

COPY of OFFICIAL COMMUNICATIONS from the Government of the Dominion of *Canada* respecting the Prospects, on Arrival at *Quebec*, of the ARTIZANS and LABOURERS who were last Year Discharged from the ROYAL DOCKYARDS and ORDNANCE FACTORIES, and who are now proceeding to *Quebec* in the "Crocodile" and "Serapis."

— No. 1. —

TELEGRAM.

Earl *Granville* to Sir *John Young*.

ADMIRALTY consent to take to Canada some hundreds of artizans discharged last year from Government dockyards with their families. Will officers of Government receive them, and give same facilities as to other immigrants. All selected with a view to character. Answer immediately.

7 April 1869.

— No. 2. —

TELEGRAM.

Lord *Granville* to Lieutenant Governor of New Brunswick, Fredericton,

8 April 1869.

It is said that employment on railways or otherwise might be found in New Brunswick for some hundreds of persons who have hitherto been dockyard artizans, if sent out at once. Is this true?

— No. 3. —

TELEGRAM.

Sir *John Young* to Lord *Granville*, Colonial Office, London.

8 April 1869.

CANADIAN Government will be happy to receive dockyard emigrants, giving same facilities as to others, but to prevent disappointment it will be better to await explanatory letter from me before finally deciding.

— No. 4. —

TELEGRAM.

Lieutenant Governor *Wilmot*, Fredericton, to Lord *Granville*, London.

10 April 1869.

SOME hundreds of artizans not in iron and railway labourers wanted for railways, and can be absorbed.