

NEWS BY TELEGRAPH.

THE SITUATION.

Special Dispatch to Examiner:

LONDON, April 20.

The "Times," in its leading article this morning, comments on a despatch from a St. Petersburg correspondent, in which it is stated that our issue out of the present complications consists in undoing much of Russia's work, giving the rest a European instead of a specifically Russian character; that another consists in what is called the principle of equivalents or compensation to the powers for Russia's acquisition, and that the latter solution is what Russia desires, while Great Britain seems resolved to insist upon the former article, says, "It is the partition of Turkey that Russia desires now. It was her partition she desired at the time of the Crimean war; against such a policy we contended then, and are contending now."

Referring to the Italian proposition that England should state her views, the "Times" also says it would be futile and inconsistent with our position to propose any scheme until the main principle of European control has been conceded, without which no scheme could acquire validity or sanction.

ST. PETERSBURG, April 20.

The "Agence Russe" says the assertions that German mediation is broken off are false.

It attained its object by smoothing the way for an exchange of views between the Cabinets, which exchange is now proceeding.

A number of military officers are gazetted. The Grand Duke Nicholas has been promoted to Field Marshal General, and is recalled to Russia on account of ill health.

General Todleben has been appointed Commander-in-Chief of the army in Turkey, with General Smoretzky as Chief of the Staff.

BELGRADE, April 20.

All Serbian soldiers on furlough have been ordered to rejoin their regiments immediately.

CONSTANTINOPLE, April 20.

General Todleben will assume command of the Russian army on Monday.

The Grand Duke Nicholas will leave for St. Petersburg on Tuesday.

The Grand Duke has induced the Porte to send two more officers to urge the regular troops who have joined the Mussulman insurgents to submit.

Some of the Greeks of Theras are joining the Mussulman insurgents.

Continuous fighting reported in Crete.

General News.

MONTREAL, April 25.

Captain Kirwan gives up journalism, and the *True Witness* is for sale.

Lowell, publisher, is preparing a history of Lord Dufferin's Administration, with all his Canadian speeches.

A proposition for the establishment of a call board for wheat and grain has been mooted by the Corn Exchange.

Ogilvie & Co., of this city, propose starting a ten thousand acre wheat farm in Manitoba.

Six hundred horses for the British cavalry service were shipped by the Government from this city to-day, to Portland, en route to England.

William James Spence and James Irwin, found guilty, at the Criminal Assizes, of shooting with intent to do grievous bodily harm in the late party riots in this city, were each sentenced to five years in the penitentiary. Michael Cooney received two years only, his case not being so aggravated as the others.

A capias for \$22,000 was issued to-day for E. H. Goff, President of the Montreal, Portland and Boston Railway, at the suit of the Canada Agricultural Insurance Company. Goff has got out of the way, and is supposed to have crossed the line.

A party affray between Orange Young Britons and Catholic Unionists occurred to-night in Griffintown, the Irish quarter of the city, which is almost certain to result in the death of James Harney, a young Irish Catholic, who was fatally shot in the region of the heart by the leader, it is alleged, of an Orange Briton's band named Russell. The encounter did not last long and the shooting is represented as a very cold-blooded affair. The wounded man is in the hospital, and doctors think he will not live till morning. The ball has not been extracted. The greatest excitement exists in the quarter where the shooting occurred, and the police are out in force. More trouble is apprehended. Russell is still at large.

OTTAWA, April 25.

A fire at Coburg, Ontario, to-day, destroyed the Windsor House. A wall fell upon the firemen, killing three instantly, fatally injuring another, and badly wounding three more.

In the Supreme Court, to-day, in the case of the Queen vs. Scott, Justice Ritchie delivered judgment, reversing the judgment of the Court below, and holding that the respondent was not guilty of felony, as he was only indicted for stealing a note which was of no value at law and equity, and there being no indictment as to the stealing of the paper, conviction was wrong. The Chief Justice said other cases would be disposed of the June session.

The United States Centennial Commission, in order to mark their high appreciation of the services of Canadian Commissioners Penny, the Governor of Quebec, and D. McDougall, have forwarded to each of these gentlemen a beautifully executed bronze medal, with a letter in which the assistance tendered by them in connection with the Centennial Exhibition is acknowledged in complimentary terms.

ALEXANDER, April 24.

Captain Burton, the celebrated African traveller, commanding the Khedive expedition to survey mines of land of Midian, has returned bringing twenty-five tons of

specimen ore, comprising gold, silver, copper tin and lead. Captain Burton found three sulphur centres, three turquoise mines, and extensive deposits of gypsum, salt petre and rock salt. He goes to England to arrange for the working of mines for the Khedive.

NEW YORK, April 25.

A cyclone or tornado has for several days been moving through the West and South, levelling everything in its path. Yesterday it visited a section of Georgia, Wheeling, West Virginia, Western Canada, Tennessee, Warren and other places, doing great damage to property and injuring several people. At Wheeling two men, hailing from Boston, were killed. Its path is a mile and a half wide in Tennessee and 400 yards in Georgia. In both of these States many churches, depots and other large buildings, besides dwellings and trees, have been prostrated, many mules and horses have been killed, and many persons injured. The damage is very great.

CHICAGO, April 25.

It is stated that 4,000 armed communists are drilling nightly in Chicago, and have sent to New York to purchase more arms and ammunition.

NEW YORK, April 25.

It is stated that Generals Escabedo, in Galveston, and Machano, in San Antonio, are procuring arms and ammunition, anticipating a revolution in Mexico in the Lerdo interest against Diaz.

NEW ORLEANS, April 25.

Schooner *Paul Seavy*, Captain Young, arrived from Laguayra, South America, bringing as passengers 262 Polish emigrants, originally from Poland, who will probably remain in Louisiana.

SAN FRANCISCO, April 25.

Of 9,966 Chinamen who arrived by the steamer *City of Tokio* yesterday, 4,000 are destined for Peru and 139 for the Hawaiian Islands.

DUBLIN, April 25.

O'Leary, the pedestrian, last evening completed here a walk of 220 miles in 66 hours.

ROME, April 25.

The Encyclical just issued by the Pope points out that it is wrong for society to combat the Church and the Roman Pontificate especially regarding the latter's civil principality, which is the guarantee of its liberty and independence. The Pope renews and confirms the protest of Pius IX. against the occupation of the civil principality of the church. His Holiness is confident that with the aid of God and the zeal of pastors that society will finally return the homage it owes to the church. The Encyclical is generally moderate and full of expression of affection towards society.

PARIS, April 25.

The Abbe Debaize, commissioned by the Government to cross Africa from Zanzibar to the Atlantic Ocean, embarked at Marseilles on the 23rd inst. He expects to be gone three years. Nine missionaries from Algiers accompany him, to establish Catholic missions at lakes Victoria and Tanganyika.

DUBLIN, April 24.

A letter of Michael Francis Ward, (Home Ruler) member for Parliament for Galway Borough, defends himself respecting the course he took against O'Donnell (Home Ruler) member for Dungarvan, with reference to the letters of attack on the late Lord Leitrim in the House of Commons. The latter is regarded here as definitely breaking up the Home Rule party since the writer says that the difference between the two sections is constitutional, and declines for moderate section of all responsibility for revolutionary acts of Charles S. Parnell, (Home Ruler) member for Meath.

Libel Suit by Sir John McDonald Against the "Globe."

The "Citizen" of this evening states that Sir John Macdonald has given instructions to his lawyers to lay a criminal information against Mr. Geo. Brown for the infamous slanders respecting himself contained in a recent article in the "Globe." The conduct of that paper in endeavoring to give the colour of truth to its first misstatements by copying extracts from other papers in the face of the emphatic denials made in Parliament, is an aggravation of the libel. To the credit of the great majority of members sitting on the Ministerial benches, it must be said that they utterly deprecate the conduct of the "Globe." It is well that such vile calumnies against the personal character of our public men should be brought into Court.

The Baker Conspiracy.

MONTREAL, April 23.—E. H. Goff was re-arrested at 2 a. m. this morning in the editorial room of the "Herald" office. Deputy Constable Contant made the arrest after waiting patiently for his man, notwithstanding the efforts of Barney Devlin first to overawe and then to bully him into going of, and letting Goff escape, and the distinct avowal of Stewart, the editor of the "Herald," that Goff was not in the room. Stewart and Goff were driven to the Magistrate's house, where they furnished the following bail in the libel conspiracy case: Mr. Stewart, in personal bonds of \$400, and Mr. Goff in personal bonds of \$400, with two sureties, Messrs. Stewart and Jarvis, for a like sum. In the forgery case against Goff, his personal bonds of \$250, with two sureties, Messrs. Stewart and Chaffee, jointly and severally in a like amount, were given. The cases are all fixed for hearing on the 8th May.

To-day Hon. Thos. Ryan took proceedings to recover \$3,113.37 from Goff, Messrs. Abbott & Co., being the plaintiff. The charges made by Goff against ex-Solicitor General Baker appear now to be a deep laid conspiracy to blackmail the ex-Minister. A second letter from Mr. Baker will appear in to-morrow's "Gazette," exposing the scheme and completely replying to and refuting the charges.

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Our Agreement with W. H. OLIVE, of St. John, N. B., has this day terminated by mutual consent. In the meantime, parties desiring Machinery can obtain information from us direct, or through

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April 29—pat li

SALE OF LAND.

To be Sold at Public Auction, on Tuesday, the 30th day of April instant, at half past twelve o'clock, at Neil Woodside's House, at Alberton, One Road of LAND, with a Two-Storey Building thereon, situated on Lot Four, formerly the property of William T. Lafurgey, and lately owned by Richard Keiff.

Dated April 24, 1878.

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April 24—s ji

AUCTION!

Valuable Property in Char-

lottetown Royalty.

To be Sold by PUBLIC AUCTION, at the Court House, in Charlottetown, on Wednesday, the 3rd day of July next, at the hour of twelve o'clock, noon, under and by virtue of a Power of Sale contained in an Indenture of Mortgage, bearing date the third day of March, One Thousand Eight Hundred and Seventy-seven, and made between John Wilson, of Charlottetown Royalty, in Queen's County, in Prince Edward Island, butcher, and Elizabeth Wilson, his wife, of the one part, and George Peake and Ralph Brecken Peake, of Charlottetown, in said County and Island, Trustees, under the marriage settlement, of Fanny Leigh, of the other part.

ALL that Tract, Piece or Parcel of Land situate, lying and being in the Royalty of Charlottetown, the same being marked and numbered upon the plan of the said Royalty, kept in the Office of the Registrar of Deeds and Keeper of Plans for the said Island, as Pasture Lot Number Three Hundred and Forty-four (344), containing, by estimation, Twelve Acres of Land, more or less, bounded on the west by the Malpeque Road; on the north by lot number three hundred and sixty-three; on the east by lot number three hundred and forty-five; and on the south by lot number three hundred and nineteen, together with all Buildings, Rights, Members and Appurtenances thereto belonging or in any way appertaining.

For further particulars apply to Messrs. Hodgson & McLeod, Solicitors, Charlottetown. Dated this twenty-fifth day of April, A. D. 1878.

GEORGE PEAKE,
RALPH B. PEAKE.

April 25—t sale

AUCTION!

MORTGAGE SALE.

To be Sold, by PUBLIC AUCTION, on WEDNESDAY, the 15th day of May next, A. D. 1878, at the Court House, in Charlottetown, at the hour of Twelve o'clock, noon, under and by virtue of a Power of Sale contained in an Indenture of Mortgage, bearing date the Sixteenth day of December, A. D. 1873, and made between Alexander McSwain, junior, and Gulielma, his wife, and Alexander McSwain, senior, of Township Number Twenty-one, in Queen's County, in Prince Edward Island, of the one part, and George Peake and Ralph Brecken Peake, of Charlottetown, in the said County and Island, Trustees, under the marriage settlement, of Fanny Leigh, of the other part.

ALL that Tract, Piece and Parcel of Land being on Lot or Township Number Twenty-one, in said County and Island, bounded as follows, that is to say: By a line commencing at a stake fixed on the northwest side of a road from Haslam's to Rattenbury's Mill, in the southwest angle of farm lot number seventy-four; thence according to the magnetic meridian of 1764 north fifty-seven chains, or to the rear line of farms fronting on the Wigmore Road; thence along said rear line west eight chains; thence south to the afore said road; thence following the course of the same, northeasterly, to the place of commencement, said land being known and distinguished as "Farm Lot Number Seventy-three, as laid down on a plan in the margin of a Deed thereof, from the Government of said Island to the said Alexander McSwain, junior, containing Fifty Acres of Land, a little more or less, together with all Buildings and Appurtenances thereto belonging.

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