

The Jury returned a verdict of "Accidental death." Lieutenant Bell had not been above a year in the army. He was, we understand, a young man of large fortune.

We hear it said that Ministers are seriously busied with retrenchments in the Customs department. One of the Commissioners is reported to have expressed the utmost confidence that he could save, in his department alone, £25,000 of the public money annually. There is certainly a great bustle, and a discharging of some inferior servants, surveyors and searchers.—*Globe.*

LONDON, JULY 16.
In the cause of "Wellesley v. the Duke of Beaufort, as regards the guardianship of the children, the issue of the plaintiff's marriage with Miss Tinley Long, it has been finally agreed to file no more affidavits, and Mr. Wellesley's Counsel requested the Lord Chancellor on Tuesday to name an early day to give judgement. His Lordship, however, said he should be in no hurry to do so, as the question is in another Court—(alluding to the action of crim con set down for trial in the sittings after Michaelmas Term)—gave a singular turn to the subject. One feature in the case was an extremely strong one and bore with great force upon the point of view in which the Court was to regard it. He did not know that it was of such a nature as to justify of itself the interference of the Court to the extent of assuming the parental authority, but it was one the truth of which must be ascertained; because it would go far towards determining other allegations which had been made in this suit, applicable to the relative situations of the parents and the children.

The late Sir T. Stamford Raffles.—Sir Stamford Raffles had passed the day preceding his decease in the bosom of his family, at his residence at Highwood Hill. He had suffered for some days from a bilious attack, but there was nothing to create the least apprehension that the fatal termination of his existence was at all accelerated by it. Sir Stamford had retired to rest on the Tuesday evening between ten and eleven o'clock, his usual hour while in the country. On the following morning at five o'clock, it being discovered that he had left his room before the time at which he generally rose, six o'clock, Lady R. immediately arose, and found him lying at the bottom of a flight of stairs in a state of complete insensibility. Medical aid was promptly procured, and every means resorted to, to restore animation, but the vital spark had fled. The body was opened under the direction of Sir Everard Home, the same day who pronounced his death to have been caused by an apoplectic attack, beyond the controul of all human aid. It was likewise apparent that the sufferings of the deceased must for some time past have been most intense, brought on by his long residence in India, and in the anxious and zealous discharge of the important duties which devolved upon him.

Ismael Gibraltar, the Turkish Admiral. This Turk, lately slain by the Greeks in a skirmish, will be much missed by the English travellers. He had a command in the Pacha of Egypt's fleet, and was remarkable for his attachment to our nation, his splendid dress, and his constant good nature and

open hearted manners. A few years ago he was sent on some mission to England, and sailed in a Turkish frigate which he commanded from Constantinople; and after a voyage of two or three months, for it was the longest and most perilous he had ever undertaken, he arrived safely in the river. On landing he sought out a place of refreshment and rest, but with little hope of finding one suited to his Oriental taste; and after parading through several narrow and dirty streets, he at last entered the Hog in Armour in Wapping, and going into the parlour that was well carpeted, and in whose chimney an excellent fire was blazing, he was quite delighted, and instantly squatted down on the floor, in his rich dress of blue velvet, cashmere shawl, and Damascus sabre at his side, declaring he had no idea the Giaours were so well off. His long pipe that was brought by one of his attendants was instantly in use, and the volumes of smoke, this coffee, and the various paraphernalia, soon convinced the landlady that the stranger intended to monopolize the whole of her apartment. The next day he got into a hackney coach, and proceeded to present his letters of introduction at the west end of the town. The first was to the Duke of Kent who having heard much of Ismael's character, received him with the greatest kindness, and on his departure asked at what hotel he lodged, that he might have the pleasure of calling on him, and showing him all those attentions he would stand in need of in London. Ismael replied that he lived in the Hog in Armour, where he should feel great pleasure in seeing his Royal Highness. The Duke smiled at the simplicity of the reply, and went early on the following morning in his carriage to the quarters of the noble Turk, whom he brought off bodily, and saw him installed in a more stylish, if not more comfortable abode.

SHERIFFS' SALES.

On Monday the first day of January next will be sold at Public Auction, at the Court House in Kingston,

ALL the Lands and Tenements which were of William Hamilton, deceased, at the time of his death, in the hands of Agnes Hamilton, Administratrix, to be administered in my Bailiwick, consisting of a Lot of Land, situate, lying and being in the Parish of Springfield, and bounded as follows: viz.

Beginning at a marked Fir Tree being Duncan M'Grigor's S. W. Corner, in the rear of Lands granted to I. Hatfield & others, on the Washademoack Road, thence North, 75° East to a marked Stake, being Eli Northrops Northwest corner, thence S. as far as may be necessary to reach the square measurement of 208 Acres; The same having been taken by virtue of an Execution at the suit of Thomas Merritt; Sale to commence at 1 o'clock p. m.

Walter Bates, Sheriff of Kings.

Kingston, 12th June 1826.

To be Sold at Public Auction the tenth day of October next, at the Court House in Dorchester between the hours of 12 and 5 o'clock in the afternoon of said day

ALL the Real Estate of William Trites, situated lying and in Monkton in the County of Westmorland, consisting of Marsh and Upland and containing in the whole, five hundred acres; the same having been seized and levied upon by virtue of an execution of *Test. Fi. Fa.* issued out of the Supreme Court of this Province.

Also, at the same time, and place, Will be Sold so much of the real Estate of George Bulmer, situate in Sackville in the County of Westmorland aforesaid, as will

be sufficient to satisfy an Execution of *Test. Fi. Fa.* two hundred pounds & upwards, is suing out of the Supreme Court of this Province against the same. Dated at Dorchester, Co. of Westmorland this 16th March 1826.

WILLIAM P. SAYRE, Sheriff.

ON the third Tuesday in March next will be sold, at Public Auction at the Court House in Kingston.

All the goods and chattels, lands and tenements of Hugh Doyal, deceased, at the time of his death in Doyal, deceased, at the time of his death in Doyal, deceased, at the time of the last Wil William Doyal, Executor Hugh Doyal, deceased, to be administered; situate in the Parish of Sussex; the same having been taken by Virtue of an Execution at the suit of John Beatty.

Also on the same day and at the same time and place will be sold at Public Auction.

ALL the lands and tenements of John Morel, situate in the Parish of Greenwich, the same having been taken by virtue of an Execution at the suit of Samuel Scovil.

WALTER BATES, Sheriff.

Kingston, 2d September 1826.

To be sold at Public Auction, on Saturday the 4th day of November next, at the House of George Hume, Inholder, in Gage-Town, between the hours of twelve and five o'clock, at the afternoon of the same day.

All the Estate of GRIFFIN COREY, late of Wickham, Queens County, deceased, being the following Lots of Land, viz:—Numbers one, two, sixteen and twenty-one, situate on the Washademoack Lake, in Queens County, aforesaid, containing together eight hundred acres, more or less, and also, the undivided three seventh parts or shares of a small Island, containing two Acres more or less, seized and taken in and by virtue of two several Executions issued out of the Supreme Court of this Province, at the suit of James Hendricks and Wm. Black, against Margaret Corey, Executrix of the last will and testament of the said Griffin Corey deceased. Dated at Gage-Town, 8th April, 1826.

N. H. DEVEBER, Sheriff of Queens County.

To be sold by Public Auction the 5th day of October next, at Barristers Inn, in the Parish of Fredericton, between the hours of 12 & 5 o'clock in the forenoon of the same day.

ALL the right, title, property, claim and demand of Nathaniel Rideout in and to that certain lot or tract of Land, situate on the Western side of the Nashwalk in the Parish of St. Mary, being the upper part of Lot No. 8, granted to Hawes Hatch, Esq. in the Grant to Daniel Lyman and others, bounded on the upper side by land of the late James French, Esq. thence running South course, 36 Rods, and West to the extent of the said Grant, containing ninety acres, more or less—the same having been taken by execution at the suit of James Sloot, issued out of the Supreme Court.

Also at the same time and place, will be Sold.

ALL the right, title, interest property, claim, and demand of Henry Hart and Thomas Hart, of, in and to, that certain lot or tract of Land, situate on the Macnaquac Stream, adjoining Mr. E. Sloot's Farm in the Parish of Douglas, in the Co. of York. The same having been taken by virtue of Executions issued out of the Supreme Court at the suit of Stephen Cameron.

E. W. MILLER, Sheriff.

Fredericton, 3d April 1826.

To be sold at Public Auction in the 26th day of February next, between the hours of 12 and 3 at the Golden Ball.

All the right, and title, interest and claim, of, in, and to lots No. 9, and 10, applied for by James Dillon, lying on South side of Penniak.

E. W. MILLER, Sheriff, of York. 24th July 1826.

To be Sold at Public Auction on Saturday the fourteenth day of October next, at Humes' Tavern in Gage Town, between the hours of twelve and five o'clock of the afternoon of the same day.

ALL the right, title, interest and claim of John Earle, in and to a certain Farm or Tract of Land, situate on the North West side of the Grand Lake in Queens County, containing acres being the same Farm on which the said John Earle now resides.

And a piece of ground situate on the S. E. side of the Salmon River, about three miles above the Fork of the Gaspereaux River, containing about twenty five acres.

Also the one undivided fourth part of a Saw-Mill, situated on the Salmon River aforesaid, and is known as the Salmon River Mill. Seized and taken in execution at the suit of James Tapley.

Dated at Gage Town, 28th March 1826.

N. H. DEVEBER, Sheriff of Queens.

To be sold at Public Auction, on the 19th day of January next, at Miller's Hotel, in Fredericton, between the hours of 12 & 5 o'clock, in the afternoon, of the same day.

ALL the right and title of Peter V. Flaglor, of, in, and to, that certain Farm lot, or tract of land, situate, lying and being on the Portage Road, and known by the lot No. 1, containing 300 acres more or less: The same having been taken by executions issued out of the Supreme Court, at the suit of Ralph M. Jarvis, for £18 & 5.

Also. Will be sold at the same place, on the 25th day of September next, lots, No. 112, No. 113 and lot, No. 114, on the East side of the River St. John, in the Parish of Kent: The same having been taken by execution issued out of the Supreme Court. E. W. MILLER, Sheriff. Fredericton, 18th July 1826.

BY virtue of a Writ of *fi. facias* to me directed, will be sold at public Auction, on Wednesday, the 10th day of January next, at the Court House in Burton, at one o'clock of the same day.

All the right, title, interest and claim of Ann Simonson, and John Neis Simonsons, to the Farm on which they now live, known and distinguished as lot No. 70, situate in Magersville; together with all the buildings and improvements thereon, seized and taken in Execution at the suit of Langen & Robertson. GAB. DEVEBER, Sheriff, Sunbury. Sheriff's Office, Burton, 4th July, 1826.

BY virtue of a Writ of *fi. facias* to me directed will be sold at public Auction, at the Court House in Burton on the third Monday in February, next at one o'clock of the same day.

All the right, title, interest and claim of Samuel Bridges, in and to a certain Farm, tract or parcel of Land situate, lying and being in the Parish of Burton, near Swan Creek in this County of Sunbury, known and distinguished as lot No. 12, and the lower half part of lot No. 13, the whole containing 187 acres more or less together with all the improvements and buildings thereon, seized and taken in Execution at the suit of Doctor Hatheway.

GAB. DEVEBER, Sheriff, Sunbury. Sheriff's office, Burton, 10th July 1826.

To be Sold by Public Auction, at the Court House, in Dorchester, in the County of Westmoreland, on Tuesday the 27th day of February next, between the hours of 12 and 5 o'clock, in the afternoon.

Two lots of Land, situate, and being in Dorchester, aforesaid; the one a lot or parcel of land, lying on, and adjoining the road from Memramcook to Shediac, and the other a wilderness lot, lying on the road from Petitcodiac to Shediac; The same having been taken by Execution, at the suit of Benjamin Charters, against William Stewart.

W. P. SAYRE, Sheriff. Dorchester, 17th Aug. 1826.