

THE QUEBEC TRANSCRIPT.

SHIPPING INTELLIGENCE.

The *Prince Regent* arrived at Newport from Quebec, on the 13th Dec.—decks swept, foremast sprung.

The *Ward*, Class, from Quebec, having experienced violent gales, became water logged on the 27th Nov. the crew took to the tops, from whence they were taken on the 29th, except a boy who fell overboard and was drowned, by the *Prince George*, Friend, from Quebec, spoken with by the *Mutine Packet*.

The Army.

Capt. Otway's Company of Royal Artillery arrived at Montreal on Thursday afternoon—destination, Kingston.

The detachment of the 53rd Highlanders, now in Montreal garrison, will proceed this week to join the head quarters of the Regiment at Toronto.

Augmented Drafts of the 30th, 37th and 99th Regiments, were to embark at Cove for Halifax instead of the West Indies, for which they had been previously ordered.

From the *West Indian*, October 22.

Military Executions.—Agreeable to the sentence of a Court Martial, held upon Private Michael Kennedy, of the 30th Regiment, for attempting to shoot Captain Nugent, an officer of the same Regiment. This unfortunate man was executed on Saturday morning last, between the hours of seven and eight o'clock, with the customary forms observed upon such solemn occasions. At half past six o'clock, detachments of the 74th, 30th, and 1st West India Regiments, were drawn up in a list square on the ground adjoining Camp Fort (or Gray's) and the burial ground being opposite. Preparations shortly after commenced for moving the prisoner from the condemned cell—he was brought out with his hands cuffed on in the following procession then slowly moved on in the following order:

- The Military Provost, (with a Brace of Pistols)
- The Drum Major,
- Staff reversed.
- The Band of the 30th Regiment playing Dead March in Soul.
- THE COFFIN,
- Borne by four Military Labourers,
- Corporal and Military Labourers.
- CATHOLIC PRIEST with book, PRISONER in fervent prayer, SERGEANT with book.
- Guard of Eight Men and Corporal, with Fixed Bayonets.

The procession marched on in the same order from the cell, passed to the public road, down the hill, to the ground occupied by the several detachments, and then moved on behind the square, in the same order and slow motion on the path leading to the centre of the hollow square, the 2nd and 3rd Regiments proceeded to read the proceedings of the Court martial, the sentence and confirmation of them by the Lieutenant General Commanding the Troops, which having been completed the procession moved round the face of the square—the prisoner, on coming to his company, stopped and addressed them. The purport of his address we could not hear, not a single civilian being allowed to be near, but we were told by a respectable authority that it was to this effect, beseeching them to take warning by the scene which they were then about to witness in his execution, abstaining to rash act for which he was about to suffer, to drinking, and that too, the 'nasty white ram', obtained in the country. Having concluded the march round, the procession moved towards the grave, where the coffin had been previously carried. The prisoner knelt on his coffin, and the guard retired, leaving the Priest and the Provost. Prayers having been concluded, the Priest left, the prisoner's eyes were bound, and the Provost came in front and beckoned to the firing party which amounted to twenty-four men, came within twelve paces of the prisoner: the fatal preparations being concluded, twenty men fired, striking the prisoner in the stomach and the abdomen, and he fell full length on the ground. The *Legs*, Provost, and military labourers immediately came up, and having taken the unfortunate man out of the grave, the Provost discharged one of his pistols in his ear, and the reserve party (4 men) also fired at him.

The firing party still remained in their position until orders were given to fall into single file, and march towards the body with 'eyes right' which they did as follows—

- The Royal Artillery,
 - 74th Regiment,
 - 1st West India Regiment,
 - Military Labourers,
 - Escort in charge of Prisoner,
 - Col. Maxwell, Major Cross, and the Staff Officers were in attendance.
- The Firing Party closed the Rear and the Troops marched into quarters.

MARRIED.

At Montreal, on Saturday evening, the 20th inst., by the Rev. Dr. Black, Mr. John Bess, to Margaret, widow of the late Mr. William Gay, and eldest daughter of the late Andrew White, Esq.

DIED.

On Monday morning, aged 10 months, the infant son of the Rev. George Cowell, Chaplain to the Forces.

On Monday morning, Mr. Thomas Hackett, of this city, aged 90, succumbed to his infirmities, which he bore with christian fortitude.

On Saturday morning, aged 12 weeks, Crawford, son of William Burns Lindsay, Esq. Clerk of the Special Council.

On Saturday last, after a lingering illness, Mr. Pierre Desjardis, aged 60 years.

On Friday last, at the General Hospital of Quebec, Bernard Gerard, aged 54 years.

At London, U.C., on the 18th January, Colonel the Honourable JOHN MACKAY, of the 32nd Regiment. Col. Mackay, we learn had been indisposed for some time previous to his lamented death; and there is reason to believe, that the cold and fatigues

which he endured, during the attack upon the American Brigades, at Point au Pelée Island, 1838, acting on a frame enfeebled by wounds, received in the service of his country, and consequent debility, produced the complaint which carried him to his grave. These, combined with the total want of comfort in the quarters occupied last winter by the Regiment, and the incessant attention paid by Col. Mackay to his military duties, on a distracted frontier, must have hastened an event, which all who knew him, from his Excellency the Commander of the Forces, to the humblest private in the 32nd Regiment, unite in deploring.

Colonel Mackay was a son of the Earl of Landelide; and entered the Army early in life; but at what period we are unable at present to state. It will be sufficient to say, that he commanded the 32nd Regiment for upwards of twenty years—a period of command almost unexampled in the British Army. But his length of service as Colonel of the 32nd Regiment, could only be equalled by the demeanor of Colonel Mackay as a Commanding Officer and a soldier. He never, for a moment, neglected or overlooked his duty in any station or capacity; and nothing reflects greater credit on his memory, than the almost filial attachment borne towards him by the Officers and men of the Regiment, who esteemed him with the veneration of a father, and obeyed his commands with the cordial and affectionate obedience of dutiful children. Nor did the civility and kindness of manners which won the high regard of those who served under him, derogate from his authority, dignity, and strictness as an officer, which is a convincing proof, which is well observed in the General's Order announcing his death, is that kind and conciliatory manner are not incompatible with the exercise of the most strict command. We regret that our time will not admit of doing full justice to the character of Colonel Mackay, and to his long and distinguished services to his country. We cannot, however, close this hasty sketch in more appropriate terms than by observing, that Col. Mackay lived the life of a brave and highly esteemed soldier, so died deeply lamented by all, who could duly appreciate his many virtues which constitute so estimable a character.—*Montreal Gazette*.

At Halifax, on Wednesday evening, the 16th Jan., Joseph G. wife of the late Sergeant Howell, Royal Artillery, aged 46—leaving five children to lament the loss of a fond and affectionate mother.

At Toronto, on the 21st instant, Phebe Ann Tisdale, wife of Mr. R. A. Goodenough, aged 23.

WANTED IMMEDIATELY,

BY THE YEAR, FURNISHED LODGINGS, in a quiet house, either with or without board. Apply at this Office. Queb. 30th January, 1839.

AUCTION SALE.

On SATURDAY NEXT, the 2nd of Feby. at the Landing Place, in the Lower Town, Market.

ALL THE EFFECTS of the late NATHANIEL MACINTYRE, Joiner, among which are two Chests of Tools, two Benches with screws, a Grindstone, Window Sashes, inside Shutters, Doors and Scantling, a Mahogany Writing Desk, Cases of Drawing Instruments, Architectural and other Books of value; a first-rate Silver Watch, Boots, Fur Caps, and other Wearing Apparel, &c. Terms Cash—Sale at 10 o'clock. Wm. HAMILTON, A. & B. Quebec, 30th Jan. 1839.

FOR SALE BY THE SUBSCRIBER, Corner of St. John and St. Stanislaus Streets, 300 MINOTS Marrowfat and Boiling PEASE,

- 100 Barrels American Apples,
- 50 Dozen Superior Cider,
- 1 Ton Prime American Cheese,
- A Small Lot of Oranges.

ALSO, London Porter, Cognac Brandy, Holland Gin, Virgin Honey, Irish Pork, Flour, Oatmeal, Pot and Pearl Barley, London and Montreal Candles, Wax and Spermaceti Candles, English Soap, Lemon Syrup, Oils, Wines, &c. &c. &c. THOMAS BICKELL. Queb. c. 26th Jan. 1839.

THE highest price given for all kinds of OLD ROPE, by THOMAS COOK, Quebec, 26th January, 1839. Guel.

FOR SALE,

BY THE SUBSCRIBER—130 BOXES ENGLISH SOAP, 50 do. Candles. 30 Barrels Apples (Fameuse), 5 Boxes Sweet Spice Zealand Chocolate, —ALSO—Muscatel, Valencia, and Sultana Raisins, Z. to Currants, Almonds, Spanish Grapes, Citron, Lemon and Orange Peels, Nutmegs, Mace, Cloves, Cinnamon, Macerons, Vermacilli, Spices, Candles, and Candle Ornaments, French Olives, Waxes, Mustard Pickles and Sauces, &c. &c. W. LECHÉMINANT. 31st Dec. No. 1, Fabrique Street

GEORGE HANN, FURRIER, *Haute Joseph Street.*

EARNESTLY requests those who are indebted to him to make immediate payment; and those to whom he is indebted, to present their accounts for liquidation,—as he is about to leave the Province. Quebec, 12th January, 1839.

SUPERIOR BOTTLED SODA WATER, MANUFACTURED AND SOLD BY MUSSON & SAVAGE.

MOFFAT'S LIFE PILLS & PHENIX BATTERS, FOR SALE BY MUSSON & SAVAGE.

SWAIM'S CELEBRATED PANACEA, FOR SALE BY MUSSON & SAVAGE. Chemists and Druggists.

MADEIRA WINE. A FEW CASKS Howard, March & Co.'s A MADEIRA WINE—price £70 per pipe of 110 gallons—for sale by JOHN GORDON & CO. St. Paul Street. Quebec, May, 1838.

CALEDONIA SPRINGS.

TESTIMONIALS. I HEREBY certify, that I have been acquainted with the medicinal virtues of the Caledonia Springs, for the last ten or twelve years, during which period I have known numerous instances of the efficacy of those waters in various kinds of disease. In particular, the most obstinate cases of dyspepsia have been radically cured by the use of the waters; of which my own individual case is a striking example; and I have not known a single case of failure in this particular. These Springs also possess powers of the highest order, in renovating impaired constitutions, and restoring the tone of the system where it has been deranged by warm climates, improper diet, or any other injurious cause. DAVID PATTEE, Judge of the Surrogate Court, District of Ottawa. West Hawkesbury, U. C. August 11th, 1836.

It is with the greatest pleasure that I can testify to the inestimable qualities of the Caledonia Springs, at which place I arrived on the 1st of August 1837, completely crippled with the Rheumatism and suffering for several weeks previous to my leaving Montreal the most acute pains and prostration of strength. I have used the waters freely, both by drinking and showering for fifteen days, and the result has been satisfactory in the highest degree. I therefore recommend them to suffering humanity, as being in my humble opinion, (from what I have seen and experienced) the most valuable medicinal waters in America; and I have only to add my regret, that they are not known to thousands of invalids, who by visiting the waters, or partaking of them, might be restored to health as I have been. THOS. NEAGLE. Caledonia, 16th Aug. 1837.

GREEN LINE OF STAGES.

THE undersigned respectfully inform their friends and the public generally, that they have begun running their GREEN LINE OF STAGES, BETWEEN QUEBEC AND MONTREAL, and hope that their care and experience will merit them a portion of public encouragement. As they have made arrangements with persons fully competent and deserving of confidence, the distance will be run in two days. The Stages will leave Quebec and Montreal every Tuesday, Thursday & Saturday, at Six o'clock precisely, and will stop at Three-Rivers, at the house of Mme. Ostrom, and at Bethier, at the house of Mr. Frs. Harnois. Covered carriages will also be in readiness to leave at any time, to meet public convenience. Parcels will be forwarded at low rates. MICHEL GAUVIN, Quebec. TIMOTHÉE MARCOTTE, Montreal. Quebec, 13th Decr. 1838.

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PUBLIC NOTICE.

FROM 1 to 3000 Bushels Superior TURNIPS, Red, White, and Yellow, for Sale at 1s. 3d. per Bushel, delivered in any part of the town. Apply to SAMUEL TOZER, No. 1, Upper Town Market. Quebec, 10th November.

POTATOES.

FOR SALE IN LOTS TO SUIT PURCHASERS, 3000 BUSHELS excellent Montreal Potatoes, just arrived on board the barge "Favorite," at Hunt's Wharf. Apply on board or to CREELMAN & LEPPER, 10th November.

FOR SALE BY THE SUBSCRIBERS: SIX HUNDRED MINOTS PEAS, 50 cwt. Ship Biscuit, 20 bbls. Boston Crackers, 50 kegs Butter, 30 casks Salad Oil, 40 casks Hull Cement, Green and Blue Paint. CREELMAN & LEPPER.

MAISH'S COMPOUND WHITE ELDER CERATE.

A most extraordinary and efficacious remedy for Burns, Scalds, Wounds, Ulcers, Boils, Chilblains, Tumours, Scorbuts, Eruptions, or other similar complaints. Sold in Pots, at 1s. 9d. and 4s. each.

MAISH'S BOTANIC CORN PLAISTER.

AN inestimable remedy, highly approved and recommended for the speedy removal of Corns and Bunions, merely by the application of the Plaister. Sold in boxes at 1s. 9d. each.

MAISH'S CARAWAY CANDY.

TO those who are afflicted with Flatulency, Spasms, Vind in the Stomach, and other similar disorders, it will be found an invaluable specific. It also unites the most agreeable confection with the most stimulating stomach medicines. Sold in boxes at 1s. 9d. each. Testimonials of the above Medicines to be seen at the stores of BEGG & URQUHART. Quebec, 24th November, 1838.

CHAMPAGNE, CHABLIS, AND BURGUNDY WINES.

THE Subscriber having been appointed by Messrs. DAMOTTE & CHEVALIER, of Tonnerre, Agent for the sale of their WINES in this City, invites the attention of the public to a consignment just received. JOHN YOUNG, St. Peter Street. Quebec, 2nd Oct. 1838.

THE Subscribers have just received a large supply of the following celebrated Medicines, viz:

- OLDRIDGE'S BALM OF COLUMBIA,
- HAY'S LINIMENT for Piles, Rheumatism, &c.
- HEADACHE REMEDY.

A fresh supply of MOFFAT'S LIFE PILLS and PHENIX BATTERS. BEGG & URQUHART, 13, St. John Street, and 8, Notre Dame St., L. 5th October.

NEW CONFECTIONARY STORE

No. 62, ST. JOHN STREET. THE Subscribers most respectfully intimate to their friends and the public at large, that they have always on hand a choice assortment of Fresh Cakes and Confectionary, as usual. SCOTT & M'CONKEY, Quebec, 1st May, 1838.

RECENTLY RECEIVED AND FOR SALE

SALMON, in hardwood Tierces and Barrels. Dry Codfish; and Cod and Seal Oil, in Barrels. EBENEZER BAIRD. Quebec, 6th Oct. 1838.

FOR SALE.

THIRTEEN Hogheads superior U.C. Leaf Tobacco, 100 Catty Boxes Young Hyson } 10 Chests Souchong } 10 Half Chests do. } 2 Boxes Pouchong } Tab. Pork—Mess, Prime Mess and Prime. And daily expected, 16 hhd. Gallipoli Oil. HENDERSONS & CO. 30th October. St. Peter Street