

west of Biscay, and proceeded towards Placentia. Don Buorens has followed with a superior force. The Queen's forces are said to be very efficient.

PORTUGAL.—The Tagus, steamer arrived on Sunday afternoon at Falmouth, with mails for Spain and Portugal, and brings important intelligence from Lisbon, which city was made again a scene of bloodshed and confusion, on the 15th inst, in an attempt of the democratic party, to overturn the Queen's power and subvert the present government. An action took place, and ended in the complete defeat of the Rebels, from 60 to 70 were killed and order was again restored. Several secret Societies were known to be most extensive, whose object was to overturn the present government of the country.

COLONIAL.

CANADA.

UPPER CANADA REBELS.—Last Wednesday was the day appointed for the execution of Lout and Matthews. Orders were received on Tuesday last for the erection of the gallows on a point near Montgomery's tavern, where the first act of disturbance took place. It was expected that a pardon would be declared on the scaffold: or a reprieve until the pleasure of the Queen shall be known. On Tuesday four others were ordered for execution, viz: John Montgomery, John Anderson, Gen. Theller, and Gilbert Fields Mordeu.

The New York Commercial says that there is an error in stating that Sutherland had been adjudged guilty, and sentenced to immediate execution. Neither finding nor sentence was known at Toronto on Wednesday morning, at 9 o'clock. It was the prevailing opinion there that he had not been found guilty, in consequence of some informality in the proceedings, and would be discharged.

The Canadian papers by the Mail contain nothing of importance. The weather was fine and the ice in the lakes and river was fast disappearing. Thirty eight more of the prisoners at Montreal have been discharged, some of them giving bail to appear when called upon. The number remaining in confinement is said to be 170. All was quiet. The Upper Canada Militia was returning to their home.

NEW-BRUNSWICK.

THE WEATHER.—The heavy rains on Thursday night and Friday, together with the strong South West wind on Sunday, had a powerful effect on the ice on the river, which put a stop to all intercourse with the opposite shore. On Sunday night, the wind unfortunately shifted to the North, where it still remains. This has retarded the departure of the ice, but it is now reduced in such a manner, that a few hours of seasonable weather must break it up; and we are in hopes, that before we again go to press, we shall have the gratification of seeing the river clear of all obstructions to its navigation.—*Miramicki Gleaner.*

P. E. ISLAND.

A very melancholy occurrence took place at Bedeque on the 3d inst. Mrs Selliker, aged 52, widow of the late Mr Daniel Selliker, who had for some months past been labouring under mental derangement, and had several times previously attempted to commit suicide, having eluded the vigilance of her family, at last succeeded in putting an end to her existence by suspending herself by the neck in the barn, where she was found lifeless. In Aug. 1834, she lost her husband, who died on board his own vessel, on her passage from Halifax. After their father's death, her sons took charge of the vessel, and three months

afterwards she was lost going to Halifax, when one of her sons and a young man named Linkletter perished. These circumstances seem to have affected her mind with a settled melancholy, from which she never recovered.—*P. E. Island Gaz. April 17.*

NOVA-SCOTIA.

AGRICULTURAL SOCIETY.—A meeting of Farmers and others, favourable to the establishment of an Agricultural Society on the Peninsula of Halifax, met in the Lecture room of the Mechanics' Institute on the evening of the 6th inst. Mr A. McKinlay, President of the Mechanics' Institute, was called to the chair, and explained the object of the Meeting. Mr McKinlay was followed by Mr James Irons, who stated many advantages which might be expected from the formation of such a society. It was then moved, seconded and resolved, that such a society be formed. The following persons were chosen officers of the society:—Wm. Young, Esq President; Mr James Irons, 1st Vice President; Mr D. Mitchell, 2nd Vice President; Mr H. Wright, Treasurer; Mr A. Sinclair, Secretary; Messrs. J. Arts J. Winters, J. Longard, A McCulloch, J. Horne, A Smith, and W. Mitchell—Committee.

A Committee was appointed to prepare Rules for the submission to a general meeting, and it was Resolved that a general meeting should be held on the evening of the first Monday in May.

The objects of this society are those usual to such bodies, chiefly, we believe, regular monthly meeting for the spread of agricultural experience,—the collection of publications on the subject, and the introduction or invention of improved implements of husbandry.

This society is a valuable addition to those already in existence in Halifax; such an institution has been long desired, and we hope it may have all the good results which its warmest friends anticipate.—*Novascotian.*

FAMILY ECONOMY.

ARCHIBALD HART,
SILK, COTTON, AND WOOLEN DYER,
James Street, Pictou,

RETURNS his most sincere thanks to his friends and the public, for the encouragement he has already received. He takes the liberty of informing them that he has now, in addition to his old, received

A FRESH STOCK OF DYE STUFFS,

by which he will be enabled to give the most brilliant colours, to all kinds of Silks and Wearing Apparel of every description.

Also, having a superior method of renovating, taking out spots, and removing all kinds of filth from gentlemen's coats, vests, and trousers, without the least injury to the cloth, making the old appear little inferior to new,—attention to this would be economy!

A. H. begs to intimate that he has been solicited to remain here during the season, with which he has complied, in hopes that he will be more successful and better supported than he was last year; if not, he will positively leave this place in June 1839.

April 11.

TO LET.

THAT HOUSE AND OUT-HOUSE
In Queen Street,

DIRECTLY opposite Lorrain's Hotel, now occupied by Captain McArthur and Mr Ross. Rent low, and possession given on the 10th April, 1838. The house can be examined by applying to
PETER BROWN.

ALSO, TO LET:

THAT House in Water Street now occupied by Mr John Joyce. Possession given May 1st, 1838. For particulars, apply as above.
March 14, 1838.

TO BE SOLD AT PUBLIC AUCTION,
On Tuesday the eighth day of May next, in small Lots, according to a plan to be seen at the Office of M. J. Wilkins, Esq:

All that valuable piece of

LAND,

consisting of 22 Acres, commonly called the 'Battery Hill,' fronting on the Harbour of Pictou.

As the Town of Pictou has a natural tendency to extend itself in the direction of this PROPERTY, the Subscriber has been induced to lay it off in a neat and convenient Town Plot, in which the Streets are so laid out as to correspond with the Streets of the Town of Pictou, in such a manner that no inconvenience will occur in extending the present Streets; and those who are desirous of purchasing the Lots above offered, will have the advantage of broad and regular Streets, the want of which constitutes so great an objection to the erection of buildings in the present town. The front of this property, possesses every advantage to those about engaging in Commercial Business, or desirous of erecting wharves and Stores, as the channel of the harbour passes very close to the land at this place, and a very trifling expenditure of labour in cutting down the bank, would make an easy inclined plane, almost to the channel's edge. This Property is in fact the natural site of a town, and probably would have been at this time covered with buildings, had it not been for the state of the title, which is now however undisputed. Persons therefore desirous of laying out money to advantage, cannot make a better investment than in the purchase of these Lots.

At the same time, the Subscriber will offer
NINE LOTS,

Of five Acres each, in the rear of the property in possession of M. J. Wilkins, Esq.

These Lots are of an excellent quality; and though they have never been cultivated, they have been in pasture a great many years and are nearly fit for the plough.

TERMS OF SALE:—10 per cent deposit, 20 per cent in 6 months, 20 per cent in 12 months, and the remaining 50 per cent 2 years from the date. To be secured by mortgage bearing interest.

Sale to commence at 11 o'clock, A M
STEPHEN BINNEY.

April 4th, 1838.

JOHN HARRIS,

Saddle, Harness, and Trunk Maker,

MOST respectfully begs leave to intimate to his friends and the public in general, that
ALL KINDS OF WORK
in the various Branches of his Business, will be executed to order, on moderate terms. Shop opposite Mr Harper's Hotel, Church Street, Pictou.
March 28, 1838.

R. DAWSON

HAS on hand, a quantity of SHEET COPPER; and BOAT NAILS, assorted.
Also: Codfish Oil. if January 17.

LAND FOR SALE.

500 ACRES of Excellent LAND, at Kempt Town, in the County of Colchester, near the head of Salmon River, westward of the road leading from Salmon River to Earl Town, about 4 miles North of Mr John Archibald's Inn. The said lot was originally granted to Robert Jerrat and Margaret Lindsay. The Land is mostly covered with hardwood and spruce, and is surrounded with good soil, sufficient to make a thriving Settlement in a few years. Two families now reside within three quarters of a mile of said Lot, and others are about to settle in its vicinity. As the Land has lately been surveyed, and lines marked by Mr Alexander Millar, Deputy Surveyor, Turo, persons wishing to purchase may apply to him, or to the subscriber by whom any further information can be given.

ROBERT DAWSON.

Pictou, December 1st, 1837.

WANTED,

A GOOD MILCH COW.—one newly calved will be preferred. Apply to
JAMES D. B. FRASER.
March, 1838.

Dr. KIRKWOOD

HAS removed to Mr Robert Dawson's house, over the store, where he can be consulted as usual.
Pictou, March 28, 1838