Important to Builders.—At the Bradford Borough Court, on Monday week, the proprietor of a new building in the Bolton-road was fined 20s. and expenses for refusing to place a proper fence and platform in front of the hoarding erected for the building.

The Late Sir John Guest.—This gentleman, who was proprietor of the Dowlais Ironworks, and member for the adjoining borough of Merthyr, died on 26th ult. Sir John latterly resided chiefly at Canford Manor, which had been recently adorned with many very fine Ninevite sculptures; Mr. Layard, M.P. the discoverer of them, being nearly related to Lady Charlotte Guest, the wife of Sir John.

Cambridge Antiquarian Society.—On 29th ult. the Master of Jesus College in the chair, several additions made to the library and museum of the society since last Easter Term were announced, and Mr. C. C. Babington, of St. John's College, the treasurer, read an account of some remains of the time of Queen Elizabeth, recently found in the course of repairs in the old court of Corpus Christi College. The meeting was held in the Combination Room of St. Catharine's Hall, by permission of that society.

Society of Antiquaries of Newcastle-upon-Tyne.—At the last monthly meeting of this society, Mr. William Kell, town-clerk of Gateshead, in the chair, the Newcastle volume, now in progress, of the Archæological Institute, formed the subject of a brief conversation, and it was resolved that the society's woodcuts and copperplates should be placed at the command of the Institute. Mr. H. G. Potter read a paper on recent excavations by him at Burdoswald, where a fourth gateway, surpassing the others in finish and style, has been discovered, and of which some account is given in the *Gateshead Observer's* report of this meeting.

Paris.—M. Huve, architect, a member of the French Institute, recently died suddenly, in his 69th year. M. Huvé was the architect under whose direction the *Madeleine*, in Paris, was completed.

Wages in South Australia.—Return showing the average wages of mechanics and others in South Australia, for three months ended 30th June, 1852:—Blacksmiths, 8s. to 10s. per day; bricklayers, 7s. to 8s.; brickmakers per 1,000, (making) 7s. to 8s. ditto; carpenters, 8s. to 9s. per day; cabinet-makers, 9s. to 10s.; carriage-makers, 11s.; coopers, 7s. to 8s.; day labourers, 4s. to 5s.; masons, 7s. to 8s.; painters and glaziers, 7s. to 9s.; plasterers, 7s.; sawyers, 7s. per 100 feet; wheelwrights, 8s. to 9s. per day: all without board or lodging.—*Australian and New Zealand Gazette.*

Projected Works.—The advertised notices of "intention to apply to Parliament" are very numerous, and promise a busy session. We find, amongst the matters proposed, the Railway City Terminus; the Regent's Canal Company, Limehouse Dock; the Kingroad Harbour, Docks, and Railway of the Port of Bristol; project to improve supply of the East London Waterworks Company; the London, Liverpool, and North American Screw Steam-ship Company; the Central India Railway; and a new bridge between Putney and Fulham: the old bridge here has long been a nuisance and a disgrace.

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