

THE BEE.

WEDNESDAY MORNING, JUNE 7, 1837.

By the kindness of A. Campbell, Esq., of Tatamagouche, we have been politely favored with a London paper of the 28th April, received by the brig *Omond*, Laing, arrived there; and we have received our regular files of Scotch papers up to the 26th of that month, from which we make a variety of extracts.

We regret to observe that Parliament was proceeding, in committee, with the ill advised coercion measures against Canada.

Large and liberal subscriptions were making throughout the United Kingdom, for the relief of the distress in the Highlands and Islands of Scotland.

In Scotland, early planted potatoes had begun to exhibit symptoms of decay and rot, as in the last two years.

The receipts of the British and Foreign Bible Society, for the year ending the 31st March last, was, £108,740 18 11; and their issues of copies of the Scriptures was 541,843.

In France and Italy, commercial distress continued without abatement. Meunier, who lately attempted the life of the king, had been tried and condemned to death. His two supposed accomplices, Lavaux and Lacaze, were acquitted. A French paper of 26th April remarks:

"There are, it is true, many thousands of unemployed workmen in Paris, and these form a dangerous body, easily to be excited to acts of outrage when the motives assigned bear a colour of patriotism to justify revolt; but even among these men there are very few who would disgrace the character of the entire body by the expression of sympathy in favour of a regicide of the calibre of Meunier. The execution of this man will, in all probability go off, not only without commotion, but also without exciting much interest. The working classes, who are in great distress, and who daily lounge about the Hotel de Ville and other places, as if to show their numbers and of what they are capable, will wait for a more worthy cause of action; or, what is much more probable, the present crisis among manufacturers will soon blow over, and the artisan will be again at his lath or his loom, peacefully earning bread for his family. It cannot be denied that society here is in a singularly disorganised and agitated state—the ministry unsettled—the Sovereign unpopular—the army disaffected—the executive by turns pitifully weak or unlawfully strong—the working classes without occupation—the monied classes without confidence—and the public generally fearing and doubting. It is one of those moments of anxiety and dread which open the way to disturbance when there are a head and a cause; but with all the faults of the French character, it would still be ridiculous, as well as unjust, to suppose the possibility of the mass making any demonstration in favour of Meunier."

The new French Ministry had been finally arranged. Their names will be found in another column.

ALL the Banks in the United States, Nova Scotia, New Brunswick, and the Canadas, except the Bank of British North America, have suspended specie payments. In the former country, failures and commercial distress continues to be the order, or rather the disorder of the day.

LOWER CANADA—The inhabitants of this Province have been thrown into a dreadful state of excitement by the Resolutions which the Imperial Parliament are about adopting. Great County Meetings have been held, at which Resolutions have been passed, declaring their determination to resist coercion—that they will use no commodity which pays Crown duties—and that it shall be deemed no crime to smuggle and use such articles as they cannot want.

The *Indicator*, after copying the grievance Address of our Assembly, to the King, says:

"We have only room to refer to the above address to-day in a general manner. It is well worthy the attention of our readers, and comes most opportunely at the present, to contradict the assertions of Lord John Russell and the Tories of this Province, that the demand of Lower Canada for an Elective Council and Responsible government was opposed by all the Sister Colonies. The standance with which the Nova-Scotia Reformers have battled by our side, will long be a source of agreeable recollection to us, as well as an example of courage and perseverance in our contest for Colonial freedom."

BERMUDA.—The Legislature of this Island met for the despatch of Business on the 16th ult. The Governor, Sir S. R. Chapman, in his Address, congratulates them on the formation of an Agricultural Society; and recommended deepening one of the channels leading to the harbor of Hamilton.

ON the 25th ult., his Excellency Sir John Harvey embarked at Charlottetown on board the steamer *Cape Breton*, and at seven o'clock the same evening landed at Shediac, and reached St. John on Saturday following, on his route to his new seat of Government in New Brunswick. Previous to his departure, the inhabitants of Charlottetown and King's County, presented loyal addresses to him.

AGRICULTURAL REPORT FOR MAY.—The past month has been, throughout, most favorable for the Farmer. The seed has been committed to the earth in fine order; and although much of the seed used must have been very inferior, it is, generally, coming up healthy and vigorous. The hay crop is also looking well, and making rapid progress. Potatoes are now being planted, and we hope they will yield an abundant return.

THE *Index and Title Page* for the 2d vol. of the *B.L.* is now ready for delivery, to those Subscribers who file the Paper.

TRAVELLER'S MEMORANDA.

Arrivals during the past week.

At the *Regal Oak*.—E. Brodrick, Capt. 34th Reg't and two servants, Rev. Mr Lever, and Mrs Lever, Mr Wm. McDonald, Mr Ogilby.

At *Mr Lorrain's*.—Mr McColl, Mr McBay, Miss Campbell, Mr Irvin.

MARRIED.

At Murako, Parish of Fordyce, on the 13th April, by the Rev. J. Millar, Huntly, Mr George Primrose, White-hill, Grange, sixth son of the late Rev. John Primrose, to Isabella, eldest daughter of Mr James Steinson, Murako.

At Miramichi, on the 24th ult., by the Rev. John McCurdy, Mr William McNaught, Miss Ann Hunter.

SHIP NEWS.

CUSTOM-HOUSE—PICTOU.

ENTERED.

Wednesday, May 31,—Brig Stephen Knott, Newcastle—ballast.

Friday,—Sch'r Lively, Cummings, Halifax—goods; Pearl, Ginn, Penobscot—ballast; William Allan, Cook, Fredericksbury—flour; Poland, Simpson, St. Peters—ballast; Annawan, Atkins, Portland—hay; brig Cadmus, Tucker, Boston—ballast.

Saturday.—Brig Laurel, Wakefield, Providence—rice; sch'r Adelaide, Clawson, Halifax—goods; Bee, Graham, do—do. At Tatamagouche, Brig Omond, Laing, Newcastle—goods; Janet, Weldrage, Hull—bricks, &c.

CLEARED.

May 31st.—Brig Ceres, Nichols, Boston—coal; Bellow, Curtis, Portsmouth—do.

June 1st.—Brig Julia, Smith, Newfd—lumber; sch'r Hibernia, Neil, Boston—coal; Mary Ann, Graham, Miramichi—do.

2d.—Brig Sparkler, Boyles, Providence—coal; sch'r Lively, Vigueau, Boston—do.

3d.—Brig Mary, Henderson, Restigouche—coal; sch'r Dove, Cornic—fishing voyage; Two Brothers, Fougerson, Richibucto—coal; Pearl, Ginn, Boston, do.

5th.—Sch'r Emily, Healey, P. E. Island—salt, &c; Elizabeth, Haden, R. John—provisions; Elizabeth, Simpson, Merigomish—wheat; Bee, Graham, Mira-

mech—coal; Catherine, Buckler, Tatamagouche—provisions.

6th.—Brig Cadmus, Tucker, Providence—coal.

LAUNCHED, on Thursday morning last, from the ship yard of George Smith, Esq., the Ship "*Number*"—487 tons register, new measurement. She was built by Mr Thomas Rutters, and appears to possess in model and workmanship, all the qualities for which his former vessels were so justly valued.

Captain Weldrage, of the Brig *Janot*, arrived at Tatamagouche, spoke on the 24th April, two of the missing Whalers, the *Woodstock*, and *Grenville Bay* in lat. 47. N., long. 9 W.; the former having lost 15 men, and the latter 20.

COAL MINERS WANTED.

THE *Sunshine*, Proprietor & Croten Lessee of COAL MINES in New Brunswick, wishes to engage a large number of Coal Miners, to whom constant employment and liberal wages will be given, at the Salmon River Mines.

These Mines are about seventy miles distant from St. John, near the head of the Grand Lake; and the steamer *Woodstock* now runs to them regularly twice a week. Three shafts have already been sunk; and the Mines are in full operation under the superintendance of Mr Andrew Fleming, to whom applications for employment may be made, or in St. John, at the Office of

M. H. PERLEY.

Barrister at Law.

St. John, N. B., May 20.

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SPRING, 1837.

R. DAWSON,

Has received ex barques *Sally*, from Liverpool, and *Isabella* from Greenock,

A GENERAL ASSORTMENT OF IRONMONGERY, HARDWARE, AND CUTLERY.

CONSISTING OF—English and Sweden Iron, Crawley, German, blister and cast steel, Borax, spikes, nails, brads and tacks;

PLOUGH MOUNTINGS, complete; pots, ovens, goblets, and sauce pans; copper and iron coal scoops; copper, B. M., and metal tea kettles; griddles;

ASSORTED SADDLERS' FURNISHINGS; coach lacings; cabinet and house brass furnishings; locks and hinges, (variety); fanner mountings; bed screws; garden hoes and rakes; Philad. plate mill saws, frame and other saws; razors; mathematical instruments; pocket compasses; butcher, shoe, table, jack, pen, and desk knives; iron and B. M. spoons; coffin furniture; plough traces;

MATHIESON'S JOINERS' TOOLS, (well assorted);

Coopers' tools, lines and twines; Blacksmith's and other files; coffee mills; spades and shovels; brushes; candlesticks; CRIMPING MACHINES; brass sofa and table castors.

COUNTER BEAMS & WEIGHTS; ead and box irons; cart and wagon bushes; chisels and gouges; Tailors' and other scissors; combs;

FENDERS AND FIRE IRONS; Blacksmith's bellows, anvils, and vices; cue irons; bullet moulds; patent shot, powder; window glass, putty.

PAINT AND OIL; scythes, sickles; weavers' reeds; fiddle strings; mirrors, (variety); Tinsmiths' iron and wire; &c. &c.

A suitable assortment of WOOLEN, COTTON, AND SILK GOODS.

A few Chinese and other rich SHAWLS; Palm leaf HATS, by the dozen; stuff and silk Hats, &c. &c.

ALSO:

TEAS, SUGARS, COFFEE, RICE, superior ginger, tobacco, snuff, cigars, molasses, vinegar, crockery, sets China; shoe leather, &c. &c. Water street, Pictou, June 6. 15

WANTED,

A SMART Young Man, as a

FARM SERVANT.

Apply to George Craig, 10 Mile House, West River. if [June 5.