

The 81st Regiment, under the command of Lt. Col. Creagh, are now embarked on board the Transports *Ann Amelia* and *Wellington*, and will proceed to Bermuda with the first fair wind.

The following documents show, the good understanding which has uniformly existed between the people of this City, and the officers and men of that Regiment during the time it has been stationed here.

St. John, 31st October, 1829.

DEAR SIR,—

I am directed by the Common Council of the City, to present the enclosed Address, and am also requested by the County Magistrates, to state their entire concurrence in the sentiments expressed by the Corporate Body.

I need hardly mention, that it affords me much gratification to be the organ of these communications, and that, with the highest respect, and best wishes.

I have the honor to remain,

Dear Sir,

Your most obedient,

And very humble Servant,

L. DONALDSON.

To Lieut.-Col. CREAGH, }
81st Regiment. }

To Lieutenant-Colonel CREAGH, Commanding His Majesty's 81st Regiment of Foot

SIR,—

We, the Mayor, Aldermen, and Commonalty of the City of Saint John, beg leave to assure you, that we observe with regret the preparations for the departure of the Regiment under your command. It will carry with it the respect and esteem of the Inhabitants: and it affords the Corporate Body of this City much pleasure to state that the honorable and orderly conduct of the Regiment, has created the unanimous wish, that an Address should be presented on its departure.

We hope it will have a safe and pleasant passage to Bermuda; that, in Peace, the Regiment may enjoy all the comforts and happiness of social life; and we are perfectly assured, that when War may take place, fresh Honors will adorn the Banners of the 81st.

L. DONALDSON.

MAYOR.

City of Saint John, New-Brunswick,
31st October, 1829

By order of the Common Council,
(In the absence of the Common Clerk.)
J. WILLIAM BOYD, D. C. C.

St. John, N. B. October 21st, 1829.

DEAR SIR,—

I have been extremely flattered by the receipt of your enclosure, an Address from the Common Council of the City of St. John, expressive of their sentiments towards the Corps I have the honor to command; and also feel highly gratified by the kind manner in which you have conveyed to me the concurrence to the Address on the part of the Magistrates of the County.

To yourself, Sir, for the prompt assistance you have always given every application for your aid, as well as for your uniform good feeling towards the Regiment, I cannot be too thankful.

I have the honor to be,

Dear Sir,

Your most obedient,

And very humble Servant,

A. CREAGH, Lieut.-Colonel.

Commanding 81st Regiment.

To His Worship the Mayor of the }
City of St. John, N. B. }

To His Worship the Mayor, the ALDERMEN, and COMMONALTY of the City of SAINT JOHN.

GENTLEMEN,—

I have had the honor to receive, with great pride and satisfaction, your Address, presented to me this morning by his Worship the Mayor, on the approaching departure of the Regiment under my command, from this Province, which I have not failed to communicate to the Officers and Corps at large, and allow me in their name and my own, to return you our most grateful thanks for the honor you have conferred on us, as well as for the kind wishes therein contained.

Wherever the commands of our Sovereign may place us, the cordial hospitality which the Regiment has experienced from the respectable community

over which you preside, will long be a source of pleasing remembrance,

To you Gentlemen, in your official capacity, I beg leave particularly to express my thanks for the uniform kindness and attention which has ever been paid where the aid of Civil Power was requested.—With every wish for your individual welfare, and for the general prosperity of the City of Saint John,

I have the honor to remain,

Gentlemen,

Your most obedient,

And very humble Servant,

A. CREAGH, Lieut.-Colonel,

Commanding 81st Regiment.

St. John, New-Brunswick, October 31st, 1829.

NOVA SCOTIA.

CHESTER.—On a late visit of the Right Rev. the Bishop of the Diocese to Chester, the friends of the Church were gratified by the moral and affecting spectacle of an Ordination in their Parish church. GEORGE SEMOUR JARVIS, Master of Arts, of the University at Windsor, was admitted into the holy order of deacons. The arguments for the observance and preservation of three distinct orders in the ministry, were ably and clearly set forth by the Bishop, in a sermon which preceded the Ordination. The Bishop was attended by his Lordship's CHAPLAIN, and by the Rev. Messrs. COCHRAN and WHITE.

The labours of Mr. SHRIEVE the worthy Rector of the Parish, in preparing his flock for a Confirmation, had like those of Mr. COCHRAN at Lunenburg, and of Mr. MOODY at Liverpool been unremitting, and a number of well behaved and promising candidates of all ages offered thanks here, as at the above-mentioned places, for this primitive rite. Here an interesting female was baptised in the face of the congregation, was confirmed and received the Lord's Supper all in the same day. In the two latter ordinances she was attended by a promising young woman who was her daughter. The ordination of Mr. JARVIS gave the regular communicants of the church an unexpected opportunity of celebrating the Lord's Supper. The number of those who devoutly availed themselves of it, gave good proof of the fidelity, with which their Pastor must inculcate the great duty of never turning aside from this sacred feast; and the serious department of all who were assembled, gave convincing testimony to the impression which the solemn service of the day had excited. A few Sundays after these events another adult, who had witnessed the baptism to which allusion has been made, was publicly baptised in the same church; and there is every reason for trusting that the well directed zeal of the excellent Rector of this place, will not be without a portion of its reward in this world, as an increased respect for the doctrine and discipline of the church of which he is so faithful a minister, is the evident fruit of his zeal.

Since the Ordination which is noticed above, two Deacons the Revd. ADDINGTON DEVERPORT PARKER of Prince Williams, N. B. and the Rev. ARCHIBALD GRAY, of Miramichi N. B. both Bachelors of Arts of the University at Windsor, were admitted into the Order of Priests in the church of St. Pauls Halifax.



From the Miramichi Schediasma.

We have been politely handed a letter, dated 6th of August last, which a gentleman in Richibucto, has just received from his friends in Scotland; the following is a copy *verbatim*.

"My Dear Sir,—What the Fire was to Miramichi some years ago, the Floods were to Rothes and many places of Morayshire, on 3rd and 4th inst. with only one exception, the loss of lives. We ourselves have the greatest reason to be thankful, as in the midst of the general calamity, we have neither suffered in person nor property. But Oh! what devastation does our Village and Haugh, exhibit, The streets like the channels of the rivers, the gardens covered with mud and the greater proportion of the fields which were not swept away by the river, resemble nothing but the sea shore at the ebbing of the tide. The Vule of Stanispey, the pride of the north, will not, while the world lasts, ever recover its pristine grandeur, hundreds if not thousands of acres have been either destroyed, or carried off. Machinery, Furniture, Hay, and even live cattle were floating down the tremendous

stream, like leaves along a rivulet in the month of November. The farms of the Haugh, Dandlèth; Mains Orton, Greens of Dipple, and Burnside, are apparently destroyed for ever. The occupants are now dismissing their servants, selling their cattle, &c. your friends of the Haugh were saved in a boat, but their House, and Crop, are both destroyed. There is not a Bridge on the Spey but what has suffered—two of the arches are gone at Fochabers—the small arches at Craigelachic—and one or more of the principal arches of the bridge at Grantown. The bridges of Nairn Finhorn, and Voues have shared the same fate—and only two or three remain on the Lossy. In consequence all communication to north and south is cut off, except across the rivers by boats, and along the roads on foot. Rothes, Aug. 6."

From the Royal Gazette.

KING'S COLLEGE, NEW-BRUNSWICK.

At a recent meeting of the College Council the Rev. Edwin Jacob, D. D. was introduced as Vice President of the Institution; and the Rev. James Somerville, L. L. D. and the Rev. George M'Cauley, A. M. were also appointed Professors.

Students will now be matriculated on application to the Vice President, and permitted to choose their rooms in the order of seniority. Those who have been members of the former College will be entitled to the Terms which they may have kept; and all Graduates of the acknowledged Universities of the British Empire will be admitted *ad eundem*.



BY AUTHORITY.

PUBLIC Notice is hereby given, that the disposal of CROWN LANDS in New-Brunswick, will hereafter be conducted in conformity with the following arrangement:—

1st. Persons desirous of obtaining any quantity of Land, not exceeding 1200 acres, will apply at the Office of the Commissioner of Crown Lands and Surveyor General, where plans of the most eligible vacant Tracts will be exhibited, with the price attached to each Lot. Plans of Tracts in each County will also be lodged with authorized Deputies in several districts of the Province.

2d. The Land will be sold, subject to the usual conditions of improvement, but no quit rent, or farther payment will be required from purchasers paying the whole of the purchase money at the time of sale.

3d. Settlers unable to pay the whole sum may have the option of paying the purchase money by four Annual Instalments with interest, one Instalment to be paid in advance, in which case a location ticket will be given, for which the sum of Two Pounds must be paid down, and to be exclusive of the Annual Instalments as above; the Patent to issue when the whole of the Instalments are paid.

4th. Persons desirous of buying Land in situations not included in the Tracts already surveyed must previously pay for the expense of survey.

5th. Poor settlers may receive Grants of 50 Acres on payment of a Fee not exceeding Twenty Shillings. The Land of course to be subject to the necessity of cultivation within a limited period, and the form of application to be as follows:—

To His Honor the President and Commander in Chief of the Province of New Brunswick, &c. &c. &c.

The Petition of

Humbly Sheweth:—

That he is a British subject, has not the means to purchase, and does not own any Land in the Province, and is desirous of obtaining Fifty Acres for the purpose of immediate settlement and cultivation by himself; he therefore prays that a Lot may be granted to him situate as follows. He has not bargained or agreed for the sale or transfer hereof. And as in duty bound will ever pray.

NOTE.—If the application is complied with, the applicant will receive a Location Ticket, and on his complying with the conditions thereof, a Grant will be issued to him.



KINGSTON, September 23.

Last evening the anniversary of the Kingston Auxiliary Wesleyan Missionary Society was held in the Society's chapel. After singing and prayer by the Rev. Mr. Lang, of Odell Town, the Rev. Mr. Knowlton, chairman of the Canada District, was called to the chair. As a report is to be published, it is only necessary for us to say that, the business of the meeting was conducted in a very pleasing and edifying manner. Several good speeches were delivered to a numerous and attentive audience, every one of whom we believe retired from the chapel highly gratified.