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NEWS FROM THE FRONT

MIDDLETON STILL AT FISH CREEK—THE WOUNDED DOING WELL—OFFER'S REMARKABLE MARCH—RIEL'S STRENGTH IN THE LATE BATTLE.

OTTAWA, April 28.—The following despatch has been received from Gen Middleton at Fish Creek, April 27: "We must remain here a day or two more. The wounded are all doing well, both Aides are improving rapidly. We are driving in the enemy's cattle and ponies and feeding on the farm. All are anxious to go forward."

In the Commons, last evening Mr Edgar referred to the remarkable march made by Otter's column to the relief of Battleford. Hon Mr Caron was glad that Mr Edgar had qualified the march as he had; it had been considered by the military men as deserving of all the encomiums that could be paid a feat of the kind. The department had always regarded Col Otter as a good officer and he was proud to say that he proved himself so when the opportunity presented itself.

WINNIPEG, April 28.—A deserter from Riel's camp reports the strength of the enemy in the recent fight was 150 halfbreeds and 250 Indians. The fatigue party in scouring the ravine secured 10 head more of cattle and four ponies. After the fight 150 rebels crossed the Saskatchewan two miles below the scene of the fight to the West side.

Gen Middleton places the killed at six and the wounded at thirty seven at the battle of Fish Creek. Two of the wounded have since died. Captain Clarke's wound is not fatal. Hislop's arm is amputated.

A despatch from Regina states a detachment of Mounted Police were sent out last night to interview a party of halfbreeds coming from the North and supposed to be rebels who fled after the battle on their way for the Wood Mountains.

A courier arrived at Calgary last night from Gen Strange, reports the first division camped north of Red Deer River. He has decided to push on to Battle River without waiting for the left wing under Perry.

THE SUPERIOR ROUTE

SOME PARTICULARS OF THE ROAD AND THE JOURNEY OF THE TROOPS (Toronto Mail.)

OTTAWA, April 24.—In conversation with Mr Harry Abbott, contractor of the Canadian Pacific Railway from Callander to a point nearly 200 miles west of Biscotasing, some interesting particulars respecting the transport of the troops were learned.

At Biscotasing a large building of flat timber, well roofed and thoroughly warmed, has been erected for hospital purposes in connection with the work of construction of the railway, the building being 15 feet wide by 30 feet long, fitted up with spring beds, and having a doctor's room fully equipped in conjunction. Mr Abbott's division extends at present from Biscotasing to the end of the iron, a distance of 146 to 160 miles, the length being extended daily as track laying progresses and up to the end of this section the troops despatched to the front were transported in the same cars in which they left Carleton Place.

At the end of the track the troops were transferred to teams, of which 140 were available, eight men being accommodated in each sleigh with their accoutrements. Not a single man of the three thousand forwarded walked a mile of the first gap of 43 miles.

Between the date of the passage of the batteries and that of the Halifax corps, the last battalion to cross, fifteen miles of the gap were closed, and at present only 28 remain to be covered with the iron, there having been twenty five miles closed up in the past month. At Biscotasing a hot meal was provided for the troops, a building having been erected for the accommodation of the troops, capable of seating 200 men, and not a complaint was made to the company respecting the character of the food supplied.

Upon leaving this point every man was provided with a cold meal to be partaken of on the journey to the end of the track, at which point a camp previously belonging to Mr John Conmee, a contractor on the line, was fitted up to receive the troops and 150 at one time dined there. The next eating place was Magpie, halfway across the 43 mile gap, where a temporary shelter was provided by the erection of a large tent with wooden sides and canvas roof in which a heavy meal was partaken of. Between Biscotasing and the end of the first gap not more than six hours' interval occurred between each meal. At the several points of stoppage the food was of the first quality, consisting of canned meats and fruits, vegetables, cooked ham, etc, in abundance. Only one case of sickness occurred in the transport of the troops over this whole section, and that arose from indigestion. At Magpie some 18 tents for the accommodation of the men were provided, and large fires were kept constantly burning to add to their comfort. The gap between Abbott's and Ross's section, now 28 miles, will be closed within ten days, and the two gaps of 26 miles each west of the points along the north of Lake Superior closed by May 15.

THE INDIANS STARVED.

TESTIMONY OF A NORTHWEST MISSIONARY.

The Rev Egerton Young, a Methodist missionary from the Northwest, in a public lecture at Ottawa on Friday evening, gave the clearest evidence that the Indians are starved chiefly because the officials are unfaithful to their trust. The amounts spent by the Dominion Government on the Indians average \$30 a head, of which each Indian gets nominally \$5 and some one else the \$25. In reply to a question at the close of the lecture he said he would send the Indians all to the country north of Lake Winipeg and leave the Indians to be dealt with like the people who have votes.

A NEW ORLEANS TRAGEDY

DISCOVERY OF THE MURDERED BODIES OF A MAN AND WOMAN LOCKED IN A HOUSE

NEW ORLEANS, April 24.—Some gentlemen called at the house of a man named Evans today to see him. They were introduced by the servant girl, who was outside, that the house was locked and she was unable to effect an entrance. The police were notified, and the front door forced, when the dead bodies of Mrs Evans and a man named Wenger were found upon a bed. The woman's brain was protruding from a bullet wound, and a bullet had passed through the man's temple. No trace could be found of the husband.

HONOR TO A CANADIAN.

LIEUT. COL. CAMPBELL, OF ST. HILAIRE, COMMANDS THE 4TH BATTALION GORDON HIGHLANDERS.

Lieut.-Col Campbell, of St Hilaire, late commander of the Royal Scots, of Montreal, and who recently went to reside in England, has been appointed to the command of the Fourth Battalion (Gordon) Highlanders, with headquarters at Aberdeen. The Battalion is composed of volunteers and is linked to the old 92nd Gordon Highlanders in which Capt Campbell served many years, retiring with the rank of Captain. By the new regulations it forms the fourth linked battalion of the Gordon Highlanders, the first battalion being militia men and the two first battalions line or regular. It is one of the finest regiments in the service and masters over 5000 men. Lt Col Campbell is a Canadian by birth, and is a brother of the Comptrol of St Hilaire.

Emigration from Russian Finland has increased to an immense extent. Men fear they will be drafted into the Russian army.

The Government of New South Wales has offered England the Australian contingent now in the Sudan for service in India.

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April 16, 1885

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March 30, 1885.

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QUEBEC DAILY MERCURY

TUESDAY EVENING, APRIL 28

The Prince and Princess of Wales embarked last evening at Dublin for Stranraer, Scotland.

IN CASE OF WAR with Russia and that country should issue letters of marque, what about our mercantile marine? This matter has, we know, exercised the minds of not only ship-owners but of many other persons here who have interests based upon ship property, or whose securities are in ships. There is a feeling that possibly they could be transferred to the American or some neutral flag, by agreement. But, so far as the American flag is concerned, the difficulties would be very great if not insuperable. It is by no means certain that Russia would violate the terms of the Treaty of Paris in this matter of privateering, and perhaps those who assume that she will do so, make an important mistake. Spain and the United States are the only important countries not in the treaty. The United States, it would appear, will not allow her ports to be used for the establishment of prize courts, and we doubt very much if Spain can afford to do so. The nations in the treaty cannot. Without ports to take the prizes into, privateering would be of little use.

MR. BAILLAIRGÉ'S REPORT, just laid before the Mayor and City Council, shews that Ottawa, with a population scarcely one third of ours, has a water works revenue of \$90,000, or equal to three quarters of our total receipts derived from the same source. In every other city in Canada, in the States, and, in fact, the world over, where there is an aqueduct, the revenue is proportionately double ours. For nearly nineteen years that he has been here, Mr Baillairgé has tried, each successive committee has tried, to equalize receipts and expenditure, but up to the present time without success, the deficit being made up by taking from the general funds of the city. The Waterworks Committee is now making a further effort to induce the City Council to do that which should have been done from the opening of the aqueduct—a more equitable division of the rates paid for water and for concomitant advantages. The financial statements appended show that after adding some \$200,000 for the introduction of water into St Roch and other portions of the city, yet unsupplied, our aqueduct will have cost us just \$2,000,000. The interest on debentures, three quarters of which are at 6 per cent and the remainder at 5, amounts of itself to \$115,000. To this must be added \$15,000 for maintenance and management yearly and \$30,000 more for sinking fund at 1 1/2 per cent, showing that the yearly expenditure will be and in fact now is \$160,000. Our actual receipts from all sources on account of Waterworks is but \$110,000, leaving a deficit of \$44,000 to be made good by increased revenue. At the rates proposed on industries, the increase would seem \$33,000 or thereabouts, while the increase on institutions of all denominations and on Imperial, Federal and Local Government properties, at the rates proposed, will be but \$11,000; together \$44,000 to be levied, and if bad debts be allowed for, the total additional revenue will fall short of this and still leave a deficit, unless a lower percentage be put aside for sinking fund, say 1 1/2 instead of 1 1/2 per cent or \$20,000 annually instead of \$30,000.

In the event of war, the Russian Imperial Guard will proceed to the northern provinces of Russia, bordering on the Baltic to the number of 60,000 men and 164 guns.

OUR MINISTER OF WAR

To the Editor of the Mercury: Having many friends and some few relatives in our local volunteer corps, who, in response to the call of duty, are now serving their country and an iniquitous Government, in the North West, I was intensely relieved today in reading your morning contemporary to peruse a communication from that great military authority (and Tory), Codville, and addressed to an even greater military authority, Caron to the effect that he, Codville, after many years of experience in the mode of Indian warfare in California, Oregon and other States, has never witnessed such gigantic and successful efforts in the matter of military preparation, as have been effected by our "Honorable and Dear Sir" Caron, Minister of Militia.

There is a motto old and homely, but applicable, "of a shoemaker sticking to his last"—a grocer being about as absurd a critic on such matters as a briefless lawyer is likely to be a lamentable failure as a Minister of Militia.

Yours, &c.,
AN OLD QUEBECER.
Quebec, 27th April, 1885.

THE BROKEN ICE BRIDGE.

The ice jam opposite the city, which occurred on Sunday morning, still remains firm, and the canoe men today say it is aground. In the meantime, crowds of men, both on the Quebec and Point Lévis shores, are working like trojans saving the valuable logs and lumber with which the ice is so profusely covered. This new and unique-looking bridge covers the space from a line opposite the breakwater to above the Grand Trunk depot at South Quebec.

NORTH SHORE DIRECTORATE

It is reported that the three directors in the joint arrangement between the Grand Trunk and the Canadian Pacific for the running of the North Shore will be on the part of the Grand Trunk, Messrs Senecal, Wainwright, and McDougall, and on the part of the Canadian Pacific, Messrs Van Horn, Stephen and Angus. The arbitrator or seventh director, to be appointed by the Government, will be the Chairman and will have no connection with the Government.

OUR RAILWAYS AND FERRIES.

Says the Montreal Witness:—Mr Owen Murphy, ex Mayor of Quebec, who is now on a visit to this city, says that the Senecal clique is not in favor of a bridge at Quebec, but desire the winter ferry service, for which a subsidy of \$100,000 has been granted by the Provincial and the same amount by the Federal Governments. The latter is interested in having a connection made with the Intercolonial.

THE BISHOP OF NIAGARA.

The Rev Mr Hamilton left by Intercolonial Railway this morning for Fredericton, NB. The Bishop and some of the clergy of the Diocese accompany him, and will be present at the consecration on Friday, which is attracting much attention in the sister Diocese, all the railways and steamboats carrying passengers to the city at special fares.

WAR AND MONEY.

The disturbance in the Northwest will no doubt affect the money market. If it continues it will make money tight, as war is an expensive game, and if England goes to war with Russia there will be a scarcity of funds and capitalists are loth to loan money to a country which is at war or where there is rebellion.

C. P. R. NOTES.

Notes of the Canadian Pacific Company were offered for sale in Montreal on Saturday. They appear to have been given to American firms for supplies.

SCOTS BRIDGE WRECKED

The Scots bridge over the St Charles was completely carried away yesterday. The inhabitants on the north side have now to make a considerable detour to come to town.

MILITIA INSPECTION.

The Eighth Battalion, Stadacona Rifles, having completed their annual drill, will be inspected at the drill shed tomorrow night.

RECORDER'S COURT.

Six tenants, sued for having a dirty yard in Eustache street, having removed the filth, were each condemned to a small fine and costs.

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A SKILFUL SURGICAL OPERATION.

The American Ambassador at Vienna, Mr. Kasson, has lately forwarded to his Government an interesting account of a remarkable surgical operation lately performed by Professor Billroth, of Vienna, which, wonderful to tell, consisted in the removal of a portion of the human stomach, involving nearly one-third of the organ—and, strange to say, the patient recovered—the only successful operation of the kind ever performed. The disease for which this operation was performed was cancer of the stomach, attended with the following symptoms:—The appetite is quite poor. There is a peculiar indescribable distress in the stomach, a feeling that has been described as a faint "all gone" sensation; a sticky slime collects about the teeth, especially in the morning, accompanied by an unpleasant taste. Food fails to satisfy this peculiar faint sensation; but, on the contrary, it appears to aggravate the feeling. The eyes are sunken, tinged with yellow; the hands and feet become cold and sticky—a cold perspiration. The sufferers feel tired all the time, and sleep does not seem to give rest. After a time the patient becomes nervous and irritable, gloomy, his mind filled with evil forebodings. When rising suddenly from a recumbent position there is a dizziness, a whistling sensation, and he is obliged to grasp something firm to keep him from falling. The bowels constive, the skin dry and hot at times; the blood becoming thick and stagnant, and does not circulate properly. After a time the patient spits up food soon after eating, sometimes in a sour and fermented condition, sometimes sweetish to the taste. Oftentimes there is a palpitation of the heart, and the patient fears he may have heart disease. Towards the last the patient is unable to retain any food whatever, as the opening in the intestines becomes closed, or nearly so. Although this disease is indeed alarming, sufferers with the above-named symptoms should not feel nervous, for nine hundred and ninety-nine cases out of a thousand have no cancer, but simply dyspepsia, a disease easily removed if treated in a proper manner. The safest and best remedy for the disease is Seigel's Curative Syrup, a vegetable preparation sold by all chemists and medicine vendors throughout the world, and by the proprietors, A. J. White (Limited), 17, Farringdon road, London, E.C. This syrup strikes at the very foundation of the disease, and drives it, root and branch, out of the system.

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I am, dear Sir, yours faithfully,
(Signed) W Bowker.

To A J White, Esq.,
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I am, dear Sir,
Yours ever gratefully,
(Signed) Carey B Berry,
A J White, Esq. Baptist Missionary,
Hensingham, Whitehaven, Oct 16, 1882.
Mr A J White—Dear Sir,—I was for some time afflicted with piles, and was advised to give Mother Seigel's Syrup a trial, which I did. I am now happy to state that it has restored me to complete health—I remain yours, respectfully,
(Signed) John H Lightfoot.

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April 25, 1885.

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The Steamer St. Lawrence,
CAPT. BARRAS,

is intended to leave the St Andrew's Wharf on Thursday, the 7th May next, at 7 3/4 AM, for Chicoutimi and Hall's Bay, and will stop at Bale St Paul, Ile aux Coudres, les Eboulements, Murray Bay, Riviere du Loup, Tadoussac and L'Anse St Jean, both going and returning.

For further information apply at the Office of the St. Lawrence Steam Navigation Company, St. Andrew's Wharf.
A. GABOURY
Secretary
April 22, 1885

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April 18, 1885.

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Reported by T. E. H. H. & Co., 13, St. James Street, near Quebec Bank.

Table of New York Stock Exchange prices for various stocks like C & A Quincy, N Y Central, etc.

GRAINS IN CHICAGO

Table of grain prices in Chicago for May, June, July.

PROVISIONS IN CHICAGO

Table of provision prices in Chicago for May, June, July.

COLLEGE OF PHYSICIANS AND SURGEONS - OF THE PROVINCE OF QUEBEC. Provincial Medical Board.

THE EXAMINATION FOR ADMISSION TO THE STUDY OF MEDICINE WILL BE HELD ON Thursday, the 7th May Next, AT TEN O'CLOCK A.M.

Artisan's Permanent Building Society. Dividend No 20

NOTICE. The Annual General Meeting will take place at the office of the Society on Thursday, the 21st May next, at 4 pm.

LA BANQUE NATIONALE. The Annual General Meeting of the Shareholders will be held at the Bank, on TUESDAY, the 12th of May next, at THREE o'clock P.M.

Capital Prize, \$75,000. Tickets only \$5. Shares in Proportion.



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COLLEGE OF PHYSICIANS AND SURGEONS - OF THE PROVINCE OF QUEBEC. Provincial Medical Board. SEMI-ANNUAL MEETING.

Wednesday, the 13th May Next, AT TEN O'CLOCK A.M.

in the City of Montreal, in the Rooms of the Medical Faculty of Laval University. Candidates for Examination or License must send their papers (including certificate of admission to the study of medicine) also the fee for the license, \$20, at least ten days previous to the meeting, to either of the undersigned Secretaries.

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TUESDAY EVENING, APRIL 28

NORTHWEST TROUBLE

Middleton and the Troops Explore the Ravine

The Supply Steamer "Northcote" Supposed to be Aground.

Everything in Readiness for an Advance on Batoche.

The Very Latest by Telegraph Today.

By telegraph to the Mercury:

FISH CREEK CAMP, April 27—At one yesterday afternoon the 90th Battalion and the Winnipeg battery moved to ravine with scouts in advance and thoroughly explored it, Gen Middleton riding through. The place is almost impregnable. Rifle pits in rows of three to five were hollowed out of a steep bank and could not be reached by artillery or small arms. Two dead Indians were near the crest of the hill, and in three other pits blood was seen. Fifty five horses, many handsome valuable animals, lie dead in the woods. In sheltered spots were dead oxen. Two shot guns and a lot of savage tregery were found. The Indians had left in a hurry. Most of the horses were killed by artillery fire and the trees look as if a cyclone had been through them. The bodies of Cook and Wheeler were recovered from the ravine.

CREE CHIEFS ARRESTED. CALGARY, April 26—Three Cree chiefs at Battle River have been arrested and held responsible for the late raid there. A small band of Cree near Edmonton have been acting ugly but are too few to do serious damage.

THE "NORTHCOTE." LARKS CROSSING, April 28—The Northcote supply steamer has not yet arrived. She is escorted by a large force.

NARROW ESCAPE OF SUPPLIES. Thirty waggons with supplies, proceeding to Batoche, were brought into camp last night by our scouts.

A FORWARD MOVE. The troops will move forward today.

2nd Despatch. WINNIPEG, April 28—Everything is in readiness for the troops to move forward upon Batoche.

TROOPS AT QU'APPELLE. The 91st Battalion are still at Qu'Appelle. The reason of keeping so many troops around Qu'Appelle is the Indians and halfbreeds there are restless. It is believed the leaders will escape this route south.

COL QUIMET. Colonel Quimet, MP, arrived last night and left this morning for the West to join his regiment.

STE "NORTHCOTE" REPORTED AGROUND. Rumor says the steamer Northcote is aground on a sand bar fifteen miles north of Swift Current. The water is very low, but the rains may have enabled her to navigate further.

SUPPLIES FOR THE TROOPS. MOOSE JAW, April 28—300 head of cattle for the troops at Clark's Crossing and Prince Albert are being sent. A long train of transport cars passed through last night with about 40 men who had been engaged at Fargo, Dakota, at \$4 50 per day.

THE INDIANS' IDOL. Major Walsh has wired Black Bull to meet him at the station of Moose Jaw. The Sioux Indians here adore Major Walsh.

WHY THE PROVISIONS ARE SHORT. Private despatches received in Ottawa from the volunteers with Gen Middleton's force indicate that the supply of provisions is short and difficult to obtain, and that this is one of the greatest difficulties volunteers have to contend with. The Globe letter says: "Little else could be expected when the supply department was placed in charge of political jobbers like Gum Swamp Anderson."

—See fourth page.

From Toronto this Evening.

By telegraph to the Mercury.

TORONTO, April 28—In the Metropolitan Church on Sunday the preacher delivered a stirring sermon warning his congregation against desecrating the Lord's day by purchasing papers. When the congregation were dispersing several newsboys were standing outside the doors with free papers, which were all quickly disposed of and eagerly perused.

A bazaar held here last week for the benefit of the Church of England in Algoma has netted the handsome sum of \$7800, which has been handed over to Bishop Sullivan.

Seven newsboys were arraigned at the Police Court this morning for selling papers on Sunday and were remanded till tomorrow.

King of the Congo.

By cable to the Mercury.

BRUSSELS, April 28—The Chamber of Deputies has unanimously adopted the bill authorizing Leopold to accept the title of Sovereign of the Congo Free State.

Canadians in Egypt.

By telegraph to the Mercury.

WINNIPEG, April 28—A telegram received at Winnipeg from the Governor General announces the death of D McLean, a member of the Nile contingent, of enteric fever.

Measles Epidemic.

By telegraph to the Mercury.

NEW YORK, April 28—The measles epidemic continues here. 450 children have died from the disease since 1st January.

The Turf.

By cable to the Mercury.

LONDON, April 28—The race for the great Metropolitan Stakes at Epsom today were won by Althrop, with Hermitage second, and Criterion third.

The Mahdi's Defeat.

By cable to the Mercury.

DONGOLA, April 28—The Mahdi sent four boat loads of troops against Senaar. The attack was repulsed with great loss to the Mahdi's forces.

Wales Arrived in England.

By cable to the Mercury.

LONDON, April 28—The Prince and Princess of Wales arrived this morning.

Grant Growing Stronger.

By telegraph to the Mercury.

NEW YORK, April 28—General Grant is daily growing stronger.

SALVAGE FOR BRINGING THE "ALASKA" TO PORT.

NEW YORK, April 28—Judge Brown, of the United States District Court, has given a decision in the suit of the Canadian Steamship Company against the steamship Alaska, of Cunard Line, for salvage. The Canadian line's steamer Lake Winnipeg fell in with the Alaska which had lost her rudder on February 30th and helped her reach port. The Lake Winnipeg claimed as salvage \$150,000, being 20 percent of the value of the Alaska and her cargo. Judge Brown decided that the salvage be 2 1/2 percent of the value of the Alaska and the cargo—in all \$26,039. The owners of the Lake Winnipeg will receive \$19,039, the master of the vessel \$2,000, the first officer and the engineer \$500 each, and \$4,000 will be distributed to the other officers and the crew, in proportion to their rate of wages. The United States marshal's costs and the costs of the suit will be paid by the Alaska.

TEMPERATURE.—The following is the temperature, Fahrenheit, by Hearn & Harrison thermometer (agreeing with Negretti & Zambra), in the shade, at The Mercury Office, 20 and 22, Mountain Hill, 130 feet above spring tide level:—

Table of temperature readings from 1885 to April 28, showing min, max, and wind speed.

ENGLAND AND RUSSIA.

England Will Bombard Russian Ports and Enter the Black Sea in the Event of War.

Bermuda Being Put into a State of Defence.

Russian Transport Ordered Out of the Suez Canal.

The Very Latest Despatches.

By cable to the Mercury.

LONDON, April 28—England has notified the powers who signed the Paris convention that her warships will enter the Black Sea in case of war and bombard Russian ports, since Russia has fortified Batoche, which is in defiance of the treaty.

The Whitehead factory at Fiume is hurrying the manufacture of torpedoes for England.

It is reported that Russia is meeting with great opposition in her endeavors to purchase transport animals.

There has been rioting in Turkestan and Calcutta.

The Nawabs of Dacca and Moora hadabad have provided the government with ten lakh of rupees towards the operations in Afghanistan.

MIMA, April 28—The Russian cruiser Dymhit is lying off the coast. There are five English warships on the South Pacific Station.

NEW YORK, April 28—The British are putting the Bermuda Islands in a complete state of defence.

LONDON, April 28—A declaration of war is not expected to follow directly upon the rupture of diplomatic relations. Baron de Staal and Seeaward would be recalled and Russia would then order Konaroff to advance on Herat. England meanwhile occupy Quetta and Candahar. The fact that a Russian transport, which passed through the Suez Canal and was ordered back, is still waiting at the entrance of the canal, causes some anxiety.

It is reported that the whole Russian shore of the Baltic has been strongly fortified and approach at any point is dangerous owing to the presence of torpedoes.

LONDON, April 28—Immense quantities of coal are being shipped to Cape Town for British cruisers in the event of the Suez Canal being closed.

Four torpedo boats lying at Sheerness have been ordered into service.

LONDON, April 28—Mr Gladstone stated in the Commons this afternoon that Government had received no confirmation of the reported battle between Russians and Afghans. Mr Bartlett asked whether Russia had withdrawn from undertaking; not to occupy Herat. Mr Gladstone answered no.

The Cabinet sat two hours and twenty minutes this afternoon.

The Government has accepted the offer made by New South Wales of their contingent for service in India or elsewhere.

ENGLISH VOTE OF CREDIT.

The Imperial House of Commons went into Committee of Supply last evening and Mr Gladstone explained the object of the vote of credit. The entire credit of \$55,000,000 was voted without debate, after one of the most powerful and telling speeches ever delivered by Mr Gladstone. The Premier was cheered to the echo.

THE ANGLO RUSSIAN CRISIS.

A St Petersburg correspondent says: I am informed on good authority of another engagement on the Afghan frontier. Of 1700 Russians who engaged the Afghans nearly all were killed.

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SHIPPING INTELLIGENCE

The following vessels have sailed for this port:—

Anna, Olsen, Newcastle, April 7
Ajur, Greenock, April 16
Avalon, Tonsberg, April 15
Ala, Hansen, Liverpool, April 15
Anna, Salveson, Glasgow, April 23
Amranth, Greenock, April 13.
A male, Christine, Cork, April 10
ibinus, Neil, Sharpness, April 10
delgunde, Peterson, London, April 10.
gathu, Hansen, Waterford, do 7.
Ipsa, Cron, Newcastle, March 21.
Inertine, Greenock, April 9.
nna, Guldmundsen
Ipsa, Liverpool, March 23.
thra, Antwerp, April 10.
Hootford, Greenock, April 10.
rran, Melbury, do do 10.
Adeigunde, Liverpool, April 12
Agra, Fredericksstad, April 4
Amor Jones, London, April 23
Arolis, Waterford, April 22
Almeida, Glasgow, do do

Berkley Castle, Plymouth, April 16
Bury St Edmunds, Nansen, Dundee, April 13
Bothnia, London, April 11.

Canara, Robinson, Liverpool, April 15
Carin, Mandal, March 31
Constitution, April 11
Clara Magnum, do 15
Clyde, Suiter, Newport, April 3
Cavour, Greenock, do 13
Charger, Whistler, Belfast, do 14
Carme, Anderson, Port Glasgow, April
Carolis Magnus, ship, Liverpool.
Concurrent, Fredericksstad, March 31.
Chapman, Belfast, April 18
Choice, Weir, Liverpool, do
Columbus, Mikkelsen, Liverpool, April 23

Decision, Greenock, do 13
Dronningen, Meyer, Liverpool, April 11.
Donald Ferguson, Brownrigg, Belfast, April 18
Diligentia, Greenock, April 16
Desalabory, Newcastle, do
Dodata, Altona, April 22

Essern Star, Plymouth, April 15
Erate, Laurvig, April 14
Einar Tamborskjalver, Winesa, Lpool
Emilie, Newcastle, March 25.
Eminta, Greenock, April 10
Ella, Shields, April 22

Forganhall, Greenock, April 15
Fritthjof, Stavanger, do 11
Flora, Jorgensen, Liverpool, April 14
Festina Lente, Glasgow, April 8.

Gloaming, Dinsmore, Rotterdam, April 11
Gardoba, Waterford, April 7.
Gylle, Deal, April 11.
Gatineau, Greenock, April 16
Guidregu, Christiana, April 9
Gunhild, Olsen, Ski-n, April 8
Gladstone, Suir, Liverpool, April 23
Gyda, London, April 22

Holyea, Lamerick, April 18
Heiene, Hiertzen, St Nazaire, April 18
Hoving, Laurvig, April 15
Harvest Home, German, Londonderry, do 13
Henrietta, Gibraltar, March 30.
Hemborsund, Grimstad, April 4

Irminda, Liverpool, April 13
Imator, Fredericksstad, April 2.
Iles, Sharpness, April 7.

Jane, England, Liverpool, April 15
Jane Lee, Newgreen, Greenock, April 9.
Juno, London, April 3
Jessie Douglas, Plymouth, April 18

Kate Harding, Barbadoes, April 10
Kimon, Trapani, March 29.
Kong Oscar II, Cardiff, Kjoberck, April 4

Little Annie, Barbadoes, March 11.
Loyal, March, Liverpool.
Louise, Griffith, Bristol, April 6
Laura, Antwerp, April 4

Magnum, Tonsberg, April 15
Maud, Plymouth, April 15
Maryborough, Plymouth, April 15
Mazalena, Troon, April 10
Magnificent, Hull, April 6.
Magdale, Belfast, March 14.
Margarethe, Supple, Granton, March 24.
Marie, Sonne, Greenock, April 9.
Ma the Giersten, London, April 2.
Mindel, Rochet, April 8.
Mary K Campbell, Buenos Ayres, April 14
Mary, Helvet, April 15
Mount Pleasant, Greenock, April 23

Naraysa, Tonsberg, April 8
Nicotette, Waterford, do 10
New Brunswick, Maryport, April 11
Norway, Fredericksstad, March 26.
Nevada, McIntosh, Rio Janeiro, March 14
Norumbega, Johnson, Liverpool, April 11
Nymphe, Antwerp, April 19
Norden, St Vincent, CV, March 25.

Oscar Ist, Gibraltar
Ottawa, Newcastle, March 30.
Ottolina, Fredericksstad, March 31.
Onni, Londonderry, April 13

President Lie
Prince Eugen, Laurvig, April 4
Princess Alexandra, Belfast, April 8.
Pruitho, Alicante, February 20.
Petra, Falkenberg, Bristol, April 8.
Premier, Fleetwood, April 8
Progress, Waterford, April 9.
Princess Alexandra, Greenock, April 9.
Prinias Leopold, Arnesen, Greenock, April 2

Queen of Nations, Greenock, April 9.
Queen of the North, London, April 4.
Ruby, Dublin, April 4
Rutland, Casey, Liverpool, April 15
Resolute, Jacobson, London, April 3
Red Cross, Greenock, April 13
Royal Tar, Kerr, Liverpool, April 16
Ronde, Olsen, London, April 25

Summerlee, Ireland, Leith, April 13
St Ives, Clancy, Wexford, April 17
Stf, Christina, April 14
S. pini, Gullicksen, Ostend, April 7
Sirocco, Carthagena, April 15
Salus, Waterford, April 24

The Craigs, Irvine, do do 13
Teipsichore, Hull, do 2
Therese, Fredericksstad, March 31.
Twilight, Dunn, Port Glasgow, April 10.
True Briton, Jefferson, Rio Janeiro, Men 18
Terze, Rus, Liverpool

Uno, London, April 14

Vancouver, Munro, Fleetwood, April 14
Vaeni, Liverpool, April 6.
Yener, Rotterdam, April 115
Vensk be, Laurvig, April 15

Wimburn
Wm Linck, Dantzic, March 25.

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By order of the Board, CHAS. DRINKWATER, Secretary. March 10, 1885.

CANADA, Province of Quebec } In the Superior District of Quebec } Court No. 1526. Dame Sarah Ann McConne, wife commune en biens of Didace Lapointe, of Saint Gilles de Beau-rivage, county of Joliboire. Plaintiff,

vs. Didace Lapointe, of the same place, trader, Defendant.

An action for separation as to property has been instituted in this cause. BERNIER & ROY, Attorneys for Plaintiff, Quebec, 26th March, 1885. April 8th, 1885.

CANADA, Province of Quebec } In the Superior Court District of Quebec } No. 1626. Dame Georgiana Richard, wife commune en biens of Etienne Pierre Bourassa, of the town of Levis, Plaintiff

vs. Etienne Pierre Bourassa, of the town of Levis, Defendant.

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