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By His Excellency Major General GEORGE STRACEY SMYTH. (L.S.) Lieutenant-Governor and Com mander in Chief of the Province of New-Brunswick, &c. &c. &c. G. S. SMYTH. A Proclamation. TATHEREAS the General Assembly of this Province stands prorogued to the second Tuesday in October next : 1 have thought fit further to prorogue the said General Assembly; and the same is hereby prorogued to the second Tuesday in December next ensuing. Given under my Hand and Seal, at Fredericton, the twenty-eighth day of September, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and twenty, and in the first year of His Majesty's Reign. By His Excellency's Command, H. H. CARMICHAEL, Dep. Sec.

from and are without the limits of this Province, or concealed within the same, with intent and design to defraud the said John Cole and other Creditors of the said Alexander Gordon, James Babcock, and John Lawrence, if any there be, of their just dues, or else to avoid being arrested by the ordinary process of Law, as has been made to appear to my satisfaction) to be seized and attached; and that unless the said Alexander Gordon, James Babcock, and John Lawrence, do return and discharge their debt or debts within three months from the publication hereof, all the Estate as well real as personal, of the said Alexander Gordon, James Babcock, and John Lawrence, within this Province, will be sold for the payment and satisfaction of the Creditors of the said Alexander Gordon, James Babcock, and John Lawrence. Dated at St. Peters, in the County of Northumberland, the twenty first day of September, in the Year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and twenty.

within this Province will be sold for the payment and satisfaction of the creditors of the said Morris.

Dated at Fredericton aforesaid the eighth day of May, in the year of our Lord, 1820. JOHN SAUNDERS.

Stevens' abridgment of the Nature and Constitution of the Christian Church.

(Continued from our last.) First, The first of these powers is that of preaching the Gospel, which naturally precedes all the rest, because it is the means which God has been pleased to appoint for converting men to the Christian faith, in order to bring them into his Church, wherein the other powers are exercised. None have a right to preach without a commission ; for how shall they preach except they be sent (a)? Our Lord himself was sent, and commissioned by the Father to preach the Gospel (b), and this was one of the functions to which he was anointed by the Holy Spirit. In like manner he solemnly called and set apart his apostles to this office (c). and gave them commission to teach all nations (d). And this branch of the apostolic office, viz. preaching the Gospel, was derived to their successors the bishops. Hence St. Paul charges Timothy to preach the word (e), and one previous qualification required of such as were to be ordained bishops, is, that they be apt to teach (f); but this power was not confined to the bishops or superior order of ministers in the Church, for the apostle calls the Presbyters his fellowlabourers, that is, his associates, in preaching the Gospel; and Philip, who was only a deacon, preached the word in Samaria. All the different orders exercised this function ; the bishops as invested with the plenitude of power, the priests and deacons by an authority derived from them.

but neither Presbyters nor deacons ought to bapize without the bishop's allowance.

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Fourthly, Another power which our Lord has left to his Church is that of consecrating the eucharist, or Lord's Supper. The first euchrist was consecrated by our Lord himself a little before his passion. At the same time he gave his apostles commission to do, as he had done ; Do this, said he. in remembrance of me (m). Yet this office was not so strictly appropriated to the apostles, but that it might be lawfully executed by the ministers of the second order : whence we find that the eucharist was consecrated in the Church of Corinth, when no minister above the order of Presbyters, who were next below the apostles, was there. The reason why deacons were not allowed to consecrate the Lord's Supper was, because this sacrament was always believed to succeed in the place of sacrifices; and as none beside the high priest, and inferior priests, were permitted to offer sacrifices under the Jewish law, so none but bishops and pres -byters, who alone are priests in the Christian sense of that name, consecrated the Lord's Supper.

By ALEXANDER DAVIDSON, Esquire, one of the Justices of His Majesty's Inferior Court of Common Pleas for the County of Northumberland, in the Province of New-Brunswick.

TOTICE is hereby given, that on the application of John Forbes, of the firm (of Samuel Drinkwater and John Forbes, Copartners in Trade) of the Parish of Chatham, in the County and Province aforesaid, Merchants, to me duly made, pursuant to the directions of the Act of the General Assembly of this Province in such case inade and provided ; I have directed all the Estate as well real as personal, of David Tozer, late of Northesk in the County aforesaid, Lumberer, (which said David Tozer has departed from, and is without the limits of this Province, or concealed within the same, with intent and design to defraud the said John Forbes and his said Copartner in Trade, and the other Creditors of the said David Tozer, if any there be, of their just dues, or else to avoid being arrested by the ordinary process of law, as has been made to appear to my satisfaction) to be seized and attached ; and that unless the said David Tozer do return and discharge his debt or debts within three months from the publication hereof, all the Estate as well real as personal of the said David Tozer, within this Province, will be sold for the payment and satisfaction of the Creditors of the said David Tozer. Dated at Nelson, in the said County of Northumberland, the fifteenth day of August, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and twenty. ALEX. DAVIDSON, J.C.P. JOHN AMB. STREET, Any.

H. MUNRO, J. C. P. JOHN AMB. STREET, Ally.

By JOHN KEILLOR, Esquire, one of the Justices of His Majesty's Inferior Court of Common Pleas for the County of Westmorland : To all whom it may concern Greeting : TOTICE is hereby given, that upon the application of Amasa Wheldon, of Dorchester, in the County of Westmorland, and Province of New-Brunswick, Merchant, to me duly made, according to the form of the Act of the General Assembly in such case made and provided; I have directed all the Estate as well real as personal, within the said County of Westmorland, of John Jeffreys, late of Dorchester, in said County, Innkeeper, (which said John Jeffreys has either departed from and without the limits of this Province, or is concealed within the same) to be seized and attached ; and that unless the said John Jeffreys do return and discharge his said debt or debts, within three months from the publication hereof, all the estate as well real as personal of the said John Jeffreys, within this County, will be sold for the payment and satisfaction of the Creditors of the said John Jeffreys.

Secondly, Another religious act, which has always been appropriated to the Clergy, is offering to God the prayers of the Church. In secret every man is his own orator; and in private families, performance of divine worship is incumbent on them, to whom the care and government of the family belong; but in the public congregations of Christians, divine worship must be celebrated only by those, to whom it has pleased God to commit this office. The presenting of the people's prayers to God, and interceding with him to bless them, has always been reckoned an essential part of the sacredotal office. The apostles join the offices of preaching and prayer together : we, say they, will give ourselves continually to prayer and to the ministry of the word (g). St. James directs sick persons to send for the Presbyters of the Church to pray and intercede for them (h), that their sins may be forgiven. And the twenty four elders in the Revelation, who represent the ministers of the Christian Church, have every one of them golden vials full of incense, which is the prayers of the saints (i). Thirdly, The next power is that of admitting members into the Church by baptism This is expressed in the commission, which our Lord gave to his apostles just before his ascension: Go, teach all nations, baptizing them (h). Yet was it never understood to be so strictly appropriated to them, but that it might lawfully be exercised by inferior ministers. For we find that Philip the Deacon baptized the Samaritans and the Ethiopian eunuch (1). Hence though the power of baptism belong chiefly and primarily to the bishops, yet it belong also to Presbyters, who are the bishops' assistants in the care and government of the Church ; and may lawfully be committed to deacons ; (a) Rom x. 14, 15. (b) Luke iv. 18. (c) Mark iii 14 vi 7. (d) Mat. xxviii 19. (c) 1 Tim iv 1, 2. (f) 1 Tim in 2. (g) Acts vi. 4. (h) James y. 14 (i, Rev. v. 8 (k) Mat. xxviii.

(m) Luke xxii. 19.

LONDON, SEPT. 25.

SPAIN .--- This country is emerging with rapid pace, from its former weakness and delusion .- Some disturbances had broken out in the capital, through the misguided zeal and folly of Riego : but they were soon quelled, and the Patriot General sent away, not to head his troops, which, in fact are disbanded, but to remain quiet, satisfied with what he had already done for the good of his country. Several societies, or political clubs, had been formed, with the view. of checking, or over-ruling the deliberations of the Cortes; but they have been suppressed, and the public peace placed in the hands of a military force, created by the Cortes. These decisive steps of the government, have gained the confidence of the people, and brought forward the capitalists to their support, by offering such loans as the exigencies of the moment demand. Quiroga, the Epiminendas of Spain, who has become the object of universal affection, from the King. to the Peasant, has entirely broken with Riego.

By HOGH MUNRO, Esquire, one of the Justices of His Majesty's Inferior Court of Common Pleas for the County of Northumberland, in the Province of New-Brunswick. TOTICE is hereby given, that on the

application of John Cole, of Saint Peters, in the Parish of Saumarez and Pro William Wilmot, and William Wilmot vince aforesaid, Carpenter and Joiner, to me duly made, pursuant to the directions of and Samuel Peters, and the other creditors of the said Morris, if any there be, of their the Act of the General Assembly of this Province in such case made and provided ; just dues, or else to avoid being arrested by the ordinary process of law as is alledged a-I have directed all the Estate as well real as gainst him) to be seized and attached, and personal, of Alexander Gordon, James Babthat unless the said Merris do return and cock, and John Lawrence, Lumberers, also discharge his said debts within three months iate of St. Peters, in the County aforesaid, from the publication hereof, all the Estate as which said Alexander Gordon, James Babwell real as personal of the said Morris, mik, and John Lawrence, have departed

Dated at Dorchester, the twenty-seseventh day of October, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and twenty. JOHN KEILLOR, J. C. P.

By the Honorable John Saunders, one of the Justices of His Majesty's Supreme Court of Judicature for the Province of New-Brunswick.

OTICE is hereby given, that upon V the application of William Sewell of Fredericton, in the County of York, merchant: William Wilmot of same place, inerchant, and William Wilmot and Samuel Peters of same place, merchants and Copartners in trade, to me duly made pursuant to the directions of the General Assembly in such case made and provided : I have directed all the Estate, as well real as personal of Morris Cooper, otherwise called Morris L. Cooper, late of the Parish of Saint Mary's in the County aforesaid, yeoman, (which said Morris has either departed from and without the limits of the said province, or is concealed within the same, with intent and design to defraud the said William Sewell,

SOUTH AMERICA.

A letter from S1. Thomas, dated Sept. 15, received at Charleston, states that the province of Barcelona is entirely free; that the royalist commander Toralva, and another Spanish officer, with their divisions, have deserted to the patriots; that St. Martha, has also fatlen into their hands; that Carthagena must soon surrender, [since reported to have surrendered.] That Morillo declares that he cannot hold Carraccas much longer without a reinforcement of troops from Spain, and that his hopes are forlorn.

FROM BUENOS AYRES. Last evening we received a file of papers from Buenos Ayres, to the 12th Aug.

Among them are several Bulletins of the army of the province, under Gen. Manuel Denego. One, dated Aug. 5th, contains the details, of a splended victory gained over the federal army, commanded by Generals Carrera and Alvcar, at San Nicholas, on the 2d August ; which was entirely routed, and from which the chiefs escaped with only their personal escorts. The fruits of this victory were, one Colonel in chief, 5 Lt. Colonels, 2 Majors, 18 Captains, 2 Aids, 4 Lieutenants, one Ensign, 3 Surgeons, and 330 privates, taken prisoners, with 5 cannons, 192 muskets, 417 lances, 449 swords, and 2000 horses. Ten Deputies of the Congress were also captured. A P. S. adds, that Alvear had been taken by Gen. Lopez, and ordered to be shot. The Buenos Ayrean army had only 5 killed and 42 wounded, The despatches the directed to Don Balcarce, Governor pro tem.