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FOREIGN.

London .- To-day was the second Epsom summer meeting. A great feature was the renewal of the Derby stakes of fifty sovereigns each horse; the second horse receives 300 sovereigns, the third 150 out of the stakes. There are 254 subscribers. There was a tremendous throng on the ground. The Prince of Wales and other notables were present. The weather was fine and unusually warm. The Derby was won by Pretender, 'recently the winner of 2,000 guineas at Newmarket, who beat Podro Gomez by a short head, Drummond being third and a length behind Gomez. Twentytwo horses ran. The distance run was a mile and a half; the weight carried was 122 pounds. Time, two minutes and 52 seconds. The value of the stakes was £6,900. There were probably a quarter of a million of persons on the grounds. The Epsom town plate was won by Conrad; the Bentick plate was won by Mystom.

Liverpool, midnight.-The Chamber of Commerce held a meeting, to-night, and voted an address of welcome to Motley, the new American Minister. Patterson, in a speech, supported the vote, and regretted the failure of the law officers to prevent the escape of the Alabama. He said the precedent was a bad one, and the maritime interest of England was sure to suffer from it. If moderate compensation could cancel this precedent, he would rejoice if it were granted by England. He was assured that the present ministry would meet the claims of the United States without compromising the national honor. Madrid.-The Cortes is now debating those clauses of the constitution which refer to the colonies. Senor Castellar, in alluding to Cuba, said, if Spain had followed the example of England in her treatment of Canada, by granting the liberties which the Colonies claim for themselves, the outbreak in Cuba would have been prevented. Marshal Serrano replied that Captain General Dulce granted the required liberties when he entered upon the government of Cuba, but party spirit blinded some of the inhabitants to the intentions of the home government, by demonstra-

dial assurances, and hoped the friendly relations between the two countries would long he maintained.

Havana, 25, via. Key West, 27.-Captain General Ducle is dangerously ill of cancer; he is hardly expected to live.

A riot occurred at Fort Cabanas, on Saturday night, on the occasion of the departure, for Spain, of prisoners captured on the Galvanic. The volunteers tried to stop their embarkation. In the melee which followed cries of "death to Dulce" were heard. Further outrages were prevented by the supplications of the Governor of the fortress, and the prisoners were allowed to proceed. A Spanish steamer in the Bay of Nipe, fired, by mistake, into some Spanish troops on the shore; it was reported that forty-seven were killed. The Spaniards were greatly excited by the frequent reports of the landing of fillibusters.

New York, 28.-The Herald's London special letter says that the Messrs. Laird claim that the building of the Alabama was done in the way of business, and free of concealment. It was known to the government and the public, and with the knowledge of the American Minister, that the vessel was meant for war purposes and intended for the use of the Confederate government, and it was notorious that no haste or secrecy was observed in operations; nor had there been anything illegal in the building or fitting out of the ship. Ample time and opportunity existed for the government to seize her. When the officers of the custom house were informed, on the 21st of July, that she was ready for sea, they might, at any hour they pleased, have detained her, but no attempt was made to detain her, tho' Passmore and others made affidavits that men were enlisted to serve on her. They take the ground that the contract entered into to build the ship was not at variance with the laws of England, the opinion of the English people or the practice of foreign nations. They quote the written opinions of Mellish, Q. C., Mr. Rempler and Sir Hugh Cairns of Feb. '63, which, they allege, support their position, and go to show that the Alabama left Birkenhead unarmed, and went to the Azores, to which men and arms had been sent from other ports. The Standard says of Laird's letter that it is a clear charge of negligence against the government, but whatever England's offense may have been, it has been outdone a hundred fold by wilful and wanton offenses of the United States against England, and the settlement will leave a heavy balance against the United States. England's obligations were broken to the North as well as the South, and the Americans were equally guilty of a breach of international obligations in the case of the Caroline and in the case of the Fenian drillings and organization.

The Star thinks Laird's letter aggravates the action of the British government. The Alabama, it was known, was destined to prey on American commerce. Further obligations are raised by the fact that the Alabama was built and pierced for guns and to accommodate a war crew. The facts reported by the British custom house officers are also that she was really intended for war purposes. This knowledge obviously devolved upon the government the duty of making the foreign enlistment act go as far as possible. There is good reason to suspect that the act would have gone far enough if a hearty effort had been made to stretch its provisions honestly and extend its purport to the case. Ottawa.-Resolutions are to be proposed on Friday relative to the acquisition of the Hudson's Bay Territory, and to ask the Queen to unite Prince Rupert's land and the Northwestern Territory with the Dominion of Canada on the terms prayed for in the joint address of both branches of the late Parliament. The Canadian Government is to make provision for the protection of the Indian tribes. Halifax.-In the House Assembly, yesterday, a preamble was introduced by Murray, of Picton, which speaks of a forcible change in the Constitution of Nova Scotia without the consent of the people, and in opposition to their wishes. It says even an inquiry into their grievances had been refused them and they now occupy the position of a degraded people, and that their union with the Dominion has resulted in financial disaster and oppression, and

The services of Messrs. H. S. Beatie, John pacity in baking, boiling, broiling and roasting; Paris.-Hon. E. B. Washburne was Clarg, James Phillips, and other well-known for simplicity in management; for cleanliness received by the Emperor to-day; he that their principal commercial trade Salesmen are secured, which is a guarantee of in cooking; for beauty of design; for smoothsetistaction to the Patrons of the Institution. has been and always will be naturally made a brief address, in which he asess of castings, and elegance of finish, and as with the United States, therefore, besured the Emperor of the friendship, PERFECT COOKING STOVES lieving the imperial Parliament has entertained by the people and Govern-In every respect. H. B. CLAWSON, been imposed on by false representament of the United States toward him-Sold Wholesale and Retail by the tions, and that the free people of the self and the French nation. GENERAL SUPERINTENDENT. Manufacturing Company Excelsior British Isles will not persist in keeping Salt!Lake City, March 10, 1869. Napoleon, in reply, expressed the utmost satisfaction at Washburne's cor- this, heretofore loyal colony, in half w26m w6 tf ST. LOUIS, MO.

Greenville; it has been ascertained that the political animosity growing out of the conduct of Col. Greenville at the siege of Rome, in '49, was the cause of the assault.

London.-The Alabama claims still form the great theme of conversation and newspaper comment. The Times, to-day, has an article on the communications of Sir Francis Head, which have recently been published here, respecting the case of the ship Caroline, and the course of the United States toward Canada during the patriot war. The Times says that Senator Sumner's assertions, that English hostility to America is met by testimony of American officials, to the effect that abuses much more flagrant occurred within the frontier of the United States, for popular feeling in the State of New York was admitted to have more than countenanced the Fenian expeditions to Canada. The American press expose Sumner's inconsistency by historical tests, and point out his perversion of facts. Messrs. Laird, of Birkenhead, who built the Alabama, recently published a letter giving legal opinions and extracts from documents and speeches to prove that the building of the Alabama was not illegal. This letter has been extensively copied and commented on by the papers.

London. - In the House of Commons, this evening, Otway, Under Secretary for Foreign Affairs, in reply to a question, stated that the papers in the case of the Alabama claims would shortly be laid upon the table.