

FRANCE.

GERMANY.

AUSTRIA—VIENNA, February 24.—The news of Lord John Russell's resignation reached Vienna on the 22nd ult. The favourite theme of the papers is of course Lord Derby, and we are furnished with some very curious details respecting the Protectionist chief. One newspaper tells its readers that 'Earl Derby is son of the late minister Stanley.' Another says that 'Stanley having been just appointed paid *attache* at Constantinople,' there was at first some difficulty, &c. The 'Lloyd' contents itself with stating, in a quiet matter-of-fact way, that Lord Derby 'belongs to one of

Another French note, it is said, on the same subject, has been sent. It is presented in the character of an ultimatum. France insists anew upon designating refugees for expulsion, and in strong language calls upon the federal government to reflect on the consequences which resistance may entail.

TURKEY.

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INDIA.

SCENE IN THE UNITED STATES HOUSE OF
REPRESENTATIVES.

Mr. Preston King, who was standing near Mr. Giddings, remarked, raising his voice to a higher pitch, "Help him out; he needs a little more poison." Voices, "Ha, ha! Good! Ha, ha!") I quit this subject in disgust. I find that I have been in a dissecting-room, cutting up a dead dog. I will treat him as an insane man, who was never

CONFERENCE IN ST. MARTIN'S HALL

readiness with which large numbers of the producing classes, had united with the association while holding more advanced opinions, and the valuable aid of Christian ministers, who had perceived the intimate connexion between the improvement of the social and civil condition of the people, and their own success in the discharge of their sacred duties which devolved upon them. (I hear, hear.) The advent of a Protectionist party to power would doubtless reverse the spirit which animated the people during the struggle for the repeal of the Corn Laws. No one could witness the manifestation of that spirit with more satisfaction.

harmony with the people, through a reformed and regenerated House of Commons. For himself he would no

would be characterised by courtesy, moderation, and a spirit of liberality towards all who addressed the meeting, and added, that henceforth the pecuniary respon-

means of placing such resources of sympathy and funds at their disposal as would enable them to prosecute successfully the great work which had been committed to their hands. (Cheers.)

Mr. CLARK moved the appointment of Mr. Holyoake and Mr. THOMPSON, on seconding the motion, repeated his announcement that no person could take any part in the business of the Conference without previously producing his

the association. (Cheers.) There were no working people in it, and it did not represent the feelings of the working classes. (Cheers.) Did they attend their meetings, or had they supported the association? He denied it. (Cheers.) He wished real Chartists, like Mr. J. Hume and Sir J. Walsley, would always stand by their principles; but, for his own part, he did not see what great good it would do the people if the Financial Reformers were in power. The people would not be in power, but the manufacturing capitalists: and, as to that, he believed many of the aristocracy had more chivalry, love of country, and fine feeling

them. If working men were not with them, where were they? They were told that the Chartist kept aloof; he

Mr. J. Dawson said he was a thorough-paced Chartist. At the late meeting in Birmingham, he had given notice to their Chairman that a resolution would be moved in

He regretted that the present Association seemed to endeavour to drive as near the edge of a principle as possible, and yet by some sleight of hand, actually kept from getting

The Rev. R. PARSONS, of Stroud, said he was a Chartist, and had been so from the first; he was also a loyal subject. He cared not who was at the head of the people—whether King, Queen, or President—so long as they ruled according to the laws. He had ever acted with the working men.

We have our usual advices from the United States. They state that on the 14th ult. John Pienna Crampton, Esq., presented to the President of the United States, the letter.

