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APRIL 1826.	Rises	Sets	u. & s.	FULL SEA.
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20 THURSDAY	12	48	5 9	10 85
21 FRIDAY	19	50	6 27	11 18
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23 SUNDAY	7	53	9 5	0 49
24 MONDAY	6	54	10 15	1 32
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Full Moon, 22d 3h. 2m. morning.

NOTICE.

THE term of Co-partnership between the Subscribers under the Firm of ROBINSON & THURGAR, will expire on the 31st day of March next. All Persons having demands against said Firm, are requested to present them for Settlement, and those indebted to make immediate payment.

GEO. D. ROBINSON,
JOHN V. THURGAR.

WANTED,

A JOURNEYMAN BAKER, a Steady man capable of taking charge of a Bake-house, will meet with constant employ and good wages. Also an Apprentice.—Apply to
STEPHEN HUMBERT.
June 14, 1825.

ON SALE,

30 PUNCHONS Superior Demerara MOLASSES,
100 Bbls. full MACKAREL,
Just received per Schr. Spring Bird from Halifax.
Feb. 7. **I. & J. G. WOODWARD.**

CONTRACT.

Wanted by the Committee for Building the **STREAM-BOAT,** to ply in the Bay of Fundy, the Frame of the said Vessel to be delivered in the Harbour of Saint John, consisting of the Floors and first and second Footbooks of Birch and Spruce of natural growth.
ALSO.—A quantity of Red Pine and HACKMACK TIMBER for the upper works of the same.
Persons desirous of Contracting for the above are requested to leave Sealed Tenders at the Counting House of Messrs. CROOKSHANK & JOHNSON, where specifications and further particulars may be obtained.
St. John, 29th Nov. 1825.

JUST PUBLISHED

AND FOR SALE AT THE BOOK-STORES AND PRINTING OFFICES,
A SHEET ALMANACK
FOR THE YEAR 1826.

FOR SALE.

THE Lease of a Lot of LAND, situated in Carmarthen Street, Lower Cove, being 42 1/2 by 50 feet, rent £3 4s. per annum.—Sixteen years of the Lease are yet unexpired. On the Lot is a two story Dwelling House, partly finished.
ALSO:—The lease of Three lots Nos. 38, 39, and 40, in St. Andrews Street, Lower Cove, being 90 by 120 feet, fourteen years of which are unexpired, annual rent £7 8s. The above will be sold low, by immediate application to
BETSEY BREMNER,
Admr'x. to Estate of late J. C. F. Bremner.
Nov. 1.

THE SUBSCRIBER

Has for Sale at his Tan Work, Saint James' Street, Lower Cove, and at his Store adjoining Mr. CHARLES RAYMOND, North Market Wharf.

A GENERAL ASSORTMENT OF LEATHER,

Of Superior quality, cheap for Cash.
J. MOFFAT.
N. B. BOOTS and SHOES, warranted.—
WOOL from 1s. 4d. to 1s. 8d. per lb.
A Journeyman wanted.
August 20.

Administration Notices.

ALL Persons having any legal demands against the Estate of ALEXANDER EDMONDS, late of this City Merchant, deceased, are hereby notified to present the same for settlement within TWELVE MONTHS from the date hereof; and those indebted to said Estate, are requested to make immediate payment to
JOHN WISHART,
WILLIAM BLACK, } Executors.
August 20.

ALL Persons having any legal demands against the Estate of THOMAS HANFORD, Esquire, late of this City, Merchant, deceased, are requested to present the same, duly attested, within SIX MONTHS; and all those indebted, are desired to make immediate payment to
THOMAS T. HANFORD,
Sole Administrator.
St. John, Feb. 4.

ALL Persons having any just demands against the Estate of MUNSON JARVIS, late of this City, Esq. deceased, are requested to present the same within TWELVE MONTHS from this date; and those indebted to make immediate payment to
ROBERT F. HAZEN,
WILLIAM SCOVIL, } Executors.
Oct. 14.

ALL Persons having any legal demands against the Estate of JOHN GRIFFITHS, late of this City, deceased, are requested to present the same duly attested within Three Months, and all those indebted are desired to make immediate payment to
ANN GRIFFITHS,
Sole Executrix.
March 21.

NOTICE.

THE Subscriber requests all persons having any demands against him, to present them; and all persons indebted are requested to make payment, or give satisfactory Notes without further delay.
THOMAS PADDOCK.
Dec. 20.

JAMES M'WATT,

HAS received per late arrivals from Britain, a very select assortment of British GOODS, which he is now opening for Sale, (for Cash only or short Credit,) at the Store recently occupied by Mr. James Whitney, Market Square.
Nov. 1, 1825.

The Subscriber,

Offers for Sale on liberal Terms—
BRITISH MERCHANDISE, consisting in part of steam loom and other Shirtings; cambric, jaconet, book, mull, and other Muslins; printed Calicoes; Bombazines; Bombazetts; Manchester-Stripes and Plaids; Courtets; silk and worsted Shawls, Scarfs and Handkerchiefs; Irish Linens; superfine and common Cloths and Cassimeres; Flannels; Blankets from 6-4 to 11-4.
ALSO—
Hollands GIN, in Hogsheads,
High proof Jamaica RUM,
Prime Mess PORK and BEEF,
Superfine and Scratched FLOUR, &c.
August 16. **SAMUEL STEPHEN.**

CHEAP GOODS,

BY the recent arrivals from London, Liverpool and Greenock, the Subscribers have received a large assortment of BRITISH GOODS, which along with their former stock including West India and American GOODS, they are now selling at very low rates for Cash, or other approved payments.
G. MATTHEW, & Co.
Who have for sale clear and other LUMBER, as usual. June 28.

JOHN HOLMAN,

Ship and Anchor Smith, Donaldson's Wharf, GRATEFUL for the encouragement received in the line of his Profession, begs leave to return his unfeigned thanks for the same, and informs them that having employed Workmen well acquainted with their Business, will in addition to the above, carry on the *White Smith Business*.—Locks, Grates, Stoves and Stove Pipes, made and repaired on the shortest notice; Nails Bolts and Bolts neatly hung; Brands and Stamps cut to any size; Guss repaired in the best manner; Truss Springs made to any size.
N. B.—He has also commenced the BLOCK, PUMP and SPAR Making Business, and will complete all the above articles with Iron Work if required.
January 25, 1825.

For Sale by Private Contract.

THE good Schooner EXPERIMENT, laying at Waterbery's Wharf. Burthen per register 68 Tons. She is 2 1/2 years old, is built of Yellow Birch and Hackmatack, which had been docked 7 years previous to its being put together; is well found and fit for sea, having a suit of Sails new last Fall, a good Hemp and a Chain Cable, &c.
For other particulars apply to
SAMUEL STEPHEN.
October 25,

FOR SALE.

IF IMMEDIATELY APPLIED FOR
100 C CHALDRONS best Liverpool
Smithy COAL,
5 Tons Oakum,
3 Do. Copper,
20 Do. Iron and Spikes,
100 Barrels PORK.
R. RANKIN, & Co.
December 13.

To be Sold or Let.

And possession given 1st May next.
THE Premises belonging to the late firm of M'Leod, Robertson, & Co. at present in the possession of James Robertson, & Co. on Pagan's Wharf, (so called.) They consist of two Lots of Ground, each thirty feet fronting on the Wharf and Slip, by thirty eight feet back. On the western Lot there is an excellent Store, the second Floor of which is fitted up with shelves, &c. as a Dry Good Store, and also a Counting Room; On the other Lot, there is a good Bridge substantially fenced in and well adapted for all the purposes of a Lumber Yard.—The whole forming one of the most eligible and convenient situations in the City for any person engaged in the general business of the Country. For further particulars application may be made to Alexander M'Leod, Esq. of the Subscriber on the Premises,
Jan. 24. **JAMES ROBERTSON.**

NOTICE.

THE Co-Partnership lately subsisting between the Subscribers, under the Firm of RANKINE & BERRYMAN, Bakers, is this day dissolved by mutual consent.
THOMAS RANKINE,
JOHN BERRYMAN.
St. John, September 24

NOTICE.

AS the Firm of MUNSON & WILLIAM JARVIS, will be closed in April next, in consequence of the death of MUNSON JARVIS, all persons having any demands against the said Firm, are requested to present the same within the above mentioned time; and those indebted to make immediate payment to
WILLIAM JARVIS, Surviving Partner.
St. John, 24th Dec. 1825.

CHAIR MANUFACTORY.

THE Subscriber returns his unfeigned thanks to the Public for past favours, and begs leave to inform them, that he still continues the above Business at his old stand in the Parish of Portland, where may be had an extensive assortment of
Fancy and Windsor Chairs,
As also an Assortment of
CABINET FURNITURE,
AND SPINNING WHEELS
* * * TURNING in all its various branches executed at the shortest notice.
Jacob Townsend.
St. John, July 15, 1823.

COPPER.

THE Subscriber has for Sale 1/2 1 1/2 inch Bolt COPPER. **WM. BARR, Jun.**
January 31.

WILLIAM BARR, JUN.

FALL GOODS,

Consisting of—
PLAIN, Figured and Striped Bombazetts, Carolina Checks and Stripes, Flushing, Superfine, Fine, Forrest and Pelisse Cloths, Hosiery, White and striped Shirting Cotton, Twilled Cotton, Scotch Homespun, Apron Checks, Camblet, Tartan Plaids, Pios, Tapes, Cotton Reals, Mens', Youths', and Womens' Shoes, Gentlemen's Boots, Cases Mens' and Youths' Hats, assorted Calicoes and Furnitior Cotton, Black Silk and Cotton Handkerchiefs, Window Glass, Writing and Wrapping Paper &c. which with his former stock comprises a very general assortment
Also on hand
Cognac Brandy, Hollands Gin,
A few gallons fine flavoured Whiskey,
Earthenware, Soap and Candles,
Iron Round, Flat and Square, Steel,
Cordage, Newcastle fine Coal for Smiths,
Which he will sell on moderate terms for approved payment.
Flannels and Blankets daily expected.
29th November.

The Subscriber

BEGS leave to inform his Friends and the Public, that he has removed to Nelson street in Mr. M'Kee's Property, where he carries on CONFECTIONARY and PASTRY, in all its branches, he has on hand a Supply of good SPIRITS and WINES, with Fine and Common Cordial, at a low price.
N. B. Genteel Board and Lodging.
June 22. **JAMES BUIST.**

BLANKS of various kinds for Sale at this Office.

To the Admirers of Fashionable Dress.

JOHN SHAW,
TAILOR & LADIES HABIT MAKER
FROM LONDON,

RESPECTFULLY informs the Ladies and Gentlemen of St. John and its vicinity, that he has commenced the above business in Dock-street, opposite to the residence of the Hon. William Black, where all orders, he may be executed with, shall be punctually attended to, and executed in the first style of workmanship.
Ladies Habits and Pelisses, ornamented; for which J. S. has a variety of newest and most fashionable patterns for inspection.
N. B.—J. S. when Leaving London made such arrangements with his correspondent, that he will be supplied, with the newest fashions immediately on their appearance. Naval and Military uniforms made in the newest fashion.
February 14.

THE SUBSCRIBER

Has received per late arrivals, part of his Fall Supply of
GOODS,
Which with his former Stock, he offers low for Cash.
R. MACINTYRE.
Nov. 22.

THE SUBSCRIBERS,

HAVE JUST RECEIVED ON CONSIGNMENT,
100 B BARRELS Quebec PORK,
200 do. FLOUR,
20 do. BEEF,
which are offered for Sale at the lowest rates.
Oct. 4th. **BOWMAN & WHEELER.**

GLASSWARE.

THE Subscriber has received on Consignment 4 Casks GLASSWARE, assorted, suitable for Apothecaries, which he will sell low for Cash.
Jan. 31. **WILLIAM BARR, Jun.**

NOTICE,

THE Business heretofore carried on by the Subscribers, under the firm of Fowler & Ketchum, is this day dissolved, in terms of the contract of Co-partnership.
All persons having any demands against said firm, are particularly requested to render their accounts within six months from this date, and all who are indebted will please, without delay, pay their respective balances to James H. Fowler, who is authorised to settle and discharge the same.
JAMES H. FOWLER,
ISAAC KETCHUM.
St. John, Sept. 6, 1825.

Spring Goods.

Received per Woodman.
FASHIONABLE assorted Furniture, and Linc Caskets, Blue, Black, Superfine Broad and Plain Cloths; Steam and Power Loom Cottons Britannia Handkerchiefs; cheap for Cash, at JOHN KERR'S
April 19. Auction-Room

NEW STORE.

E. KERWICK.
RESPECTFULLY informs the Inhabitants of St. John, that She is now opening in the House lately occupied by Miss CAMPBELL, opposite to the Bank, her Fall supply of Fashionable GOODS, among which are—
Ladies black and drab Beaver Bonnets trimmed and plain, black, white and drab color'd ostrich Plumes, pelisse Cloths, Ladies Napt Cloth Cloaks, Bombazines, Crapes, Silks, Satins, and Ribbons, Flush Edgings, Bands, Gilt Clasps, and Slides.—An assortment of FURS, comprising
Muffs, Tippets, and Trimmings.
Ladies white and colored Stays, Boots, white and black satin Shoes, plain and figured Bobbinets, Lace Veils, Caps, Flowers, shell side and braid Combs, pearl Beads, silk and cotton Hosiery, Ladies' and Gentlemen's lined kid and beaver Gloves, Ladies long and short white kid and cambric Gloves, fancy Neckkerchiefs, sewing silk, cotton, Scissors, Silver Thimbles, Needles, patent Soap, work Boxes, Reticules, Nail Hair, and Tooth Brushes—an assortment of handsome Toys, &c.
November 22.

TO BE LET—The third Story of the Brick Building, belonging to the Subscriber, on the South side of the Market Square. The building is considered to be fire-proof, the situation is most eligible for an Office or private Counting Room. For particulars, inquire of
CHARLES J. PETERS.
Feb. 8, 1825.

FOR SALE.

THE Lease of Lot No. 3, Carmarthen Street, Lower Cove, with the COTTAGE thereon, at present occupied by S. HUYSON, Esq. Possession to be given on 1st May next. For particulars please apply at this office.
January 24.

WANTED.

A PERSON as Master workmen to take charge of the building of a Vessel.
Inquire of
PETERS & DE BLOIS.
March 14.

SCOTLAND. CURRENCY.

On the subject of the proposed change of the Scottish Banking System, we have been much pleased with an article in the last Edinburgh Weekly Journal. It is said to be by Sir Walter Scott, and is marked throughout by a rich vein of ridicule, and of apposite and forcible illustration.

"In Scotland, he says 'not a shadow of abuse prevailed' but 'the Green Isle it seems was of the mind of a celebrated lady of quality, who being about to have a decayed tooth drawn, refused to submit to the operation, till she had seen the dentist extract a sound and servicable grinder from the jaws of her waiting woman;'"

"A law might be as well made by which Scotchmen for uniformity's sake should not eat oatmeal because it is found to give Englishmen the heartburn. 'If (he remarks) an ordinance prohibiting the oat-cake, for uniformity's sake, our moors and uplands shall henceforth bear the purest wheat, I for one have no objection to the regulation."

"But this is not all. The principle of 'uniformity of laws' if not manfully withstood, may have other blessings in store. Suppose, that when finished with blistering Scotland while she is in perfect health, England should find time and courage to withdraw the veil from the deep cancer which is gnawing her own bowels, and attempt to stop the fatal progress of her poor rats."

"Once more;—what if the English ministers should feel disposed to extend to us their equitable system of process respecting civil debt, which divides the advantage so admirably betwixt debtor and creditor; that equal dispensation of justice, which provides that an imprisoned debtor, if a rogue may remain in undisturbed possession of a great landed estate, and enjoy in a jail all the luxuries of Sardanapalus, while the wretch he owes money to, is starving; and that a creditor, if cruel, may retain a debtor in prison for a life time, and make, as the established phrase goes, dice of his bones. Would this admirable reciprocity of privilege to knave and tyrant, please Saunders better than his own humane action of Cassio and his equitable process of adjudication?"

EDINBURGH, March 4. Distress in Scotland.—For some days past the mass of misery has been daily added to in Paisley. The manufacturers are throwing off their hands every hour. In Ayr, Newton, and Preswick there are from 1000 to 1200 weavers—one third of these are unemployed—and the earnings of the other 2-3 do not exceed from 5s. to 10s. per week.

Court of Exchequer.—On the 19th ult. John Black of Avonfield, near Linlithgow, calico printer, was convicted in the penalty of £10,000 for defrauding Government in the duty on printed goods to a considerable amount. The fraud was effected in consequence of the excise officers after stamping the defendant's webs, giving the stamp to a boy to wash, who, instead of washing it, took it to the defendant in a private place, where he used it very liberally, and has exported the webs so fraudulently marked; but the marks were found in the excise warehouse at Glasgow, where they are cut off on exportation. The defendant obtained the drawback on the goods which had paid no duty.

MISCELLANY.

It is a curious story, that a certain doctor, having purchased his diploma, in the course of a ride through Aberdeen, desired his man John, when waiting at dinner, not to forget his new dignity, whenever he addressed him. "Now, master," replied John, "if to be as how you don't forget mine," showing him at the same time his doctor's degree, which he had purchased in imitation of his master.

The fellow swallowed the whole contents of the tankard, then coolly said to his wife, "I own, Sir, I have lost the wager, here's my penny!" A very equivocal announcement appears on a sign-board between Stanley-Bridge and Dunkenfield, which to a man of weak nerves would be truly alarming; it is, "Bleeding with Leeches and Barial Suits made here!" Whether there be any necessary connexion between these operations we know not; but in this instance, they seem to stand naturally in the relation of cause and effect.

A poor Irishman applied to a magistrate for a summons against a person for detaining a bundle of clothes. When the summons was filling up, the man rapped, in answer to a question from the clerk, "What is the man's name that keeps your bundle?" "He's a woman, please your honor."

THE STAR.

Saint John, Tuesday, April 18. ARRIV. MAILS. ENGLISH for Feb. and March. HALIFAX, by the Land route. DITTO via Digby.

Bank of New Brunswick.

DIRECTOR for the Week. H. Gilbert, Esq. DISCOUNT DAY. THURSDAY. Usual Hours of Business.—from 10 to 3. On Wednesdays.—from 11 to 3. Bills or Notes for Discount, should be lodged with the Cashier on TUESDAY.

NOTICE is hereby given, that agreeably to a Resolution of the Directors, the Bank will not, between this date and 1st May next, Discount any Bill or Note that will not become payable on or before the 3rd day of May next, (days of grace included.) And that after the 1st of May next, no Bill or Note dated before that day, shall be Discounted.

JOHN ROBINSON, President. March 10, 1826.

DIVIDEND of six per cent. on the Capital Stock, for the Half-year ending 31st March, 1826; Also, a Dividend of the Premium obtained by the sale of New Stock, amounting to Twenty-two Pounds, Twelve Shillings Sixpence, per cent. will be paid to the Stockholders, on or after the 12th instant.

JOHN ROBINSON, President. March 10, 1826.

THE Annual General Meeting of the Stockholders for the choice of Directors for the ensuing year, will be held at the Bank on Monday the 1st May next.

JOHN ROBINSON, President, April 11, 1826.

Savings' Bank.

MANAGERS FOR THE WEEK. James Cudlip, George D. Robinson. Bank Hours.—Every Monday, from 10 to 12 o'clock. Amount deposited Yesterday, £ 24 13 2

MARINE INSURANCE OFFICE.

Committee of Directors for the Week. William Black, Hugh Johnston, James Ewing. Office Hours.—12 to 3.

The latest advices, England inform us that the gloom which so lately shrouded the genius of Commerce, begins gradually to disappear; hope and confidence assume again their legitimate station, and we trust that guided by the dictates of wisdom the pains of disappointment and misfortune will soon be alleviated, and busy industry again meet with cheering encouragement.

We copy the following from the New York Albion. Numerous arrivals from England have put us in possession of London papers to the 9th ult. from which we learn, with unfeigned pleasure, that the commercial distress was in some degree alleviated, and that the funds, which were on the 15th of Feb. 74, had advanced to 78 and a fraction.

We have occupied to-day a large part of our paper with the debate in the House of Commons on the measures brought forward by Ministers for the relief of the Country—satisfied that, out of the mass of intelligence which the late arrivals have brought us, we could select nothing of more importance to our countrymen, or of more general interest to the mercantile public at large. The speech of the Right Hon. the Chancellor of the Exchequer, takes a wide and comprehensive view of the money and banking systems of the country; and the reply of Mr. Canning refutes most triumphantly the statements enforced by Mr. Baring, that the Bank of England owes its present embarrassments to its connexion with the government. The overwhelming majority that appeared on submitting the question to the sense of the House, is sufficiently indicative that the late events have not weakened the confidence of Parliament in these illustrious men who guide the affairs of the nation; and proves, moreover, that the bills will most assuredly pass.

The Measures brought forward by Ministers, as is stated in another part of our Paper are—First, to substitute a metallic for a paper currency, by refusing to stamp any more bank notes under the denomination of £5, and to prohibit their circulation altogether in England after the 5th of April, 1829; the same system hereafter to be extended to Scotland and Ireland if practicable. Secondly, to abridge so much of the privileges of the Bank of England as to permit Banks to be established having more than six partners at a distance of 55 miles from London.

These measures, it will be perceived, are not intended to give any instant relief to the money market—they are intended to work that gradual change in the currency of the kingdom, which will bring about that healthful, permanent and stable action which the present Ministers have been some years labouring to produce; for it should be recollected that a Government has more than once endeavoured to annihilate the 1 and 2 pound note system, as dangerous to the safety of the community, but were, unfortunately, not able to effect this salutary regulation from the pressing remonstrances of the monied and banking interests. The public, however, were not satisfied with a mode of relief so slow in its progress, and accordingly a meeting

was called at the Mansion-House, and a deputation appointed to wait on the Earl of Liverpool, to solicit government to make advances upon goods by issue of exchequer bills, as was done in 1793 and 1811, periods of similar national calamity. His Lordship received the deputation courteously, but referred them to the Bank of England, as that institution was by its charter authorized to do that which the deputation solicited at the hands of the Government. A motion for the same purpose was then brought before Parliament by Mr. Wilson, the member for the city, which was opposed by the Ministers on the following grounds:—1. That the present distress was not brought on by political causes, but by prodigality and over-trading.—2. That the Government were not the bankers of merchants and traders, nor could they give relief more to those classes than to retailers and mechanics; and that the bank was the proper source to apply to. 3. That it would be establishing a dangerous, unlimited, and indefinable precedent, and tending to encourage future excess in speculation. Mr. Wilson abandoned his motion on its being announced that the Bank had agreed to advance THREE MILLIONS STERLING. By subsequent Resolutions submitted by Ministers to both Houses the privilege was conceded to the Bank of England to continue to issue one and two pound notes until the 10th of October next. Liverpool, Glasgow, &c. have availed themselves of the offer made by the Bank, and have received sums sufficient to relieve the present emergency.

On Saturday afternoon, the Machinery of the Steam Boat SAINT GEORGE, was put in motion, for the first time this season, the Engine having been lately refitted by Mr. Foulis.—She played to and fro in the Harbour in fine style. We observe that great improvements have been made in the Cabins. It is to be hoped that this Public accommodation will deserve, and receive, such encouragement this season, as will fully remunerate the spirited Proprietors.

We understand that the Steam Boat Sails for Fredericton, to-morrow morning. The English Gentleman of the 19th Feby. states,—“The proprietors of three cargoes of Timber now in the Thamps have offered to give them up on being relieved from the payment of freight!”

Saint John Agricultural and Emigrant Society.

At the Annual Meeting of the St. John Agricultural and Emigrant Society, held at Coppy's, on the 5th instant, the following Premiums were unanimously agreed upon for the ensuing year:—

- No. 1. For the best entire Horse, the same to £ s. d. as approved by the Judges as the best adapted for general purposes. 10 0 0
No. 2. For the best Bull, 2 years old and upwards. 5 0 0
No. 3. For the second best ditto. 3 0 0
No. 4. For the best Cow producing the most milk and butter, the owner to select any one week during the season for ascertaining the quantity, the correctness of which to be proved to the satisfaction of the Judges. 4 0 0
No. 5. For the second best ditto. 2 0 0
No. 6. For the best approved full blooded Dishley Ram. 5 0 0
No. 7. For the best approved full blooded South Down Ram. 5 0 0
No. 8. For the best approved full blooded Ewe of each of the above breeds, and for each, 2 0 0
No. 9. For the best Boar, not less than one year old. 2 0 0
No. 10. For the best Sow, not less than one year old. 2 0 0
The above Premiums will be given for Stock owned and kept within the County for the ensuing Season.
No Animal, for which to any owner any premium shall have been awarded, shall be considered a subject for any of the above Premiums.
No. 11. For the best Ox, fatted for slaughter, regard to be had to, and particular statement to be given of the mode and expense of fattening, to have been kept at least six months in the County previous to exhibition at the Society's Spring Meeting in April. 5 0 0
No. 12. For the second best do. do. 3 0 0
No. 13. For the three best Wethers above three years old, under like regulations in all respects, owned and fatted by the same person. 3 0 0
No. 14. For the second best do. do. do. do. 2 0 0
No. 15. For the greatest number of bushels of Potatoes, raised on one undivided acre of land. 5 0 0
No. 16. For the greatest number of Swedish Turnips, raised on one undivided acre of land. 3 0 0
No. 17. For the greatest number of bushels of Barley, raised on one undivided acre of land that was in Potatoes, or any other grain crop the preceding season. 3 0 0
No. 18. For the greatest number of bushels of Oats, in the same manner. 3 0 0
No. 19. For the greatest number of tons of merchantable English Hay, cut from one undivided acre of land that has been in a rotation of Potatoes or any green crop, and of wheat, or barley, or oats. 3 0 0
The following premiums will be given on crops raised on new lands cleared from the Forest.
No. 20. For the greatest number of bushels of Potatoes raised on an undivided acre of land being the first crop. 5 0 0
No. 21. For Barley the same, being the second crop, the first having been potatoes. 3 0 0
No. 22. For Oats the same, do. do. do. 3 0 0
No. 23. For the greatest number of tons of merchantable English Hay, being the third year after the felling of the Forest. 3 0 0
No. 24. For the best improved Farm in all respects of not more than seven years standing from the clearing of the Forest. 7 0 0
No. 25. For the second best do. do. 5 0 0
No. 26. For the third best do. do. 3 0 0
By order of the Society. A. WEDDERBURN, Secretary.

FREDERICTON, April 11. (P. S. to the Gazette.) BY His Excellency Major General Sir HOWARD DOUGLAS, Bart. Lieutenant- (L. S.) Governor and Commander-in-Chief of the Province of New-Brunswick, &c. &c. &c. HOWARD DOUGLAS.

WHEREAS by an ordinance establishing fees to be taken in the Province of New-Brunswick, made and passed by His Excellency THOMAS CARLETON, Esq. Governor of this Province, in Council, the second day of March one thousand seven hundred and eighty-five, there are allowed and established among other fees the following, that is to say: For Attornies in the Supreme Court, Travelling charges per day 10s. For Counsel in the Supreme Court, travelling charges the same as Attornies, and no more than one Counsel to be allowed in taxing Costs. And whereas in the present circumstances of the Country, it is expedient and proper that the said

fees for travelling charges to Attornies and Counsel in the Supreme Court should be abolished, I do therefore, by and with the advice and consent of His Majesty's Council, ordain and declare that the said fees for travelling charges heretofore specified, be and the same are hereby abolished.

And I do further by and with the advice and consent aforesaid; ordain and declare that henceforth any Judge of the Supreme Court before whom a cause shall be tried or after being entered for trial, shall by rule of Court be referred to arbitration, may allow to be taxed in the Bill of Costs in such cause, a Counsel fee at his discretion, in no case to exceed five Guineas.

Given under my Hand and Seal at Fredericton, the sixth day of March in the 11th year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and twenty-six and in the seventh year of His Majesty's Reign.

By His Excellency's Command, Wm. F. ODELL.

OBITUARY.

On the 9th inst. in the 10th year of his age. Master G. B. Booth, youngest son of the late Mr. John Booth, of this place, after a tedious illness, which he bore with christian fortitude and resignation.

On Thursday inst. after a severe illness, which he bore with christian fortitude, Mr. James M'Avety, in the 44th year of his age.

At Windsor, on Thursday the 4th inst. Caleb Tonge, Esquire, a gentleman highly esteemed and respected. At his country seat at Sussex Vale, at 11 o'clock, on the 1st inst. the Hon. George Leonard, after a painful illness, which he bore with that degree of fortitude and resignation that characterizes the death of the righteous; he retained his mental faculties to the last.

Mr. Leonard had more frequent opportunities than usually fell to the lot of any private individual, to show his zeal for the public service, and the advancement of this Province, where he has been a resident from the earliest period of its colonization, and it may be justly said that he was ever a stranger to self interest. In 1775, Mr. Leonard was a volunteer under Lord Percy, and was engaged at Lexington, the first battle fought with the Americans. He assisted as Lieutenant under Col Willard, with the British Troops in the defence of Boston in the same year, and went with him to procure provisions for the Garrison, on an expedition to an Island in New York Sound. In the year 1776, he left Boston with the British army for Halifax, and went from thence to New York, and was at the taking of that City. The same year he was appointed Commissary to an expedition with 6000 Troops, under the command of Sir Henry Clinton to Rhode Island.

He was sent from Rhode Island with eleven ships bearing flags of truce to Boston, loaded with provisions and a large sum of money, to pay a demand set up by the Revolutionists for provisions, &c. issued to the Troops of the Convention at Saratoga, under the command of Gen. Burgoyne. By his judicious management in this business, he saved the Government several thousand Pounds, and his return received a handsome testimony from the General commanding. He was then ordered by Sir Robert Pigot, on an expedition under Gen. Sir Chas. Gray, to the Vineyard Sound, when the American public Stores were destroyed at Bedford, and a large quantity of provisions was procured for the Garrison at Rhode Island, of which he had charge.

In 1778 a French Fleet of eleven ships of the line, with 12,000 Americans surrounded the British Troops on the Island, destroyed all the shipping, including four ships of war, and carried off all the Cattle, Horses, &c. from the island, leaving 8,000 men exclusive of the inhabitants, destitute of supplies. There was then at New York and Rhode Island a great number of Royalists who had deserted from the British, and were in the most deplorable state, but desistute of the means of exercising their zeal, owners of large property in the several provinces, and chiefly of a rank in life superior to the common sailors and soldiers are usually taken, they were aware of entering the service as such, and still more so, to remain idle spectators of the contest. With a view to prevent persons of this description from becoming burthenome to Government, and to enable them to cooperate with His Majesty's Forces in suppressing the rebellion, Mr. Leonard, under the sanction and authority of Sir Henry Clinton, the Commander-in-Chief in America, and Sir George Collier, Commodore of the British Squadron, concerted and embarked in a service, which at the same time gave employment and subsistence to many hundreds of loyalists, and was very distressing and annoying to the enemy, by preventing supplies from reaching General Washington's army, and affording many essential and important necessities for His Majesty's hospitals and garrisons, besides in other respects aiding and promoting His Majesty's service.

The Loyalists in general, were unable to contribute any thing more than their personal exertions to this great end, but Mr. Leonard being so fortunate as to bring from Boston at the evacuation of that place, part of his personal property, he cheerfully devoted it with all the credit he could obtain, to this undertaking. He purchased, fitted for sea, and manned at his own expense, a small fleet consisting of seven armed vessels, and three transports, besides several gun-boats, for the purpose of harassing the enemy on the sea coast, and co-operating with His Majesty's army in making descents upon the coast, whenever called upon by the British Admirals or General. The people under his direction were at all times a faithful band of guides and pilots to His Majesty's Army and Navy and he also made it an invariable rule to give conveyance and protection to transports, victuallers, &c. Previous to these preparations, he resigned his appointment as the Commissariat to take a more active part in the war.

He was so fortunate as to have his conduct approved by the Commanders in Chief in America, and likewise by his late Majesty, as will appear from the following extract from an instrument at the Treasury, dated 1780. "Whereas it having been represented to us by our Commissioners, that the said George Leonard has shown very exemplary zeal and fidelity to our Government, in North America, by the employment of such vessels, and in entitled to an equitable compensation for the services he has performed, &c."

Government immediately after appointed him one of the Directors to conduct the operations of the Royalists, together with Governors of the Provinces, at that time in New York, and some other gentlemen of respectability. At the evacuation of New York by the British army in 1783, he was appointed one of the Agents to settle the Loyalists on the Crown Lands of Nova Scotia, and the establishment of them at the mouth of the River St. John, now the City of that name fell to his lot. So much was Mr. Leonard's conduct approved in the settlement of the Loyalists, and the government of them, until the arrival of Governor Carleton, on the separation of the Province of New Brunswick from that of Nova Scotia, that the Lieutenant Governor and Council of Nova Scotia have caused to be entered upon the Minutes of their Board, "That his conduct as a Magistrate and Agent on the River Saint John was fair, impartial, and proper."

In 1786 he received His Majesty's Commission as Superintendent of the Trade and Fisheries on the Coasts of British North America, to prevent an infringement of the 3d article of the Treaty with America. In 1787 he was appointed one of His Majesty's Council for this Province, and one of the Commissioners and Treasurer, for the Civilization of the Indians, and a permanent Member of the Society for Promoting Christian Knowledge. He was one of the Trustees for the College of Fredericton, and for the Academy at Saint John; he was one of the Judges of the Court of Common Pleas for King's County, and for many years, Lieut. Col. of the Militia for the same County, and previous to the late war with America, he had been appointed Quarter Master General. As senior Member of His Majesty's Council, he was called to the Administration of the Government of this Province, at two different times.

When age and infirmities approached and he considered himself no longer useful to the public, he withdrew from society, and retired to his estate at Sussex Vale, where he and his amiable consort enjoyed many years of tranquillity.

To Correspondents.—The Compiler is in Type, but unavailably room, it will be inserted in an

THE MARINE.

ARRIVED, AT Ship Agamemnon, Crowell, C. Brigs Superior, Burrow, James. Hero, Fowler, Antigua, 34. Joseph Home, Corfield, Cork goods, and coal. Mayflower, Cook, Jamaica rum and sugar. Ann Maria, Crowell, New salt, flour, &c. Emerald, Smith, Exeter, 27. Warrior, M'Vicar, New York. Schrs. Success, M'Creedy, A. son, rum, sugar, &c. Favorite, Crowell, Halifax, rum, fish, &c.

CREATED, AT

Brig Eudymion, Reynolds, C.

Memorandum.

The Lord Byron, M'Arthur, terprise, Ross, from hence, and Andrews, have arrived at Greenock, Feb. 21.—It was of Killbuckan, and not on the 20th as stated; that the B. went ashore, on Wednesday main.

From the Halifax Rays.

The Schrs. Brothers, W. M. H. this Port, from St. John's N. E. West end of the Island of Sable half past 11 p. m.—The night the surf was running very high passenger of 21 years of age, Patrick Colterton, one of the board. At ten o'clock the next day the other Survivors, had their feet on shore—They carried with them Mrs. Walsh, about 12 months old after the vessel struck was in the Cabin, on the starboard side (they frequently called for the supposed it had perished, as they with water. To their surprise they discovered the Child still in care were taken to preserve it weather.—It is now in the hands of the Superintendent of the have no doubt, it will be after landing, Capt. M'Harrold contained Provisions, Fuel, the a fire, and directions to the endence of Mr. Hudson.—He pr his stay on the Island, experie comfort from him and his fami Richard White, another of the and from the severity of the w exposed.

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Monday Evening, at Jeddore a Schooner from hence, bound which was Lawrence Kavanagh divided his sea-stock with the

We have been favoured by a Letter from Captain Liddell, perintendent of our Province Island, which we publish with

Sable Is.

On the eve of our departure leave to express the deep sense experienced by us during our residence with you and to acknowledge your tender composed the Crews of the B assured your friendly and be libly impressed on our minds.

Your obli have been kind and preserved all the duties of Superintend most zealously and

In now separating from you expression of our grateful re and our warmest wishes for the all.

We are, Sir, Your obli ROBERT WILSON

Mr. Hudson, &c. &c. &c.

COAL.—The best quality

per Ship Andromeda, suit purchasers, if applied Messrs. R. RANKIN, & April 18.

Sheathing Copper,

THE Subscribers have THE Ship Andromeda S suitable for a Vessel of 5 ALSO.—A few Ke assorted. HE April 18.

NEW

OWENS & BUDD Paddy Carey, from SPRING SUPPLY, w their Store, No. 3, Don be disposed of low for payment.

FOR FREE

The RE W. H. Fly regularly be let on, during the Sun Passage, apply to the Mast TILTON, South Market Wharf.

Woolen Goods

THE Subscribers have MEDIA, from Liverpool 36 Bates Cloths, Fearnlo SLOPS, which they offer reasonable terms, as at Green ALSO.—150 Chaldrons April 18. R. F. N. B. THE VESSEL Wharf.

To Correspondents.—The Communication of a "Subscriber" is in Type, but unavoidably omitted for want of room.—It will be inserted in our next.

MARINE LIST.

ARRIVED, APRIL 11-18.
Ship Argemone, Crowel, Cork, 32, R. Rankin & Co. Agents.
Brig Superior, Barrow, Jamaica, 28, E. Lake, rum & sugar.
Hero, Fowler, Antigua, 34, Sneden & Henckell, rum, sugar, and molasses.
Joseph Home, Corfield, Cork, 32, J. Robertson & Co. goods and coal.
Mayflower, Cack, Jamaica, 37, Crookshank & Walker, rum and sugar.
Ann Maria, Crowell, New York, 8, W. & T. Leavitt, flour, &c.
Emerald, Smith, Easter, 27, H. Johnston, & Co. ballast.
Warrior, M'Viccar, New York, 7, A. Wedderburn, ballast.
Schrs. Success, M'Creedy, Antigua, 29, D. Hatfield, & Son, rum, sugar, &c.
Favorite, Crowel, Halifax, 14, I. & J. G. Woodward, rum, fish, &c.
DEPARTED, APRIL 11-18.
Brig Eadymin, Reynolds, Cork, timber.
Memoranda.
The Lord Byron, M'Arthur, Mareilly, Hall, and Enterprise, Ross, from hence, and Hunter, Crews, from Saint Andrews, have arrived at Greenock.
Greenock, Feb. 21.—It was at Carradale, in the Sound of Killbrannan, and not on the Point of Cromwell, as erroneously stated; that the *Arrow* (Glasgow), from St. John, N. B., went ashore, on Wednesday night, where she still remains.
From the Halifax Royal Gazette, April 12.
The Schr. Brothers, W. M'Harron, Master, of and for this Port, from St. John's N. F., out 8 days, struck on the west end of the Island of Sable on the 23d January, at half past 11 p. m.—The night was cold and tempestuous and the surf was running very high, and Mrs. Walsh, a female passenger of 91 years of age, perished on the deck, and Patrick Callerton, one of the Crew, was washed overboard. At ten o'clock the next morning, Capt. M'Harron and the other Survivors, had the good fortune to get safely on shore—they carried with them the infant Child of Mrs. Walsh, about 12 months old, who almost immediately after the vessel struck was accidentally placed in a locker in the Cabin, on the starboard side. The anxious Mother frequently called for the Child.—But all on board supposed it had perished, as the Cabin was nearly filled with water. To their surprise, when the morning dawned they discovered the Child still lived, and every pains and care were taken to preserve it from the inclemency of the weather.—It is now in the hands of Mrs. Hudson, the wife of the Superintendent of the Island, by whom, we have no doubt, it will be affectionately treated. Soon after landing, Capt. M'Harron discovered a Hut, which contained Provisions, Fuel, the articles necessary to kindle a fire, and directions to enable him to find the residence of Mr. Hudson.—He proceeded thither, and during his stay on the Island, experienced every attention and comfort from him and his family. Ten days after landing, Richard White, another of the Crew, died from fatigue, and from the severity of the weather to which he had been exposed.
The Ship Elizabeth, Robert Liddell, Master, of and for London, from St. John, N. B.—milled on the 23d February—on the 27th struck on the S. E. end of the Island, and almost immediately filled with water.—lost all her Boats but five—on the 28th saw from the Mast-head eight men on the Island, apparently coming to their assistance—the remaining Boat was hoisted out—the Crew got into her and fortunately reached the shore in safety. They were conducted to Mr. Hudson's, where they met with a hearty welcome, and received the most attention.
On Wednesday, the 5th inst. Captains M'Harron and Liddell, with six of their respective Crews, left the Island in a Boat of 16 1/2 keel,—reached Country Harbour on Thursday. Sheet Harbour on Friday. Tangier on Saturday. On the 28th saw from the Mast-head eight men on the Island, apparently coming to their assistance.—The Boat was hoisted out—the Crew got into her and fortunately reached the shore in safety. They were conducted to Mr. Hudson's, where they met with a hearty welcome, and received the most attention.
We have been favoured with a Copy of the following Letter from Captains Liddell and M'Harron, to the Superintendent of our Provincial Establishment on Sable Island, which we publish with much pleasure.
Sable Island, 4th April, 1826.
Sir,
On the eve of our departure from Sable Island we beg leave to express to you our deep sense we entertain on the kindness experienced by us during the period we had the pleasure of residing with you and your amiable Family, and to acknowledge your tender care of the Individuals who composed the Crews of the Elizabeth and Brothers. Be assured your friendly and benevolent attentions are indelibly impressed on our minds, which no lapse of time can efface.—Your exertions for the preservation of property have been great and praiseworthy, and you have discharged all the duties of Superintendent of this humane Establishment most zealously and faithfully.
In now separating from you, we have only to offer this expression of our grateful regard to yourself and family, and our warmest wishes for the health and happiness of you all.
We are, Sir,
Your obliged Servants,
ROBERT LIDDELL,
WILLIAM M'HARRON.

COAL.—The best quality of HOUSE COAL, per Ship *Andromeda*, may be had in lots to suit purchasers, if applied for immediately to Messrs. R. RANKIN, & Co. or April 18. SAMUEL STEPHEN.

Sheathing Copper, and Copper Spikes.
THE Subscribers has for Sale (received per Ship *Andromeda*) SHEATHING COPPER suitable for a Vessel of 200 to 250 Tons register.
ALSO.—A few Kegs COPPER SPIKES, assorted.
HENRY GAULT, & Co. April 18.

NEW GOODS.
OWENS & BUDD, have received by the *Paddy Carey*, from Greenock, part of their SPRING SUPPLY; which are now opening at their Store, No. 3, Donaldson's Wharf, and will be disposed of low for Cash, or other approved payment. April 11.

FOR FREDERICTON,
The fast Sailing Sloop
REGENT.
N. Vail, Master.
WILL Ply regularly between St. John and Fredericton, during the Summer Season. For Freight or Passage, apply to the Master on Board, or to Mr. B. TILTON, South Market Wharf April 11.

Woolen Goods and Coal for Sale.
THE Subscribers have received by the ship ANDRO MEDA, from Liverpool,
25 Bales Cloths, Fearnoughts, Flannels, Blankets and SLOPS, which they offer for Sale by the Package, on reasonable terms, and at Credits convenient to purchasers.
ALSO.—150 Chaldrons first quality Cannel COAL.
April 11. ROBERT RANKIN, & Co.
P. N. B. THE VESSEL will discharge at the Market Wharf.

AUCTION.

Household Furniture, Plate, Glass, &c. &c. by Auction.
On Wednesday, May 2, will be Sold by the Subscribers, at the Residence of Mr. H. JOHNSTON, JR. in Prince Wm. Street,
A VARIETY OF HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE, PLATE, CHINA, GLASS, &c. &c.
Comprising,
MAHOGANY Dining, Pembroke, Sofa and Card Tables,
Do. Secretary and Book Case,
Do. Chairs, Sofas, Bedsteads,
Beds and Bedding, Brussels and Kidderminster Carpets, Windsor Curtains, &c. &c.
PLATE—Consists of a dinner Set, Silver dinner and desert Forks, table, desert, and Tea-Spoons, Tea Set,
CHINA—dinner and desert Set,
Do. Tea Set,
DELF—2 dinner Sets blue and white Liver-pool.
WINE—Old Madeira, Port, &c. &c.
ALSO.—A variety of Kitchen Requisites.
CROOKSHANK & WALKER.
April 18.

On Monday the 1st May next, at 11 o'clock
THE SUBSCRIBER WILL SELL
THE good Schooner OLIVE BRANCH, with all her Tackle and Apparel, as she came from sea. The Olive Branch is only two years old, 72 tons burden, well found, and may be sent to sea with trifling expense.
ALSO:—Nets, Seines, and Lines, with Boats, Sails, Anchors, and sundry other articles, complete for a Fishing Voyage.
SAMUEL STEPHEN.
April 11 1826.

Valuable Freehold Estate.
On Saturday the 6th day of May next, will be disposed of at Public Sale, at the House of Mr. JOHN HAYS in Norton, Kings County,
THAT Valuable Tract of LAND, situate in the Parish of Norton, and known by the name of "Burlock Farm" containing 600 Acres, (more or less) with the Farm Houses, Barns, and Out Buildings thereon erected.
The above is part of the Real Estate of the late W. F. KNOX, Esq. deceased, and will be Sold pursuant to an Order of the Governor and Council granted to the Executors.
Norton, April 1, 1826.

VALUABLE LOTS IN CARLETON FOR SALE BY AUCTION.
On Wednesday the 3d day of May next, will be sold at the Auction Room of the Subscribers,
FOUR Five Acre LOTS, Nos. 27, 28, 29 and 30, fronting on the Saint Andrews Road.—A two story House has lately been erected on Lot No. 28.
ALSO:—Ten Cove Lots in front of the above—terms of payment liberal.
CROOKSHANK & WALKER.
April 1.

FRESH GARDEN SEEDS.
JUST received per PADDY CARRY, from Britain, a large assortment of GARDEN SEEDS, of last years growth.—For Sale by WALKER & MACARA.
April 11.

LIVERPOOL COAL.—Afloat.
GOOD Liverpool COAL, may be had afloat—or by the Chaldron, from the Wharf of Mr. WILLIAM BARR, Lower Cove, by applying to SAMUEL STEPHEN.
December 13.
Commissariat Office, St. John, N. B. April 1, 1826.

SEALED Tenders will be received at this Office, until Monday, at noon, on the 24th instant, for delivering into the Commissariat Stores at this Post, free of expence to His Majesty, Eight Hundred Barrels of the first quality of good, sweet, fresh, FINE or SCRATCHED FLOUR—viz.
Eighty Barrels on the 10th May,
One Hundred and twenty do. on the 24th May,
Two Hundred do. on the 24th June,
Four hundred do. on the 24th July,
The Flour to be warranted to keep good, sweet and Fresh for Six Months after its delivery into the King's Stores.
The Tenders to express the rate per Barrel in British sterling. Payment to be made on the delivery of each Two Hundred Barrels, in Bills of Exchange on the Lords of the Treasury, at the rate of £100 for every £103 due upon the Contract; but previous to any payment being made, the Flour must be inspected and reported upon, by a Board of Officers to be appointed by the Commandant of this Garrison.
No Tender will be noticed unless accompanied by a Letter addressed to Assistant Commissary General GARDINER, signed by two responsible persons, offering to become bound with the party tendering, for the faithful performance of such Contract as may be entered into.
The Tender to be written on the back "Tender for Flour." And it is requested that the Persons tendering, or agents, may attend at this Office, at 12 o'clock, on the 24th inst.

Notice is hereby given.
THAT the Partnership heretofore subsisting between the Subscribers under the firm of CROOKSHANK & JOHNSTON, is this day dissolved by mutual consent:—All persons therefore having demands against the said Firm, are requested to present the same without delay, and those indebted to make immediate payment to Robert W. Crookshank, senior, who will pay and receive all debts due by or to the said Firm.
ROBERT CROOKSHANK, Sen.
HUGH JOHNSTON, Junr.
St. John, April 1, 1826.

FESTIVAL OF ST. GEORGE.

THE Members of the *St. George's Society* purpose celebrating the Anniversary of their Tutelar Saint on Monday the 24th instant, by dining together at *Cody's*. Such Gentlemen therefore as are desirous of joining in the Festivities of the Day, will please leave their names with Mr. *Cody* by Thursday 20th.
By order of the Committee of Management,
J. T. HANFORD, Secretary.

April 18.
Asst. Commissary Genl's Office, St. John, New Brunswick, April 3, 1826.
SEALED Tenders will be received at this Office, until Thursday at Noon, on the 1st June next, from such persons as may be disposed to enter into Contracts to supply for the use of His Majesty's Troops in this Province, the following Articles.—viz.

Wood	160	St. John,
Cords,	150	
Coals,	190	
Chalk,	140	Fredericton,
Lamp Oil,	18	
Cotton Wick lbs.	15	St. Andrews,
	20	
	20	Ft. Cumberland,

For such quantities of FRESH BEEF, as may be required for one year, from the 25th of June next, for the Troops and Departments, at the Posts of St. John, Fredericton, St. Andrews, and Fort Cumberland. It is to be distinctly understood that none but Beef of the best quality will be considered as according to Contract.
For supplying Twenty Barrels of Prime Mess Irish PORK, into the Commissariat Stores, at St. John, on or before the 24th day of June next, warranted to keep good and sweet, until 28th day of June 1827.
The Rate for Fresh Beef, Salt Pork, Fuel, Oil and Cotton, to be expressed in the Tenders in British sterling, and if the amount due upon any of these Supplies exceed £100, the same will be paid for, in Bills of Exchange on the Lords of the Treasury, at the rate of £100 for every £103 due on the Contract, or in British Silver, at the option of the Assistant Commissary General.
For BAKING BREAD, for one year from the 25th June next, for the Garrison of St. John, from 1 ton to be furnished from the King's Stores.—The Bread must be raised with Brewer's yeast, and the Contracting Bake House to be at all reasonable times liable to be inspected by an officer of the Commissariat Department.
No Tender will be noticed, unless accompanied by a Letter addressed to Assistant Commissary General Gardiner, signed by two responsible persons, offering to become bound with the party tendering, for the faithful performance of the Contract.
The Lamp Oil and Cotton Wick to be issued by the Contractor to the Troops monthly, at St. John and Fredericton.
Forms of the Contracts may be seen, and every other information obtained on application to the Commissariat Offices at the respective Posts in this Province.
The Tenders to be written on the back, "Tenders for Wood, Coal, &c. as the case may be.—Persons tendering, or Agents for them are requested to attend at this Office, at 12 o'clock on 1st of June next.
Asst. Commissary Genl's Office, St. John, New Brunswick, 4th April, 1826.

SEALED Tenders will be received at this Office, until Thursday the 1st June next, at Noon, from Persons disposed to supply the Detachment of Troops stationed at Miramichi, with Rations of Provisions, Fuel and Candles, for one year from the 25th of June next.
The Tenders to express the rate in British Sterling at which the following daily Ration will be furnished, viz.
14 2/7 Oz. Flour,
1 Lib. Salt Pork or Salt Beef,
1/2 Pint of Rum,
Also what the Flour and Meat will be supplied for, when Rum is not issued.
And the rate at which Wood and Candles will be supplied.
Payment to be made in British Silver, on the 24th of each month.
Security will be required for the performance of such Contract, as may be concluded upon.
The Provisions and Fuel to be delivered by, and at the expence of the Contractors, to the Troops at their quarters.

NOTICE.
THE Subscriber having occasion to be absent from the Province for a time, has placed his Accounts and Papers in the hands of Messrs. W. & F. KINNEAR, who will collect his Rents and outstanding Debts.
L. DONALDSON.
April 3, 1826.

TO LET.
From the 1st May next.
THE first and second Flats of the Subscriber's House in Portland, consisting of a good and sufficient Store for any kind of business, three Rooms with fire places, six Bed Rooms, with a Pantry and Closets. Apply on the premises, to JACOB TOWNSEND.
Portland, April 4, 1826.

WILLIAM JAFFREY,

HAVING received his usual supplies of GARDEN and GRASS SEEDS, warranted fresh and genuine; offers them for Sale at his own House, and at the Store of J. DYER, & Co. King Street; he has also received from Great Britain and the United States, an extensive variety of APPLE, PEAR and CHERRY TREES, particularly adapted to the climate of this Province. ALSO.
About 3000 Asparagus (2 years) Roots.
April 18.

NOTICE.
THE Business heretofore carried on by CROOKSHANK & JOHNSTON, will in future be conducted by the Subscribers, under the Firm of CROOKSHANK & WALKER, at the same store on the North Market Wharf,—where they respectfully solicit a continuance of Public Patronage.
ROBERT W. CROOKSHANK, Sen.
WILLIAM WALKER.
St. John, April 1.

NOTICE.
THE Eclectic Library Society inform the Subscribers to their Library, and the Public, that from the first of April next, they will reduce the terms of reading ALL their Works, to 20s. a year, 12s. 6d. half yearly, and 7s. 6d. quarterly, in consequence of having diminished the number of their very expensive Periodical Publications. Since their last importation they have added to their Library a few instructive and entertaining Books.
GEORGE D. ROBINSON,
Secretary and Treasurer.
March 28.

Public Notice.
PERSONS desirous to enter into a Contract for building a BRIDGE over the Hammond River, at the Forging Place, near BEATTIE'S Tavern, will give in their Proposals, together with a Plan of the Bridge intended to be built, to the Subscribers, on or before the First day of May next, when the lowest offer provided the plan shall be approved of, will be accepted.
C. J. PETERS,
J. WARD, JUN., } Committee.
AZOR HOYT, }
St. John, March 28.

CONTRACT FOR ERECTING A COLLEGE BUILDING IN FREDERICTON.
PROPOSALS will be received by the Subscribers, appointed a Committee to superintend the erecting of a COLLEGE BUILDING, in Fredericton, either for the whole, or for such portions of the work as the Persons wishing to Contract, may be disposed to undertake; according to Plans and Specifications, to be seen at the residence of THOMAS NISBET, where the terms of payment, and all other particulars may be known. All Proposals must be given in on or before the Twentieth day of May next.
W. F. ODELL,
GEORGE BEST.
St. John, March 28.

EDUCATION.
H. ALLEN will commence a Morning School on the first of May from six to eight o'clock, and an Evening School from eight to ten, where he will take in pupils for the Classica, Mathematics; and for those Branches adapted to Mercantile pursuits.
N. B. Young Men who are desirous to acquire a knowledge of Navigation will be admitted upon reasonable terms.
St. John, April 3.

FOR SALE.
ABOUT 5 Tons round and Square IRON, assorted sizes; also a few Casks Spikes from 5 1/2 to 7 1/2 inches. Apply to March 14. JAMES STEWART & Co.
TO LET,
For one Year, and Possession given the 1st of May next.
THE Two upper Flats of that large, Four Story HOUSE, in York Point, formerly owned by Levi Lockhart, and latterly by Capt Oty.—For further particulars, please apply to DAVID LEONARD, King Street.
March 7.

TO LET,
From the 1st of May next.
THE LOWER flat of the HOUSE belonging to the Subscriber; consisting of one large Room, 2 Bed Rooms, Kitchen and Cellar, with Yard Room. For particulars apply to P. SCHURMAN.
February 12.

To be Sold by Private Contract
And Possession given on the 1st of October next.
THAT eligible situated and convenient HOUSE, with Chaise-house, Stable, Barn, Garden, and a front proof Cellar; at present in the occupation of the Rev. Frederick Coster.—A variety of fixtures, Carpets, Window Curtains, &c. may be had at a fair valuation. Apply to March 14. WILLIAM WRIGHT.

A BOAT FOUND.
PICKED up Adrift, on the 17th Dec. last, about five miles to the Southward of Quaco, a Ships BOAT, 18 feet keel, and 7 feet beam, she appears to have been built this Season, and is painted Green inside, the owner can have her by paying expence, on application to the Subscriber at Sackville, in the County of Westmorland.
Jan. 4. JOHN HARRIS.

SPRUCE BOARDS.
DEALS and SHINGLES, Ash GARS, SPAVES and HANDSPIKES for sale by W. P. SCOTT.
March 14. Prince William Street.
BLANKS of various kinds for Sale at this Office.

POET'S CORNER.

COUNTRY AND TOWN.

By Horatio Smith, Esq.

Florida, in country shades to dwell... One, positively, might as well... No earthly object to be seen...

Oh! the unutterable bliss... Of changing such a wilderness... For London's endless frolic!

There every hour its tribute brings... The future comes on golden wings... Some new delight to tender!

So cries the rural nymph—while they... The weary, disappointed prey... Of London's heartless riot.

O, happiness!—in vain we chase... Thy shadow and attempts to trace... Its ever changing dances!

A SISTER'S LOVE.

CONCLUDED.

The sisters had scarcely reached the apartment of Lady Constance, when a violent knocking was heard at the door of the house; they soon after heard the voice of Sir William Forester and Captain S— in loud dispute on the stairs.

They entered the room, and Sylvia then said, "I have been long desirous and determined to leave you; the arguments by which I suffered myself, a short time since, to be influenced, have at last appeared in their true light."

Sir William Forester had instantly set off to inquire after Rivers, and at length found him, lying dangerously wounded, at a neighbouring hotel; little hope was entertained of his life.

consoler of others, even suffering less perhaps, by the same affliction, than herself. She had learnt to think of herself last, even in sorrow; and to exert herself to soothe and cheer others, while her heart was sinking with woe.

Sylvia recovered before her husband—she would not ask to see him—she was still deeply attached to him; she heard that his death was no longer feared—she felt that duty forbade her; and even had he requested to see her, she would have struggled with her inclination and kept away.

Poor Rivers, as he recovered from his illness, had become deeply sensible of his former errors. He conversed much with Sir William Forester, who attended him constantly. From him he heard of his wife's penitence; he heard also, that with all her faults and imprudence, she had not been guilty.

Sylvia, on receiving his letter, was extremely agitated; she trembled all over, and retired instantly to her room. She did not return to her sister for some hours, but she was then quite composed.

Constance felt convinced, as she opened her letter, that her sister had acted rightly. "The temptation was too great," it began; "had I remained, my dearest Constance, I should entirely have forfeited my self-esteem; for I should have broken my resolutions, and return to my husband, of whom I have rendered myself unworthy."

Rivers received his wife's letter differently, for he sent in every direction to discover whither she had retreated. Too late he learnt the value of the treasure he had thrown away, for she was not found. The following is the letter she sent to him.

Many years have passed away. Lady Constance has been long married. Rivers has been dead ten years. Captain S— is also dead, but he never bore testimony to the innocence of Lady Sylvia: for many reasons, it may be better that he has not; for the woman who places herself in such a situation, however innocent she may be in fact, has little chance of being justified in this world, nor should she expect it.

The tale of "A Sister's Love" had been finished some time, when the following account was communicated by the same person, who sent me the circumstances which I have before related.

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JAMES WHITNEY

HAS removed his Business to Lower end of PETERS' Wharf. October 22.

FOR SALE.

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For Sale or to Let.

A TWO Story Dwelling HOUSE and Premises annexed thereto, situated on the South side of Brussels Street, about half a mile from the Market House. It is well calculated for a Family, having a large Garden and a convenient range of Out Buildings. Possession will be given on the 1st May next.

W. & F. KINNEAR, Attorneys for the Owners.

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JAMES HOLMES.

FOR SALE.

AND POSSESSION GIVEN IMMEDIATELY. LOT No. 1826—40 by 100 feet, with the HOUSE and Premises thereon; belonging to the Subscriber, situated on Broad Street in the Lower-Cove—adjoining Mr. John Baird and formerly in the occupation of Mr. David Babbitt.—Should the above Premises not be Sold by the first day of February next, they will then be offered at Public Auction, For terms and further particulars enquire of the Subscriber.

N. MERRITT.

CHARLES WHITNEY, & Co.

HAVE received per late arrivals from Britain, a general assortment of BRITISH DRY GOODS, which in addition to their former Stock, are now opening and exposed for Sale at their Store, No. 2, on the Terrace, and nearly opposite the Hon. Wm. Black's, dwelling in Dock Street.

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The above Goods with their former Stock on hand, are selling low for Cash or short Credit, at their Store, St. John Street.

SAINT JOHN WINDSOR AND FANCY CHAIR MANUFACTORY

THE Subscriber returns his sincere thanks to his Friends and the Public for the liberal encouragement he has received, and begs leave to inform them that he continues to carry on the above Business in the House formerly occupied by Mr. D. Green, at the head of King Street; where may be had an elegant assortment of Fancy and Windsor Bed and Drawing Room Chairs, of the newest and most fashionable patterns: with his usual supply of Cabinet Furniture, which he offers for Sale on the most reasonable and accommodating terms.

N. B. Old Chairs repaired, re-bottom'd, and re-painted. Orders from the country will be thankfully received, and punctually attended to.

All kinds of Turning and Painting executed with neatness and dispatch.

JOHN B. MORRISON, King-Street.

NOTICE.

IN consequence of the death of JOHN L. VENN, the business hitherto carried on by "VENNER, BOWMAN, & WHEELER," will from this date be continued by the Subscribers on their own account, under the Firm of BOWMAN & WHEELER, agreeably to a condition of their original Co-partnership.

WILLIAM BOWMAN, & WHEELER.

St. John, Sept. 12, 1825.