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tants of the place where he was born. On learning from the Vicar of Kew that there was not sufficient room in the church for the accommodation of the inhabitants, he ordered its enlargement at an expense of three thousand pounds out of his own private purse, and also devoted much of his time and attention to the best means of accomplishing this desirable object, which he had the satisfaction of knowing was in progress before his lamented dissolution.

Sir Herbert Taylor, the private and confidential Secretary to his late Majesty, filled the same post during the reign of George IV., and was in the household of Geo. III. It is probable that the new Private Secretary to the Sovereign will be Sir John Conroy, who was Aide-de-Camp to the Duke of Kent and Secretary to the Duchess of Kent.

The Countess of Charlemont is to be one of her Majesty's Ladies of the Bedchamber. Miss Pitt, daughter of Lord Rivers, and Miss Murray, daughter to the Bishop of Rochester, have been appointed Maids of Honor.

The King of Hanover sailed on Saturday.—The propriety of leaving his proxy in the hands of one of the Conservative Peers has been earnestly discussed, and finally negated by the persons who have for some time acted as a sort of privy council to his Majesty. The opinion of the person most directly interested was decidedly and most obstinately in favour of leaving the proxy (to be used only in pressing emergencies) in the hands of the Duke of Wellington; and the King of Hanover did not give way until the Duke of Wellington positively declined to receive it. There was another subject discussed, namely, whether as a Foreign Monarch it would be proper that the King of Hanover should continue to receive his allowance as a British Prince. It was generally felt that it would be better to resign the British allowance on the same terms as Prince Leopold did upon being chosen King of Belgium; that is to say, charged with any debts at present due. It was at the same time decided to take no definitive step on this last point until the income annexed to the crown of Hanover had been satisfactorily ascertained; the present impression is that it is very ample, but the new King decided not to commit himself upon any but sure grounds. Here again he was at variance with the Duke of Wellington, who recommended an immediate and unconditional renunciation; but his Majesty held fast, and was decided as already stated.

THE STAR

WEDNESDAY, August 16, 1837.

ERRATA.—In our last No. in the Proclamation respecting the holding of the General Quarter Sessions at Brigus, for Thursday the 18th, read "FRIDAY the 18th."

We beg to call the attention of our readers to the following extract from the Morning Herald, July 4, containing the proceedings in the House of Commons on the preceding day.

Parliament would be Dissolved about the 20th July if not earlier, as nearly all the members had left London. It was expected the Conservatives would gain largely in England and Scotland but lose a few seats in Ireland.

(From the Morning Herald, July 4.)

HOUSE OF COMMONS, MONDAY.

On the vote of £114,160 14s. 6d. for advances on account of arrears for the Administration of Justice in the Civil Government of Lower Canada.

Mr. HUME said he had already given notice to the Noble Lord of his intention of opposing this vote. He designated it as a fine imposed upon the people of England for the bad government of that Colony.

Mr. ROBINSON complained that the people of England should be called upon to pay this money, when the Noble Lord (J. Russell) had not pressed forward the Resolutions, which would have entitled the people of this Country to

have availed themselves of the money in the Canadian Treasury, to reimburse themselves for the money they were called upon to advance. This £14,000 would have nearly sufficed to have supplied the plan of the whole of the Marine Insurance duty, in which manner it would have been more advantageously applied for the country.

Lord J. RUSSELL said the Ministry had by no means abandoned the principle of the Resolutions, although in compliance with Her Majesty's Message they refrained from bringing in a Bill upon them during the present session.

Lord STANLEY said the Government should have proceeded at once with a Bill upon the subject, as soon as they found that the Resolutions were adopted by so large a majority of the House. This vote he thought was a security to the people of Canada, that Ministers would not shrink from the course they had already avowed their intention of pursuing.

Mr. HUME said it was useless to pass such a Bill as was contemplated, unless the Government was prepared to send out a large armament to enforce its provisions.

For the vote.....43
Against it.....10

Majority for it...33

(From the Newfoundlander, Aug. 3.)

Exchange Buildings, 3d Aug., 1837.

At a meeting held this day, in accordance with a requisition addressed to the Foreman of the Grand Jury of the Supreme Court for the Fall Term of 1836, signed by eleven members of that Jury—

PRESENT:

Hon. JOHN SINCLAIR, Chairman and Foreman.

- Messrs. G. Clapp
- Bulley
- John Wyatt
- A. Le Messurier
- Lawrence O'Brien
- Richard Howley
- Charles Bowring
- Robert Brine
- William Jordan
- Robert Job
- Ewen Stabb
- William Richards.

It was Resolved—

1st.—That the present meeting have seen with surprise and indignation, a statement made in the Acadian Telegraph of the 7th July, said to have been copied from a petition to the House of Commons, from this country, to the purport that the Grand Jury had protested against the representations made by Chief Justice Boulton in his opening Charge to the Court, referring to the tumultuous proceedings at the elections.

2nd.—Resolved—That as no such protest was ever made by the Grand Jury, the present meeting deem it a duty they owe themselves, at once flatly to contradict it; and as the Chairman has not been able to obtain a copy of the Petition to lay before the meeting—Resolved—That this meeting do adjourn to Saturday next, at one o'clock, to receive the Petition, and then to offer such opinion thereon as may be called for.

JOHN SINCLAIR,
Chairman.

Saturday, 5th August, 1837.

Adjourned meeting of the Grand Jurors from the meeting of the 3d instant—

PRESENT:

- Mr. SINCLAIR, Chairman.
- Messrs. Williams
- Jorden
- Bulley
- Le Messurier
- R. Job
- Richards
- Stabb
- Bowring
- G. Clapp
- Scott
- Rennie.

The minutes of the former meeting were read and approved

The Foreman having stated to the meeting that he, with other members of the Grand Jury, had carefully examined the copies of the petitions at the Colonial Secretary's Office, none of which was addressed to the House of Commons, or accompanied by statements on oath; neither did those addressed to His Majesty contain any such statement that the Grand Jury had protested against Chief Justice Boulton's address to them.

Resolved—That it is therefore the opinion of this meeting that the statement made in the Acadian Telegraph must either be the result of false communications sent to the Editor, or else a fabrication of his own.

Resolved—That copies of the above resolutions be published, together with a copy of the report made by the Grand Jury to the Supreme Court at the close

of the Session in January last, and that the same be sent to Mr. Thompson, the Editor of the Telegraph.

PRESENTMENT OF THE GRAND JURY.

The present term of the Supreme Court being about to close, the Grand Jury cannot terminate its labours, or take leave of the Court, without expressing the high satisfaction which the Jurors feel at the prompt and efficient manner their several Presentments have been attended to by the Court.

The Grand Jury, in the course of its investigations, have been deeply impressed with the very inefficient state of the Police and Constabulary force of this town and district. The Jurors therefore present the same in the hope that the Court will be able to adopt measures, not only to augment their numbers, but to enforce the vigilance and discipline of such few by concentrating its operation more immediately under the guide and direction of the Police Magistrates, than, by the evidence adduced before them connected with the late riots and tumults, the Jury have strong reason to believe has heretofore been the case—and which has led the Police authority to be more contemned and ridiculed, than feared or respected.

The Grand Jury in presenting the state of the Police and Constabulary of St. John's, must at the same time refer to the Presentment of the district of Conception Bay, particularly Harbor Grace and Carbonear, on that point, when it has been made clear to the Jurors, all law, rule and order, have been set at defiance, where, besides a Police or Constabulary establishment, little of anything short of a military force can insure protection to life or property; and where the Jury are of opinion the constituted authorities are not in all respects the best suited or qualified for the offices which they are appointed to fulfil.

JOHN SINCLAIR,
Chairman.

SHIP NEWS

Port of Harbour Grace.

ENTERED.

Aug. 10.—Brig Calypso, Brine, Richibucto, 35,000 feet plank, 33,000 shingles, 3000 trenails, 6 tons balk, 6 spars.

Port of St. John's.

ENTERED.

Aug. 3.—Despatch, M'Grath, Halifax, butter.

Harriet, Kennedy, New Brunswick, lumber.

Bachelor, Caldwell, Quebec, staves.

Ann Johnston, Sinclair, Cadiz, salt.

4.—Hope, Forest, Arichat, cattle.

Bermuda, Phillips, St. Vincent, rum, molasses.

Dingwell, Graham, New York, pork, tar and pitch.

5.—Alexander, Keating, Sydney, lumber shingles.

John Stuart, Campbell, Barbadoes, molasses.

Scipio, Graham, Bridgeport, coal.

7.—Watchman, Whitney, Trinidad de Cuba, molasses.

Patriot, Nicholas, Cadiz, salt.

Dove, Mermaid, Cape Breton, lumber.

Lady, Babin, New Brunswick, lumber.

Mary Jane, Deagle, P. E. Island, sheep, cattle.

Richmond, Girior, Cape Breton, coal.

Selina, Hicks, Cadiz, salt.

Malvina, Geran, Sydney, coal.

St. Patrick, Le Buff, Cape Breton, coal.

8.—Mary, Mermaid, Novascotia, cattle, sheep.

Hope, Saunders, P. E. Island, cattle, sheep.

9.—Spanish Brig Dorotew, Millet, New York, ballast.

PROCLAMATION.

NORTHERN DISTRICT, }
To Wit. }

IN obedience to a PRECEPT received from the Worshipful the MAGISTRATES, bearing date the First day of August, 1837, and to me directed;

I hereby give Public Notice,

That a GENERAL QUARTER SESSIONS of the PEACE, will be holden at the Court-House, in BRIGUS, on

FRIDAY,

the 18th Instant, at Eleven o'clock in the Forenoon; and the Keeper of His Majesty's Gaol, the High Constable, and all other Constables and Bailiff's within this District, are commanded that they be then there to do and fulfil those things which by reason of their Offices shall be to be done.

Given at Harbor Grace, this First day of August, 1837.

B. G. GARRETT,
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- Coloured Morino, Plain Stuffs
- Ribbons and Persians
- Gentlemen's Fancy Cravats and Stiffeners
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- Ditto ditto Worsted and Cotton Hose
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- Violin & Violincello Bows & Bow-hair
- Ditto and ditto Strings, 1, 2, 3, 4
- Umbrellas, Pins and Needles
- Elastic Knitting Pins
- Gilt, and Silver-end Thimbles
- Slates, and Slate Pencils
- Table Knives and Forks
- Steels and Carvers
- Penknives, Scissors, Razors
- Awl-blades, Shoe Knives, Nippers
- Cinder Sifters, Chamber Buckets
- Mops, Brushes, Pattens
- SCYTHES, Grass Hooks
- Wire Rat and Mouse Traps
- Irish and English Spades, Rakes
- Wood Screws, Brads, Door-springs
- Files of all sorts, Shoe Rasps
- Imperial Weights from 4lbs. down
- Ditto Pewter Measures
- Britannia-metal Teapots, Coffee Biggins
- Plated and Britannia-metal Tea & Table Spoons, Ladles, Sugar Tongs
- Caddy and Salt Spoons
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July 19, 1837.

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Harbor Grace,
July 19, 1837.

By the charter of appointment of the Hereditary Lord High Chamberlain of England, he has the right to the dress worn by the Sovereign at each coronation, in which he is to appear at the first court after that august ceremony. Query: Will the noble Lord who succeeds to this high office be bound literally to fulfil the terms of his charter.