

of the destitute sons of Caledonia." The Colonel has been unanimously admitted an Honorary member of the Society.—*Sentinel*.

MIRAMICHI, Dec. 24.

The Season—Winter, we may say, is at length set in. Wednesday, Thursday and Friday, were very cold days, and ice of sufficient strength to permit persons to cross on foot, made on the river. The first person crossed over at Newcastle on Friday, and on the following morning a few ventured across abreast of Chatham. Since then the weather has been mild, and the Channel has opened as far up as the wharf of Messrs. Cunards.

CHARLOTTE TOWN, P. E. I. DEC. 24.

CENTRAL ACADEMY.—The semi-annual examination of the Pupils in this Institution took place yesterday, in presence of His Excellency the Patron, several of the trustees and a number of the friends of the pupils and after a rigid and minute examination, the company generally expressed themselves much pleased with the proficiency of the scholars. The next term, after the Christmas holidays, will commence on the 7th January, 1840.

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The Legislature of Prince Edward Island, meets for the dispatch of business on the 28th inst.

DOMESTIC MANUFACTURES.—It is gratifying to report any useful addition to the number of these, which are yet so few and limited in Nova-Scotia.—Mr. John A. Jost of Lunenburg, has just commenced a pottery here, which we hope may prove both lucrative to himself and beneficial to the country. Although contending with many difficulties, incident to a new untried undertaking, he has already put forth from his pottery creditable and substantial specimens of the art: and he is now ready to manufacture all articles in his line. We repeat our hope that he may be encouraged by the consumers in the province at large. We are informed that the domestic manufacture resists the action of fire better than the imported article.—*Colonial Churchman*.

Child Burned to Death.—We are sorry to state that William, son of Mr. Roderick Chisholm, of this town was severely burnt on Monday morning last. His clothes caught fire in the absence of his mother, and were nearly all consumed ere relief was obtained.—The little sufferer expired in the evening, in the 4th year of his age.—*Pictou, Mech. & Far.*

SMALL POX.—The Small Pox exists in Boston according to a Medical Report, the cases up to December, were 148. The deaths from the disease, in Sept. 2; in Oct. 2; in Nov. 16; in Dec. to the 9th inclusive, 11.

FLOUR.—Flour was offered in Baltimore, Dec. 9th at \$5.75. Wheats had fallen to \$1.10 and \$1.12 bushels.

PASSENGERS.

In the Acadian for Boston, Messrs. Charman, Gill, and 5 in the storage. In H. M. Packet Hope for Falmouth, Hon. S. Canard, Wm. Murdoch, Esquire, and Master Campbell.

MARRIED.

On Tuesday morning, at Sprayfield, by the Rev. John Martin Mr. JAMES DRYSDALE, of Goodwood, to Miss ELIZABETH YEADON, of Sprayfield.

At Horton, on the 19th ult. by the Rev. Mr. Somerville, JOHN DUNCAN, Esq. of St. John, N. B. to MARY ALICE, daughter of Elisha Woodworth, Esq. of the former place.

At Cape Negro, on the 19th ult. by the Rev. W. T. Wishart, Mr. J. SUTHERLAND, of Clyde River, to LETITIA, Eldest daughter of the late Mr. Thomas King.

At Stewiacke, on 19th inst. by the Rev. Mr. Smith, Mr. THOMAS FULTON, to Miss AGNES RUTHERFORD, both of Stewiacke.

At Pictou, on the 3d ult. by the Rev. Donald Mackintosh, Mr. JOHN MACDONALD, of Toney River, to Miss CATHERINE MACLEOD, of the Middle River.

On the 12th ult. by the same, Mr. ALEXANDER MURRAY, of Rogers' Hill, to Miss MARGARET MACKINTOSH of the same place.

At New-York, in October last, by the Rev. Dr. Milnor, Mr. JOSEPH EDWIN FORREST, to ELIZABETH ELEANOR, second daughter of Mr. George Hamilton, formerly of this town.

DIED.

On Tuesday, the 24th ult. Miss ANN, daughter of the late Mr. William Townsend.

On Wednesday last, Mrs. Ann Long, aged 70 years.

On Thursday morning, ANDREW BROWN, Esq. Lieut. Royal Navy, aged 47 years.

Friday morning, after a short, but painful illness, which he bore with christian patience and resignation to the divine will, Mr. DAVID WALKER, in the 54th year of his age.

Early on Saturday morning, SOPHIA, second daughter of Dr. Hume.

At Newport, on Saturday, 21st December, aged 54 years, SOPHIA, wife of the Rev. William Bennet, and daughter of the late John Sargent, Esq. of Barrington.

At Hardwood Hill, Pictou, on Sunday, the 22d ult. universally regretted, Mr. NORMAN MCKAY, a native of Sutherlandshire, Scotland, aged 70 years.

At Morton Lodge, St. Foy Road, Quebec, on the 4th ult. after a very protracted illness, AUGUSTUS FREER, fourth son of T. A. Stayner, Esq. Deputy Post Master General, aged 9 years and 5 months.

At St. Johns, N.F. on the 7th ult. SIMON SOLOMAN, Esq. Post-master of that island, aged 72.

At George Town, Demerary, of yellow fever, the Rev. ANDREW MACFARLANE, assistant to the Rev. Dr. Struthers, St. Andrew's parish.

Drowned, on board the brig Osage, on his passage from Wilmington, N. C. for Philadelphia. Mr. James Lety, seaman, of Nova Scotia, having fallen from the foretop-sail yard.

MARINE NEWS. PORT OF HALIFAX.

ARRIVED.

Thursday—Schr. Canso Trader, Canso—fish, &c.; sloop Zephyr, Moncton, Burin, N.F. 10 days—herring to J. Allison & Co.; Am. schr. Zephyr, Purney, Alexandria, 22 days—flour, &c. to S. Binney—spoke on 18th inst, 61 miles south of Shelburne, barque Tory's Wife, hence for Yarmouth, out 6 days—had been blown off.

Friday—Brigt John, Simpson, Pictou, 3 days, coal, pork, &c. to D. & E. Starr & Co.

Saturday—Schr. Elizabeth, Sydney—lost sails in the gale on Saturday.

Monday—Schr. Dartford, Wooden, Boston, 3 days—flour and meal, to W. Pryor and Sons, and others—schr. Elizabeth Ann sailed 2 days previous—Hope, Marmad, 1 day previous—left Susan, Hughes, to sail in 2 days—John Thomas, hence, arrived 20th.

Tuesday—Brigt Kate, Collins, Montego Bay, 31 days, to W. Roche—reports schr. Breeze, Wilson, sailed 4 days previous for Barrington and Halifax. Left barque Norman, Kinney, hence, discharging to load for Liverpool; brig Susan Crane, Coffin hence, arrived 16th ult. loading for Bristol; brig Greyhound, Tucker, hence, arrived at Falmouth, Jan. 20th ult.; schr. Vernon, Cunningham, hence, arrived at do. 22d ult.; Venus, Belong, hence, do. 27th ult.

CLEARED.

Thursday—brigt. Placid, Hatchard, B. W. Indies—beef, pork &c.

Friday—Schr. Queen Victoria, Babin, Arichat—molasses and brandy, by D & E Starr & Co.; Rival Packet, McLearn, Liverpool, N. S.—molasses, by W. Lawson, jun.

Saturday—Isabel, Matthews, Azores—assorted cargo, by R. H. Skimmings.

SAILED.

Wednesday, 25th, H. M. Packet brig Hope, Lieut Creeve, for Falmouth.

MEMORANDUM.

The Hull of the brig William IV, ashore at Yarmouth Harbour, was sold 19th inst.—cargo saved.

WHOLESALE PRICES CURRENT.

DUTIES PAID—CORRECTED WEEKLY.

Alewives, No. 1. none.	Corn Meal, bbl. 26s3d.
Codfish, Mer. 14s a 14s 3d.	Oatmeal, cwt. 18s.
Mackerel, No. 1, 45s.	Oats, bushel, 2s9d.
" 2, 42s 6d.	Barley, " 4s.
" 3, 18s.	" Pot, cwt 20s.
" 4, 18s.	" Pearl, " 25s a 30s
Beef, N. S. bbl. 45s a 50s.	Rice, cwt. 30s.
" Pork, " 90s.	Hay, ton. 80s a 90s
Sugar, cwt. 40s a 42s 6d.	Straw, " 40s a 50s
Molasses, gail. 2s3d. a 2s5d	Potatoes, bush. 2s3d.
Butter, tub, lb. 1s.	Boards, Pine, M. 60s
" firkin, " 10d a 11d.	" Spruce, " 55s.
Lard, lb. 8d a 10d.	Cord Wood, 17s6d.
Flour, Am. sup. 45s a 46s3d.	Coal, Sydney, 27s a 27s 6d.
" Quebec, fine. 42s6d. a 45s.	" Bridgeport, 25s.
" Rye, 27s6d.	Fresh Beef, 100 lb. 37s6d a 40s.
Corn, Indian, bus. 5s6d.	" Pork, lb. 4d a 5d.

FIRE ASSURANCE.

BARTHOLOMEW LANE, LONDON,

Capital, 5,000,000 Sterling.

POLICIES on Real and Personal Estate effected in the Alliance Office by their Agents in Halifax, who are authorised in all ordinary cases to settle losses. A division of profits made every five years among all the assured who have paid their premiums for that time.

WM. & GEORGE R. YOUNG,

Agents for Nova Scotia.

Halifax, January 1, 1840.

CARD.

THE Teachers of the Granville Street Church Sabbath School, beg to offer their sincere thanks for the very numerous and liberal presents which they received towards the supply of their Bazaar. The valuable contributions made by the different Ladies and Gentlemen of almost every Congregation in the Town, merit their warmest acknowledgements, and have enabled them to realize an amount towards the important object they have in view, far beyond their best expectations. January 1, 1840.

CIRCULAR.

R. D. CLARKE, respectfully begs to intimate that he has re-commenced the Auction & Commission Business, in the new store, Kinnear's Building, where he has extensive Storage for all descriptions of Merchandise, and trusts that his general knowledge of the Trade, with promptitude and attention to Property Consigned to his care, will ensure him a small share of patronage. The Papers Published in the Province will please give the above two insertions, and send their bills for payment. R. D. CLARKE. Halifax, Dec. 18.

Schoolmaster Wanted.

THE Trustees of the Dartmouth School will be glad to treat with a person qualified to take charge of a school. Application to be made to the subscriber, with as little delay as possible.

JNO. ELLIOT, Chairman of Trustees.

January, 1, 1840.

Information Wanted,

CONCERNING THOMAS HENRY ROACH MILLER, a native of Jersey, who went to sea from Quebec, in 1830, and has not since been heard of. Any information concerning him addressed to the office of the GUARDIAN, will be thankfully received by his anxious mother,

MARY ANN GILBERT.

Halifax, Jan. 1, 1840.

N. B. Other papers are solicited to copy the above.

NOTICE.

Public Sale of Bank Stock.

Bank of Nova-Scotia,

7th December, 1839.

THE Stockholders of the Bank having, at a Special Meeting held this day, resolved to increase its Capital or Joint Stock, agreeably to the Act of Incorporation:—NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that on SATURDAY, the 11th day of JANUARY next, there will be a Public Sale of additional Stock at the Banking House, in Hollis Street, at 12 o'clock in the forenoon—

500 Shares of £50 each,

Will be offered in lots of not more than Five Shares each to suit purchasers, and the advance of premium, first deducting thereout the charges of Sale, will be divided in equal proportions to and among all the shares in the Capital or Joint Stock of the Bank, as well the additional as the original Shares, at the next following semi-annual dividend.

A Deposit of Five Pounds per Share will be required at the time of sale, and the remainder on or before the 31st day of January.

Any further information required may be obtained on application at the Bank, its several agencies, or of any of the Directors.

By Order of the President and Directors, J. FORMAN, Cashier.

West of England Broad Cloths.

No. 29 BARRINGTON-STREET.

OPPOSITE ST. PAUL'S CHURCH.

THE SUBSCRIBER returns his thanks to his friends and customers in Town and Country, for the encouragement he has received in business; and begs to inform them, that he has received this Fall a Supply of the West of England Black, Blue, Invisible Green, and other

BROAD CLOTHS & CASSIMERES

of superior quality.

ALSO—Green, Blue, and Brown, Beaver and Petershams, for Winter Frocks and Over Coats.

ALSO—An assortment of Doe Skins, Tweeds, &c. &c. which he will make up on reasonable terms.

ALSO—A Piece of SCARLET CLOTH, which he will make up or sell.

WILLIAM McAGY.

Ladies Habits made to order at the above Establishment.

Gw. Dec. 4.

THE SUBSCRIBER

OFFERS for Sale, at his Stores on Brown's

Wharf, the following articles, viz:—

1300 barrels HERRING, 190 do. Mackerel.

16 do. Salmon, 8 do. Trout.

130 quintals Haddock, 30 do. Codfish.

20 casks Whale Oil.

300 barrels Nova-Scotia BEEF.

80 do. do. PORK, 500 firkins-Butter.

200 tubs do. (a superior article.)

Also,—Canada prime Mass and prime Pork. Ship

Bread, Peas, Hawsers, casks and cases WINE, Boxes

8x12 Window Glass, Congo, Orange Pekoe, and Bo

hea Teas, 3 cases French Pomatums, 1 case Eau de

Cologne, boxes RAISINS, &c. &c.

December 18.

J. H. REYNOLDS.

BELCHER'S FARMER'S ALMANACK, FOR 1840.

Is now published, considerably enlarged and improved.

November 13, 1839.