

O P MORGEN OCHTEND, den 30 dezer
Geldrop de Vendutie van den Heer J. Blom
verkocht worden, het Restaurant Koken, per de
Mary & Jane, bestaande in 50 Zoutenelsch.
en 35 Konyne, om rekeningen te sluiten.

PUBLIEKE VERKOOPING.

O P Donderdag en Vrydag, den 11 en 12
der aantstaande maand November, van
de Nalatenschap des Boedels van wyls den
Heer P. E. HAUMAN, en voor-overledene
Huisvrouw MAGDALENA MOLLER, op de
Plaats van de Overledenen, in de Franseche-
hoek.

Een Eigendomsplaats genaamd *Laborie*,
gelegen als boven, groot 58 morgen en
200 kwaadraad roeden, met twee stukken
Erfpacht-landerven annex dezelve, beplant
met circa 70,000 Wyngaardstokken en di-
verse vruchtbomen, voor ien niet genoeg-
zaam lopend Water h't gehelde jaar door.

Een kostelyk Zomersche Veeflakte, be-
buwd en beplant met 6,000 Wynstokken
en diverse vruchtbomen, genaamd de
Waterhal, gelegen naer Rivier zonder einde,
in dit District, genaamde plaats in voorzien van
overvloedig water, zeer geschikt voor den
koophandel en tot een Logement leverende
aan den weg van de Fransehoeckloof.

Eene onbebouwde gezonde Wintersche
Veelplaats, genaamd de *Zandrievier*, geleg in
het Boschesveld, over de Doornrisser,
in het District Worcester.

Voorts, 80 Le gera aan Vatwerk, be-
staande in Stukvaten, Kuipen, Leggers en
Balies, een Brandewynsketel met dezelfs
toebehooren, Emmers, Tregters en verdere
Klaergeredeschap; omtrent 70 Leggers
Wyn; Wagen, Karren, Trek- en Ry-
pijarden, Trek-ossen en Aanteel-beesten,
Ploegen, Eggen, een complete Smitswinkel,
en verdere Bouwgeredeschappen; mitga-
ders Meubelare Goederen, een extra Holl-
andsche staande Klok, Zilver-, Pletty-
Yzer, Koper, Tin, Porselein, Glas en
Aardewaren, en hetgeen verder ten dage
der Verkooping zal worden aangeboden.

De Slaven zullen op den 10 derzelfde
maand, des namiddags, ingevolge Testame-
ntaire dispositie, onder de Kinderen verkocht
worden.

Fransehoeck, District
Stellenbosch, 20 Oct. 1830.

F. C. HAUMAN, { Execu-
W. P. RETIEF, } tur.

BERIGT AAN CREDITEUREN.

In den Insolventen Boedel van CHRISTOFFEL
JACOBUS BRIERS.

ENE speciale Byeenkomst zal worden
gehouden op Donderdag den 18 Novem-
ber aantstaande, des morgens ten 11 uren,
ten overstaan van den Resident Magistraat
te Stellenbosch, tot het bewijzen van schul-
den; tot het beslissem der wettigheid van
een Eisch op vrydom door den Slaaf *Adonis*
angragt; tot het gelasten der Curatoren
met betrekking tot den **Verkoop van zekere**
Erf in het Dorp gelegen; en mede tot het
in overweging nemen en beallis van zekere
zaken betrekkelijk betwiste Rekeningen tus-
sen den insolvent en anderen.

F. G. WATERMEYER, { Gez.
J. G. G. LINDENBERG, { Curatoren
In het Hooge Gerechtshof der Kolonie de
Kaap de Goede Hoop.

Dingsdag den 30 September 1830.

In de zaak van CHRISTIAAN PETRUS
VISSER, Fz. Insolvent, verzoekende om
tyne Acte van Rehabilitatie.

GELZEEN het Rapport van den Meester,
te kennen gevende dat hy ten gevolge
eine Order van den Raad, d. d. 14 Sept.
180, by Advertentie in de Gouvernementse
Courant, had opgeroepen alle de Creditoren
die hunne toestemming tot de Rehabili-
tatie van voorn. Insolvent nog niet in ge-
schrift hadden ingegeven, om aan te toonen
de redenen, indien er enige bestaan, waar-
om de Acte van Rehabilitatie niet zouden
worden verleend; en nadernaal geene der
Creditoren van voorn. Insolvent enige
objection hebben ingebracht, zwor word ge-
donneerd, dat de gen. Christian Petrus
Visser, Fz. dadelyk worde gerehabiliteerd,
gelyk zulks geschiedt by deze.

Op last van het Hof

T. H. BOWLES,

Griffier van het Hooge Gerechtshof.

H. W. HAGEN maakt hiermede bekend

dat hy in den loop der aantstaande maand

uit de Binnenlanden terug komen zal met 2300

vette Schape, en eene hoeveelheid vette

Slag- en Trek-ossen, die hy uit de hand te-

loop aanbiedt.—Alsmede een kwantiteit Zeep
en Vet.

UIT DE HAND TE KOOP;

DE Eigendoms Plaatsen, Zandvliet, Vo-

gelg Zang, (alias Zeekevallei) en Berg-
Sinai, met de daar by liggende Erfpach-
landen, in het District van Stellenbosch,

beplant met ruim 150,000 Wyngaardstok-

ken, vruchtbomen, Moestuinen, en bezaid

met 130 mudden differentie Granen, alles

in den besten en belovenden staat. Iemand

daartoe genegen synde, adresseere zich by

den Ondergeteekende.

P. S. CLOETE, Sen.

EENE SITUATIE BENODIGD

IEMAND heeft eene Situatie benodigd als

Op iener, Pakhuismeester, of iets der-

geliks. Hy kan van zijn gedrag in vorige

betreking de beste en respectabelste ge-

tuigenis produceren. Men adresseere zich

derhalve aan het Officie van dit Blad.

EENE Verkooping van 1700 extra vette

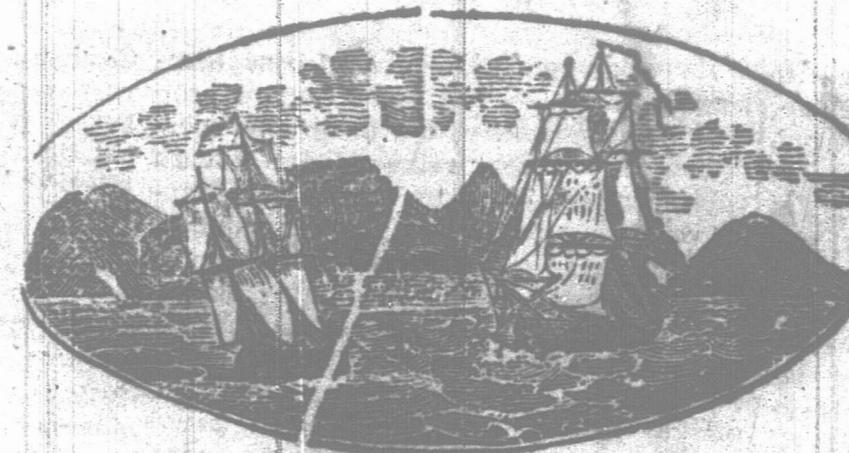
Schape, aangebragt door D. J. M. LAN

sal plaats hebben op Maandag den 8 November

aan staande, nabij Stellenbosch, ter plaatse van

den Hr. A. A. de VILLIERS.

Dear Courant, gaudi oltens! Vrydag ochtend
uitgegeven op Huize van den Hr. C. N.
Nestorius, No. 3, Kortemarkstraat, en
den Zaterdag per Post naar alle de Bul-
len-Districten verzendend.



Pryzen van late shipping.—In de Stad, per
jaar, 16 Rds.—per quartant, 4 Rds. In
de Buiten-Districten, per jaar 19 Rds.—
per quartant, 4 Rds. 6 Sch. En voor een
enkele Courant, 7 Pence.

De Zuid-Afrikaan.

(Tros Tyriusque mihi nullo discrimine agetur.)—VIREO.

DEEL. I.

HUIS TE KOOP.

DE Ondergeteekende zal op den 8 No-
vember publiek laten openen, haar
Huis, staande en gelegen in de Kortemark-
straat No. 3 en 4, en wel in twee gedeelten,
zoo als hetzelste oorspronkelijk is geweest.
De condities zyn zeer aannemlyk.

De Wed. J. DESVAGES.

PUBLIEKE VERKOOPING.

MARTHINUS MELK zal op Maandag
den 15 November aantstaande, ter
Plaats van den Hr. NICOLAS MOSTRAAN,
Bouterberg, staet te worden verkocht, afkomstig
van Clanwilliam, en het eigendom der Heeren
A. V. Bergh en W. Lietching, die hunne
plaatsen willen verkopen, en dien ten ge-
volge rich van hunne Veefolkerken ontdoen;
zullende door al het navolgende, sonder reserve, by
die gelegenheid van de hand worden gezet, als:

1. Een oprochte Vriesche Bul en een do. Koe,
beide nu 9 jaren oud, in een volmaakten staat,
synde ingevoerd door de Heeren Van Hall,
Sappé & Munting, direct van Holland.
2. Een Bul, geteeld uit de voorm. oprochte
Vriesche Koe, by een Teeswater Bul, van
Groote Post, door Lord Charles Somerset in-
gevoerd.
3. Eene Koe, geteeld uit een oprochte Vries-
che Bul en Koe.
4. Zes-en-twintig fraaye bastaard Vader-
landsche Koeyen, met derzelver Kalveren van
dit saisoen.
5. Een en-vijftig fraaye ditto Gust Koo-
jen, en 27 fraaye ditto 2-jarige Vaarjes,
waar de oprochte Vriesche Bul sedert dit saisoen
en steeds by is.
6. Zeven en-twintig ditto 2-jarige Vaars-
jes, en 63 jonge Ossen, van 1 tot 3 jaren oud.
7. Iemand telt een bedragen van 2,000 Rds. be-
stede, kan des verkiezing het geld voor
2 jaren op renten behouden, mita zekerheid
stallende ten genoeg der Verkopers; 1000
voor 12 maanden, 500 voor 6 maanden, en voor
minder, op de gewone termijn van drie
maanden.

Eenig persoon die zich van goed-Vee wenscht
te voorzien, zoo wel tot voorbeeld als tot melk-
gevende Koeyen, dient dese gelegenheid niet
voorbry te laten gaan, daar het stellig het voor-
nenmen der Eigenaars is om er zich van te on-
doen.

Op den 24 II. is by de Tol aan de Linie
gevonden, een jonge Brak.—De Eigen-
aar kan desevel terug bekom, wanneer
hy de kosten betaald.

LOOPSTRAAT No. 95.

Zonder de minste Reserve.
DE Ondergeteekende zal op Maandag den 25
November aantstaande een Publieke Ver-
kooping houden, op de Plaats van den Heer
JAN LAUBSCHER, aan de Visschershok, van 150
Aanteelbeesten, van de beste Hollandsche ras,
welke in de Kolonie zyn ingevoerd, waaronder
extra Koeyen, de attentie wel waardig van de
zoodanigen die goede Melkkoeyen wenschen te
hebben; twee oprochte Bullen, van Hollandsche
ras, alsmede veertig extra Slagbeesten.

De koopers zullen des verkiezende een credit
van zes Maanden worden verleend, mits goede
en gangbare acceptation verleend, ten ge-
noegen van den Afslager.

Ook presenteert de Ondergeteekende te
koop, de Plaatsen 'Elandsfontein' en 'Groot
fontein', beide gelegen in het District van Sal-
danhabaa, op zeer voordeelige voorwaarden.—

Iemand genegen synde desevel te koopen, ad-
dressere zich aan de Wynberg, by

T. F. DREYER.

Een zoon van Jan Evertse, met name
Matthy. Grabriel,

Twee zoons en een dochter van Helene
Smid, met name Fredrik, Dirk, en Wilhelmina
Carolina Johanna.

OVERLEDEN.

Oct. 20.—Catharina Heet, huisvrouw van
Philip Scott, oud 58 jaren, 4 maanden en
18 dagen.

21.—Een zoon van John Art, met name
John James, oud 3 jaren en 2 maanden.

24.—Een zoon van P. J. Frislew, met
name Pieter Martin, oud 2 maanden.

Dito—Eene dochter van R. van Rejen,
met name Sophia Fransina, oud 5 maanden
en 18 dagen.

OORRESPONDENTIE.

Aan den Redacteur van de Zuid-Afrikaan.

DE BRANDSPUITEN.

MYNHEER.—Op Zondag avond II., tus-
sen 11 en 12 uren, werd ik ontvoerd door

het geschreeuw van 'Brand,' dat door ver-
scheide straten der stad tevens herhaald

werd. Ik kroop uit de dekens en begaf my
ter plaatse waar de menigte vergaderd was;

en al wat ik merken kon was dat een stafel
brandhou, welke zich op een kamer had
bevonden, boven den oven: van den bakker

Reis, in de St. Janstraat, eenslaps vlam
had gvat door de hitte des ovens. De ver-
warring en ongeregeldheid welke onder het
gedrag gheachte, merkte ik aan als de

bron der grote verhindering om enige

hulp hoegenaamd aan te bieden, en de Brand-
spuiten, toen sy eindelyk op daagden
waren geheel niet in stand kunnen dienst te
verrichten; er was geen water by de huizen
door de pogingen van enige personen in de
buurt, niet in betrekking staende met de
Brandspuiten, aangebragt waren. Hoe ver-
schillende is de handeling van dergelyke in-
richtingen in Europa! Had men de minste
hulp gehad in het begin, zoo zoude men de
werk van dit droevig uitaal spoedig hebben
ondervonden. Ik vertrouw, Myheer, dat gy niet ongenegen zul zyn een brief
in uw Courant te plaatsen, en de aandacht
der Policie omtrent dit ondewerp in te
roepen.

Ik ben, Myheer, enz.
EEN OMGEVING.

Myheer.—Heden ochtend heb ik vier
geloofwaardige Inwoonders van het Dis-
trict Caledon gesproken, die saurig ver-
klaarden dat het aldaer op den 18 dezer niet
alleen sterk geraged, maar nooit gehad
geld heeft, dat in stede van noordel. een
schade door dat weder te veroorzaakt ge-
worden, dat by niet minder dan 100 midden
koorn daardoor denkt kwyt geraakt te zyn,
sonder dat van de haver of garret te ragen.
De Heren H. Munting en Faure b'been
dit verhaal geconfermeerd, en schryven dat
het gezandt en zag even als het van
de tenten der wagens geslagen; en menschen
zyn hierdoor gewond geworden.

Indien U.E. het nodig oordeelt dit in uw Weekblad te plaatsen, zoo kunt U.E.
daar over disponeren.

Ik ben, Myheer,
EEN STEDLING.

Parva, 1 Aug.—De patriotische begin-
gen hebben zich met zulke snelheid en ge-
snelheid verspreid naar Orleans, Chatres, Blois
en Tours, en de geheele streek van de Loire,
dat de terug togt van Karel X. naar de
Vendee, onmogelyk is geworden. Gebre-
kenissen, byna gelijkstaande met die te Par-
ay, hebben plaats gehad te Nantes, ge-
zegepraal is by de burgers gebleven, en de
nationale vrijwilligers zyn dadelyk in be-
weging gestraft. Onder deze omstandigheden
den is Karel X. genoodzaakt geweest een
Sauvegarde van het provisieel gouverne-
ment te vragen. Dit is hem toegestaan; en
men zegt dat de Nationale Commissarissen
zyn benoemd om den Ex-Koning naar Cher-
bourg te vergezellen, waar hy zich aan
boord zal begeven.

NOE JOA! DAS VERSTOAT ZICH,
DAT HEURT ER BIE!

Een zekere Spec-Spanjaard, welke on'er
eene goede Dienst en huisbrouwers was gemacht,
werd, met zyne confraters, gevangen genomen.
Allen werden ten galje verwezen, uitgenomen
den Poespaser, uit hoofde, dat hy maar op
schildwacht had gestaan.

Toen hy nu niet weinig links en regts op den
pokken had gekregen, zeide hy tegen den
Meester, die hem dit gedaan had: Is 't nu
dom?

D. In'eelaars, Lezers en Vrienden van
De ZUID-AFRIKAAN, worden hiermede be-
kend gemaakt dat, uit hoofde van gebrek
aan d'uk-materinlen, wy genootzaak zyn
gevonden deze Courant pagina voor pagina
ter perse te zenden.



DE ZUID-AFRIKAAN.

KAAPSTAD DEN 29 OCTOBER, 1830.

OMWENTELING IN FRANKRYK.

Wij beminnen
Den Koning, die de wet niet, hare grenzen
verbreedt.
En hienzel deszelfs verhoogd heerscht.***
**** Illy b hoort ons
Te bestieren, te bewaken, den staat te eer-
biedigen,
Maar deszelfs niet te scheuren of te ver-
anderen.
Cours.

Terwyl dije gedachten nog vervuld zyn
met de droevige gebeurtenis welke de Brit-
sche troon heeft ondervonden, door zich van
deszelfs wagen en genadigen monarch ont-
troont te zijn, en op het oogenblik dat wy
ons zelven trachten te ver troosten met het
voortzigtig, dat de edel-noodige grondbe-
gin-selen welke zyne regering hebben geken-
schet-t, beschouwd zullen worden met de-
zelfde schieting in de maatregelen van
zynen opvolger, worden wy nog meer op-
gevuld door een blyder nieuws van belang:
Blyder - sinto de zigepral van eenen wel-
bestierden yver om de belangen en het geluk
des menschdoms uit te breiden, ter volma-
king op deszelfs weg is.

Wy zyn beginstig geworden met de in-
zage van Engelsche Couranten, bevattende
het belangryk narijt einer Omwenteling
welke in Frankryk uitgebroken was, ver-
oorzaakt doore een Ordonnantie van den
Koning, waardoor hy had gepoogd de Perio-
dieke Drukpers onder Censure te plaatsen, en
ihreuk te maken op de voorrechten der Ka-
mer van Afgevaardigden, door het getal der
vertegenwoordigers te bepalen welke een-
maal beschouwd zonden zyn geworden
het gedrag van eenen Pacha waardig, maar
daak aan de verliching deser eeuw, dat
hy uitzeigt der zaken even daar niet zoo don-
ker of wanhopig op dit oogenblik is.

De gronden welke oorzaak gegeven heb-
ben tot eenen stap, zoo onberaden van de
zude des Ex-Konings, waren die van ver-
onderstelde misaanduidingen der bestierders
van nieuwspapieren betrekelyk de denk-
bieden van het toen bestaande Ministerie.
De Times Courant geeft de volgende inlich-
ting der zaak. De oppositie tegen de maat-
regelen van het tegenwoordig kabinet had
alloos hevig geweest, ja dikwyls zelf on-
regtvaardig, maar men moet zich herinneren
dat een zachtmoedig en unpopulair ministe-
rie, welke naar gelang van deszelfs dwar-
lagen of onbevoegdheid misbruiken moet
tauspooren zich zelve in tyds van een
regtvaardiging wegens hun constitutionele
geweld, altoos kan voorzien. De vernietig-
ing van de volks vertegenwoordigende
kamer is byna even zoo compleet als die der
Periodieke Drukpers.

De ordonnantie welke haar thans tot voor-
chrift dient, vermindert die vergadering van 430 leden tot op 258; zy boneemt haar
het voorrecht van drie-vieide harer verkie-
zers, plaatst die in de handen der weinige
bavoorregten die te voren de departementale
kollegien uitmaakten. De magt om de
personen te verkiezen die bygennaamd staan
te worden Departementale Gedeputeerden,
vermindert het gehele ligchaam der
kiezers van Frankryk tot op omtrent
8000 of 10,000 personen, die de pre-
fecten in hunne onderscheidene districten
bestieren kunnen, even zoo gemakkelyk als
de kleine burgten in Engeland bestierd
worden, gevende voorts die prefecten de
magt om ook zelfs over dese bepaalde lysten
te beschikken, zonder het regt te hebben
het derde gedeelte af te keuren, veegt dus
weg de wetgeving van 16 jaren, en ver-
andert in een werktuig van taxatie, een
vergadering, wier hoofdplicht het diende te
zijn haer zelve tot een tegenweer aan hunne
eigene uitgaven te maken.

De *in'pulai'e* maatregelen van KAROL
hebben sinto lang misnoegen gezaaid by de
gauische natie, voorafgaande daden van ge-
weld, tegens welke geeno onmiddelyke te-
genstand kon worden geboden; was de
rede dat zy hunne billyke verontwaardiging
weerhielden; de "gesmoerde clam,"
welke zich niet meer bedekt konde houden,
berste eindeelik uit, de onuitblushbare yver
en dese'st uitwerkselen braken eensklaps
los, zoo dat telfs de geheiligde tempeler Ko-
lung een geheime schuilplaats voorloopen kon aan
achnij-ligheid en despotismus. Had het
onderwerp van ongenegenheid, een dier ge-
ringe mislukking geweest, welke dagelyk sch
door despoten worden begaan, zoude men
deselva ligt mogelijk hebben laten voorby.

Hy wilde nu de Byeenkomst een bere-
kening voorleggen, grond op dat waarop
men kon vertrouwen, om de grote voor-
deelen te bewijzen welke zouden kunnen
voortspruiten uit het openen van den Han-
del op China, self als ten aanzien van dese
in vergelyking onbelangryke maatschappy,
want hy hoopte dat die berekening het ga-
volg zoudt hebben om ieder mensch van
gezond verstand te overtuigen dat indien
een vrye Handel wierd toegestaan, wy door
private Kooplieden met thee van betere
kwaliteit, zouden kunnen voorzien worden,
met een billyk voordeel voor henzelve, tegen
de helpt der prijzen nu gevorderd door de
Compagnie.

De Riddertydien zyn nu niet meer, de
3 slutterende glorie is gelyk de kaatsende
blissenschichten aan den dampkring, het
gezigt verrukkende door deszelfs verhelde
reisen doch Valschen schyn, en Frankryk,
zelle, die eenmaal mee op het ergst in het
duister heeft verkeerd, heeft geleerd, om nu
zeer stipt te letten op deszelfs belang en op
dat van zyne naburen. De menschen begin-
nen dat uitgebreid zooneel des levens niet
andere oogmerken en gevoelens te gaan
dan allein tot de meerdere verkryging van
tydelyke voordeelen. Het zwaard is niet
meer een werktyg ter behaaling van faam,
of dient niet alleen meer om goedkeurende
ghippen van een eigendunkelyk Hoofdbe-
stierden te gewinnen, maar word getrokken
uit eerbiedigheid en ernsthaftigheid, zoal
als bestaant in een zaak die de verhevenste en
uiteindelikste is in elken mensch.

De geest van vryheid is sinto het aanwezen de
Engelsche onafhankelikheid, ook op het vaste
land verbredt, spreidende zyn geleidige invloed
overal uit. Hy is een kleinood welke, alhoewel
vele verlost van onder het bloed en de slagting
van opposerende magten, desmittegenstaande
zoo waardig is als of het een voorrecht ware,
om middelyk van den hemeltroon tot ons ge-
komen onbezwalkt door de toets des lydens en
elhende in deszelfs vordering tot ons bezit. De
wachtwoorden, zoo als men die gewoonlyk
noemt, zyn huislyke regten, en burgerlyke vry-
heit deszelfs echos, worden spoedig weergaardt;
van oever tot oever, en kaatsen terug van rots
tot rots over het gansche wereldond.

HET CHINASCH MONOPOLIE.

Verslag van eenen Publieke Byeenkomst,
gehouden op Zaturdag den 19 deser in de
Beurs, met verlof van Zyne Excellentie
des Gouverneur, ten einde in overweging
te nemen de gepastheid om eene Pettie in te
dielen aan het Huis der Lords, ten aanzien
van den Handel deser Kolonie, voor zover
doegele in verband staat met het hernieuwen
van het Charter der Edele Oost Indische
Compagnie.

De Byeenkomst vergaderde kort na 1 ure.
De Heer G. H. Muntingh, President van
het Committee van de Beurs, werd verzocht
den stoel te aanvaarden, en vermeide in
weinige woorden het doel van de Byeenkomst
waarna de Heer Eaton, de Secretaris, eerst
eenen officieelen brief las van Luit. Kolonel
BELL, gaddresseerd aan het Committee van
de Beurs, verklarende de sanctie van Zyne
Excellentie den Gouverneur op het houden
der Byeenkomst, en naderhand eenen
brief geschat op 4 Mei 1830, van den Heer A. Borradaile, President van het
Committee van den Kaapschen Handel
aldaar, aan den Heer A. Chiappini, voorma-
lige President van het Committee van de
Beurs, alhier erkennende, den ontvangst van
eene pettie van zekere Kooplieden en andere
Ingezetenen van de Kolonie aan het Huis
der Gemeente, over het onderwerp van het
Charter der O. I. Compagnie, welke brief
meedde, dat hy de Pettie had voorgelegd aan
het Committee van den Kaapschen Handel,
dat gelast had deszelfs te stellen in handen van
den Agent der Kolonie, den Heer Courte-
nay, die deszelfs dadelijk aan het Parlement
had gepresenteerd, en dat den Heer M'Donald,
de Mr. Borradaile, en de Mr. Dixon, ten
gevolge daarvan waren geroepen voor het
Comitee van het Huis der Gemeente, om
bevattende een klaarlyklyke propotie. Hy
droeg daarop de tweede resolutie voor, welke
veroorzaakt door het schadelijk Monopolie van
Thee, kon uin geen ander licht worden aange-
zien dan als eene zware belasting op de Inge-
zetenen deser Kolonie.

De Heer Pillans droeg hier de eerste Reso-
lutie voor, welke werd gescondeerd door den
Heer Norton, en eenstemmig aangenomen, (zie
de kolommen der Advertentien.)

De Heer Ebden rekende het onnoodig, na de
duidelyke opgaaf welke door den Heer Pillans
was gelezen, verder uit te wyden over de voor-
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De motie nu zynde voorgedragen werd een-
stemmig aangenomen.

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lutie voor ten aanzien van de voordeelen welke
alreeds waren getrokken uit het vermeerde
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lezen van zyne voorgestelde resolutie, over
de groote voordeelen welke de Kolonie waar-
schynlyk zoude trekken uit het openen van den
Handel met China, terwyl het Monopoly
tegenwoordig een verlies te weeg bringt
van omstreks £9,000 in het jaar. Als een
voorbode der winsten, zouden wy niet al-
leen dit jaarlyks verlies wryt raken, maar
door den Handel in Robbenvelven welke
altyd in groeten aantallen zyn geweest in
China, zouden wy ons ras in eenen staat be-
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te betalen welke wy behoeven. Hy had
vernomen dat twee Amerikaansche schepen
op onze kusten in de Robben-lagery gebe-
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punt worden voor de voordeelige aanwe-
ding van kapitaal en vlyt, en misschien
tot een uitgestrektheid waar van wy ons
voor het tegenwoordige geen denkbeeld kun-
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De Heer Pillans bedankte den laatsten
spreker voor het vestigen van de aandacht
der byeenkomst op dat hoogst belangryk
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woorden, —
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naar het Oosten worden geplaatst op den
selfden voordt als alle andere handel." —
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lutie voor, welke werd gescondeerd door den
Heer Norton, en eenstemmig aangenomen, (zie
de kolommen der Advertentien.)

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TO CORRESPONDENTS.

Mr C. E. Bonar, having resigned the Editorship of this Paper, our Correspondents are respectfully invited to address their communications in future to Mr. R. J. STAPLETON, at the Concordia Gardens, who acts in that capacity.



THE ZUID-AFRIKAAN.

CAPE TOWN, OCTOBER, 29, 1830.

REVOLUTION IN FRANCE.

"We love
The King, who loves the law, respects his bounds,
And reigns content within them."
"He is ours,
To administer, to guard, to adorn, the state,
But not to warp or change it."

COWPER.

WHILE our thoughts are yet occupied with the mournful event which has deprived the British throne of a wise and gracious monarch, and at a moment when we are even consoling ourselves with the prospect that the generous principles which dignified his reign will be reflected with corresponding splendor in the measures of his successor, our ears are assailed with a note of yet more joyful import: joyful, since the triumph of a well-directed zeal to promote the interests and the happiness of the human species is now on the high-road to completion.

We have been favored with a sight of English papers teeming with the important intelligence of a Revolution which has broken out in France, owing to an Ordinance of the King, by which it was attempted to place the Periodical Press under Censorship and to encroach on the privileges of the Chamber of Deputies, by limiting the number of its representatives—acts which would at one time have been considered worthy of a Bassaw; but thanks to the redeeming spirit of the age we live in, the prospect of affairs even there are not so dark or desperate at this period.

The grounds which seem to have given rise to a step so rash on the part of the ex-King, were those of supposed misrepresentations of the conductors of journals respecting the then existing Ministry.

The Times Newspapers gives the following view of the affair:—"The opposition made to the measures of the present Cabinet has always been ardent, and often unjust; but it ought to be recollect that a weak and unpopular ministry, which must provoke abuse in proportion to its errors or incompetency, can always provide for itself before hand a justification of its unconstitutional violence. The demolition of the popular Chamber is nearly as complete as that of the Periodical Press. The Ordinance which now models it, reduces that assembly from the number of 430 members to 258, destroys the franchises of three-fourths of the electors, places in the hands of the privileged few, who formerly composed the departmental colleges, the power of choosing all the persons to be nick-named the deputies of departments, narrows the whole electoral body of France to about 8,000 or 10,000 individuals, whom the prefects may manage in their different districts as easily as close boroughs are managed in England, gives the prefects the power of settling even these limited lists, without permitting the right of challenge to third parties, sweeps away the legislation of sixteen years, and converts into an instrument of taxation an assembly whose chief duty ought to make them a check on its expenditure."

The unpopular measures of CHARLES have long been brewing discontent in the body of the nation, successive acts of violence, to which no immediate check could be opposed, restrained their justifiable indignation, the "smothered flame," unable any longer to contain itself, burst forth at length with inextinguishable zeal, and the effects displayed at once that even the sanctuary of kings affords no asylum to bigotry and despotism. Had the subject of disaffection been one of that class of minor every day instances of the faith to which disputes have bound themselves, it might have died away like the murmur of the sea in its due course; but when the sceptre is made to fiat the abolition of those institutions which are the very sap and nourishment of our existence, it is not to be wondered at that men will rise up and defend them with the warmth and temper of paternal solicitude. The days of chivalry are now, no more, the pageant Glory, is like the evanescent flash of the meteor, delighting the vision by its luminous but false glow, and France, she too, who once numbered among the foremost of the nightly train, has been brought to look soberly on her situation and that of her neighbours. Men begin to view the extended scene of life with other eyes and other feelings than for the mere attain-

ment of temporary advantages; the sword is no more an instrument by which to court the voice of fame or to win the approaching smiles of a self-sufficient Chieftain; but is unsheathed with a reverence and an earnestness of purpose becoming that cause which is highest and most prominent in every man's bosom. The spirit of free 'om since the birth of England's Independence has been abroad on a Continental tour, breathing its sanctifying influence, largely and widely—it is a jewel spirit, which, though rescued from beneath the blood and carnage of opposing hosts, is nevertheless as valuable as if it were an immediate boon transmitted from the throne of Heaven, unsullied by the touch of suffering and of woe, in its progress to our possession. The watchword, as it is commonly understood, is domestic rights and civil liberty, its echo is rapidly advancing from shore to shore, and will continue to reverberate from rock to rock in its passage throughout the universe.

CORRESPONDENCE.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE ZUID AFRIKAAN.

THE FIRE-ENGINES.

SIR.—On Sunday night last, between the hours of 11 and 12 o'clock at night, I was alarmed by the cry of "Fire," which was echoed through every street in town; I threw off my sheets and repaired to the place where the crowd was accumulating. From all I could gather, it appeared that a pile of fire-wood which was deposited in a chamber above the oven of a Baker named Reis, situated in St. John's-street, had suddenly ignited, it was stated from the heat below. The confusion and disorder which prevailed among the mob, I observed, were a source of great hindrance to any assistance which could be offered, and the Fire-engines, when they did arrive, were totally unprepared to perform their office, there was no water at hand, excepting a few buckets full which the exertions of individuals unconnected with the machines managed to procure from the neighbourhood. How different is the conduct of similar establishments in Europe. Had there been the least breath of air stirring at the time, the effects of this lamentable delay would soon have been apparent. I trust, Sir, you will not fail to give this letter an insertion in your valuable paper, and to call the attention of the Police to the subject.—I am, &c.

AN OBSERVER.

The Subscribers, Readers, and Friends of the ZUID AFRIKAN are respectfully informed that, owing to want of Materials, we have been necessitated to put the Paper to Press Page by Page.

We have been obliged to submit to this inconvenience rather than they should be disappointed; all we have to say at present is, that ere long, we hope to be placed in a situation to bid farewell to temporary obstructions.

IMPORTANT FRENCH NEWS.

(From the 'Atlas' of Aug. 1.)

Paris is in complete insurrection. Early on the morning of the 28th the royal insignia were pulled down and burnt in the Place Publique. The populace in a ferment traversed the streets, and stopped and disarmed the military. Towards noon the National Guard appeared here and there in uniform. Some patrols of that guard traversed various quarters of Paris. At this moment (half-past one) I write amidst the firing of a regiment of the Royal Guard and several pieces of cannon, which are directed against the Rue de St. Denis. It is affirmed that the city of Paris is declared in a state of siege, and that the command of it is given to the Duke of Ragusa. The Exchange is shut. At two o'clock the firing had ceased. I need not add that the cannon have prevailed; but all is not finished. The Deputies now present at Paris, to the number of about fifty, have assembled and decided—

"That they protested against the Ordinances of the 25th July as illegal and criminal.

"That they still consider themselves as the true Deputies of France.

"That a deputation should immediately go to the Commandant of the place, and to the Prefect of Paris, to ask them to reorganise the National Guard; that if they decline, the guard itself be invited to meet permanently to watch over the safety of the city of Paris.

"The Deputies themselves have declared their meeting permanent."

MINUTE PARTICULARS.—The Prefect of the Police of Paris has issued an Ordinance in sequel of that of the King. All persons not authenticating their writings and identifying the writers, shall be seized on publication of their works. The coffee and reading rooms shall be closed where any Journal contrary to the King's Ordinance is permitted, and the proprietor punished as the publisher would be.

A protest from the Peers of France has been presented to the King against the Royal Ordinance. The Deputies who were in Paris met on Monday. An assembly of proprietors has decided against paying the twelfth next due of their current contributions. They say that the ministerial faction have no authority to receive the money, and their appropriation of it would be illegal. Two General Officers have been dispatched from Paris to Grenoble and Angers.

At half-past eight on Monday evening the shops in the Palais Royal were shut; no tumult justified this precaution. The Constitutional and the 'Journal des Debats' were not published. The police, with a body of militiamen, broke open the doors of the offices of the 'National' and 'Temps,' and defaced the presses. Gens d'armes are stationed on the Boulevards and about the Exchange. The windows of Prince Polignac's hotel have been broken. Forty couriers were dispatched on Monday in different directions. Paris appears much agitated. The 'National' of Sunday says, that in the situation of things obedience ceases to be a duty. The determination to publish journals without the authority imposed, or not to publish at all, has been signed by the

Editors and Managers of the 'National,' 'Globe,' 'Courrier des Electeurs,' 'Courrier,' 'Tribune du Département,' 'Constitutionnel,' 'Temps,' 'Courrier Français,' 'Révolution,' 'Journal de Commerce,' 'Figaro,' 'Journal de Paris,' and 'Sylphe.' Charles Danoyer signs a letter in the 'National' of Sunday, stating that he will pay no tax till the Ordinances are repealed. On Tuesday, a Gen d'arme, who endeavoured to enforce obedience to his orders in the usual way, was killed by the mob. Prince Polignac's person and house are guarded. All the regular troops, and the Gens d'armes, are under arms, and cannon are stationed at the different posts. The windows of the Minister of Finance, in the Rue de Rivoli, have been broken, and in that quarter there was some rioting on Monday evening. The passport office was crowded with foreigners. It is said that the meeting of the Deputies was held at M. Dupin's; and to the question, what is to be done? the majority answered, "oppose force to force." But Dupin appears to have declined the honor of converting his mansion into a club-room, and declared himself, according to the ordinance, no Deputy.

At day-break on Tuesday morning the citizens of Paris were reminded, by the thunder of the artillery exercising at Vincennes, that some hundreds of cannon were ready to pour into Paris. The liberal papers that were printed

were given away gratuitously, and read with avidity. Mob of the lowest of the canaille, armed with bludgeons and stones, march along the Boulevards, assemble in the Palais Royale, and set the Gens d'armes at defiance. Two hundred of the latter are stationed in the courtyard of the Minister of Foreign Affairs. A student has been killed in a conflict with the Gens d'armes. The King came privately to Paris on Monday evening, and slept at the Duchess de Berri's. He returned to the Tuilleries on Tuesday morning. He confidently relies on the good faith of the army. The Royal Guards have refused to act with the Gens d'armes. The Place Carrousel was filled with troops on Tuesday evening, including lancers, heavy cavalry, and cannon. Ten thousand of the soldiery appeared to be awaiting the attack of the people. A deputation of the Peers, and a remonstrance of the Deputies have been presented to the King. He will not retrace his steps.

We also received by the express, the following letter written from a country-seat, in the neighbourhood of Paris, to which the writer had fortunately been able to retire during the conflict in the city:—

From our departure from town until this afternoon, we have heard nothing but firing. It is now, thank God, quieted. From all quarters troops have been arriving, and most terrible slaughter has taken place, but not for any length of time, as several whole regiments have delivered up their arms, and gone over to the people. Polignac and all the ministers, who were blockaded in the Tuilleries, escaped through subterraneous passages, and are now with the king, where all the soldiers and royal guard at present are. They report here that the king has given in, and that there is a change of ministry. I hope it may be the case, but I am afraid that Polignac only wishes to gain time, that he may fall on the people more unexpectedly. Paris at present is quite quiet, and in possession of the people, after a most terrible massacre. All the trees on the Boulevards have been cut down and laid across the streets, the stones of which have been taken up placed in piles, so that nothing could pass. The beautiful palace of the Tuilleries, the churches, and all the public buildings, have been pillaged, and nearly destroyed: many streets are full of dead bodies; in fact, you need only read the description of the last revolution, to have the picture of Paris at this moment. If you should not receive any letter to-morrow, do not be uneasy, for till now no person has been allowed to leave the city; it was with the greatest difficulty we could learn what was going on there. The conduct of the citizens must be admired: in all the excesses not a particle of individual property has been injured; all they ask is, that the constitution shall be restored. I must conclude, as the courier is waiting.

A gentleman who arrived in London last night from Paris, states that he was an eye witness, on Wednesday, to a conflict in the streets, between the populace and the military, which lasted four hours, until some of the regiments refused to fire any longer on the people. The mob gained possession of the arsenal, and were not expelled until five hundred were slain. The chief battles took place in the Rue St. Honoré, St. Dennis, and Montmartre; the slaughter must have been great. Every place where arms could be obtained had been broken open. The white flag had been struck and a red one hoisted. The populace had cut down the trees on the Boulevards, and other places in the neighbourhood of Paris, to form defences against the military. Nothing was heard but cries of down with the Bourbons, down with the tyrants. The Swiss regiments and the 'gard du corps' remained staunch to the king. These particulars were collected in haste, but we believe them to be correct.

French Trophy.—The King of France has approved of a plan by Baron D'Haussez, for the erection of a column rising from the prow of a vessel, and surmounted by a light, in the bay of Toulon. The Pharo is to be a guide for shipping, and the whole to be a monument of the valour of the King's forces at Algiers. The bronze of the Turkish cannon is to supply material for the decorations. The names of all the vessels of the fleet, and the corps of the army, are to be inscribed on this truly national monument. One more appropriate or more elegant can hardly be imagined.

Review.—A young woman, named Stanhope, went with her mistress to see the review, and was unfortunately killed by a trooper's horse, which had thrown its rider, and dashed furiously at that part of the crowd where the poor girl had placed herself, and whence it was impossible to escape. The horse fell upon her.

Algiers.—The French troops have found a paradise in the Cassaba, but no hours in the conquered city. The most exaggerated accounts of the wealth found in the stores of the dépôt have figured in the French papers. The language of the letters from the army is *un peu gascon*, let the French say what they please. The fortifications, "before which such formidable expeditions both by sea and land have miscarried, melted." It might have been added, that our lips were burnt a little by the cold, as the negro's fingers were with the icicle. The immediate environs of the town are beautiful, the sandy plains around frightful, the town itself horrible. Four French soldiers have been killed by the heat, and the army has received a severe shock by the ugliness of the women. What a situation for a Duso!—to be quartered with an ugly negress! To make amends, however, the figs are the finest in the world.

Russia.—On the 16th the Dey and all his suite were on board the 'Jeanne de Are,' at anchor in the road of Mahon. The Dey sails for Naples.

Spain.—The King of Spain has published the first notice of a plot now very ripe against himself, which he affirms has been hatched in London, and in which persons of every class and of each nation were implicated.

Brunswick.—The affairs of the Duke of Brunswick are not yet settled. The difference between the Duke and the court of London is not affected by the accession of a new King.

Russia.—Accounts from Constantinople of the 7th July (which we must qualify with doubt) speak of a mutiny in the Russian fleet at Sebastopol, (a Russian naval station in the Crimea, on the Black Sea.) It is said that the crews have killed their officers to the number of two hundred and forty.

Greece.—Prince Paul, brother to the King of Württemberg, has accepted the sovereignty of Greece. His Royal Highness was born Jan. 19, 1788, and married in 1805 to the Princess Catherine of Saxe-Altenburg, who was born June 17, 1787. One daughter is married to the Grand Duke Michael of Russia, and another to the Duke of Nassau. Two sons, one 17 and the other 22

Egypt.—The vassal, it is probable, will rise against his Suzeran. The Pacha of Egypt has neglected to send home his tribute. The Sultan has demanded it. The question will soon be—can he enforce the payment? In Albania, the son of the Grand Vizier is shut up at Janina. The authority of Mahmoud is still contended, and the tumults raging with undiminished fury.

Bulgaria.—An extensive emigration of the Christians into Persia is in full operation. It is disliked by the Sultan and disconcerted by the Emperor, yet it proceeds. The Porte has summoned two from each class of his subjects in that province, that he may hear from their own lips the complaints they make against his representatives.

Batavia.—Diego Negro, the rebel, has surrendered to the Dutch General de Kock, with 900 of his adherents. His fate is not yet decided. The Batavian Journalist says, that his false and villainous look bespeaks his character.

Malta.—Large bodies of British troops from the Ionian Islands have been sent to Malta.

A provisional Government of Paris has been established, consisting of Lavitte, General Gerard, and MM. Odier.

Voyage round the Globe.—Hydrographical Discovery.—Practical civilization and commercial inquiry are the objects of the intended voyage round the globe. Mr. Buckingham's qualifications for the task he has undertaken are too generally known to require comment, and the powerful co-operation which is active in his favour, cannot fail to perfect the plan and bring it into speedy operation. There is no question that every friend of humanity, every lover of knowledge, and every well-wisher to his country, will be proud to aid in so noble an undertaking.

Botany Bay University.—The foundation stone of Sydney College was laid on the 26th January. "An auspicious day," says the inscription, "in the year 1830. In the happy reign of George IV. Lieutenant-General Ralph Darling being Governor, and Francis Forbes Chief Justice, of New South Wales."

Victory.—Nelson's ship, the Victory, is not to be cut down to a seventy-four, as was contemplated. She is to be fitted for service, and receives the flag of the Captain of the Ordinary. What a school for young aspirants after naval glory to study in!

Piracy.—The brig Countess Dunmore, in lat. 14°, N. long. 61° W., was boarded by a pirate, the captain threatened with death, the vessel ransacked, and every removable thing of value taken away. After they had thus rifled the vessel and intimidated the men, the pirates coolly shook the captain by the hand, and wished him good day as if nothing particular had occurred.

Irish Row at Manchester.—The collision of parties at this place, on the 12th of June last, has given birth to several such disturbances, and to one of a more outrageous character. On Sunday morning, about five o'clock, eight or ten men were heard to yell as they ran through the streets, "the lives of No. 67," and they flourished their bludgeons as they ran. One of them seemed to incite the others to second him in the outrage, and immediately the windows of the houses were smashed, the men jumped in through the break they had made, dragged the inmates from bed and beat them so dreadfully about the head and body, that three of the victims lie in a doubtful state at the infirmary. A large number of special constables was found necessary to subdue the rioters three of whom were fully committed.

Four millions of mohey are drawn annually from Ireland by the great absentees.

Riots at Bristol.—The most terrible outrages have been perpetrated at Bristol, by some drunken and infuriated tools, who fancy themselves the friends of Mr. Protheroe and Mr. Acland to be his enemies.

At Mr. Baile's public entry on Monday, several disturbances took place; Mr. Acland's friends suffered materially, and it is said that fourteen or fifteen persons have been seriously injured in the affrays. Drunkenness and excess appear the moving causes throughout.

Sports on the Thames.—While all London was in the park on Monday, all the world was on the river. The Lord Mayor held a Court of Conservancy, and gave a Peter-boat, which was sailed for by the free fishermen of the Thames and Medway, and won by J. Garthwaite of Greenwich, in the 'Barbara'. Then there was the coronation regatta at Greenwich, where the young watermen contested for the prize wherry. It was won by Thomas Everson (green), and was valued at £3. Small prizes were taken by four others. At Rotherhithe and Deptford was another regatta, R. Boswell (green again) won the wherry; and Sinclair (pink), who distinguished himself very much, but who had no boat of his own, was encouraged by a subscription, which promises to enable him to purchase one. At the Wapping regatta, William Price, of Wapping Old Stairs, won the wherry, value £2. And at Lambeth, the new boat given by the ladies and gentlemen, was won by Maynard and Cook (orange). All these sports were most numerously attended, and the river perhaps never at one time bore so large a number of boats. The beauty of the day gave double life to every thing. We have not heard of any accidents.

The Diamond Rings.—On Tuesday, George Ford was re-examined on a charge of purloining two diamond rings from the shop of Mr. Lamb, of Ludgate-hill jeweller. Mr. Lamb saw one of the rings fall from the prisoner's pocket, after he had left the shop and been brought back.—
Friends at a Pinch.—A well-dressed young man was charged by Mr. Barnwell (not George) with having stolen his snuff-box, worth £1 or £10. The theft was committed in a coffee house, and the box was deliberately taken out of the thief's pocket. The thief and his friend went out of the room, and Mr. Barnwell followed. Not finding an officer, he seized the prisoner himself, who immediately promised to restore the box, if saved from exposure. Mr. Barnwell did not relax his hold, and the prisoner resisted desperately, when Mr. B. was obliged to knock him down. The friend walked off with the snuff-box.

The prisoner was ordered to be brought up, on a future day. As a caution to snuff-takers, it is noticed in the Times that this mode of appropriating snuff-boxes, by the well-dressed thieves who attend coffee houses, perhaps for this purpose, is exceedingly common. Gentlemen, whose olfactories require the stornutative stimulant, should be on their guard against their friends at a pinch.

On Tuesday, Phelps and his wife were charged with robbing Baxier, a Scotchman, of £4 sovereigns. The cautious Caledonian had enveloped his purse in his neckcloth, properly his stock; but Phelps's wife was Yorkshire, and a match for Donald with

FRENCH NEWS.

(From the "Messenger des Chambres" of Tuesday.)

Extract from the Moniteur.

"Ordinances."

"Lieutenant General of the Kingdom."

"Art. 1. The condemnation pronounced for political offences of the press remain without effect."

"2. The persons confined for such offences are to be immediately set at liberty. They are also relieved from fines and other expences, with the single exception of the duty."

"The proceedings instituted up to the present day are to cease immediately."

"LOUIS PHILIPPE D'ORLEANS."

"Paris, Aug. 2."

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"DUPONT (de l'Eure)."

"Upon the report of the Provisional Commissary of the Department of Justice."

"We have named, and do name, M. Bertrand (of Rennes), Advocate at Paris, and Member of the Chamber of Deputies, to the functions of procureur-General at the Royal Court of Paris, in the room of M. Jucquoit des Pampelune."

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"The Lieutenant-General of the Kingdom has appointed to the functions of Secretary-General of the Ministry of Justice, M. Joseph Merlin, Advocate, and formerly Magistrate at the Royal Court of Paris."

Municipal Commission of Paris.

"The Municipal Commission of Paris, considering that patriotic offerings have been made in the different Arrondissements, and that it is important to regulate their receipt and expenditure, ordain—

"Art. 1. The sums and treasure arising from patriotic offerings shall be paid into the Municipal Treasury of Paris, where a special account shall be opened for that purpose."

"Art. 2. The Mayors of Paris are charged to collect all the sums put into the public boxes or elsewhere, and to effect their payment into the Municipal Treasury."

"The Members of the Commission, "Loban, Hotel de Ville, Aug. 2, 1830." "Mangin."

"The Municipal Commission of Paris has received the following letter:—

"Gentlemen—I am to inclose the gift of 15,000 francs, which I destine to the unfortunate wounded, to the widows and children of those who fell during the last days of July. Will you have the goodness, Gentlemen, to receive this sum, and to employ it in the manner desired?"

"I have the honor to be, Gentlemen, with sentiments of the most perfect esteem, and the highest consideration,

"Your very devoted servant,

"Baron J. de Rothschild."

"The Editor of the *Messenger* adds, in a note, that the appointment of M. Merlin affords an additional guarantee of the public under the present circumstances."

Paris, Tuesday, August 3.

There are three parties in France to-day.

1. The party of Charles X.—few in number, but wealthy and obstinate.

2. The party of the Republicans—numerous and powerful.

3. The party of a Constitutional Monarchy—a new and modified Charter—or Representative Institutions—Liberty—and Peace."

LONDON, AUG. 5.—The following important information has been received this morning from Paris by Express. It may be anticipated that the selection of England for an asylum on the part of this baffled and infatuated monarch, if such really be his intention, will be anything but gratifying to William IV., or his Ministers. Louis XIV. no doubt afforded protection to James II. under similar circumstances; but the political object of that hospitality was not such as can possibly render an English Cabinet anxious to add to the completeness of a parallel which exceeds any in Plutarch, and will associate the tainted names of Bourbon and of Stuart to the latest posterity. Since writing the above, we have heard from the City that the ex-Monarch is likely to reach us under the designation of the Duke of Milan.

"The King of France has sent a letter to the new Government of France, and consents to leave the country; in consequence of which 1,800 cavalry are gone with him to give him a safe escort to Flavre, where it is supposed he will embark for England.

"The Duke d'Angouleme has absolved the oaths of the soldiers. Lafitte, the banker, has called a meeting of the bankers in Paris, to advise means on money matters. It is reported that the money from Algiers will be applied to the assistance of the merchants and people of Paris."

The following placard is posted up in all the streets of Paris:—

"Charles the Tenth can never again enter Paris; he has caused the blood of his people to flow."

"A Republic will expose us to dreadful divisions, and cause quarrels with Europe."

"The Duke of Orleans never fought against us."

"The Duke of Orleans was at Jenappe."

"The Duke of Orleans is a Citizen King."

"The Duke of Orleans wore the tricolor cockade in battle, and he will wear it again—we will have no other."

"The Duke of Orleans has not proclaimed himself, but waits our wishes. Let us proclaim him: he will accept the Charter, and the French people will support his Throne."

The extraordinary heroism of the youth of the Polytechnic School is scarcely to be equalled by anything in Roman or Grecian story. The following particulars are from our Correspondent at Paris:—

"PARIS, JULY 30.—The Students of the Ecole Polytechnique have made the most valorous attacks and defence—they have fired away two days and nights against the troops, and have headed the citizens to march against the troops. I have seen children of ten or twelve years old with pocket pistols in their hands, going under the arms of soldiers levelled against the citizens, and, when near enough, fire these pistols in the bellies of the soldiers. A youth of thirteen crept under the belly of a Gen d'armes horse, with a brace of magnificent pistols, and, rising again between two Gen d'armes, he killed them both right and left. I have seen a boy of less than ten returning from a charge with two bayonet wounds in his thigh, and yet unwilling to yield his arms."

The same authority adds, that the lowest of the rabble, after two days' fighting, and almost dead with hunger, have crossed restaurants where silver plate was on the table, and heaps of loaves in every corner, and yet not touched a crust!

THE REV. ROBERT TAYLOR—On Wednesday, Sir B. Birnie inquired if any officer of the establishment knew the person of the Rev. R. Taylor. It was replied that Taunton, Sen., knew the person, but that he was on duty at the levee.—Sir Birnie said that would do very well, for it was at the levee the recognition would be wanted.

Sir R. Peel had that morning intimated to Sir B. Birnie that the reverend gentleman had sent the usual notice to the Lord Chamberlain's office of his intention to be present at the levee, and the Home Secretary required that if he should appear at the doors of the palace, and attempt to enter, he should be stopped by a Bow-street officer.

THREATENING LETTERS.—Francis Lorigan was brought up on a charge from the Horse Guards of annoying Colonel Macdonald, of the 67th regiment, by sending threatening letters.

It appeared that the defendant had served in the 67th for thirteen years in India, but was dismissed some time ago by a general Court Martial, since which he had written many letters to Colonel Macdonald complaining of having been unjustly dealt with. Colonel M. had answered his communications in as kind a manner as possible, assuring him that the occurrences of which he complained had taken place antecedents to his (Colonel Macdonald's) appointment to a command in the regiment, and that therefore he could not afford him redress. The defendant, however, continued to address him, and in the last letter the following passage occurred:

I have but one life, and that I assure Colonel Macdonald I value it as little as any man breathing; if justice be not afforded me in the ordinary way, my sword shall find it.

The defendant did not deny sending the letters, and was committed until he should find securities to keep the peace.

A blind man, named Beck, who lost his sight on the banks of Egypt, while a soldier, is now living at Burrowbridge, near Taunton. Notwithstanding his blindness, he regularly goes to the river, takes his boat, and fishes with no one to assist him.

Captain Helsham, who stands charged with the murder of Lieutenant Crowther in a duel at Boulogne, on the 1st of April, 1829, was finally examined. Mr. Wm. Cooksey sworn: I was near the column at Boulogne on the 1st of April, and saw the duel fought between Capt. Helsham and Lieut. Crowther; I saw both the gentlemen with pistols in their hands, and saw them take their distance at about fifteen paces. Mr. Crowther fired first, and an interval of four or five seconds elapsed before Captain Helsham fired, and Lieut. Crowther fell at the fire of the Captain. I assisted Mr. Crowther to his hotel: he never spoke, and was quite dead in a few minutes.

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Crocodile. It is said that a young crocodile was largely caught in a drain across the road, near Hixton, in Staffordshire. They say it was dropped when very young in the drain, by some travelling show folks!

It is rumoured that his Majesty intends the London day to be undertaken by all the cavalry regiments in succession.

ERRATUM.—In the report published in the 29th No. of the "Zuid Afrikaan" in the second paragraph, what is your opinion as to the "course" line 8, read—cause.

Line 102, for the word "two" read—two.

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Line 180, for the words "I can conceive," read—conceive.

Line 204, for the words "where they to encourage," read—were

(From a Correspondent.)

Four respectable Farmers from the District of Caledon have informed me, that notwithstanding heavy showers of Rain, but also of hail had fallen there on the 18th instant; but that instead of deriving advantage from it their corn-fields had suffered severely, so much so, that one of them anticipated he would lose no less than one hundred muids of wheat, to say nothing of oats and barley. Mr. Muntingh and Mr. Faure's letters from the same place confirm this report, and add, that the hail had caused considerable destruction in the corn-fields and vineyards.

We understand that the uniform of the whole army is to be assimilated, that the Hussar regiments will be made Light Dragoons, changing their colour from blue to red; even the artillery are to adopt a scarlet uniform.

The whole of his Majesty's services at sea may be stated as follows:—Six years as midshipman; eleven months as lieutenant; three years and ten months as post-captain; and seven weeks as admiral of the fleet, in which rank he escorted Louis the Eighteenth to Calais, on his restoration to the throne of his family.

Sir Sidney Smith is just arrived in London from Paris. His recent appointment as Lieutenant-General of Marines was as unexpected to him as it was honorable to his Majesty. The Duke of Clarence was the General of the Marines; but on becoming King, he promoted the Lieutenant-General to be General, and directed the commission for Lieutenant-General to be made out forthwith for Sir Sidney Smith. It was sent express to Paris.

KEY SOLOMONS.—This offender has declared that his escape from Newgate was accomplished, not by bribery or promise of a reward, but by an ingenious and able arrangement, with which those who had him in care were totally unacquainted; and he complains of the enormous expense which that arrangement cost him. He says, that after getting out of the coach, upon his return from Westmister, he went to a certain house in the city, and remained there all night, and that in the morning he went to Tottenham, where he sojourned for some weeks. When the astonishment caused by his escape had subsided, and the search after him had become less inquisitive, he joined a ship going out in ballast, and was conveyed to Denmark, where, upon landing, he found himself possessed of cash to the amount of upwards of 800/- As he could not conveniently trade in a country unacquainted, he embarked as soon as he could for the United States of America, where he staid, trading in watches and trinkets, until he learned by the newspapers that his wife was transported. This information determined him to sail for New South Wales; but the vessel was driven by contrary winds to Rio Janeiro. In the storm he was near being lost. From Rio Janeiro he paid very extravagantly for his passage to Hobart Town, where, upon landing, he was recognised by many of the convicts with whom he had had dealings in London. He immediately purchased two houses, and claimed his wife, who was at once permitted by the authorities to live with him. He had carried on business in the United States with much success, and declares that he netted 500/- by purchasing watches from the merchants and selling them to the pedlars. He had travelled, since he left this country, upwards of 50,000 miles.

A gentleman informed us a few days since that a day or two previous, while in pursuit of wild turkeys in Hart, in Kerry, in company with a friend, they discovered on the summit of an elevation a large hole that would admit a man's body. Curiosity led them to descend, and at the depth of about sixty feet they entered a cavity or room, apparently cut out of the solid rock, sixteen or eighteen feet square. Our informant was the first person who entered the subterranean room, and he said he was not a little surprised that the first object which met his eyes was a human skull with all the teeth in it. Upon further examination it was found that the whole place was filled with human skeletons of men, women, and children. Except immediately under the small aperture through which they descended the place was perfectly dry, and the bones in a state of great preservation. An entire skeleton of a human body was obtained. The bones in one place were between four and seven feet deep; but there seemed to rise an offensive effluvia as they came in the excavation to where it was a little damp. There was no outlet to the room; and a large snake which they found there, and which appeared entirely docile, had passed round the room several times while they were in it. It is a subject for wise men and philosophers, as those who visited it have no conjecture as to the cause of this singular habitation or charnel-house of human remains.

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