a slight

The Chiasso diligence was attacked on the 23d November, on the Swiss territory, by a band of eighteen brigands, chiefly deserters from the Italian army. Count and Countess Melzi of Milan, being among the passengers, they were robbed of all their money, except 2000 in gold and a few jewels, which the Countess secreted about her person. When the miscreants bade her give up whatever jewels she might have, she pointed to her little daughter, whom she held in her arms, and said, "I have only this jewel, which I will not give up except with my life." The brigands, disconcerted at the courage of the lady, desisted from any further violence, and went away

DESTRUCTION OF THE AMERICAN HOTEL AT NIAGARA FALLS .- The American Hotel at Ni agara Falls was destroyed by fire at an early hour on Friday morning, with its entire contents. The progress of the flames was so rapid that nothing could be saved, and some of the inmates barely escaped with their lives, having to be rescued by ladders from the upper windows. It is reported that some of the servant girls jumped from the windows and were badly injured. The fire is supposed to have originated in the cook-room of the hotel, and was discovered about 3 o'clock in the morning. Mr. Cluck, the proprietor of the hotel lost all his property. His vest, in one of the was burned in his room, together with the res of his personal property .- Buffalo Express

Tobacco Famine.-Last week was a trying was tried, till it too became short of supply. and our smoky friends were reduced to saddest extremities on the failure of an attempts to restrain their appetites, or to appeare its qualms, by every conceivable expedien Some tried to chew gutta percha, others trie a specie of "shag" found on the river side others actually shammed smoking by going about with empty pipes in their mouths, and all were at their wits' end. The timely arrival of a supply on Monday saved the more hungry rom reckless extremes .- English Paper.

A SAD STORY .- A very sad story has just been brought before the notice of the public by Sir Bernard Burke. It has been the privi lege of Sir B. Burke to chronicle many a sad story in his "Vicissitudes of Noble Families." but never a sadder one than this: - In a wretched garret in Cook Street, on a bed of sickness, perhaps of death, lay the son of Sir Francis O'Neill, the sixth baronet of his family, the undoubted descendant of a hundred Frankfort, Ky., Jan. 8.—The State Legislature met to-day. The Message of Gov. Robin-peers of the realm. Paralysed, speechless, son recommends that Kentucky reject Presi- unable to move, the scion of the great house dent Lincoln's proclamation to liberate the of O'Neill has lain in Crook Street, in a garret, slaves, and protest against any interference for four weary months. A daughter-in-law States inflicts upon Kentucky a fatal and indis- vered by a benevolent gentleman, Mr. Tarmworth, six months' rent was overdue, and

EXPLOSION AT WORSBRO' DALE COLLIERY AND GREAT LOSS OF LIFE.

An explosion occurred on Monday in the Edmunds Main Colliery, Worsbro' Dale, near Barnsley, by which fifty-three men met their deaths in the pit - one died as soon as he reached the bank or top of the shaft; and sixteen men who survive have been injured, some The colliery lies in a valley, closely hemmed

in by hills, about two miles and a-half S.S.W. of Barnsley. The canal of the River Don Navigation, and a mineral branch of the South Yorkshire Railway, skirt the colliery on the north, and a branch of the railway passes through the works, so that waggons are laden with coal at the mouth of the pit. There are two downcast shafts close together at the Edmunds Main Colliery, and an upcast or cupola shaft for ventilation about 200 yards off. The workings extend for nearly a mile and a quarter eastward from the shafts, and a little beyond bem a new pit called the "Swathe" is being opened. It was at the part of the Edmunds Main nearest to the Swathe, and where the men were at work to form a junction between the two pits that the explosion occurred. This was the deepest part of the pit, being about 180 yards from the surface, and was technically known as the dip boards. Here a charge of powder was fired between half-past seven and eight o'clock on Monday morning. to dislodge the coal. About half-a-dozen men were engaged at this spot, and the shot was fired by Joseph Walton. The effect of the shot was to ignite a quantity of gas which was dislodged by the explosion, to set fire to the seam of coal, and to destroy a portion of the brattices which regulate the current of air through the mine. A supply of bricks and lime was obtained, and an attempt was made had been repeatedly before, and Mr. Lawton sent a request to Mr. Mitchell, the managing partner, that he would descend the mine and give his advice as to the best mode of proceed-