

Episcopal visit to this Province, attended by the Rev. Jerome Alley, Rector of St. Andrews, and the Rev. Skeffington Thomson, L. L. D. Rector of St. Stephens, others of the Clergy being assembled here to meet His Lordship.—Mrs. Inglis and Family came up with His Lordship, and the Carriages of the Lieutenant-Governor and Commandant were in readiness to receive them.

On Sunday His Lordship Confirmed a number of Persons in Christ Church, on which occasion His Lordship delivered in a most impressive manner a suitable exhortation; Prayers were read by the Archdeacon, and a Sermon was delivered by the Rev. Jerome Alley.

His Lordship in the afternoon preached an able and edifying discourse from the 12th Chap. 1st Corinth. 25th and 26th Verses, a subject most appropriately directed to those who had received the Holy Rite of Confirmation, and prayers were read by the Rev. Dr. Thomson.

Yesterday Morning the Clergy waited on His Lordship at the residence of the Archdeacon and presented to His Lordship, an Address of which the following is a copy:—

To the Honorable and Right Reverend Father in God, John, by Divine Permission, Lord Bishop of Nova-Scotia, &c. &c.

MAY IT PLEASE YOUR LORDSHIP,

WE, the Clergy of the Established Church in the Province of New-Brunswick in general Meeting assembled at Fredericton, to receive your Lordship on your first visit to this Province, respectfully beg leave to present to your Lordship our sincere acknowledgements for this favor, and to express our thankfulness for your safe arrival.

From the rising importance and fast increase of the Church in this Province, and the long period that has elapsed since the benefits of an Episcopal visit have been afforded, its necessities are become most urgent, and the calls for the kind offices of a spiritual Head, will we fear, be more numerous than we can reasonably expect to be, at the present time attended to: But under all circumstances we shall have the high satisfaction of presenting to your Lordship in our respective Flocks, a kind and affectionate people, of whom we may speak (without flattery) as possessing firmness of principle and unalterable attachment to the Doctrines and Discipline of the Established Church.

It will be gratifying to your Lordship, we are fully persuaded, when we venture to assure you of the high estimation in which the Ordinances of our venerable Church are held throughout this Province, of the respect with which its Ministers are treated, and of the serious attention with which its blessed Doctrines are every where received; nor can we be, (for the blessings already enjoyed under its benign influence,) too grateful as humble instruments in the hands of a Merciful God, to work good to our fellow creatures, blessings which the presence of our Bishop cannot fail to increase by confirming our people in those holy ways, we have, as we humbly trust diligently taught them, by giving a spring to the good seed, it has been our happiness, as well as our duty, to endeavour to sow in their Hearts, in the performance of such solemn and imposing Rites and Ceremonies as our Religion enjoins, and which your Lordship in your exalted station is alone qualified to undertake.

That your Lordship's visit to this Province, may be the means of stimulating its Clergy to an increased exertion in their respective duties, to "make full proof of their Ministry," and of disposing the Hearts of their People to an unremitting attention to the truths that belong to their everlasting peace; and prove in every respect a source of satisfaction to yourself, will be the sincere prayer of

Your Lordship's
Obedient
Humble Servants in Christ,
The Clergy of the Province of
New-Brunswick.

Signed on behalf of the Clergy,
GEORGE BEST,
Archdeacon of the Province and
Ecclesiastical Commissary
Fredericton.

To which His Lordship was pleased to return answer as follows:

REVEREND BRETHREN,

I RECEIVE your very kind Address with peculiar satisfaction, and beg you to accept my sincere thanks for it.

Although I was withheld, and chiefly by consideration for your personal convenience, from calling upon you at the present time, to assemble in one place, from your distant homes; your voluntary meeting in the Capital of the Province, to present a tribute of respect and affection to your Bishop upon

his first visit to this important part of his charge is evidence of the best feelings towards him, and a very encouraging earnestness of the attention he may expect in his future labors among you.

The rapid increase of the Church in this flourishing Province; the affectionate kindness and respect of the people towards her Ministers; their firm principles, and unshaken attachment to her doctrines and discipline: their high estimation of her primitive rites and ceremonies; and their serious attention to her holy instructions, are subjects for our humble but animated gratitude to the Father of Mercies.

That I may be enabled to assist, however humbly, in preserving and extending such blessings; and to encourage and co-operate in those exertions by which you are desirous to make full proof of your Ministry: that the people committed to your care may be so confirmed in their regard for their everlasting peace, as to prove the crown of your rejoicing; and that every blessing may attend yourselves and your flocks is my fervent prayer to the great Shepherd of the Fold.

JOHN NOVA SCOTIA.

To the Clergy of the Province
of New-Brunswick.

Fredericton, July 3, 1826.

A Deputation from the Corporation of Christ Church then waited on His Lordship and Addressed him to this effect:

To the Rt. Revd. Father in God, John by Divine permission, Ld. Bishop of Nova Scotia.

MY LORD,

WE, the Rector, Wardens and Vestry of St. Church, Fredericton, beg leave to approach your Lordship with every congratulation on your safe arrival in this place &c. to offer you our sincere thanks for the solicitous care your Lordship evinces for the welfare and prosperity of the Church in this Province, by this visit, in the fervent hope that from the exertions your Lordship (through Divine Providence) may be enabled to make in its behalf, it will prove as satisfactory to yourself, as it cannot fail under the same preventing influence to be in the highest degree beneficial to the Establishment.

When His Lordship replied:
GENTLEMEN,

Your kind congratulations upon my safe arrival at Fredericton, and the manner in which you are pleased to express your view of the objects of my visit have a claim upon the best thanks I can offer.

I cordially join in your fervent hope that the prosperity of the Church in this Province may be daily increased; to be enabled to assist in so happy a work would be my highest joy; and is therefore the subject of my earnest prayer to Him who alone can give the ability and the will to serve faithfully in His Vineyard; my prayers are also offered for His blessing on that portion of it, which you represent, and upon yourselves.

JOHN NOVA SCOTIA.

The Rector, Churchwardens
and Vestry of Christ Church
Fredericton.

July 3, 1826.

His Lordship proceeds to Prince William tomorrow, and from thence the following day to Queensbury, where he will Consecrate and Confirm, and on Friday perform the same Ceremonies at Douglas at 12 o'clock; on Sunday next His Lordship will hold an Ordination in Fredericton and on Monday return to St. John, consecrating such Churches on his journey as may require it, and Confirming those persons in the several Parishes, who may be prepared to present themselves.

LONDON, MAY 10.

Both Houses adjourned last night to Wednesday next, for the Whitsuntide recess. Thursday, the 24th, is now named as the day of prorogation.

We understand that it is determined that the dissolution of Parliament shall take place on the 1st of next month. Sun.

The New Custom Duties on Foreign cotton and woollen manufactures, are fixed at twenty per cent.; linen manufactures at forty per cent.; and on articles made from hair or goat's wool, thirty per cent.

SUSSEX, MAY 13.

This day a party of seven Officers and fifty men belonging to the 52d Light Infantry Regt. marched into Chichester from Brighton, on their way to embark to join their regiment, in America.

A plan is said to be in agitation, for appointing Lord Lieutenants of the different counties in Ireland; one condition of the appointment being, that the persons holding it shall actually reside, not less than six months in every year within his county.

The Equitable Loan Company is at length dissolved, and £8,500, out of £30,000, which had been raised, are expected to be returned to the respective Shareholders!

Composition of a Bankrupt. A clause in the new Bankrupt Act provides, "that after a bankrupt has passed his last examination, he may call his creditors together, and offer them a composition in discharge of their debts, when if he can induce nine tenths of those who attend at that meeting, and another to be held in not less than twenty-one days to accept such composition, the Lord Chancellor is empowered to supersede the commission." According to the Bill now before Parliament for altering the law of debtor and creditor, "majority of the creditors of any insolvent merchant, trader, or individual, are to be at liberty to make a compromise with him, and the consent and signature of such majority of his creditors will be rendered binding on the majority; and in this way merchants will be left at liberty to regulate their own concerns, reference to the courts of law being always open to prevent fraud or collusion."

HALIFAX, June 23.

The Officers of His Majesty's 81st Regiment, gave an elegant Entertainment on Wednesday Evening last to a very large Party; among whom were His Excellency Lieutenant General Sir JAMES KEMT, Rear Admiral LAKE, and the officers of the Garrison and Squadron, with their Families, as also, the Members of His Majesty's Council, and very many of the most respectable Ladies and Gentlemen of the Town. Splendid arrangements were made for the accommodation and gratification of the numerous assemblage, and every luxury provided for the occasion. The company continued together until a late hour, and separated highly delighted with the attentions of their gallant friends.

COLLEGE MEETING.

A MEETING of the Governor and Trustees of the College of New Brunswick, is particularly requested in the Council Chamber at Fredericton, on Monday the 17th day of July, inst. at 10 o'clock in the forenoon on Special Business.

JOHN SAUNDERS.

WM. F. ODELL.

S. D. STREET.

Fredericton, 4th July, 1826.

J. B. JOHNSTON,

GRATEFUL for past favors, begs leave to inform his Friends and the Public, that he has removed to that

NEW STORE

In Regent Street adjoining Messrs. PETER'S Corner, and directly opposite Mr. GEORGE WOODS'S, where he has on had an excellent assortment of

DRY GOODS,

Groceries, Spirits, Port and Madeira Wines.—All of which he will sell very cheap for Cash.
Fredericton, 4th July, 1826.

AUCTION.

To be sold by Public Auction,

On Tuesday the 26th day of Sept. next. At the Court-House, Newcastle, between the hours of 12 and 5, in the afternoon.

All that well known and valuable tract of Land, situate on the South West branch of the Miramichi river, at and near Indian Town, commonly known by the name of the **ELM TREE TRACT**, presently the property of the Honorable MICHAEL WALLACE, of Halifax, N. S. The land will be Sold in Lots of one hundred Acres each, or such lots as may suit purchasers.

The Terms of Sale and all other particulars relative to the premises will be made known on the day of Sale, or prior thereto, by applying to the Subscriber, or at the office of J. A. Street, Esq. Newcastle.

Thomas C. Allan.

Newcastle, 23d June, 1826.

WHEREAS the Subscribers, Wm. Anderson and John Anderson, on or about the first of September, 1826, gave a joint note of hand to Andrew M'Crea of the Parish of Kent, in the County of York, for fifteen pounds; which note the said M'Crea now refuses to give up, although he has received the full value thereof; We therefore caution all manner of Persons against purchasing the said note, as we have sufficient proof of his receiving the full value of the said note.

William Anderson,

John Anderson,

Kent 29th June, 1826. 3.w.p

NOTICE.—The Subscriber is under the necessity of requesting all those who are indebted to him to make payment immediately. All accounts not settled in one month from this date, will then be put in the hands of an Attorney to collect.

JAMES CAMERON.

Fredericton, 6th June, 1826.

I. HOOPER,

Book Binder, King Street

SAINT JOHN,

INFORMS the Inhabitants of Fredericton, that he executes work in plain, neat, and elegant Bindings. Books left at the Royal Gazette Office in Fredericton, will be forwarded to him, and neatness and dispatch may be depended on.

SAINT JOHN MARINE INSURANCE COMPANY.

THE CAPITAL or STOCK of the St. John Marine Insurance Company having been paid by the Stockholders agreeably to the Act of Incorporation, The PRESIDENT & DIRECTORS do therefore give notice, that they have commenced the business of the said Company.

Orders for Insurance, with a full description of the risk, to be addressed to the President of the Saint John Marine Insurance Company. N. MERRITT, President.
St. John, April 26, 1825.

The Royal Gazette Office is removed to Queen Street, over Mr. Ezekiel Sloop's Store.