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CAPITAL NOTES.

General Herbert's Report on the Canadian Militia—Interesting and Important Suggestions.

Personalities in Parliament—Grit Abuse of Ministerial Members—Somerville Sat on.

(From our Own Correspondent.)

OTTAWA, April 7.—The largest caucus of Conservative members held since the general elections of 1878, was convened in room number 16, to-day.

This illustrious gathering of European and American statesmen, with very inferior forces than once not only Poland, but the Ottoman Empire.

The coming redistribution bill is the general topic of discussion among many Conservatives. There is a prospect that the bill will be thrown over until the next meeting of Parliament.

As many as 2,623 petitions in favor of total prohibition of the liquor traffic were presented to Parliament last year.

The House divided, and the amendment was carried—82 yeas, 106 nays.

OTTAWA, April 8.—The first annual report of General Herbert on the condition of the militia of Canada, presented to Parliament, says that it contains the organized elements of a strong national force.

Col. Prior maintained that the Martini Henri rifle was best suited to the volunteers of Canada. It was a serviceable weapon.

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B. C. MARINE MATTERS.

Summary of the Report of the Department of Marine—Interesting Facts and Figures.

Improvements in the Lighthouse and Buoy System to Secure Safe Navigation.

(From our Own Correspondent.)

OTTAWA, April 2.—The report of the Department of Marine was presented to Parliament at an early hour this morning.

DEEMING'S DEFENCE. Born with an Irresistible Inclination to Kill—Preface that He is "The Ripper."

MELBOURNE, April 8.—Deeming, the murderer, is to be of an extraordinary character. It will, in substance, be that, owing to pre-natal impressions on his mother, who happened to be frightened.

TORONTO TOPICS. Mowatt's Salary to be Increased—Opponent to Sir John Macdonald—Splendid O. P. R. Report.

Toronto, April 8.—Among the items in the supplementary estimates presented to the Legislative Assembly, yesterday, is one for the salary of Mr. Oliver Mowatt.

THE CHURCH IN AMERICA. Correspondence Between the Pope and Cardinal Gibbons.

BALTIMORE, April 8.—The Catholic Mirror of the week will contain correspondence between Cardinal Gibbons and the Pope.

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THEIR INSTRUCTIONS.

The Instructions to the U. S. Naval Police Completed and Approved.

WASHINGTON, April 8.—The sailing instructions to the U. S. vessels that will cruise in Bering Sea, this year, have been practically completed at the State Department.

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A Railway from Alberni to Comox—Police Rewards in Vancouver—Hullait Fishing.

A Hair Restorer Which is Said to Have Produced an Opposite Effect.

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WEST COAST WRECKS.

Double Topmast Schooner "Henry Dennis" Ashore in San Josef Bay.

She is a Total Loss—The Wrecked Barque is the Whaler Hermit.

Both Crews in Great Danger—An Unsuccessful Attempt to Reach Them With Canoes.

Along the Western coast of the Island, during the past two months, the fiercest storms on record have been raging incessantly, and not many days ago, it will be remembered, that Indian reports reached Clayoquot, and from there came to Victoria, to the effect that two vessels had run ashore between Cape Scott and Cape Cox.

It is now ascertained, is the Seattle sealing schooner Henry Dennis, a total loss in San Josef Bay, and the other the large and well-known whaling barque Hermit, of San Francisco, which is fast going to pieces in Medjo Inlet, fifteen miles from Scott Channel.

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SIGNED AT LAST.

The "Modus Vivendi" Signed at Washington—Lord Salisbury Consults the Queen.

WASHINGTON, April 7.—There are strong reasons for believing that the modus vivendi on the Behring Sea matter, the terms of which were agreed upon between Sir Julian Pauncefote and Mr. Blaine, was submitted to the President by Hon. J. W. Foster, this morning, and, meeting with his entire approval, was signed by Mr. Blaine and Sir Julian Pauncefote on behalf of the United States and Great Britain respectively, to-day, which is the diplomatic reception day at the State Department.

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