

From the Acadian Telegraph.

SPAIN.—The British Legion appears to have been finally disbanded, on Sept. 20, at St. Sebastian.

Carlism seems to be "going down hill" in every direction.

Espartaco was pursuing the Carlists, Oran had obtained a decisive victory, and was in pursuit. Valladolid had been retaken.

The Emperor of Russia, it appears, is about to grant an amnesty to the expatriated Poles; all who have not taken part in the political intrigues against Russia, will be permitted to return.

The constitutionalists of Portugal, have triumphed over the supporters of Don Pedro's charter.

The work at the Thames Tunnel proceeds without intermission, by night as well as day.

The new coin, bearing her Majesty's likeness, will be issued in the course of a few months.

Mr. O'Connell is preparing a work for the press, called Memoirs of Ireland, descriptive of the past and present state of that country.

The English papers seem to delight to give details of the Queen's movements. Nothing, however, of importance on this subject, appears. Her Majesty had left Windsor for Brighton. She had caused the bust of the Duke of Bedford to be restored to the place whence it had been removed by his late Majesty.

Mr. Alderman Cowan has been chosen Lord Mayor of London.

Trade &c. Tait's Magazine, for October, gives the following summary on Trade and Commerce: Trade of all sorts is slowly reviving in the manufacturing districts, and the late favourable news from America, must tend to relieve the late dullness. In France, and on the continent generally, little activity prevails. The exports from the French capital have diminished one third, and the number of bankruptcies is nearly double the preceding year. It is chiefly small shopkeepers, however, who have been unable to meet their engagements. Only five of the bankruptcies exceed £8,000. Capital is attracted principally to railways and public works. In the south of France, Italy and Sicily, commerce has been nearly put a stop to by the Cholera, and by the stringent precautions the governments of those states have taken to prevent the spread of the disease.

MELANCHOLY SHIPWRECK.—A large new steamer, the Home, left New York, on the 7th October, for Charleston S. C. It was her first trip, she had a crew of 45 persons including waiters, &c. and had 90 passengers. Many of the latter were ladies, returning home, after a residence in the Northern cities for purposes of education, amusement, health, &c. The vessel grounded soon after leaving New York, but was got off, apparently without damage. Subsequently, the weather became very rough, the vessel leaked, and laboured excessively. It was soon apparent, that she was entirely too weak for the sea, and that the only hope of safety was in steering for the land. She soon became water logged, her fires went out, and engines stopped. Impelled by her sails she neared the land, ladies, and all, bailing. She struck, about 10 at night, near Ocracoke, about a quarter of a mile from the beach. She soon went to pieces, and a scene of dreadful confusion and calamity ensued. Of the 90 passengers, 20 reached the shore alive, and 20 of the crew; the number lost was 95. By one account, it appears, that the vessel was shamefully deficient as regards strength, and that this waste of life occurred from the criminal parsimony, or the ignorance, of her builders. The Home cost \$100,000, and was insured for \$40,000. Some of those who escaped attribute their preservation to India-rubber "life preservers;" others floated ashore on pieces of the wreck.

MECHANICS' INSTITUTE.—The session of the Institute commenced on Wednesday evening last. Doctor Grigor delivered a Lecture introductory to the course. Notwithstanding that the night was wet, dark and stormy, the room was nearly filled by an attentive audience; and most of those who attended seemed to be influenced by a feeling of pleasure, at this renewal of their meetings for mutual improvement.

The Lecturer explained the intentions of the Committee in arranging a course more scientific and better connected than usual,—and urged the advantages to be gained by such an arrangement. He reviewed the list of Lectures, pointing out the importance of the abstract sciences,—Arithmetic, Geometry, and Algebra,—and of the mixed sciences.—Mechanics, Physiology, and other branches of natural Philosophy. He alluded to early opposition to all the sciences; and to the late, or present opposition to the "infant sciences,"—instancing, Geology. He next adverted to the generally exploded notion that advances in science were inimical to religion,—and refuted the absurdity, by reason, and reference to eminent authorities. He referred to the experience of Institutes as proving

their good effects on the peace and order of communities, and concluded by urging the benefits which should be derived from a course of Lectures such as that about to be commenced.

After the Lecture a short conversation occurred. In this part of the Institute proceedings (a part which has proved so valuable for many reasons, and which members should carefully cultivate) questions were asked, and answered; remarks were made on the want of science in the Provinces, as instanced in the loss by the falling of part of Windsor Bridge, and the greater calamity at Carleton N. Brunswick. The loss by the fall of the Bridge at the latter place was stated at £30,000, beside the abandonment of the project, and consequent retardation of improvement: both of these occurrences were attributed to miscalculation of the strength of materials. Remarks were also made, illustrative of the vast differences which existed between cultivated and uncultivated minds,—the one depicted by a beautiful, highly fruitful country,—the other by an arid poisonous waste.

Mr. Joseph Howe announced, that Mr. Wilmot, member of the New Brunswick Assembly, and who attended some meetings of the Institute in a former session, had presented the Institute with the valuable volumes, lately published, of Buckland's Geology. The meeting broke up at about 10 o'clock, much pleased with this commencement of the Winter evening recreations.

James Forman junr. Esq. will Lecture next Wednesday evening, on a branch of the Mathematics.

MOOSE.—Among the articles which Mr. Downs had to remove so hastily, on the evening of Monday week, from the path of the Fire,—were three or four Moose heads,—which he had in progress of preservation. One of these was of immense size, the property of the Hon. T. N. Jeffery. The creature of which it formed a part weighed 11 cwt., and was killed in the vicinity of Mr. Jeffery's country mansion. An unusual number of Moose have been killed lately. One cannot help regretting that these pride of Nova Scotia woods, should be wantonly destroyed, and that the time must be rapidly approaching when they will be as scarce as wolves or panthers. Many steps could be taken to preserve the race, they should be adapted,—but it is hard to imagine any, except that which consists in the good sense and forbearance of the hunters; and these unfortunately poor prospects to such game.

An alarm of Fire was made on Saturday morning, at about half-past five o'clock. The bugle at the South Barrack sounded; and one of the military Engines proceeded in the direction of the fire. It returned in a few minutes, the cause of alarm having been suppressed. The Fire occurred in a building near the Dock Yard gate, and might have been very destructive if not soon discovered.

A Proclamation in last Royal Gazette, calls on the inhabitants of the Province, to observe the 23rd of November, as a day of Thanksgiving, for preservation from the Pestilence, and for the abundant harvest with which the year has been crowned. The occasion should be devoutly honoured.

Her Majesty has given her unqualified assent to the New Brunswick Civil List Bill.

ELECTIONS.—Zenas Waterman Esq. has been returned for Liverpool County, N. S. in the place of the late Joseph Freeman, Esq.—R. J. Forrestall, Esq. has offered for the County of Sydney, where a vacancy occurred by the death of John Young, Esq.

Married.

At Parrsboro, on Thursday, 19th inst., by the Rev. Mr. Costen, Thomas Dewell Dickson, Esq. Collector of H. M. Customs there, to Eliza, relict of the late Mr. Matthew Webster.

Died.

On Friday evening, after a short illness, in the 34th year of his age, Mr. William F. Stayner, (Tin-smith) son of the late Mr. Richard Stayner, leaving a wife and four small children.

On Monday morning, after a short illness, Florence Mahony, aged 34 years.

On Sunday last, Capt. Daniel Kelly, aged 64 years, one of the oldest and most respectable ship masters, and best pilots of this port, and highly respected in the town.

On Monday morning, after a tedious illness of twelve months, Mr. Henry Murphy, in the 21st year of his age.

At Turo, on Sunday morning, 15th inst. in the 67th year of her age, Rebecca, widow of the late Alexander Miller, deservedly lamented by a numerous circle of relatives and friends.

Shipping Intelligence.

ARRIVED.

SUNDAY, Oct. 29.—Brig Planet, Ritchie, Malaga and Gibraltar, 27 days—fruit and oil, to Creighton and Grassie; brig Herald, Berwick; Kingston, Jam. 32 days—ballast, to Fairbanks & Allison; Brig Candor, Judd, Kingston, Jam. 32 days—ballast to J. & T. Williams.

MONDAY, Oct. 30.—Schr. Rambler, McKinnon, New York, 21 days—flour, wheat, cocoa, hops, and cigars, to S. Cunard & Co. Ben, Forrest, Charlottetown, 44 hours—produce; Maria, Le Blanc do.—produce; Catherine, Dixon, Bedeque; Eliza, Arichat, dry fish; Fly, Arichat—dry fish; Swallow, Canso, dry fish; schrs. Hazard, Margaret, and Trial, St. Mary's—lumber.

TUESDAY, Oct. 31.—Schr. Ann, Cape Breton—dry fish; Swallow, Arichat—dry fish; Mary, Margai &—pork, butter and mackerel; Industry and Ellen, Margaree—dry fish and butter.

THURSDAY, Nov. 2.—Sloop of War, Wanderer, from Quebec; H. M. Packet Barque Spey, Lieutenant James, Falmouth, 28 days—with the October mail, brig Westmoreland, Robb, Dundee, 36 days—wheat and dry goods, to Fairbanks & McNab; schr. Armide, Smith, St. Stephens, 14 days, lumber to do.

FRIDAY, Nov. 3.—Schr. Mary Ann, Vincent, Fortune Bay—dry fish, to Archbold & Wilkie; Lapwing, Ragged Islands—dry fish and oil; brig Nancy, Bechan, Kingston, 33 days—ballast, to J. Strachan, At Liverpool, G. B. Sept. 23—Barque Sisters, River John, Banastre, Gordon, Pictou.

At Boston, 7th inst. schr. Industry, hence.

At Pictou, schrs. Lucy and Sisters, hence.

At P. E. Island, schr. Temperance, McPhee, Halifax; James & William, Ben, and Emily, do.

At Liverpool, N. S., Oct. 13.—Brig Union, Antigua; 20th, brig Dove, Collins, Antigua; 21st, schr. Combine, Freeman, St. Kitts and Anguilla; 26th, schr. Charlotte, Slattery, Sydney.

At Lunenburg, October 12.—Schr. Chance, Tanner, Labrador, to J. C. Rudolf, 26th—brig. Wilham, Rudolf, St. Lucia, 21 days—ballast to J. Zwicker.

CLEARED.

HALIFAX, Saturday, Oct. 28.—Schr. Esperance, Le Buff, Quebec—glass, chocolate, &c. by Deblis & Merkel, Mariner, Gerrard, P. E. Island—merchandise by master and others. S1st, Eliza, Forest, Miramichi—flour, fish and iron, apples, oats, &c. by W. A. Black, & Son and others. Nov. 2, Schr. Nile, Vaughan, St. John, N. B.

At Liverpool, N. S. Oct. 26.—Schr. Arctic, Jones, B. W. Indies—dry and pickled fish by T. R. Patillo.

At Lunenburg, Oct. 12.—Schr. Corsair, Mooney, Sydney.

PASSENGERS.

In the Jean Hastie from Liverpool, Mr. James Murdoch.

—In the Heron, for W. Indies, Mr. Burgess.

—In the Cordelia, for Boston, Messrs. Dennison, Walsh, Brown, and Scott, and five in the steerage.—In H. M. Packet Sheldrake, for Falmouth, Major Airey, 34th Regt., Lieut. Garnier, 85th Regt., Mr. Campbell of Pictou, Mr. Peaseval, late of H. M. Schr. Skipjack.

NOTICE.

Elder Howard from Eastport will preach at Rev. Mr. Taylor's Meeting house, in Dutchtown, to-morrow morning and afternoon, at the usual hours, and at the Baptist Meeting house in the evening. Nov. 4.

Sale by Auction.

BY EDWARD LAWSON.

On MONDAY 6th November next, at 12 o'clock, on the Premises,

A FIELD on the Peninsula, fronting on the road leading over Camp Hill, belonging to the Estate of the late Samuel Lydiard, consisting of five acres in a high state of cultivation—having on it a good Barn and another building capable, at a small expense, of being converted into a commodious dwelling house. Terms at Sale. Nov. 3.

ARCHIBALD MORTON.

CABINET MAKER,

UPHOLSTER AND UNDERTAKER.

No. 12, Bedford-Row.

THE Subscriber returns thanks to his friends and the public for the encouragement he has hitherto received—and respectfully informs them, that having received instruction from Mr. Slade—Organ builder and Piano Forte Maker; he is prepared to undertake the repair of

PIANO FORTES, GUITARS, VIOLINS, &c.

and trusts by attention and fidelity, to merit a share of public patronage. Nov. 3.

FALL GOODS.

J. N. SHANNON

HAS received, by the Thalia, John Porter, Westmoreland and Jean Hastie,

HIS usual supply of Woollen, Silk, Cotton and Linen Goods:—

Comprising a good assortment of Black and coloured Cloths, Cassimeres, Petershams, Pilot Cloth, Merinoes, Blankets, Druggets, Black and Coloured Gros de Naples, Black Bombazines, Ribbons, Braids, Hosiery, Gloves, Boots & Shoes, White and Grey Cottons, Printed, Lining and Furniture do, Dimities, Stripes, Checks, Muslins, Cotton Warp, Moleskin,—Pot and Grey Paper, Coloured Threads, Irish Linens, Lawns, Sheetings, Superfine Carpetings Osnaburghs, Table Cloths, Fill'd, and Rob Roy Shawls and Handkerchiefs, Shawl Dresses, Home-spun Cravats, Bishop Lawns, together with a good supply of Haberdashery, &c. &c. all of which are offered at low prices. Cotton Bating, to be had as above. November 3<sup>d</sup> 2m