

joei and Dumont, with that of Mr. Craven.

Having seen the evidence to a later time (since writing the above) we think it further incumbent on us to state, that the alleged adultery at Naples on the night of the masquerade, appear to us as perfectly explained away; and upon this point (speaking with due humility) we most fully and decidedly acquit her Majesty of the fact as alleged to be committed on that evening. We say this with very great pleasure.

The most important article of foreign intelligence is, the birth of an heir to the French Monarchy;—important in all its relations, as it affects the reigning family of that country, and the maintenance of the future tranquility of Europe. The Duchess of Berry was safely delivered on Friday the 29th ult. at 35 minutes past two in the morning, and the mother and infant are both well. The last Bulletin received by the French Papers of this morning, up to Wednesday the 4th inst. states the health of the Princess and of the young Prince, to be quite satisfactory.

HALIFAX,

The House of Commons adjourned to the 17th Oct. when it was expected the Bill of Pains and Penalties would have finished its course in the House of Lords. The utmost tranquility prevailed in England.

DIED. This day at 2 o'clock, universally regretted as he lived respected, the Right Rev. EDMUND BURKE, Bishop of Sion, in the 78th year of his age; after enduring the bodily pain and sufferings of a Martyr, with the greatest Christian fortitude and resignation to the will of his Heavenly Father.

Five Pounds Reward,

WHEREAS some malicious and evil disposed Person or Persons, (supposed to be connected with the conspiracy for subverting the established Religion, formed upon the Report of the appointment of a Clergyman in full orders to this Island, and before the name of the Clergyman was known;) have frequently broken down the fences, and robbed the Premises in the occupation of the Revd. Mr. GRIFFIN, and have written and published certain slanderous, libellous and inflammatory letters, concealing the vile attack by darkness and by the fictitious name "Vindex," with intention to bring the Established Church and the orthodox Ministers thereof into contempt.

Notice is hereby given that a Reward of Five Pounds will be given for the discovery, apprehension and conviction of the Offender or Offenders.

The Revd. C. G.
Priest of the United, &c.

Notice

ALL Persons having legal demands against the Estate of the late Mrs. MARY MACNAMARA, deceased, are requested to render them duly attested within Eighteen Calendar Months from the date hereof; and all those indebted to the said Estate are requested to make immediate payment to

Moses Kough,
Administrator.

Charlotte-Town, December 10th, 1820.

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SATURDAY, DECEMBER 16, 1820.

By the arrival of a small vessel on Sunday night last from the Gut of Canso, information was brought to Town, that two Schooners had run upon the shoals of the Governor's Island, about the distance of seven miles hence, a most exposed situation to the W. and N. W. and at this season of the year to vessels grounding upon it, threaten immediate destruction.—The Schooners are the Lord McDonald, Dodd, belonging to Alexr. Campbell, Esq. of Bedeque, and the other the Providence, Long, of New-Brunswick, both from Newfoundland, the latter with 52 passengers on board. At about 7 o'clock P. M. a heavy gale sprung up from the westward and continued during the night and hauling more to the northward, the two succeeding days. On Tuesday a signal was made from the Block-House (a distance of four miles from thence) of two vessels ashore in great distress. His Excellency Lt. Governor SMITH, feeling particularly the imminent danger to which the crews and passengers were exposed, offered very liberal rewards to persons who would venture to afford them relief, and his Excellency's son, G. Sidney Smith, Esq. of the R. N. volunteered his services upon the occasion, but the weather continuing tempestuous and the ice making rapidly in the harbour, it was found impracticable to proceed from this place. On Wednesday the weather abated, and a Mr. Mudge, living opposite the Town, by crossing over at considerable risk, undertook, by engagement of the Governor to repair to the outer shore and employ men and boats with provisions, &c. to their assistance. It was not until Thursday any relief was afforded. To the surprise and joy of the humane inhabitants of the surrounding shores, fires and others signals were discovered on the Island, when Messrs. Woods, Burhoes, and others, of the Lot 49 Settlement, went off in boats with sheep and other provisions to their assistance. When they arrived on the Island they found with happiness and surprize that all had providentially landed alive. These humane deliverers arrived in the utmost time of need. The sufferers flocked to them with grateful salutations, and offered them money and whatever they had for their exertions and provisions,—and to their memories be it ever spoken as a theme of admiration, what were their answers—"We do not come to afford you relief for the hope of any considerations but that of helping the distressed." This we have from one of the passengers of the Providence. When the boat left the Island, they saw another boat (supposed to be Mudge) with a further stock of provisions going to their assistance. Soon after these vessels grounded the tide receded far enough to let them cren upon their broadside—the Lord McDonald fortunately inclining inwards and the Providence out, with her deck exposed to the whole force of the sea—

the former we understand is little injured except the cutting away of her mast, protected by the way she lay, while the latter was soon bilged, and the master, crew, and passengers, were obliged to keep to the wreck in the cabin and hold, from the frost and blast without; but in this their sheltered situation they were until the again receding of the tide up to their middles in water, severely bruised by the casks and boxes in the hold, and expecting every surge of the sea to meet a dreadful fate. At 7 o'clock in the morning the Captain cut a hole thro' her inward side, and some of the most determined hearts sounded the depth of water (about three feet) took fire-works, axes, &c. and to the joy of all gained the Island where they made fires, and during the morning all hands got on shore in safety.—Some of these (we may say fortunates) are frozen, and some of the old and infirm are said to be irrecoverable from fatigue and cold. During the night several gave up to despair and drank too freely of Spirituous Liquors to dissipate the horrid gloom.—Capt. Dodd, is unloading the cargo of the Lord McDonald. When the boat arrived all hands had been allowed upon one potatoe and a bit of fish, with some molasses and rum.

In our last number we published his Excellency Lt. Governor Smith's Proclamation (with the advice of his Majesty's Council) offering a Reward of Fifty Pounds for the apprehension of the Person or Persons who set fire to and destroyed the whole of the Store, &c. amounting to 4,000l. the property of John Hill, Esq. Cascapogue. His Excellency followed up this Proclamation by sending a part of the Detachment under command of Lieut. Barker of the 74th Regt; to the place of Mr. Hill's residence about 80 miles from town. In consequence of this party, a man named CHRISTIAN, and his wife, imprisoned upon the evidence of Goods being found in his possession, and the deposition of his own Son, a boy about 11 years of age. From the late severity of the weather Lieut. Barker was absent with the party 14 days: on his return it is the general belief, that no other Person than Christie has been implicated.

By the last Mail, London Intelligence is received at this Office to the 10th Oct. Her Majesty's defence had commenced, and as for some time past, engrosses the greatest public interest.

CORONERS INQUEST.—On Monday last and Inquest was held before Fide Goff, Esq. Coroner, on the body of JAMES KENEDY, a labouring man, Servant to the Hon. Colonel Gray. It appeared that this poor fellow had been returning home to his Master's House on Sunday night last from Town, and fell a victim to the storm.—Verdict—Accidental Death.

Removal.

MR. EWEN CAMERON begs leave to acquaint his friends and the Public, that he has this day, removed from his late residence into that new House fronting on Queen's Square, nearly opposite the Market House, where he intends to continue his usual line of Business.

Mr. C. also takes this opportunity of requesting all persons indebted to him by Bond, Note, or Book Account, to make payment in order to prevent his resorting to unpleasant means.

Charlotte-Town, Nov. 15th, 1820.

Notice

IS hereby given that JOHN MURPHY, an indented Apprentice has absented himself from my Service for some time past without cause, I hereby warn all Persons from harbouring or employing him, as they will be prosecuted to the utmost rigour of the Law.

WM. WHITE.