

Tu Duc of Tonquin.

A REMARKABLE RULER WHO HAS JUST PISSED AWAY.

From some particulars of Tu Duc, given by the Temps, it appears that he had a large harem, his rule being to choose Mandarin daughters, not for their beauty, but for their political advantages of such alliances. It was thus he consolidated his power and reduced the whole body of Mandarins to a state of subjection, from which it will not easily recover. Pitiless to those whom he had no interest in gaining over, he spared no pains to win those whose support he wanted, and played off rival interests against each other with consummate art. Thus he had family connections with Mandarins strongly opposed to each other. He had no children. He had set aside all his brothers and adopted three nephews, sons of his sisters, but without indicating which he meant to succeed him. The eldest, named Duc Duc, aged 19, he recently struck off the list, because, as is said, he had tried on the royal insignia. The second, Trien, aged 17, he openly preferred, and apparently meant to nominate him his successor, having married him five months to the daughter of the Minister of Finance, the chief personage at the Court, and anti-French in feeling. Trien was partly indebted for this favor to his open animosity to France, and the Temps suggest that if Trien is the real successor, he should not be acknowledged by France. The third nephew, a boy of 15, was little noticed by Tu Duc, who had five brothers many cousins, and brothers-in-law. All these Princes were strictly watched, and were expressly forbidden to communicate with the French Legation, or even to pass in front of it. But they sometimes entered it in disguise, on pretence of needing medical advice, and would complain loudly of Tu Duc's avarice and rigor. They virtually offered themselves to be bought by France. Tu Duc shut him off up in his palace, and from it only to hunt or offer sacrifices, forced those admitted to an audience to kneel at a good distance from a screen, behind which he was seated, and acknowledged no equal or superior but the Emperor of China.

The London, England, Telegraph claims a daily average circulation of 241,000—nearly a quarter of a million copies. This is more than twice as large a population as that claimed by any New York morning journal, and the Telegraph is without doubt the most largely circulated newspaper of its class in the world.

The Great French Remedy, Dr. LeDuc's Periodic Pills.

For the cure of Leucorrhoea or White's Effluvia or painful Menstruation, Green Sickness, Falling of the Womb, Catarrh of the Uterus or Vagina, Hysteria, pain in the Back or Flank, or for the purpose of invigorating and giving tone to the Generative Organs, two pills should be taken twice daily, or in very enfeebled conditions, one pill three times a day. To effect cures in chronic cases it will be necessary to continue the use of the remedy for some months. A reasonable trial will create sufficient confidence in the remedy to insure its being taken until a permanent cure is effected. STARR KIDNEY PAD CO., 31 King Street, West Toronto, All Druggists.

Special Notices.

ROYAL READERS and other school books on sale at the standard bookstore.—S. T. NELMES. a25 2i

A new stock of Boys' Clothing at J. B. MACDONALD'S. [aug 23 3wly]

JOHN HERRING by the dozen at the Family Grocery. R. K. BRACE. [aug 23 3wly]

EXTRA good Canton Flannel for twelve cents a yard at J. B. MACDONALD'S. [aug 23 3wly]

FANCY COTTONS at the London House. aug 9 4w

ALL Wool Grey Flannel, at thirty-cents a yard, at J. B. MACDONALD'S. [aug 23 3wly]

FRESH and Tub Butter, twenty cents, at the Family Grocery. [aug 15]

NEW WINCEYS at J. B. MACDONALD'S. [aug 20]

COME and see these handsome Pacific Shells at the Family Grocery.—R. K. BRACE. [aug 8]

NEW CRETONNES at J. B. MACDONALD'S. [aug 20]

BUY your Brown Sugar for seven and a-half cents at J. B. MACDONALD'S. [aug 23 3wly]

PROMPT relief in sick headache, dizziness, nausea, constipation, pain in the side, etc., guaranteed to those using Carter's Little Liver Pills. One pill a dose. 25 cents. [aug 20 2w eod wly]

NEW BLACK CASHMERE at the London House. aug 9 4w

No more milk dishes required, buy a Champion Creamer from R. K. BRACE. [July 27 if]

NEW GOODS, selling cheap, at J. B. MACDONALD'S. [aug 20]

MONEY saved is money made. Essence of Vinegar makes the most wholesome Vinegar at half the price of ordinary Vinegar. Buy it at the Apothecaries Hall, Dees Bazaar's Corner.

NEW GOODS, now opening, at J. B. MACDONALD'S. [aug 20]

MEN'S FELT HATS very cheap at the London House. aug 9 4w

DEALERS can buy Brown Sugar by the barrel at J. B. MACDONALD'S. [aug 23 3wly]

BUY your Dry Goods from John McPhee & Co. They are giving big bargains in Summer Goods. [aug 15 wly]

A SPLENDID lot of China, Glass, and Earth enware, to be sold cheap at Colwell's. [aug 8 if]

STRIPED DRESS SILKS at 50 cents per yard at the London House. aug 9 4w

If you want satisfaction go to the Charlottetown Boot and Shoe Factory.

NEW HATS, to-day, at L. E. PROWSE'S.

CREAMER PUTTER in prints or rolls taken in exchange for goods at the Family Grocery.

GOLD and silver plating of every description done at BROWN'S. Shop on corner of Prince and Grafton Streets. [July 3 3m, wky]

FIVE HUNDRED Stubbs' Hand-saw file, 3 1/2, 4, 4 1/2 inch, slightly damaged, lost stair rods, dog collars, 3 gross Jews harps, brass clippers, and a general stock of Hardware from wire key bright "Isabella" less than cost. Great Bargain.—W. E. DAWSON & Co., Drink Store.

THESE Eastern Preserve Pots at the Family Grocery are warranted to boil preserve and not break, they are much better and cheaper than a copper or iron pot.—R. K. BRACE. [July 27 if]

COME ONE, come all, and be convinced that now is the time to buy Dry Goods at L. E. PROWSE'S, as he is bound to sell to make room for fall goods. [aug 1, tf]

ONE cash shoemaker and saddlers hump and flax, wet, from wrecked brig. Isabella.—W. E. DAWSON & Co, Brick Store. [aug 3 pat]

GREAT BARGAINS in sheetings, shirtings, tickings, table linens, grey and white cottons, etc., at L. E. PROWSE'S, sign of the Great Hat. [aug 1 tf]

How to save twenty-five dollars.—Carry your old sewing machine to Brown's and have it made as good as new, instead of changing it for a new one. Shop on corner of Prince and Grafton Streets, Ch'town. [July 3 3m]

L. E. PROWSE received, to-day, direct from Boston, three case American hats, in the latest styles.

DRESSERS, Tea Sets, Chamber Sets, in great varieties and cheap, at COLWELL'S. [aug 8 tf]

MRS. A. E. McLEOD, Dressmaker and Milliner, has removed from Mrs. Burris' premises, to the house next to the St. Vincent Nursery, and immediately opposite the entrance to the old Buying Ground, Main-street Road, where she will be most happy to attend punctually to all orders entrusted to her, and at reasonable rates. Parties having anything to do in her line would do well to call.

Now is the time to buy Hats, as L. E. PROWSE will give a special discount of 15 per cent, off his usual low prices, for one month only. [aug 1 if]

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COAL! COAL!

IN STORE, AND WILL BE SOLD CHEAP.

Anthracite Egg and Chestnut Sizes.

(BEST QUALITY.)

PICOU ROUND & NUT,

ALBION SLACK,

(For Blacksmiths' use, good),

Sydney Old Mines

AND

COWRIE MINES ROUND.

CAPT. JOHN RUGHES,

Ch'town, Aug. 10. Water Street. [no we fr pat tu th sa 3m. he pres 3m]

IF YOU CALL YOU WILL FIND

I HAVE ON HAND

Black, White and Colored Perforated Card Boards, Gold and Silver Papers, Blue, Pink, Green and White Tissue Papers, Royal Readers, Franklin Square and other Novels.

S. T. NELMES,

Standard Bookstore,

Ch'town, Aug. 15, 1883.—6m eod

TO CABINET MAKERS.

THE Merchants' Bank of Halifax hereby invites Tenders for the Counter and Screen Work of their new Banking Office, at Summerside. Plans and specifications can be seen at the Charlottetown Agency, where Tenders, addressed to the undersigned, will be received up to one p. m. on Saturday, 1st September, 1883.

D. H. DUNCAN, Cashier.

Ch'town, August 17, 1883.

DR. J. G. BENNETT will be at the Rankin House, Charlottetown, three days only, viz.—Wednesday, 29th, Thursday, 30th, and Friday, 31st.

In consequence of Dr. Bennett's extensive practice, not only in Canada but the United States, he has been unable to visit the Island as frequently as he would have done otherwise. This is gathered from the fact that no less than five hundred and twenty-three patients received treatment at Dr. Bennett's hands in nine days, in Yarmouth County alone. Two hundred and eighty-two of these visited him at the American House, Yarmouth.

DR. BENNETT'S PADS can be had at FRASER & REDDEN'S DRUG STORE. [aug 24]

JOB PRINTING of every description executed with neatness and despatch at the EXAMINER JOB PRINTING ROOMS, cor. Water and Great George Street.

Job lot of Fancy Shirts at 50 cents; Straw Goods at cost; Remnants at half price. Rare Bargains in every Department.

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DIPHTHERIA, CROUP, ASTHMA, BRONCHITIS.

JOHNSON'S ANODYNE LINIMENT (For Internal and External Use). ACUTE Chronic Rheumatism, Neuralgia, Chronic Diarrhoea, Chronic Dysentery, Cholera Morbus, Kidney Troubles, Diseases of the Spine and Lane Back. Sold everywhere. Send for pamphlet to L. S. JOHNSON & CO., BOSTON, MASS.

MAKE HENS LAY

An English Veterinary Surgeon and Chemist, now traveling in this country, says that most of the horse and cattle feeders sold here are worthless trash. He says that Sheridan's Condition Powders are absolutely pure and immensely valuable. Nothing on earth will make hens lay like Sheridan's Condition Powders. Dose, 1 teaspoonful to 1 pint food. Sold everywhere, or sent by mail for 4 letter-stamps. L. S. JOHNSON & CO., BOSTON, MASS.

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