

SUMMARY OF NEWS.

Examination of Shipmasters.—A bill is before Parliament, under charge of Captain Fitzroy, M. P. for Durham, which has for its object the examination of masters and mates, and a certification by qualified persons, of their fitness for their duties before they are allowed to enter on them. The business of examiners is proposed to be done by boards of examiners, one of which boards will sit at London, Liverpool, Bristol, Newcastle, Hull, Dublin, Lenth and Glasgow—and will consist of three, or (in London) four, experienced seamen, who will be examiners, a secretary (in London) and a clerk, or a clerk only; of which examiners aforesaid one shall have commanded a vessel, or vessels, in the merchant service, at least seven years, and shall have been in the Indian Ocean—another shall have been at least seven years in the coasting trade of Great Britain, and shall have commanded a vessel, or vessels, in the merchant service, at least seven years—another shall have commanded a steam vessel at least 3 years, and also shall have been 4 years at sea in a vessel, or vessels, not worked by steam—and another, who shall be the principal examiner, shall have a competent knowledge of theoretical as well as practical navigation, and shall have been at sea at least seven years. Power is given to the Trinity House to reject any member elected in the foregoing ports by the shipowners, as an examiner. The 14th clause gives the power to the Trinity House to appoint and alter at their own will and pleasure the nature of the examinations in "seamanship, navigation, and general professional knowledge." The remuneration to be given to the examiners is as follows:—To the principal examiner, £400 per annum; first third, £250; second, £200; clerk, £150. At Liverpool and Glasgow respectively:—To the first examiner, £250 per annum; second, £150; third, £100; clerk, £100. And at the other five boards respectively, namely, Bristol, Newcastle, Hull, Lenth, and Dublin:—To the first examiner, £200 per annum; second, £100; third, £100; clerk, £50.

The Gentlemen of the Law.—The number of persons who have risen by the law from low fortunes to the very highest places in the state, is extraordinary. The present Attorney General of England (Sir F. Pollock) is the son of a saddler. The shop (known to sporting characters) at Charing Cross, now kept by Messrs Cuff, belonged to Pollock, pere, who disposed of his business to his present possessor. The father of Sir William Pollock (Solicitor General) still keeps a lumber yard near Exeter. Sir J. Williams (of the Queen's Bench in England) is the son of a Yorkshire horse-leader. The Chancellor of Ireland (Sugden) is the son of a barber; it is only fair to say that this profound lawyer glories in his origin. At the Cambridge election, when Lord Montague beat him by a majority of 28, Sir Edward was assailed, while speaking from the hustings, with a cry from a whizzing sapper, of "Off! off! you barber's son!" Sir Edward, not at all disconcerted, said at once, "The difference between the person who thus assails me and myself is simply this—had he been born the son of a barber, he would have remained in the same condition during all his life; I was born one and have risen from that humble sphere." "The father of Mr. Platt, Queen's Counsel, one of the most eminent English common law bar, was a clerk to the late Lord Ellenborough. Baron Guernsey's mother kept a small shop for political pamphlets. Mr. Petersdorff's father was a furrier. Lord Kenyon, who was successively Attorney General (under Lord Brougham's second administration) a Baronet and Master of the Rolls in 1784, and in 1788 Lord Chief Justice of the Queen's Bench (in succession to the Earl of Mansfield) and who died worth £300,000, was clerk to an Attorney. Lord Hardwicke, who was Attorney General in the 34th year of his age, was son of an Attorney at Dover, who according to some persons, was hanged for forgery. Lord Eldon was the son of a coal-fitter at Newcastle-on-Tyne, and his brother (afterwards Lord Stowell) borrowed £40 in order to enable him to go to his first circuit. Lord Tenterden's father was a barber at Canterbury. Lord Langdale was formerly an auctioneer. Lord Campbell and Sergeant Spankie were formerly reporters on the *Morning Chronicle*.

Fatal Duel at Malta.—We find the following particulars of this affair in the Malta Times of the 15th ult.:—"A fatal duel took place on Wednesday the 9th inst. at about 12 o'clock, behind fort Riccio, between Lieut. Adams of Her Majesty's 88th, and Captain Levick, of her Majesty's 50th, and now on the retired list. The seconds were Captain Jeffrey's, of the 88th, and Lieut. Mattei, of the Royal Malta Fencibles. Lieutenant Adams expired on the evening of the 10th, his adversary's ball, after fracturing the small bone of his right arm, having penetrated his side. Many are the statements given as to the particulars of this unhappy affair, but we abstain from entering into any before the result of the investigation now being carried on is made public. This unpleasant affair seems to have originated in Captain Levick's supposing Lieut. Adams to have insulted one of his daughters on the last day of Carnival. Captain Levick and Lieutenant Mattei have been arrested, and are now undergoing a trial of investigation. Captain Jeffrey is stated to have left the island on the evening of his principal's death. This fatal event is generally lamented. The deceased was, we are informed, a most amiable young man, and generally beloved by his brother officers. Captain Levick is a gentleman enjoying the esteem of all the public; he is an old resident of the island, and served for many years as lieutenant and adjutant in the Royal Malta Fencibles, and lately in her Majesty's 50th

regiment, and has a large family, now plunged in the deepest affliction. Captain Jeffrey is a gentlemanly and kind-hearted man, enjoying the esteem of a large circle of respectable friends; and Lieut. Mattei is also much esteemed by the officers of the garrison, as well as his own countrymen."

The British Army.—The number of officers, non-commissioned officers, and rank and file which it is proposed to maintain for the service of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland (exclusive of the troops employed in the East Indies) for the ensuing year is 95,628. The number employed in the East Indies, and paid by the East India Company, is 26,940; so that the total amount of force for the ensuing year will be 122,568. This number will be composed of 108,086 rank and file, 5,808 officers, and 8,674 non-commissioned officers. There is an addition to the force for this year, as compared with last year, of 1447 men. There are 50 battalions of Infantry abroad, in addition to 28 in New South Wales, in India, and in China. The total number is 103 leaving only 25 at home. When the revolution in Canada broke out, in 1837, there were only nine battalions, 4,500 men strong, in North America, and now nineteen are there, exclusive of two battalions of Guards; and the Royal Canadian Regiment, 1000 men strong. The total amount of the charge for 95,628 men is estimated at £3,531,575, being an increase, compared with last year of upwards of £700,000.

Of that portion at home, there are three Colonels who receive £1800 each. The Colonels of the Regiments in service receive £900 each. The pay of a private in the Horse Guards is 1s. 11d.; in the Foot Guards 1s. 3d. and other Regiments of Infantry 1s. Under the present regulations, the prices paid for a discharge is as follows:—

Service.	Cavalry.	Infantry.
Under 7 years,	£30	£25
Under 10 years,	25	13
Under 11 years,	21	15
Under 12 years,	15	10
Under 14 years,	12	5
Under 15 years,	6	Free.

The Scotch Church.—The Edinburgh Observer makes the startling announcement of a scheme contemplated, it is alleged, by the majority in the Scottish Church, and at present in the course of being communicated to the members of the party by circular. This is no less than the despotism of the minority, the parishes being declared vacant, preparatory to their being supplied with new ministers appointed by the general assembly. It is added that wooden churches are to be raised for the accommodation of the assembly's clergymen; and a company is to be formed, on the model of the Wesleyan Methodists, for the payment of their salaries, at the rate of £150 to £200 per annum. "The public," adds the Observer, "may rely with perfect confidence on the truth of the statement we have now made, and within a few days hence the fact will be vouched for by the publication of the circular to which we refer."—*Edinburgh Weekly Journal*.

The shop of Mr. Blake, a tobacconist, of London, was on Monday night set on fire by a cat being shut up in a drawer with some Lucifer matches, which the friction of her claws caused to ignite. The premises were much damaged and a great part of the stock consumed.

The steamer Telegraph burst her boiler near Helensburgh, on the Clyde, and was shattered to pieces. Eighteen persons, including the master, Mr. Ewing, and Mr. Helderwick, ship-builder, of Glasgow, perished. Many others were seriously injured.

Improvement of Education in Ireland.—It is stated that the number of schools in Ireland, on the 31st of December, 1840, including those in progress of erection, was 2424. At the close of the last year, the number of schools in connection with the Board, exceeded 27,000—being an increase, in 12 months, of about 300. The number of children in attendance at the schools in 1841, was upwards of 280,000, being an increase upon the number in the year preceding of nearly 50,000. An augmentation of fifty thousand, within a single year!

UNITED STATES.

Incendiarism.—The city of Boston, was set fire to, in four different places one night last week, supposed to have been done by incendiaries. The different fires were discovered in season to prevent any very serious consequences.

From the Providence Express.
General Invitation to the Military.—The Constitutional State Committee hereby respectfully invite the Chartered Companies, the Military Companies, and the Volunteer Companies, who are in favor of the People's Cause and Constitution, to give their attendance, as an escort on Tuesday, the 3d day of May, when the General Assembly, under the People's Constitution, will hold their first session in Providence. The Companies from the country are requested to be on the ground at an early hour.

For the Committee.
BENJAMIN ARNOLD, Jr.,
CHAIRMAN, pro tem.
Providence, April 22d, 1842.

Rhode Island.—The Providence Chronicle of Monday says:—"By special order of the Governor, the General Assembly of this State convened at the court house in this city, this afternoon, at three o'clock. The call is a very sudden one, and is supposed to arise from a desire of our chief magistrate to act adversely in case of an outbreak, which we

must frankly confess begins to appear almost inevitable. We are not at liberty to state more at present, and we withhold much that has come to our knowledge, for good and sufficient reasons."

Cod fishing will not be so extensively followed from this County the present year as for several years past. We learn that but few vessels have gone, or are going, this season, from Provincetown to the Banks. On the South shore of the Cape everybody is preparing for *shad fishing*. We fear they will overdo the business—but we hope not. [Barstable Patriot.]

The Lynchburg Virginia says:—"As far as our information extends in Virginia, the prospect for an abundant crop of wheat was never more flattering than it is this season. If no accident occurs before harvest, our granaries will be well filled. The Gettysburg, (Pa.) Journal states that the crops in Adams county were never in a more favorable condition at the same time of the year. The Cincinnati Republican says:—"In Ohio, the wheat crops have never promised better in early spring."

Dry Goods. The winding up of this spring's importations, says the N. Y. Journal of Commerce, shows a smallness of quantity never surpassed.—The Sheridan which arrived the other day from Liverpool, had 199 packages of dry goods; the South America, now on her way, has 172 packages; and the George Washington has 76 packages only. Of these last, 34 packages are woollens, 4 are worsted stuffs, 4 are cottons, 11 are linens, and 23 hosiery, &c.

Melancholy Accident in Boston Harbour.—Twenty-four lives lost.—By the Steamer North America, which arrived yesterday morning, we have received Boston papers of Saturday.—The Evening Transcript contains an account of a melancholy accident which occurred last Friday. It appears that as the sloop boat belonging to the Farm School, on Thompson's Island, was returning from a fishing excursion, about 4 o'clock in the afternoon, she was unfortunately struck by a flaw of wind while tacking, and immediately went down, and all on board, except four of the boys, were drowned.

Death of Bishop Cornwell.—The Right Rev. Henry Cornwell, Premier Catholic Bishop of the State of Pennsylvania, died at his residence, in Philadelphia on Friday morning. The deceased was ninety-four years of age, and had been twenty-two years Bishop of that State.—Bishop Cornwell was a native of Ireland.

Dozen. Flour was sold at Cincinnati on the 15th ult. at \$3.91.

Fearful Destruction of Lives.—It is our melancholy duty to record the most fearful and fatal steamboat explosion which has ever taken place on the waters of the Chesapeake. The new and splendid steamboat Medora, built for the line between this city and Norfolk, was yesterday rendered a wreck by the explosion of her steam boiler, attended by a fearful destruction of human life. The Medora was just completed, and preparatory to being turned out from the hands of the machinist, a number of persons were invited to go in her on an experimental trip. The day being pleasant, it is supposed that probably one hundred or more, were on board, including some of the directors of the Steamboat Company and their friends, and a number of hands engaged in finishing the vessel, putting in the machinery, &c., and otherwise connected with the construction or sailing of the boat.

Soon after 3 o'clock, P. M. the boat was about to start from the wharf of the engine builder, Mr. Watchman, on the south side of the basin, on the proposed trip. A gentleman who was on board informs us that the engine had only made the second revolution, in order to back the Medora from the wharf, when the boiler exploded with a loud noise, carrying upwards a considerable portion of the upper deck and those upon it, and blowing the smoke stacks high into the air. The main force of the explosion was almost exclusively toward the head of the boat, and the portions of the boat around the boiler were torn to pieces. The boiler itself, an immense one of iron was thrown crosswise on the deck.

The boat was instantly enveloped in a cloud of scalding steam, which was inhaled by some with fatal consequences, while others suffered externally in their persons from its effects. Our informant was in the after part of the boat, where the steam had no injurious effect. He states that several persons jumped overboard, and that one of them was drowned. The boat immediately settled in the water until her hull rested on the bottom of the river.

In the centre and forward part of the boat there was a fearful destruction of life and limb. Some of these on board were blown high in the air and fell on shore, in the water and in the boats lying near by. Others were crushed with the splintered timbers; others scalded with the steam; while those below the decks not having time to escape, were either suffocated by the steam or drowned when the boat sunk.

When we reached the scene of desolation we found a large number of persons, among whom were several physicians, busily engaged in endeavoring to assist the injured, and carrying away those who were dead or dying. So great was the confusion that prevailed, and so little was known as to the number and names of the persons on board that no complete account could be obtained.—*Baltimore American*.

The Boston Notion is to commence the publication of a "New Romance." The

Heimsmen of Hurlgate" by Professor Ingraham. The new volume of this elegant quarterly commenced on the 1st of April.

Something to Drink.—Not long since, says the Maine Temperance Gazette, a stranger in Fore Street inquired of a Washingtonian where he could get "something to drink." The Washingtonian accompanied him to the pump.

Daily Bee is the title of a new penny paper conducted by practical printers in Boston. They would be pleased to see a large *swarm* at their hire.

Visitation of American Vessels.—We learn that Captain Conway, of the brig Mermaid, which arrived yesterday at this port, last from Rio Grande, was boarded twice on the coast of Africa, from H. B. M. Brig Brisk. He was treated on both occasions with great civility by the boarding officer, and no attempt was made to search his vessel. The officer would not even enter the cabin without a particular invitation. Captain Conway was informed by British officers, at St. Helena, that their Government had given precise orders to abstain from proceedings of an offensive nature, such as the removal of hatches, and similar proceedings, which have been complained of heretofore.—*N. Y. Paper*.

Latest from Africa.—A ship from the office of the New York Herald, furnishes advices from the coast of Africa to the 2d of March.

We learn that in the latter end of February, Her Britannic Majesty's schooner Pantaloon went ashore at Cape Roxo, and whilst in that predicament she was attacked by the natives, the Fallucks, which ended in somewhat of a fight. The crew of the schooner-of-war succeeded in whipping the Fallucks, killing a good many of them, and taking about twenty prisoners, all of whom were carried to the River Gambia, in the schooner, which got off shore soon after the fight.

Late from Mexico.—News to the 9th inst. has been received at New Orleans.

The report is very generally credited at Vera Cruz that Santa Anna had negotiated a loan with Englishmen for several millions of dollars, and had agreed to deliver the Californias into their hands, until the money should be returned.

The yellow fever carried off four or five persons daily.

Gen. Thompson, U. S. Ambassador, had arrived in the Revenue Cutter Woodbury. There was no talk of invading Texas. The prisoners were still made to work in chains. Two of them, however, one by the name of Howard, had effected their escape.

CANADA.

Sir Charles Bagot's Visit to Toronto.—It is most gratifying to perceive the spirit which prevailed in the reception of His Excellency Sir Charles Bagot, in the city of Toronto. Unanimity of feeling may be said to be evident wherever he presents himself. On the recent occasion of His Excellency's first visit to Toronto this was remarkably observable. Sir Charles arrived there on the 21st inst., with the intent to lay the foundation stone of the University of King's College, which ceremony took place on St. George's Day (23d ult.) but in the meantime there were congratulations and tokens of respect to be received by His Excellency, which were so numerous, and given with such an ardour of enthusiasm, as could not fail to denote the public sentiment.

The procession in waiting for the arrival of Sir Charles Bagot and suite, to conduct his Excellency to the Government House, was splendid and imposing in the extreme, and consisting of both civil and military authorities and societies; the houses in the streets through which the procession passed were decorated with flags, festoons, triumphal arches, and devices of all sorts which were calculated to do honor to the occasion, and in short, congratulations and rejoicing seemed to be the order of the hour.

The Montreal Herald states that Curran, the literary abscisculator from New Orleans, served his apprenticeship at that office. This "accounts for the milk in that cocoa-nut."

Halifax, April 26.

Highland Society Ball.—Instead of a Dinner, the mode in which the other National Societies celebrate their anniversaries, the Highland Society gave an annual Ball. It therefore need not be wondered at, that, among the ladies especially, the Highland Society is regarded as the best ideal of gallantry and chivalry. The annual celebration came off in style on Wednesday last, and as usual was attended with all the inspiring accompaniments of Highland associations. The Masonic Hall was admirably decorated, and we should say with much improvement upon former years; though in what the improvement consisted, except in the more judicious arrangement of transparencies and ornament, it would be difficult to particularise. The Committee of Management certainly deserves great credit for their taste in the grouping and disposal of the properties. The excellent band of the 30th Regt. were in the orchestra, and their effective performance of the marches, contra dances, reels, quadrilles and waltzes, gave general satisfaction. The Chief of the Society, Capt. Roderick McDonald, was in full Highland costume, so was Alex. Primrose, Esq. who however had substituted the *trews* for the kilt. There were several other gentlemen whose names we do not know, who admirably became the tartan, and these, together with the uniform of the officers of the army, guests of the Society, and the plaids of its members, gave to the scene a highly picturesque effect, and much the appearance of a Fancy Ball. Many of the ladies too, displayed in their dresses the national characteristics, and the tartan scarf and plaided bonnet, lent their becoming aid to enrich

the effect of natural beauty. The hall was filled, indeed if there be any drawback on the annual celebrations of this Society, it is entirely owing to the exuberance of highland hospitality, and until a hall can be found capacious as the highland heart to welcome, we presume there will be no remedy. The Honble. Speaker, the Solicitor General, Honbles. Alex. Stewart and McNab, the latter a Member of the Society, were present. The supper rooms were opened about 12 o'clock, and displayed a choice and elegant display of wines and viands, in Coblenz' best style. Among the toasts, which embraced the usual routine upon such occasions, "Sir Colin Campbell," was drunk in a style that proved the "old soldier's" firm hold upon the affections of his countrymen and his countrymen's guests. Dancing was resumed after the repast, and about two o'clock the company began gradually to separate.—*Times*.

Supreme Court.—On Tuesday George Hiscock, 76th Regt was brought down to receive his sentence for shooting Sergt. Gingell. His Lordship the Chief Justice addressed the prisoner upon the enormity of the offence in a very impressive manner, and, having admonished him that he could hold out no hope of an escape from execution, pronounced the awful sentence of the law. The prisoner heard the Judge without the least sign of emotion, and seemed less affected by his ignominious position than any present. On leaving the dock he bore himself with air of cool and unobtrusive indifference.—*Id.*

Tremendous Explosion.—On Tuesday last the windows of Mr. Wallace's store, in Hollis street, Halifax, were completely blown out, and the houses in the neighbourhood much affected by the shock, caused by a lad igniting a train of gunpowder on the counter, which communicated to a drawer where there were four or five pounds of the same combustible. Mr. Wallace's son and two other lads who were in the store at the time, were seriously hurt by the explosion.—*Halifax Patriot*.

THE STANDARD.

SAINT ANDREWS, FRIDAY, MAY 6, 1842.

Charlotte County Bank.

Hon. HARRIS HATCH, President.
Director next week—J. W. Street.
DISCOUNT DAY—TUESDAY.
Hours of business, from 10 to 2.
BILLS and NOTES for Discount must be lodged with the Cashier, on or before MONDAY, otherwise they must lie over until next week.

Mus and Clock House

Commissioner next week—Thomas Berry.
Marine Insurance Association.
Director next week—F. A. Babcock.
Office Hours from 10 till 3 o'clock, every day, Sunday excepted.

Saint Stephens Bank.

WILLIAM PORTER, Esq. President.
Director next week—Abner Hill.
DISCOUNT DAY—SATURDAY.
Hours of business, from 10 to 1.
BILLS and NOTES for Discount must be lodged with the Cashier, on or before FRIDAY, otherwise they must remain in his hands until the following discount day.

LATEST DATES

London,—Apr. 4 Montreal,—Apr. 27
Liverpool,—Apr. 5 Quebec,—Apr. 27
Edinburgh,—Apr. 2 Halifax,—Apr. 27
Paris,—Apr. 1 New York,—Apr. 30
Toronto,—Apr. 21 Boston,—May 2

The English Mail had not arrived at Halifax on Tuesday last, then 14 days out.—We shall issue an extra if any important intelligence should be received by this arrival.

TO CORRESPONDENTS.—Capt. Owen's letter was received too late for insertion this week. It shall receive attention in our next.

HIGH-HANDED.—We are informed by an esteemed correspondent, that on the 23d of last month, three police constables from Eastport, with one or two soldiers, landed on Campo Bello, in search of a Deserter from the U. S. Service. They then crossed to Head Harbour, where they took a boat without leave and proceeded to the house of a person named Serje, where they arrived at about 11 o'clock at night, and roused the inmates demanding admittance; not finding the object of their search, they went to a brother of Serje's, where they also roused the family, and finding their search fruitless, proceeded to the house of Quin, a cooper, repeating the same conduct, and finally went to the house of a person named John Lake, who was confined to his bed in the last stage of consumption, and forcibly entered the house. These proceedings taking place at such a late hour naturally alarmed the female portion of the different families, who were in bed at the time, besides three of these huts had but one room each. This, to say the least, is high handed;—and had it been a party from our side of the water who had invaded the rights of American citizens, there would be an excitement got up immediately and paragraphs headed "British Aggression," "Shameful Outrage," "Our Country Invaded," "Armed Ruffians," it appears they have one law for us and another for themselves. Such conduct should not pass unnoticed by our authorities.

We regret to learn, that the Minister of Saint Paul's Church of Scotland, in this place, the Rev. Dr. Birkmyre, who is now in Great Britain, has been obliged to resign his pastoral charge, in consequence of the continued ill health of Mrs. Birkmyre.—*Fredericton Royal Gazette*.

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CONCERT.—On Friday evening last, ac-
cording to announcement, the Eastport Or-
phean Band gave a concert of Instrumental
Music at Paul's Hall which was numerously
and respectfully attended. The rapidity of
execution and the taste and judgment dis-
played by the Band in performing the various
pieces of music, reflects the greatest credit
not only upon the young gentlemen com-
posing the Band, but upon their talented leader,
and late teacher, Mr. R. Foster; and when
it is taken into account that scarcely six
months have elapsed since they received their
first lesson, we do not say too much when we
assert that they play now equally as well as
the generality of Bands who have been play-
ing for years. In a word our inhabitants
were highly pleased with their evening's en-
tertainment as we hope were also the young gen-
tlemen with their visit.

The Creole Negroes set at Liberty.—The
U. S. papers state that a letter has been re-
ceived at Wilmington, N. C., from Nassau,
N. P., which says that the Admiralty Court
had heard the charge against the negroes of
the Creole for piracy, and that they had been
discharged. The Chief Justice addressed them
as follows:

"It has pleased God to set you free from
the bonds of slavery; may you hereafter live
the lives of good and faithful subjects of Her
Majesty's Government."

They were then set at liberty by proclama-
tion.

MARRIED

At Fredericton, on Monday the 18th ult.,
by the Rev. S. Basly, Wesleyan Minister,
Mr. George Turner, to Miss Mary McBeath.

DIED

On the 2d of April, at Lime Island, St.
George, SARAH, consort of Capt. J. C. Calf,
in the 60th year of her age, leaving a sorrow-
ing husband and a large family to lament their
severe bereavement.

At Grandmanan, on the 19th ult. Mr. Tho-
mas KEDMOND, a native of Ireland, in the
32nd year of his age. This severe illness
which he bore with the utmost patience, has
been the instrument, under Divine Providence
of depriving his wife of a most affectionate
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a most attentive and kind parent, the com-
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SHIPPING JOURNAL.

PORT OF SAINT ANDREWS.

ARRIVED.

April 30, Bque. Ada, Crowell, Savannah,
Pitch Pine, Wm. Babcock &
son.

May 3, Brig Wanderer, Crosby, Yarmouth,
Ours & Co.—master.

—Brig Victoria, Robbins, Yarmouth,
Ballast, master.

—4, schr. Mary Jane, McMaster, East-
port, sundries to sundry.

—CLARENDON.

May 3, Schr. Prince Albert, Wilmot, Ballast,
4, Schr. Arisadne, Reagh, Portabo-
rough, Salt, &c.

—5, Schr. Bride, Crowell, Halifax, Salt,
&c., master.

POST OFFICE.

St. Andrews, 4th May, 1842.

THE Mail to meet the sailing of Her Ma-
jesty's Steam Packet BRITANNIA, from
Halifax on 18th instant, will close at this Of-
fice on Thursday the 12th at 6 P. M.

GEO. F. CAMPBELL,

Postmaster.

DENTAL SURGERY.

DR. PERKINS would inform his friends
and the public that he has removed to
Mrs. Ames'. His Office is at Mr. Jas. Ken-
nedy's, Water-street.

Dr. P. requests those who may wish for his
professional services to call immediately, as his
stay is limited to a few weeks. Dr. P. has the
celebrated MINERAL PASTE for filling Teeth
that are too tender to be filled with gold.
All branches of the profession attended to. Ex-
tracting, filling, setting mineral teeth on gold
plate or pivot, &c., &c. Particular attention
paid to the diseases of the mouth and gums,
and to the teeth of children when they are ir-
regular or crowded.

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FRESH SEEDS!

GROWN IN 1841!

THE subscriber has received his usual sup-
ply of Fresh

Garden & Field Seeds.

From the well known and high character of the
House from which he imports these Seeds,
every reliance may be placed upon the quantity
and quality marked on the papers. Of Please
call and examine.

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PUBLIC NOTICE

IS hereby given, that the subscribers have re-
ceived from the Clerk of the Peace for this
County, a Warrant of Amusement requiring
them forthwith to raise the sum of Two Hun-
dred and Five Pounds Fourteen Shillings with-
in the Parish of Saint Andrews. All Persons
liable to assessment are therefore requested to
furnish the Assessors with statements of their
property and income, pursuant to the directions
of the Act of Assembly in such case made and
provided.

S. FRYE,

EDW. WILSON,

GEO. D. STREET,

Assessors.

St. Andrews, 4th May, 1842.

NEW GOODS

NOW OPENING AT THE

CHEAP STORE.

The subscriber has just received the first part of his

SPRING SUPPLY, amongst which are the

following, which he offers for sale at very low

prices, viz:

FIGURED and plain Silks—1 case Doublets

Bonnets—Ladies' Caps and Shawls—Ready &

childrens' dress—Gent's Bedgones with Hats.

Gent's silk, cotton and washed Hose & half do.

Ladies do do do

A few pieces very superior Broadcloths, of dif-

ferent shades and colours.

Backings, Duckings, Molehairs,

Plain and figured Cassimere, Satinette,

Coloured and white Linnen Drills,

2 Bale bleached Signings and Shagwags.

1 Dune grey do

1 Package Shawls consisting of green varieties

A large assortment of twilled and plain Chinese

Calicoes.

Scotch Homespuns, Checks, Regiments &c.

Fatties and Persians; fancy Ribbons.

Umbrellas, Ladies' Parasols, childrens' Sun Shades

Umbrellas and Scotch Carpeting.

Heath Rugs, carpets, Travelling Bags.

Figured and plain Orleans Cloths.

Orleans de Flores.

Ladies' white and cold Stays—Misses' do do

Figured and plain Satin Jeans.

100 French French Gousses.

English, Scotch and Cambelt Plaids.

Boxes of Artificial Flowers and Weathers.

Jeannet, Mull, Swags, crossbar & Book Mus-

lin.

Black Saxones and Bombazines.

Black and brown Hollands, Silences & Shalcons

Figured and plain Gambroons.

1 case Clarks best sewing Threads No. 25

1 ditto assorted colours sewing Threads No. 25

to 35.

Also—A large supply London Slops.

GROCERIES

Sugars, Teas, Coffee, Raisins,

London mould and dipped Cakes.

Soup, Tobacco, Starch, Buttons Black and Indigo.

Flour, Meal, Rice, &c.

1 cask Day & Marine liquid Blacking in bottles.

The above, together with his former extensive

stock, now selling off at a great cost to make room

for the remainder of his Spring supply, which is

daily expected.

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D. BRADLEY.

N.B.—D. B. would call the attention of all those

whose Accounts are over Six Months standing to

make immediate payment.

TO BE SOLD

AT Public Auction on the 11th day of June

next, at Eleven o'clock in the forenoon of

the same day, at the Hay Scales in Margrave,

in the Parish of Saint George, in the County

of Charlotte, for payment of the debts of the

late William McKenzie of the Parish aforesaid,

deceased, in consequence of a deficiency of the

personal Estate of the deceased, for that pur-
pose, pursuant to a Licence obtained from the
Surrogate Court for the said County, the Land
and Premises following, that is to say, the un-
divided Ninth Share of the said William Mc-
Kenzie, of in and to Lot No. 40, in the Man-
seign Grant, situate in the Parish aforesaid;
and also the One-fourth of the same Lot, bound-
ed on the East by land owned by William
McLeod, on the West by land owned by George
McKenzie, on the South by the Glebe Lands,
and on the North by the River Margrave; and
also the undivided One-half of Lot No. 2,
in the second division of the said Manseign
Grant. Dated the 31st May, 1842.

G. M'KENZIE,

Administrator

Upon the Estate of the late Wm. McKenzie, &c.

NEW

GARDEN SEEDS.

Of last year's Growth, warranted Good; and

FOR SALE

By the Subscriber at

REASONABLE PRICES.

BEANS, Scarlet and white Dutch runners.

Cranberry, Dune, Snap, Horticultural, Chi-
na, Speckled, Broad Windsor, and early long
pods.

Best Cabbage, Early York, Drumhead, Sa-
ger Leaf, Savoy.

Cucumber, Green Carrot, Celery.

Lettuce, Mustard, Onion, Parsnip, Pumpkin,
Parsley, Peas; Blue Imperial, Tall and Dwarf
Marrowfat, Early Blossom and Charlton; Rad-
dish, Squash, Turnip; with a few Pot Herb
and Flower Seeds.

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M. PARKINSON.

CONTRACT FOR OIL.

THE undersigned Commissioners for Light-
houses will receive TENDERS for SATUR-
DAY the 15th day of JUNE, at Noon, at the
Office of Colonel Wyer, for 1150 gallons of
PALE SEAL OIL, and 200 gallons FOR-
POISE OIL; to be pure and free from all ad-
mixtures and sediments of the catch of 1842 to the
benefit of the Commissioners. The
whole quantity to be delivered on or before the
30th day next, at a Wharf in the Harbour.
Payment will be made in one month after the
delivery of the Oil.

Security will be required for the due perfor-
mance of the contract.

THOMAS WYER, } Commrs.
JAS. ALLANSHAW, }
JOHN WILSON, }
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PACKET SCHR. FOREST.

Ten Vessel which has been re-
cently fitted up, will run regularly
between St. Andrews, St. George,
and Saint John, and occasionally to
Saint Stephen, taking Passengers and Freight.
Particular attention will be paid to all freight
and all orders punctually attended to.
Apply to C. Melville Saint Andrews, R.
McGee, Saint George, or to the Master on
board.

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NOTICE.

ALL Debts due the subscriber of longer
standing than Six Months, at this date,
if not paid by the 1st day of August next, will
be handed to an Attorney for collection.

JOHN LOCHARTY.

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BLANKS

Not sold at this Office, and printed to Order.

THE MECHANIC & FARMER

The Advocate of Industry and Im-

provement in Agriculture and

the Mechanic Arts.

Neutral in Politics and Religion.

THE Proprietors of the Pictorial MECHANIC & FARMER have much pleasure

in presenting to their readers the Pros-

pectus of the FIFTH VOLUME, to be

commenced on the 18th of May, 1842.

The Mechanic & Farmer will be greatly

enlarged; it will contain an additional

column on each page and will be extended

proportionally in length; it will appear in

an improved dress, and be otherwise ren-
dered more deserving of the extensive patronage
it has already received.

As a decided improvement in the general

lectures of the paper, each number will con-
tain a full description of at least one new in-
vention or improvement in the Agricultural or
Mechanical Department, which will be illus-
trated weekly by an Engraving. No inven-
tion or improvement in Agriculture or Me-
chanics worthy of being published, will be
allowed to pass unnoticed; and the publish-
ers are determined to render the MECHANIC
& FARMER the best Agricultural and Scien-
tific Journal in the British North American
Colonies.

Postmasters and others favourable to the

object of our enterprise, are respectfully re-
quested to act as Agents. Names for the
new volume will require to be forwarded early
in May. All letters to be post paid.

Though the paper will be greatly en-
larged, there will be no addition to the price,
and it will be thus rendered the cheapest pe-
riodical in the Province.

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STILES & FRASER,

Publishers.

NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given that no

person other than the Subscriber,

(by virtue of Trust for the benefit of his

Family), is entitled to receive or claim

the Rent of the following premises in

Saint Andrews, viz:—

Town Lots No. 2, 3, 6, and 7, respectively, in

block letter B.—Lots No. 1, 2, and 3, in block

letter H, comprising what is now known as Watt's

Wharf, formerly Watt's Wharf, with the Buildings,

thereunto belonging—also Nos. 2, 3, 4, 6, 7, and 8, in

block letter E.—and Nos. 2, 3, 4, 7, and 8, in block

letter L.—also Lot No. 4, in block letter J.—all in

Block letter B of the Town Plot.—That Miss

Elizabeth Watt has no legal or equitable

interest therein, and that the paper writing under

which she pretends to claim the same is null and

void; and all the Tenants of said Premises or any

part thereof are hereby notified not to attorn to

or in any way treat with the said Elizabeth Watt

or any person on her behalf as the owner, or

sub-tenant or any part thereof.—Dated this 4th

day of March 1842.

THOMAS WATT,

Per A. CAMPBELL, his Attorney.

NOTICE.

THE Charlotte County Agricultural

Society has procured a large quantity

of new Herds grass and Clover seed, raised in

Penobscot County, State of Maine, and war-
ranted genuine. They have on hand a small

quantity of seed wheat, imported last season

which proved good, and a quantity of seed

Oats imported from Scotland.

Likewise a few Iron Ploughs and Plough

metals, to be had at the store of Mr. Thomas

Turner.

D. D. MORRISON, Sec'y.

N. B. Those farmers who wish to improve

the breed of their Swine, would do well to

call at the Poor House and procure some of

the imported breed (a cross between the

Berkshire and another improved English

breed) which have been procured by the Ag-
ricultural Society, and are well worthy the
attention of the Public.

St. Andrews, April 27, 1842.

LAND BY AUCTION.

THE Subscriber will sell

