

THE RUSSIAN WAR. FURTHER PARTICULARS.

PERSIA'S ATTITUDE. The Persian envoy to England attended at the Foreign Office on the 13th inst., at the request of Lord Granville.

THE ARREST OF AYUB KHAN. The Persian authorities, by the demand of Sir R. F. Thompson, British minister at Teheran.

THE VOTE OF CREDIT. Mr. Gladstone, in the Commons on the 13th inst., stated that upon receipt from Russia of Gen. Komaroff's explanation of the Penjdeh incident, he had telegraphed Sir Peter Lumsden for information as to the correctness of the Russian commander's justification of his conduct in attacking the Afghans.

THE MARQUIS OF HARTINGTON IN MOVING A REPLY TO THE QUEEN'S MESSAGE summoning the reserve, stated he was unable at present to speak concerning the military measures under consideration by the Government.

THE OFFICIAL MESSENGER OF ST. PETERSBURG, on the 13th inst. published a further communication from Gen. Komaroff regarding the recent battle between the Afghans on the Kushk River.

IT IS A NOTWORTHY FACT that Katkoff's Moskau Journal on the 7th of April published landscape sketches of Penjdeh, and prophesied the recent battle.

PRINCE BISMARCK, in a private conversation with a friend, on the 10th inst., said he was convinced there will be no war, because Mr. Gladstone's statement, made in the House of Commons late on Thursday night, about the Afghans having thrown out pickets before the Russians advanced, clears the way for an understanding between Russia and England.

THE MOSCOW VELOMOSHI, the paper of Mr. Katkoff, on hearing of the war preparations in England, said: "English diplomats are playing a ridiculous role in relation to Russia. Taking her for a child, they make frightful faces, expecting to scare her. This trick is not a new one. In 1863, during the Polish insurrection, they thought to frighten Russia by their Parliamentary farce. During the recent Russo-Turkish war they meant to frighten us when they ordered from India to Malta 7,000 Indian soldiers. And now they want to frighten us away from Afghanistan. How ridiculous it is for them to shout war when they have at present neither men nor money."

THE RIEL REBELLION. FURTHER PARTICULARS.

WHAT THE POSTMASTER GENERAL SAYS. Previous to their departure for the Northwest, Colonel Williams' Battalion were addressed by the Hon. John Carling, who said: "The Minister of Militia has telegrams from Prince Edward Island, from Nova Scotia, from New Brunswick, from the gallant French-Canadians of Quebec, from British Columbia and the Northwest—in fact, from every part of our fair Dominion. From the Atlantic to the Pacific our people are springing as one man in defence of our common country. (Cheers.) I am delighted, I am pleased beyond measure, to meet you here today. I can assure you, and in doing so I know I am speaking the sentiments of the government but also the sentiments of those politically opposed to us, that there is but one united will in the parliament of Canada, to sustain you in every effort to stamp out this rebellion. (Cheers.) I am addressing you as volunteers, and while I recognize that you hold different political views, still I think that in this matter we are agreed that party feeling must not enter. (Cheers.) We see the son of our veteran and venerated Premier shouldering his rifle and going to the front, along with thousands of other loyal conservatives, while the sons of our political opponents are rallying with us in the defence of law and order. (Loud cheers.) You are going to the front, as I said before, as patriotic and loyal Canadians, in the defence of your country. You bear with you the hearty sympathy and support of all persons in the Dominion. You have parliament and the people at your backs, and you are fortified by the prayers and good wishes of your mothers, sisters, wives and sweethearts. (Applause.) I am confident when you return you will have the proud satisfaction of knowing that you have done your duty to your country, and however hearty may have been the send-off given you in London, I feel confident that when you return the greetings you will receive from your townspeople will be no less enthusiastic. From the bottom of my heart I wish you God speed and good luck. I can only say that every provision has been made and will be made for your comfort by the militia department, supported by the government and parliament of the country. The route by which you are travelling, although perhaps not an easy one, is a safe one, and it is a proud thing to be able to say that it lies altogether within our own territory. (Applause.) Great credit is due to the officials of the Canadian Pacific Railway, from the energetic president, Mr. Stephen, downwards, for the facility with which they have transported the large bodies of troops within the last few days at such short notice, and for the efforts they have put forth to make the lot of our citizen soldiers at this unseasonable period of the year as easy as possible. (Cheers.) I was most anxious to come here to see you; but, however great my anxiety was, I had others prompting me to come, namely, my good wife and other members of my family." (Applause.)

SENSATIONAL RUMORS. The Winnipeg correspondent of the St. John Sun says: "All sorts of sensational rumors are flying about, but it is with difficulty to detect a grain of truth in any of them. One fact is the military authorities keep their mouths pretty close, and what leaks out is so distorted as to be utterly unreliable. As for 'settlers' stories, we take no stock in them. I have it from what I know to be undoubted authority, that no body of American Indians has yet crossed the frontier into Canada, nor is it possible for any to do so. That you can rely on. As for tribal rising at various points, present or prospective, take my word for it, there will be none. A few bands, the bob-tail and rag-tail of the tribes, are committing depredation here and there, but they in no instance are formidable. The great mass of the Indians are loyal, and will so remain, for the sufficient reason that it is not to their interest to quarrel with their bread and butter. Riel's only dependence is on the half-breeds and Indian tramps, and as their number is limited, they will soon be forced into close quarters. The worst news we get is from Battleford, where a disaster may possibly occur, but at the rate reinforcements are pushing on, I doubt if the Fort Pitt Indians will make any stand. On the North Saskatchewan the Cree Indians are inclined to listen to the half-breeds, and may yet make common cause with them, in which event some bloody deeds will be recorded, and it will take months to quell the disturbance there."

ADDITIONS TO THE MEDICAL CORPS. Eleven medical students left Toronto on the 13th inst., to join the medical corps of the Northwest, and several nuns and Protestant women have volunteered as nurses. A complete outfit for four field hospitals of 50 patients each, or 200 in all, left Montreal on the evening of the 8th inst., in a special car attached to the Canadian Pacific express train for Toronto, and was due at Winnipeg on the 12th inst. It was in charge of Dr. Douglass, a Victoria Cross man, and a staff of dressers, who were joined by another staff at Toronto. A hospital car fitted up for wounded or sick patients is now at Winnipeg, and field ambulances and medical wagons are now on the way. The outfit will include tents, woollen blankets, rubber blankets, tarpaulins, cots, stretchers, camp stools, mattresses, pillows, sheets, carpet-slippers, woollen gowns for the patients, complete cooking appliances, water bottles, drugs, surgical instruments, etc., etc. A permanent hospital camp will be stationed at Winnipeg, in the immigrant sheds there or in tents. The diet will be equal to that of the Montreal or Toronto hospitals.

THE SWIFT CURRENT DISPATCH OF THE 12th inst., says:—Col. Otter's whole force will move on to the South Saskatchewan crossing to-morrow morning and will reach that place in a few days. The police left this afternoon. Col. Otter's provisions have not all arrived, and he will have to wait at the crossing till they come up. Enough for thirty days will be taken. Col. Otter does not expect the boats to be in readiness, and if not he will push on with all haste across the prairies for Battleford. The march will take at least about ten

days, probably more. Two hundred and fifty rounds of ammunition will be taken for each man, and fifty thousand rounds for the galling guns. There are no telegraph lines after leaving here, and we will have to depend upon couriers to get news until Battleford is reached.

THE HALIFAX CONTINGENT. The Halifax boys arrived at Ottawa at half-past seven o'clock on Monday evening, and a large number of Nova Scotians waited for them. Mrs. McLellan, wife of Hon. Mr. McLellan, presented them with a flag of Canada, saying that she did so at the request of a number of members who had provided it. She knew she was committing it to men of Nova Scotia who would do honor to our common country and bear themselves bravely like good soldiers. Col. Bremner said he was sorry to learn from the papers that an impression had got abroad that Nova Scotians were not loyal to Canada. It was a false impression. The great trouble he had was to refuse volunteers who offered, and they left behind them hundreds with tears in their eyes because they could not go to the front with them.

FENIAN RIOTS. The principal organizer of the demonstrations against the Prince of Wales was Mr. O'Brien, M. P., editor of United Ireland. In an interview Mr. O'Brien said: "My object is accomplished. I have shown the special reporters who accompany the Prince of Wales the true Irish view of his visit, and I have vindicated Ireland's name." Another account of the trouble at Mallow says: A large concourse of Nationalists, headed by Messrs. O'Brien, Harrington and Deasy, members of Parliament, gathered at the railway station to await the arrival of the Prince of Wales. Fearing trouble the railway officials with the aid of constabulary ejected the nationalists from the station. The latter complain that undue force was used. Upon the arrival of the Prince and Princess they were warmly cheered and addresses of welcome presented to them. The attempt of the Nationalists to raise a counter demonstration resulted in a fizzle. When Police Inspector Carr ordered the station cleared, the police used their batons on the crowd freely, driving them over the walls to the waste ground beyond. Mr. O'Brien appealed to the director of the railway, Mr. Cooke, stating he had a return ticket to Cork, but Mr. Cooke refused to allow him to remain in the station, as there was no train for Cork for an hour and a half. Mr. Butler, a magistrate, refused to accede to Inspector Carr's request to cause the arrest of the ringleaders of the party. The police commenced a fresh assault, and, aided by armed military, drove the Nationalists some distance off and held them at bay until the royal visitors arrived and departed for Lord Listowel's residence. Many people were injured. It was reported that the police roughly handled the members of Parliament present, but Mr. O'Brien denies this. In the evening the Nationalists held a meeting at Cork, at which several members of Parliament denounced the attempt to stifle the national voice. John O'Connor, member for Tipperary, in a speech, said: "Men of rebel Cork, we are now in open rebellion. The first shot was fired to-day." During the rioting in Cork in the evening the houses of several loyalists were wrecked. It is reported that the suburban police station at Blackpool was wrecked.

NINE MONTHS' FAST. DEATH OF MISS SMUSLEY—LIVING NINE MONTHS WITHOUT FOOD. Kate Smusley died at Fort Plain, N. Y., on the 9th inst. She had been lying in a comatose condition for several days, otherwise there was no change from her general condition. Death had been expected at any time, but she gave no indications of it until the last moment. She had kept up her courage from mere will power, in the hope of recovery. There is no doubt that from the 11th day of March, 1884, till the day before Thanksgiving last she did not eat anything. Upon that day she experienced a peculiar sensation, like the breaking away of something in her stomach, and since then she had been able to take a little nourishment in the shape of wine of whey. She was very much emaciated and weighed scarcely twenty-five pounds. The family are German Lutherans. She was born here October 24, 1864. It will be remembered from accounts already given that she had been ailing from a weakness since October, 1882, and that her disease had baffled all physicians who visited her. She was at first attended by Dr. Snyder, and upon his death by Dr. Ayers and Dr. Zoller, and other noted physicians from abroad, who all expressed themselves as having never seen any case like it. Local doctors held an autopsy.

BOYS FOR CANADA.—The Allan steamers Hanoverian from Glasgow and the Peruvian from Liverpool arrived at Halifax on the 13th inst., and reported they experienced very heavy weather the entire passage. The Hanoverian's topmast yards, rigging and iron foremast were smashed and carried away, her decks swept and boats stove in. She brought 101 boys from Glasgow for the McQuarrie home at Belleville, Ont. They were the best looking crowd of boys yet landed at Halifax. The Peruvian brought 65 boys, going to Stratford, Ont., sent out by Miss McPherson. Another batch of 100 sent by Miss Rye, will arrive in the Sardinian. The Peruvian also brought 187 immigrants, many of them for the Northwest.

IT IS REPORTED THAT Messrs. R. R. Dobell & Co., Quebec, have purchased all the white pine deals that are to be sawn at the Buckingham mills during the coming season. The prices have not transpired. The probability of a war between Russia and England is the all absorbing topic throughout the city. If war is declared it will benefit shipowners, and increase the demand for our timber and deals, as all the Baltic ports will be closed.

THE ALTON (ILLINOIS) PRESBYTERY has received a letter from Frances Willard, in which she claims that she has received a "divine revelation" calling her to work for the political advancement of women. The communicant says woman suffrage should be made a leading feature of Christian work.

MARRIED. At Rollo Bay, on the 14th inst., by Rev. Dr. Walker, Captain Patrick J. Ludwell, of Charlottetown, to Miss Ellen Peters, of Rollo Bay.

UNTIL ARRIVAL OF NEW GOODS DISCOUNT OF 15 TO 25 PER CENT.

I OFFER THE FOLLOWING GOODS AT A BELOW OUR FORMER PRICES: 65 Doz. FELT HATS, 76 Doz. White and Colored SHIRTS, \$1,700 worth of Ready-made CLOTHING, superior quality (our own make), 80 pieces WORSTED, 172 pieces TWEED, which I offer to make to order, or sell by the yard, at prices that no one can afford to undersell.

I have secured the services of Mr. James McLeod, Formerly of the firm of C. E. ROBERTSON, who is so favorably known for many years as a Master Cutter. Your Patronage is Respectfully Solicited.

D. A. BRUCE, MERCHANT TAILOR, 72 Queen Street. Ch'town, April 16, 1885—3mos eod&wkly

Yacht "Claribel." BY Auction, Thursday, April 23rd, at 12 o'clock, noon, where she now lies, at Peake's No. 3 Wharf, the fast-sailing yacht "Claribel," with her tackle and sails complete.

Children's Carriages. BY first Boston boat, we will receive the FINEST, CHEAPEST and BEST assorted stock of Children's Carriages ever shown in Ch'town. Wait for them. MARK WRIGHT & CO. April 14—2wks 3w

Seed Wheat! Seed Wheat! FOR SALE. 800 BAGS Choice Seed WHEAT—White Fife, White Russian and Red Bald. Also, 800 bushels choice Timothy Seed, to arrive first trip Northern Light. OWEN CONNOLLY. Ch'town, March 27—eod&wkly 1stmax

MAIL CONTRACT. TENDERS addressed to the Postmaster General will be received at Ottawa until 12 o'clock noon, on FRIDAY, the 8th of MAY, for the conveyance of Her Majesty's Mails, on prepaid contracts for four years, from 1st July next, over each of the following routes, viz: Berrett's Cross and Clermont, Beach Point and Montague Bridge, East Baltic and Red Point. Printed notices, containing full information as to conditions of proposed contracts may be seen, and blank forms of tender may be obtained at the Post Offices at which the services commence and terminate, or at the office of the Subscriber. F. DEST. C. BRE'KEN, Asst. Post Office Inspector. Post Office Inspector's Office, Ch'town, P. E. I., March 30th, 1885. ap14-3i

WANTED. ON opening of navigation, for brig New Era, to Liverpool, G. B. mate and four seamen. D. GORDON. Georgetown, April 10, 1885—6i wk2i pd

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Men's Felt Hats! LONDON HOUSE. A FINE ASSORTMENT OF FOR SALE BY HORACE HASZARD. Ch'town, March 28, 1885—2wks eod

Notice of Dissolution. THE partnership heretofore existing between Mr. Charles E. Robertson and the Subscriber, as Merchant Tailors, under the style of CHARLES E. ROBERTSON, having expired by lapse of time on the 1st of April, inst., I hereby give notice that I have withdrawn from that firm and have resumed business as Cutter and Tailor for

Mr. D. A. Bruce, Queen Street, where I solicit a continuance of the liberal patronage which the public have extended to me for so many years on this Island. JAMES McLEOD. Ch'town, April 13, 1885—6i pat3i her2i pr2

Spruce Flooring and Sheathing, &c. HAVING been appointed by Messrs. Primrose Brothers, of Pictou, agent for the sale of their well known Grooved and Tongued SPRUCE FLOORING and SHEATHING, I HAVE NOW, and will continue to have on hand a stock of the same, WELL DRIED and SEASONED, which I have no hesitation in recommending as the best in the market. Messrs. Primrose Brothers are also prepared to execute promptly orders left with me for any description of Spruce Scantling, Boards, Laths, &c. For further particulars apply at my residence, Prince Street. THOMAS ALLEY. April 11, 1885—2w 3m&wkly

Auction Sales OF Household Furniture, &c. CONDUCTED at private residences, at Auction Room, or on market days at Market Square, at the option of those requiring my services. Special attention given to those Sales. Charges Moderate! CASH advanced on Goods sent in for Auction. A. McNEILL, Auctioneer. Ch'town, April 11, 1885—4i

MARITIME COMMERCIAL TRAVELLERS ASSOCIATION. St. John, N. B. Halifax, N. S. THE Intercolonial and Prince Edward Island Railways have reduced ticket rates from two and one quarter to two cents per mile for members of this Association; excess baggage rates to be charged. Now is the time for travellers to join Travelling and Insurance Certificates, extra insurance, and all other information on application to JAMES JACK, Secretary, Halifax, N. S. H. J. A. GODARD, Assistant Sec'y, St. John, N. B. April 13—1w

Bags! Bags! 20,000 BAGS (assorted sizes) FOR SALE BY HORACE HASZARD. Ch'town, March 28, 1885—2wks eod

DRUC CLERK. WANTED—A Clerk of some years experience, competent to dispense and keep books; must be well recommended. Apply to DR. DARRACH. Kensington, P. E. I., April 1—2w eod

Dwelling House, Vacant Lot, AND LARGE FACTORY BUILDINGS, BY AUCTION, Monday, April 27th, at 12 o'clock, noon.

On the premises, that conveniently situated, new, and nicely-finished Dwelling House, Stable, &c., on Cumberland Street. —ALSO— The large Factory Buildings and Grounds on Grafton Street (East) 72x80 feet, and a Vacant Lot in rear of same. The whole of this valuable property, owned by Paul Lea, Esq., MUST BE SOLD, and offers a capital chance for safe and profitable investment. Terms—25 per cent. at Sale, the balance in 3 years, bearing interest at 6 per cent. per annum. A. McNEILL, Auctioneer. Ch'town, April 16, 1885.

Bellevue Cottage and Farm. I AM instructed, by W. H. Haszard, to sell by Auction, on Thursday, April 24th, inst., at 12 o'clock, noon, on the premises, that beautifully situated Cottage, and Farm of about 60 acres of land, on Lot 49, facing on Hillsborough Bay, and within 3 miles of Southport Ferry. For a summer residence or seaside hotel this site cannot be surpassed. The Farm is nearly all cultivated and in good condition. Terms—50 per cent. at Sale, the balance in four years at 7 per cent. A. McNEILL, Auctioneer. April 16, 1885—eod wkly

Have you got one of the beautiful Panel Pictures that are given away with "Welcome Soap"? They are going very fast, and the Soap is always welcome in every family.

Great Reduction OF Rates to Chicago and all points on the Pacific Coast, California, Oregon, Washington Territory, Montana, Dakota and British Columbia, via the Hoosac Tunnel route to the West and Northwest. For tickets and all information apply or write to WM. A. FAUGHT, Ticket Agent. Offices:—St. Lawrence Hotel and Queen Street. Ch'town, April 16, 1885—wkly

WANTS, LOST, FOUND, &c. FOUND—On Richmond Street, in the vicinity of Hillsborough Square, a small Purse, containing a few dollars. The owner can have it by applying at this office. ap16 2i wkly 1i pd

WANTED—Tin Cuttings, Ashes and Rubbish of all kinds, at McMillan's Coal Depot, Duncan's Old Wharf—E. McMillan. ap16—thurs sat

FOUND—A Lady's Brown Merino Shawl, der Cape. The owner will please call at the EXAMINER'S Office. ap16

WANTED—On or about the 1st week in May, a House or Cottage in central part of the city. Apply at Reddin's Drug Store. ap14 6i

WANTED—A second hand gentleman's Saddle, in good condition. Apply at this office. ap14—4i

TO BE LET—On or about the 1st May next, the Dwelling House and premises on King Street, formerly occupied by the undersigned; large garden, stables, pump in the yard, &c. Also, a small Pasture Lot, close to the St. Peter's Road, about one mile from the city. Apply to H. J. Cundall. ap14 2w

FOR SALE—A second hand Shop Window and Doors, at a bargain if applied for at once.—W. W. Wellner. ap13 3i

WANTED—A strong, active Girl for general housework. Apply at the Prince Edward Island Hospital. april

TO LET—All or part of the premises lately occupied by Advertiser office, at P. G. Fraser's corner; can be fitted and enlarged for Barber Shop, Offices, &c. Apply to Dorsey, Goff & Co.—ap18

AN experienced foreman of a canned goods factory desires a situation. Apply at THE EXAMINER'S office. ap17

SIX BOARDERS can be comfortably accommodated at Miss Stewart's, corner of Great George and Euston Streets. ap14

TO RENT—The Subscriber offers for rent 1/2 half the Shop, formerly occupied by Messrs Bremner Bros.—W. A. Brennan. ap14

TO LET—A neat, well-finished Cottage, on the St. Peter's Road, together with stable and coach-house, and half an acre of land attached; surroundings pleasant. The above property is within a few minutes' walk of the city, and now occupied by Professor McMillan. Apply to Hector MacLeod, Charlottetown. ap14

TO LET—The Dry Good Store on Queen Street, lately occupied by Mr. James Shand. Apply to Mr. Stevenson. mar29

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