

year have proved that both nations and sovereigns desire that sentiments of reciprocal esteem and of future solidarity should prevail in their mutual relations at home, France has inaugurated a new era of progress and conciliation, and abroad she has met with the sympathies of all the Powers in her task of peace and civilization.

In to-day's sitting of the Senate, M. De Maupas laid on the table an interpellation relative to the home policy of the Government, and the discussion thereon has been fixed for Friday next.

The *Patrie* says that there is no foundation for the statement that the new Cabinet intends to make a reduction in the army, and it points out that up to the present no Power has entered on a course of disarmament.

This evening's newspapers confirm the announcement that Baron Haussman has tendered his resignation, and they add that at the Cabinet Council held this morning the Ministers demanded, and the Emperor, faithful to his duties as a Constitutional Sovereign, agreed to the appointment of M Chevreux, the Prefect of the Rhone, as Baron Haussmann's successor.

THE NEW FRENCH MINISTRY.

BERLIN, JAN. 5 (Eve.)—The semi-official *Provinzial Correspondence* of this evening publishes the following with reference to the change of Ministry in France:—

"The circumstances under which the change has taken place as well as the names of the statesmen who have been called to form the new Cabinet, afford a fresh guarantee for the maintenance of those peaceful and friendly relations which, on the strength of the sentiments of the Emperor Napoleon, already subsist between France and the North German Confederation."

SPAIN.

Paris, January 5th.

The *Gaulois* publishes a telegram from Madrid, dated the 3rd instant, according to which the question it said to have been raised of investing the Regent with sovereign powers. This solution, however, meets with considerable opposition from the majority of the Cortes, and the partisans of the Duke de Montpensier are also very active in resisting it.

LONDON CORN MARKET.

Market opens with light arrivals of all kinds of grain, but purchases are made sparingly, and for wheat prices tend against sellers, Oats unaltered. Rather more inquiry for maize.

Usborne's Report.

Small attendance. Market quiet at Monday's prices for all articles. Floating cargoes nominally unaltered.

GLASGOW CORN MARKET.

Bald's Report.

Weather mild. Dull market. Prices of all articles in favour of buyers, but transactions were so few and unimportant that last week's prices were unaltered. Flour—Millers reduced flour 6d per sack.

LONDON PRODUCE MARKET.

Sugar—Supply light, and former rates current, business however small; prices fall up for r-fined, but purchases cautiously made. Coffee—Currency stiff for plantation Ceylon, with several purchases.—Tea—Fair business; sound common congou, 1s 0 1/2 to 1s 0 3/4. Rice—Sales small, but prices not lower. Tallow in fair request, and rather higher.

LIVERPOOL COTTON MARKET.

Market opens rather firm. Sales will probably amount to about 12,000 bales. Market closes steady Sales 12,000 bales; spec and export 2,000 bales.

CORK CORN MARKET.

White wheat, 9s 3d to 9s 6d; red, 8s 0d to 9s 0d; barley, 7s 3d to 8s 0d; black oats, 5s 8d to 7s 2d; white oats, 7s 6d to 8s 7d; tawny oats 6s 0d to 7s 2d.

CORK BUTTER MARKET.

ORDINARY.		MILD CURED	
First quality, ...	135s ... 132s	142s ... 139s	
Second quality, ...	122s ... 119s	135s ... 132s	
Third quality, ...	104s ... 101s	116s ... 113	
Fourth quality, ...	97s ... 94s	— ... —	
Fifth quality, ...	—s ... —s	— ... —	
Sixth quality, ...	—s ... —s	— ... —	

Ordinary. 1sts, 2nds, 3rds, 4ths, 5ths, 6ths.
Jan. 5 — 6 70 262 110 1 0 — 443 firkins.
Mild cured—0 0 2 9 0 0 — 11 do.
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Jan 4

At Orange River the diamond discoveries were increasing, three hundred diamonds being found on one farm.

A sharp shock of earthquake was felt at Little Mamazaland on November 23rd. No damage was done.

BIRTHS.

At Middleton, county Cork, the wife of Nicholas B. Walsh, Esq., merchant, of a daughter.

At Youghal, county Cork, the wife of T. L. B. Edgcome, Esq., of a son.

At Sandymount, county Dublin, the wife of the Rev. B. C. Davidson, St. John's, Sandymount, of a son.

At Upper Temple-street, Dublin, the wife of the Rev. T. T. Gray, of a daughter.

At Eccles-street, Dublin, the wife of Capt. R. Lewis, 71st Highlanders, of a son.

At Dingle, county Kerry, the wife of Constable Peter O'Halloran, of a son.

The wife of Sydney T. Pemberton, Esq., of Queenville House, Bloomfield-avenue, and Capel-street, Dublin, of a daughter.

At Glenfarne Hall, the wife of A. Loftis Tottenham, Esq., of a son.

At Beaufort-gardens, London, S.W., Viscountess Harberton of a son.

At Leigh Cottage, Enford, Wilts, the wife of the Rev. Geo. C. P. Beauchamp, of a daughter.

At Rushbury Rectory, Shropshire, the wife of the Rev. Frederick H. Botham, of a daughter.

At Appleby Castle, the wife of Major Dyer, Royal Artillery, of twin sons.

At Ledbury-road, Bayswater, London, the wife of Major Godfrey Twiss, Royal Artillery, of a son.

At Reading, the wife of Lieut B. Goldsmith, R.N., H.M.'s troopship Serapis, of a son.

MARRIAGES.

At St. James's, Piccadilly, London, Alexander Vans Best, Esq., M.D., F.R.C.S. late Surgeon Bengal Army, to Louisa Cecilia, widow of the late Lieut.-Colonel Matheson, Bengal Staff Corps.

At All Saints' Church, Cheltenham the Rev. Basil B. Babington, Chaplain to the Bishop of Barbados son of Gen. Babington, to Ella Lurgard, daughter of the late E. F. Radcliffe, Esq., B.C.S.

At St. James's Church, Dover, Wm. Southby Middleton (late Captain 67th Regt.), son of the late Rev. S. Middleton, of Cheltenham, to Emma, only surviving child of the late George Holford, Esq., of Cheshire.

At St. Catherine's Church, Heidelberg, the Rev. Rupert H. Morris, M.A., Principal of the Training College for South Wales and Monmouthshire, to Fanny Ada, daughter of Lieut.-General Goold.

At Christ Church, Lucknow, India, Dudley Raymond, of H.M.'s 14th Foot, to Edith Malet, eldest daughter of the Rev. FitzHenry W. Ellis, Civil Chaplain, Lucknow.

DEATHS.

Yesterday morning, at his residence, Patrick-street, to the deep regret of his family and a large circle of friends, Mr. Richard Raleigh T.C., tobacco manufacturer.

On the 3rd inst., at Rose Cottage, the residence of his step-father John F. Walker, Esq., John W. Bourke, eldest and only surviving son of the late Daniel Bourke, Esq., of this city.

On Sunday, the 2nd inst., in Upper Cecil-street, William, the beloved son of the late Captain William Morgan, aged seven years.

At the residence of her husband, John O'Halloran, Esq., M.D., in the county of Kerry, Mrs. O'Halloran, sister of Joseph Enright, Esq., M.D., and John Enright, Esq., J.P.—The deceased lady was a native of the county of Clare, and was interred at Drumcliff, near Ennis, on Tuesday. Her amiable qualities caused her to be universally esteemed and respected.

At Milltown Cottage, Kilmallock, James Charles O'Connell, Esq.

At Rock Mill Lodge, county Cork, Mary, third daughter of the late Charles D. Ollivers, Esq.

At her residence, in Wicklow, Mary, widow of the late Thomas Pennefather, Esq., of Maryville, Cashel.

At his residence, Oldtown Cottage, county Carlow, Thomas Brown, Esq.

At Castlegarrow, Carrick-on-Shannon, Charles R. Peyton, Esq.

At Tramore, county Waterford, Henry Denny, Esq.

At Dilesbrook, county Roscommon, Michael D. O'Connor, Esq.

At Lennox-street, Portobello, Dublin, John Theobald Purcell, eldest son of the late John Theobald Purcell, Esq., Solicitor, of Dublin.

At Francis-street, Dublin, Mr. John Bracken, late of Newtown, Ballyglass, county Wicklow.

At Great Britain-street, Dublin, Mr. John Duff.

At The Manor House, Kiltrea, county Derry, Eliza, wife of R. H. Dolling, Esq., D.L.

At Shroton Rectory, Dorsetshire, Gertrude, fourth daughter of the Rev. F. W. Mansell.

At Kneller Cottage, Whitton, near Hounslow, Middlesex, Colonel Hamilton Edmonds.

At Seymour-street, Portman-square, London, Admiral Sir Thomas Hastings, K.C.B.

At Westbourne-terrace, London, Major Julius Greenwood, late of the 9th Lancers.

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Jan 6.

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acknowledge the same fact we may reasonably
conclude that the governing principles are sound
and genuine. This argument applied to an article
which has been before the public for very many years
—viz, "Oldridge's Balm of Gilead," a preparation
which the vendors guarantee to obtain the requisite
for cultivating and preserving the hair, while at the
same time the component parts are perfectly harmless
to the most delicate tissues. The possession of a fine
head of hair has engrossed the attention of men and
women of all ages from the time of the cavalier
and the fashionable wig of the beaux of a late
date, down to the present time, the
hair has always been a paramount consideration
"Euse quam vitam" is the motto taken by the
Messrs. Oldridge, and judging from the large
increasing sale, the result would justify the supposition
that the Balm of Columbia is really a restorative
and preservative for the hair. — *Morning Post*, Decem-
ber 20, 1869. Messrs. Oldridge's preparation is sold
by all Dispensers and Chemists, at 3s 6d, 6s and 11
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