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for the loss I have sustained. It will be
my anxious study to merit the respect
and affection of the British nation; and
I shall endeavour to prove my gratitude
for this touching mark of your affection
to the widow of your late excellent So-
vereign."

His Lordship then moved that the
Message be entered in the minutes of the
House.

House of Commons.—Lord Morpeth
appeared at the bar, and stated, that, to-
gether with the other Hon. Members ap-
pointed by the House to present a mes-
sage of condolence to her Majesty the
Queen Dowager, he had waited on her
Majesty, and had been desired to deliver
the following gracious message in re-
ply:—

"Gentlemen—I thank you most grate-
fully for the message you have been
charged to deliver to me from the House
of Commons on the great affliction I
have lately sustained. The unanimous
tribute paid by the House to the upright
conduct and patriotic intentions of your
late Sovereign is the most welcome alie-
viation that could have been offered to
my feelings."

A gold snuff box has been presented to
John Whiting, Esq., Page of the back
stairs to his Majesty King William IV.,
by the Earl of Munster, Lord Frederick
Fitzclarence, Lord Augustus Fitzclarence
Lady Mary Fox, Countess of Errol, Lady
Agusta Gordon, Vicountess Falkland,
and the Hon. Philip Sydney (son of the
Lady de Lisle and Dudley), in remem-
brance of his unwearied and dutiful at-
tendance on their beloved father during
his late illness.

FUNERAL OF WILLIAM IV.

We have, in our notice of the state of
Windsor, on Thursday, expressed the
doubts which existed as to the intention
of her Majesty to be present; but these
were removed in the early part of the day
and we ascertained with certainty that
her Majesty had resolved to witness the
sad ceremonial, and directions were given
to Sir F. Koe, who was attended by
Mr. Burnaby, his clerk, to be prepared for
her Majesty's reception at the north-
east door, next the cloisters. At half-
past nine precisely, her Majesty, having
walked along the North Terrace, parallel
with the procession, for some time, at-
tended by ten ladies in deep mourning,
and covered with crape veils, Lord Howe,
Mr Wood, and Ashley, her Majesty's
Vice-Chamberlain, with scarfs and hat-
bands, entered the Dean's house, and
from thence through the cloisters to the
north-east door, and by another door on
the left, which was opened upon her Ma-
jesty's approach, to the stairs which led
to her Closet, and which was prepared
for the Royal mourner's reception. One
of her Majesty's attendants carried a
prayer book, in which the service to be
performed was introduced. Her Majesty's
arrival was so private, that few were
aware of her presence. Immediately af-
ter the service, during which, we under-
stand, her Majesty was deeply affected,
the Royal mourner returned by the same
course to the Castle, and shortly after
was driven off to her residence at Bushey,
as had been previously arranged. We
ought here to state, also, that the Earl
and Countess of Munster, Lord Frede-
rick and Lord Augustus Fitzclarence,
occupied the Closet next to Her Ma-
jesty.

It is rumoured at the Clubs
that the Marquis of Westminster
is to be made a Duke.

Prince Napoleon Louis Boi-
naparte, who had been taken to Ame-
rica in a French frigate, after his
unfortunate enterprise at Stras-
burg, has arrived in London by
the packet the *George Washington*,
from *New York*. As he was not
bound by any engagement with
the French government he hasten-
ed his return to Europe on re-
ceiving the news of the dangerous
illness of his mother, the ex-Queen
Hortense, Duchess of St. Leu.—
The Prince alighted at Fenton's
hotel.

The Crown Princess of Prussia
has been converted by her illustri-
ous husband from the Catholic to
the Protestant faith. The King
of Bavaria, her brother, is very
angry at it.

The letters from *Naples* of the
latter end of June say that the
Cholera had broken out at Messina,
Palermo, and Malta, whilst its
ravages at *Naples* were unabated.

The Madrid journals announce

that a ball of lead had been thrown
at the Queen Regent on the 2nd
instant, but without doing any
more injury than merely breaking
the carriage window. Some ar-
rests had taken place in conse-
quence.

Spain.—Letters and Papers
from Madrid, to the 2d inst. inclu-
sive, have arrived. Their con-
tents are interesting. General
Oraa had concluded a treaty with
the Carlist Chief Cabrera, for con-
ducting the war in Lower Arra-
gon on the principles recognized
by civilized nations. The treaty
includes the national guards, and
guarantees the establishment of
hospitals for the wounded on both
sides, to be visited without hin-
drance by certain officers appoint-
ed by each.

On the 30th ult. Mendizabal in-
troduced to the Cortes projects of
two new laws; the one limiting
the time for the payment of tithes
in Spain to the present year, the
other appropriating a million ster-
ling of the money so raised to the
exigencies of the State. The an-
nual net revenue from tithes ex-
ceeds five millions. Senor Pizar-
ro, the Home Minister, has recom-
mended to the Queen to make a
census of the Spanish population,
in consequence of which the Pro-
visional Juntas have been all cal-
led upon to make lists of the in-
habitants in their respective dis-
tricts.

Letters from Bayonne, of the
4th instant, state that General O'-
Connell had tendered his resigna-
tion in consequence of the non-
arrival of money to pay the arrears
due to the Legion; but at the
earnest request of the officers, he
had resumed the command for a
few days longer to see what might
be done in the interim.

Letters have been received from
Lisbon, stating that Her Majes-
ty's ship *Talavera* had sailed un-
der sealed orders, with a detach-
ment of 1 captain, 3 subalterns,
& 100 men of the Royal Marines.

Le Commerce reports Colonel
Chesney's arrival at Marseilles in
the *Dante* steam boat; and that
"he is to perform 20 days' quar-
antine. He comes from India,
having crossed the Great Desert
from the Persian Gulf to Demas-
cus, on dromedaries, in 17 days.
He is in good health."

The Colonial bishopric of Que-
bec has fallen to the gift of minis-
ters by the demise of the hon. and
Right Rev. Charles James Stew-
art, D.D. His Lordship was the
fourth son of John, seventh Earl
of Galloway.

HOUSE OF COMMONS, JULY 17.

The House of Commons was
opened soon after 12 o'clock, but
very few Members were present
until 1.

CONSTITUTION OF HANOVER.

Col. Thomson rose, pursuant
to notice, to inquire whether her
Majesty's Ministers view as au-
thentic the proclamation or letters
patent, purporting to be issued
by the King of Hanover on the 5th
of this present July, engaging to
impart to the General Assembly
of the States his Royal resolution
touching the modification of the
Constitution of the Kingdom of
Hanover, or whether the Consti-
tution should be brought back to
what it was before the promulga-
tion of the present Constitution;
as given from the Hamburg pa-
pers of the 8th July, in the *Times*
and other London papers of the
15th. The gallant Col., after put-
ting this question, said he was
anxious to have an answer.

Mr. P. Thomson said he could
not give any answer to the ques-
tion. It appeared to him to be a
matter which belonged to the
States General of Hanover.

Col. Thomson then said he
should, next session, if he had a
seat in that House, move for leave
to bring in a bill to declare that no
foreign prince should have any
power, authority, or jurisdiction in
this kingdom, and to vest the suc-
cession to the Throne in Prince
George of Cambridge and his heirs.

The Attorney-General gave no-
tice that, if he had a seat in the
next session, he should introduce
a bill for the enfranchisement of
copy hold tenures, and also a bill
for the abolition of imprisonment
for debt, unless, as he hoped, that
bill should commence auspiciously
in the other House of Parlia-
ment.

THE STAR

WEDNESDAY, August 23, 1837.

We have been favoured with Scotch
Papers to the 20th ultimo, from which
we have taken such extracts as appear of
most interest.

We regret that we cannot re-publish to-day,
the excellent Charge of Judge BRENTON to the
Grand Inquest of this District in the Autumn
Term of the Court last year. As we find that
this truly upright and independent expression of
the sentiments of the Judge to the Grand Jury on
the occasion of the Elections of last fall, has all
along excited the worst feelings of the faction
who have so systematically opposed themselves to
the peace and good order of this once peaceful,
but now distracted and unhappy country.

We have therefore much pleasure in publishing
a contradictory representation from the Grand
Jury, showing the manifest falsehoods so indus-
triously circulated by that mendacious print the
NEWFOUNDLAND PATRIOT, with regard to their
proceedings on that occasion, to which we would
direct the special attention of our readers, as it
embraces the testimonial of so many of the re-
spectable individuals forming that Jury.

"Could they, or dare they deny that the
Grand Jury of Conception Bay (composed too of
Tories) loudly protested against the charge of Jus-
tice BRENTON on the occasion to which they al-
lude!—*Patriot, August 12.*"

We, the undersigned, Foreman and
Members of the Grand Jury for the Dis-
trict of Conception Bay, for the Fall
Term of 1836, from a sense of justice to
ourselves, and also in vindication of Mr.
Justice BRENTON who has been so grossly
maligned, feel it to be our duty to
deny and contradict in the most unquali-
fied manner, the false and unfounded
statements contained in the "PATRIOT
Newspaper" of the 12th Instant, and of
which the above extract forms a part.—
Setting forth that we, the Grand Jury for
the Fall Term of 1836, had protested
against the Charge, and repudiated the
statements of Judge BRENTON on that
occasion.

We again deny the assertions of the
PATRIOT so manifestly opposed to the
truth, and now state without fear of con-
tradiction, that so far from any part of
the learned Judge's Charge having been
objected to by the Jury we, in order to
mark our approbation of, and concurrence
in the sentiments therein expressed
occasion.

Resolved.—That the Foreman THOMAS
RIDLEY, Esquire, on our return into
Court, do respectfully request the Judge
to publish his Charge delivered on this
occasion (14th Nov., 1836),—with which
request His Lordship kindly complied.

True it is, that a Mr. JAMES POWER of
Carbonear, one of the Jurors, conceiving
that some of the observations in the
Charge had pointed at him personally—
declaimed in open Court against his hav-
ing had any share in what was alluded to.
And on the Judge assuring him
that "he had no intention of applying
what he had said, either to him, or any
other individual personally" Mr. Power
expressed his satisfaction, and actually
joined the Foreman of the Jury, on the
application to the Court, that the Charge
might be published.

We would avail ourselves of the present
opportunity to record the high sense
we entertain of the public conduct, and
private worth of the venerated Judge
BRENTON, who has so frequently and so
ably filled the Seat of Justice in this Dis-
trict, with honor to himself and satisfac-
tion to the public.

Harbor Grace, 21st August, 1837.
THOMAS RIDLEY, Foreman.

John Munn	Joseph Soper
John C. Nuttall	John Smith
Andrew Drysdale	J. Fitzgerald
James Hippisley	George W. Gill
William Best	Thomas Gamble
W. W. Bemister	Geo. Forward
Wm. H. Taylor	T. Newell,

By the arrival yesterday, of the *Schr.*
HARRIETT, from Grady Harbor, Labra-
dor, which she left on the 8th inst., we
undertand that the Fishery on that coast
was very bad indeed.

Married

At Port-de-Grave, on Wednesday last,
by the Rev. Charles Blackman, Captain
George Davis, of the Brigantine *Dolphin*,
to Jane Sophia, second daughter of Mr.
George Bursell, of that place.

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Ribbons and Persians
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Elastic Knitting Pins
Gilt, and Silver-end Thimbles
Slates, and Slate Pencils
Table Knives and Forks
Steels and Carvers
Penknives, Scissors, Razors
Awl-blades, Shoe Knives, Nippers
Cinder Sifters, Chamber Buckets
Mops, Brushes, Pattens
SCYTHES, Grass Hooks
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Imperial Weights from 4lbs. down
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