

and the sneers of those who hold as "foolishness" all that savours not of worldly wisdom, from expressing fully and freely those sentiments which it has pleased God, in his mercy, to engrave upon my heart.

These are no ordinary times. The state of the world is unexampled. The war of the present day is not like that of our revolution, or any which preceded it, at least in modern times. It is a war against the liberty and happiness of mankind. It is a war of which the whole human race are the victims, to gratify the pride and lust of power of a single individual. I beseech you, put it to your own bosoms, how far it becomes you as freemen, as christians, to give your aid and sanction to this impious and bloody warfare against your brethren of the human family. To such among you, if any such there be, who are insensible to motives not more dignified and manly than they are intrinsically wise, I would make a different appeal. I adjure you by the regard which you have for your own security and property, for the liberties and inheritance of your children, by all that you hold dear and sacred, to interpose your constitutional powers to save your country and yourselves from a calamity the issue of which it is not given to human foresight to divine.

Ask yourselves if you are willing to become the virtual allies of Bonaparte? are you willing, for the sake of annexing Canada to the Northern States, to submit to that over-growing system of taxation, which sends the European labourer supple to bed? to maintain by the sweat of your brow, armies at whose hands you are to receive a future master: Suppose Canada ours. Is there any one among you who would ever be, in any respect, the better for it?—the richer—the freer—the happier—the more secure? And is it for a boon like this, that you join in the warfare against the liberties of man in the other Hemisphere, and put your own in jeopardy? or is it for the nominal privilege of a licensed trade with France that you would abandon your lucrative commerce with Great-Britain, Spain and Portugal, and their Asiatic, African and American dependencies—in a word, with every region of those vast continents? That commerce which gives a vent to your tobacco, grain, flour, cotton; in short to all your native products, which are denied a Market in France.

There are not wanting men so weak, as to suppose that their approbation of warlike measures is a proof of personal gallantry, and that opposition to them indicate a want of that spirit which becomes a friend to his country; as if it required more courage and patriotism to join in the acclamation of the day, than readily to oppose one's self to the mad infatuation to which every people and all governments have, at some time or other—given way. Let the history of Phocion, of Agis and of De Witts answer this question. My friends do you expect to find those who are now loudest in the clamour for war, foremost in the ranks of battle? or is the honor of this nation indissolubly connected with the political reputation of a few individuals, who tell you they have gone too far to recede, and that you must pay with your ruin, the price of their consistency.—My friends I have discharged my duty towards you; lamely and inadequately I know, but to the best of my poor ability.—The destiny of the American people is in their own hands. The net is spread for their destruction. You are enveloped in the toils of French duplicity; and if which may Heaven in its mercy forbid, you and your posterity are to become hewers of wood and drawers of water to the modern Pharaoh, it shall not be for the want of my best exertions to rescue you from the cruel and abject bondage.—This sin at least shall not rest upon my soul.

JOHN RANDOLPH, of ROANOKE
May 30th, 1812.

* This motion was drawn, it is believed by Mr. Gallatin, but moved by Mr. Sprigg, declaring it to be inexpedient at that time to resort to war against the French Republic.

EXHIBITION and BALL. Mr. Parks

RESPECTFULLY informs the Ladies and Gentlemen of this City, that his first quarters EXHIBITION and BALL will be on Tuesday the 30th inst. at Mr. CODY'S Long Room.
Tickets may be had at the Bar of the Coffee House, —Price one Dollar.
St. JOHN, 25th JUNE, 1812.

ORDNANCE OFFICE, SAINT JOHN, New-Brunswick, June 19th, 1812. WANTED,

EIGHT Thousand BRICKS, and Three Hogsheads of LIME, to be delivered at the Lower Cove battery.—Proposals will be received for the above articles at this Office.

COMMISSARIAT OFFICE, St. John, New-Brunswick, 17th June, 1812. Wanted for the Public Service,

ONE Thousand Two Hundred CEDAR PICKETS nine feet long;—to be delivered into the Fuel Yard at FORT HOWE before the first of August next.—Tenders will be received at this Office previous to Tuesday the 30th instant.

WILLIAM HANDFIELD SNELLING,
Deputy Assistant Commissary General.

Just Received by the True Briton from LONDON, and for Sale by RICHARD SANDS,

A Handsome assortment of LOOKING GLASSES, Picture Frames and Mouldings, Window and Bed Cornish ditto, Mahogany Knife Cases, Portable Desks, Tea Chests and Caddies, Backgamon Tables, Cribbage Boxes, patent Glass Paper, &c.
Saint John, 15th June, 1812.

SAINT JOHN, SATURDAY, JUNE 27, 1812.

POSTSCRIPT.

WAR! WAR! WAR!

This morning about one o'clock, an Express Boat arrived from Saint Andrews, and we have been favored with the copy of a Letter from a respectable Gentleman there dated yesterday:—"This morning I received the following information, which I deem of sufficient importance to send an Express to you." "Last evening at 11 o'clock an Express arrived at East Port from Washington, with orders to the Collector of the Port, and the commanding Officer of the Garrison, to put East Port in as good a state of defence as possible, for WAR WAS DECLARED AGAINST ENGLAND!—they at the same time were directed to act only on the defensive.—The Declaration passed the Senate on the 17th instant.—The Inhabitants of East Port held a meeting this morning, when it was unanimously agreed to preserve a good understanding with the Inhabitants of New-Brunswick, and to discountenance all depredations on the property of each other." We also learn, that the Embodied Militia were ordered out.

* The day on which the battle of Bunker's Hill was fought in 1775.—Edit.

About 12 o'clock this day another boat arrived from St. Andrews—a Gentleman who came in her informs, that a copy of the Declaration of War had arrived at East Port—that a number of the most respectable inhabitants had removed with their families and effects to Boston—and that it was reported a number of privateers were fitting out in the port of New-York.
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THE ROYAL GAZETTE.

SAINT JOHN, MONDAY, JUNE 29, 1812.

ARRIVALS SINCE OUR LAST.

Brigs Commerce, Claré, Lisbon; Rover, Everitt, Jamaica; Trident, Gascoine, New Castle; Ship Speke, Newton, Jamaica; Brig Catharine, Tue, Salt Keys.

Arrived, Thursday H. M. Schooner Juniper, Lieut. Vassal, from Halifax, and sailed yesterday afternoon on a cruise.

The Brig Rover, Everitt, from Jamaica, was boarded on her homeward bound passage by a French privateer, robbed of several articles, and released.

This day at one o'clock His Honor the PRESIDENT arrived in this City, from Head-quarters.

The British Packet sailed from New-York on Thursday afternoon with despatches from Mr. Foster. On Friday morning further despatches were received, and a boat sent off in pursuit of the packet.

State Paper.—The President has communicated to Congress a recent letter from the British Minister to Mr. Monroe, on the late republication of the Berlin and Milan decrees, unrepealed and unaltered. The language is strong, and the paper interesting.

NOTICE.

THIS is to inform the INHABITANTS, &c. of the City of SAINT JOHN, that I have now on hand about THIRTY head of good fat OXEN, for the supply in part of the MARKET of the said City, and that I do hereby obligate myself not to raise the price on the said stock of BEER one single half farthing, but when the said stock is expended, and if I am obliged to pay higher for stock than heretofore, I will not put a TREBLE profit upon the same; moreover I am always satisfied with a fair profit, and every man that has a feeling heart for his fellow creatures, in times like the present, would be contented with the same.

JOHN TOOLE.

Saint John, June 29th, 1812.

Extract from Militia Regimental Orders, St. JOHN, 27th June, 1812. (No. 3.)

ALL Persons within the Eastern District of the City who are not at this time enrolled in any Company within that District, are hereby attached to the Company under the command of Captain NEHEMIAH MERRITT.

By order of the Lieut. Colonel Commandant,
CRAVEN CALVERLEY, Adjutant.

A. R. HENDERSON,

CONTINUES to carry on the Business at the Store formerly occupied by M'CALL & HENDERSON, where he offers for Sale at the most reduced prices for CASH or BILLS OF EXCHANGE,

A VERY EXCELLENT ASSORTMENT OF

DRY GOODS and GROCERIES,

lately received by the Ship TRUE BRITON from LONDON, among which are, PORT and LISBON WINE—LONDON PARTICULAR, MADEIRA—all of the first quality.
St. JOHN, JUNE 25th 1812.

ARCHIBALD R. HENDERSON,

IS extremely sorry to be under the necessity of requesting those persons indebted to the Estate of GEORGE M'CALL, of Firm of M'CALL & HENDERSON, to call and settle them without delay, otherwise he will be compelled, though very reluctantly, to put them into the hands of an Attorney to collect without discrimination.
St. JOHN, JUNE 25, 1812.

DONALDSON and HAY,

HAVE received by the Ships Two BROTHERS and TRUE BRITON from LONDON, in addition to their former supply of Goods:

INDIA COTTONS; Hyson, Souchong, and other TEAS; INDIGO; PEPPER; COPPERAS; ALLUM; SLOPS, &c.

Lamb's Wool HOSIERY, by the Package or Retail. Also, London BROWN STOUT of a very superior quality, will be sold low for CASH.
St. JOHN, 27th June, 1812.

RALPH M. JARVIS,

HAS Received by the Ship TRUE BRITON, from LONDON, a General Assortment of Merchandize, consisting of
DRY GOODS, IRONMONGERY, CUTLERY, AND HARDWARE:

With a variety of other Articles too numerous to mention, which he is now opening and offers for Sale on the most reasonable terms, at his Store, North side Market Slip, adjoining ANDREW CROOKSHANK, Esq.
Saint John, June 26, 1812.

Just Received from London, AND FOR SALE BY JOHN GRANT,

THREE Crates best uncut Crown Glass, for pictures, or windows, cut to any size; likewise an assortment of Paints of all colours, dry, ground in oil, and ready prepared for Painting, Paint Oil, Putty, Varnishes, Gold, and Silver Leaf, Pomme Stone sand, Glass and Scale paper, &c. &c.
St. JOHN, JUNE 29, 1812.

P. FRASER,

Has Received by the AUGUSTUS and ARGUS from LIVERPOOL, and TRUE BRITON from LONDON,

A GENERAL ASSORTMENT OF MERCHANDIZE,

Which has been Purchased chiefly with Cash, and will be sold on the most reasonable terms.
FREDERICTON, JUNE 27th, 1812.

JONAH DYER,

BEGS leave to return his unfeigned thanks to his Customers for the encouragement he has received in the SADDLE and HARNESS Making Business, and humbly hopes that his strict attention and best endeavors to give satisfaction will merit a continuance of their favors, as he intends carrying on the business three doors above the Store of JAMES CODNER, Esq. in King-street, where orders from the Country will receive punctual attention and the smallest favors gratefully acknowledged.

N. B. Repairing, &c. done at the shortest notice.
St. JOHN, JUNE 29th, 1812.

NOTICE TO DEBTORS.

THE Subscriber desires all those who are indebted to him, to make immediate payment, otherwise their Accounts will indiscriminately be put into the hands of an Attorney to collect.

JOHN FERGUSON.

SAINT JOHN, 29th JUNE, 1812.

Thirty Dollars Reward.

DESERTED from the Brig Alexander, WILLIAM LUNAN Master, JOHN CHARLES NEWMAN (a Prussian) about 5 feet 10 inches high, 28 years of age, brown complexion, with brown short hair.—The above seaman was seen yesterday on board the Ship Andersons, Capt. Tait, along with one of his shipmates who deserted with him, which was apprehended, but not finding Newman, suppose he has concealed himself.—Any person giving such information as may apprehend him, will receive the above Reward, by applying to the Master on board, or

R. SHIVES, & Co.

Saint John, 25th June, 1812.

ALL persons having any just demands against the Estate of the Reverend JOHN AGNEW, deceased, are requested to present them duly attested within Twelve Months from the Date hereof; and those indebted to said Estate are desired to make immediate payment to
STAIR AGNEW, Administrator.
Monkton, June 13th, 1812.

COMMISSARIAT OFFICE,

Saint John, New-Brunswick, 15th June, 1812.

CASH

WANTED FOR BILLS OF EXCHANGE.

PERSONS desirous of purchasing BILLS of EXCHANGE drawn on the Right Honorable and Honorable Board of ORDNANCE and Paymasters of the ROYAL ARTILLERY, are requested to send sealed proposals to this Office, stating the sum required, and directed to the Subscriber, with the words "Tender for Bills," marked on the letter, when the best offer will be attended to.

WILLIAM HANDFIELD SNELLING,
Deputy Assistant Commissary General.

NOW LANDING

On the Subscriber's Wharf, the Cargo of the Schooner Ferebe and Phæbe, JOSEPH RIDEOUT Master, from St. LUCA, consisting of

Rum, Sugar and Molasses,

For Sale on liberal terms by
NEHEMIAH MERRITT,
Monday, May 4, 1812.