THE FROST.

BY H. F. GOULD.

THE Frost looked forth one still, clear night, And whispered, "Now I shall be out of sight; So through the valley and over the height,
In silence I'll take my way.

There were bevies of birds and swarms of bees There were cities with temples and towers : and theze

All pictured in silver sheen !

But he did one thing that was hardly fair— He peeped in the cupboard, and finding there, That all had forgotten for him to prepare. "Now, just to set them a-thinking,
I'll bite this basket of fruit," said he,
"This costly pitcher, I'll burst in three;
And the glass of water they've left for me
Shall 'tchick!' to tell them I'm drinking!"

PROVINCIAL APPOINTMENTS John Hazen, Esquire, to be Sheriff of the County of Sunbury.

Henry Jones, to be a Coronor in the County

at Saint Andrews.

The undermentioned tracts of vacant Crown Land will be offered at Public Auction at this

240 acres, Northumberland, lot No. 1, south side Bartholomew's River, adjoining the grant to William Thomson. Upset price, 3s. per

JOHN S. SAUNDERS, Crown Land Office, March 7, 1840.

HEAD QUARTERS, FREDERICTON, 17th March, 1840. MILITIA GENERAL ORDERS.

New Brunswick Regiment of Artillery.

2d Lieutenant John C. Allan, to be Adjutant, with the rank of Lieutenant, vice E. Pick, deceased.

The christian name of the Gentleman appoin-

Dickinson, deceased.

TO BE ENSIGNS.
Elisha Shaw, Gent. vice William Shaw pro-

moted, dated 17th March.

Allen Estabrooks, Gent. 18th March.

James Lockwood, Gent. 19th do.

John S. Macbeth, Gent. to be Quartermaster of the Troop of Cavalry, attached to 1st Batta-1st Battalion Charlotte.

Captain James Boyd, to be second Major

James Rait, Gent. to be Quartermaster, with the rank of Lieutenant, vice Jack, resigned. The resignation of the following Officers have been accepted, and who are permitted to retire with their respective Ranks in the Militia.

Captain Ralph Carter, 2d Battalion Joseph Bowser, and Lieut. William Carter, Westmorland. Also, Ensign Morris Wooten, St. John Countv Militia.

By Command, GEO. SHORE, A. G. M.

From the Montreal Gazette.

It is with the sincerest regret that we have Alexander Macdonell, Roman Catholic Bish-knowing that one would be drawn out. op of Regiopolis and Kingston in Upper Canada. This melancholy event took place at Dumfries, on the 14th January. His remains were buried in St. Mary's chapel, in leston Patriot of March 11, tells a story of a the capital of his native country, on the 25th of most extraordinary physical

excellent health and spirits, notwithstanding his advanced years, with the view of promoting the interests of his flock, as well as the general welfare of these Provinces, of which the view days afterwards, acute pain, during which time she removed from the eye several fragments of the legs of a spider.

Apply to dried, and more suitable for family use than the imported, at 13s. 3d. per Bag, or in quantities of 5 Bbls, or upwards, 25s. per Barrel.

C. H. JOUETT & CO. general welfare of these Provinces, of which he was always an ardent friend and benefactor. Indeed, next to his pious duties as a Bishop and Clergyman, nothing seemed to when a perfectly formed dead spider of small engross his mind so much as the benevolent size was removed. A physician being called, wish to promote the happiness of his countrymen at home and abroad, without any jealous or prejudiced predilection as to their the animals, but this preved fruitless. No creed. He arrived in Upper Canada early in inquiry has yet been able to detect their seat the present century—in 1803, we think— of empire, and yet they have continued to be with a large body of Highlanders, who were settled in Glengarry, in the Eastern District times from one alone, sometimes from both, of that Province; and, from that period, to the day of his death, he never ceased to take the deepest interest in the welfare of his

and wishes. A more loyal and devoted British subject never existed. He was present in many a hard-fought battle; not, indeed, tears.—Boston Courier. with offensive arms in his hands—though, perhaps, he would have been amongst the first, if not the first, to embrace them, in a case of real danger and necessity—but with Tuesday last. It appears that, about 2 years that advice and consolation, which is so well ago, a poor man named Wilkie, was buried calculated to inspire courage and confidence at Aveton Gifford. Not many days afterin the hour of national conflict.

Torrens, Esqs. and the Hon. Edward E. Villiers, Land and Emigration Commissioners, have been printed by order of the House of Commons; with instructions addressed by Lord John Russell, to the Land and Emigra-tion Commissioners.—We have not at present space to copy the instructions, at length the body, and that he Macy, held the herse, and shall confine ourselves to a short paragraph which relates to the British North American colonies. It is as follows:

"With regard to British North America," the case stands as follows:—In Upper Canada and in New Brunswick, the sale and management of Waste Lands is invested by lower a serious aspect. A respectable party nagement of Waste Lands is invested by local enactments in certain local authorities, with whom the Crown has no right of interwith whom the Crown has no right of interference. In Nova Scotia and New Found-Samuel Fry, and David W. Jack, Esquires, land, there is every reason to anticipate that to be Members of the Board of Education in Charlotte County. James H. Street and William Babcock, Esquires, to be Members of the Board of Health Lower Canada, this, in common with many other questions, must be regarded as in abeyance. In general therefore it may be stated that you will have no power to contract for

bout to proceed there, to resort to you for cocrowding round the grave, that the men had and especially as they will be set up in such lots

the shores of Robbins' pond in this County, being out upon a hunting excursion, chanced to pass the house of Mr. W——, who was His Excellency the Lieutenant Governor and Commander in Chief, has been pleased to make the following promotions, &c.

New Brunswick Regiment of Artillery.

The Shores of Robbins' pond in this County, being out upon a hunting excursion, chanced to pass the house of Mr. W——, who was engaged in feeding a large flock of turkies of Robbins' pond in this County, turns out to be, that the fine her are shugglers ——that on the night in qestion Jourden came to Aveton Gifford after a couple of tubs. Macy was very iequisitive, and wanted to know what was in the sack—and, merely to put him on a wrong scent, they told him it was a dead body. Macey believed it, and be continued on the Saturday of put him on a wrong scent, they told him it was a dead body. Macey believed it, and the first Sale will be held at his Store. Was very iequisitive, and wanted to know what was in the sack—and, merely to put him on a wrong scent, they told him it was a dead body. Macey believed it, and the first Sale will be held at his Store. Was very iequisitive, and wanted to know what was in the sack—and, merely to put him on a wrong scent, they told him it was a dead body. Macey believed it, and for some cider, who told him to go into the was a dead body. Macey believed it, and house and his wife would draw him a mug kept it a secret until Wednesday week, when house and his wife would draw him a mug full. Sam, in going to the house, muttered to himself but loud enough for Mr. W. to The christian name of the Gentleman appointed to the Artillery Company, stationed at Woodstock, in the Gazette of the 9th December 1 Body 1 Woodstock, in the Gazette of the 9th December 1 Body 1 Woodstock, in the Gazette of the 9th December 1 Body 1 Woodstock, in the Gazette of the 9th December 1 Body 1 Woodstock, in the Gazette of the 9th December 1 Body 1 Woodstock, in the Gazette of the 9th December 2 Woodstock, in the 9th December 2 Woodstock, i er last, is Walter D. and not Walter J. Bedell.

1st Battalion Carleton Militia.

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To BE ENSIGNS.

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shoulder, said "Sam never made such a shot ther." as that before," and walked off.

It was about two weeks from the time Sam made this unlucky shot that he again called would be mortified to the last degree, if a March 8, 1840, on Mr. W. for more cider; who thinking to frill or a collar or other parts of their put another joke upon him, sent him into the were displaced, but who, on being detected house for his cider and again drew his shot in ignorence, even in the history of her own from his gun which was left beside the door. country, would own it without a blush. On Sam's return he was asked by Mr. W. what he would give him for another shot at his turkies. A bargain was made and Sam was to give another dollar for a shot provided W. would call them together. Sam fired and killed six besides wounding eight or ten more. If Sam's astonishment was great at his first unfortunate shot, Mr. W's. was not less now when he beheld the havoc made, as he supposed, with nothing but powder. It seems that Sam had mistrusted the reason of the first bad shot, although he had betrayperused in the Scotch papers a notice of the ed no sighs of suspicion at the time, and had demise of the Honorable and Right Reverend loaded his gun with two charges of shot,

January, with all the honours due to his rank which, it said, keeps the population of that city and virtues as a Prelate of that church to in a state of great excitement,—as it well may, which he belonged, and of which he was so It has puzzled the learned and the unlearned long, so faithful, and so watchful a pastor -the medical and the non-medical-the and ornament. High Mass was celebrated on the sane occasion in St. Mary's Chapel, Broughton street; at which Bishops Carucase drawn from authentic sources: The Fine thers, and Gillis, of Edinburgh; Murdoch patient, while on a visit to a friend in the of Glascow, and Scoot, of Greenock, assisted; Bishop Murdoch preaching an apprpriate sermon. country, felt, while in bed, an object of some kind fall on the upper part of the cheek bone, just below the left eye. She brushed it away, te sermon.

Bishop Macdonell left this country in the and, after a restless night, awoke in the morncourse of last summer, for Great Britain, in ing suffering its consequences in the form of CORN MEAL of very fine quality, being unkiln Leased in small parts, or the whole, on the most

countrymen. He not only acted as their pastor, but as their friend, companion, and adviser, in every circumstance of life; exciting respect and veneration wherever he went, and the deepest sense of gratitude among the numerous objects of his benevolent views at times much inflammatory irritation and

wards some relative of the old man observed. In sheace I'll take my way.

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This was too good a story to let drop by story began to be generally believed, and to who gave orders that the grave should be opened, to see if poor old John was there or not. In the meantime, the reverend gentleman's domestics had orders to hold no com-mnnication with Frost, who is the Rev. gan-down and Commission Merchant; any Subscriber, the whole of his present STOCK, theman's gardiner; another gentleman had written to Saunders (who is a carpenter,) rewritten to Saunders (who is a carpenter,) requesting he would clear up his character before he came to his house to work again.
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The lid of the coffin was at length opened, and there lay poor old John Wilkie as straight as they had put him in. The abuse that ensued—the circumstance was recrimination of the accused and the accused accused as they may require, or such articles as they may at the present time wish. Any person wishing to purchase at private sale, the Subscriber will sell any goods that he may have on hand at Cost rather than risk their sacrifice at Public Accion.

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Fredericton, January 17, 1840.

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Land will be offered at Public Auction at this Office, on Monday the 4th day of May next.—
Sale to commence at 12 o'clock, noon.

Terms—Ten per cent of the purchase money to be paid at the time of sale and the remainder within 14 days after.

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THOMAS HATHEWAY N. B. The first Safe will be first ant, at in Queen Street, on Saturday the 25th instant, at 11 o'clock, and be continued on the Saturday of This vessel is fitted up in fine style with every

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Secretary of Committee. Fredericton, March 17, 1840.

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WR WITHAM.

Warch 9 1840.

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By order of the Court G. De B. ATTWOOD, Fredericton, March 20, 1840.

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