

BOSTON, OCTOBER 4.

Extract of a Letter to the Editor.

BALTIMORE, SEPTEMBER 29.

A private letter from a respectable house in Bourdeaux, to his correspondent, in this city, received by the Pilot, arrived at New-York, and which was sent down after the vessel had sailed, states that the French lost above 20,000 men in the actions of the 28th and 30th July—(the battles of Orquin and Ostis.) The wounded had been sent to Bourdeaux in such numbers that every family had more or less quartered upon them. All the valuables have been sent from Bayonne to Bourdeaux. Hostilities were to commence in a few days, and a dreadful conflict was expected. St. Sebastians has been completely destroyed by the British.

From the tenor of the Paris papers received by the Argus, to the 21st of August, and from the general impression of the passengers, who are of different political opinions, we are inclined to believe that the Armistice terminated on the 15th of August, and that Austria has sided with the Allies. It was indeed, strongly suspected at Bourdeaux that a battle had taken place the issue of which had been adverse to the French. This opinion probably originated in the sudden silence of the *Moniteur*, as to the Grand Army. If Austria, however, has in sincerity espoused the cause of the Continent, the overthrow of the Usurper cannot be far distant. That she has done so, is, the Editor of the *Centinel* observes, rendered probable by many circumstances.

The Emperor of Austria continued near his army in Bohemia, and had made a large promotion in the General Staff of his army; and his Princess and Head Generals were with his *corps d'armee*.—And in the *Moniteur* of the 20th August, we find emphatically stated, that the Exchange between Augsburg, in Bavaria, (one of Napoleon's allies,) and Vienna had suddenly fallen very low.—There were several other indirect indications of this sort.

On the part of France, we find in every paper to the latest dates, accounts of the march of troops of every description, artillery, and munitions of war, for the grand army; while all the cities and positions occupied by the French and Bavarian armies, were receiving new fortifications, and laying in stores of every description. Added to this, the *Moniteur* of the 14th August, on the strength of official advices from Dresden, of the 7th states, that on the 5th and 6th Bonaparte did not leave his house; but was occupied the whole time with the Duke of Bassano, his Major-General (Berthier) with all his Commissary and Quarter-Master-Generals, and who had the direction of the supplies of his army.

This is followed by the following significant paragraph:—"As the armistice may be denounced on the 15th August, the troops are preparing to celebrate the Emperor's birthday, on the 10th of August." Later accounts mention that he left Dresden the 15th, for his lines; and it was expected at Paris, that hostilities would commence on the succeeding day,—and great anxiety pervaded that city for the event.

The King of Naples (Murat) had joined Napoleon's army, and had appointed his Queen to be Regent in his absence.

The King of Prussia had left Berlin for the Head-Quarters of his army.—The Emperor of Russia was with his army.

General Benningson, we find, has been promoted to the command in chief of the corps commanded by Prince Rostowski, General Toistoy, and General Doctorow.

The French Empress Regent had met her husband Napoleon, at Mayence; where they continued a few days, when he returned to Dresden, and the Empress to Paris.

BOSTON, OCTOBER 2.

Arrived yesterday, letter of marque brig Argus, Capt. Parsons, of 13 guns, 37 days from Nantz.—Passenger, Mr. W. Dawson, of New-York. Mr. Dawson left Bourdeaux August 26.—There had been no late arrivals.

Letters from Paris, received in Nantz, stated that the ARMISTICE would expire the 15th of August, and that it was expected a Battle would take place immediately after.

Letters also from Paris, dated 21st August, stated positively, that AUSTRIA had joined the ALLIES against FRANCE, and that the Austrians had 200,000 infantry, and 80,000 cavalry, ready to take the field.

The ship London Packet, prize to the Argus, arrived at Quarantine this forenoon.

DREADFUL CONFLICT.

Extract of a letter received in Washington, dated Fort St. Stephens, September 4, 1813.

"The storm which has been so long gathering and so often predicted by honest,

respectable citizens, has at length fallen on our infant, defenceless settlements. On Monday last, the Creek Indians commenced hostilities against us, and on that day reduced one Fort at Tensajo, about 15 miles from Stoddert; in which there were between three and four hundred persons of every description. Of these, about one hundred and thirty-five were volunteers in the service of the U. S. and local militia. It is said the Fort was surprised, and that the Indians entered at one of the gates and set fire to an old framed house in the centre of the pickets. All was done that could be effected by cool, determined bravery; but overpowered by numbers, they were literally butchered, the house set on fire, and the old men, women and children (who were in an upper room) burnt to death. Our little Spartan band sold their lives well, having killed (as stated by the few who escaped) about two hundred, and wounded many more. Of all that were in the fort, eight only have got in, and they escaped by cutting down the pickets. Under the double influence of British gold and ferocious fanaticism, the savages fought in a manner scarcely to be credited. The fight was so obstinately maintained for a long time, that the opponents overcome by fatigue and exertion, loaded their pieces deliberately, and shot each other down, or were mutually dispatched by the bayonet and tomahawk.

"The brave and much lamented Major Beasley commanded, and was killed at the gate very early in the action: at this place sixty-three of the savages were killed. Not an officer of the fort survived—they fell bravely discharging their duty to their country. This disastrous event has stricken a panic into many of the citizens east of Tombigby, and they are flying in every direction. At this place we have made a stand, and must either repulse the enemy, or share the fate of those who fell in the fort at Tensajo."

HALIFAX, OCTOBER 11.

Arrived, Wednesday—H. M. Ship Victorious, Capt. Talbot, with a convoy from Bermuda, 7 days; and the Childers, Capt. Bedford, with the Three Sisters Transport, from Antigua and Chesapeake Bay.

Thursday—His Majesty's Ships Nymph, Capt. Epworth, and Statira, Capt. Stackpole, and Brig Borer, Capt. Coates, from a Cruise; and the schooner Thomas from Demerara.

Saturday—Brig Shannon, from St. Kitts for London—had been captured by the U. States ship President, and was re-taken by H. M. brig Manly.

Yesterday—His Majesty's Brigs Wasp, Capt. Gill, and Manly, Capt. Collier, from Bermuda, 14 days.

This Morning—several vessels from Quebec, in 21 days passage.

Sailed, Saturday, H. M. ships Diadem and Diomed, for Quebec, with the 1st Battalion of Royal Marines, &c. under the command of Colonel Williams.

A ship from St. Bartholomews bound to Rhode Island—detained by the George Privateer—is ashore at Jedore.

PRINCE-EDWARD ISLAND, October 2.

It is with regret we learn, that His Majesty's Brig Bold, Capt. Skekell, commander, was driven on shore by a strong North-East gale, near the North Cape of this Island on Monday morning last, between the hours of three and four o'clock. The Commander and surgeon arrived at this place on Thursday, by whom we are informed, that the officers and crew to the number of 67, were with much difficulty saved, but it was feared that the vessel would be entirely lost. The Agnes transport that arrived on Sunday last with Ordnance stores for this garrison is ordered round to her assistance, and his Excellency Lieut. Governor Smith has also given instructions for procuring the best assistance from the town, and the neighbouring settlements, to get the vessel off if practicable, or if not to save such of her stores as the circumstances of her situation may afford.

FOR SALE,

A Few Puncheons of First Quality

ST. CROIX RUM,

low for Cash, by

THOMAS HANFORD.

St. John, 30th August, 1813.

TO BE LET,

And possession given immediately.

TWO Front Rooms, a Bed Room and a Kitchen, and the use of a Cellar and a good yard, fronting the Market-square—Further particulars inquire at this Office.

SEPTEMBER 21, 1813.

THE ROYAL GAZETTE.

SAINT JOHN,

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 19, 1813.

Arrived, Saturday, H. M. brig Emulous, Captain Godfrey, with two ships and a brig from Saint Andrews to join convoy for Halifax.

This morning H. M. schooner Bream, Lt. Hare, from a cruise.

The sloop Margaret, Capt. Dunn, of and from this port bound to Martinique, was captured by an American privateer off Grand Manan, on the 7th inst. and was recaptured by H. M. S. Martin, on the 9th of Machias, and arrived here on Thursday.

We understand that the schooner Union of this port has been captured by the Americans, and carried into Machias.

We also understand that the Privateer Dart, of this Port, has been captured by a Revenue Cutter, and carried into Portland.

The American privateer Young Teaser's Ghost, (late Liverpool Packet,) of Portland, we understand, has been captured and sent into Halifax.

MILITIA GENERAL ORDERS.

HEAD-QUARTERS, FREDERICTON,

9th OCTOBER, 1813.

His Honor the President and Commander in Chief has been pleased to make the following promotions and appointments:

King's County Militia.

Lieutenant Hezekiah Hoyt, to be Captain, vice Fairweather, who retires.

Ensign Philip Dann, to be Lieutenant, vice Hoyt, promoted.

Serjeant Major Stephen Crawford, to be Ensign, vice Dann, promoted.

Sanbury Regiment.

Lieutenant James A. Miles, to be Captain, vice Smith, who retires.

William Wilmot, gent. to be Lieutenant, vice Miles, promoted.

STAFF.—Major John Murray Bliss, of the Sanbury Militia, is appointed Provincial Aid-de-Camp to His Honor the President.

By Order,

J. GUBBINS, Lieut. Colonel,

Adjt. Gen. Militia Forces.

POST-OFFICE, ST. JOHN, 12th Oct. 1813.

The MAILS for HALIFAX (during the winter months) will be closed every TUESDAY at Sun set—no Letters will be received after dark.

The MAIL for FREDERICTON will be closed on Wednesday at same time.

N. B. No Letters for GREAT-BRITAIN will be forwarded unless the inland postage is paid.

WM. CAMPBELL, Postmaster.

NEWBURYPORT, SEPT. 24.

On Saturday last was launched from Merrill's ship yard, the U. States sloop of war Wasp. She moved into her destined element in majestic style. She is pierced for 22 guns, and is rated a 20 gun ship. In point of model and workmanship, we presume she will not suffer by comparison with either of the others of her class built or building in pursuance of the late act of Congress. We understand she is to be fitted for sea with all possible despatch.

MARRIED] Lately at Fredericton, Mr. JOSEPH C. WATERBURY, of this City, to Miss RACHAEL WILLIAMS, of the former place.

At St. Andrews, on Wednesday evening last, by the Rev. Mr. ANDREWS, Capt. JOHN BOWEN LANDEG, of the ship Thomas, of Bristol, to Miss MARTHA SELLARS, of the former place.

On Tuesday evening, by the Rev. Mr. VEITS, Mr. WILLIAM BARLOW, to Miss MARY MARGESTON, both of this City.

JOHN ROBINSON,

Received by the PEGGY from LONDON, and AUGUSTUS and PALLAS from LIVERPOOL, a general assortment of GOODS, which are now opening for Sale on reasonable terms, viz.

LOAF SUGAR, Printed Calicos, Hyson, Souchong and India Cottons, and Single Teas, British Shirting ditto, Pepper, Ditto Sheeting ditto, London Soap, Cambric Muslins, Superfine, Second and French Cambricks, Coarse Cloths, Irish Sheeting, Double mill'd Cassimeres, Ditto Dowlas, India Silk Handkerchiefs, Common ditto, Red, Yellow, and Ribbons, White Flannels, Cotton Suspenders, Baizes and Serges, Stationary, and many other Articles suitable for the Season. fjb.

St. John, 19th June, 1813.



BY HIS HONOR

MAJOR-GENERAL

Sir THOMAS SAUMAREZ,

PRESIDENT and Commander in Chief

L. S. of the Province of NEW-BRUNSWICK, &c. &c. &c.

THOMAS SAUMAREZ.

A PROCLAMATION.

INFORMATION having been transmitted to me by the Right Honorable Earl BATHURST, one of His Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State, bearing date the 15th July last, that the PLAGUE had broken out in Malta on the 19th of May, and continued to rage with unabated violence, I have thought fit, by and with the advice of His Majesty's Council, to Publish this Proclamation, hereby directing and requiring the Magistrates and other Officers whom it may concern in the several Ports of this Province, to pay the strictest attention to the enforcement of such Regulations with respect to Vessels or Cargoes coming either directly or circuitously from the Mediterranean as may effectually secure this Province from all chance of Infection.

Given under my Hand and Seal at Fredericton, the eleventh day of October, in the Year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and thirteen, and in the fifty third year of His Majesty's Reign.

By His Honor's Command,  
JON. ODELL.

COMMISSARIAT OFFICE.

St. John, N. B. 5th October, 1813.

CASH

WANTED for BILLS of EXCHANGE, drawn on the Right Honorable the Lords Commissioners of His Majesty's Treasury, at Thirty days Sight.—Tenders for Sums (not less than one hundred pounds sterling) will be received at this Office.

R. EDWARDS,  
Assistant Commissary General.

RICHARD SANDS,

Has Received by the PEGGY and TRITON, from LONDON, AUGUSTUS and ORBIT, from LIVERPOOL,

A GENERAL ASSORTMENT OF

GOODS,

Which are now opening for Sale on Reasonable terms for CASH.  
St. JOHN, JULY 13, 1813.

TO BE SOLD,

OR LEASED FOR A TERM OF YEARS.

THAT valuable FARM at Mount Aston, on the Westmorland Road, five miles from the Market House in the City, now in the occupation of THOMAS PALMER, containing about three hundred acres of land, including about twenty acres of marsh.—There are on the Premises a good dwelling-house and barn, and possession may be had, if required, at any time in the course of the ensuing winter.—For terms apply at this Office.

St. JOHN, 12th October, 1813.

Sale at Public Auction

in ST. ANDREWS, at 11 o'Clock on

TUESDAY the 9th day of NOVEMBER next,

TOWN LOTS, No. 2 and 6 in letter A, MORRES' division, on which is erected a comfortable Dwelling House two stories high, a Store House, Stable, Barn, and Wood House; also a Wharf and Dock in front of Water Lots, No. 1, 2, and 3, in letter E, of said MORRES' division, being that commodious establishment occupied by Messrs. PETER STUBB'S, & Co. late of Saint Andrews, merchants.

JOHN DUNN, Auctioneer.

St. Andrews, 4th October, 1813.

NOTICE.

THE Concern in business hitherto carried on between the Subscribers closes this day by mutual consent: Therefore all persons having any demands against them, or either of them, are requested to render the same for payment, and all those indebted to them, or either of them, will please make their respective payments accordingly.

JAMES FRASER,

SAMUEL GROSVENOR.

Fredericton, N. B. 24th September, 1813.