

On taking leave of Your Excellency, we beg to be permitted to offer our sincere wishes that yourself, Lady Colborne and your family may have a prosperous voyage to England; that you may there receive the honours and reward due to your long and faithful services to your Sovereign and country, and that you may for many years be blessed with uninterrupted health and happiness.

Oct. 12.

We have much pleasure in directing the attention of our readers to the General Order, issued by command of His Excellency the Governor General, which will be found in this day's Gazette. The different loyal volunteer corps of the Province will find that His Excellency, on the eve of his departure, has not forgotten the important services which, during the late two rebellions, and the consequent incursions from the United States, they have rendered to their country; and that he entertains a just estimate of the zeal and alacrity with which they flew to arms in the hour of danger.—*Montreal Gazette.*

Oct. 19.

Yesterday afternoon, about half-past five o'clock His Excellency Sir John Colborne left his residence, accompanied by his Staff, and followed by a numerous assemblage of citizens, and proceeded to the port; where he was met by most of the officers whose regiments are in garrison here, and embarked on board the *British America* steamer, to welcome the arrival of the new governor, and assist at the ceremony of his installation.

QUEBEC, Oct. 18.

His Excellency the Right Hon. P. Thompson will hold a levee in Quebec on Monday next, and it is said that on Tuesday he will leave for Montreal, hold a levee in that city on Thursday, and then proceed en route to Toronto. It is further stated that His Excellency will be determined by future events as to whether the seat of government be established at Quebec or Montreal.

ST. JOHNS, N. B., Oct. 26.

We are glad to perceive that the elegant and useful art of Drawing has been added to the course of study prescribed for the *Elèves* of the institution recently founded under the patronage of the Mechanics' Institute, and that the talents and accomplishments of Mr. George N. Smith have been put in requisition to increase the utility of that seminary.

MIRAMICHI, Oct. 22.

THE WEATHER.—During our residence in Miramichi, we do not remember to have witnessed so long a continuation of warm, dry weather, at this advanced period of the season, as we have experienced this fall. It has been highly beneficial to the husbandman, who has been enabled to gather in his crop, without loss by frost, and complete his ploughing under very favourable circumstances.

CHARLOTTE-TOWN, P. E. I., Oct. 19.

The Right Honourable the Countess of Westmorland arrived here yesterday in the Steamer *Cape Breton*, from Pictou. It is the intention of her Ladyship we understand, to spend the winter in the Island, and a house in Upper Queen-street has been prepared for her reception. We trust we may be allowed to entertain a hope that this visit of the Countess will be productive, not only of pleasure and satisfaction to herself, but of benefit to the numerous tenantry on the Earl's estates in this Island.

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NORMAL SCHOOL.

MR. HUGH MUNRO, begs respectfully to inform his friends and the public in general, that having taken the well aired and commodious rooms, over Mr. SHANNON'S Store, opposite the *Province Building Garden*; his Seminary will be opened for the reception of pupils on the 20th instant. From the experience which he has had in this method of Education, and the success which has hitherto attended the "TRAINING SYSTEM", under his management, the advertiser ventures to solicit the continued support of the public; and he pledges himself to spare no time nor labour in endeavouring to guide those pupils who may be entrusted to his care, in the paths of knowledge and virtue.

Terms and other particulars may be ascertained by application at the School. Halifax, 11th August, 1839.

MARINE NEWS.

PORT OF HALIFAX.

ARRIVED.

Thursday—Scar. Louisa, Lorway, New-York, 19 days—flour, &c. to Creighton & Grassie; Spanish brig Isabella, Trinidad de Cuba, 35 days—molasses, to do; sloop Lady Hunter, Liverpool, 8 hours; schr. Zealous, Harris, Boston, 6 days—assorted cargo; to H. Fay and others; Victoria, Annapolis—produce; Acadian, and Magdalen, Argyle; schr. Stranger, Barrington; Susan, Quintair, St. George's Bay, 4 days—salmon, herring, oil, &c. to E. P. Archibald; Shannon, Cann, Yarmouth, 39 hours.

Friday—Brigt. Neptune, Kingston, Jam, 27 days—ballast to J. & M. Tobin; schr. Pearl, Hall, Placentia Bay, 8 days—dry fish and oil to P. Farlong; Jasper, Port Ebert—dry fish, herring and oil; Herald, Brier Island—mackerel and herring; Assistance, Margaree—fish, oil and butter; Britannia, Smith, P. E. Island.

Saturday—Barque Prince George, Forrester, London, 45 days—general cargo to Charman & Co.—spoke, 10th inst. barque Emma, from, Newcastle for St Andrews, out 43 days. Schr. Eliza, Cook, Nevis, and St. Kitts, 23 days—ballast to J. Whitman; Transcendant, Kimball, Demerara, 57 days—rum and molasses to Fairbanks & Allison; Victory, Darby, Sable Island; Sarah Ann, St. George's Bay, 6 days—herring, oil, &c. to C. P. Archibald and Paw & Tidmarsh.

Sunday—Brigt. President, Crum, Montego Bay, 27 days—rum, pimento, and molasses, to M. B. Almon; Emily, Barron, Savannah la Mar, 31 days—rum, logwood and ginger, to D. & E. Starr & Co.—On Yesterday afternoon, at 3 o'clock off Le-Have saw a brig apparently bound to Liverpool, with a white bottom; Fame, Stowe, Trinidad, 16 days—ballast to Salties & Wainwright—left brig Colonist, of Yarmouth; brig. Placide, Harrison, Trinidad, 25 days—ballast, to J. A. Moren; schr. Esther & Eliza, Ryanson, New York, 5 days—flour, tobacco, &c. to Frith, Smith & Co. and others; Hugh Johnston, Little, St. Croix, 23 days—rum, to D. & E. Starr & Co.—experienced a heavy gale of wind, lost sails, &c.—spoke 23d inst. for N. F. long. 64 49, brig. Bluenose, 5 days from St. Stephens, lat. 37. Loyalist, Skinner, Demerara, 36 days—rum, to W. Donaldson; Agnes, Gaspe, 8 days—dry fish and oil, to Creighton & Grassie; Mail boat Roseway, Burney, Bermuda, 10 days, 6 days hence to Bermuda; Arge, Gauld, Baltimore, 14 days wheat flour, to S. Binney—spoke schr Barbara from New York, for St. John's on Saturday; schrs. Caroline, Union, Sovereign, Mary, Barrington—fish; Mayflower, Argyle—do.

Tuesday—Mailpacket brig Margaret, Boole, Boston, 4 1-2 days; brig Goshawk, Smith, Ponce P. R. 24 days, rum, sugar and molasses to D. & E. Starr & Co. brig Maria, Lovett, Dublin, 49 days.

Wednesday—Brig William, Quill, Cuba, 26 days—200 cases sugar, to H. Lyle.

CLEARED.

Thursday—Brig Calla, Fowler, Liverpool, N. S. brig Jubilee, Percy, Sydney; Am. brig Mary Helen, Hamilton, Alexandria—plaster and potatoes by G. P. Lawson; brig Persa, Pengilly, Jamaica—fish, oil, raisins, &c. by D. & E. Starr & Co. and T. C. Kinnear; schr. Vernon, Cunningham, B. W. Indies—do do by J. Strachan; Pique, Saunders, St. John, N. B.—sugar, porter, &c. by S. Binney, A. Keith and others.

Friday—Brig Greyhound, Tucker, Falmouth, Jam.—fish, fruit, oil, &c. by J. Allison & Co.; barque John Porter, Crowder, Demerara—do do by Fairbanks & M'Nab, J. Allison & Co. and others; brig Laing, Hudson, London—deals, by Charman & Co. Condor, Lannigan, Kingston, Jam.—oil, fish, &c. by J. & T. Williamson; brig. Portree, Simpson, Boston—salmon, mackerel, &c. by H. Fay, and S. Binney; schr. Seafower, Martel, Burin—molasses, bread, &c. by Fairbanks & Allison; Defiance, Corry, Miramichi—rum, molasses, &c. by S. Cunard & Co. and M'Nab, Cochran & Co.; Meridian, Crowell, St. John, N. B.—molasses, sugar, &c. by J. Allison and Co. M. B. Almon and others.

Monday—Brigt. Stanford, Blay, Bermuda, general cargo by J. & M. Tobin.

HALIFAX, SS.

At a Special Session held this day, the following Assize of Bread was set, and ordered to be in force on Friday next the 25th instant.

1½d Loaf of fine wheaten Flour	lb. oz. dr.
is to weigh	0 8 11
3d do do	1 1 6
6d do do	2 2 12
1s do do	4 6 8

JAMES S. CLARKE,
Clerk of the Peace.

October 23.

FALL GOODS.

A. & H. McDONALD,

ARE now Landing from the Ship Liverpool, part of their WINTER SUPPLY OF **BRITISH MERCHANDIZE.**

—COMPRISING—

Fine and sup. Broad and Narrow CLOTHS, Cassimeres, Buckskins, Tweeds, &c. Coatings, Flushings, Pilot Cloths and Petershams, Rose and Winey BLANKETS, assorted sizes, Cotton Sheets, and Bed Covers, very low, White, Blue, Red, Yellow, and twill'd Flannels, Black, Brown, and Blue Serge, Shaloons, Bombazetts, and Marinos, Irish Linen, and Cotton Shirtings, A general assortment of White, Grey, and Printed COTTONS, Shawls, Handkerchiefs, Muslins, Hosiery, Bales of Flushing and Winter Slops, Unbleached, and Blue Water Twist, Fashionable Plated and Beaver HATS, SOAP, CANDLES, &c.

Which they offer low for Cash, or short Credit.—Lower Water Street. Sw. Oct. 23.

AUCTIONS.

BOOKS, &c.

BY WM. M. ALLAN,

At his room, To-morrow, THURSDAY, at 11 ½ o'clock.

250 vols. valuable BOOKS, among which are New Monthly, Metropolitan, Fraser's, Tair's, and Blackwood's Magazines, &c. &c.

Also—20 chests Souchong Tea, a variety of Stoves, 2 useful Horses, a strong Waggon and neat Tandem, a single Sleigh, and a first rate sett of double Harness, Saddles, Bridles, &c.

October 30.

EVENING SALE.

Books, Writing Desks, Work Boxes, Dressing Cases, &c. &c.

BY C. H. RIGBY,

At his room, TO-MORROW, Thursday evening, at 7 o'clock.

without reserve, the remainder of Books, about 700 VOLUMES.

Also—Mahogany and Rose Wood WRITING DESKS, WORK BOXES, DRESSING CASES, Common JEWELRY, Windsor Soap, Knives and Forks, Looking Glasses, PICTURES, 2 Foot Rules, Tin Plates, Dolls, Cork Screws, Ink Stands, Plated Spoons, Writing Paper, Pad Locks, Hammers, Coffee Mills, Side Combs, Pin Cushions, Tea Kettles, Fish do. Whips, Snuff Boxes, Slates, MECHANIC LAMPS, &c. &c. &c.

This Sale is positive, and will be continued on FRIDAY & SATURDAY EVENINGS, to commence at 7 o'clock.

TERMS.—All sums over £20, 3 months. October 30.

WILL BE PUBLISHED

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NEW WINTER GOODS.

THE SUBSCRIBER has received a large assortment of FLANNELS, Blankets, Flushings, PILOT CLOTHS, Baizes, rich Figured and Gros de Naple Merinos, Mouseline de Laines, Printed Cottons, Cambiet Plaids, Hosiery, Gloves, Shawls, Silk VELVETS, Ribbons, Grey & White Cottons, Moreens, &c. first quality COTTON WARP, in bales of 300 lbs. each.

JAMES DONALDSON.

Halifax, Oct. 23, 1839. 5w.

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MR. HUGH MUNRO.

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Halifax, Oct. 9th, 1839.

Bank of Nova-Scotia,

HALIFAX, 15th July, 1839.

THIS Bank continues to operate in Exchanges

Bills are bought and sold on

- LONDON,
- NEW-YORK,
- BOSTON,
- QUEBEC,
- MONTREAL,
- St. JOHN,
- St. ANDREWS, } New Brunswick.
- St. JOHN'S, Newfoundland.

Arrangements have also been completed by which drafts at the places above mentioned may be obtained on the Cashier of this Bank,

By order of the President and Directors, J. FORMAN, Cashier.