

YUCATAN.
Captain McPherson of the schooner Fanny this arrived yesterday morning from Laguna, and reports that intelligence was received there that six thousand persons had arrived at Mérida in three days, from other vessels of Yucatan.

On his passage down the river he met a number of canoes, filled with men, women and children, who were seeking a refuge at Laguna, from the insults of the Indians.

Gov. Higham, of Laguna, had issued a proclamation, forbidding the Indians to come into that place.

The *Mercurial Gazette*, of the 5th inst., gives few items of some interest in relation to Yucatan. "We believe they are new."

The village of Itzimil is stated to have defended itself for eight hours against an overpowering force of savages. The loss on the part of the whites was 23 killed and 11 wounded. During the retreat of the whites 100 soldiers deserted, thus leaving the commander with a force of only 60 men.

The whole cost of the port of Cumaná to Cape Cetina, and thence to Barataria is now in possession of Pat and Chy, and their blood-thirsty followers.

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A LETTER FROM THE LATE DEPUTY ADJUTANT GENERAL.

To the Editor of the *Canadian*.

Mr. Editor.—I have just read in the *Pilot* of the 25th inst., a version somewhat different from that given by other journals, of the reason on which my resignation of the office of Deputy Adjutant General was based. The art of well governing, as Napoleon said, is to make a good selection of your servants; therefore, in accordance with this maxim, and in justice to myself, the offer of the appointment of Deputy Adjutant General was based upon this maxim, generally understood, but more particularly as regards politics.

I therefore accepted this office under the impression that I was not disgraced by law from retaining my seat in Parliament, if my constituents were disposed to re-elect me. On my arrival in Montreal, the Ministry having interpreted, not the letter, but the spirit of the law, adverse to my impression, in justice to my election, from which I did not wish to separate myself publicly, I preferred resigning the office, and this in language, is the common cause of my resignation.

The fact of my having gone to the office which was allotted to me, that I there found twenty letters to my address, which I opened does not as the Pilot would infer, constitute an entrance upon the duties of an office, and still less my fear of undertaking them, but perhaps an indiscreet curiosity; that my astonishment at finding myself, on my elevation placed in a garnet admitting the light through two dormer windows, may have caused me to hesitate, will be easily explained, as those who enjoyed the share of independence and liberty, and who know the difference between my present position and an elevation of such a nature; in order therefore to put an end to the false position in which I was advanced to place myself, I have preferred exposing myself to reproach for a resignation of which the leading motive will be understood and no doubt appreciated, more particularly by my electors.

In the interim, if I have not gained the unqualified approval of the Editor of the *Pilot*, I believe I may console myself with having adopted a proceeding which will render all my efforts at results in independence of feeling in the minds of the people whose approbation is at least as valuable as his own, and who desire the prosperity of our country.

By inserting the above in your next number you will confer a favor,

Sir, your very obedient servant,

M. P. DE SALES LA TRISTERE,
Allison House, Quebec, 25th June, 1848.

EFFECTS OF A REPEAL IN THE NAVIGATION LAW.—The New York *Commercial Advertiser*, in noticing the recent meeting in this city, to give an expression of opinion upon Mr. Laboucane's proposed modification of the Navigation Law, says:

"Some of the speakers appeared to think that nothing more was wanting, beyond the repeal of these laws, to wrest the whole carrying trade of the great West from the canals and railroads of New York, and make its outlet to the ocean by the route of the St. Lawrence. We look for no such result.—The measure may be of advantage to the trade of Canada, but New York can afford to regard this addition to the prosperity of her neighbor, without a single jealous emotion. That the Americans are not so anxious about themselves so rapidly that there will be ample employment for all the avenues which present themselves for the conveyance of its surplus to a market."—*Montreal Pilot*.

Gen. TAYLOR TO BE THE NEXT PRESIDENT.—We may set it down, as a settled thing, that General Taylor will be the next President—that he is the candidate of no party, that various parties intend to support him, and that the great mass of the people, and even John J. Crittenden, the author of the bill, would break down. Mr. Van Buren and Gen. Cass will destroy each other. General Cass, it is true, is an able and upright man, eloquent and distinguished, and deserves well of his country; but having four years ago succeeded in defeating the nomination of Mr. Van Buren by the Baltimore convention, Mr. Van Buren now returns him the compliment and will destroy his chances, by running against him on the Wilcox provincial principle, merely to satisfy his vengeance.

Let the parties settle their own differences in their own way. The great bulk of the American people will go to General Taylor, and will be satisfied with his administration.

N. Y. Herald.

Louis PHILIPPE AND HIS FAMILY AT CLAREMONT.—We have just visited the neighborhood, where we have learned, on unquestionable authority, that the single hired carriage with which Louis Philippe indulged the exiles and himself during the first month, has been disengaged, and the only sense of kind venture taken is the hire of a carriage on a Sunday morning to convey the family to the Roman Catholic chapel at Weybridge. The whole of the household chiefs and dependants, dine together. Everything, including whatever wine and dessert is allowed, is placed on the table at once, without a remove. There is only one servant in attendance in the room. The descendants of Charlemagne wait upon themselves and each other.—*Cambridge Advertiser*.

EXTRAORDINARY SELF-ACCUSATION.—Patrick Cannon, a Tipperty man, belonging to the garrison company of the 5th Reg't, on Thursday, communicated to his officer (Captain Norris) that he was implicated in six murders, the most recent of which was that of John Meloney, of Adamstown, stating at the same time, that Patrick Fitzgerald, who was executed in front of the county goal on the 5th of May for the same crime, had been hanged innocently. Captain Norris having made known the circumstances, at which Mr. Justice Gurney, of the court martial, in the manner in which the soldier made the declaration, coupled with the fact of his being unable to name a witness who could corroborate his statement, there is little doubt the story was concocted with the view of his obtaining a discharge from the regiment.

Limerick Chronicle.

KINGSTON TEMPERANCE HALL.
THE PRINCESS HOUSE, lately occupied by Mr. H. Pultz, having been enlarged and thoroughly repaired, and with additional SHEDS AND STABLES, is now opened by the Subscriber as a TEMPERANCE HOUSE, where, by kindness and attention, he hopes to merit a share of public patronage.

GROCERIES, PROVISIONS, and suitable Drunks will also be kept, in connexion with the above. Respectable Persons accommodated with Board, &c.

A carriage in attendance to convey passengers to and from the boats, free of charge.

T. BEESMAN.

Princess Street, July 1, 1848.

FOR Sale.
100 lbs. PLASTER, (MANURE), At reduced prices.

OLIPHANT & WATT,
Kingston, June 27, 1848.

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AT SEA IN HALIFAX.—The *Herald Morning Courier* gives an account of an affair which occurred in that town lately, heading the article with the well displayed lines arranged after this order—

GRAND REVOLUTION IN HALIFAX!

A GOVERNOR'S SON FORWARDED THROUGH THE BREAKERS.

GOVERNMENT HOUSE SURROUNDED!

SPEECH OF SIR JOHN HARVEY.

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