

from the Rapids, bearing despatches from Governor Meigs to Gen. M'Arthur. The Governor is on his way to Sandusky with a reinforcement to the garrison there, and was met by the express to whom he had been sent by Gen. Harrison, with the information that the enemy had besieged Fort Meigs, and requiring reinforcements to be mounted and marched with all possible despatch to the relief of the fort. A detachment of 1500 men from Kentucky are said to be at Portage river, unable to proceed on account of the besiegers. When the express left Meigs, [Friday, 30th ult.] the cannonading had lasted 22 hours and the fire of the enemy had been partially silenced. No mention is made of any loss on our side, nor any supposition of the loss of the enemy. Gov. Meigs has instructed Gens. M'Arthur and Cass, upon the requisition of Gen. Harrison, to march instantly all the recruits who have been raised and all the men who can be procured [all to be mounted] to proceed with all possible despatch to the relief of Harrison.

"While I am writing, the drums are beating along the streets for volunteers, and Secretary M'Lane is busied in hurrying off expresses to different parts of the country for the same purpose."

DELAWARE, (OHIO) MAY 3.

Sir—By the return of an express from this to Upper Sandusky, it is ascertained that Fort Meigs is besieged. Gen. Harrison has sent to Fort Emley, to sink a boat loaded with cannon ball, and not to have any mail attempt to pass.

The British and Indians, &c. are computed at 3000; I understand that Gen. Clay and the Kentucky troops had not arrived when the bombardment commenced on the 30th ult. I have just returned from Norton, and am calling out mounted volunteers in every contiguous direction, to rendezvous at this place and Norton immediately. With respect to the advancing of the one years troops, raising under your and Gen. Cass's superintendance, you will dispose of them as you may judge best. Forage and provisions can be furnished at this, and in advance by the United States. On this occasion you are desired to exert your authority and influence to bring or send all the mounted men you can. My object is to attempt to force through to Fort Meigs, if necessary and in any event to secure the public stores at Upper Sandusky and relieve the frontier inhabitants from a panic which has seized them. In case General M'Arthur is absent, General M'Lane is directed to raise the men.

In haste, R. J. MEIGS.
General M'Arthur.

FROM HALIFAX, MAY 24.

Yesterday H. M. brig Bold from Cork; H. M. schooner Paz, from the Delaware, with the American Sloop Julia, from Havana, bound to Boston, laden with Molasses, her prize.

Ships Cerberus, Thomson; Alexander, Reid; Duck, —; brig Port of Sunderland, Robinson, from Cork;

Privateer schooner Liverpool Packet, from Liverpool, with the American brig John, laden with flour, and sloop Defiance, her prizes; also,

American brig Columbia, from Savannah, bound to Boston, laden with Cotton, prize to the privateer brig Sir John Sherbrooke, captured the 19th inst.

This morning, brig Paragon, Garden, from Aberdeen, bound to St. John, N. B. sailed 20th April—on the 5th inst. near the

Banks of Newfoundland, was captured by the privateer ship America, of Salem, of 20 guns, and 150 men, and, on the 19th inst. recaptured by the Sir J. Sherbrooke on Geo. Banks—The America had been 6 weeks out, and had taken nothing previous to the Paragon.

The Sherbrooke recaptured on the 19th inst. a brig from London bound to Newfoundland, and the sloop General Hodgson, from hence bound to Martinique—they had a few days previous been captured by an American privateer ship.

The Sherbrooke sailed from Liverpool the 17th inst. and on the following day, near Cape Sable, chased an American privateer, which escaped by superior sailing.

The Cerberus sailed from Greenock the 13th April—on the 18th arrived at Cork, received Convoy Instructions from H. M. S. Plover, and on the 26th sailed from thence with 90 sail of transports and Merchant vessels—and off the harbor was joined by the following ships of War:

Bellerophon, 74 guns, Vice-Admiral Sir R. G. Keats:

- Niobe, 38 do. Capt. Montague.
- Loire 38 do. Capt. Brown.
- Comet, 20 do. Capt. Blamey, and

Two brigs of war—with about 60 sail of Merchant vessels from the English Channel—making in all 7 Men of War, and 150 sail of transports, and Merchant vessels, bound for Newfoundland, Quebec, Nova-Scotia and New-Brunswick—May 17, on the Banks of Newfoundland, parted from the fleet in a thick fog.

The Paz left the Delaware the 6th inst. a few days before her arrival here, near Nantucket shoals, she fell in with an American privateer schooner—which, however, unfortunately being to windward of the Paz, and sailing remarkably fast, escaped—after a running action of an hour.

The Duck was from Cork, bound to Quebec—was taken by an American privateer near the entrance of the St. Lawrence, and, a few days after, recaptured by the Bold.

We have been obligingly favored with Cork Papers, received by the Cerberus, to the 23d ult. from which we have made a variety of extracts.

Bonaparte left Paris the 15th April—and is no doubt, by this time engaged, in playing his last stake near Magdeburg.

We are sorry to find that the report of Austria having joined in the good cause against France, received by the April Packet, is not confirmed, by the Cork Papers.

On Wednesday afternoon last, a small privateer schooner was seen, by some persons living at Three-Fathom Harbor, (to the Eastward) to capture a brig, and about twilight on the same day, bring to a ship, which she, we have no doubt soon after took possession of.—They were probably part of the Crescent's convoy, and, as the ship Diana, from Liverpool for this place, laden with a most valuable cargo of Dry Goods, &c. was in the Convoy, and is missing, great apprehensions are entertained that she is the ship so captured.

The schooner Delight, from Bermuda for this place, has been captured by an American privateer, and sent into Machias.

WHEREAS my Wife ELIZABETH has left my bed and board without any just cause, I hereby forbid all persons from trusting her on my account, as I will not pay one shilling of debt of her contracting after this date. JAMES BROWN.
St. Andrews, May 24, 1813. 3sp.

THE ROYAL GAZETTE

SAINT JOHN,
MONDAY, MAY 31, 1813.

Yesterday arrived, H. M. S. Rattler, Capt. Gordon, with the elegant schooner Post-Boy, of Salem, of 155 tons per Register, and loaded with an assorted Cargo for St. Domingo—prize to the Shannon, Tenedos and Rattler.

At the last Term of the Supreme Court, a Circuit Court was appointed for King's-County, to be holden on the first Tuesday in July next.

SECRETARY'S OFFICE,
FREDERICTON, New-Brunswick,
24th MAY, 1813.

THESE are to give Public Notice that it is expected that upon the present occasion of the death of Her Royal Highness AUGUSTA Duchess of Brunswick, all His Majesty's subjects in this Province do put themselves into decent mourning, to begin on Sunday next the 30th instant.

By command of His Honor the President,
WM. F. ODELL, Dy. Secretary.

TO BE SOLD AT THE CUSTOM-HOUSE,
To-Morrow, (weather permitting.)

- TWENTY Kegs Tobacco,
 - Twelve Boxes Chocolate,
 - Forty Brooms,
 - Eighteen Fusees,
 - Thirty Pair Holster Pistols,
 - Twenty do. small Brass do.
 - Forty-five do. Iron do.
- Monday, 31st May, 1813.

NOTICE.

WE the Subscribers being appointed Commissioners to examine the claims of the several creditors of the Estate of GEORGE YOUNGHUSBAND, late of the City of St. John, Merchant, deceased, represented insolvent, give this public notice, that we shall attend for that purpose at the Coffee-House, in said City, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, on Wednesday, 9th June next.

JOHN ROBINSON, } Commis-
WILLIAM BLACK, } sioners.
THOMAS MILLIDGE. }
Saint John, 29th May, 1813.

NOTICE.

WE hereby give notice that we are no longer to be considered as Partners in the Firm of PETER STUBBS & Co. of Saint Andrews in the Province of New-Brunswick, nor will be accountable for the payment of any Bills drawn by that Firm—as witness our hands at Liverpool, this first day of January, in the year of our Lord eighteen hundred and thirteen.

CRAWFORD LOGAN,
SAMUEL LENOX,
WILLIAM WELSH.

Signed in presence of us,
J. A. BRUSH,
E. C. MOLYNEUX.

CARRIAGE at AUCTION.

ON Wednesday the 2d June, will be Sold by the Subscriber, a handsome CARRIAGE, very complete with dickey seat, &c.—it may be seen at any time by applying to ANDREW CROOKSHANK.
May 24, 1813.

Blank's of various kinds may be had at this Office.