



THE AMERICAN EXPLORING EXPEDITION.

SIR JOHN FRANKLIN.

The intrepid navigator, Sir John Franklin, if alive, says the Journal of Commerce, will soon enter upon his seventh winter in the Arctic regions.

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The rapid approach of winter forced the squadron to seek for winter-quarters, and they attempted to do so; but the ice gradually formed about them when off Wellington Channel, and on the 13th September, 1850, they were completely fastened in.

The drift was frequently to the westward, and the ice was constantly breaking up and reforming, and the vessels were carried back and forth, and occasionally the vessels would be carried near to bold and rocky promontories, from which there was much danger.

AMERICA BECOMES COMMENTED TOGETHER BY THE PACIFIC OCEAN.

Such is the region through which numerous, expensive, and well planned enterprises have been sent by various governments, for the purpose of navigating around the northern coast of America, into the Pacific Ocean, and now two vessels, the Enterprise and the Investigator, before spoken of, are endeavouring to make the passage from the opposite direction, in the hope of finding the veteran navigator, whose fate enlists so warmly the benevolent interest of all commercial nations.

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DISASTROUS GALE.

We transcribe from one of our Nova Scotia exchanges, the following melancholy account of the recent disaster resulting from the dreadful gale, which prevailed on our northern coast, and a portion of the eastern coast of Nova Scotia.

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TRIUMPHANT RETURN OF THE HON. R. D. WILMOT.

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THE DECLARATION.

On Monday the returns from the several Parishes were made and the votes summed up, when the Sheriff officiated and the Hon. R. D. Wilmot, Esq. elected, to represent the City and County of Saint John in General Assembly.

The votes taken at the several Polling Districts were declared by the Sheriff as follows:—

Table with 2 columns: Polling District and Votes. Includes entries like King's Ward, No. 1, No. 2, etc.

On Wednesday last, the new Church, recently erected in Main Street in this City, was solemnly consecrated and set apart for the service of Almighty God.

The consecration was performed by the Rev. Wm. Armstrong, (the appointed Minister of the new Church), and a number of other Clergymen; among whom we observed the Rev. Messrs. Harrison, Allan Clark, A. Stewart, A. Wood, W. Scott, J. W. Dickson, &c.

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CONSERVATION.

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