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QUEBEC, WEDNESDAY, 9th OCT. 1839.

Our New York dates are of the evening of Thursday last. The papers are mainly occupied in sounding the note of preparation for the annual election of members of Congress...

An agent of the government of Trinidad is now in New York, for the purpose of procuring free coloured labourers to repopulate the island.

The sickness at Mobile, on the 21st ult. had not abated. From the 1st of the month to that date there had been 293 interments, which most appalling mortality, considering the paucity of the population...

The steamship British Queen had two delays in getting off from New-York on the 1st instant...

The freight list (i. e. the amount received by the owners for freight) of the British Queen this trip amounts to thirteen hundred pounds. She had on board \$800,000 in specie, the charge for carrying which is included in the former sum.

HORRIBLE TRAGEDY.—The Philadelphia papers are almost filled with accounts of the dreadful murder of a young woman by her own father, which has lately taken place in that city.

the murderer standing, pale and terribly agitated, with his back to the fire-place, and his daughter lying on the floor with her head near his feet.

UPPER CANADA.

The Upper Canada mail of yesterday furnishes but little of importance. We find in the Toronto Examiner, a requisition for a meeting of the inhabitants of the Home District, on the 15th inst.

A new paper, called the Promoter and Disseminator has made its appearance in Belleville. The Kingston British Whig says "it comes out strong on the Radical ticket."

The Kingston Whig publishes the following letters that were produced on Hart's trial, and which were apparently addressed to a brother of the Hon. John Hamilton, (probably Dr. Joseph Hamilton.)

Dear Sir,—Enclosed is a communication, such as I suppose you wished. It may not be frank enough for Arthur,—but as far as he is concerned I care not, for I hate him; and if I approve of the plans which are laid by the patriots, he might wait till his death, and then never see a scrap of a pen from me.

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as we have men in every town who are appointed by myself and they report to me, and I to the President of the Lodge. You will understand that we keep up two Lodges. We are on sure ground this time, but an unfair one.

The executive will not know but that I receive the sum from my subscribers.

P. S.—If a communication had not passed between Arthur and yourself, I should have preferred to have only offered my services to your brother in preserving steam-boats, and then I could have done with fifty pounds as a loan.

Does your brother attend the opening of Parliament? Some M. P.'s are to be assassinated, in order to create disorder in Toronto, and a call in of the troops, by which means they will obtain a chance to effect a landing.

Your note dated Feb. 15, only came to hand Saturday night. Where could it have been detained?

Lewiston, Feb. 14, 1839.

Gen.—I have received a letter from Albany, of which the following is a copy of a part. "I am directed to notify you that a convention at this place, for the 26th inst., to take into consideration the best method of destroying the Canadian steam-boats on Lake Ontario as early as practicable; also to learn from you what assistance has been promised us in Canada, in regard to carrying out our plans for assassination."

I have only to remark that I shall attend this convention, at which I am informed, there will be the various leaders—and if the Canadian government wish my services, they must forward me three hundred pounds before I leave here,—this being the sum which I would only require as a loan, and I have given such information as shall be of more value than secrecy, and shall have preserved many lives.

With regard to those men I mentioned, upon reflection I think they could return in safety, as they are not excepted by the general amnesty.

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The "Ami" then goes on to ask whether Lord Durham has not shown sufficiently the seeds of discord in Upper Canada, without having taken the further precaution of leaving agents of secret societies behind him, in Lower Canada; then becomes quite alarmed at the idea of the establishment in Quebec of Orange and "Hunters" Lodges, and concludes with a hope that the Quebec Police will look into the matter.

words "Swolled dds" backwards, he will find that they mean nothing more nor less than Odd Fellows; a lodge, of which the editor has, by his curious article, qualified himself to become a member,—we should imagine, from the title the "fraternity" has assumed.

We learn that the Magistrates of Quebec have adopted an address to Sir John Colborne, on his departure, and another to Mr. Poulett Thompson, requesting him to take up his residence in this city.

We learn from Le Canadien, that the Typographical Amateurs intend giving another dramatical representation, at the Theatre Royal, on some day in the latter part of the present month.

We understand that the following members have been added to the Special Council since the last Session. The whole of the commissions of the Councilors, we believe, expire on the arrival of the new Governor.

The Hon. Robert U. Hartwood...Vaudeville, Edward Hale, (junior)...Sherbrooke, Edward Hale, (senior)...Portneuf, John Wainwright...Argenteuil, Jean Die, Taché...Kamouraska.

COMMERCIAL.

NEW YORK MARKETS, Oct. 3.

Flour.—The decline mentioned yesterday is established. Ohio and common Brans Western sell freely at 55; Southern 56.

ASHES.—Steady sales, at \$5 for Pots and \$6 for Pearls.

The export of specie yesterday including that sent by the Charles Carter for Havre was about a million of dollars.

The price of wheat is now so low that the farmers are very indifferent about it;—This fact, it is feared, will prevent the usual receipts of flour here this Fall.

SHIPPING INTELLIGENCE

PORT OF QUEBEC.

ARRIVED.

- Ship Edward Thorn, Duncanson, 15th Aug Belfast, ballast, Rodger, Dean & Co. 2nd voyage. Brig Diadem, Robertson, 23rd July, London, ballast, LeMessurier & Co. Brig Saint George, Pease, 12th Aug, Cardigan, ballast, Chapman & Co. 2nd voyage. Bark Sir Wm. Bensley, Gubb, 6th Aug, London, ballast, Clappan & Co. 2nd voyage. Brig Credo, Humphreys, 13th Aug, Abernethy, ballast, G. B. Sykes, 2nd voyage. Ship Calcutta, Brown, 20th Aug, Liverpool, at Sharples & Co. Ship Charlotte, Ferris, 14th Aug, Lancaster, ballast, H. W. Welch, 2nd voyage. Bark Crutcheon Castle, McKenley, 23rd Sept, Sydney, Cape Breton, ballast. Bark Bonnus, Banks, 17th Aug, Greenock, ballast. Brig Kelsie Wood, Thompson, 13th Aug, Lower Point, general cargo, Montreal. Brig Nelson, Waite, 16th Aug, Wigton, ballast, 2nd voyage. Brig Rachel, 10th Aug, Portsmouth, ballast, Atkinson & Co.

CLEARIED.

- Bark Louisa, Lumden, London, L. Windsor. Brig Mary Bell, Brown, Newcastle, Clappan. Brig Springflower, Symmons, Cork, Price & Co. Bark Lloyd, Blanford, Southampton, do. Bark Sylvia, Wills, Falmouth, Levy & Co. Bark Carong, Williams, Londonderry, do. Bark Nestor, Lock, Plymouth, LeMessurier. Ship Albion, Whitty, London, J. Tibbets. Brig Cornwallis, Davies, Waterford, Levy & Co. Bark Sarah Ann, Taylor, Greenock, Dean & Co. Brig Pomona, Beveridge, Leith, do. Brig. Susa Crane, Coffin, Montego Bay, Jamaica, Gillespie Jamieson & Co. Schr. Blazzer, Picot, Richkecto, Gilmore & Co. Brig Margaret, Wakeham, Bristol, L. Windsor. Bark Cats, Taylor, Fowey, Levy & Co. Brig Eleanor, Potts, Dublin, LeMessurier & Co. Brig Braggia, Richards, Gloucester, Pennington. Brig Courtenay, Clark, Newcastle, Clappan. Brig Lotus, Samsen, Bristol, Atkinson & Co. Brig Isabella, Joss, Dundee, Gilmore & Co. Schr. Martha, Boulanger, Miramichi, Gilmore & Co.

ENTERED FOR LOADING.

- Everthorpe, 327, Portsmouth, New L'pool, 17th. Brothers, 234, Bridgewater, Spencer & Atkins. Agitator, 471, Belfast, Carran's wharf, H. N. Jones. Orion, 316, Scarborough, Spencer Cove, Atkins. St. George, 306, Maryport, Patton's c. Clappan.

Breakwater, 150, Tynmouth, C. Eldon, 393, Bristol, Spencer C.

The bark Ocean, Capt. Dou for Quebec, a Rom man, who had recently come from the Calcutta, from Liverpool Allan, from Greenock for Mont, on her way up.

DIED.

Yesterday morning, Mr. Geo Keoper, a native of Scotland, city for the last 18 years—age 61. At the Quebec Seminary, of Rev. Mr. Drummond, a Roman man, who had recently come from the Calcutta, from Liverpool Allan, from Greenock for Mont, on her way up.

MORNING SALE

Will be sold, on SATURDAY NEXT, the 12th instant

57,180 PIECES, of Call Stand, Wood & Gray's Cove, W seen at any time.

Sale at 11 o'clock for P. SHE Quebec, 5th Oct. 1839.

PUBLIC NOTICE

THE SALE OF HA UNavoidably postponed November next, on w/o'clock, the sale will be according to the advertis before published.

L. T.

Quebec, 30th Sept., 1839

LONDON ST.

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THE subscribers have the following arti FANCY STATIONARY

Writing I Foolscap and Pot—W Foolscap, highly glazed low mofe Pot and Foolscap Papers and Note Papers large and small, thick fine and superfine large and blue wove Posts; as gilt Post; superfine lat Note Paper, gilt and plain Note Paper, gilt and plain Letter and Note Paper and black bordered Post sixity of plain Envelopes

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Plain, gilt, black edged, and highly glazed Va sizes; perforated, em Cards; plain, embossed Playing and Converse and Note Cases, invar

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A variety of ebony Ink Glasses; Pewter Ink tles; Black and Red I stands; Excise or A and Silver Ink; Col

GLASS

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