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WHAT THE OPPOSITION TO THE CUNARDERS HAS COST.

The N. Y. Times says:—"The Americans are now heavily taxed to support the Collins line, paying it a sum as much as is voted for its services, and more than three times as much, for each ship, as the British Government pays to the Cunard ships. In this immense struggle for speed, which has been going on for several years, between the Collins and Cunard ships, the former has won the victory. But at how great a sacrifice! Let the wail from the American press, when she ceils flown into the depths of the ocean, and from the Pacific, as she crashed in destruction upon barriers of ice—answer.

What victory has the Collins company achieved? By neglecting the commercial part of their enterprise, running their vessels light instead of taking freight, and managed on an average to gain about an hour on the passage in competition with the Cunards. The latter carried large freights and made large profits; if they had taken to recklessness the Americans, they might have exceeded their rivals in speed.

A Sat or Smart Lads.—A Soirée given by the Pupils of the Grammar School on Monday evening, in the School House, R. M. Rose, Esq., took the chair, supported on the right by Dr. J. G. Chamberlain, and on the left by Mr. Herbert McDonald. Mr. Wilson occupied the vice-chair, and acted by Mr. T. Kirkpatrick, jun. There was a most elegant repast on the table,—Turkey and Tongue, with the usual adjuncts. After amusing themselves all the evening, the assembly broke up at 12 o'clock, P. M., with three cheers for the Pupils, Council that were on board, and brought on boys then dispersed to their homes.—[Our late gale was very destructive to the shipping. Last night intelligence was communicated to the News by one of the bi[illegible]

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LETTER FROM THE POPE TO THE KING OF NAPLES RECOMMENDING SUBMISSION.

The Pope has, according to certain Italian papers, addressed the following letter to the King of Naples:

"The replies of the two Powers are such as to quiet my apprehensions. France and England, united strongly by an alliance which the Oriental war has cemented, call on your Majesty reform in the interest of administration of the Kingdom of the Two Sicilies, preceding their demand on the subject vote expressed at the Congress of Paris.

"I do not intend to discuss the legality of the injunctions made to the Government of your Majesty; but, as the Father in Christ of all the Faithful, and as Successor of the Apostles, who converted the world to the law of charity and conciliation, I do to-day a message of peace.

"I come to you, my dearest son, and I invite you to take into consideration that ministers, far from humiliating, often confer honor, and that, besides, it is a virtue agreeable to God.

"If, therefore, my determination, you shall listen to the advice of the two great Powers and conform to a vote of solemn Congress, the organ of the Sovereign of Europe, in your State reforms, the executions which is demanded of humanity, should be carried out, believe that the Church of Jesus Christ will bestow its benediction on you for such generous concessions, and myself, your Father in the Lord, will shed tears of joy, and glorify the Almighty with all my soul."

ROAD TO PERTH.

An excellent Winter Road to Perth from Buttermilk Falls is now open. Hence to Buttermilk Falls, the Road is all graded and partly Macadamized, and the rest of the road to Perth is almost equally as good.

A Great Scoundrel.

About a month ago, Sergeant O'Neill, Color Sergeant of Capt. Terry's Company (9th Regt.) in Fort Henry, absconded or deserted, having £70 of his Captain's money in his possession to pay the men, and also, about £45 belonging to the Canteen Keeper. Nothing was heard of him until Monday last, when he was quietly taken by the Regimental Police in plain clothes to the village of Gananoque, and he now lies in the Tete du Pont Guard Room, waiting a Court-Martial. This Mr. O'Neil seems to have been a great fool as well as rogue, for it appears that instead of escaping to the United States and remaining there, he has been nearly all the time of his absence in or about Kingston, going to Balls and other public places. Two of his brother sergeants have been reduced to the ranks for seeing him at one of these places, and not reporting him—more rogue of him afterwards to tell. For the mixed crimes of Desertion and Felony in all probability he will be severely punished.

The guns on Fort Henry often fire at night. This would indicate much Desertion on the part of the Regiment in Garrison.—Such, however, is not the fact to any great extent. The firing of the Guns at night tell of men absent without leave, who generally turn up during the night or early next morning. The cheapness of spirits is the cause of this insubordination.

Murder.—An inquest was held before R. B. Ball, Esq., Coroner, at McKeown's tavern, on the Hamilton and Caledonia road, on Tuesday, on the body of a labouring man, named John Montgomery. It appeared that the deceased had been staying at McKeown's and about four o'clock on Monday afternoon, was sitting in the bar-room, when George McArdle came in, and after a few words had passed between them, McArdle knocked deceased off the chair and kicked him. Montgomery was assisted up on to a chair, but complained greatly of the injuries he had received, and in about an hour after he died. On the medical examination, the liver was found to be badly ruptured, and to contain a large quantity of blood found its way into the cavities of the chest, &c. The Jury often, inquiring into the whole of the circumstances, returned the following verdict:—That the deceased, John Montgomery, died from a rupture of the liver, caused by the violence of George McArdle against him. A warrant was issued for the apprehension of McArdle.

U. S. Items.

ATLANTIC SUBMARINE TELEGRAPH.

Washington, Dec. [illegible]

Correspondence N. Y. Herald. [illegible] gentlemen from New York, [illegible] with the New York, Newfoundland Telegraph Company, [illegible] Secretary Guthrie called on the President, [illegible] Ruggy and Dobbin to-day, [illegible] enlisting the government in [illegible] and countenance in carrying [illegible] enterprise of uniting America [illegible] by an electric cable. I understand [illegible] the object of their mission is [illegible] with entire success.

New York, Dec. [illegible]

ARRIVAL OF THE STEAMER RUSSIA.

[illegible] steamship Borussia, [illegible] arrived yesterday from Hamburg [illegible] passage of 18 days and 20 hours [illegible] the mouth [illegible] 5 o'clock, P. M., on the 2nd [illegible] On the 10th, at 3 o'clock [illegible] Land, of Westport, from [illegible] was passed inward at 10 P. [illegible] as for Halifax. Captain Ehlers [illegible] Mr. McDonald, that a vessel [illegible] in a sinking condition [illegible] to be returned to the Pupils, Council [illegible] Board for their services.—Carried. To port [illegible] boys then dispersed to their homes.—[Our late gale was very destructive [illegible] communicated to the News by one of the bi[illegible] Last night intelligence was [illegible] of two ships being ashore near [illegible]

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Squaw, Dec. [illegible]

vessel ashore three miles South [illegible] is the barque Tasso, Capt. [illegible] of St. Johns, N.F., from Rio Janeiro [illegible] cargo of coffee and rosewood. [illegible] be a total loss. Four of her crew [illegible] from the beach were drowned [illegible] tempting to get on shore. The [illegible] had boarded the barque to remove [illegible] on board, and the boat was stove [illegible] to get ashore. Their names were [illegible] Jones and John Parker.

BURNING OF THE STEAMER KNOXVILLE.

Loss Estimated at from $175,000 to $200.—The Southern line [illegible] Knoxville took fire last night, [illegible] a complete wreck. The fire was [illegible] about 8 o'clock, and is a short [illegible] No. 4 North River, and the streets [illegible] in the vicinity, were crowded [illegible] lookers on.

New York, Dec. [illegible]

[illegible] Tribune's Washington correspondence [illegible] 21st, says:—Minnesota will be [illegible] and the portion lying East of Red River [illegible] the North, and the Big Sioux, [illegible] authorized to form a State Constitution [illegible] the present name. The Western [illegible] will remain with a territorial organization [illegible] under the name of Dacotah.

THE WEATHER.

Christmas has come and gone, and [illegible] is to follow. The weather is [illegible] seasonable, and a recent fall of snow made good sleighing. The Ice Bridge [illegible] Wolfe Island made itself on Christmas [illegible] and since then, the people have been [illegible] on foot, but not yet in Sleighs. The markets are excellent, a plentiful supply [illegible] rates. Nothing is scarce and nothing [illegible] dear. And the people generally seem [illegible] lots of money, for the shops are as full [illegible] as the markets, and no one grumbles. Happy people, happy Canada, happy [illegible] made!

A Disgraceful Business.

Perth, December 23.

Some few weeks ago, the Propeller [illegible] laden with flour, was driven ashore [illegible] near the Point Peter Light House. [illegible] reported that 1,800 barrels of flour were [illegible] overboard from her, most part [illegible] reached the shore, or was taken [illegible] the water by people living in the vicinity [illegible] salvage of 7s 6d per barrel was given [illegible] the flour taken out of the water, and [illegible] safely upon the shore. The result up [illegible] Wednesday was, that the owners of the [illegible] has only yet received 500 bbls. What [illegible] become of the rest? Why, the Agent [illegible] secure and sell all that could be saved [illegible] been forced to procure warrants against [illegible] of these respectable and wealthy farmers [illegible] gain the property. Several barrels [illegible] flour were found secreted on their [illegible] At least, we have been credibly informed [illegible] they denied having it. These men [illegible] brought before some of the resident [illegible] of the Peace in the neighborhood [illegible] were fined £5 each, and costs; and [illegible] as these said Justices would allow [illegible] fees, and 3s to one Constable—although [illegible] went had been to a large expense [illegible] guarding the premises, to prevent the [illegible] of the property, until warrants could [illegible] obtained; and afterwards to find men [illegible] the Constable in searching for the property and securing it. This is the model [illegible] of Prince Edward! Breaking into [illegible] of our Mills, and stealing flour, is [illegible] trifle business compared with preying [illegible] some persons whose Agent is here looking [illegible] it! This is a question which [illegible] the resident Magistrates of Athol [illegible] though should strive to find out, but [illegible] guardians of the whole County, [illegible] persons who regards the fair fame [illegible] Prince Edward. The Agent says—his [illegible] to seize the flour by law and [illegible] the loss, has cost him nearly as much [illegible] the flour was worth. But smooth it over [illegible] and mind your own business [illegible] You die over the cleerous place." [illegible] things by wrong names, is getting [illegible] in vogue.

[illegible] owners of this flour are able [illegible] their own, without an expense [illegible] make it of no object, then it is [illegible] Government took the matter in [illegible] law makes it a less offence to take [illegible] flour-barrels upon a shore from [illegible] stealing and secreting flour from [illegible] times it was altered. [illegible] question that word fined, [illegible] have appealed to the Senate [illegible] off; however, should the [illegible] will report it fairly: until [illegible] mentioning names.

[illegible] confidently expected [illegible] Ministry when Parliament [illegible] of the Hincks Section [illegible] are prominently [illegible] Messrs. A. T. Galt and L. [illegible]

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