40th and 63th regiments, and a party of seamen under Commodore Loring, proceeded to the wreck this morning, and have brought away her spars, canvas, running rigging, and a large quantity of sawn timber. About noon to-day, six heavy guns were heard fired from Omata. The natives are in great numbers on Mr. M'Keehney's and A. King's land, and in rear of the hospital, and appear to have made Mr. Shuttleworth's house their head quarters. 120 were counted about the latter house, and sentries are to be seen stationed with fixed bayonets in the road. There is now no doubt that several of the friendly natives are wavering. It is said that Waka and his people have left the hospital and gone over to the enemy. The rebels have visited Mr. O. Carrington's house, and were on Mr. Standish's farm last night, within a mile from the barracks.

Saturday, 18th, 11 a.m.—The body of Mr. Coad has been found in the Henui river about two hundred yards from the wreck. He received four bullets, and is supposed to have been shot on the beach, and his body washed up by the surf into the river. His body has just been brought into town.

6 p. m.—Several houses in the rear of the town, in the bush clearings, are in flames this evening, supposed to be Rev. H. Groube's and others.

Sunday, 19th,—There is no doubt that Waka and about twelve of his people have gone over to the enemy, and proceeded to Waitara. Waka has for some time been more than suspected of encouraging Wi Kingi in his rebellion, though for years the Government and the settlers had no stancher ally.

Monday, 20th.—From an early hour this morning houses have been in flames at the Henui, and before noon the following were destroyed:—Dr. Wilson's, Mr. Smith's, Paynter's, Shuttleworth's, Ibbotson's, Hamblyn's, and others.

Tuesday, 21st—The George Henderson has been completely stripped of rigging, masts, &c., and now lies water-logged on the Henui beach. The natives have been observed this morning with glasses from Marsland Hill, carrying away their dead and wounded in the skirmish of yesterday. It is believed that they lost twenty in killed and wounded. Mr Coad was buried today with military honours. Mr. C. was one of our early settlers, and lost his life on Friday last in carrying to a brother volunteer his supper and blankets on board the wrecked George Henderson. He owned an extensive brewery, and was landlord of the Marsland Hotel. A large fire was seen in the direction of the Bell Block last night, which for several hours illuminated the eastern horizon. We hear to-day that it was C. Clare's two-storied house fired by the rebels, and the Ninapa burnt by a party from the blockhouse. The militia and volunteers are to resume their outlying as well as inlying piquet duty.

LATEST INTELLIGENCE.—The *Tranaki Herald* of 30th August states that a proclamation was issued, and notices served upon a large number of families to be in readiness to embark:

"That under the absolute necessity that existed for all women and children without distinction being removed from New Plymouth, His Honor the acting Superintendent to warn all those drawing rations to be prepared to embark for Nelson about the 1st proximo. The remaining families, without distinction of rank, will also be warned in alphabetical order, and must be prepared to proceed to Nelson on or about the same date.

The Auckland *Southern Cross*, of September 3rd, remarks on the above news:—"The news is bad. We had buoyed ourselves up with the hope of getting at the rebel natives, but have been hauled by their retreat."

"We scarcely can say whether the news be more disheartening than ridiculous. The natives have adjourned the debate, to renew it at their own time, and to keep the troops waiting their own pleasure. But the protraction of the war becomes very serious in another point of view. What we have mainly to fear, is the utter demoralisation of the better portion of our insurgent natives—a certain consequence of prolonged hostilities. How the ill-fated province is to be recovered, for years to come, passes our comprehension. Terms might be come to with William King; but who would trust Ngatiruanui or Taranaki?"

European News.

ITALY.

By telegraph from Naples Nov 27.

A deputation has presented an address from the Sardinian Parliament to the King.

His Majesty received with satisfaction the expression of the national sentiment.

The rumour that Francis II. has fled from Gaeta is widely circulated here.

ROME, Nov. 24 (*via* Marseilles).

The majority of the cardinals are said to be opposed to the policy of cardinal Antonelli. It is also asserted that dissension exists between Cardinal Antonelli and Mgr. de Merode

It is the general conviction here that the Pope will remain for some time without temporal government.

The Spanish Minister remains at Gaeta. All the other Ministers have withdrawn to Rome.

The Pope, dissatisfied with the departure of his Nuncio from Gaeta, will send another representative to that place.

Should King Francis II. leave Gaeta he is expected to go to Rome.

MISCELLANEOUS.

THE PRINCE OF WALES'S SQUADRON.—PROMOTIONS.—The following promotions were made on the return of the squadron from America; Commander Frederick H. Stirling, of *Hero*, to be Captain; Lieutenant Alexander Philips, of the *Ariadne* to be Commander; and Messrs. Parsons, Williams, Francis, and S. D. Brougton mates, to be Lieutenants.

PRINCE ALFRED.—His Royal Highness Prince Alfred has left the *Euryalus* 50, to enable him to obtain experience in the navigation of a larger ship, and he joins the *St George*, 90, in January, when, having visited Africa in the frigate, he will have an opportunity of seeing the Western continent, his new trip being to the West Indies and North America. John Thomas Towson, astronomer and examiner to the Local Marine Board, has been sent for specially to Osborne by the Queen on a visit, for the purpose, it is stated, of giving instructions to Prince Alfred in the higher branches of his profession."

THE EMPRESS OF THE FRENCH.—On Friday the 23rd ult. her Imperial Majesty and suit, accompanied by the Marquis of Breadalbane, arrived at the Burnam Hotel, Dunkeld, at two o'clock when her Majesty, accompanied by the Duke of Atholl, drove out to the pass of Killecranike and Blair Atholl. On Saturday her Majesty and suite visited the Marquis of Breadalbane at Taymouth, where they were received with all the courtesy and distinction due to their exalted rank. On Sunday her Majesty and suite attended Divine service. On Monday her Majesty and suit prepared for their departure, finding their other engagements precluded a longer stay in the Highlands. After purchasing a number of articles as *souvenirs* of the neighbourhood, and making an inspection of the baronial hall connected with the hotel, her Majesty bade adieu, proceeding by Corrie-Muckloch to Crieff, and thence to Stirling and the South. Her Majesty is very much improved in her health, and she expresses herself not only pleased, but perfectly delighted with her first visit to the Highlands.

THE EMPEROR AND THE CHURCH.—A letter from Paris says:—"It is said that as the Pope refuses to consecrate Monseigneur Maret, the Bishop of Vannes, the Emperor is resolved to dispense with the Papal *exequator*. It seems there is a precedent by which the imposition of hands by three bishops can be substituted for the consent of his Holiness, but the episcopal body does not furnish the requisite number of docile prelates." *The Weekly Register* says:—"We have heard, on good authority, that an attempt has been made to sound one of the French bishops most favorable to Napoleon, not to the plan of an open schism, but on that of a French patriarchate, with practically independent powers which would easily be so worked as to come to the same thing. The answer was that before attempting it the Emperor would do well to prepare his abdication."

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