

ried a large number of men, together with arms, which were to be conveyed to Cuba by the steamer. Gen. GOICOURIA, who was recently executed at Havana, was on board of the *Catherine Whiting* at the time of her capture. The volunteers who were found on board of the tug-boats by Ex-Marsnal BARLOW's deputies were discharged by the Government after a short detention at the Navy-yard and at Fort Lafayette.

Release of the Cuban Filibustering Vessels.

The steamer *Catharine Whiting* and the tug-boats *Johnathan Chase*, *H. M. McCool* and *R. L. Mabie* were released from the custody of the Navy-yard authorities yesterday, under directions from Washington, after the owners of the four vessels had given bonds not to employ them on any expedition contrary to the neutrality laws. The steamer, it will be remembered, was seized in the bay last Summer while in the act of sailing for Gardiner's Island, at the extreme end of Long Island, for the purpose of accepting the tug-boats. The latter car-