

'night between the 2nd and 3rd June, to the number of about 750 men, and as appears from the accompanying telegram from Mr. Consul Hemans, were immediately arrested by the authorities of the United States.

I am happy to be able to inform you that the officers of the United States Government appear to have exerted themselves to prevent any assistance being supplied to the invaders. I transmit copies of telegrams received on this subject from Mr. Consul Hemans.

We have sixty-five prisoners in our possession who have been by my direction committed to the common gaol at Toronto to await trial.

I think it is creditable both to the military and militia authorities in Canada, that they were in a position within twenty-four hours after the invasion of the Province at a point of the enemy's own selection, to place opposite to him such a force as compelled his precipitate retreat without even risking an engagement.

I shall not fail to send you more full particulars when I shall have received the official reports from the officers engaged, but the main facts are as I have stated them above.

The Right Hon. Edward Cardwell, M.P.
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I have, &c.
(Signed) MONCK.

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TELEGRAM from Buffalo to Viscount MONCK, Ottawa.

June 3, 1866.

WHOLE Fenian force, about 850 strong, evacuated Canada at 3 A.M., 700 of them, with the leaders, lying at this moment in arrest under guns of Michigan war-steamer.

(Signed) H. W. HEMANS.

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Inclosure 2 in No. 2.

TELEGRAM from Buffalo to Viscount MONCK, Ottawa.

June 2, 1866.

FENIANS broke up encampment at 2:30 A.M., and marched about four miles down river, said to be half-starved and much demoralized. Possession of six guns is undoubted. River patrolled all night by armed tug-boats chartered by United States' Attorney. Several captures made, and no reinforcements believed to have crossed over. Have uniformly telegraphed to General Napier.

British Consul,
(Signed) H. W. HEMANS.

Incl. 3 in No. 2.

Inclosure 3 in No. 2.

TELEGRAM from Buffalo to Viscount MONCK, Ottawa.

June 3, 1866.

FRONTIER from Erie to Oswego placed by General Grant in charge of General Barry, of United States' Artillery to-day: thirteen companies under his command, with power to add according to emergencies. A revenue cutter just arrived to patrol river. A British gun-boat much wanted in those waters.

(Signed) H. W. HEMANS.