

TORONTO, May 17.—A despatch from Montreal says that apartments have been reserved at St. Lawrence Hall, for Jeff. Davis and his family who are expected there to-morrow. The Southern refugees and residents intend to invite him to visit this city.

MONTREAL, May 17.—There is a great scarcity of fodder in the Eastern Townships, and the cattle are dying by hundreds for want of food. The river is unusually high, causing much inconvenience to traffic, and seriously interfering with the unloading of vessels.

Six men of the 10th, recently stationed at Ottawa, deserted during the past two days.

Letters from Mr. Alsag, the Registrar of British Columbia, states that action has been taken in the Legislature for the admission of that Territory in the Dominion of Canada. The Legislative Council passed unanimously in its favor.

#### LATEST FROM UNITED STATES.

NEW ORLEANS, May 15.—The following news has been received from Hon. T. D. Campbell.—His messenger to Juarez returned to-day having made the trip from Matanzas to San Louis in 15 days, remaining at San Louis two days, where he was treated with the greatest courtesy and consideration by the Liberals. The feeling among the Liberals is very bitter against Maximilian and his native officers, and in case of their capture it would be impossible to save them.

Juarez and his Generals are confident of a speedy triumph at Queretaro, and expect to be in the City of Mexico in two months. The messenger left Juarez at San Louis on the 23rd ult.

NEW YORK, May 16.—The morning papers say they are specially informed to seize Cuba in the event of difficulties with Spain, and endeavor to retain the island as a base in the Gulf of Mexico.

#### LATEST FROM EUROPE.

By Atlantic Telegraph.

ENGLAND.—London, May 18th, eve.—Intelligence has been received here that the Bark Rover, Capt. Hunt, which was last reported at Swatow, Feb. 12th, which was wrecked in the Chinese sea, and that all the crew who escaped from the ship's wreck except one were murdered where they landed by the natives.

May 17.—Despatches have been received from Athens which state that two sanguinary battles had taken place recently in Candia, in both of which the Turkish commander, Omar Pacha, was badly beaten. His losses in engagements is computed at 3000 men. The great powers of Europe have again united in a petition to the Sublime Porte to cede the Island of Crete to the Greek Government.

Orders have been issued in Council for the prevention or restriction of the ravages of the rinderpest which has again made its appearance in some counties in England.

The regular weekly returns from the Bank of England show that the bulletin in that institution has increased £174,000 stg.

May 18.—The trial of Fenian Prisoners Flood Duffy, and Cody, was finished last evening. As in case of Burke, and Doran, they were found guilty. Their sentences will probably be pronounced to-day.

May 19.—The Luxemburg question is to be regarded as finally settled, for the Emperor Napoleon and King William of Prussia have signed the treaty looking to that end.

The city of London has voted £500 towards the erection of a statue to George Peabody the great philanthropist.

May 18th Despatches have been received here from Constantinople which state the Sublime Porte had replied to the proposition of the Great Powers of Europe relative to the cession of Candia to the Greek Government. He assures the Powers of his ability to put down the existing rebellion, and firmly declines to cede the Island to any foreign state.

THE ATLANTIC CABLE DAMAGED.—Cyrus W. Field has received the following telegram:—

May 17th.—On the 5th inst. it was reported that on the 4th, at 6 p. m., a large ice berg grounded off the harbour of Heart's Content, Newfoundland, about one and a half miles North North-west of the Northern point, and 200 yards east of the 1866 cable, in about 16 fathoms of water. No danger with regard to the cable was then reported. On the 8th inst. the iceberg had disappeared, but in passing over the cable of 1866 it seems however, some damage must have been done, for the signals through the cable became imperfect, and have now ceased. The cable of 1865 is unimpaired, and there is no reason to doubt that the injury to the cable of 1866 will be repaired without delay, or any considerable expense.

Liverpool, May 18th, (evening).—An attachment has been served on the Steamship "Great Eastern," at the suit of her crew for non-payment of their wages.

May 15, eve.—Conflicting accounts have been received here as the result of the recent military operations in the Island of Candia. Several engagements have taken place and both parties claim successes, but the latest despatch received from Athens asserts that the Turkish army under the command of Omar Pacha has been defeated.

IRELAND.—Dublin, May 6.—The Fenian prisoners Duffy and Cody are now on trial before the Special Commission.

FRANCE.—Paris, May 14.—M. Monister, President of Corps Legislatif, has officially

announced to that body that the peace of Europe will not be disturbed.

May 18th.—The French Corps Legislatif is opposed to the Army Bill proposed by the Emperor Napoleon.

PRUSSIA.—Berlin, May 13th.—It is announced that the King of Prussia will visit Paris during the summer, in company with the Emperor Alexander of Russia.

The funeral of the late American Minister, Governor Wright, took place to-day, and was attended by all the American residents and visitors here, and by a large number of citizens of Berlin.

May 16.—The North German Gazette, the organ of Bismark, says the final execution of the treaty signed at London, and the evacuation of the fortress of Luxemburg, by Prussia, will be difficult within the month prescribed by the London Conference, and that Prussia will need more time.

AUSTRIA.—Vienna, May 17.—An Imperial decree has been promulgated favoring the Protestant inhabitants of Hungary.

PORTUGAL.—Lisbon, May 17.—The regular mail steamer Rio Janerio arrived here to-day. The South American news is important. President Lopez of Paraguay had accepted the mediation proffered by the U. S. Government, through their minister, Mr. Washburn, and would immediately send an envoy to Washington. The allies on the other hand had not accepted the American plans, and it was doubtful whether they would do so. There had been further fighting between the contending armies.

ANOTHER LADY PREACHER IN ENGLAND.—Miss Geraldine Hooper, a young lady of about five-and-twenty, and belonging to it is said, to Bristol, has during the past ten days, been delivering "Gospel addresses" at the Bath Saloon, and the Royal Assembly Rooms, Torquay. According to the Western Times, she has produced a profound impression, and her services are densely crowded, hundreds being unable to obtain admission—in fact, the rooms are invariably filled an hour before she commences. Miss Hooper possesses marvellous powers, and uses them wisely.—English paper.

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April 10. 2m. Inss.

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I have now to address myself for the first time to the electors of the Eastern Division of this county. It will be seen by the Act of Union, that both divisions form one Constituency, and I feel I have some claim to their support, for, in the discharge of my public duty, in all that related to the local interests of the county, I have known no east or west.

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I hope a just judgment of my past conduct will entitle me to the same measure of good will which has been extended to me during my twelve years of public life; and in the meantime, I again respectfully and earnestly solicit from you a continuance of that confidence which has always cheered me on in the discharge of my public duty.

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