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 Sir R. G. W. Herbert, D. C. L., K. C.
 M. G. May, 1871.

Private Secretary to the Secretary of State—Robert
 Bickersteth. April, 1880.

Assistant do.—R. L. Autrobins. December, 1880.

British Minister at Washington—Hon. Lionel Sackville
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Secretary of Legation—V. C. W. Drummond.

Governor-General of India—Earl of Dufferin.

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Probabilities furnished from Toronto are published daily at Charlottetown and the principal Telegraph Stations on the Island. A daily report of the weather is telegraphed from Charlottetown to the head office Toronto. Storm Signals are hoisted at Charlottetown (only) on the approach of storms. They consist of a Cone and Drum hoisted on the mast near the Railway round house, Prince Street.

No. 1. Cone, point downwards, indicates *moderate gale* is expected probably *at first* from an easterly direction.

No. 2. Cone, point upwards, indicates *moderate gale* is expected probably *at first* from a westerly direction.

No. 3. Drum above, Cone below, point downwards, indicates *fresh to heavy gale* is expected probably *at first* from an easterly direction.

No. 4. Cone above, point upwards, Drum below, indicates *fresh to heavy gale* is expected probably *at first* from a westerly direction.

The Cone by itself indicates a probable velocity between 30 and not exceeding 40 miles an hour and it is not intended that an ordinarily well found vessel should stay in port.

The Drum will always be hoisted when the velocity of the velocity of the wind is expected to exceed 40 miles an hour.