

Will be married in a few days to Miss Gibbons, a lady possessed of £100,000 fortune. Soldiers' reading rooms are about to be established by authority in the principal barracks in both countries—a most desirable acquisition.

A young gentleman, an officer, has commenced walking 1000 miles in a 1000 successive hours at Belfast.

According to Edward Gibbon Wakefield, London contains thirty thousand persons who live by appropriating other people's property to their own use, yet five thousand only could be brought together to listen and to operate at the grand radical meeting at Westminster.

Mr. Thomas Moore, the poet, has arrived at Dublin on business connected with his History of Ireland. He has several times dined at the Castle, and visited the Theatre, where he was received enthusiastically.

An operation on the Princess Sophia's eyes has recently been performed by Mr. Alexander. Her Royal Highness is nearly blind.

There is at the present moment in a window in the Trafalgar Road, Greenwich, a quotation from Isaiah—"Oh! Lucifer how art thou fallen!—One penny a box." The man sells Lucifer matches.

Mr. Peter Holland, aged 22, and unmarried, a barrister, who recently died in the Isle of Wight, has left his personal property, amounting to more than £1,000,000, exclusive of freehold and copyhold estates, to his nephew.

The amount of duty to Government is £45,000. It is a singular fact that the will is contained on one side of a sheet of letter paper—a striking contrast with the will of the late Lord Eldon, which occupied 48 closely written skins of parchment.

On Tuesday evening, Messrs. Green & Rush ascended in the Nassau balloon from Vauxhall Gardens, and arrived in safety in a field at Southover, near Lewes, Sussex, having accomplished the distance of 55 miles in 75 minutes. In the course of their voyage they reached an altitude of more than five miles, a greater height than has ever before been attained. The aeronauts passed through a considerable quantity of snow, and the cold was intense.

The average number of persons who daily visit the British Museum is about 2,500; but on the Monday of the week preceding the late Coronation, the astonishing number of 10,000 paid a visit to the Museum.

On the 6th October, King Louis Philippe attained his 66th year, being the first of the Orleans family that ever lived to that age.

At the Lincoln Assizes, Samuel Kirkley, a boy 14 years of age, was found guilty of the murder of his master, Wm. Bruce, late a master butcher of Lincoln, by administering to him arsenic, in revenge for having been corrected for his neglect, in consequence of which a lamb had died. The young rascal did not betray the slightest emotion.

Previous to the opening of the Liverpool and Manchester rail way there were no more than 146,000 passengers in the year travelling between the two places by coaches, whereas the present number, by railway alone exceeds 500,000!

UNITED STATES.

New York, Oct. 11th.—The attention of a person on pier No. 11 was this morning attracted to a very disagreeable smell arising from a pork or beef barrel. He caused the head to be knocked out, and found that it contained the bodies of two females, apparently between the ages of 21 and 25 years. One was the body of a white woman, the other of a negro. The barrel was directed to Pratt & Kings, 28, India wharf, Boston.

The New York Journal of Commerce says, "The 'patriotic' fever in this country has very much abated, and if unfortunately, after all the generosity which has been manifested by the Canadian government, any of our people should attempt to renew the disturbances, they will not command much 'sympathy,' even should they get their necks stretched."

The Princetown Whig says "One of the citizens of this borough, has one million of silk worms feeding, and about one hundred thousand of the Chinese mulberry trees, in a fine thrifty condition; and several other citizens are turning their attention to the silk business."

"SYMPATHY."—A correspondent of the Boston Traveller says, "The Canadians at Lockport hold weekly meetings of consultation for the purpose of devising ways and means for subsistence, emigration, &c."!

NOVA-SCOTIA.

In the Supreme Court of Amherst, County of Cumberland, Nova-Scotia, on the 28th Sept.

Maurice Doyle was arraigned and found guilty of the murder of John Clem, of Philip River, under circumstances of the most atrocious nature. The prisoner, who had been in the service of Clem about six months, and had been discharged, effected an entrance into the bed-room of the latter, and inflicted several dreadful wounds on his head with an axe, which caused his death. He then entered the adjoining room, where the housekeeper, Mrs. Pipes, and her daughter, were sleeping, and after inflicting several wounds which he doubtless supposed would prove fatal, he destroyed several articles of furniture, forced open a chest, and carried off the money belonging to his victim, amounting to about £40. Fortunately the two females, though very severely wounded, so far recovered as to be able to attend the court and give evidence. The testimony adduced was altogether circumstantial, but so clear as to leave not the slightest doubt of the prisoner's guilt. When called upon for his defence, the prisoner merely denied the fact of Mrs. Pipes ever having seen the pocket-book found upon his person, and identified by her and others as that of the deceased. During the trial he exhibited much firmness; but at the announcement of the verdict, his firmness forsook him, his head dropped between his knees, and he burst into tears. The sentence of death was pronounced in a feeling and impressive address; and the unhappy criminal was to be executed on the Monday following.

UPPER CANADA.

The Lieut. Governor of Upper Canada has offered a reward of £200 for the discovery of the persons who set fire to the premises of Charles F. W. Esq. of Goderich, on the night of the 18th September.

The Court of King's Bench commenced its sittings at Brockville on Monday last. The criminal calendar contains but few cases. One or two persons are to be tried for enticing some of the regular troops to desert; and if found guilty, it is hoped that such punishment will be awarded as will prevent the recurrence of an offence that is becoming so common among us.

The Court of King's Bench held at Sandwich, closed its sitting on the 28th ult. The only important trial was that of two men, Cooley and Bowerman, for burglary, who were convicted, and sentenced to be hanged on the 27th inst. It appears that on the 28th June last, they formed a portion of a band of American pirates who forcibly entered the store of a Mr. C. Govin, situated on the banks of the St. Clair, and robbed it of several articles of merchandise, after which they proceeded to a home kept by Capt. Angus McDonald, which was also plundered, and the captain made prisoner. As these crimes have been perpetrated under the name of patriotism and liberty and rebellion, it is very probable the criminals will be pardoned, as it is the fashion in this enlightened age and country to dispense with punishing the guilty, especially if the crime committed is the most aggravated in the criminal code.

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QUEBEC, THURSDAY, 18th OCT. 1834.

LATEST DATES.

From London, Sept. 19 From New York, Oct. 13  
From Liverpool, Sept. 20 From Halifax, Oct. 2  
From Paris, Sept. 27 From Toronto, Oct. 2

New York papers of Saturday last are without any news of moment.

His Excellency Sir John Colborne, arrived from Sorel on Tuesday evening in the steamer *St. George*.

"JUSTICE TO THE GUILTY."—Louis Perault, one of the rebel refugees, and formerly proprietor of the *Indicator*, for whose apprehension a reward of five hundred pounds was offered by Lord Gosford, returned to Montreal on Sunday last. Messrs. Rodier & Cartier are expected to return in a few days; and it is

probable that nearly all the expatriated rebels will return, to re-commence with impunity the work of agitation and murder, unless some "part and parcel of the celebrated code of Judge Lynch" is promptly brought into force. A contemporary, distinguished for his uniform equanimity of temper and flexibility of principle, says, in a paragraph excellently adapted for transferring to the United States papers, "we have made great progress in the practice;" and indeed it is high time for us to commence "learning," for "the times are out of joint;" and "We should be brief when traitors brave the field."

The *Quebec Gazette* at all times and in all seasons assumes a calmness and amiability which no other paper in the Province can attain to. It makes a point of being exceedingly shocked at any ebullition of public feeling, and is incessant in its cry of "Peace! peace! when there is no peace!"—but from the following paragraph in yesterday's paper we are led to infer that "a change came over the spirit of its dream" since Monday:—

"Foreigners have frequently interfered in our difficulties, and are still interfering; and our subjects are notoriously being acting with them, and fomenting troubles. It is not prudent unnecessarily to arm the Executive with extraordinary powers in peaceable times; but, on coming out of a rebellion, and when new disturbances are threatened, it is necessary that it should be strong. From 1794 to 1811, we had an alien law, and an act for suspending, in certain cases, the Habeas Corpus Act, when there was very little need for them. If present appearances continue, there is much need for them at present."

The names of the prisoners who effected their escape from the citadel on Tuesday last are Theller, Dodge, Parker, Partridge, and Culver. Theller and Dodge are still at large; and though the most active search and enquiry has been made, nothing has transpired to lead to the discovery of their hiding-place or the route which they may have taken. We understand that a rigid investigation is taking place into the circumstances of this extraordinary affair, which can scarcely fail to lead to the conviction of some of those under whose immediate charge the prisoners were placed at the time of their escape.

Sutherland still remains in confinement, being unable to obtain the required securities. The other prisoners are to embark at the commencement of next month for England, from whence they will be sent to New South Wales.

A rumour is very prevalent in town that James Stuart, Esq. is about to be appointed to the Chief Justiceship of this Province, and that he will immediately assume the duties.

At a meeting of the Montreal Committee of Trade, held on the 15th inst., the following resolution was adopted:—

"That as specie payments have been resumed by the Banks of our city, the necessity for the circulation of Bills under the nominal value of One Dollar no longer exists; the Committee therefore recommend that all such be refused in payment; and also taking into consideration the losses sustained through bills issued by private banking Companies, they would advise the public to avoid taking all such notes."

The day of sailing of the steam-ship *Royal William* from New York has been changed from the 18th to the 20th inst.

The *Eleutheria*, which arrived on Tuesday last from London, it is said, brought out English shillings and sixpences to the amount of five thousand pounds.

A dry goods store kept by Mrs. Widow Gilmore, in St. Augustin Street, St. John Suburbs, forcibly entered, yesterday morning, and articles to the amount of about £12 were carried off.

God bless us! what a word upon a title page is! The *Gazette* of last night says, "Very active PERQUISITIONS were made all day yesterday for Theller and Dodge."

THE NEWS.

(From the United Service Journal, Sept. 12.) **GRANDMARE GUARDS.**—Lieutenants Forresters House, and Neville, have sailed to join the 2nd Battalion in Canada.

**COLDSTREAM GUARDS.**—We have to announce the sudden death of Ensign and Lieut. George Herbert, which took place on the 9th. The gallant officer had only just attained his 26th year, and had been in the regiment six years.

(For the Transcript.) **LAYS OF THE DESTRUCTIVES.** No. 2.

THE SYMPATHISERS' SONG.

Each freeman, magnanimous despot of labor,  
Each freeman who pines for the goods of his neighbor,  
To Canada, on!—'tis a glorious spree,  
And the venture is trifling—'tis only your neck—  
When beckon'd to conquest by glory and spoil,  
What freeman would falter, what lover would  
flinch?

And oh! shall the slaves who in British chains  
Sigh in vain for the blessings of freedom and  
Lynch!

No—arise to the combat—hold democratic reins—  
For bright is the prospect before you that lies;  
What brave sympathiser would not fight the battles  
Of men with such lands and such goods and such  
chastels?

Those lands and those riches shall all be our own,  
We will wade in the blood of our hated old enemy,  
And, while acting the part play'd by Isaac's slayer,  
We will hug in our arms our Canadian brother.

'Tis true we despise him—his laws—his religion—  
But what gaudier e'er looks to the *Age* of his  
Pigion?

That he laces us and fears us is just quite as true;  
But, then, that is nothing to me or to you—  
It is not decum'd polite, when outspread in the  
board,

To do you of your host if he grudges the feast;  
And as rudeness, we know, is by Yankees abhor'd,  
'Tis a thing, I am sure, on which we'll not insist.

So, on leaves, on! We soon shall be lords  
Of the "Torries" rich fields—the priests' tombs  
ing boards;

And the sun too—if proofs of our love they require,  
They may find them recorded in Charleston's fire;  
To reformers like us, then, what joy it will give  
To smoke out these hornets, in vice and wealth  
sunk.

'Mid the shouts of our thousands rebo'd to believe  
In the faithful and chaste—"Revelations of Monk."  
With leaders like ours, our success is secure—  
There is none to the valiant, Mackenzie the pure,  
And Brown, who so fiercely at Kings and Queens  
snarls,

Tho' he was not so fierce at the fight of St. Charles;  
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SHIPPING INTELLIGENCE.

PORT OF QUEBEC.

ARRIVED.

October 10th.  
Ship Wm. Ritchie, Rodgers, 1st Sept. Belfast, W. Price & Co. ballast.  
Brig Ward, Crossman, 14th August, Gloster, Gilmore & Co. ballast.  
16th.  
Bark Naparima, Donel, 5th August, Dublin, Ryan Brothers, ballast.  
Bark Eleutheria, W. Beatty, 22nd August, London, Gillespie & Co. general cargo, 61 men, and 21 women and children of the Royals.  
Bark Captain Ross, Morton, 1st Sept. Liverpool, Frost & Co. general cargo.  
Ship Robertson, Neill, 1st do. Liverpool, Montreal, general cargo, 14 cabin passengers.  
Schr Union, 10th Oct. Perce, order, 4 passengers—Harriet, 29th Sept. Magdalen Islands, do. 5 do

CLEARED.

October 16th.  
Bark Cato, Tay or, Plymouth, LeMaurier & Co.—Edfort, Ke., Millford, & P. MacIntosh & Co.—Ship Meteor, Brown, Hill, Syme & Ross  
17th.  
Bark Pekin, McDonald, Liverpool, Gilmore & Co.—Royal Adelaide, Stewart, Greensco, do.  
—India, Walker, London, P. Peterson.  
Brig Six, Perry, do. Levey & Co.  
Bark Glasgow, Bonnemville, Liverpool, Gilmore & Co.  
Brig Harmony, Tweedie, Stockton, Maitland & Co.

PASSENGERS.

—In the *Eleutheria*, from London—Major Burrow, R. E. and lady; Lieutenants Gardner and Smith, R. A.; Hon. H. Forrest, Hon. R. Seville, and Lieut. Keston G. G.; Major McNichol, and Lieut. Carling, Royals.

MEMORANDA.

The *Toronto*, Douglas, in going up to Montreal, in tow of the *British America*, ran aground on Lake St. Peter. She has since been got off, without having received any injury, and arrived at Montreal.

The *Southampton* came off Taylor's Slip on Tuesday last, after receiving some trifling repairs. The brig *Isabella & Louisa*, of Sunderland, from Quebec, bound to Sunderland, with a cargo of timber, was cast away at St. Pierre, Miquelon, on the 9th August—Crew saved.

DIED.

At Stamford, (U. C.) on Wednesday last, retaining the full possession of her faculties to the latest moment of her life, Mrs. John Knox. The deceased had reached a very advanced age, as may be inferred from the fact that when Quebec was captured in 1759, she was a prisoner—an adult—in the hands of the Indians.