The Installation of the Officers of Wellington Persevering Lodge, No. 20, took place, according to advertisement, between the hours of three and seven o'clock, P. M. on Wednesday the 24th ult. at the Assembly Room in Tesseyman's City Tavern. A part of the ceremonies were public, and were attended by one hundred and thirty Brethren, and a numerous circle of Ladies and Gentlemen, among whom many Canadians were conspicuous. The Rooms were fancifully

decorated by appropriate Banners, among which, was one representing the Union of the two Rival Fraternities of England, under the auspices of His Royal Highness the PRINCE REGENT, as Grand Patron of the order. His Royal Highness EDWARD, Duke of of Kent, as last Grand Master, according to the old Institution, and his Royal Highness the DUKE of Sussex, at present General Grand Master of the United Fraternity; combined with the respectable names of DENECHAU and COULSON, the present Provincial Grand Master and Deputy of Lower Canada. In the centre was placed an alter fancifully decorated with scarlet, gold and fine linen, the ascent to which, was by three steps o'er shadowed by an Arch of Crimson Silk, with fringe and tassals, surrounded by double triangular Candelabras, of rich plated ware. The Holy Writings were placed upon this Alter, and the Warrant of Union Lodge No. 8, under whose auspices the ceremonies were performed, supported by the Warrant of Lodge No. 459, held in the Royal Artillery. The Master's Chair was placed under the Union and Knight Templars Standards, and was decorated with azure and purple Velvet, trimmed with rich gold Lace; the chairs of the other officers were attended by blue and Crimson Banners. The tout ensemble exhibited a most imposing Spectacle. The instrumental Music was performed by

The Brethren upon their knees, the profound silence, the invocation prayer, the ceremony of consecration, the music, while the elements of Corn, Wine and Oil were sprinkled upon the Lodge, impressed us with real religious awe; we could not help thinking that a Fraternity, whose superficial ceremonies are so imposing, must be founded upon the purest principles. The Installation of the officers of the new Lodge, was accompanied with suitable Harengues upon the nature of their offices, all inculcating pure principles of morality, benevolence, and-duty to the Supreme Being, mingled with sentiments of obedience to the Sovereign Authority.

the Band of the Regiment De Meuron, and the vari-

ous airs selected appeared judiciously chosen, adding

greatly to the solemnity of the Scene.

Upon the whole, we have not witnessed a ceremony more peculiarly striking, and have been more minute in our description, as it is the first we have seen in this city, where respectable strangers have been present; and sincerely hope that Wellington Persevering Lodge, No. 20, will become an ornament to the Society. Let the officers imitate the virtues of the Illustrious Nobleman whose name they have assumed, together with his perservering spirit to do good, and like him they may be crowned ultimately with the plaudits of the Frater-

A MEETING BETWEEN TWO FRIENDS. From the "Memoirs and Anecdotes of the Baron de Grimm.

Two Friends, who had not seen each other for a long while, met on 'Change-" How do you do ?" said the one. "Not very well," said the other. "So much the worse. - What have you been doing since I saw you last ?"---" I have got married."---" So much the better." -- " Not so much the better for I have married a vile woman."-- "So much the worse, for her portion is 2000 louis."-- "So much the better."-Not so much the better, for I have employed a part of this sum in buying sheep, which are all dead of the rot."--" So much the worse."---" Not so much the worse, for the sale of their hides brought me more than the price of the sheep."---" So much the better."---"Not so much the better, for the house where I had loged the hides and the money has just been burnt."-Oh! so much the worse." .-- " Not so much the worse, for my wife was in it."

ALL Persons having any just demands against the Estate of the late FRANCIS M'BEA'TH, of Fredericton, deceased, are requested to render the mase duly attested; and all Persons indebted to said Estate, are desired to make immediate payment to

CASTHARINE M'BEATH, Executrix. ROBERT SMITH, Executors. ALLWARD HARNED,

20th June, 1815.



THE PROPRIETORS

OF THE

STEAM BOAT,

DEG leave to inform the Public, that she will commence Running early in May next, between St. John and Fredericton, to start every MONDAY and THURSDAY morning, from the Indian-House, (Saint John) precisely at 9 o'Clock, and from Fredericton every WEDNESDAY and SATURDAY morning, precisely at 8 o'Clock; to stop at Mr. WORDEN's, Mr. Scovil's, opposite Gagetown, and at JAMES TAY-LOR's, Esq. Maugerville, for 10 minutes only at a time at each place, both going and coming, to land or take on board Passengers.

The established prices for the ensuing season will be: All after-cabin Passengers 22s. 6d; Breakfast and Dinner, or Dinner and Tea included. Children under 12 years of age 10s. and Servants eating after their Master or Mistresses 155. All forward-cabin Passengers 17s. 6d. and Children under 12 years of age 10s.

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75. 6d. From Frederiction to Taylor's -From Taylor's to Scovil's, additional From Scovil's to Worden's, do. And from Worden's to the Indian-House, do 105.

The Steward will keep a supply of the best of Liquors, which is to be paid for by those who order them.

All Persons must pay their Passage money, on their having their names entered on the Boat's Books, prior to starting.

Passengers will be allowed 50lbs. weight of Baggage; all weight over, to pay at the rate of 5s. per Cwt. for all or part of the way; small Parcels without exception, under 15lb. to pay 1s. 3d. to be paid for on putting the same on board. No four-footed animal admitted on board the Boat; Dogs excepted --- for each of which, 55. must be paid, and excluded both cabins.

To avoid confusion, Passengers are requested to affix their names to their Baggage, previous to sending it on board.

All application for Passages, to be made to the Master on board.

N. B. The internal Rules and Regulations of the oBat, for the better information, good order and comfort of Passengers, will be hung up in the Cabins.

HUGH JOHNSTON, JOHN WARD, PETER FRASER, JAMES FRASER, PROPRIETORS. L. DONALDSON, ROBERT SMITH, J. C. F. BREMNER,

New-Brunswick, 12th Feb. 1816.

NOTICE.

LL Persons having any demands against the Estate of the late THOMAS CLARKE, Esq. of this City, deceased, are requested to present them for payment; and all Persons indebted to the said Estate, are desired to make immediate payment to, FRANCES CLARKE, Adm'x.

WM. TYNG PETERS, Adm'r.

St. John, 12th Dec. 1815.

NOTICE.

LL Persons having any demands against the Estate of the late Hon. EDWARD WINS-LOW, of Fredericton, deceased, are requested to render the same duly attested -- and all those indebted to said Estate, are desired to make immediate payment to

JOHN JENKINS, Admini EDWARD W. MILLER. Strators. Fredericton, May 23, 1815.

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Offers the same for sale at the Store lately occupied by the late Mr. BELI, on reasonable terms for Cash, Bills, Furs, or Timber.

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ALEXANDER DAVIDSON. Sole Administrator.

Miramichi, 1st August, 1815.

ALLPERSONS

AVING any just demands against the Estate of ADAM DUNMEDE, late of Miramichi, deceased, are requested to render the same duly attestedand those indebted to the said Estate are desired to make immediate payment to

PATRICK TAYLOR, Admini-JOHN GOODFELLOW, Strators. Miramichi, Nov. 20th, 1815.

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