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Ch'town, Dec. 27th, 1879.

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Parnell and Dillon visit Montreal in February.

Bismarck has re-opened negotiations with the Vatican.

There are a hundred and fifty men lumbering in the Liscom (Guysborough) woods.

The Princess Louise sails for Canada on the 22nd inst. The Marquis meets her at Quebec.

A Cape Town despatch says the Secretary of the Boer Committee has been arrested for high treason.

The Government will offer a reward for the arrest of the murderers of the Mounted Policeman Grayburn.

Rumors are current in Rome that General Ignatieff is to succeed the present Russian Minister at the Italian Court.

Russia is making very extensive increases in her military strength, and is suspiciously massing large forces on her western frontiers, where the fortresses are being armed.

Mr. Bouthilier, a Liberal M. P. P., has resigned his seat in the Political Economy Club, in Montreal, because he discovered that the secret object of it was annexation.

At the Ontario Government's banquet, last night, speeches severely criticizing the operation of the National Policy were made by Hon. George Brown, Hon. Messrs. Blake, Mowatt, Fraser and others.

Of the foreign trade with Serbia it has been ascertained that Great Britain has 20 per cent., Austria-Hungary 40, France, Germany and Switzerland 10 each, the remaining 10 being divided among other countries. Through the construction of a railway from Salonica to Belgrade, via Nisch, England would gain a large part of the trade with Austria, and would divide with her the trade in the Balkan States.

DEAL'S BOOMING.—The *Quebec Chronicle* contains the following:—"It is reported that one of the largest milling establishments in this district has just concluded a sale of the whole or a large portion of its manufacture of pine deals for the coming season to a London firm. The prices have not transpired, but are thought to be in the neighborhood of \$104 for first quality, and two-thirds and one-third for seconds and thirds respectively. There is a brisk enquiry for pine deals in this market, and prices, if not the highest ever touched, are within a fraction of those realized in 1873. Some transactions have also taken place in spruce deals at better figures than for some years back; and altogether the prospects of this trade are very satisfactory.

FRENCH DUTIES ON FISH.—The Parliamentary committee on the new French Tariff Bill have had under examination the proposed duties on foreign fish, and have adopted the subjoined rates: Fresh, sea, or river fish, 2s. 50c. per cwt.; for dried, salted, or smoked fish, the Government had proposed to tax cod 24s. per cwt., and all other fish 5s. The committee include steak fish in the tariff for cod, and create an intermediate rate of duty 10s. per cwt. for sardines and anchovies. Fish bined or otherwise preserved in its natural state, charged 5s. in the Government scheme, is raised by the committee to 12s. 50c.; the rate of 1s. 50c. per thousand fresh oysters is adopted, but that of 5s. per cent. for preserved oysters is raised by the committee to 12s. 50c.; fresh lobsters are to be taxed 2s. 50c. per cwt., preserved 5s.; whale fat, crude 2s. per cwt., pressed 5s., refined 7s. 50c.

The N.P., and a "Ruined" Industry.

(Toronto Mail.)

If there is one question more than another regarding which New Brunswickers denounced the Finance Minister, it is the injury inflicted by the new tariff on the ship-building industry. The Opposition press, from St. John to Sarnia, has been howling about deserted ship yards, starving shipwrights and general desolation in that industry. The *St. John Telegraph*, which led the hunt, tells, however, a very different story. Its own words carry its strongest condemnation:—"During the past year there has been a total increase of 35 vessels of 16,344 tons." St. John at present owns 739 vessels of an aggregate tonnage of 281,178. This is "larger than it has been at any period in its history," is the astonishing conclusion arrived at by the *Telegraph*.

Weather Bulletin.

Probabilities for the next 24 hours for the Maritime Provinces.

TORONTO, Jan 12, 10 a. m.

Winds gradually shifting towards west and northwest; cloudy, warmer weather, with rain areas, followed by cooler weather.

MINIATURE ALMANAC.

TUESDAY, . . . . . JANUARY 12th, 1880

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## The Herald on Mr. Parnell.

The *New York Herald* winds up an article on Mr. Parnell's first meeting with the following eminently sensible remarks, which are quite as applicable to Canada as to the United States:—

"Of course we do not withhold our own opinions on the question at issue. We have no doubt that they are such opinions as the great mass of the American people will endorse. There has been a large experience in this country in raising money for objects connected with Ireland. When famine has overtaken that unfortunate country, American sympathy has needed but little prompting, and cargoes of food have been sent with ungrudging and profuse generosity, citizens of all classes and all creeds vying with one another in lending a helping hand to the good work. There have also been large sums of money raised in this country ostensibly for the benefit of Ireland, of which we will not undertake to trace the expenditure, but which certainly failed to bring the contemplated relief. The funds raised for the Fenians were wholly contributed by citizens of Irish birth. Nobody knows where the money went; but nobody will undertake to show that it did a particle of good to Ireland. It is not surprising that American experience in raising Irish funds has led our people to discriminate between the noble efforts of charity, which bore abundant fruit in feeding the hungry, and the political contributions in which the money given was like water spilled upon the sand. Our people will again give generously in proportion to existing necessity for alleviating the threatening horrors of famine, but they will think twice before sending more money after that which was wasted upon the Fenians. If we are a generous people we are also a practical people, and have little faith in Quixotic attempts made here to revolutionize a foreign country.

"The land system of Ireland is a British, not an American question. It must be ameliorated, if at all, by the action of the British Parliament. It is hardly decent for Americans to organize a crusade for dictating the legislation of a foreign government. The Irish agitation may or may not be proper enough from an Irish point of view, but it is not a fit thing for the American people to enlist in. The independence of nations requires that every people shall be left to manage their own domestic affairs without obtrusive foreign interference. We should certainly resent foreign attempts to control our legislation, and the duty of abstinence is reciprocal.

"There is one way by which we can legitimately aid the ambition of Irish peasants to become land owners. We have abundance of fertile soil awaiting the hands of cultivators—far richer than any in Ireland—which can be bought for a great deal less money. We welcome the suffering Irish to this rich heritage, and will create a fund to defray the expenses of emigration. Those who leave will make better times for those who remain by relieving the Irish labor market of a surplus. This mode of relief for Ireland is both practical and legitimate, and we commend it to the consideration of Mr. Parnell."

## Remarkable Twins.

There is at present in Bombay a living object that might rightly be classed among the most curious phenomena of nature. At a house in Mazagon may be seen a pair of female twins, separate in every respect but from the breast bone to the lower part of the abdomen, which is closely joined. The upper breast bone of each infant is linked into the other, the outer skin covering both trunks. The twins are joined front to front; shoulders, arms, lower limbs and feet perfectly formed, and development healthy, while the heads are well shaped and the faces really pretty, with beautiful eyes large and bright. The twins are six months and twenty days old, are in perfect health, and measure twenty inches in height, one appearing—but in a very trifling degree—larger than the other. Both have vigorous appetites and take kindly to the feeding bottle, are extremely lively, and appeared good tempered. The pulses beat in unison, they generally fall asleep or keep awake together, and their actions are usually simultaneous, though sometimes one would cry while the other was quietly drawing at the mouthpiece of its bottle. The strangely united pair were born in Dapooli, in the Rutnagherry Collectorate, the father being a Mahomedan and a sea-faring man, while the mother has besides a pretty little daughter of about ten. According to the former's account, he called in a native doctor at Rutnagherry, whose opinion was that there was a connection internally between the abdomen, so that of whatever sustenance the one took a portion passed to the other. However that may be, the infants feed separately, each having a bottle to itself, and draw vigorously at their nourishments. The same doctor also declared that it would be impossible to separate them without extinguishing life. The twins have up to this time never been ill, and to all appearance are likely to grow up.—*Times of India*.

## SUPPOSED FATAL STABBING AFFRAY.

Two brothers named McDonald became involved in a drunken quarrel at River Inhabitants, Inverness County, C. B., on New Year's night, when one stabbed the other in the breast. Our informant says he heard the injured man died of his wound.—*Eastern Chronicle*.