

## The Saint Andrews Standard

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 7, 1837

## Charlotte County Bank.

HARRIS HATCH, Esq. President.

Director next week, James Douglas, Esq.

Discount Day — THURSDAY

Hours of business, from 10 to 2

BILLS AND NOTES for Discount must be lodged

with the Cashier on or before THURSDAY otherwise

they must remain in his hands until the following

discount day.

## Harris and Elliott, Messrs.

Commissioners next week — Henry O'Neil

## Saint Stephens Bank.

WILLIAM PORTER, Esq. President.

Director next week, James Albee Esq.

Discount Day — FRIDAY

Bank open from 10 till 3

BILLS AND NOTES for Discount must be lodged

with the Cashier on or before FRIDAY otherwise

they must remain in his hands until the following

discount day.

## LATEST DATES.

Via N. York, Sep. 2 To St. John, Sep. 2

Harris — July 24 — Halifax, Aug. 24

London — July 31 — London, Aug. 31

Liverpool — Aug. 1 — Liverpool, Aug. 1

N Orleans — Aug. 20 — Quebec, Aug. 20

The approaching Election, and the accounts of

His Excellency Sir John Harvey's visit to this

County, have furnished such a mass of matter as

our outside pages were printed, that we have not

been able to extract one word of political news;

although the arrival of the English Mail and late

American transmissions, present us with an abundance

of interesting subjects. We can say what an

Editor seldom can, that every word on these pages

is compounded of original manuscripts, and some of

them not at all paltry. The dissolution of

Parliament by the young Queen—Her Majesty's

self-possession, propriety and grace—the contentions

at the hustings—the anxiety for the return of

Tories or Reformers—the Conservative victory in

Liverpool—Tobacco rejected by Bahr—Sir George

Hewitt's health—Middleton—Sir R. Peel's speech—

Tansworth—Sir F. Bantock offering for North Wilts

—the contest in Glasgow—the hundredth offer of

the passage to old Cole of Northfolk—the London

Colonial Society, a subject of the utmost importance

to this Province—and a long string of elections

might be dwelt on with great interest had we a

double sheet, double hands, and double means; as it

is, we were constrained to adopt the course now

pursued.

## LOWER CANADA.

We give to-day Mr. Papineau's

consistent reply to Lord Gosford's Secretary, and a

more daring piece of consistency can only be ex-

pected from the same source, as his overt acts of

rebellion are to be permitted to pollute the records

of British rule. His faction are prepared to render

all safe concessions nugatory, so that the next news

from Quebec will probably announce the close of the

Session; in which case the only alternative will

be to put Lord John Russell's resolutions in force.

However much we should regret the intervention

of imperial power, there is yet an anxiety for

which such an intervention might be necessary for

the protection of the constitution, and the affairs of

Canada appear to have arrived at that extremity.

If further forbearance be shown to the unjustifiable

acts of the Assembly, and if pusillanimous acquies-

cence continue to be yielded to its indecorous de-

mands, a gradual subversion of the constitution will

then be exhibited of the most powerful nation on

earth deserting its loyal and legitimate colonial offi-

spring, and allowing its paramount interests to be

sacrificed to the clamour and dissension of a con-

quered people who build their pretensions on the

clemency of that government which permitted them

to exercise their own prejudicial feudal system of

law, and accorded to them the privilege of employ-

ing in an English colony the use of the French lan-

guage in the Legislature. Let it never be forgot-

ten that the stability of the mighty Roman Empire

was first shaken and shaken by the division of its

councils at home, which weakened the power of its

rule abroad, and that this ultimately resulted upon

itself until its fall and ruin were accomplished.

Better results we hope are in reserve for Britain and

Canada.

## COLONIAL BANK.

The monetary institution, of

which we published the first notice in these Pro-

vinces, as being established in the West Indies,

has appointed Messrs. Robert Robinson &amp; Co. its

Agents at St. John. It is distinct from the British

North American Bank, and was formed from William

Ker, Esq. that hopes are entertained of a branch

being extended to this Town; about £2000 has been

raised to the Halifax Banking Company, its Agent

at Nova Scotia.

## His Excellency Sir J. Harvey's visit to

Charlotte County.

We noticed on our last that His Excellency

the Lieutenant Governor and Suite would

arrive here on Thursday. The almost in-

cessant rain of Wednesday rather damped

general expectation of this event, and it was

with a lively expression of satisfaction that the

news reached us of His Excellency's

having persevered in his journey and accom-

plished a distance of eighty miles notwithstanding

the unpleasantness of the weather. On

Thursday Sir John arrived at

St. George.

Having been met by Col. Wier, Major

Flaherty, and officers belonging to the 2nd

Battalion of militia, together with a number of

gentlemen of the place who escorted His Ex-

cellency into the town, where a salute was fired

by the Militia Artillery. His Excellency

partook of a lunch provided at Rogers' hotel,

and at about 1 o'clock returned an address

from the officers of the 24th Regt. C. B.

Militia, presented by Lieut. Col. Wier; (for

which see No. 1.)

To which His Excellency was pleased to

make a reply. (No. 2.) The Lieut. Governor

was then addressed by the magistrates and

principal inhabitants of St. George, through

Patrick Church Esq. to whom he also made

an appropriate answer, but we regret that we

have not been furnished with copies of either.

His Excellency viewed the romantic Scen-

ery of the Falls and inspected the busy

and numerous Saw mills &amp;c. after which he

perused his journey, accompanied by a

number of gentlemen to the bounds of the parish,

where he was met by the Hon. James Allan-

shaw, and conducted to the Digdigwah,

where His Excellency made a short stay and

then proceeded to St. Andrews.

The announcement of the Governor's in-

tended visit had been received here most cor-

dially, and a unanimous desire was ex-

pressed to welcome His Excellency with every

demonstration of loyalty and respect; in pur-

sue of which colours with various de-

vices were displayed from many houses along

the streets, and from the vessels in the har-

bour; the Militia Artillery and the Rifle com-

pany turned out; all was bustle in prepara-

tion for His Excellency's reception, who, at

length an express arrived from St. George

saying His Excellency was on his way thither.

Immediately every horse and carriage

was put in requisition, and a numerous escort

of gentlemen, headed by the High Sheriff

Coroner, and magistrates moved off and met

His Excellency about eight miles from Town.

He was accompanied by his Son, and by Col.

Shore, who acted upon the occasion as Aide-

de-camp, and who was happily chosen (from

his anxiety of manners and popularity in the

county) to introduce to the Representative

of our Sovereign the inhabitants of this por-

tion of his government.

The usual courtesy of salutations hav-

ing been interchanged, and His Excellency's

courage having been allowed to pass, the ex-

celsion wheeled round and returned in pro-

cession to Town. His Excellency expressed

himself much pleased with the S. W. and

Four Mills and Wet Dock at Chatham,

and passed a high compliment on Mr. Wil-

son's enterprise. He also admired the

scenery of the mountain and Mr. M. Lachlan's

buildings and improvements. On entering

the Town of St. Andrews the Artillery fired

a salute and on His Excellency's reaching

Mrs. McLeary's hotel, he was received by a

detachment of the 431 Regt. under Lieut.

Cole, and the Rifle Company under Capt.

Boyd, amidst the cheers of the surrounding

populace. On Friday morning, the Lieut.

Governor went up to

St. Stephen.

accompanied by the Sheriff and a number of

gentlemen. At some distance from that

dourishing town, he was met by the principal

inhabitants and was escorted to the house

of John Marks Esq. when the Militia Ar-

tillery under Capt. W. T. Ross fired a salute.

From thence His Excellency proceeded to

Milltown, and crossing the St. Croix by the

Upper bridge to the American side, return-

ed through Calais to St. Stephen, and re-

sided at Mr. Mark's house. An address from

the magistrates and inhabitants was then

delivered by Thomas Armstrong Esq. (No. 3)

to which His Excellency made a courteous

reply. (No. 4) The spacious and elegantly

furnished apartments of John Marks Esq. having

been generally offered for the occasion, a

collation was laid out in the saloon, of which

His Excellency and a large company par-

took, among whom were several American

gentlemen who had been specially invited.

His Excellency expressed his peculiar satis-

faction at witnessing the harmony and good

understanding which subsisted between the

people on the frontier, and encouraged the

cultivation of such feelings and sentiments as

equally advantageous and honorable to So-

ciety on both sides of the River. A number

of gentlemen accompanied His Excellency

to the Parish line, from whence he was at-

tended to St. Andrews by his former escort.

On leaving St. Stephens a salute was fired

from both sides of the river, which was felt

as a happy earnest that His Excellency's

sentiments were duly appreciated. On reaching

St. Andrews.

The Lieutenant Governor, Col. Shore, the

High Sheriff, and a select party of gentlemen

were entertained at Dinner by Harris Hatch

Esq. On Saturday His Excellency repaired

to the Court House, where the following ad-

dress from the Magistrates and other prin-

cipal inhabitants of St. Andrews was delivered

by Thomas Wier Esquire:

To His Excellency Major General Sir John

Harvey, K. C. H. and C. B. &amp;c. &amp;c. &amp;c.

May it please Your Excellency,

We, the Officers of the second Battalion

of the Charlotte County Militia, beg leave to

congratulate Your Excellency upon this

first visit amongst us, and to express our

sense of the honour done us on the present

occasion.

This County was settled principally by

American Loyalists and British Soldiers who

came here after the War of the Revolution,

and although most of them are now no more,

yet the same feelings of devoted loyalty and

attachment to the British Constitution which

they cherished in their lives, has descended

to their children, and if occasion should ever

call for their services in behalf of their So-

vereign, we trust they will be found as ready

to peril their lives and fortunes as their fore-

fathers were.

We are deeply sensible of the blessings we

enjoy in this highly favoured Colony, and the

appointment of a person so distinguished as

Your Excellency to preside over the Province

is an additional proof of his late most gra-

tious Majesty's solicitude for the welfare of

his subjects in New Brunswick, and we feel

assured from Your Excellency's known wis-

dom and experience that the Province under

Your Excellency's administration will soon

recover from its temporary depression and

make rapid advances in its prosperity.

Reply (No. 2.)

Gentlemen,

I thank you gentlemen for your con-

gratulation and for the warm and soldier-like

reception which you have given me.

The loyalty and military ardour which

you have displayed in your reception of me, I

view as a fair indication of the spirit by which

the militia of this Province are every where

animated.

The people of this Province of the past ge-

neration have evinced their deep-rooted at-

tachment to British connexion in no equivocal

way.

I rejoice to see, to be assured, and to feel,

that the sentiment is not less ardently cher-

ished by those of the present.

As the representative of our most gracious

Queen, it is my grateful duty to watch over

the interests of this Province, and to endeav-

our to dispense to its loyal inhabitants, the

blessings of the Constitution in its true spirit.

J. HARVEY, Lt. Governor.

To the Officers of the 2d Battalion Charlotte

County Militia.

Maguadavie, 31st August, 1837.

Address (No. 3.)

To His Excellency Major General Sir J.

Harvey, K. C. H. and C. B. &amp;c. &amp;c. &amp;c.

May it please Your Excellency.

We, the Magistrates and principal Inhab-

itants of Saint Stephens, beg leave to offer a

hearty welcome to Your Excellency, upon

your first visit to this portion of your Govern-

ment. We approach Your Excellency with

ardent feelings of loyalty and attachment to

our youthful and illustrious Sovereign, who,

by Divine Providence, has been recently called

to the Throne of the British Empire.

The estimation in which Your Excellency

was held in your late Government, created a

happy confidence in your enlightened policy

when the appointment of Your Excellency

to this Province was first announced. The

manner in which Your Excellency was pleased

to bring under the consideration of the

Legislature, the important measures of the

recent Session, with which the best interests

of this Province are so generally allied, has great-

ly strengthened that confidence and inspired

the most pleasing anticipations.