News Department.

previously voted themselves 2100 each for attendance. In our next we shall give a list of the remander of the Bills passed.

List of B 3 c c c chare passed both Houses, up to 22nd July 1847, cretusive of those which have received the Royal Assent.

To regulate the Notarial Profession in Lower Canada.

To Incoporate Betown.

To Incorporate Toronto and Niagara Telegraph

To regulate Assessments in Town of Brockville. To remove Registry Office in county of Belle-

To levice and extend an Act conferring Civil

Rights on certain persons.
To Incorporate Trustees of Toronto Hospital.
For the bester protection of Merchants receiving Assignments.

To consolidate and amend the Laws relating to Forgery.

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To lucorporate St. Lawrence and Industry Villige Radroad Company.
To amend the Roard of Works Act.
To exem, 'poporty of the Crown from Local Taxonon in Lower Canada.
To authorise the Montreal Harbour Commissionary to harrow manner.

To authorise the Montreal Harbour Commissioners to borrow money.

To incorporate Woodstock and Lake Eric Railroad Company.

To amend the morrogo Act of U.C.

To increase Capital Stock of Montreal Bank

To increase Capital Stock of City Bank.

To amend Charter of Montreal Gas Company.

To amend Charter of Banque du Peuple

To authorise Hon, A. N. Morin to build a Bridge over River du Nord.

To authorize Hon. A. N. Morin to build a Bridge over River du Nord.
To amen l'Cherter of Cobourg and Rice Lake Road Company.
To amen l'Act incorporating Kingston.
To authorise the Court of Queen's Beach to admit Archeb d'l Gilkison to praguase
To regulate the appointment of Special Constables.

To authorse Dund's and Waterloo Road Com-

pany to horrow money.
To Incorporate Town of Dundas.
To Incorporate Burlington Bay Dock Company.
To authors—St. Peter's Church, Brockville, to
sell certain Land.

To autho ise the Courts at Nigara to be held in the Corporation Court House. To amend Quebec Trimty House Pdot Act.

To facilitate voluntary commutation of Tenure in I. C

To grant Provincial Custom Daties and console

date the laws relating thereto. To amend Error in Schedule of Customs Bill.

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To Incorporate Mechanics' Institute of TorontoTo facilitate partition of Lands in L. C.
To amend and extend the Act relating obstruction of Rivers and Broulets in U. C.
To extend the Proximizal Copy Right Act
To pay the balance of the Rebellion Losses in
U. C.

To amend the Registry Law of last Session.

" Merely substituting . Mortgagor" for " Mortgague.'

THE TARIFF.

The following changes were made in the Tariff before it passed. The duty on treacle and molasses was reduced

from 5s, to 4s, per cwt.
The duty on raisins was reduced from 13d, to

Item imposing duty on Glass, Window, and common German sheet glass of 1s. 3d. per box 100 feet was introduced.

Also, items introduced.

Also, items imposing duty of 6.1. per gallon on sperm oil, and 1d. per gallon on other oil from creatures living in the sea, course and wrapping paper, from 4d. per lb. to 2s. 9d. per cwt. ou writing paper, 1—per lb. to 10s. per cwt.

The duty on rum was raised from 1s. to 2s. per gallon.

per gallon.

Items were introduced imposing duty of Id. per lb. on Ginger, Alspice, and clayed sugar of 15s 3d. per cwt. and 10 per cent.

Swine and Hogs, each, 5s. Sperm Caudles the lb., 3d: Books Bound, Unbound, or in Sheets, from 11d to 5d the lb.

COMPARATIVE STATEMENT Of Arrivals and Tomage, at the Port of Quebec, up to the 12th July in each year. Vessels. Tonnage

249,366 230,629 678 604 12th July, 1846, 74 13,739 Less this year,

COMMERCIAL BANK.—The following gentlemen compose the Board of Directors of the Commercial Bank for the present year, commencing July 6th:-Joseph Bruce, John Fraser, Hon. John Hamilton, John Henderson, Wm. Logie, Hon. J. Macanlay, Hon. J. A. Macdonald, John Macpherson, Nickells, and D. Prentis.

CHEAP POSTAGE.-His Excellency the Governor General, has presented to the House of Assembly a communication of a despaych, addressed to him by the Lieut. Governor of Nova Scotia concerning postage. The Legislature of that Province has adopted resolutions recommending an aniform charge of three pience on each letter. Province has adopted resolutions recommending of the Peace by the 10th of April. Notice to be an antiform charge of three pience on each letter gives in writing, within 30 days, to every person sent by post throughout the island. We would entered on the valuation Rolt of the annual sum wish to see our Legislative Assembly adopt similar would be seen valued. Municipal resolutions, but in place of three peace they pal. Council may appoint a Committee of their should tax each letter four pense throughout Capacity, to six at such places as they may direct, to need the place of the place and determine appeals from the valuation of

The Provincial Parliament was provogned on Wiche solay last, the Members laving Courts had been established; the public debt had loubled--it was \$10,000.

> Office of H. M. Chief Agent for the Superintendence of Emigration in Canada

Quebec 10th July, 1847.

Number of Emigrants arrived at the Ports of Quebec and Montical, during the week embing out kinds of personal property are to be asses

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Number of Enggrants arrived at the Port of Toronto, ending 19th July, 1-17...16,780

Cor Emigrant Agent at Toronto.

Emigrant Office.

Toronto, 19th July, 1817.

The Chatham Gleaner says:--

The Chors is the District of Kest.-Our friends at a distance will learn with pleasure, that, during no period for the last ten years. have the prospects of a good and great harvest been more evident than this year. Fall wheat is now being evident than this year. Fall wheat is now being barvested; there are no complaints of the rust or thy having effected it, and in both quality and quantity it is better than for many years past. The spring crops are more lavariant, grasses abundant, and, best of all, the potato crop never looked better; we have seen fields upon fields in full bluom; whereas list year no polato bluosom was seen in this neighborhood. These are all in iters of congratulation, and taken in connec-tion with other matters affecting our local interests, mport much for the future prosperity of the new District of Kent.

THE WESTHER - A Rochester paper states that deaths have accurred in consequence of too free a use of cold water.

WHEST Chors IN THE NEWCOSTLE DISTRICT.—We are glad to hear that the wheat looks better then was anticipated it would, a few weeks better then was anticipated it would, if few weeks ago. In Smith, Cavan and the other back-townships, it never looked better. With a few exceptions, it has the same good appearance in the front. Harvesting will commence in this neighborhood next week. The crops of all the coarser grain look well. Hay is abundant. We have not heard of the patata disease making its appearance.—Durham Advertiser.

THE PROSPECTS OF THE WHEAT HARVEST. The Prosects of the Wheat Harvest.—
From the very best reports made to us, we are compelled to acknowlege, that Wheat, both Spring and Fall, in the Midland District will prove but a very indifferent crop. In many parts it has been winer killed; in others, the fly has got into the flelds, and in other the weevil has done much damage.—The reports from other Districts are equily discouraging.—Kingston Whig.

HARVEST .- The Wheat harvest in this neighourhood has commenced in good earnest. hear of some being cut as early us Monday last. several fields have since been cut, and there is every likelihood of its becoming pretty general. So far we hear but few complaints respecting the new crop; throughout this part of the District it looks tolerably well, and a more favorable season could hardly have been wished for.—[Brantford

WASTE LANDS OF IRRLAND -There are 2 mil-WASTE LANDS OF IRRIAND—I here are 2 milions of people subsisting by dilly public relief in Ireland, and five millions of acrea lying waste which they dare not, and the holders will not, improve. Mr. Poulet Screpie, on the 22nd ult., rose in the House of Commons to imove "That the waste lands of ireland offer ail available resource for the immediate employment and future numerous or one numerous employment and sature maintenesice of a part of her population, now ap-parently redwindant: and that it is expedient to apply them to this great national object, making equitable compensation to the present proprie-queully only the proposition is quashed for the present-

NEW ASSESSMENT LAW .- This measure is based upon the principle that all real estate should be red according to its annual value or rental The Bill provides that instead of the present method of assessment, the District Conneils of the several Districts shall appoint three Inspectors to make a valuation of all real property in the District once every 5 years. And that Boards of Police of Incorporated Towns shall opnoint such Inspectors to take the valuation yearly. The valuation to include Houses and of cr buildings as well as the land on which they are situated. Inspectors to return their valuation Rulls, sworm to, to the Clerk of the Peace by the 10th of April. Notice to be

Ongons.—The Oregon Legislature, which adjuncted Dec. 20, present a bult to authorize the that is, such lots as are unoccupied and uncultion and state of spiritness liquors. Gov. valed—shall be taken to be a sum equal to the interest of the sum which such lands are considered to be worth in the market.

Assessors of townships to be governed by the valuation Roll, which the Clerk of the Peace is to furnish them. Property to be assessed either in the name of the occupier or owner (if the owner lives in the District) at the discretion of the Assessed in the District) at the discretion of the Assessed in the District. #0550**7**.

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The Bill also provides that if District Councils neglect to impose may tax for defraying the ex-penses of the Administration of Justice, for the support of Schools, or for the Lanatic Asylum, the Glerk of the Peace may do so. [This is a singular clause, truly] And at provides for an increased rate for the Lanatic Asylum. The foregoing are the main provisions of the Bill. The principal defect is that the weight of taxation instance. der it will fill on the Farmer and Mechanic, while the Professional man and the Merchant pass almost intouched. We might naturally expect that the interest of these latter classes would be attended to, in a House composed almost entirely of Lawyers, Doctors, and Merchants.—Picton Sun.

NAVIGATION OF THE ST. LAWRENCE.-It is stated by authority in the House of Commons, that the province lately conceded by the proclamation of the Governor of Canada, relaxing the laws affecting the navigation of the St. Lawrence. by which American vessels, small river craft, are permitted to bring their flour and corn into this country, is but temporary, and would cease, as a master of course, when the navigation laws ceased to be suspended.

Genman Entarction.—Unigration to America, on a wholesale scale, is still going on. The United States get the majority of the emigrants, and nearly all the best. Some villages are entirely depopulated by this congration mann, and the governments are beginning to be alarmed at it.

Mysremous Assourceweer.—A rumour very correctly prevails in fashionable circles to the effect that ere long something will probably be heard of a matrimonial albance between a venernear or a marrimonial animice between a venerable and distinguished commander, high in the favour of his sovereign (Dube of Wellington) and a rich heress, (Miss Contis) whose munificence is only equalled by the extent of her worldly possessions.—[London Morning Post, July 2.

VISIT OF THE QUEEN TO INVERNESS AND SOTHERLAND.—'Ve have received the following information from a source on which we place the utmost relance:—The Queen has taken Laggan from the Marquis of Abercorn for the shooting season. The Court will remain there from the beginning of August to the beginning of Sept'r. Her Majesty, it is understood, will visit Inverness on her way to Dunrobin, the second week in September, coming down the Calidonian Canal

Toronto. 26th July, 1847.

The Treasurer of The Toronto Destitute Immigrant Widow and Orphan Society, acknowledge to have received the following contributions:

From the Canada Company, per J.			
Widders, Esq., Com	250	0	0
C. C. Small, Esq.	25	0	Ò
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The small pox has again broken out in an aggravated form on board the troop ship Apollo, which was to have conveyed the 52nd Regiment now in garrison, to England. The departure of the Regiment, has been put off in consequence.

There was a great fire in Rochester on Wednesday morning last, by which the Hydraulie Buildings on the race were destroyed. Estima-ted luss about \$30,000.

Califonnia.-General Rearney, by Proclamation, "absolves all the inhabitants of any further them as citizens of the United States." mises indemnification for all losses to the Mexicans arising from unauthorized proceedings on the part of the Americans.

The Canada Gazette contains a Proclamation declaring the village of Edwardsburgh, in the Johnstown District, a Port of Entry and Clear-ance, under the name and style of Port Edwardssurgh; and Prince Edward's Bay, in the District of Prince Edward, has had like privileges afforded, under the name of Port Milford.

The neighbourhood of Perth was visited by a violent thunder storm, on Saturday, the 17th inst., accompanied by a hurricane of wind, which did much damage to the wheat-laying whole fields level with the ground.

The Bathurst Courier says, the fly is commis-ting great ravages smong the wheat in this neigh-bettrhood. Many fields are completely destroyed —not worth cutting.

Five Men Killed av Lightning.-The Troy Daily Post says, during the thunder shower on Sunday, a grocery store at Fort Edward, Washington Co., wasstruck by lightning, instantly kiling five men, and severely injuring three others, names unknown. The building was literally torn to pieces. \

Farmers have commenced cutting their grain in several parts of Virginia. The harvest will be more than an average. The quality of the wheat is said to be very superior.

GREAT WISTERN RAILROAD.—A union has taken place between the Great Western Railroad and the Bertie Railroad Company

and the Bertie Railroad Company

CAPTURE OF SLAVERS.—The British steam-sloop
Derastation captured the Tres Amigos, a Brazihan slave brig of 556 tons, with fity five officers
and men, on march 16 last in lat. 5 30 N. long. 3
10 E. of Greenwich, after the chase of 5 hours and
the loss of a man. The Devastation has also taken
an American brig under Brazilian colours, with
530 slaves on board, bound to Rio. The Tres
Amigos had made several successive trips from
the coast. On the last voyage she landed at Bahia
1,400 slaves. 1.400 slaves.

THE MEXICAN WAR.

We publish in this day's Herald the interesting correspondence between Mr. Buchanan, the of Foreign Affairs, relative to the proposition made to the latter by Mr. Buchanan, on the part of our government, that the two countries should appoint commissioners to meet at Jalapa or Havana, with full power to conclude a treaty of peace. The Mexican government declined to to appoint such commissioners until the blockade to appoint such commissioners until the blockade of their ports was raised, and their territory evacuated by the American troops, and Mr. Buchanan replies that such a proceeding is without a parallel in the history of modern tunes and wholly inadmissable. As this offer on the part of the American government has been refused, as it was on former occasions, the President, Mr. Buchanan says, will not again renew it until he has evidence that it will be accepted by the Mexican government; but in order to hasten peace he has despatched Ms. Trist to the scat of war, totthed with full powers to conclude for a definite trenty of friendship. trenty of friendship.

Such is the purport of Mr. Buchanan's letter, tendering again the offer of peace, on fair and hon-orable terms but there is not much probability that Mr. Trist's services as commissioner will be called into requisition for some time to come or at least, tilt the capitol shall have been reduced; because, up to the 29th of June last, a quorum of Congress, to whom the letter was referred, could not be procured to act upon it. General Scott had given notice to the Mexican Government that he would give them to the 30th of June to act upon the letter, and if nothing was done, he would march on the capitol.—New York Heruld.

LATEST NEWS.

By the arrival of the Washington steamer at N. York yesterday, we have news from London to the 13th July.

Brend Stuffs were firmer.

Flour.-37s. Corn, 41s. to 45s. U.S. Wheat 10s. 1d. to 10s. 4d. English, 10s. 6d. to 10s. 8d. Harvest promising well-but little potato rot.

LIVERPOOL AVERAGE PRICE OF GRIN.

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Toronto Market Prices. July 31. s. d. s. d.

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