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MARCH 9, 1841.

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In the Legislative Council, on the 25th Feb. the Hon. Mr. Kinnear, by leave, presented a petition from John Ward, W. H. Street, John Kinnear, and other Merchants of St. John, praying to be incorporated under the name and style of the "Atlantic Assurance Company." The petition having been received, a Bill, in compliance therewith, was brought in by the Hon. Mr. Kinnear, and read a first time, and ordered for a second reading on the 26th.

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MARRIED.

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On the 16th Feb. at the Irish Settlement, Springfield, King's County, by the Rev. G. M. Barratt, Mr. Daniel Muir, to Miss Sarah J., eldest daughter of Mr. George Wilson.

At Westport, Nova Scotia, on the 4th ult. by the Rev. W. Jackson, Capt. Charles J. Potter, late of the Big Island, to Miss Eliza, daughter of Dr. Theophilus C. Cuyler, of Westport, &c.

At White, on the 11th, by the Rev. Mr. Edmund Pack to Miss Caroline Payson; also, Mr. William Bayley to Eliza, daughter of Elisha Payson, Esq.

DIED.

On Saturday evening last, after a lingering illness, Mr. Samuel Purdy, in the seventieth year of his age.

Mr. Purdy was one of the loyalists who came to this Province in the year '83, and always sustained the character of an honest and upright man. He died on Wednesday next, at 3 o'clock, from his late residence in Prince William street, when friends and acquaintances of the family are respectfully requested to attend.

At Carleton, on Monday 8th day of March, Rachel, wife of Josiah Wetmore, Esq. aged 64 years—and she was buried on the 10th inst. Her friends and acquaintances are requested to attend.

At Lakeside Inn, on the 26th February, Robert K., infant son of Mr. John K. Campbell, aged 11 months.

At Hillsborough, at the house of his son John, on the 13th Feb. Mr. Joel Edgett, aged nearly 80 years—one of the earliest settlers of this Province, and a loyalist who came from New-York in 1783—leaving a large circle of friends.

At Amherst, N. S., on Thursday morning last, after a short illness, Beriah, wife of Mr. John Sturt, in the 53d year of her age.

At Yarmouth, Nova Scotia, on the 11th Feb. after a short illness, Mrs. Lydia Richardson, in the 81st year of her age, much respected by all who knew her. Among her intimate acquaintances, and particularly those of her own family, her inflexible, kind, and gentle disposition, will be remembered with sincere affection; while to emulate her bright example and Christian virtues, is worthy of their highest emulation.—Blessed be the name of our Heavenly Father, who has called the children of God.—Yarmouth Herald.

At Pubnico, (N. S.) on the 22d ult. in the 96th year of his age, Billions D'Entremont, Esq.; which respects are the more gratefully acknowledged, as he was a friend of Mr. D'Entremont's, and a member of the same family. He was for many years a Justice of the Peace, and one of the Judges of the Inferior Court for the County of Shelburne.

At Kingston, U. C., on the 28th ult. Hugh Earl, Esq., an old and respectable inhabitant of that town, aged 79. He commanded the Provincial Navy on Lake Ontario at the commencement of the last war, and was a member of the Council of the Province, since which time he has been a resident of that place.

Fatal Accident.—Michael Friel, native of Ireland, an ordinary seaman belonging to the ship Ward Chipman, fell from the side ladder of that vessel on the night of 24th January, at Savannah, and was drowned.

Port of Saint John.

Tuesday.—Barque James Lennox, Stone, Bristol, 39

Thursday.—Ship Ward Chipman, Poole, Savannah, to—H. J. Mackay, pitch pine timber; left at 10 o'clock for the Bay of Fundy, on the 27th inst. and Francis Brown, for the same port; Mary Carson, Liverpool, to sail in a week for do.; Atlantic, Harbin, for Liverpool in 10 days; Lady Clinton, St. Andrews, Litch and Montrose, Yarmouth, leaving for Glenferrie, Harbin, of this port, to commence loading 22d, for Liverpool.—In the afternoon, the ship "Ward Chipman," commanded by both Bentley, Hunt, from Liverpool, and 12th ship Montserrat, Siskney, 67 days from Greenock, 26th Feb. lat. 38 40, long 75 50, W. the Ward Chipman fell in with the American brigantine "Tussock," which vessel left New-York on the 13th Feb. for Apalachicola, which was dimasted on the 16th on the Gulf Stream, had a jury mast set, and was blown to sea on the 17th; she was picked up by the "Ward Chipman," and sent to sea on board to ascertain if assistance was required, and was informed that they had plenty of provisions to last for several weeks.

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Her military occupation of Gibraltar, Malta, the Ionian Islands, and recently of St. Petersburg, give her ascendancy on the Mediterranean and the Levant, while St. Helena and Cape of Good Hope give her possession over the currents of trade along those extensive coasts. The Bombay, Calcutta, and her immense possessions in the East Indies, together with the recent movements in the China sea and islands, enable her to extend her power over those vast regions that have slumbered for ages in solitary and unproductive magnificence. She possesses 1000 Islands to control the commerce that passes around Cape Horn—while Trinidad gives her all the desires in the Caribbean sea. Halifax at one point and Bermuda at another, stand out in great favor over our own coast, from one extremity to the other.

HER POSITIONS ALL OVER THE WORLD, AT THIS MOMENT, IN A MILITARY POINT OF VIEW, EQUAL TO A MILION OF MEN UNDER ARMS.

Her continued conflicts in the mighty regions of the east only enable her officers to become skillful and to improve in the art of war, while her great armies and extensive fleets draw their support from the immense countries seized and occupied in the present juncture of affairs no Statesman can overlook these things. Steam power has recently brought us so near together, that in the event of a future conflict, war, with its effects, will be precipitated upon us with more rapidity than formerly.—Extract from Mr. Pickens's "United States House of Representatives."

JUDGE BARBER OF THE SUPREME COURT WAS IN PROCEEDING TO THE SECOND ARTICLE OF THE TREATY OF 1783.

Judge Barber of the Supreme Court was in proceeding to the second article of the treaty of 1783, and as they relate to the boundary from the source of the St. Croix river to the northwesternmost head of Connecticut river, remains, after the lapse of more than half a century, unpaired by the passage of time, or by the interposition of multiplied objections.

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