

Bread,	281	abls. & Sacks.
Mead and Corn,	819	barrels.
Potatoes,	235	Bushels.
Rice,	13	Tierces.
Tobacco,	43	Casks.
Naval Stores,	178	Barrels.
Molasses,	20	Casks.
Sugar,	16	Do.
Pimento,	50	Bags.
Gypsum,	50	Tons.
Beef and Pork,	105	Barrels.
Apples,	27	Barrels.
Onions,	263	Do.
"	55,000	bunches.
Essence of Spruce,	5	Kegs.

RICHIBUCTO.

Vessels entered, 69. Tonnage, 12,735.
Men, 594. Vessels cleared, 62.
Tonnage, 12,696. Men, 533.

IMPORTED.

Bread,	245	Barrels.
Flour,	269	Do.
Indian & Oat-Meal,	125	Casks & Bags.
Indian Corn,	3	Bushels.
Rice,	3	Casks.
Beef and Pork,	482	Barrels.
Coals,	30	Chaldrons.
Soap and Candles,	61	Boxes.
Tea,	9	Chests.
Cotton,	6	bales.
Rum,	52	Puncheons.
Brandy and Geneva,	8	Casks.
Wine,	2	Casks.
Molasses,	24	Do.
Sugar,	19	Do.
Coffee,	50	Lbs.
Pimento,	1	Bags.
Naval Stores,	56	Barrels.
Tobacco,	8	Casks.
Merchandise,	440	Packages.
Salt,	133	Tons.
Iron,	780	Bars.

EXPORTED.

Pine Timber,	16,159	Tons.
Masts and Spars,	1	No.
Poles,	297	No.
Lathwood,	473	Cords.
Handspikes,	1398	No.
Oar Riggers,	229	Feet.
Boards, Planks, } and Deals, }	79,000	Feet.
Staves,	26,000	No.

SHEDIAC.

Vessels entered, 19. Tonnage, 4334.
Men, 220. Vessels cleared, 23.
Tonnage, 5235. Men, 266.
Passengers, 19.

IMPORTED.

Bread,	30	Barrels.
Rice,	1	Cask.
Beef and Pork,	17	Barrels.
Cordage,	2	Coils.
Soap and Candles,	8	Boxes.
Rum,	5	Puncheons.
Brandy and Geneva,	5	Casks.
Wine,	1	Do.
Molasses,	6	Do.
Sugar,	3	Do.
Coffee,	112	Lbs.
Merchandise,	172	Packages.
Porter,	3	Casks & Hampers.
Salt,	250	Tons.
Iron,	616	bars.
Earthenware,	8	Crates.
Nails,	35	Casks & Bags.
Paints and Oils,	11	Jars and Kegs.

EXPORTED.

Pine Timber,	7209	Tons.
Masts and Spars,	118	No.
Poles,	26	Do.
Lathwood,	206	Cords.
Handspikes,	378	No.
Oar Riggers,	374	Feet.
Boards, Planks, } and Deals, }	36,000	Do.
Staves,	22,000	No.
Billets,	11,232	Do.

SAINT PETERS.

Vessels entered, 23. Tonnage, 3727.
Men, 201. Vessels cleared, 23.
Tonnage, 3727. Men, 193.

IMPORTED.

Bread,	42	Barrels.
Flour,	119	Do.
Beef and Pork,	28	barrels.
Tea,	2	Chests.
Rum,	11	Puncheons.
Brandy and Geneva,	2	Casks.
Wine,	2	Do.
Naval Stores,	6	barrels.
Tobacco,	5	Casks.
Merchandise,	32	Packages.
Salt,	10	Tons.

EXPORTED.

Pine Timber,	4518	Tons.
Masts and Spars,	145	No.
Lathwood,	188	Cords.

Dry Fish,	1250	Quintals.
Pickled Do.	159	barrels.
Fish Oil,	3	barrels.
Furs,	1	Cask.

HOUSE OF ASSEMBLY.

Monday, 17th February.

Read a second time, a bill "in amendment of the Laws now in force for the support and relief of confined Debtors, and for the further relief of Debtors with respect to the imprisonment of their persons."

Ordered that the bill be now committed. Mr. Speaker left the chair. Mr. Johnston took the chair of the committee.

Mr. Speaker resumed the chair. Mr. Johnston, from the committee, reported that they had gone into consideration of the bill to them referred, and made progress therein, and that he was directed to move for leave to sit again.

Ordered that the report be accepted and leave granted. Mr. McKay presented a petition of sundry Inhabitants residing at Magaguadavic, praying that a Law might pass for the more effectually to punish persons detected in stealing Saw Logs and Timber, and for removing marks from the same.

Which he read, in his place. Ordered that the same be received and lie on the table. Message from His Excellency the Lieutenant-Governor, by the Secretary:

"New-Brunswick. "Message to the House of Assembly, "17th February, 1823.

"G. S. SMYTH. "The Lieutenant-Governor directs to be laid before the House, an account of expences, amounting to £64 1 8, which have been incurred by sending a detachment of His Majesty's Troops to Miramichi, to aid the Civil Power; and recommends that provision be made for the payment of the same, as well as for such further contingencies as may arise for the continuance of this measure, which has been adopted by the advice of His Majesty's Council.

"G. S. S." The following is the account referred to in His Excellency's Message...

Account of expences incurred by sending a detachment of His Majesty's Troops to Miramichi:	
Amount paid for transporting Baggage,	£24 0 0
Amount paid for ferrage and piloting Troops,	2 11 8
Hire of Barracks from July to 1st May next, at £3 15 0 per month,	37 10 0
	£64 1 8

The order of the day being read for the commitment of the bill "to repeal an Act passed in the third year of His Majesty's Reign, intituled "An Act further to continue the Acts for more effectually repairing the Streets and Bridges in the City and County of Saint John,"...

Ordered that the said order be further discharged, and that the House do go into consideration of the same on Thursday next.

The House resolved itself into a Committee of the whole House, on a bill "to repeal the Acts for regulating, laying out, and repairing Highways and Roads, and for appointing Commissioners and Surveyors of Highways within the several Towns and Parishes of this Province, and to make more effectual provision for the same."

Mr. Speaker left the chair. Mr. R. Simonds took the chair of the committee.

Mr. Speaker resumed the chair. Mr. Simonds, from the committee, reported that they had gone into consideration of the bill to them referred, and made progress therein, and that he was directed to move for leave to sit again.

Ordered that the report be accepted and leave granted. Adjourned.

Tuesday, 18th February.

Mr. Johnston, by leave, presented a Petition of the Mayor, Aldermen, and Commonalty of the City of Saint John, praying Legislative aid to assist them in securing the Bar extending from Carleton in the said City, in a south-easterly direction towards Partridge Island: Likewise a Petition of the said Mayor, Aldermen, and Commonalty, praying Legislative aid to enable them to extend the Breakwater at the mouth of the

Harbour of St. John, for the more effectually to protect the said Harbour from violent gales, and for the better security of vessels lying at anchor in the same.

Which he read in his place. Ordered that the said Petitions be received and referred to the Committee of Supply.

On motion, the House resolved itself into a committee of the whole House, in further consideration of the bill "to repeal the Acts for regulating, laying out, and repairing Highways and Roads, and for appointing Commissioners and Surveyors of Highways within the several Towns and Parishes of this Province, and to make more effectual provision for the same."

Mr. Speaker left the chair. Mr. R. Simonds took the chair of the committee.

A Message from His Excellency the Lieutenant-Governor.

Mr. Speaker resumed the chair. Mr. Secretary Odell delivered the Message.

"New-Brunswick. "Message to the House of Assembly, "18th February, 1823.

"G. S. SMYTH. "The Lieutenant-Governor informs the House of Assembly, that in pursuance of a representation made by the Collector of His Majesty's Customs at Saint John, he had, with the advice of His Majesty's Council, appointed a number of persons to assist in collecting the duties lately given to the Province by an Act of the Imperial Parliament: He directs to be laid before the House, an account of expences incurred by this measure, amounting to £79 5, and recommends to the House to make provision for payment of the same, and also for defraying similar expences in future.

"A copy of the Minute of Council on this subject, is also herewith sent for the information of the House.

"G. S. S. (Copy.) In Council, at St. John, 12th Sep. 1822, Present,

His Excellency the Lieutenant-Governor, &c. &c.

"Read a letter from Collector Wright, stating the necessity of appointing a certain number of Tide-Waiters, as a means of preventing the evasion of His Majesty's duties.

"Whereupon advised, that three Tide-Waiters be appointed at 5s. per day each. And in the event of it appearing necessary, His Excellency is further advised, to appoint a Tide-Surveyor, with the salary of £100 per annum; and that all Officers employed in collecting the Province duties, shall be intitled to one moiety of the Seizing Officer's share, when the seizures shall be made in consequence of their information."

"Extract from the Minutes. "W. M. F. ODELL."

Then Mr. Secretary Odell, delivered the following Message from His Excellency the Lieutenant-Governor:

"Mr. Speaker,—I am commanded by His Excellency, to lay before this Honourable House, the reports of the several Supervisors of great roads throughout the Province."

Ordered the same lie on the table for the information of the Members.

The order of the day being read for the commitment of the bill "to continue an Act intituled "An Act for granting further aid in support of the Grammar School in the Town of Saint Andrews,"...

Thereupon ordered, that the said order be discharged. Adjourned.

Wednesday, 19th February. Ordered that the several reports of the Supervisors laid before the House by Message from His Excellency the Lieutenant-Governor, yesterday, be read at the Clerk's table.

The reports were accordingly read. Mr. Simonds, by leave, presented a Petition of the Overseers of the Poor of the Parish of Portland, praying Legislative aid to assist them in the support of disbanded Soldiers, Soldiers' Widows, and other transient Poor within the said Parish.

Which he read in his place. Ordered that the same be received and referred to the Committee appointed to examine accounts for the support of transient Poor and indigent Emigrants.

Mr. Fraser, by leave, presented a Petition, together with sundry accounts and vouchers, from the Overseers of the Poor of the Parish of Fredericton, praying to be

reimbursed in the sum of £341 14 1/2 expended by them between the 1st January, 1822, and 1st January, 1823, for the support of transient Poor within the said Parish.

Which Petition he read in his place. Ordered that the same be received and referred to the Committee appointed to examine accounts for the support of transient Poor and indigent Emigrants.

Mr. McKay, by leave, presented a Petition of the Governor and Trustees of the Madras School in New Brunswick, praying that further Legislative aid may be granted for the support of the Institution. Accompanying the Petition is the annual report of the state of the said Madras School, for the year 1822.

The Petition together with the report being read, were ordered to be received and referred to the Committee of Supply.

The House resolved itself into a Committee of the whole House, in further consideration of the bill, "to repeal the Acts for regulating, laying out, and repairing Highways and Roads, and for appointing Commissioners and Surveyors of Highways within the several Towns and Parishes in this Province, and to make more effectual provision for the same."

Mr. Speaker left the chair. Mr. R. Simonds took the chair of the committee.

Mr. Speaker resumed the chair. Mr. Simonds, from the Committee, reported that they had made further progress in the bill to them referred, and that he was directed to move for leave to sit again.

Ordered that the report be accepted and leave granted. On motion, the House resolved itself into a Committee of the whole House, in consideration of a bill, "to repeal the Acts now in force for encouraging the raising of Bread-Corn"

Mr. Speaker left the Chair. Mr. Ritchie took the Chair of the Committee.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair. Mr. Ritchie, from the Committee, reported that they had gone into consideration of the bill to them referred, and had agreed to the same with amendments, under the title of "A bill to repeal an Act, intituled "An Act for granting bounties on grain raised in this Province."

Ordered that the report be accepted and the bill as amended be engrossed.

The House resolved itself into a Committee of the whole House, in consideration of the bill, "to repeal the Laws now in force for the encouragement of the Fisheries in this Province."

Mr. Speaker left the Chair. Mr. Smith took the Chair of the Committee.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair. Mr. Smith, from the Committee, reported that they had gone into consideration of the bill to them referred, and that the Committee had made the following resolution:

"Resolved that the consideration of the bill be postponed for three months."

Ordered that the report be accepted. Mr. Johnston, by leave, presented a Petition from Hugh Gibony, a Debtor confined in the Gaol of the County of St. John praying that the Law relating to Insolvent Debtors may be so amended as to give further relief.

Mr. Johnston, by leave, likewise presented a Petition from James Fox, praying similar relief.

Which several Petitions he read in his place. Ordered that the same be received and lie on the table.

The order of the day being read for the bill, "to protect the Lumbering interest upon the River St. Croix, and its branches within this Province,"...

Thereupon ordered, that the said order be now discharged, and that the House do go into Committee of the same on Saturday next.

Read a second time, a bill, "in addition to an Act, intituled "An Act for the regulations of booms for securing masts, logs, and lumber, in the County of Charlotte."

Ordered that the same be committed tomorrow.

Mr. Wetmore, by leave, presented a Petition of sundry Inhabitants of King's County, praying an amendment of the Act "for the establishment of Grammar Schools in this Province."

Ordered that the same be received and lie on the table. Adjourned.