The Czar, according to one account, is confined to his room by an accident—the sprain of his ankle, according to another. his reason is affected, and he is constantly on his knees praying for victory. Which of these statements is the correct one, we have no means of knowing; but there may possibly be a dash of truth in both; or, the seclusion arising out of the accident may have led to the belief, in the insanity. That the malady is hereditary in the family is undeniable, and nothing, certainly, is so likely to produce it as the sad reverses which his arms have recently undergone, and the utter destruction of those hopes which have formed the traditionary aspirations of his house.

RUMOURED EVACUATION OF THE CRIMEA.

There is reason to believe that the Russian garrison of the north forts of Sebastopol is making arrangements to abandon them. What is more important, we understand that advices have just been received from Vienna and Berlin, which state that, at both those capitals, it was expected and the expectation was derived from Russian sources, that the forces of the Czar were about *to evacuate the whole of the Crimea.* We look shorly for stirring news thence. The Russians will not be allowed to leave scathless, but the amount of damage we can do them must, of course, be decided by the fortune of war. General D'Allonville and Spencer have now a large army menacing the rear of the Russians; and the latest intelligence states that more troops have gone to swell their numbers. Our positions at Kinburn and Otchakoff are very threatening; and, in short, the crisis is approaching which will determine not only whether the Russiana can hold the Crimea but whether they can save the armies which at present occupy it.

CRIMEA, Oct. 16.—General Bosquet's corps occupies the passage of Dianna, near the allies, and is not molested by the enemy. Marshal Pelissier's quarters are at Skelia. The enemy continue to augment the defences of North Sebastopol.

The latest intelligence from the Crimea, received *via* Germany, is to the 14th. On that day the 2nd French Corps, commanded by General Bosquet, occupied the passage of Diamu, near Alsa, and the excellent positions of Tchotliou and Choumliou, the route leading to Aitodor and the passage of Mangupkale, the heights of which, as well as those of Kerman, are occupied by the Russians, to the number of 24,000. The French were engaged in fortifying the roads which lead from the valley of the Tchorliou to a distance of fourteen leagues, withour meeting with the slightest resistance. It was only when the French began to retire to the heights of Baidar, on the 14th, that a Russian corps appeared disposed to attack them. Marshal Pelissier, who still had his head-quarters at Skelia, on the 13th.

ADMIRALTY, Oct. 23.—The following telegraphic despatch has this day been received at this office from Rear-Admiral Sir E. Lyons:—

"Off the Mouth of the Dnieper, Oct. 18.

"This morning the enemy blew up his fortification on Otchakoff Point, mounting 23 guns, which were assailable by our mortar vessels."

The defences of Otchakoff were comparatively insignificant, and it was not contemplated that it could offer any protracted resistance. The Allies are now, therefore, in possession of the estuary of the Dnieper and Bug. The possession of the two fortresses of Kinburn and Otchakoff, the *Assemble Nationale* informs us opens the passage of the Dnieper to the allied fleets, and consequently, the approaches to Nicolaieff and Kherson. Moreover, should the channel be too shallow for our gun-boats, the occupation of Otchakoff would enable a land force to be sent against Nicolaieff. That town, according to the *Assemble*, "forms the apex of a triangle, having the mouth of the Dnieper for its basis, and Otchakoff and Kherson for its extremities."

OPENING OF THE BATTERIES AGAINST FORTS CATHARINE AND CONSTANTINE.

The advices brought by the Indus state, that the mortar batteries opened their fire on the 13th against Forts Catherine and Constantine. The belief gains ground at Sebastopol, that the Russians are preparing to evacuate the north side. The Allies are advancing from their positions in the Baidar valley and the heights, and the Russians are retreating. General d' Autemarre's division is firmly established on the heights of Balbek. General Failly's division and the English cavalry sent to Eupatoria have landed safely and joined General d' Allonville. Troops have been embarked for Trebizond from Constantinople.

HASZARD'S GAZETTE.

Saturday, November 10, 1855.

In vol. 2 of Chambers's Journal, for 1855, there is an article headed "Curiosities in Cookery," and an excellent one it is. You are there informed that ox-liver may be prepared at the most trifling cost, and yet the result be a dish fit for—no, not a prince, but—a hungry man. Yet it is not ox-liver that we are about to treat, that may be purchased in the market and the reader has only to purchase in addition to the liver, the second volume of Chambers's Journal, in order to learn how to cook it and we honestly advise him or her so to do.

What we lament is, that though we have oxen and swine in abundance, we are yet, strange to tell, without either tripe, cow-heel, or black pudding. Mrs. Winifred Jenkins, in "Humphry Clinker, was told, that she would get nothing to eat when she went to Scotland, but sheeps'-heads and trotters: "I mought have known," she writes afterwards, "that where there was heads, there must have been, in course, karcasses." So we say, where there is good, fat beef, there ought to be good, fat tripe. Chambers has another paper which we have not seen, it is entitled "Neglected Treasures," and is referred to in the one mentioned above. Now that meat with every other article of food is rising in price and is likely to become dearer rather than the reverse, it becomes us all to make the most of what has been provided for us, and we do say, that it is tempting Providence as the saying is, to have good, nay, luxurious food thrown into hogstyes or given to dogs. Tripe in every other country is not only a thing of daily domestic consumption, but salted; as much an article of commerce as salted pork, beef, or fish. There are those who may turn up their noses at cow-heels "and yet cow-heels with some of Lady Mary's sauce to it—as Beau Tibbs says—is not bad eating."

Look into Mrs. Glasse—the book is out of print, but may be still met with in well regulated families, who have a due regard for good cookery—Mrs. Rundell, Mrs. Dalgairns, the immortal Ude, the glorious, world-renowned Soyer, periling that precious life in the Crimea; turn to the index, and look for ox-tail soup—food for kings. Ask in Charlottetown market for a few pounds of ox-tails, and what will be the answer? "Go to the tanners, and if they have not given them to the dogs, you may get them for the skinning." There is as much good food thrown away every week in Charlottetown as would feed all its poor. We would suggest to those charitable Ladies, who make the attention of the wants of their poorer brethren their study, to set some of them to work upon converting these *raw* materials—the first cost of which is little or nothing—into wholesome edible manufactures. It is vain to boast of departmental and municipal governments, while we are without a gastronomic establishment. Contemplate the long train of evils that followed the want of a Commissariat in the Council. Let the head of the government and that of the City, look to it and take proper precaution, so that in future the reproach that our markets are wanting in three such essential articles of culinary necessity as tripe, cow-heel, and black-pudding—we leave the ox-tails to the rich who will always take care of themselves—may no longer exist. Should the government object to erecting a gastronomical department, we recommend that it be made an adjunct to that of Keeper of Plans, the head of which is we believe fully competent to the office; while in the city, we think the subject might be safely recommended to the attention of the Recorder, who it is said is somewhat vain of his knowledge and experience in this line, and who contemplated at one time, as we know, recommending that the Inspector of schools should deliver a lecture on "Culinary Chemistry," for the edification of the female pupils in town and country, as a *pendant* to those on Agricultural chemistry, which have been of so much advantage to the rising generation in the schools devoted to the male population.

THE NEWS by the British Mail yesterday afternoon is highly interesting. The Allies were not in possession of Perekop as we previously reported, but it will be seen that they have large forces on the march thither. The fall of Kinburn and the destruction of Otchakoff are events of importance, and bode well for the future progress of the allied armies. Little or nothing has occured at Sebastopol. We have copied as much of the news into this day's issue as our time will admit.

Sir William Molesworth, Secretary for the Colonies, is dead, Lord Shaftesbury and Lord John Russel spoken of as his successors.

His Excellency the Lieut. Governor has issued a proclamation, appointing THURSDAY the SIXTH DECEMBER, as a general thanksgiving for "the inestimable blessing of an abundant harvest."

The Rev. William Murray will preach in the Temperance Hall on Sabbath first, the 11th Nov. at eleven o'clock forenoon, and at three in the afternoon.

Birth,

At Malta, on the 13th October, the wife of Captain Edward Harvest, H. M. 97th Regiment, of a Son.

At St. John's N. F., on the 7th ultimo, Mrs. Francis Nichol, of a son.

Married,

At Portland, Maine, on the 26th inst., by the Rev. Mr. Baeley, Mr. Douglas Davison, of Stratford, C. W., to Miss Eliza Gardiner, of Charlottetown, P. E. Island

On Thursday last, by the Rev. D. Fitzgerald, Mr. John Bell, to Rosabella, fourth daughter of Mr. Nicholas Harvie, all of this City.

On Thursday, 1st Nov. inst., by the Rev. Mr. Jenkins, D. C. L., Mr. Montague M'Kie, to Miss Eliza Achorn, all of Elliot River.

At St. Columbia Chapel, by the very Rev. Donald McDonald, P. P., Mr Lauchlin M'Donald, of St. Peter's Lake, to Maria Margaret, only daughter of Capt. M'Donald, of Tulloch.

At St. Andrew's Chapel, on the 5th August last, by the Rev. Mr. M'Phee, P. P., Mr. Angus MacDonald, of Tullach, to Miss Tabilla M'Donald, of St Peter's Lake.

Died,

At Lot 49, on the 16th ultimo, Margaret, relict of the late Mr. G. Jenkins, aged 67 years, much regretted by her numerous friends and acquaintances.

Passengers,

In the Lady Le Marchant, from Pictou, on the 7th inst.—Hon. W. W. Lord, Messrs. J. Crabb, Revs. A. Sutherland, Wm. Murray, Miss Bethune—4 in the steerage,—Light S. E. wind, strong head current—5¼ hours passage.

Launched.

On the 29th October, from the Shipyard of Mr. Ewen Clark, Fifteen Point, a very superior Juniper built Brigt. of 203 Tons, called the *Mercury*, built for Mr. Duncan M'Rae, of Rustico. This vessel is intended to class 8 years A. 1. at Lloyds.

Port of Charlottetown.

ARRIVED.

Nov. 6, Brigt. Napoleon, Arichat; bal. Conservative, Furneaux; lumber. Swift, Bay Chaleur; lumber. Lively Lass, Pictou; coal. Victoria, Sidney; coal. Isadalia, St. John's, Newfld.; fish. Lady LeMarchant, Pictou; mails, &c.

SAILED.

Nov. 6, Express, Collings, St. John's, Newfoundland; produce

8th, Barque Sir Alexander, Pictou; bal.

9th, Amandale, Bearisto, St. John, N. B.; produce. Ellen, Campion, St. John, Newfld; produce. Ship Henry Ware, Liverpool; timber and deal, by Welsh & Co. Brig Vesta, Clow, Georgetown. Lady LeMarchant, Shediac; mails, &c.

Charlottetown Markets, Oct. 31.

Beef, (small) lb.	3½ d a 6d	Turkeys each,	3s a 5s.
Do. by quarter,	3d a 5d	Geese,	1s 9d a 2s 6d
Pork,	4d a 5½d	Ducks,	1s 3d a 1s 6d
Do. (small),	6d a 8d	Fowls,	8d a 1s
Mutton,	3d a 6d	Partridges,	7d a 9d
Lamb, per lb.	3d a 6d	Eggs dozen,	9d a 10d
Butter (fresh),	16d a 18d	Oats, bush.	2s 3d a 2s 6d
do. by tub	1s 2d a 18d	Barley,	4s a 5s
Tallow,	1s a 1s 2d	Potatoes,	1s 6d a 2s
Wool,	11d a 1s	Turnips,	10d a 1s
Flour,	3¼d a 4d	Homespun yd.,	3s 6d a 5s
Pearl Barley,	3d	Hay, ton,	60s a 70s
Oatmeal,	2¼d a 2¾d	Straw, cwt.,	1s 6d a 1s 9d

NEW STORE!

DAWSON'S BUILDING,

Corner of Great George and Kent Streets.

NOW OPENING at the above Establishment a general assortment of

Dry Goods, Hardware and Groceries, &c., &c.

to which the Subscriber respectfully invites the attention of his friends and the public generally.

ROBERT A. STRONG.

P. S. The remainder of his Fall Stock expected hourly.

Nov 10, 1855. 3i

THE WAR! THE WAR!!

A LECTURE will be delivered on THE WAR, in the Temperance Hall, on FRIDAY night, the 16th inst., by the *Rev. John Brewster*, Tickets 9d each. The proceeds will be given to the Ladies' Committee of the Bazaar, for the relief of the poor, under the patronage of Mrs. Daly.

☞ Doors open at 7, and Lecture to commence ½ past 7.

November 9.

Prince Edward Division.

A FULL attendance of the members of Prince Edward Division, No. 1, Sons of Temperance, is requested next WEDNESDAY EVENING, at 8 o'clock, on special business.

By order,

JOHN LOCKERBY, R. S.

Ch. Town, Nov. 9, 1855.

AUCTION.

SALE OF LAND,

Stock, Crop, &c.

TO BE SOLD by PUBLIC AUCTION, on WEDNESDAY, the 21st day of *November* inst., at the hour of TEN o'clock, at the Subscriber's premises, BALTIC, Lot 18, (near Princetown Royalty:—

About 70 acres valuable FREEHOLD LAND; a GRIST MILL & KILN thereon,

ALSO—the following STOCK, CROP, FARMING UTENSILS, &c., &c., viz:—4 superior Horses, 20 head Cattle, 12 Pigs, (6 fattened,) some hundreds bushels OATS, tons of HAY and STRAW; 1 set Fanners, 1 Iron Plough, 1 Wooden Plough, 1 set Iron Harrows, 1 set Wooden Harrows, 2 Horse Rakes; 2 Carts, 1 Dray, 1 Wagon and Harness, 1 Gig and Harness, (new,) 3 Wood Sleighs, 1 Bob Sleigh, 1 Roller, 1 Wheelbarrow, 1 Turnip Sowing Machine, 1 Cooking Stove, 1 Air-tight Parlor Stove, superior Chest of Drawers and Tables, (new,) 1 Sofa, 1 Arm Chair, (new,) a lot of other Chairs, 1 eight-day Clock, Looking Glass, Weaving Loom; Cheese Press, and various other articles.

TERMS.—All sums over £2, (Land excepted,) Credit until October, 1856, on approved Notes of Hand

☞ As the Subscriber intends going to Scotland, Bargains may be expected.

JAMES HENDERSON.

Baltic, Nov. 8th, 1855.

CHARTS, &c.

BELLE ISLE to Boston, including Gulf and River St Lawrence, with a large book of sailing directions, 24s.

Causo to Philadelphia, including Bay of Fundy with do. 25s.

Gulf of St. Lawrance and Newfoundland, 20s.

Nova Scotia and Bay Fundy, 12s 6d.

Northumberland Straits, two parts, 3s 6d each.

Atlantic General Charts.

English Channel, a full chart of the South of Ireland, St. George's Channel, the English Channel, and of the North Sea to Yarmouth and Amsterdam, 21s

South of Ireland and St. George's Channel, 12s 6d.

St. George and English, with sailing directions, 25s.

St. George and British Channel, 22s 6d.

Parallel Rules, 3s a 3s 9.

Mathematical Instruments. For sale by

HASZARD & OWEN.

FALL GOODS.

1855.

JAMES DESBRISAY has received by the *Majestic*, from Liverpool, and *Sir Alexander*, from London, his usual supplies of

Autumn and Winter Goods.

which are offered to the public at the lowest possible prices FOR CASH. A large lot of

Ready Made Clothing.

among which are some very superior Coats. Also on hand a few very good India Rubber Coats, Seamen's Caps, &c.,

Nov. 1, 1855.

COMMISSION MERCHANT and General Agent.

THE undersigned having good Shop, Cellerage and Warehouse room, offers his services as General Agent and Commission Merchant, would attend to the purchase and shipment of Produce, &c.

REFERENCES.—Honbls. JAMES PEAKE,
" W. W. LORD,
" D. BRENAN,
" CHAS. YOUNG,
W. B. DEAN, Esq., Am. Con. Agent.

GEORGE MOORE.

Stratford Hotel, opposite Charlottetown,
3d Nov. 1855. Isl. Ex. Ad. 2mo.

JAMES R. WATT,

Offers for sale a good assortment of

Cooking, Parlour, and other

STOVES.

Prices much lower than usual.

Oct. 10.

Fall Consignments.

Tea, Candles, Soap & Dry Goods.

THE SUBSCRIBER has just received, on Consignment, per *Ann Reddin* and *Sir Alexander*, from London and Liverpool

An Extensive Assortment of Goods, in part, viz:

134 Chests and half chests of superior TEA.
30 Boxes Sperm CANDLES,
30 do Mould do.
50 do very good SOAP,
20 Bales and Cases MERCHANDISE, consisting of
Blue and fancy Prints, Orleans, Coburgs, &c.
Grey and white Cottons, ready made CLOTHING,
Cloths, Doeskins, &c.

—*Also on Hand*—

A large Lot of Cooking, Franklin and Air Tight STOVES, Casks of Metallic Paints, Sofas, Bureaus, cane-seated and common Chairs, &c. &c.

Oct. 26. JAMES MORRIS.