which we have been favored *dry documents relating to the Rivers Railroad,"* we learn luence in New York, Boston, eing used to forward that ung subscriptions to its stock.

EN.—This admirable vessel New York, a fortnight since, ed, she was to be purchased emi-monthly packet between , but no sale was effected, ere on Thursday afternoon. whether the persons concern- ent of a steam line from New e dissatisfied with the price the Unicorn, but they could vessel for their purpose, if ands were offered. Such a and splendor as the Unicorn's in the grandest mansions, to apartments of a steamship, e of the machinery has been her voyage from England to numerous trips she has made Quebec.

n was absent, a party of gen- s, Newfoundland, visited this eamer, we understand, to run nd ours. Yesterday, she pro- nd if not purchased there, she England.—*Halifax Recorder.*

OBSERVER.

SDAY, AUGUST 12, 1845.

M THE CHURCH OF SCOT- N.—The Deputation from the f Scotland, consisting of the he Rev. Dr. M'Leod, and the od, arrived in this city last ton, after having previously d other places in the North e Province. They were, on amer at Indian Town, waited r and several of the Trustees rch, who accompanied them to

following Address from the l Trustees of St. Andrew's d to the Deputation, to which alf of his colleagues, returned :—

Simpson, the Rev. Dr. Mc- ev. Norman McLeod, mem- tation appointed by the ge- of the Church of Scotland tish North American Colo-

er, Elders, and Trustees of rch, St. John, beg most res- ou our sincere congratula- ival in this City, appreci- e excellent motives which tant mission, the spirit of earance in which your in- en framed, the sentiments nce, to which, as we have uniformly given utterance, ess with which, in the dis- ice you have been hitherto eneficial results which may cipated from your visit to the not but hail your appear- satisfaction. By all who erity of the Presbyterian ion of the British dominions ded as a matter of deep re- count of a controversy, in acrimonious unconcerned, at- e been made to introduce ments of division, and to se- ct and even hostile parties and by every consideration st to continue united. We ning more disastrous than culation, with which *we* at or can be in any way affec- stituted the ground of vari- ons; and it gives us heart- understand that you have not for the purpose of agi- ment, but simply with the ing the sympathy which you e, and the desire which you nce our prosperity. Such ntitles your mission to our rselves as its agents to our n. Permit us therefore to arty welcome, and to assure e and cordial esteem. We s an evidence of brotherly d we behold in it the earnest e future. You must alrea- from personal observation nount of spiritual destitution many of the districts of this land; and it is our earnest esentations, which we doubt e on your return to Scotland, s of supplying in some mea- s wants. That He, who is d Head of his Churchs may company your labours with t he may guide and direct mainder of your journey; that you in safety to your respec- that He may make you the ents of promoting His glory of immortal souls, is the fer-

en,
Your most faithful servants,
DREW HALKET, *Minister,*
OMAS NISBET, *Elder,*
HN GILLIES, *Elder,*
M. HUTCHINSON, *Elder.*

HN DUNCAN,
TER REID,
MES ADAM,
MES KIRK,
HN WISHART,
J. MCLAUCHLIN,
M. JACK,
OMAS REED,
AM JACK,
} *Trustees.*

on the part of the deputation,

—The congratulations now on our arrival in this your with feelings of the most and satisfaction. It is to us ; and encouraging to learn on the part of the Church of prompted the mission on een deputed, are so well un- fully appreciated by you. It ate in the spirit of brotherly n affection—of deep interest welfare of the inhabitants of nds, and of an earnest desire y means of our personal min- nply of religious ordinances, hough it be and temporary, sing of God, prove edifying to those to whom such visits between, and to pave the way effect the wish and purpose urch to aid to the best of her able resources, in procuring a permanent provision of the to her expatriated sons and to her communion on these

our resolution and endeavour teresting and important task n the same spirit, and on the by which our Church was ac- enting it; and it cannot be most gratifying to us to find tination, we have been cru- such a manner, as to warrant that by the blessing of God, orts may tend to realise, to he beneficial results to which . For the success which He d to vouchsafe to them hith- o render thanks to His name; ake comfort and encourage-

ment from it, in looking forward to what yet remains of the field we have to traverse, and the work we have still to accomplish.

We agree with you in deprecating discussion and division, and acrimonious controversy in matters of religion. We regard the appearance or introduction of such a spirit into any land as a grievous calamity and infliction—the fruitful source of manifold evils—a root of extreme bitterness—as repugnant to the brotherly kindness and charity of the Gospel—and eminently obstructive of the progress of the Redeemer's kingdom. It is our sincere desire and fervent prayer that we may be saved from its influence in every form and in every degree; and you rightly interpret our mission, and do us and our constituents no more than justice, when you look on us as "coming amongst you, not for the purpose of agitation and excitement, but simply with the design of manifesting sympathy in your spiritual welfare, and the desire to advance it;" and when you "regard our visit as an evidence of brotherly affection now, and an earnest of assistance in the future."

We are, as you justly suppose, deeply impressed by the extent and urgency of the spiritual destitution, which has already come under our observation; and you may rest assured that nothing will be wanting on our part, if it please God to restore us to our native land, which may tend to quicken the zeal, or guide and facilitate the exertions of our church to supply this destitution.

The kind and Christian wishes you express in our behalf, we cordially reciprocate. To the good and holy keeping of our common God and Father, we commend you. May He enable you and every portion, and every individual of his people in these Provinces, duly to improve the means of grace which they now severally enjoy, be the measure thereof great or small; and may He, in his own time, give to all in every place, this inestimable blessing in pure and rich abundance.

On Sunday, the Rev. Dr. Simpson and the Rev. Norman McLeod officiated in St. Andrew's and St. Stephen's Churches, morning and evening, alternately, to large, respectable, attentive, and we may add, delighted congregations. Their sermons were eloquent and impressive.—The Rev. Dr. M'Leod was prevented from preaching by indisposition.

Yesterday, the Deputation were waited on by the Trustees of St. Stephen's Church, for the purpose of presenting the subjoined Address, to which there was returned the reply that will be found below :—

To the Rev. Dr. Simpson, the Rev. Dr. M'Leod, and the Rev. Norman McLeod, Members of the Deputation appointed by the General Assembly of the Church of Scotland to visit the North American Colonies.

REVEREND SIRS,—

We, the Trustees of St. Stephen's Church, St. John, beg respectfully to congratulate you on your arrival in this City, and desire to recognise your Mission to these Provinces as one of love and benevolence.

It is peculiarly gratifying to us to learn that the manner in which you have discharged its duties has secured for you the attention and respect of all classes of Presbyterians, and which may yet result in effecting a closer union among all who bear the name.

Aware that among the Scottish emigrants in St. John, are to be found members of the various denominations that exist in the mother country, but believing that there is no field here for the exercise of their differences—no necessity for their practice—we profess our readiness at all times to unite with those who love peace, to receive with open arms the Ministers of the Gospel, and to receive them more as Ambassadors of Christ than as Messengers from any section of his Church.

To you, Gentlemen, we sincerely offer the assurance of our highest esteem, and we pray God to be with you in the further prosecution of your Mission—to favor you in attaining its benevolent objects, and to conduct you in safety to your respective homes.

THOMAS ALLAN, *Chairman.*

The Rev. Dr. Simpson, on the part of the Deputation, made the following reply to the Trustees of St. Stephen's Church :

GENTLEMEN,—

We beg to return our best thanks for the marks of attention and kindness conferred on us by this Address.

Our mission to these Provinces was indeed conceived and appointed in the spirit which you ascribe to it, the spirit of love and christian benevolence. It was intended to evince the sympathy of the Parent Church of Scotland in the spiritual well-being of the adherents to her communion, whose lot is cast in those distant lands, and to manifest her desire, and to guide and facilitate her endeavours, by every means in her power, to aid in promoting this.

It has been our personal wish and endeavour to conduct our mission, in all respects, in the same spirit in which it originated, and if this wish and endeavour have been crowned with any measure of success, as you kindly intimate has been the case; if they have served to commend our Church to the warmer affection and the deeper veneration, of those in whom she feels so lively an interest, and to draw closer the bond by which the Churches in the American Provinces are united to her, we desire to rejoice with humble thankfulness to our common God and Father.

While we, as Ministers of the Church of Scotland, firmly adhere to and distinctively maintain the doctrine, discipline, and worship of that Church; we do not the less desire to cherish the spirit of universal charity and brotherly kindness to all of other denominations who love the Lord Jesus in sincerity and truth.

We are grateful for the good wishes you express for our personal happiness and the success of our mission; and we pray that God the Lord may watch over you, and direct your steps, and bring you at last to his own Kingdom and Glory.

Last evening, in St. Andrew's Church, the Rev. Dr. Simpson and the Rev. N. McLeod, addressed a large audience on the objects of the present mission to the Colonies. They took occasion to plain in some measure the principles involved the recent controversy, and to give a short account of the present condition of the Church at home; and certain we are that although some may have differed from the opinions expressed, all must have been pleased with the mild and christian-like manner, in which their opinions were announced and illustrated.

This afternoon, the Reverend Gentlemen took passage in the steamer for Eastport and Boston, on their way to visit the Churches in the Canadian Cities; which accomplished, they will return to Scotland early in the coming autumn.

A dense damp fog has enveloped this city and the surrounding country since Sunday afternoon. About 9 o'clock last night, rain commenced falling heavily, which has continued, with but little intermission, until a late hour to-day. These drenching rains, at the present time, will be very unfavourable for the hay and other crops. There were several fine dry warm days last week, during which much hay was cured.

CONFIRMATION.—We learn that the Lord Bishop of Fredericton, who is at present on an Episcopal visit to the County of Charlotte, purposes holding a Confirmation in Trinity Church, in this City, on Monday morning next, the 18th instant, at 11 o'clock. His Lordship confirmed the rite of Confirmation on a large number of young persons of both sexes at St. Andrews, last Tuesday; and would visit the Islands of Campo Bello and Grand Manan and other parishes of Charlotte County, previous to coming to Saint John.

It is stated that L. J. Papineau, formerly Speaker of the Lower Canada House of Assembly, and who fled from that Province during the first rebellious outbreak in 1837, intends returning to Canada in a few weeks. He has been residing in Paris for several years past.

PROVINCIAL REVENUE.—The following official abstract of the Revenue for the Quarter ending 30th June last, published in the Royal Gazette, exhibits a gratifying improvement in the Provincial Revenue, as compared with the corresponding period of the preceding year:—

Abstract of the Revenue of New-Brunswick, for the Quarter ending 30th June, 1845, as compared with the corresponding Quarter of 1844.

	Qr. ending June 30, 1844	Qr. ending June 30, 1845	Increase in Sterling.
Ordinary Revenue. -	£23,939 17 3	£17,241 0 2	£4,271 3 4
Export Lumber Duty. -	330 10 3	5,307 16 8	4,976 15 4
Light House Duties. -	1,379 16 4	1,409 16 3	21 8 4
Sick & Dis. Seamen's do.	437 15 9	517 19 0	80 10 3
Present. & Fingrant do.	1,038 19 6	1,638 18 3	604 18 3
From the Customs. -	5,349 3 3	6,254 14 4	755 11 1
Land Fund. - -	2,982 6 5	3,197 19 11	764 13 6
Incidental Revenue. -	0 0 0	3,400 12 0	3,400 12 0
Receipts in aid. - -	351 1 11	332 6 9	19 8
Totals - -	£23,110 10 9	£38,918 10 5	£15,807 19 8

The rate of Light Duty was reduced on 1st April, 1845, from four pence to four pence per ton.

Treasury, St. John, 1st August, 1845.

B. ROBINSON, *P. T.*

PROVIDENTIAL ESCAPE.—One of the hackney coaches of this City, owned by Mr. James Hewitt, and drawn by two horses, whilst being turned round, at the lower end of the South Market Wharf, about 1 P. M. to-day, fell off the same, into the dock; descending a distance of upwards of twenty-five feet! A niece, and young son of the Reverend Mr. Crawley, of Horton, N. S., were passengers in the coach. Although it was low water at the time of the accident, and several ribs of one of the horses were broken, and the vehicle nearly destroyed by the concussion, yet we are happy to state, that its inmates escaped, with but very trifling injury.

The adjourned Court of Oyer and Terminer resumed its sittings on Friday the 1st instant. On Saturday last, Solomon Gildard was tried on a charge of stealing a Watch from Mr. W. Hutchinson, Watchmaker, and a Musical Snuff Box from Mr. John Burns. Watchmaker,—and having been found guilty, was sentenced to the Penitentiary for twelve months.—*Courier.*

The above prisoner, Gildard, escaped from the Penitentiary on Thursday last, the third day of his imprisonment, and although the police are in search of him, he has as yet eluded detection.

The August term of the Circuit Court for this City and County was opened on Tuesday last,—His Honor Mr. Justice PARKER presiding. The number of cases on the docket was about forty, being much less than usual. The only criminal case, that of Timothy Kennedy, John Kennedy, and Mary Ann Kennedy, (father, son, and daughter,) charged with the murder of John Gillespie, on the night of 27th Sept. last, in a fracas at the house of one James Dunn, in the Lower Cove. The son was found guilty of *Manslaughter*; the father and daughter were acquitted.

SENTENCE OF TIMOTHY KENNEDY.—On Saturday last, this prisoner, who is about 18 years of age, was br ought up to receive sentence; he having been previously convicted at the Assizes, now sitting, of Manslaughter, in causing the death of one Gillespie, by stabbing him in the abdomen with a clasp knife. His Honor Judge Parker adverted to the fact, that within a very recent period, no less than five convictions had taken place before him, for stabbing with the clasp knife, and commented severely on the use of the knife in brawls, as being most base, and likely to lead in all cases to the most dangerous results. His Honor said, that in this case the Court had taken into consideration the very great provocation the prisoner had received from the deceased, who had made the first attack, and also the long imprisonment which the prisoner had already sustained—and the sentence of the Court therefore was, that he be imprisoned in the Provincial Penitentiary for twelve months, and during that time be kept at hard labour.—*New-Brunswicker.*

QUEBEC.—The cash at the disposal of the Quebec Committee of investigation and distribution, for the sufferers by the recent fires, amounted, on the 1st August, to £30,000—including the sum advanced by the Provincial Government, and a credit of £5,000 on the Quebec Branch of the Bank of B. N. A., on account of subscriptions in London. A large amount had already been distributed among the sufferers.

The collection in the Methodist Chapel, Carleton, on Sunday the 3d inst., for the Quebec sufferers, amounted to £5 16s. and in the Methodist Chapel, Portland, to £5 1s.

The proceeds of the Bazaar held at St. Andrews on the 23d ult. for the purchase of an Organ for All Saints Church, in that town, amounted to upwards of £170.

SEIZURE.—Within the last few days, the Custom House Officers have seized a large quantity of smuggled goods on Mahogany Island.

At the sixth Annual Meeting of the Saint John Sacred Music Society, held on Wednesday evening the 6th of August, the following Gentlemen were elected Office-bearers for the ensuing year:—

Stephen K. Foster, Esq., President and Conductor;
Mr. Thomas Hatheway, Vice-President;
" Charles J. Melick, Treasurer;
" Thomas G. Barr, Secretary.

Messrs. Samuel Steven, B. C. Chaloner, Stephen Humbert, G. H. Lawrence, and L. H. Waterhouse, Committee.

FIRE.—The Ocean House, a large and splendid hotel at Newport, Rhode Island, was wholly destroyed by fire on Sunday afternoon the 3d inst. The fire broke out in the kitchen part of the establishment, at one o'clock, just at the time the fashionable throng of boarders, (350 in number,) were preparing for dinner, and so rapidly did the flames spread that in two hours the whole of the immense establishment was in ashes. There was an insurance of $20,000 on the building, and $12,000 on the furniture. The house was valued at $10,000 and the furniture at $20,000.—Samuel Fowler Gardner, Esq. one of the most highly esteemed citizens of Newport, perished in the flames, by the floor of one of the upper rooms suddenly falling in and burying him in the ruins.

Peter Flewery, master of schr. Spitfire, seized under American colours, on the coast of Africa, for being engaged in the Slave trade, has recently been tried and convicted of the offence, at Boston, and sentenced to five years imprisonment and to pay a fine of two thousand dollars.

James Lennox, Esq. of New York, has given one thousand dollars to the Widow and Orphan Fund of the Fire Department of that city, accompanied by a compliment to the members of that excellent department.

Mr. Ousely and the Baron de Deffand the British and French ambassadors, recently arrived at Buenos Ayres, and tendered their mediation to the government of that republic, for the termination of hostilities between it and the Monte Videans. The offer had been declined.

Philadelphia was again in a state of great excitement and alarm, last week, in consequence of riots and disturbances created by the Firemen.

A steam boat, called the Big Hatchee, burst her boilers, on the Missouri, on the 23rd ult. A great number of the passengers and crew were killed, wounded, or scalded.

WIDENING WATER STREET.—A number of citizens, desirous of taking advantage of the opportunity afforded by the late fire of greatly improving the business capabilities of Water Street, besides affording additional security in cases of fire, met this week, and after some deliberation, appointed William Wright, Esquire, William O. Smith, Esq. and Charles Johnston, Esq. a Committee to wait upon the owners of lands fronting the West side of the Street, and to ascertain their views upon the subject. We rejoice to hear that there is every probability that Water Street will be widened to the extent of forty feet, most of the owners on the West side having consented to give up the land for that purpose. The gentlemen who have already acted in this public spirited manner, are the Hon. C. J. Peters, Charles Johnston, John Walker, Henry Gilbert and John Hammond, Esquires; we trust that the other proprietors will shortly follow their excellent example.—*Courier.*

PREPARATIONS FOR WAR.—The chief part of our Naval force, as well as a large portion of the army, appears to be destined to the Gulf of Mexico—not a very desirable destination in this hot weather. Most of the ships of war, of which we have seen any notice recently, are either in that quarter or bound thither, and a large number of troops are on their march to Texas. These movements seem to indicate an expectation, or apprehension, on the part of the government, of hostilities from Mexico, of a more serious character, than any information which we have received from that country appears to warrant. It is doubtless a prudent and judicious course, in carrying into effect the measures which have been resolved upon in regard to Texas, to have both a military and naval force on that frontier, amply sufficient to meet any force which Mexico is likely, or even able, to send beyond the limits of her own territory. But the information of every kind which we have from Mexico proves that however hostile may be the disposition of the government and people of that country, their means of annoyance, without aid from abroad, such as they are not likely to obtain, must be very limited. All that seems necessary, therefore, to meet any hostile movement in that quarter, is a small but well appointed force, properly stationed, ready for prompt and efficient action, at very short notice, and at any point where their presence may be required.—*Boston Daily Advertiser.*

[From the N. Y. Commercial Advertiser.]

The English are at Loggerheads with the Peruvians.—Some time since, during the revolution, while Castilla the President, was fighting for the presidential chair, one of his generals entered the house of the English consul at Arica, while the English flag was flying over it, and took a prisoner who had taken refuge under the flag; the same man also prevented the English steamer from watering at that port. For these improprieties the English, now that the Government is established, demand of Castilla that he forthwith discharge and disgrace the general under whose orders the outrage at Arica was perpetrated.

This he cannot or will not do, as the man is one of his ablest and most faithful generals. The English demand his dismissal from the army, and a large sum as damages, or they will blockade every port in Peru. They have a large force anchored near us; one seventy four, the Collingwood, with the admiral Sir George Seymour, a frigate, a sloop, and a fine war steamer. They have armed all their boats for blockade duty, and will certainly blockade if the President does not comply.

The Peruvians have armed all their gun-boats, and two thousand men of the line were marched down from Lima last night, to garrison the fortifications of Callao and Bellevista. Congress has for the last two days been in secret session. What the result will be it is for them to decide.

The Passengers in the Steamer Britannia from Halifax, 3d instant, for Liverpool—Mr. James Whitney, of St. John, and Mr. Joseph Bell. From Boston, 22.

☞ The Mail for England, to meet the sailing of the Steamer *Cambria* from Halifax on the 15th August, will be closed at the Post Office in this City, To-morrow (Wednesday) the 13th instant, at three o'clock in the afternoon.

SAINT JOHN SAVINGS' BANK.

Deposited in July, - - - -	£912 13 6
Withdrawn in do. - - - -	440 7 9

Acting Trustee for August—J. V. THURGAR, Esq.

MARRIED.

Yesterday, by the Very Rev. James Dunphy, V. G., Mr. William Callaghan, to Miss Bridget M'Loughlin, both of Portland.

In the Parish of Sussex, on the 20th ult. by the Rev. H. N. Arnold, Mr. Cornelius Sinclair, to Frances D., eldest daughter of Mr. James Hoyt, of that Parish.

At Grand Lake, on the 29th ult., by the Rev. A. Wood, Rector of Waterborough, Mr. David Hanselpecker, to Mary Amelia, eldest daughter of John Earle, Esq. M. P. P. of Queen's County.

At St. Andrews, on the 3d instant, by the Rev. Dr. Alley, Mr. W. R. Snow, Publisher of the *Frontier Journal*, Calais, to Miss Catharine Brearcliffe, of St. Andrews.

At St. Andrews, on the 4th inst., by the Rev. John Ross, L. L. Copland, Esq., of that town, to Miss Martha Parkman, second daughter of N. Parkman, Esquire, of Dexter, Maine.

At Halifax, on the 4th instant, by the Rev. John Pryor, Hon. James W. Johnston, Attorney General of Nova Scotia, to Louisa, daughter of the late John Pryor, Esq., and widow of the late Captain Henry Wentworth, R. E.

DIED.

On the 3d inst. William, eldest son of Mr. William McCauley, of this city, aged nine years and three months.

On Saturday morning, Susan, infant daughter of Mr. John Gillis.

On Thursday last, after a lingering illness, Mr. Arthur Lingard, aged 35 years, leaving a wife and two children to mourn their loss.

In Portland, on Wednesday last, Mr. John Richardson, in the 51st year of his age, a native of Halifax, N. S., much and deservedly esteemed in all the relations of life, by those who had the pleasure of his acquaintance; leaving a wife and daughter to mourn the irreparable loss of a kind husband and an affectionate father. He bore his sickness with Christian fortitude to the Divine Will, with the full assurance of a blessed immortality beyond the grave.

At Point-de-Bute, Westmorland, July 25th, in the 47th year of his age, Mr. J. Thompson Trueman. The death of this estimable man was occasioned by a fall from his horse, but a few minutes after he had left his home to attend a meeting of the Trustees of the Wesleyan Chapel near his own residence. He was a man of considerable intelligence, ardent piety, and manifested deep practical interest in every movement bearing upon the prosperity of the Church of Christ; to the institutions of which he devoted himself zealously, and for the support of which he both devised and practised liberal things. His most unexpected death has thrown his family and numerous connexions into the deepest sorrow, and deprived the Wesleyan Church in that part of the Province of one of its brightest ornaments and useful members.

PORT OF SAINT JOHN.

ARRIVED.

Tuesday—Brig May Flower, Cochran, New-York, 7—Master, general cargo.

Schr. Speedwell, Morrison, Boston, 5—J. Kerr & Co. pork beef, and wheat.

Marina Greenow, Clements, Yarmouth, 1—Chas. McLauchlan, rum, &c.

Wednesday—Steamer Saxe Gotha, Chisholm, Eastport—J. Whitney, passengers, &c.

Brig Argyle, Clements, Belfast, 31—John Mackay, ballast.

Thursday—Ship Lexmahagow, Perry, Liverpool, 34—W. Hammond, salt.

Brig Woodland Castle, Williams, Cork, 42—John Robertson, passengers.

Enterprise, Ryerson, Yarmouth, (N. S.)—Charles McLauchlan, ballast.

Victor, Murray, Greenock, 36—James Alexander, cordage, &c.

Amelia, Crosby, Yarmouth, (N. S.)—Charles McLauchlan, ballast.

Friday—Ship Birkenhead, Kewick, Liverpool, 31—to order, ballast.

Schooner Brothers, Coffey, Boston, 1—Thomas L. Nicholson & Co. assorted cargo.

Sunday—Ship Sir Charles Napier, Johnston, Hamburgh, 33—C. McLauchlan, ballast.

Monday—Schr. Charlotte, Vaughan, New York, 7—Master, flour, &c.

Rebecca, McArthur, Boston, 5—Wellington & Co., assorted cargo.

CLEARED.

August 6th—Barque Hants, Leask, Aberdeen, timber and deals—John Robertson; Schr. Woodlands, McLean, Boston, coals—James Robertson.

7th—Ship Speed, Ellis, Liverpool, timber and deals—S. Wiggins & Son; barque John Ker, Tait, Glasgow, timber and deals—Jas. Kirk; Schooner Don Nicholas, Drinkwater, Alexandria, salt—A. D. Andrews; Julia Ann, Pettingell, Eastport, ballast—Master.

8th—Barque Exchange, Crosby, Cork, deals—James Barber; brig William Gowland, Thickell, Boston, (Eng.) deals—S. Wiggins & Son; brigt. P. I. Nevins, Stoop, Alexandria, plaster—S. Hersey.

9th—Ship England, Everard, Liverpool, timber, deals and scantling—C. McLauchlan; Mozambique, Pickance, timber and deal—John Kirk; Sir Robert Peel, Gray, London, timber and deals—S. Reynolds & Son; Brig Tyne, Story, London, timber and deals—John Robertson; Tagus, Taymouth, Hull, timber and deals—John Robertson; Schr. Hampshire, Crow, Boston, scantling—Wellington & Co; Enterprise, Gorum, Hallowell, chalk—I. D. Andrews.

11th—Ship Caledonia, Wishart, Liverpool, timber and deals—John Wishart; Schr. Maid of the Mist, Dalhousie, Barbadoes, boards and poles—J. Whitney.

12th—Barque Reliance, Briggs, London, timber and deals—James Kirk; Brig Enterprise, Ryerson, Cork, timber and deals—J. Marsh.

Cleared at Quebec, 1st August, ship Mary Caroline, Brewer, of this port, for Liverpool.

Cleared at Alexandria, 24 inst. brig Fidelia, Small, for St. John.

Spoken—June 29th, lat. 50, 23, long. 16 15, brig St. Mary, of St. John, from Quebec for Dundee.

Spoken, 19th July, lat. 50 45, long. 39 15 W. schr. John Boynton, of St. John, N. B. from Kingston, Jam. for Quebec, who reported having fallen in, on the 9th, in lat. 50 55, long. 21 25 W. with a copper bottomed schr. of about 100 tons burthen, apparently an American vessel, and a long time abandoned, with deck load of cotton, on her beam ends; the first letter of her name being 'A'.

The American brig Empress, Neilson, of and from Portsmouth, bound to Pictou, struck on Jeddore Ledges, on last Monday night, at 10 o'clock, and became a total wreck, boats swamped, Captain and Crew saved with great difficulty, and arrived at Halifax on Wednesday.

CHURCH SOCIETY
OF NEW-BRUNSWICK.

THE Special Committee of the "CHURCH SOCIETY," appointed at the last Annual Meeting, to confer with the LORD BISHOP of the Diocese, "on the subject of the Society's Constitution and "Operations, with power to call a special General "Meeting of the Society, should such a measure "be desirable in his Lordship's opinion"—having conferred with the Bishop, do hereby, with his sanction, call a Special General Meeting of the CHURCH SOCIETY, to be held on Tuesday, August 19th, instant, at half-past One o'clock, P. M., at the National School House in the City of St. John, at which Meeting his Lordship will preside. By order of the Committee.

FREDERICK COSTER,
Carleton, August 11th, 1845. *Secretary.*

[Chronicle, Courier.]

☞ NOTICE. ☜

ALL Persons are hereby cautioned against purchasing two Notes of Hand of £17 10s. each, drawn by the Subscriber, on or about the 13th day of December, 1844, in favour of one William Lee; the subscriber having received no value for the same. GEORGE CALHOON.
Hopewell, Westmoreland Co., July 25, 1845.

WHALE STOCK—25 Shares of the Mechanics' Whale Fishing Company Stock, for sale. Apply to GEO. THOMAS,
August 12. *Ward street.*

NOW LANDING—10 Tierces and 6 half do. RICE, 20 dozen PAILS, 5 bags Filberts—For sale by [Aug. 12.] JARDINE & CO.

FLOUR, CORN, &c.

Landing ex *Southerner*, from Philadelphia :—

1100 BUSHELS Round Yellow CORN;
250 brls. CORN MEAL;
120 ditto RYE FLOUR.

Ex *Martha Brae*, from Halifax :—
30 casks Pale SEAL OIL.

Ex *Boundary*, from New-York :—
100 bags CORN,
50 brls. and 25 half do. Genesee Superfine FLOUR.—For sale by JARDINE & CO.
August 12.

Mr. W. B. Kinnear's Office

IS in the Buildings next to the Mayor's Office in Prince William street. August 5.

M. Hayden

RETURNS his sincere thanks to those kind friends who so kindly assisted him in saving his furniture and effects from the late fire. He would at the same time beg leave to inform the public that he has removed his business to Mr. Merritt's Brick Building, Water street, directly over the store of W. P. Scott. Aug. 5.

Mechanics' Whale Fishing Company.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Annual Meeting of Stockholders in the Mechanics' Whale Fishing Company will be held in the St. John Hotel on Monday the first day of September next, between the hours of Twelve and Two o'clock, p. m., for the purpose of electing Seven Directors for the ensuing year. A statement of the affairs of the Company will be laid before the Meeting. THOS. NISBET, *President.*
St. John, N. B., 2d August, 1845.

TO LET.

SEVERAL ROOMS—*Suitable for Offices, &c.*, in the Brick Building corner of Prince William street and Market square.
August 5. JOHN KERR & CO.

FOR SALE.

THE Property near Reed's Point, formerly owned by John Kerr, Esq., adjoining the Widsall Steam Mill Property, having a front of 48½ feet on Prince William Street, and extending to low water mark, having upon it a convenient BRICK DWELLING HOUSE and Stable; the under part fronting on the wharf being calculated for storing Goods, and the wharf being substantial, and calculated for piling Deals and other Lumber upon it. Apply to F. A. KINNEAR,
Office—1st door, left hand, Sands' Arcade.
August 5.

Iron, Tin, Slates, and Oakum.

Landing ex "Wakefield," and for sale by the Subscriber.

10 TONS Swedish IRON, assorted;
200 bundles Round Iron—best refined, ⅜ to ¾ inch;
50 do. BLISTER STEEL,
60 do. SHEET IRON, assorted, No. 16 to 26;
15 pairs Forge BELLOWS, from 26 to 34 inch,
100 boxes TIN, assorted;
20 M. FIRE BRICKS; 5 tons OAKUM;
30 tons Queen Ton SLATES,
10 M. Countess do.;
100 tons Smith COAL.
Aug. 5. *WILLIAM CARVILL.*

The Subscribers have just received—

25 BARRELS Pale SEAL OIL;
15 tons first quality GUANO—in lots to suit purchasers;
50 brls. and half brls. Genessee S'fine FLOUR;
71 bags Round Yellow CORN;
2 tons *REDWOOD*,
25 jars and 50 bladders "Lorillards" *SNUFF*,
15 casks Cider VINEGAR.—For sale by
August 5. *JARDINE & CO.*

IRON.

PER Severn—Round, Square, and Flat IRON, sizes well assorted, which will be sold cheap.
Aug. 5. *ALLISON & SPURR.*

OLD PORT WINE.

PER Camnore—15 Cases Old PORT WINE, of superior quality, landing from the above vessel and for sale by *ALLISON & SPURR.*
August 5.

FLOUR.—*On Consignment*—200 brls. Superfine FLOUR; 44 do. Fine; 23 do. fine Middlings, now landing and will be sold cheap from the vessel. *GEO. THOMAS,*
July 29. Ward-street.

VINEGAR & CIDER.—Ex brig Calais from Philadelphia—15 brls. and 10 casks Pure Cider VINEGAR; 10 brls. Champagne CIDER.
GEO. THOMAS,
July 29. Ward street.

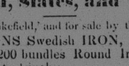
COFFEE—15 Bags superior old JAVA COFFEE, ex schr. *Margaret*, from Boston, for sale by
May 27. J. R. CRANE.

Educational Notice.

THE Grammar School Classes will resume their duties on MONDAY, the 4th of August next. Pupils in every stage of advancement can be admitted.

DR. PATERSON, the Principal of the School, can receive into his family a few Pupils as *Boarders*, on very reasonable terms.
St. John, July 29.

STEAM NOTICE.



THE Friday Trips of the Steamer to BOSTON will be discontinued after the 11th August.

The Steamer will continue to go to EASTPORT and BOSTON, on *Tuesdays*, as usual; and on *Fridays* to EASTPORT and ST. ANDREWS.
July 29. JAMES WHITNEY.

AUCTION SALES.

Teas, Wines, Brandy, &c.
BY AUCTION.

ON THURSDAY next, the 14th inst. at Eleven o'clock, at the subscriber's Warehouse—

30 SMALL Chests Fine Congou TEA;
1 Case India Silk HANDKERCHIEFS, a superior article,
10 bags COFFEE, 10 boxes STARCH,
20 boxes Cavendish TOBACCO,
A lot of CORKWOOD, about 40 cwt.

—ALSO—

5 hhds. Cognac BRANDY,
1 pipe and 2 quarter casks Old PORT WINE,
6 quarter casks Brown SHERRY,
20 barrels London Brown Stout.

Terms at Sale JOHN V. THURGAR.
August 12.

CHANCERY SALE.

For Sale, on FRIDAY, THE THIRD DAY OF OCTOBER next, at Three o'clock, P. M., with the approbation of the undersigned, one of the Masters of the Court of Chancery of this Province, at his Office, Prince William street, Saint John, by virtue of a decretal order made in the said Court, in a Cause wherein David J. Merritt is Complainant, and Margaret Johnston, Hugh Johnston, Henry H. Carmichael, and Ann Carmichael his wife, Charles Hugh Levinge, Ann Levinge, Barbara Levinge, John Johnston, Charles Johnston, and Margaret Johnston, Junior, are Defendants :—

ALL that certain Lot of LAND, situate, lying and being on the North side of the Public Landing Place in King's Ward in the City of Saint John, known and distinguished by the number Nine in a Plan of the Lots laid out at the said Landing Place, on file in the Office of the Common Clerk of the said City, beginning at the South East corner of Lot number Eight, described on the same Plan, thence running North fifty feet, thence running West thirty feet, thence running South fifty feet, thence running East thirty feet, forming a parallelogram of fifty by thirty feet.

The terms of sale will be liberal. Further particulars made known at the time of sale, or upon application to CHARLES JOHNSTON, Esquire, or at the Office of the undersigned. Dated 30th June, 1845. W. JACK, *Master in Chancery.*
J. M. ROBINSON, *Sol. for Compl't.*

IN BANKRUPTCY.

In the matter of HENRY BLAKSLEE, *of the City of Saint John, Merchant, late a Bankrupt.*

NOTICE is hereby given, That I appoint a General Meeting of the Creditors of the above named Bankrupt, to be held on Monday the eighteenth day of August next, at eleven of the clock in the forenoon on that day, at the Office of Mr. John C. Craigen, Provisional Assignee of the Estate and Effects of the said Bankrupt, in this City, for the purpose of taking into consideration the expediency of selling all the Interest which the Creditors have in the outstanding Debts due to the said Estate. Dated at the City aforesaid, this first day of July, A. D. 1845.

PETER STUBBS,
Commissioner of the Estate and Effects of Henry Blakslee.

Oranges, Rice, &c.

Landing ex ELEANOR JANE, from Boston :—

12 BOXES ORANGES,—in good order;
6 sacks *HAZEL NUTS*;
5 tierces Head RICE,
6 boxes Scythe STONES,
30 drums Turkey FIGS,...fresh.

JUST RECEIVED :

10 bags Havana COFFEE,
200 gallons Pale Seal Oil,
25 barrels Fine *NAVY BREAD*,
25 chests Fine *CONGO TEA*.

J. MACFARLANE,
August 5, 1844. *Market-square.*

ON CONSIGNMENT.

Flour, Corn Meal, Pork, & Tea.

Just Received—

Per Schooner *Southern*, from Philadelphia :—

150 BRLS. Superfine FLOUR;
456 do. CORN MEAL;
51 do. RYE FLOUR.

Per Schr. Julia Ann, from Philadelphia :—

30 barrels Mess PORK; 20 chests TEA,
20 half-chests do. do.; 20 boxes do. do.
50 barrels Superfine FLOUR.

Which will be sold cheap for Cash.
GEORGE THOMAS,
August 5. Ward-street.

Nails, Spikes, and Oatmeal.

Per ship "Asia," Hannah, Master, from Liverpool—*on Consignment :*

43 CASKS 6d'y to 20d'y fine wrought rose NAILS,
10 casks 5d'y, 8d'y, 9d'y, and 10d'y Horse do.
11 " 1¼ to 3 inch Boat do.
4 " 3d'y and 4d'y do. do.
4 " 2½ to 2¾ inch Sheathing do.
10 " 6 and 7 inch Deck SPIKES.

—ON HAND—

15 barrels Fresh Ground OATMEAL.
July 29. *H. G. KINNEAR.*

EDUCATION.

THE REV. JOHN GIBSON MACGREGOR begs leave most respectfully to intimate that his School will be reopened for the ensuing Term on Friday the 1st day of August next. Pupils will then be admitted to any of the Classes, and an opportunity will be further afforded to those who may wish to commence the study of the Latin, Greek, or French Languages, Geometry, Practical Mathematics or Algebra. Advanced Pupils will be regularly exercised in the principles and practice of English Composition.
St. John, 22d July, 1845.—3i.

☞ NOTICE. ☜

ALL Persons having any legal demands against the Estate of DANIEL CAMPBELL, late of the Parish of Sussex, King's County, Farmer, deceased, are requested to present the same, duly attested, to the subscribers, within Nine Months from the date hereof; and all those indebted to said Estate, are required to make immediate payment to

JOHN B. CAMPBELL,
DUNCAN B. CAMPBELL, } *Executors.*
Parish of Sussex, (K. C.) July 28, 1845.

RECEIVED,

Per ships Themis, Mariner, Thomas, and New Zealand—

14 CASKS HARDWARE,
1 cask HAIR and Hair Seating,
1 cask Brads and Tacks,
1 do. FILES; 2 do. CUTL