The Ballot Bill-Government

Defeated.

France and Germany.

The "Telegraph" Report Discredited.

General Sherman on his Travels.

The French Pastport system.

A Great Fire at Laird's Ship-

London, April 15 .- The Queen will visit Napoleon at Chiselhurst to-morrow.

London, April 18.-In the House of as the attempt to draw Mr Gladstone out unchanged. on the Alabama claims failed.

Mr Wyndham, member for West Cumberland, asked the Government why the British counter case was presented at Geneva without a condition that the claim for indirect damages should be withdrawn by the American Government.

'Mr Gladstone simply replied that doubted the policy of answering questions while the Government was waiting for a note from America which would probably form an epoch in this affair.

were put on this subject, and the House subsequently went into committee of the whole on the Ballot Bill. An amendment was offered by the Government punishing voters for openly displaying their ballot at the polls was defeated, after long discussion, by a vote of 274 to 246. The an. nouncement of the result was received with cheers from the Tory benches.

The Daily Telegraph reports of the grave complications between Germany and France are absolutely discredited both at Berlin and Versailles. Mr Gladstone replied to a question on the subject from Mr Hoare in the 22 to 221c for refined House of Commons that the government had received no information confirmatory of the statements in the Daily Telegraph.

Madrid, April 18 .- A decree has been issued annulling the concession for a telegraph cable to America by way of the Odessa, April 18. - General Sherman and

party has arrived here. They go to Sebastopol, and thence continue their tour to Moscow and St. Petersburg.

Paris, April 18 .- France having abolished the passport system as regards England only, other countries demand of her similar exemption. French officers have obtained satisfaction from Madagascar and the intention of bombarding its principal seaport has been abandoned'.

London, April 18. - The Daily Telegraph recently stated that an invasion of France was imminent unless the military preparations there were discontinued. The Augsberg Allgamerine Zeitung gives this statement as correct, and declares that it is the purpose and policy of Bismarck. The Zeitung also states that all the Prussian soldiers whose term had not completely expired, although sent home at the end of the war, will now be recalled to their colours.

London, April 19. Queen Victoria has postponed her visit to ex-Emperor Napoleon until to-morrow.

Liverpool April 19. - A fire broke out in the extensive ship-building yard of Messrs Laird, in Birkenhead. At six o'clock this morning, the fire is still burning. Later. -- noon -- The conflagration in the

shibuilding yards of Messrs. Laird is yet raging. The loss is now believed will be heavy. Thus far the fire is confined to the timber and other shipbuilding material in the yards. Two persons were killed by falling wood. Hundreds will be thrown out of emplopment by this fire.

An explosion took place on the steamer Illigrave in the Mersey river this morning. Four persons were killed, and three dan gerously injured.

London, April 19. -A despatch from Bombay has been received announcing that the ship Maria, for Liverpool, has been wrecked. Thirty-five persons lost.

The journals of this city continue to discuss the counter cases presented by the British and American Governments at Geneva, drawing contrasts between them very unfavourable to the American case. Intimations have been received here of the probability of the withdrawal of the indirect claims. These are favourably commented upon by the newspapers, and the government and people of the United States praised for this apparent disposition to render possible the fulfilment of the terms the Treaty of Washington.

FINANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL ondon, April 19 .- Consols opened at 922

week. Rentes opened at 55f., 27c. pened firm. Uplands 114 to 114. Orleans

transactions on private terms.

New York, April 19.-Arrived, the steamer Crescent City, from Havana. Commercial.

> MONTREAL STOCK MARKET. (Per Montreal Line.) Montreal, April 19.

Bank of Montreal-2271, 2271. Merchants Bank-1321, 133. Bank of Commerce-134, 135. Ontario Bank-111, 1124. Bank of Toronto-2061, 209. Royal Canadian Bank-1071, 108.

MONTREAL MARKETS. (Special Telegram to the Daily News.) Montreal, April 19. - Flour. - Superior Extra 0.00 to 0.00; Extra 6,30 to 6,40; Fancy 6,15 to 6,25; Welland Canal Super, 6,00 to 0,00; Super No. 1 Canada wheat, 6,00 to 6,30; super | here yesterday. No 1. Western wheat, 0,00 to 0,00; Super No. Barley per 48 lbs, 50 to 00c. Butter—Dairy Montreal House. 15,00 to 15,50; Prime Mess 00,00 to 00,00. Prime, 00,00 to 00,00. Dressed hogs 5,30 to 5,50. Peas per 66 lbs, 0,85 to 0,871. Rye

flour, 0,00 to 0,00. Montreal, April 19. - Flour - market active and buoyant, and flour en spot commands 5c J. Cartwright. to 10c higher; sales are however on a limited | April 16. Commons to-night, through the active ex scale, and mostly for present wants; extras ertions of party whips, the benches were has brought 6,35 to 6,40; fancy 6,20 to 6,25; well filled. Exciting debates on the course and supers at 6,00 to 6,30, with one or two exceptional lots of very choice strong at 6,35 of the Government at Geneva and on the to 6,40; good supers offered at 6,00, first half Ballot Bill, were expected, and the galleries | May. Grain-no transactions, asking rates were also crowded. Both members and for wheat advanced, but no buyers. Peas spectators were dissapointed in the first case | the supply of small consumptive wants. Ashes

NEW YORK MARKETS. (Special Despatch to the Daily News.)

New York, April 19. - Cotton at 23g. 5 to 10 cents better; receipts 6,000 barrels; sales 10,000 barrels; at 6,65 to 6,85 superfine state and western; 6,93 to 7,65 common to good extra state; 6, sales 14,000 bush; at 1,51 to 1,53 for No: nearly all kinds of Lumber, at moderate 2 spring in store and affoat; 1,58 to 1,62 | rates. fer No. 1 do in store; 1,76 to 1,77 for winter red western; 1,79 to 1,86 for amber west-London, April 18 .- No further questions ern; 1,86 to 2,041 for white do; 2,041 for Rye quiet; at 88 for western in store. 1872. Corn a shade better; receipts 46,000 bush sales 63,000 bush ; at 72c for mixed western and affoat; and 72 c for western yellow; 72c 9,000 bushels; at 1,14 for Canada West. Oats steady; receipts 24,000 bushels; sales 1.000 bushels; at 504 to 514 cents for for Ohio. Pork weak : at 13,25 to 13,30

CUSTOMS IMPORTS. April 19.

Ice Boat, Cape Vincent, S H Blondheim, I pl oysters; Sheldon & Davis, 1 bx photograph paper; R Town, 1 bx oysters; H Cuming-ham, 1 bx; H Fick, 1 pge; F S Reese, bx oysters; T A Halfield, I pge; Fralick Bros,

GTR, Toronto, McNee & Waddell, I ble Bri-GTR, Coaticook, McNee & W, 1 cs British goods; B Doran & Co, I cs British goods; R & J Gardiner, 3 cs do; Mrs Anglin, 1 bx TR. Montreal, John McKay & Co. 3 bbls

2 cs; J Harty & Co, 50 cds tobacco; J Browne

SPECIAL TELEGRAMS

(Per Montreal Telegraph Line.)

From Montreal.

Montreal, April 19. - Mayor Coursol decided against the use of the military Hos-, pital as a small-pox reformatory. Recourse will be temporarily while a suitably isolated building be provided for small-pox pa-

The ice shove is beginning in front of the

A meeting was held yesterday afternoon in opposition to the million dollar grant to the Northern Colonization Railway it is stated that proceedings will be taken in the names Messrs, Henry Lyman and R. H. Stephenson, and that Messrs. Ritchie, Lafamme and Boruard have been retained as

A blacksmith named Arunet expired suddenly at the shop of a person named Maillett in Craig street.

About seven hundred immigrants by the Sarmatian arrived at the Tanneries Junction. Nearly all proceeded west; forty-six remained in the city and were taken to the Government Linmigrant Home.

The stores of Messrs. Globensy and Co., and A. Giberton, St. Paul street, were completely gutted by fire this morning, owing to the scarcity of water. Damage was done to the amount of about \$10,000 which partly covered by insurance. Weather clear and mild.

From Toronto. Toronto, April 19 .- Four patients died in the Small-pox Hospital last night. Two more entered to-day.

In Chambers to-day Judge Galt quashed a sentence of \$50 fine or six months' imprisonment, pronoucned by the Police Magistrate some time since, and said that, that functionary was exceeding his duty, whenever he inflicted a penalty of more than twenty-one days' imprisonment for drunk

A special meeting of the City Council is alled for at three o'clock this afternoon unsider the Water Works Bill.

The case of the printers brought up yesterday was remanded until Monday fort- THE BEST LOCATIONS FOR COLONIES night, the men being released on bail.

Another Church-warden was robbed yesterday. The booty was a watch and suit of Free Passes to Purchasers of Land.

Fire at Ogdensburgh

CABLE NEWS. NEW YORK DESPATCHES. House took fire, and were totally destroyed. The fire communicated to the new part of the hotel, damaging the same about \$3,000, and contents about \$2,000. Insurance on contents of barn is \$600; on hotel \$6,000; on contents \$8,000. Insurance less about \$6,000. Two borses and several swine were burned. This is the third large barn burned here during the pass two weeks, all probably the work of an incendiary.

From Napanec.

Napauce, April 19 .- A case of small-pox was reported this morning in this place, but means are being taken to prevent its spreading any further.

night, is being rebuilt. A horse and cart were carried ever the falls

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