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St. JOHN, N. B. DEC. 16.

On Friday the 8th inst. a deputation from the St. Patrick's Society, of Fredericton, consisting of the President, Vice-President, and a committee of ten Mem-Lieutenant Governor with the following from the President was received.

C. B., Lieutenant-Governor, and Commander in Chief of the Pro-

Society in Fredricton.

May it please your Excellency-

At the present moment, when Lower rant into the horrors of civil war-it becomes the duty of all classes of Her Majesty's subjects to express their detes- | placed. British Government. We therefore, as Irishmen and British subjects beg to approach your Excellency with hearts cellency, that fully conscious as we are of the blessing we enjoy under the British Constitution we are ready to defend the require our best exertions be assured. Sir, that we shall call upon all our British Rule in these Provinces against anarchy and confusion.

see fit, be pleased to call upon us to defend the British Flag with our lives and

Signed on behalf of the Society. THOMAS BAILLIE, President.

to make the following reply:-To the St Patrick's Society of Fre-

Irish-it goes direct to the heart, from whence it evidently proceeds.

Though not an Irishman myself many years of my public life have been passed to Gen. Scott to proceed to the (an I I will add happily passed) in Ireland. At an earley period of my residence in that Country, the circumstances in which that Country, the circumstances in which I was placed gave me peculiar facilities the Irish character. I have publicly be taken as far as convenient from said upon another occasion, "treat and the scene of excitement. The sol Irishman with strict justice and a little kindness and you will attach him to you with all the ardour of his warm hearted for three months. The utmost nature." Justice, he, common with all caution and prudence is recomclasses of Her Majesty's subjects, feels a well founded confidence of receiving under the protection of our unrivalled Constitution, in every part of the British dominions; and kindness, when needed, he feels concludes and confidence of experiencing the feels concludes the feels concluded the feels and the feels are th he feels equally assured of experiencing litia force as Gen. Scott may realty the one and devited attachment to quire. The same to the Gover-In the name of our youthful Sove-

o reign. I thank you gentlemen, for this

UNITED STATES.

WASHINGTON, JAN. 8.

The Senate held no sitting tobers, waited upon His Excellency the day. In the House a message relative to the Canada troubles, To His Excellency Major-Gene-ral Sir John Harvey, K. C. H. and that an outrage of a most aggrathat an outrage of a most aggravated kind, the attack on the steam submit to such an outrage without ry properly replied to all this tivince of New-Brunswick, &c. &c. | boat Caroline, had happened, and that the excitement before exist-The humble Address of the St. Patrick's ing in that quarter, had been great ly increased. In consequence of this act, the President had ordered out the Militia, to repel any Canada is in open rebellion, caused by invasion of our frontier, and asked the conduct of those factious demagogues for the necessary appropriations who have led the unthinking and igno- to meet the unexpected circumstances in which the country is

The accompanying documents. were read, showing the great excitement prevailing on the frontier, full of loyalty and devotion to our belo- which were communicated from ved Sovereign; and to assure your Ex- the District Attorney. The captain of the Caroline testifies that the boat was employed to run besame to the last extremity. Should tween Buffalo and Schlosser—that therefore, circumstance arise which may as she passed below Black Rock, a volley of musketry was fired on Countrymen, confident of the result, in her, but did no injury, -- that she British North America, to join with us made 3 trips from Schlosser, to in maintaining at whatever sacrifice, the N. Island, and returned to Schlosser, where she was moored, and We therefore respectfully pray that that 23 persons came on board to Your Excellency will whenever you may sleep. They were attacked in the night by five boats, who took possession of the steamboat, killing one man, and setting the boat on fire. The captain has found but 21 out of 33. Twelve persons missing, he supposes are killed, To which His Excellency was pleased besides Durfee, who was shot .--Eleven, other persons, who were GENTLEMEN, Your Address is truly statement of Captain Appleby. Accompanying the message was a communication from Mr Poinsett to furnish the necessary quota of for correctly appreciating the worth of troops, recommending that they diers are to be cailed into service mended to Gen. Scott.

There was also a communication to the Governor of New York, requesting him to call out such minor of Vermont, and a communi-

the murderes. He was sensible of the tremendous consequences he should no longer deserve the violation of our territory. name of an American, if he could that so much as relates to appro-Foreign Affairs.

cussion now premature. When thing was quiet on the frontier, & it came he was as ready as any the assembly of an U.S. force one to vindicate the honor of his there would have been the signal

read, disclaiming any intention to

tish Minister too tame. serted that this was no apology or explanation at all, and he was sur- to make this attack. The gentleprised that a citizen of New York | man from S. C. Mr. Thompson should bring it forth as such, for that same night on which McNab Mr. Forsyth's letter to the British pretended he did not intend to invade our territory, this outrage on the Caroline was committed. Mr F. stated another fact, that a beacon light was kept burning at Mc Nab's camp evidently for the puron board the Caroline, affirm the pose of lighting back the murder- them there, but if gentlemen were ers who had sent the Caroline over the falls. Mr. F. was surprised that the message alluded to no defence of our forts on the frontier. He had no doubt that the U.S. cannon had been taken from un- rage that should make the blood occupied forts and carried on to Grand Island, and he considered finger's end. He would go any it culpable in not preventing these | length honorably to vindicate our cannon being used to provoke a war with Great Britain.

Mr. Gray repelled the idea of countries. apologising for the outrage at Schlosser, but he was desirous of avoiding declaring war at the north while we had war at the south. We should first get full information of the facts.

Mr. Tillinghast of R. Island, & Government-House, Fredericton, to the committee on Foreign Af-should be given to the country deprecated the idea of getting up a process of the committee on Foreign Af-should be given to the country deprecated the idea of getting up a process of the committee on Foreign Af-should be given to the country deprecated the idea of getting up a process of the country deprecated the idea of getting

nation was no atonement. It floor. He then went into an atwas a murder, and we should tack on the administration, and cease to command the respect of complained that they had not forother nations if, after this invasion | tified the frontier in anticipation of and outrage, we did not demand this event. That the President ought to have foreseen it and ordered troops there in season to of a war with Great Britain, but have repelled any attempt at the

Mr. Bronson of New York veample atonement. He moved rade, that the opposition seemed to care little about a war between priation go to the committee of the U. States & Great Britain, if ways and means, and the rest to they could only make a war on the administration. He went on to . Mr. Cambreleng thought a dis- show that within 30 days every of disturbance. Besides, where At the request of Mr. Gray of were the administration to get the New York, an insolent letter of troops to man those forts. The McNab, dated Dec. 29, to the Dis troops were all the south, defendtrict Attorney, at Buffalo was ing that frontier. The Government had done every thing that by land on our territory, and pretend- law the administration could do to ing that he had been fired on by provide against this exigency, by the privates on Grand Island, & employing all its civil force, and that the first aggressions came from only when it became necessary had the Americans. He thought the President applied to Congress letter of Mrr Forsyth to the Bri- for aid. He could hardly conceive why gentlemen should be so eager Mr. Fill more of New York as- to assail the administration on this thing. It was wholly gratuitous had complained of the tameness of minister. What would he have? We were living in a glass house, and should not throw stones. There were now 1000 citizens of the U.S. in arms of navy Island. It was true we had no power over sincere in wishing to preserve our neutrality they should be willing to make some allowance for excesses on the other side. The murder at Schlesser was an outof every American tingle to his rights, but he was not for precipitous action to involve the two

Mr. Rhett of S. C. indignantly repelled this attempt of the opposition to throw blame on the administration, and showed that all had been done that could be done without the aid of Congress which was asked as soon as it was needed other tederalists joined in this de- If the Caroline was employed to cation from Mr. Forsyth to the bate for the sole purpose of doing carry troops and ammunitions to Address. As Her majesty's Representative, I will accept your proferred services and I will put myself at your head, if circumstances should render it necessary for the Militia Forces of this Province, or any considerable body of them, to follow the Queen's troops to the aid of Her Majesty's loyal subjects in Lower Canada.

The Majesty's Representative, I will accept your proferred services and I will put myself at your head, if calling his attention to the outrage at Schlosser.

Mr. Howard, Chairman of the Committee on Foreign affairs, found ro fault with the British. He was not afraid of any war growing out of the relations of the Mr. Thompson of South Caro, two countries and depresented the clare of the sole purpose of doing what they did in the war of 1812, havy Island, he should have done and manunitions to the war of 1812, finding fault with the Government, and making war on that instead of fighting its enemies. Mr. T. Buffalo, &c. and concluded that more had been done to justify the growing out of the relations of the Mr. Thompson of South Caro, two countries and depresented the carry troops and ammunitions to the war of 1812, havy Island, he should have done and making war on that instead of fighting its enemies. Mr. T. Buffalo, &c. and concluded that more had been done to justify the growing out of the relations of the land on a former occasion been the first making the purpose of doing what they did in the war of 1812, havy Island, he should have done and making the purpose of doing the first making the first making the purpose of doing the first making calling his attention to the outrage | finding fault with the Government, | as Col. McNab had done. He re-Mr. Thompson of South Caro- two countries, and deprecated the done against the U.S. when we Lieut Governor, lina objected to it. It should go idea that any such impression took possession of Pensacola. He might have been taken to prevent our ci- others trading to-and interested in-the on Navy Island.

Mr. Menifee of Ohio, thought that a direction should be given to this subject formed, our transmarine Possessions from this House, of statesman-like and were of minor consideration compaired elevated character, looking to a just and with their value at the present day : the bonorable termination of the contest .- additions by conquest, cession and colo-He rebuked the intimations thrown out nization, since the commencement of the by gentlemen tending to irritate feelings present century manifestly therefore reand give an improper direction to this quire an altered and improved mode of matter. The course of his remarks went conducting the Colonial Government at to censure Mr. Tillinghast and his fede- home. ral associates, who had stirred this thing turned round, like a true hatter of his try. country, to abuse the government, evidentiy with the design to make a new panic out of the Canada matters to hurt an inquiry into and a redress of-the of the United States he neld responsible sume not to indicate the course which to the most atrocious extent for all the parliament should adopt, further than to consequences that were to follow. For the observe that there are many retired Cololast four years the government had been | nial Governors, Judges, Civil Officers and guilty of the most cowardly non-obser. Colonial Gentlemen now in England, vance of neutrality in the history of civilised administrations. He then went into the old tirade against the government, alluding to Texas and Mexico, and sundry matters. He was willing that the power and dignity of England important interests of the Colonies of should come in and force from us the this maratime and commercial Empire. rights of justice and equality which we had denied to the weaker nation of Mex- will ever pray &c. ico. He talked of the administration that had signalised and "infamised" (a new word) our foreign relations for the last year. He ended with praying for the regeneration of the administration which he expected was coming.

(see last page.)

The prayer of the following Petition appears to us to be founded upon a just conception of the increasing importance of the British Colonies to the Parent State and of the necessity of creating a department in which the numerous and diversified interests of the several dependencies shall be more fully comprehendec, and more wisley and efficiently controlled, than it is possible they can be

we think there would be some difficulty in the way of a Partiamentary representation of the Colonies; but the formation of something like a Board of Controul to consist of not less than Twelve members of the Imperial Parliament, might not only be acceptable, but infinitely preferable to the present system. The question, however, is one of grave importance, and demands the most serious consideration.-Ledger, Feb. 2.

COLONIAL PETITION.

[The following Petition when signed in London, and the Outports, will be presented to both Houses of parliament and Committees moved for, to take the Premises into consideration.]

The Humble Petition of the Undersigned Merchants, Traders, and others interested in the Peace and Prosperity of the Colonies and in the Preservation of the British Empire-

I. That the Colonies and transmarine territories under the dominion and protection of the British Empire are of immense extent, and of the highest importance politically, commercially and socially,and therefore deserving the serious and sedulous attention of your Honourable

2. That these colonies and transmarine territories are situate in both hemispheres,-under every zone, and beneath various climes; with a diversified population, speaking many languages,unassimilated in laws, habits and religion, -subject to different forms of Local Government, and therefore demanding a wise and uniform system of Administration for their Imperial Rule. 3. That the inhabitants of those Colonies and Terrioteries, altho' embracing numbers wealth and intelligence, are unrepresented in the Parliament of the United Kingdom: their complicated affairs being entrusted to the care of a Secretary of State, changing with every loss, shadministration in England,—selected Policy. for office with reference rather to an identity of party feeling than to a knowledge of Colonial and Mercantile affairs, and acting therefore on no defined and

tizens turning pirates as they had done peace and prosperity of those distant depencies of the Empire.

4. That when the Colonial Office was

5. Your Petitioners abstair from pointo make charges upon the administration. | ting out the reasons for the inadequacy He said gentlemen forgot who Great Bri- of the Colonial Office to execute efficientain and the United States were. That thy the momentous duties entrusted to they were the two foremost nations on its charge ;-they advert not to the earth, and could not go to war on a little anomalous power and patronage vested in matter like this, involving no principle. a single individual subject to so trival a You cannot until you roll back the very responsibility as that which now exists, spirit of the age and of civilization itself neither will they refer to the causes for make a war between the United States | the dissatisfaction and party spirit which and Great Britain. They were friends more or less pervades each of our Colofor the great purposes of civilization, and nists-destroying their social concord,they would continue such. After going retarding their trade, -and weakening on quite patriotically so far, he then their connection with the Mother Coun-

6. Your Petitioners relying on the wisdom of your honourable House for the administration. The administration grievance of which they complain, prewhose local knowledge and experience might be rendered beneficial should it be deemed proper to form an Administrative Department for the efficient management of the vast and paramountly And your Petitioners, as in duty bound

RULES

OF THE

Mutual Insurance Society

CONCEPTION BAT? FOR THE YEAR 1838.

RULE 1.—This Scheme of Insurance shall be Mutual; and shall consist of Owners or legal representatives of Decked Vessels, who shall sign and seal these Rules, (and the Power-of-Attorney to the Secretary) previous to their Vessels being admitted or Insurred in this Scheme .-The scheme shall Insure such Vessels, from 12 o'clock at Night on the 1st day of March; until 12 o'clock at Night, on the last day of November ensuing: no Vessel shall be admitted after the 1st day of September. It shall remunerate the Owner for a total loss, occasioned by the Winds, Seas, Rocks, Shoals, Ice, Lightning, Fire, Enemies, Pirates. Thieves, or by any other means whatsoever (in Port and at Sea), while engaged on the Fishing, Sealing, and Coasting Voyages, within the limits of this Government and its Dependencies; including Vessels that may be employed on the Bank Fishery, and on any Foreign Voyages to any other Country, excepting the West Indies in the hurricane months-July, August and September. This scheme shall also pay the Owner for such part at average losses, as shall, with the incidental charges, amount to 15 \ cent. on the value of the Vessel; provided the Vessel be stranded at the time of sustaining such partial loss, but not otherwise: but it will not make good any loss arising from Barratry of the Master or Mariners; neither will it pay for any loss occasioned by Smuggling, or any other Illicit Trade.

II.—The scheme shall not Insure more than ONE THOUSAND Pounds Currency on any one Vessel. The Owners of Ves. sels to be Insured, shall give to the Secretary, the name, age, and tonnage of each Vessel; and the sum in Currency, for which they would wish to have each of them Insured; so that the Secretary may lay the same before the Committee, for their approval. If the Committee should disapprove of the Owner's valuation of any Vessel, the Secretary shall notify the same to the Owner. All Vessels, the value of which is approved of by the Committee, shall, after having been properly surveyed, be entered in the scheme; and the Secretary shall give to the Owner's a Certificate of such entry; which shall be considered a proof of such

Dwyer, W. H. Taylor, S. O. Pack, and Wm. Brown; by whose judgment, or aforesaid notice, with the exception of any seven of them when regularly con-

pointed Surveyors: - Messrs. W. H. Taylor, John Pike (of John), Felix McCarthy, senr., and James Legg, for Carbo near, Harbor Grace, and adjacent Coves; and Messrs. Abraham French, Nathaniel sum Insured on the vessel, relative to the French, John Churchill, John Snow, whole amount Insured in the scheme, senr., John Richards (of Isaac), William and to the vessel so to be Insured.
Andrews, (of Robt.), and capt. W Smith, IX.—In case of a total or average for Brigus, Bay Roberts, Spaniards Bav, the master shall note a protest, call in and Port-de-Grave, Daniel Dwyer, William Welch, and James Pitts, jun., for St. John's, and Thomas Rowe, Wm. Legg, and Mark Rockwood, for Trinity Bay .-Whose duty it is to see that the Vessels | it should appear to be for their interest are well found in anchors, cables, sails, and every other requisite for the Voyage, and particularly to ascertain that the hull is tight, starch, and strong, and in all Carbonear, by order of the committee, respects fit to encounter the difficulties it may be liable to, in the intended voyage of the year. The net proceeds shall be -previous to their proceeding on the giving to the treasurers within a month sealing voyage, and again before they at latest, and shall be divided among the proceed to the Labrador or on any Fo- Insurers rateably with the amount each reign Voyage as well as those that may Insurer may have in the scheme. The experience damage and consequent repairs. They are to observe that a spare Rudder-post, with the lower pintle fixed ers of the vessels, requiring such docuon, is carried in each Vessel on the seal-ing voyage, and that one Boat, marked be copied in the Records. with the initials of the society, is included in the valuation of the Vessel. It is | crew, in consequence of being in danger also their duty to judge of the qualifica- of perishing amongst Ice, Rocks, &c. be tions, and approve or disapprove, as afterward recovered and found to have may be, of any Master that may be pro- sustained damage to the value of forty posed, who has not been a Master in the per cent on the sum she is insured in scheme before. They shall grant a Certificate for every Vessel they survey and just appraisement, the owner may abanapprove of: stating the name of the ves- | don, if he do thus abandon it must be sel, the name of the Owner, the name of declared within three days after the arthe Master, and the date of the survey; rival and after it comes to his knowwhich certificate shall be signed by Two | ledge. of the Surveyors; and shall state that they have surveyed and approved of such of the wreck or materials saved, the mas-Vessel, and shall be handed to the Secre- ter shall furnish the Secretary with an tary by the Surveyors. Two Surveyors inventory thereof, immediately on his only shall be necessary for each Vessel, and their Fees are to be THREE SHIL-LINGS each, for every Vessel they survey; but there shall be no charge for any sur-

vey but the first. Secretary, who is to attend all the Mee-Committee. He shall provide and fill up a Policy in accordance with the Rules within ten days after having been called has taken on his own account. on for the same, signed by him, on beof Attorney, to be giving him for that purpose; in default of which, he shall give to each insurer a copy of these Rules. If any Underwriter shall refuse to pay his proportion of any loss (allowed by the Committee), to the Secretary, on demand, after it becomes due, the Secretary shall sue for the same, at law, in behalf of the sufferer .- Shall do all other things required of him according to the Rules, and provide what Books and Stationery may be required: for doing all which faithfully, he shall be paid FIFTEEN SHILLINGS for each vessel entered in the Scheme. One shilling shall be paid by each vessel to the Secretary, for the use of a Room, in which to hold the Meeting.

VI.—The following persons are appointed Treasurers, viz.-Messers. Robert Pack, Thomas Chancey, J. W. Martin, Wm. W. Bemister, and George Forward, who agree to make no charge for any trouble the office may give them.-They shall have access to the Records. and any other documents in the hands of the Secretary, whenever they desire it; and shall be borne harmless by the Society for any loss or damage the Office may occasion them.

VII.—Any vessels that may enter the scheme after the first day of May shall vessels being Insured; and, in case of be rated for their proportion of losses loss, shall form the ground-work of the from the date of their respective Certificates of entry. Any vessels entered in III.—The under-mentioned 20 Persons | March may between the 20th May and are nominated to represent every indivi- 10th June, be withdrawn from the dual member of the Society, in a Com- scheme on the Owner or his agent giving mittee, viz .- Messrs. Robert Pack, Geo. | notice thereof in writing to the Secretary permanent system, without any known | Forward, William Best, Thomas Marten, | which notice shall be entered in the Re-

mated that more energetic measures | the Colonies or in the merchants and | (son of Francis), James Forward, Rich- | of the scheme, shall contribute their ard H. Taylor, Felix McCarthy, James subscription for all losses that may Legg, John Penny (of John), Edward take place in the seal fishery, even should vened; and when given in writing on the engaged to be continued in the seal fish-Records; we engage to abide, each person, for himself, his heirs, and assigns, the sealing voyage allowed by the comas regards the particular share of every | mitte, shall be collected by the Secretary individual Underwriter. But, notwith- from such Underwriter; paid into the standing that such power is vested in the | hands of the Treasures, and paid to the Committee yet they are to govern them- persons sustaining such losses by the selves by these Rules. The Committee | end of June. All other losses allowed by are to hold their first Meeting, for the the committee, shall be collected, and admission of Vessels, on the 28th Febru-ary. No Member of the committee shall December. The payments are to be be competent to vote at a Meeting, to made in currency, (dollars at five shilconsider of a loss in which he may be lings each.) All vessels lost on the sealinterested, as Owner or representative of | ing voyage shall be considered as withdrawn at the end of that vovage; and li-IV .- The following persons are ap- able for their proportion of losses on that

> VIII.-Every Insurer shall Underwrite on each vessel (admitted into the scheme agreeably to the Rules) according to the

> IX.—In case of a total or average loss two or three special Surveyors, if need be, and if wreck be saved employ an auctioneer to sell it by public vendue, for the benefit of the Underwriters: or if he shall freight it to Carbonear or St. John's; preferring Carbonear, where it shall in like manner be disposed of if in and at some time previous to the close

X-Should a vessel, deserted by her the scheme : and on regular survey and

XI-In case a vessel be lost, and any arrival at home.

XII.—Owners of vessels to be entered in the scheme, may if they please, take on themselves the risk of any part of the valuation of their vessels; if they take V. Mr T. Newell is appointed such risk on their own account on any vessel that may be lost, they are to retings of the Society; settle and collect | ceive of any wreck that may be saved, a the amount of all losses allowed by the share proportioned to such risk; and the certificate of entry shall in al' cases, specify what proportion of risk the Owner

XIII .- No vessel shall be Insured in half of each insurer, consonant to a Power | this scheme but those surveyed in Conception Bay with the exception of the Superb and Juno, at St. John's, and two forfeit a fourth part of his fees. He shall | Schooners at Hants Harbour called the

T. NEWELL. SECRETARY.

Carboner, 16th Feb.

MIDDLE-BIGHT PACKET

OBERT and JOHN HINDS, of Middle-Bight, begs most respectfully to inform their Friends and the Public, that they have a safe and commodious Four-sail BOAT, which they intend running the Winter, as long as the weather will permit, between Middle-Bight, Brigus and Port-de-Grave. One of the Owners of the Packet will call every Tuesday morning at Messrs. Per-CHARD & BOAG's for Letters and Packages. and then proceed across the Bay as soon as wind and weather will allow; and in case of their being no possibility of proceeding by Water, the Letters will be forwarded by Land, by a careful Person, and the utmost punctuality observed.

They beg to state, also, that they have good and comfortable Lodgings, and every necessary that may be wanted, and on reasonable terms.

> TERMS: Passengers5s. each Single Letters.....18. " Double Ditto28. " Packages in proportion.

Not accountable for cash or any other valuable property put on board.

Letters will be receivee at Mr. Mc'fixed principles,—and by reason of the precarious and temporary tenure of office Bemister, J. W. Martin, Simon Levi, of its being received; but notwithstand ing Vessels that may be thus taken out January 20, 1838.

On Sale

On Low Terms for CASH, Togiclose Sales of Sundry CONSIGNMENTS

7 Puncheons Superior Molasses 20 Barrels Fresh Corned Beef (New York)

1 Hogshead Sugar 2 Butts Prime Leaf Tobacco

3 Barrels Pitch

10 Barrels Tar 2 Three Almude Casks Port Wine 6 Qr.-Chests Congo & Souchong Tea

10 Barrels Superior Boiling Peas. WILLIAM DIXON & CO.

Harbor Grace, Feb. 21, 1838.

BY THE SUISCRIBERS. JUST RECEIVED,

Per Brig Hit or Miss, from exhibited from Sunset to Sunrise on and Bristol,

Patent Cordage Rice, Tea White and Yellow Soap Dip Candles Blanketing, Serges Earthenware, Tinware Boots and Shoes, (Leather Bellows, Brushes Sheathing Iron 61/4 Stemplates Gunpowdersin 1/4 Barrels

THORNE, HOOPER & Co. Harbor Grace, January 17, 1838.

Contract.

Persons desirous of Contracting | mediate payment to for the Repairs of the ROAD between Harbor Grace and Carbonear, are requested to send Sealed Tenders for the same, to me, by the First day of April next.

By order of the Commissioners,

L. MOORE,

Secretary.

PARTICULARS.

Opening the Drains on each side Two Feet by Two—cutting through all hillocks, and filling up the hollows—cutting off Eight Feet of the SADDLE-HILL, to the Eastward of the present Road-putting Rubbish where it is soft and muddy, so as to make a firm bottom, leaving the whole line of Road in a propper state for Gravelling. Security will be required from the party Tendering, and the Work to be approved by the Commissioners and the Surveyor.

The party Contracting, to satisfy in

every respect, the Board of Controul at St. John's, before the last instalment is

JAMES HODGE

Of Kellygrews,

BEGS most respectfully to inform his friends and the public that he has a most safe and commodious FOUR-SAIL BOAT, capable of conveying a number of Passengers and which he intends running the Winter as long as the occupied by Mr. PETER ROGERSON, weather will permit between Kellygrews, Brique, and Port-de-Grave. The Owner of the Packet will call every Wednesday morning at Mr. John Crute's and Mr. Thomas Doyle's for Letters and Packages, and then proceed across the Bay as soon as the wind and weather will allow; and in case of there being no possibility of proceeding by Water the Letters will be forwarded by Land by a careful person and the utmost punctuality

James Hodge begs to state also that he has good and comfortable Lodgings, and every necessary that may be wanted and on the most reasonable terms.

TERMS OF PASSAGE : One person or three, to pay 15s.; and above that number 5s. each. Not accountable for Cash or any other valuable property put on board.

ANTED, a PERSON to act as an Assistant to the Harbour Grace Island Light House.—Application to be

Harbour Grace Island, Jan. 10, 1838.

Jan. 12, 1838.

For Sale or to Let

For such a term of Years as may be agreed on,

LL that Valuable piece of highly cultivated LAND, formerly the Properly of the late Henry Webber, sen. and now the Fee-simple Property of the Subscriber. Situate on the West of the Widow CAWLEY's premises, in this Town. The Property will be Sold or Let in from One to Three Lots, as it may suit the parties, and possession given the First day of May next. Terms accommodat-

Further particulars may be known, by applying to the Subscriber.

HENRY WEBBER. Harbour Grace, Dec. 13, 1837.

ADVERTISEMENT.

TO MARINERS.

OTICE is hereby given that a powerful FIXED LIGHT will be after Tuesday Evening next, the 21st inst., on HARBOUR GRACE ISLAND, in Conception Bay, extending Eastwardly, or Seaward, in a direction by compass from North to South-west.

> W. STIRLING, JAMES BAYLY, THOMAS RIDLEY, WILLIAM PUNTON, THOMAS CHANCEY, Commissioners.

Harbour Grace, November 13, 1837.

LL Persons having any Claim or Claims on JAMES HIPPISLEY of Bristol, (England,) but late of Harbor Grace, Merchant, Deceased, are hereby requested to present the same Cotton and Regatta Shirts to the Subscriber without delay; and all Men's Drawers
Persons indebted to the said JAMES Boy's Cloth and Plush Caps HIPPISLEY, are required to make im- White and Grey Shirtings

> GEORGE HIPPISLEY. Sole Executor.

Harbor Grace, Sept. 6, 1837.

On Sale

BY

JOHN STEVENSON

The Cargo of the Louisa & Frederick, from Richebucto,

CONSISTING OF 15,000 Feet Merchantable Pine Board 5,000 Feet Deals 13,000 Shingles

Spars from 6 to 12 inches 4 Tons Hardwood Balk 13,00 Ash Billets. Haroour Grace, December 6, 1837.

Thorne, Hooper & Co 30,000 Feet Merchantable Pine Board 10,000 do. do. 11/2 inch do. Plank 6,000 do. do. Plank for Decking 3,000 do. Hardwood do. 3 inch

3,000 Scantling Hardwood Balk & Spruce & Pine Spars Being the Caryo of the Brig Ann, N Davis, Master, from Miramichi.

Harbor Grace, November 22, 1837.

THE SUBSCRIBER

Having taken the STORE lately

Offers for Sale,

Cheap for CASH

Superfine Flour Prime Mess Pork Superior common Bread Excellent Holstein Butter

Molasses. WM. HENDERSON. Harbor Grace, Sept. 20, 1837.

SEALERS

FOR SALE At the Office of this Paper. Harbor Grace, December 6, 1837.

Harbor Grace, Dec. 27.

STOP READ!

At considerably Reduced Prices.

The Subscriber

HAVING JUST RECEIVED HIS FALL SUPPLY OF The under-mentioned Articles, recommends them as worthy the

> attention of the Public, as he intends to dispose of them at a very low figure above the Invoice Cost, viz.:

Linen Bed Tick Brown and White Serge Printed Cottons French Ginghams Wide and Narrow striped Checks Extra stout Ditto Black, Brown and Coloured Merinos Bombazets, Plaids Thibet Wool Shawls Plain Middle Ditto Fancy Ditto Thibet Wool Handkerchiefs Black Barcelona Ditto

Fancy Ditto Ditto Gauze Ditto Cross-bared, Corded and Book Muslins Jaconet and Mull Ditto Ladies' Work'd Lace and Muslin Collars Colored Jaconets Laced Edgings Men's Braces Men's stout Yarn Hose

Men's Worsterd Ditto Men's Lambswool Ditto Women's Black Ditto Ditto Men's Cuff'd and Milled Gloves Men's Fleeced Ditto Women's Fine Ditto Women's Black and White Cotton Dc.

White Counterpanes White Flannels Women's White and Colord Stays Men's and Woman's Shoes and Boots A few Martin Boas Swansdown Ruffs, Wadding

Men's Beaver Hats Men's Guernsey Frocks Canvas Frocks Whitney Blankets Petershams, Pilot Cloths Superfine Brown, Blue & Olive Cloths

Tea Trays Rum, Molasses, Sugar, Teas Pork, Butter Soap by the box Upper and Sole Leather

Earthenware, Pipes Tobacco and Snuff, in large and small quantities And Sundry other Articles.

GEORGE W. GILL. Carbonear,

November 22, 1837.

THE SUBSCRIBERS HAVE RECEIVED,

By the Brigs Caroline from Hamburg, Ann from Bristol, and Emily from London,

The undermentioned Goods Which they offer at unusually low rates for Cash or Produce,

Bread 1st, 2nd, 3rd and quality, Hamburg Butter, Best Hamburg Pork, ditto ditto

Flour, Fine, Superfine & extra Superfine Navy beef, a few Tierces Oatmeal, Peas, Hams Window Glass, Bricks, Lime in Hhds. Oakum, Nails, Shot, Bar & Bolt Iron Blocks, Mast Hoops, Ensigns Compasses, Log-glasses, Lamp-cotton Cabin Stoves, Grates Bridport Canvas Bristol made Shoes and Boots Fur Caps

Account Books, Wrapping Paper Vinegar in Jars 1 & 2 Gallons each WITH A GENERAL ASSORTMENT Of Linen Drapery, Woollens, Silks Hosiery, Haberdashery Ironmongery, Tinware and Earthen ware

ALSO, ex-Trusty, From Demerara,

34 Puns. Superior Molasses in Bond 11 Ditto High Proof Rum 3. Hogsheads Sugar.

THORNE, HOOPER & Co. Harbor Grace, November 8, 1837.

Ranks

For Sale at the STAR, Office. Harbor Grace.

On Sale

G. P. JILLARD

HAS RECENTLY IMPORTED, From Manchester, Birmingham, and Bristol.

AND OFFERS FOR SALE,

On reasonable terms.

White, Blue, and Brown Serges Flannel, Union Baize Calico, Shirting, Check Stout Cotton Duck, Double warp ditto Cambric, Mull, Jaconet, Book, Crossbar and Coloured MUSLINS White and Coloured Net, Quilling ditto Lace, Edging and Tatting in great variety

Printed Cottons, Rich CHINTZ Coloured Morino, Plain Stuffs Ribbons and Persians Gentlemen's Fancy Cravats and Stiffners Men's, Women's and Children's Silk,

Kid, and Leather GLOVES Ditto ditto Worsted and Cotton Hose Twist, Sewing Silk, Sewing Cotton, Tape, and all sorts of

HABIERDASHERY

Imperial, Braid, Dress, and Side Combs Pocket Combs, Ivory small tooth ditto Violin & Violincello Bows & Bow-hair Ditto and ditto Strings, 1, 2, 3, 4 Umbrellas, Pins and Needles Elastic Knitting Pins Gilt, and Silver-end Thimbles Slates, and Slate Pencils Table Knives and Forks Steels and Carvers Penknives, Scissors, Razors Awlblades, Shoe Knives, Nippers Cinder Sifters, Chamber Buckets Mops, Brushes, Pattens SCYTHES, Grass Hooks Wire Rat and Mouse Traps Irish and English Spades, Rakes Wood Screws, Brads, Door-springs Files of all sorts, Shoe Rasps Imperial Weights from 4lbs. down Ditto Pewter Measures Britannia-metal Teapots, Coffee Biggins,

Plated and Britannia-metal Tea & Table,
Spoons, Ladles, Sugar Tongs
Caddy and Salt Spoons
Cases Mathematical Instruments Pocket Compasses Superfine Kerby Hooks Buttons of all descriptions Beads, Smelling Bottles London VINEGAR in cask and bottles PATENT MEDICINES Castor Oil, Epsom Salts Pocket Pistols and Ducking Guns with

Percussion Locks and Caps Gentlemen's Boots and Shoes Ladies' Ditto Children's Ditto

WATCHES, Watch Guards

WEDDING and Fancy RINGS

TOGETHER WITH A SPLENDID ASSORTMENT OF

JEWELLERY

Harbor Grace, July 19, 1837.

Notcies

For a Term of Twenty-six Years, or the Interest SOLD,

F those Extensive WATER-SIDE PREMISES, at Harbor Grace, lately in the occupancy of the Subscriber, admeasuring on the South side of the Street about One Hundred and Sixtyseven Feet front, on which there is erected a WHARF, and STORE 30 by 28 Feet, and the use of a VAT if required, that will contain about 7000 Seals. The situation is in a Central part of the Town, and well adapted for a Coal and Lumber Yard. ALSO, about Fortythre Feet front to LET on BUILDING LEASES, on the North side of the Street, East of Mr. Power's House.

As HARBOR GRACE has now all the advantages of St. John's, being a FREE PORT, this PROPERTY may be worth the attention of a Capitalis: For further particulars apply to Mr. ANDREW DRYSDALE, Harbor Grace.

PETER ROGERSON.

St. John's, Sept. 5, 1837.

or at St. John's, to

A LL Persons having any Claim on the Estate of ROBERT DOBIE, of Kirkaldy, (North Britain), but late of Brigus, Surgeon, Deceased, are requested to present the same to the Subscriber; and all Persons indebted to the said Estate, are required to make

Brigus.

JULIA DOBIE.

THE GRAVE.

How sweet to sleep where all is peace? And pain is full d to rest-Escap'd o'er fortune's troubled To anchor in the silent grave

That quiet land where, peril past, The weary win a long repose, The bruised spirit finds at last, A balm for all its woes, And lowly grief and loraly plide Lie down like brothers side by sid

The breath of slander cannot come here is no dreaming in the comp. Vor waking to despair,-Unkindness cannot wound us more

There the maiden waits till her

They never more shall part .-And the stricken deer has gained

With the arrow in her neart, and And passion pulse lies masked and Beyond the reach of the compter's skill

The mother-she is gone to slee She has no weary watch to keep Shall never more be broken-ther

For me-for me, whom all have left. The lovely, and the dearly lov d,rom whom the touch of time hath real The hearts that time had provid. Vhoes guerdon was-and is despair, For all I bore-and all I bear

Amid the selfish and the cold As those I nurs'd of old! Why should the dead tree mock the violation of A blighted and a wither'd thing?

How blest-how, blest that home to gain And slumber in that soothing sleep, From which we never rise to pain, Nor ever wake to weep! And lay me down on the golden shore

(continued from second page.)

Mr. Thompson was not anxious to force the Country icto war, but were we ! when an armed forge enter our territory and murder our citizens? He was surfacts were true there was but one course, redress by the surrender of the assassins or war. He deprecated the course of the gentleman from Ohio. Nothing could be stranger in these changing times than logist of this administration, but on pelled the accusation of Mr. M. against ther frontier. He was surprised to hear such accusations from such a quarter.—
He shewed the course of the administration to have been in strict accordance
with law and the duties of neutrality, and tirely disagreed with his colleague, Mr Rheit, who had seemed to censure the | SINGULAR MARRIAGE. Last week, Mr. dministration. What national offence James Maddock, of Leek, was married was it for citizens to go into Canada, and | at Prestbury Church, to Miss Hatrie expiate themselves? How could we prevent that, and Great God! was that to be compared to an armed band coming claim him to be 54. The bride, who is into our territory and murdering our ci- a sister to his first wife, is a fine looking

nistration where the national honor was | inches in height; has two children now | floor, he had full confidence in its con- feet tall. The party were conveyed to PAID. auct of our Foreign relations.

mature. We had nothing but wars and commodated with a seat on his lady's rumours of wars, war on Mexico, war on lap. Canada, war with the Abolitionists .- | Four men could make war, the President, A boy, three years of age, was particu-Secretary of War, Governor Marcy, and larly backward in his tongue, and his pa-Gen. Scott. If we armed the frontier to rents feared that he would never talk. repel invasion, made appropriations, and | Send him to agirl's school, said a friend. gave all this power to the President, it The hint was adopted, and succeeded bewas war de facto. (This was a direct yound expectation. taken by the Rhode Island member) - MIND YOUR PUNCTUATION -- A person, As yet he should not hold the govern- who was advertised some time since, in a ment of Great Britain responsible. It Virginia paper, was described as having would not justify this outrage. It required moral courage in our leading and six feet high!!!" aspiring citizens at all times, to take ground against war. This was shewn in An uninformed Irishman hearing the the last war. Success followed those Sphinx alluded to in company, whisperwho then sustained the spirit of war.— ed to a friend, "Sphinx, whose he now?"

d the main question put, committing the documents to the committees of Ways

Where sorrow cannot reach the breast, to a call of the House, stated that all the Where all life's idle throbbings cease, information on the Canada affairs had been communicated. The rest of the In the MATTER OF SIMON LEVI)

> Our opposents will make nothing out of this attempt to charge the tatroubles upon the Administration. shows that they never think of their country, but only how they can benefit their party by her distresses. The would glory in a war at both ends. Mexico and Canada, and a servile was in size middle. the House derically the purient mem-

therefore take

To win my way from the tempest's roar, in the neighbourhood, and on the whole spectable Education. sible recurrence of any similar act, to be told that no principle was involved a portion of the militia to be posted on that fronties. The documents herewith taken in consequence of its occurrence, upon the transaction preparatory to a demand for reparation. I ask such appropriations as the circumstances in

which our country is thus unexpectedly

woman of 19. The enamoured bridechurch in a cart, and Mr. Maddock, by ir. Wise thought this discussion pre- reason of his dwarfish stature, was ac

This was a limit for the federalists of the was from Cannaught replied the Irish-present time.] Mr. W. then moved the man, determined not to seem totally unprevious question, which was seconded, acquainted with the family. St. John's, June 28, 1837.

Notices

In the NORTHERN CIRCUIT COURT, Harbour Grace, MAY and JUNE Term, 7th Wm., 4th

LATE OF CARBONEAR IN THE NORTHERN DISTRICT MERCHANT

bythe said Court of Our Lord the King; And Grace on MONDAY, WEDNESDAY, and WILLIAM W. BEMISTER, Esquire, of tugal Cove on the following days. Carbonear aforesaid, Merchants and Creditors, of the said INSOI:VENT, have, by the major part in Value of the Creditors | chosen and appointed TRUSTEES of the ESTATE of the said INSOLVENT

NOTICE. REAL ACTION OF A SERVICE

W. BERLISTER, as such TRUS- other monies sent by this conveyance are duly authorised, under such ded to the said INSOLVENT, or hav-

OHN STARK,

bitants of CARBONEAR and its Vi-dictive generally, that he has accommodati-the coverant 12 o'clock on each of those days. he has commenced the erection of a School- Ladies & Gentlemen has been committed, accompanied by a friends, which will be ready for their recep- Single Letters hostile though temporary invasion of our tion after the Midsummer Vacation: in Double do. territory, producing the strongest feelings both which Schools the instruction will comof resentment on the part of our citizens | prise all the branches of a useful and re-

border line; and that the excitement | As proof of his capability, all he asks

DESERTED

ROM the service of the Subscriber, on DMOND PHELAN, begs most respect-

MICHAEL COADY.

circumstances leading to and attendant | secuted to the utmost rigour of the Law.

LL Persons who may have Claim 35th Instant. And all Persons indebted to

W. W. BEMISTER, Administrator

POST-OFFICE

He would not be unjust to the admi- groom, who goes upon crutches, is 34 / HE following is a List of the LETinvolved. Though as much opposed to living by his former wife; the eldest OFFICE at St. John's, which will not be any Specie. the administration as any man on this daughter is an elegant girl, at least five forwarded until the POSTAGE IS | N.B.-Letters for St. John's, &c., &c.

Captain Tewkesberry, rig Mary Barry. John Barfoot Edwards, to be forwarded

John Snook, with Mr. Richard H. Taylor June 4, 1836. dr William Collings, 3 papers.

Ar Thomas Gamble. Stephen Halfpenny, Ochre-pit Cove. Mr John McCarthy.

Ar Witting, T. Ridley, and James Bayley,

M Thomas Bartlett, Bears Gove. Mr John Sullivan.

Notices

CONCEPTION BAY PACKETS St John's and Marbor Grace Packets

THE EXPRESS Packet being now a completed, having undergone such alterations and improvements in her accommodations, and otherwise, as the safety, comfort and convenience of Passengers can possibly require or experience suggest, a care-ATHEREAS the said SIMON LEVI ful and experienced Master having also been was, on the First Day of JUNE | engaged, will forthwith resume her usual es, in due form of Law Declared Insolvent | Trips across the BAY, leaving Harbour ereas ROBERT PACK, Esquire, and FRIDAY Mornings at 9 o'Clock, and Por-

> rvants & Children5s. Touble Do. 18.

Ul Letters and Packages will be carefulattended to; but no accounts can be ept for Postages or Passages, nor will the Proprietors be responsible for any Specie or

Agents, ST. John's

NORA CREINA

AME DOYLE, inreturning his best thanks to the Public for the patronage and support he has uniformly received, begs to solicit a continuance of the same fa-

The NORA CREINA will, until further notice, start from Carbonear on the mornings of Monday, Wednesday and Friday, positively at 9 o'clock; and the Packet Man

imself accountable for all LETTERS

ville st. Patrion

on the 15th day of NOVEMBER | I'v fully to acquaint the Public, that the which at a considerble expence, he has fitand the necessity for resorting to them. - ah APPRENTICE, (b und by the Suprem and PORTUGAL COVE, as a PACKET-It will also be seen that the subject was | Court), about Five feet Seven inches high | BOAT; having two abins, (part of the after Minister accredited to this country, and a Native of St. John's. This is to caution both sequented from the rest. The face, the proper steps taken on our part to all Persons from harbouring or employing cabin is conveniently fitted up for Gentleobtain the fullest information of all the the said DESERTER, as they will be Promen with sleeping-berths, which will

and the Cove at 12 o'Clock, on Monday the said Estate, are informed to make imme- | Main leaving St. John's at 8 o'clock on those

After abin Passengers 7s. 6d.

received at his House in Carbonear, and in Kielty's (Newfoundland Tavern) and

TO BE LET

On Building Lease, for a Term of

A PIECE of GROUND situated on the North side of the Street, bounded on

Carbonear, Feb. 9, 1837.

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