

HUMOUROUS.

IRISH NEGRO.—A negro from Montezera, or Marigalante, where the Hibernia Celtic is spoken by all classes, happened to be on the wharf at Philadelphia when a number of Irish emigrants were landed: and seeing one of them with a wife and four children, he stepped forward to assist the family on shore. The Irishman, in his native tongue, expressed his surprise at the civility of the negro; who, understanding what had been said, replied in Irish that he need not be astonished, for that he was a bit of Irishman himself. The Irishman, surprised to hear a black man speak his *Mislesian* dialect, it entered his mind with the usual rapidity of Irish fancy, that he really was an Irishman but that the climate had changed his fair complexion. "If I may be so bold, sir," said he, "I ask how long you have been in this country?" The negro man, who had only come hither on a voyage, said he had been in Philadelphia only four months.

Poor Patrick turned round to his wife and children, and looking as if for the last time on their rosy cheeks, concluding that in four months they must also change their complexion, exclaimed, "O merciful powers! Biddy, did you hear that? he is not more than four months in this country, and he is already almost as black as jet."

PERSONALITIES.

When Quin and Garrick performed at the same theatre, and in the same play, the night being very stormy, each ordered a chair. To the mortification of Quin, Mr. Garrick's chair came up first. "Let me get into the chair," cried the surly veteran, "let me get into the chair, and put little Davy into the lantern." "By all means," said Garrick; "I shall ever be happy to give Mr. Quin light in any thing."

A True Story.

During the late war, in a small country village in New England, a store-keeper who was a violent democrat, had his store very much infested with rats, which he was in the constant habit of calling federalists. He told his son, a young lad, to set some traps to catch the federalists; which the boy accordingly did several nights with success, and at each time informed his father that he had caught a federalist. At length the boy caught a mole in his trap, and in great exultation calls out to his father, I have caught a democrat! Aye says the father, how do you know him to be a democrat? The boy replied, the others which I caught had eyes, and you called them federalists; the one I have now caught has no eyes, he cannot see—of course he must be a democrat. The reasoning of the boy was so good that the father could not forbear to tell the story.

"Black Eyed Susan."

Gay wrote this well known ballad upon Mrs. Montford, a celebrated actress, contemporary with Cibber. After her retirement from the stage, love and the ingratitude of a bosom friend, deprived her of her senses, and she was placed in a receptacle for lunatics. One day, during a lucid interval, she asked her attendant, what play was to be performed that evening, and was told it was Hamlet; in this tragedy whilst on the stage, she had ever been received with rapture in Ophelia. The recollection struck her, and with that cunning which is so often allied to insanity, she eluded the care of the keepers, and got to the Theatre, where she concealed herself until the scene in which Ophelia enters insane; she rushed on the stage, before the lady who had performed the previous part of the character could come on, and exhibited a more perfect representation of madness than the utmost exertions of mimic art could effect. She was, in truth, Ophelia herself, to the amazement of the performers and the astonishment of the audience. Nature having made this last effort, her vital powers failed her. On going off she exclaimed, "It is all over!"—She was immediately conveyed back to her late place of security, and a few days after, "She like a lily drooping, Then bowed her head, and died."

THE Subscriber requests all persons who have had their accounts standing open six months, to the 24th June last, to call and settle them without delay, or otherwise they will be put into the hands of an Attorney to collect.

WILLIAM BAILEY.

Fredericton, 10th July 1821.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Copartnership of JOHN BAILEY WILLISTON, JOHN THOS. WILLISTON, JOHN McLEOD, and ANGUS McLEOD, is this day dissolved by mutual consent: Therefore all persons having any just demands against said Copartners, are requested to render their accounts for adjustment, within nine months from the date hereof; and all those who stand indebted, are desired to make immediate payment to WILLISTON & McLEOD. Miramichi, 30th Dec. 1820.

THE Copartnership of JAMES & FRANCIS PEABODY having expired on the last day of May 1818, and notice being then given to all persons indebted to call and settle their accounts: Those that neglected so to do, are hereby required to make immediate payment to either of the Subscribers; and all persons having demands against said Firm, are requested to present their accounts for payment.

JAMES PEABODY, FRANCIS PEABODY, Jun. Miramichi, 30th March 1820.

NOTICE.

DROPT in the SURVEYOR-GENERAL'S Office, a few days since, a PROMISSORY NOTE, of £9:5. The owner may have the same, on applying at the Royal Gazette Office, and paying the expense of advertising.

Fredericton, 29th Jan. 1821.

TO LET,

At Public Auction, at the House of Mr. Jonathan Robinson, in Hopewell, A PIECE OF MARSH LAND, in the Parish of Hopewell, on the Creek, known by the name of Cumstock Creek.

The above Land will be Leased to defray the expense of Dyking the same.

Newton Wells, Paul C. Robinson, John Edgett, Samuel West, Peter McClellan, Jun. } Commissioners of Sewers.

Hopewell, June 1, 1820.

THE public are hereby cautioned against taking as payment, three promissory Notes against the Subscriber, (Negotiable) as the same have been paid and duly discharged;—viz. one of £19 currency, in favour of William Davidson, one of £4 in favour of William Southerland, and one of £12 pounds in favour of Samuel Samuels.

JAMES MILLER. Miramichi, 11th May, 1821.

ALL persons indebted to E. SLOOT or E. SLOOT & Co. are requested to make immediate payment, or the Subscriber will be under the necessity of putting them to cost.

E. SLOOT.

Fredericton, 20th June 1820.

ALL those who are indebted to the Subscriber are once more requested to settle their accounts, or he will be constrained to proceed against them.

JEDEDIAH SLASON.

Fredericton, 9th June, 1821.

FOR SALE, a Pew on the lower flat of the Baptist Meeting House,—inquire at this Office.

Fredericton, 5th June, 1821.

THE Business heretofore carried on by the Subscriber, will from this date be conducted under the Firm of JAMES TAYLOR Senr. & Co. He therefore requests all persons indebted to him, to call and settle their respective accounts without delay, as all accounts that remain unsettled within a reasonable time after this notice, will without discrimination, be put into the hands of an Attorney to collect.

JAMES TAYLOR. Fredericton, 1st May, 1821.

ALL persons having any just demands against the Estate of the late RICHARD SMITH, Esqr. deceased, and ANGUS MINTOSH, Merchants, both of Bucktough, in the County Northumberland, are requested to render the same to the Subscribers, six months from the date hereof; and all those indebted to said Estate, are desired to make immediate payment to ELLEN SMITH, Adm'x. ANGUS MINTOSH, Ad'r. Bucktough, 9th March. 1821.

ALL persons having demands against the Estate of ROBERT SMITH, Esq. late of Fredericton, deceased, are requested to render their accounts, attested to; and all those indebted to said estate, are desired to make immediate payment to JAMES C. F. BREMNER, WILLIAM F. ODELL. Ex'rs. Fredericton, 15th May, 1820.

Advertisements sent to the Royal Gazette for insertion, from those persons who do not reside in the Parish of Fredericton, must be accompanied by the CASH, otherwise they will not be attended to.

SHERIFF'S SALES.

To be Sold at Public Auction, at the Market House in Fredericton, on Monday the 19th day of November next, between the hours of 12 and 5 o'clock in the afternoon,

LOT No. 76, containing 500 acres, granted to William Whitlock, in the Grant to Stephen Jarvis and seventy others, in the Parish of Kingsclear.

The above property taken in execution from the said William Whitlock, will be struck off on the above day to the highest bidder, by

The SHERIFF of YORK.

19th May, 1821.

On Monday the 5th day of November next, will be sold at Public Auction, at the Jerusalem Coffee House in Fredericton, between the hours of 12 and 5 in the afternoon, to the highest bidder,

THE undermentioned LOTS of LAND, together with all the Buildings thereon, taken under several executions issuing out of the Supreme Court of this Province, viz.

Lot No. 45, in the lower Village in the Parish of Kingsclear, in the Grant to Stephen Jarvis and others, taken from Lewis Godue;

The upper half of Lot No. 79, and the whole of Lot No. 80, in the Parish of Queensbury, taken from Nathaniel Tredwell;

A Lot containing 100 acres 48 rods of front, situated between Lands owned by George Wheeler and Lands owned by Daniel Peiley, in the Parish of Prince William—taken from John Hoyt;

A Lot of Land situated on the Nashwalk, between the Lands owned by Captain McLean and Lands owned by Angus McLean—taken from John McKenzie.

By the SHERIFF of YORK.

To be Sold at Public Auction on Monday the 14th day of January next, at the Royal Oak Inn,

FOUR Lots of Land, on the Nashwalk, known and distinguished in the block granted to the disbanded soldiers of the late 42d Regiment, as Lots No. 62, 63 and 64, and part of Lot No. 61, taken by Execution issued out of the Supreme Court of this Province, at the suit of Xenophon Jowett.

Fredericton, 9th July 1821.

On Monday the 11th day of February next, at the Court-House of New-Castle, between the hours of 12 and 5 in the afternoon, will be sold by Public Auction,

ALL the real estate of George Pike, consisting of a House and Town Lot, situate in the Parish of Chatham, taken from said George, by an execution of *Fi. Fa.* issued out of the Supreme Court, at the suit of Francis Peabody and William Abrams, for the sum of four hundred and forty-nine pounds ten shillings and sixpence, and will be struck off on the above date to the highest bidder, by the

SHERIFF of NORTHUMBERLAND. Dated New-Castle, 10th Aug. 1821.

ALL PERSONS

HAVING any demands against the Estate of the late WM. BELL, of Northampton, deceased are requested to render the same duly attested, within twelve calendar months from the date hereof: and all persons indebted to said Estate, are desired to make immediate payment to

RICHD. KETCHUM, Esq. | Executors. THOMAS PHILLIPS, | Woodstock, 27th March, 1821.

FOR SALE.

A LOT of LAND containing three hundred Acres, lying in the rear of Sheffield, on Oak Point—40 Acres of which is cleared, and cuts about 20 tons of Hay;—an excellent Fishery is attached thereto; There is a comfortable dwelling House, a good Barn and Out-Houses on the premises, together with a Yoke of Oxen, three Cows thirteen Sheep, three Hogs, and a number of Farming utensils, Fishing materials, &c. All of which will be disposed of on reasonable terms by

EDWARD LANGEN.

Oak Point (Sheffield), 26th Feb. 1821.

LOST a NOTE of HAND, in favour of TIMOTHY HERRING, for thirty-one dollars and twenty cents, payable some time in the spring of 1820, signed by—Murphy, (one of the settlers on the Saint Andrew's Road) and endorsed by the said Timothy Herring. All persons are cautioned against purchasing said Note, as the payment of the same is stopped.

THOS. BOIS.

N.B.—Any person leaving said Note at the Royal Gazette Office, shall receive five shillings for their trouble. T. B. Fredericton, 21st July, 1821.

NOTICES.

ALL Persons having demands against the Estate of the late WILLIAM J. MUNRO, Esq. of Summers, deceased, are requested to render their accounts attested to, within six calendar months from the date hereof; and all those indebted to said Estate are desired to make immediate payment to SARAH MUNRO, Adm'x. Miramichi, 19th Feb. 1821.

ALL persons having just demand against the Estate of GEORGE LAURIE, late of the County of Northumberland, deceased, are requested to render the same duly attested, within twelve months from the date hereof; and all those indebted to said Estate, are requested to make immediate payment to

LUCY LAURIE, Adm'x. Miramichi, 14th Oct. 1820.

ALL PERSONS

HAVING any just demands against the estate of ZENOS LINCOLN, late of this Parish, deceased, are desired to render the same, duly attested, within twelve months from the date hereof; and all those indebted to the said estate are desired to make immediate payment to

SARAH LINCOLN, Adm'x. WM. WATTS, Adm'r.

Fredericton, 12th Feb. 1821.

ALL Persons having demands against the Estate of JAMES FRENCH, Esq. late of St. Mary, deceased, are requested to render their accounts attested to, within twelve months from this date; and all those indebted to said Estate, are desired to make immediate payment to

ARCHIBALD McLEAN, Adm'r. CHARITY FRENCH, Adm'r.

Nashwalk, 2d Nov. 1820.

ALL persons having any just demands against the Estate of WILLIAM McCULLAM, Pilot of Miramichi, deceased, are hereby requested to present the same duly attested, within eighteen calendar months from the date hereof; and those indebted to said Estate, are requested to make immediate payment.

CHARITY McCULLAM, Adm'x. HENRY McCULLAM, } Administrators. JOHN NE-MITH, } tors. Miramichi, 1st June, 1821.

ALL persons having any just demands against the Estate of JOHN HENDERSON, of the Parish of New-Castle, in the County of Northumberland, deceased, are requested to render the same duly attested to, within six months from the date hereof; and all those indebted to said Estate, are desired to make immediate payment to

HELEN HENDERSON, Adm'x. GEORGE HENDERSON, Ad'r. Miramichi, 19th Feb. 1821.

ALL PERSONS

HAVING any demands against the Estate of MATTHEW M. BURNS, Inn-keeper, late of Fredericton, deceased, are requested to render their accounts, duly attested to, within twelve months from the date hereof; and all those indebted to said Estate, are desired to make immediate payment to

HANNAH BURNS, Adm'x. MATHIAS G. VALENTINE, Ad'r. January 6, 1821.

ALL Persons having any just demands against the Estate of the late JAMES JAFFREY, Merchant of Miramichi, deceased, are requested to present the same duly attested, to either of the Subscribers, within three months from this date, and all Persons indebted to the said Estate, are hereby requested to make immediate payment to the Subscribers.

GEO. MACKINTOSH. GILBERT HENDERSON of Liverpool, by his Attorney. CHARLES McDONALD. Miramichi, 21st June 1821.

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