

He chose the latter course and took breakfast with the ser-

—The New Orleans Picayune says—"The schr. Cassius de Cuba, arrived last evening negroes of St. Domingo had been made more for, but without success, be a sort of prejudice against

ces, on the Lachine Canal. dent of the Montreal Morning Jan. 24, says:— d that the labourers on the eleven hundred in number, truck for wages, as will, as on all such occa- sion, the Irish spirit of dis- grand authority gives as a cause king three weeks without re- money, but store pay on a li- they were this morning, to the told that one shilling and three was to be allowed them for 14 this, we ask the just pro- nage held out to labourers (new, of any country) in the contractors?

CIAL PARLIAMENT.

IS FROM THE JOURNALS.

presented a Petition from Den- a licensed Teacher, praying ad to teaching a School in St. Patrick, in the County of a period of three months, bled to complete the period of which he was engaged in con- health, which was referred tee on School Petitions.

repeat so much an Act, made the ninth year of the Reign of George the Fourth, intitled, levy a Tax on Dogs in certain parishes of Frederickton and St. relates to the owners of Dogs he Commons and Gibe in the Andrews, passed the House and the Council by Mr. Boyd.

Monday, Feb. 7. Bill for the Com- the Department of Revenue in e, and to provide for the collec- tion thereof.

of Mr. Boyd, read. That Address be presented to His Ex- Lieut-Governor praying that His would be pleased to lay before the res of all Correspondence that en had, relative to the cutting of in the Town of Saint Andrews; improvement of the Harbour in

question for adopting the Reso- Address, the House divided— 11. NAYS, 12. of Mr. Hill,—"The House went nce of the whole on a Bill to he Bolton Brook Navigation Com-

man reported, that the Comm- the Bill referred to them in deration had made amendme d then agreed to the said Bill. That the Report be accepte gressed as amended.

berie, from the Committee appo- it upon His Excellency the Leu- r with the Address of the Hou- inst relative to the practice on the Post Office Department, by wappers and other printed paper- with Postage, reported that they ded to that duty, and that His Ex- was pleased to say, that the waxes us should be supplied with ten, from the Committee appointed on His Excellency the Lieutenant with an Address of the House of nt, praying that His Excellency pleased to lay before the House co- Despatches which His Excellency received, since the last Session, on ct of the Finances of the Province, itation of Money Grants, reported, Committee had attended thereto, and Excellency was pleased to say, that d comply with the wishes of the

It moved for leave to bring in a Bill an Act, intitled "An Act to pr- more effectually repairing the Str- ges in a part of the Parish of Sa-

President's Rescue.—The Boston Mail of the 31st ult, says three men belonging to the steamer Caledonia, were upset in their boat the previous evening by the violence of the wind, and must have perished had it not been for the exertions of the Ferryman attached to the East Boston ferry-boat. The men were nearly exhausted when taken out of the water.

THE STANDARD.

SAINT ANDREWS, FRIDAY, FEB. 17, 1843

Charlotte County Bank. Hon. HARRIS HATCH, President. Director next week—W. Fisher, Esq. DISCOUNT DAY, TUESDAY. Hours of business, from 10 to 2. Bills and Notes for Discount must be lodged with the Cashier, on or before Monday otherwise, they must lie over until next week.

Alms and Work House. Commissioner next week—J. W. Chandler.

SAINT ANDREWS Marine Assurance Association. Hon. JAMES ALLANSHAW, President. Director next week—Hon. H. Hatch. JOHN McKEAN, Esq. Secretary. Office open every day, (Sunday excepted) from 10 till 4 o'clock.

Saint Stephens Bank. WILLIAM PORTER, Esq. President. Director next week—N. Marks. DISCOUNT DAY, SATURDAY. Hours of business, from 10 to 1. Bills and Notes for Discount must be lodged with the Cashier, on or before Friday, otherwise they must remain in his hands until the following discount day.

LATEST DATES. London, Jan. 3. Montreal, Feb. 8. Liverpool, Jan. 4. Quebec, Feb. 10. Edinburgh, Jan. 1. Halifax, Feb. 10. Paris, Dec. 28. New York, Feb. 13. Toronto, Feb. 7. Boston, Feb. 13.

THE BOUNDARY QUESTION.

We have inserted in our columns to-day some important statements relative to the "Boundary Question." The American Government, it is now evident, knew that they had not the shadow of a just claim to any part of the territory in dispute. Yet it is amusing (the loss of the territory notwithstanding), to observe with what pretended seriousness and equity, the members of Senate attempt to stifle their own convictions. Mr. Rives was far from intimating that the documents discovered "were of weight sufficient to shake the title of the United States," founded on the positive language of the treaty." Mr. Calhoun also was very far from making such an assertion, but both of them, good-natured souls, were afraid that the said documents would strengthen, not a little, the claims of Great Britain, in her own estimation and that of the world! What a thing it is to have a tender conscience. Justice should be nothing without the appearance of Justice. Our claim is right say the American statesmen,—that is a settled point, but we would not wish the British or the world to have any hard thoughts on the subject; therefore not a word about the maps, as they might mislead ignorant people, the British and the world for example,—whose perceptions of right & wrong, are not as acute as ours. Suppress the documents till the treaty is ratified, and ratify the treaty before England or the world obtains the information; then as the state of the case will be materially altered, secrecy will be no longer necessary; the laws of justice and honor will then have been satisfied, and the documents may be published. "We are a moral people," a religious, a high minded, and a high spirited people;—and can do any, and all the nations of the "universal world out of anything in the hundred of millions of clever shifts there are in trade.

But why did not the British Government look after documents? Probably they had something of more importance to engage their attention. Well, the territory is gone now, and let it go; but the Oregon is not disposed of yet. We trust the British Government have learned a lesson that will be useful, when the boundary of that territory comes to be settled.

The replies of the Legislative Council and House of Assembly, will appear in our next. That of the Council has a concluding sentence which will call for future remark, and will doubtless be noticed by the public press of the Province.—Sentinel.

We have perused the reply of the Council, but we do not see anything in the concluding clause requiring especial remark. The clause is,— "We have every confidence that this Province will continue an attractive region to all those who are attached to the British Constitution, especially if those principles which have ever actuated its inhabitants, be fostered and encouraged." This and the last clause of the Assembly's reply, seem to be intended as an echo to the concluding sentence in the Governor's Speech. It is true that the "principles" mentioned by the Council, may be different from those to which His Excellency alludes, but we cannot fairly infer that they are different, without a distinct affirmation to that effect from the Council.

New Catholic Bishop.—We observe by St. John papers, that the Very Rev. WILLIAM DOUGLAS of Fredericton, had been elevated to the dignity of Catholic Bishop of New Brunswick, which is now raised to a distinct Bishopric.

EMIGRANT POOR.—We had prepared an article for this weeks impression, which is omitted, for want of room. There is evidently a disposition evinced by a majority of the House of Assembly to throw the whole burden of the transient poor on the Parishes where they land, which if carried into effect, must operate as an unjust tax.

ELECTION OF SPEAKER.—When we referred last week to the election of the speaker, we were not aware of the manner in which the 'affair' was managed. Instead of that event's leaving the relative strength of parties in the House undecided, it has furnished pretty strong evidence that the reformers are in a majority. The plan of securing a majority of votes for a popular candidate by canvassing, and then attempting to palm off his election upon the public as a test of the strength of parties, is certainly a very strange forward, and strictly honourable course. When Mr. Weldon suffered his election to be made a party test, he virtually relieved every member from his promise, who had engaged to vote for him with-out reference to Responsible Government; and any member would have been justifiable in taking advantage of such relief. Instead therefore of Mr. Weldon's proposing to contest the election for the speaker-ship if Mr. Weldon would 'absolve his friends from their obligation,' that should have been taken for granted and the election decided accordingly.

But was the proposition to 'relinquish the hold upon the votes of members by promise, and to try the election upon party principles, accepted by the opposition? No: they knew better, and their refusal is an acknowledgment that their party in the House, is in a minority. The politics of the speaker however, is not test for those of the House, as the present constitution of the House of Commons proves. Indeed it is better for the liberal party to have a speaker chosen out of the opposition ranks, as they will consequently have the advantage of two additional votes upon a division.

PHILOSOPHICAL AND GEOLOGICAL SOCIETY.

On Monday evening seventh C. V. Forster Esq. delivered a lecture upon "Australia." His subject was well introduced by pertinent remarks upon the value and importance of Colonial possessions to England, and the sacred obligation she is under as well as the interest she feels in fostering and upholding these main springs to her commercial enterprise. The lecturer then entered fully upon the subject of the evening "Australia," detailing the physical features of this vast continent in its extent, manifold agricultural advantages, staple imports and exports, financial system and the high state of its jurisprudence embracing matter which might instruct and gratify his audience. The lecturer remarks upon the social tone and condition of Australia responding to that of the Mother Country were apt and happy, in very truth it is a wonderful evidence of that system of fire-side freedom and social habit—that inherent vitality, which nurtured under the equitable laws of Britain, can without the severance of a link be transplanted to earth's remotest bounds, and then in seedling flourish anew, with all the vigor and freshness of the parent stem. The Emigrant with his bonnie Australia will do well to familiarize himself with the fund of statistic information collected & condensed in this gentleman's pages.

On Monday evening last, the same gentleman favored the Society with a treatise upon the "Origin and Progress of Freemasonry" commencing its history with the great Father of the Human Family, and tracing it through the period of biblical records and ancient narrative, dwelling upon those eras; when the Craft more especially excelled in geometrical and scientific knowledge. We reserve further comment for the concluding portion, assuring this gentleman that the public look forward to a revelation of the generally understood mysterious character which mantles the modern Masonic associations.

On Monday Evening next C. V. Forster Esq. will conclude his lecture on Freemasonry.

HARD TIMES IN ILLINOIS.—The times in Illinois must be hard indeed. The Governor of the State in a communication to the Legislature says, "that for want of means it was with the utmost difficulty, that the necessary supplies could be obtained for the Legislature—Wood which costs \$1 75 cash, the State had to pay \$3. 50 for. Candles which could be bought for 37 cents ready money, cost \$1, and all other things in proportion. He also stated that it was with great difficulty that money enough could be obtained to pay the postage on letters addressed to the Executive Department." This is the land cried up as one of "milk and honey"—much more like "poverty and bankruptcy." Labor being paid for in "Auditors Warrants" which pass at a discount of 50 per cent.

SHIPPING JOURNAL.

PORT OF ST. ANDREWS.

ARRIVED.—Feb. 14, schr. Mary Jane, McMaster, East-port sundries to sundry.—CLEARED.—Feb. 13, schr. Only Daughter, Thomson, Yarmouth, ballast.—14, schr. Mary Jane, McMaster, East-port, ballast.—Bge. Lady Falkland, at St. John, reports ship Britannia McBean thus port at St. Thomas on the 12th ult. from West; lug Argyle, Brown, at Barbadoes for this port.

BLANKS

For sale at this Office, and printed to Order.

RECOVERY OF A CHILD STOLEN FROM HER PARENTS BY THE INDIANS 26 YEARS AGO.

We copy the following interesting narrative of the recovery of a lost child, after an absence of 26 years, from the *Miramichi Gleaner*.

INTERESTING NARRATIVE. The following particulars which were gleaned from a respectable individual, who was perfectly acquainted with the subject of this Narrative in her childhood, and who saw, and conversed with her a few days ago, may be received as perfect authentic.

About twenty-six years ago, two female Children, one aged nine, and the other seven, years, daughters of an industrious poor man named Keith, residing at the Butternut Ridge in this County, were sent one morning by their parents to drive home their cows, which were browsing in the woods near to and adjoining their residence. After a considerable time had elapsed, and there being no appearance of their return, the parents became apprehensive for their safety, and concluded that they must have ventured farther into the woods, and lost, or mistook their way, and several succeeding days and weeks were spent in a fruitless search by their afflicted parents and different others of their neighbors for their recovery, but in vain. Years rolled on; enquiries from time to time were diligently set afoot, and not the minute trace or intelligence could be recovered of these dear children. Time at last seen to measure to reconcile the minds of the distracted parents, when finally the aged sire, bowed down by this sad bereavement, bent like a lofty oak stripped of its branches, and was gathered to his fathers.

About ten days ago, the elder of these children, now a woman advanced in years, dressed in the habiliments of an Indian's Squaw, made her appearance at a house contiguous to the residence of her aged mother and brothers, accompanied by an Indian supposed to be her husband. The inmates of the house judging from her conversation, countenance and demeanor, that something transcendent of the Indian character was peculiarly developed in her, immediately figured to themselves that she bore a striking resemblance to the Keith family; recollections of the past flew to remembrance, and after a brief consultation with her, they finally determined with themselves to send for her whom they supposed to be her mother, who, on her appearance was instantly recognized, and both flew into each other's arms in a flood of tears. She and her supposed husband, were then conducted to that dwelling from whence she had been an involuntary exile these twenty-six years, where she then related the whole circumstances of her captivity: How that on the morning before mentioned, they were met in the woods by an Indian, who promised to conduct them to their parents; that after a long and tedious journey through the forest, they at last arrived at a River, when their supposed guide ordered them to embark in a canoe, from whence they were conveyed to an Indian encampment—taken to his wigwam, and secretly introduced to the members of his family from whom they received every demonstration of kindness and attention; that custom soon reconciled them to their mode and manner of living; that several means were resorted to in order to give their complexions an Indian tinge or dye; that the utmost secrecy was preserved respecting them, especially when in the vicinity of white people: that the invariably accompanied them in their journeyings. She further states, that after the lapse of a few years, her sister was separated from her; that she herself at last became the wife of her captor's son, by whom she had five children—three of whom, with their father, are now dead. She believes her sister to be yet living, and residing on P. E. Island; that she saw her repeatedly since their separation. She also stated the Indian who accompanied her is not a second husband, although he positively asserts the contrary, and vows to be yet revenged if not given up to him. She has made some attempts at eloping since her return, but was pursued and brought back again, and appears rather shy when accosted by her neighbors. She frequently speaks of her two children and her sister.

Information of these particulars have been transmitted to P. E. Island, with the hope that some clue may transpire in order, if possible, to effect the recovery of her sister. These transactions are in current circulation in this neighbourhood. Since the restoration of this woman, several of our neighbors have both saw and conversed with her; they may therefore receive a place in your *Gleaner* as indubitable facts.—*Shediac Correspondence of the Miramichi Gleaner*.

Boat Building.

THE Subscriber respectfully informs the Public, that he continues to build Boats at his establishment in St. Andrews, and is prepared to execute orders for Boats of any description. LIFE BOATS can be built by him, which will answer all the purposes of common ship boats, and possess at the same time the qualities of the most improved life-boats. Two Apprentices Wanted. J. S. ROBERTS. Feb. 17, 1842.

Jamaica Rum.

Just received and for Sale by the Subscriber. Pouchons superior flavored Jamaica RUM. JAMES W. STREET. February 7, 1843.

Stationary.

JUST received direct from London a supply of STATIONARY, for Sale at the Post Office.

HOUSE AND LOT FOR SALE.

WILL be sold by Auction, on the 15th day of April next, if not previously disposed of by private Sale, the House and Lot, together with an excellent Barn, in the rear of Mr. John Bailey, in Water Street, owned by Pat. O'Neal. There is also a Wharf attached to the above Premises. For further particulars, apply to Mr. P. O'Neal, or the Subscriber. J. W. STREET. St. Andrews 15, Feb. 1843.

COTTAGE

TO LET. And possession given on or before the 1st May next. THE neat and commodious Cottage next the residence of D. W. Jack Esq. The rooms have been recently prepared and painted, and the house has undergone a thorough repair. For particulars apply to F. A. BARCOCK. St. Andrews, Feb. 1, 1843.

TO LET.

A Coopers Shop on the Subscribers Wharf. Possessions given the 1st May next. The shop is in good order, and the rent will be reasonable. Apply to THOMAS WYER. January 30, 1843.—5/11.

WANTED TO CHARTER.

A Vessel of 200 to 250 Tons Register, to carry a cargo of Deals to Britain. The vessel to be loaded from the Subscriber's Wharf, with despatch. Apply to WM. BARCOCK & SON. January 13, 1843. 1/2

NOTICE.

THE Subscribers request all Persons who have not already handed in their accounts against the Estate of James Rait, deceased, to leave the same at the office of John McKean Esq. in the Parish of St. James being Lot No. 9, originally granted to the late Niel Morrison, senior, containing Two hundred Acres more or less, together with all improvements, Houses, Barns &c. The above Farm is at present under high Cultivation, and is one of the most desirable situations in the County of Charlotte, as a farming Establishment being in the heart of the Scotch Settlement. Apply to JOHN WILSON W. McLEAN, Auctioneer. The above Sale is Postponed, until further notice. W. McLEAN.

FOR SALE.

400,000 FEET of Pine BOARDS, PLANK, and Scantling suitable for the West India Market, with long Shingles for small stowage. The Lumber can be shipped from our wharf, free of ice, as fast as the vessel can load. For price and terms apply to WM. BARCOCK & SON. January 13, 1843.

Notice.

IS hereby given that the following Person has been assessed as a Non Resident in the amount opposite his name, for the Poor and County Rates for the year 1842, said Real Estate being in the Parish of Grand Maan. Lot No. 65 granted to Nathaniel Woodberry. £0 4 5 South section of Lot No. 25 granted to Benj. Woodberry. £0 3 7 And further Notice is hereby given, that unless some persons, pay the same to the Subscriber together with all costs and charges, the Real Estate owned by them or such part thereof as may be required for the purpose, will after three months from this date, be advertised and sold by the Sheriff, he first giving thirty days notice of the time and place of sale, as by law required. Dr. Edward DeWolf. £0 19s 2d JAMES McNALL, Collector. St. Andrews, Jan. 12 1843.—rm.

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NOTICE.

THE subscriber having made arrangements with a respectable House in Liverpool England, will make advances here, in Cash, on Charges of Timber, and Deals, Consigned to his friend, there, to amount of Two thirds of a fair invoice Cost, on receiving Bill of Lading and order for insurance. WILLIAM WYER St. Andrews New Brunswick, Dec. 5, 1842.

Almanacs! Almanacs!

For 1843. Sold wholesale and retail by Jan. 24. JOHN LOCHARY.

JOHN IRWIN, New Brunswick.

CLOTH AND FANCY STORE. Water Street, Saint Andrews, N. B. RESPECTFULLY informs the Inhabitants of St. Andrews, and the Public generally, that he has received by late arrivals his FALL AND WINTER SUPPLY, embracing a variety of Staple and Fancy Goods.

Consisting of West of England CLOTHS of different Shades and Colours, among which are Pilot, Beaver and Broad Cloths, Cassimeres, Bucks-kins, Doeskin, and Fancy Sweeds. An assortment of Vestings and Tailors Trimmings. Furred and Plain Orleans, Saxsonies and All Pina Cloths. Silks and Satins of various shades. Gaine and other Ribbons. Indiana, Rob Roy, Shawls and Hkfs. A choice selection of the latest style of PRINTS. Plaid and Molair Cloakings. Red and White Flannels and Serges. Rose and Whitey Bluekets of all sizes, Grey Cottons from 4d to 1s a yard, White Ditto, at same prices. Twilled and Plain Regatta Shirts. Hosiery and Gloves in every variety. London Slips and Ready made Clothing. Men and Women's Boots and Shoes, Childrens ditto.

GROCERIES.

All of which will be sold at the most reasonable prices for cash. Call and examine the above Goods, St. Andrews, Nov. 4, 1842.—441f.

FARM

FOR SALE.

Public Auction.

THE Subscriber will offer for sale at Public Auction, (if not previously disposed of) at the Court House in St. Andrews on Saturday, the 7th day of January next, (—At that certain FARM situate in the Parish of St. James being Lot No. 9, originally granted to the late Niel Morrison, senior, containing Two hundred Acres more or less, together with all improvements, Houses, Barns &c. The above Farm is at present under high Cultivation, and is one of the most desirable situations in the County of Charlotte, as a farming Establishment being in the heart of the Scotch Settlement. Apply to JOHN WILSON W. McLEAN, Auctioneer. The above Sale is Postponed, until further notice. W. McLEAN.

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30 BARRELS of 3 1/2 Dozen each

Bottled London Porter and Sherry Ale, of good quality, and for sale by Dec. 8, 1842. JOHN McKEAN.