

duty it became to bear them, and replied to her Ladyship in the words hereafter expressed, and in a manner truly energetic.

My Lady,

The high honour conferred upon the 96th Regt. this day, in the presentation of its Colours at your Ladyship's hands, will I am convinced animate the corps with zeal to a faithful discharge of its duty, deserving of the confidence reposed in them by their King and Country. Permit me, my Lady, for myself and for my officers and men, to ask you acceptance of our best thanks; and I beg to assure you that every Soldier in your Ladyship in the presence of my General, the two gallant Regiments on our Flanks, and the youthful corps I command,—that whenever it may be necessary to unfurl these Banners in the presence of an enemy, the 96th on that day will do their duty.

The complement of the general Salute was then paid to the flags, and on their assuming their proper front of the Regiment now destined to become their guard, His Excellency the Major General Commanding, addressed the 96th Regiment in the following manner.

Soldiers!

It has ever been usual in presenting New Colours to a Regiment, to consecrate them with divine service to their great purposes, and to consign them with military honors to the Corps, which is to have the honor to uphold and follow them.

You know Soldiers, that the device which these Colours display, is composed of an Union of the crosses of St. George, St. Andrew, and St. Patrick, the ancient banners of England, Scotland and Ireland; which united thus in our National Flag, the Royal Ensign of the United Kingdom, is a symbol that the love and obligation, which we feel and owe to our respective native lands, are all connected by that bond which unites the British Isles in their allegiance to each other, to the illustrious empire formed of them, and to the beloved monarch who reigns over us.

These Colours 96th have now been consecrated in the Divine presence, as the pledges, the inducements, the excitements to good, sober, orderly, moral, religious conduct and loyalty in peace, and farther (when it may be) of valour in war; and you have contracted the sacred obligation which your Lieut. Colonel has pronounced for you, never to tarnish or disgrace them.

They have been presented to you by the hands of a fair and noble Lady, in a manner which by ancient usage is emblematical of being presented generally by the Fair of our Land; so that every individual may consider the charge, which has just been made to his conduct and to his courage, as if it had come from his own household gods, from his own fire side, in the name of all that are dear to him.

You have received those Colours 96th, in the presence of distinguished persons. Our brethren in arms upon that element, which they have made resplendent with their glory;—in the presence of other Corps, who have won their fame, and borne their trophies nobly. Their records are filled, and their banners are emblazoned with the splendid deeds they have done in every quarter of the world, upon the Plains of Hindostan, the Peninsula of Spain and Portugal, and the Field of Maida.

Your Colours 96th; your Virgin Colours, are the pure insignia under which you are to form and prove your conduct, and on which you are hereafter to inscribe your own Services. Preserve them I charge you, pure and unsullied, that they may receive worthily the record of Fame; Let every man feel that he has an interest, an immortal interest (for the well established fame of military renown is imperishable) in keeping pure and unspotted by base conduct, crime or military offence, banners that ought to lead him only to the paths of honor; and remember that any man who commits such offence stains so far as he can the purity of his Colours,—the fame of his corps, the character of the service,—and the good name of his fellow soldier.

Where then is the man that shall dare to disgrace; Where is the wretch that shall desert these colours? (Here two prisoners under sentence for desertion were brought forward.) I will take to myself the delightful conviction, that the ceremonies of this day will make a deep impression upon your young minds; I will mark the event which is this day celebrated still further, by remitting

all punishment that may be in operation. "Go then (to the prisoners) return to your ranks, and remember, I now place you Soldiers of the 96th clear from all present imputation of crime, and let me see how long your records shall be free from its stain.

After which the square was reduced by the formation of the line upon the 96th; and after breaking into open column, the troops marched past in order of review in slow and quick time, Major Gen. Sir HOWARD DOUGLAS taking upon himself the immediate command of the Brigade, and Lt. Gen. Sir WILLIAM LUMLEY with Lady LUMLEY at his side, receiving the salute as the several officers and corps passed in succession. After these movements the columns closed to their front "en masse," wheeled into contiguous columns, and deployed into line; and subsequently at the particular request of the gallant Lt. General, whose Lady had acted so conspicuous a part in the performance of the day, contiguous close columns were again formed; and Sir WILLIAM LUMLEY expressed in a few words the very grateful sense His Excellency entertained, of the distinguished and flattering attentions which had been paid to him and his Lady, his admiration of the steadiness, efficacy, and confirmed discipline of the two excellent Battalions before him; and his confident expectation, that the Young Regiment now evening such progress and advancement in its discipline, would soon become like its associates in arms, pre-eminent in those good qualities, for which the British army have so often been admired and approved.

The troops then moved off to their respective parades. The evening, altho' the weather was cloudy, proved remarkably favourable; and the whole scene was solemn, impressive, and interesting to a degree. The general effect produced, was evident from the intense and anxious interest portrayed on every countenance, and the earnest desire generally evinced by all classes to behold, and listen to what was passing before them. We cannot permit ourselves to entertain the slightest doubt, but that scenes such as this, conducted with so much decorum and regularity, must necessarily tend to strengthen and confirm those sentiments of loyalty and attachment to their Sovereign, those feelings of honor and devoted patriotism, for which the British Soldier has ever been most eminently conspicuous; and trust that the serious and imposing ceremony we have described, will not fail in creating and confirming those noble principles, and stimulate to emulation the heart of the young Soldier in particular, for whose benefit and improvement it was instituted;—the extension of an Act of general pardon and amnesty, in behalf of the unfortunates, who had incurred the penalties due to past offences, which His Excellency the Major-General Commanding, was graciously pleased to pronounce; appeared to strike the individuals most interested, with profound gratitude and a deep sense of their peculiar situation, while it thrilled the hearts and joyfully animated each countenance, among the vast concourse of admiring spectators.

* With allusion to the Admiral and Officers of the Navy then present.
† The Royal Artillery, 74th and 81st Regiments.

ALL Persons are hereby cautioned against purchasing two Notes of Hand, one signed by James Donally, and one by Alexander Cochran in favor of Darius Dickenson, for a Tract of Land lying in the Parish of Kent (County of York) as said Dickenson can give no title for said Land, and refuses to give up the Notes.—The Land being in possession of another person at the time he sold it to the Subscribers.
JAMES DONALLY,
ALEX. COCHRAN,
28th June 1825. 3wp.

THE SUBSCRIBER takes this method to inform the Publick that he intends to carry on the Blacksmith business in Burton, in Mr. Dow's Ship Yard. He will attend to the settling of his business at his Dwelling House in Fredericton, on Monday and Thursday in every week, until the 20th July next; he hopes that all Persons, having any accounts against him will render them, and all persons indebted, are requested to make immediate payment.
O. BRADLEY.
21st June, 1825.

FREDERICTON, (N. B.)

TUESDAY, 5th July, 1825.

Alms-House and Work-House.

COMMISSIONER FOR THE WEEK,
CHARLES LEE, Esquire.

SAVINGS BANK.

JUSTICES NEXT WEEK,
HENRY SMITH, Esquire,
HENRY G. CLOPPER, Esq.,
JAMESTAYLOR, Senr Esq.

An Inquest was held in Sheffield on Saturday the 25th ultimo, before Solomon Parley, Esq. one of the Coroners for the County of Sunbury, on view of the body of Joseph Burpe, who was found dead.—Verdict.—**Accidental death by having been drowned.**

Sixteen houses in Newfoundland have lately been destroyed by fire.

Price of Timber at Liverpool on the 11th May.—New-Brunswick, by auction, 2s. 8d.—retail 2s. 3d.; Nova Scotia, 1s. 11d.

The *Canada Tea Ships*.—We have received a letter from Canton, dated 5th February last, which informs us that the East India Company were loading two ships, one of 800 tons for Quebec, and another of 600 tons for Halifax, with Tea, chiefly Hyson Skin, and Young Hyson. The letter adds that these ships will sail in about a fortnight. In the last English papers we observe an advertisement of the East India Company, for proposals to charter two ships, to proceed to Calcutta, and from thence to the British North American Provinces, with tea. These are probably intended for the second year's supply.—*Albion.*

DIED] On Thursday the 26th June, in the County of Northumberland, **FARGUHAR M'REA, Esq.** Corner of said County, a Native of Scotland, an old resident in the Province, a good member of Society, and much respected by all his acquaintances, in the 59th year of his age.

SHERIFF SALES.

On Saturday the 7th day of January next, will be sold at Public Auction at the Tavern of Mr. Wm. M'Leod, in the Parish of Sussex,

ALL the Lands and Tenements of Samuel Taylor, in the said Parish, taken by virtue of three several executions.—Sale to commence at 12 o'clock at noon.

ALSO,

On Monday the 9th day of January, will be sold at Public Auction at the Tavern of Mr. Wm. Johnston, in the Parish of Norton,

ALL the Lands and Tenements of James Drummond, situate in the Parish of Sussex aforesaid, taken by Execution at the suit of Monson Jarvis.—Sale to commence at 1 o'clock p. m.

WALTER BATES, Sheriff of King's County.
Kingston, 28th June 1825.

To be Sold at Public Auction on Saturday the 21st day of December next, at the House of George Hume, Innholder, in Gage-Town, between the hours of 12 and 5 o'clock of the afternoon, of the same day,

ALL the right, title and interest of John Tapley, in and to a certain Tract of Land and Saw Mill thereon, situate at the Salmon River, and known as the Salmon River Mill, seized and taken in execution at the suit of H. E. N. De Veber.
H. E. N. DE VEBER, Sheriff of Queen's,
Gage-Town, 28th June, 1825.

To be sold by Public Auction to the highest bidder, on Monday the 9th day of January next, between the hours of 12 and 5 in the afternoon, at Miller's Hotel in the Parish of Fredericton and County of York,

ALL the right and title of John Kelly late of Kingsclear, of, in, and to that messuage or tract of Land, being Lot No. 89, containing 500 acres more or less, with the buildings and improvements thereon, situate in the Parish of Kingsclear,—the same having been seized by me from the said John Kelly, by virtue of an execu-

tion issued out of the Supreme Court of this province at the suit of Mr. James Taylor.

Dated at Fredericton, 5th day of July 1825.

E. W. MILLER, Sheriff.

College of New-Brunswick.

A MEETING of the Trustees of the College will take place at the College at Fredericton on Monday the eighteenth day of July instant at ten o'clock in the forenoon.

WM. F. ODELL,
THOS. WETMORE,
R. MILNER.

Fredericton, 5th July 1825.

ALL Persons having any

just demands against the Estate of the late Joseph Saunders, Esq. of Miramichi, deceased, are hereby requested to tender their accounts duly attested, within Six months from this date; and all those indebted to the said Estate are hereby requested to make immediate payment to **WM. SAUNDERS,** the acting Administrator.

WM. SAUNDERS,
ALEX. SAUNDERS, } Admrs.
ROBT. LESLIE,

Newcastle, Miramichi, 29th June 1825.

LOST in the Street about the Widow M'Creas, two Notes of Hand, one the amount of £20 : 16 : 7, drawn in favour of the Subscriber, and signed by Jonathan Sisson, and another against Thomas M'Creas, of the amount of £100 : 0 : 0, the finding the said Notes and leaving them at this office shall receive a reward of twenty shillings.

PETER O'NEILL.
Fredericton, 4th July 1825.

NOTICE.

BY an order of his Excellency the Lieutenant Governor in Council of the 19th of last May, I do hereby give notice to all persons claiming or occupying Lot No. 6, granted to Joseph Green on the Oinabog Stream in Hampstead, Queen's County, that I have petitioned for the same Lot to be escheated and granted to me.

BRADFORD G. HEWLETT,
Hampstead, Queens County, 4th July 1825. 4wp.

NOTICE. All persons are hereby cautioned against trusting Catherine Jensen, wife of the subscriber, as I will pay no debts of her contracting.

ROBERT JENSON,
Forks, Cain's River, 19th May 1825. 3p.

On Consignment.

20 CHESTS TEA

for Sale at the Store of **JAMES TAYLOR,** Senr. & Co. **W.M. TAYLOR.**
1st July 1825.

Fredericton Hat Manufactory.

THE Subscriber desires to return his grateful thanks to the publick for their liberal encouragement towards him in his line of business, and intimates that he has a large supply of Hats, Bonnets, &c. of every description, on hand, and offers them for sale very cheap for Cash, Country produce, or approved credit, and still intends to exert himself in discharging orders from any part of the Province with neatness and dispatch.

CHARLES D. EVERITT.

N. B. Just received on consignment a large quantity of Men's English manufactured Beaver Hats, (such as sold by Messrs. Geo. & Wm. Sears, St. John) and offers them for sale by retail for two-dollars each.

JOHN R. M'PHERSON begs leave to inform the Publick that he has received per Lady Douglas from Liverpool, a handsome assortment of **SADDLERY,** which he now offers for sale cheap for Cash.
5th July 1825.

N. B. Two Journeymen-Saddlers are wanted; to whom good wages will be given.

BY AUTHORITY.
NOTICE.—Those persons who are in possession of **UNGRANTED LANDS** without legal authority, and who may think they have equitable claims to the favorable consideration of the Government, are hereby notified that unless such claims are preferred, by petition, before the 1st day of May next, they will be proceeded against as **INTRUDERS** and **TRESPASSERS** upon the Crown Lands.

By order of His Excellency the Lieutenant Governor
Crown Lands Office, Fredericton,
26th May, 1825.