

SCHEDIASMA.

MIRAMICHI:

TUESDAY MORNING JULY 5, 1831.

The American papers furnish European dates to the 16th May. The Poles, notwithstanding they have sustained considerable losses, still continue to beat back the hordes that have been sent against them. At the last dates, the Russians after suffering severely from famine and disease, had been compelled to retreat. The Elections were nearly ended in Great Britain—the result is, as was anticipated, a large majority in favor of Reform. The news from Portugal, via Newfoundland, is confirmed.

The Deputy Postmaster of this Province, with his usual promptness to accommodate the public, has placed a Courier on the road recently opened from Bathurst to Dalhousie, and has intrusted the Postmaster here, to make up a weekly mail, for the latter place, to be forwarded with the Bathurst Courier, immediately after the arrival of the mails from the southward.

It will be seen from an extract of a letter below, that the Commissioners, with most praiseworthy exertions, are diligently laboring to complete the opening of the great road from the St Lawrence to the Ristigouche—and we are in hopes, ere long, to hear of the successful termination of their labours—and to witness the transmission of His Majesty's mails to the Canadas through this route—which will be a powerful stimulus in inducing settlers to locate themselves in this fertile, and hitherto shamefully neglected portion of British America.

Extract of a Letter dated, Ristigouche, 31st May, 1831.

"On the 21st the new road from hence to Metis was commenced by the party which came hither from Quebec for that purpose. The Commissioners, Messrs. Ferguson & Crawford were present with some of the neighbouring inhabitants, and, by way of setting the example, took in hand the spades and shovels and broke the ground. The work proceeds rapidly, and does, so far, much credit to the foreman, Mr Guillet, whose industry is indefatigable;—he has the men at work from sun to sun—some of them are so well pleased with the country, as to talk of settling in it, and they intend to apply to His Excellency, on his visit to see this road in July next, for land on it. The inhabitants are delighted with the prospect of an open road to the St. Lawrence, and to the Quebec markets. The price of labor here is very high, and the Commissioners have done well to procure labourers from Quebec, by which they will save some hundreds of pounds of expense to the Province, and have the work better done."

Major Wolff, of Valcartier, who is employed in superintending the opening of the road from Metis to Ristigouche, arrived in town last night, from Lake Matapedia. He has about fifty men employed there, but had got short of provisions and money, expecting a supply by the river from the Commissioners at Ristigouche.

A NOVELTY.—The last St. John City Gazette, contains an advertisement headed with the novel title of 'Temperance Boarding House.' There is a medium and temperance which ought to be observed in all things, and we must confess we think this is carrying the subject of Temperance to rather an intemperate length.

The weather during the last three or four days has been excessively Hot. We say hot—for were we to qualify the word in any way, we would convey but a faint idea of what we have endured from the heat during the above period. The thermometer in the sun on Saturday, at noon, stood as high as 115; on Sunday at 4 P. M. and yesterday at 10 A. M. at 125. In a shady room it averaged 96. Yesterday we were exhilarated with a shower of rain, and a cool breeze from the eastward. As a proof of the forwardness of the season, Mr P. Henderson, in Chatham, commenced mowing a field of grass on Tuesday last.

The papers state, that the Steamer, ROYAL WILLIAM, is to leave Quebec on the 15th inst.

COMMUNICATED. GLASGOW, April 13, 1831. The Synod met this morning, and having been duly constituted by prayer, it was unanimously agreed to present an overture to the General Assembly, suggesting the propriety of aiding as much as possible, the Presbyterian Churches established in Nova Scotia, and other parts of North America. It was also suggested, they should be advised to form themselves when practicable, into Presbyteries, Synods, &c.

The overture was supported, in an eloquent and energetic speech by Principal Macfarlan, a man of no ordinary talent, and a leading member of that august assembly.

Agreeably with the foregoing suggestion, a meeting of the ministers in communion with the Church of Scotland in Upper & Lower Canada, together with the Elders from their several Sessions, was held at Montreal on the 14th ult. After prayer and mature deliberation, they formed themselves into a Synod, to be called the Synod of the Presbyterian Church of Canada. The Synod was divided into four Presbyteries, namely—the Presbytery of Quebec, consisting of six members; the Presbytery of Glengarry, consisting of four members; the Presbytery of Bathurst, four do.; and the Presbytery of York, five do.

A memorial was proposed to the General Assembly of the Church of Scotland, and signed by all the members, informing that venerable body of the formation of the Synod, and soliciting their countenance and assistance; a petition to the king was also agreed to, urging the claim of the Synod to a share of the Clergy Reserves in virtue of their connection with the parent Church; and an address to His Excellency the Lieutenant Governor was also prepared and signed.

A Home Missionary Society was formed, to be under the direction of the Synod, and it was recommended to the several Presbyteries to make collections within their bounds in aid of the object.

SHIPPING INTELLIGENCE.

PORT OF MIRAMICHI:

ARRIVED—Tuesday, Schooner Spartan, Bellingly, Quebec, 8 days.

WEDNESDAY—Schooner Elizabeth, Campbell, P. E. Island, 5 days; brig Naomi, Atkins, Halifax, 8 days. Schrs. Glasgow, Graham, Pictou, 3 days.

CLEARED, TUESDAY.—Schooner Jane, Sureman, P. E. Island; WEDNESDAY.—Schrs. Margaret Ann, Coulson, Richibucto; Spartan, Bellingly, New Carlisle; Two Farmers, M. Cay, P. E. Island; SATURDAY.—Schr. Dolphin, Siverell, Baie de Chaleur.

PORT OF LIVERPOOL, N. B.

ARRIVED, June 21.—Barque Forth, Hunter, Liverpool, 28 days, R. & J. Jardine; At Buctouche.—Ship Alfred, Thomson, Pictou, Sutherland & Mackay; brig Pilgrim, Allan, Inverness, 25 days, P. Sutherland. 22nd—Brig Margery, Robertson, Pictou, 2 days, Sutherland & Mackay. July 1.—Brig Scipio, Cowman, Newfoundland, 14 days, R. & J. Jardine.

CLEARED, June 23.—Brig Sarah, Frank, Greenock; barque Nile, Story, Stockton. 25th—Brig Matthews, Donaldson, Kirkbright; brig Rock, Cameron, Whitehaven. 29th—barque Kent, Suttie, Liverpool.

PORT OF DALHOUSIE.

ARRIVED, June 20.—Ship Miramichi, Hutchinson, Liverpool; brigs Hero, Harrison, Newfoundland; Madawaska, M. Merchey, New Carlisle; Luna, Lookup, Dumfries; Minerva, Heulin, Jersey; Gleaner, Blair, Maryport. Schrs. Ann, Baldwin, St. John; Ann, Christie, Pictou; Industry, M. Donald, Miramichi; Olive, Jeffrey, Shippigan. 25th—Brig Charmout, Newfoundland.

CLEARED.—Brigs Ann, Dick, Cambelton; Highlander, Galliot, Aberdeen. Sir William Wallace, Anderson, do. Madawaska, M. Merchey, Cambelton; Clyde, Hall, Troon; Luna, Lookup, Dumfries; Lady of the Lake, Grant, Aberdeen; Shaw, Teron, Lancaster; Eclipse, Moore, Ayr. Ships Gledon, M. Alpin, Greenock, St. John, Niel, Glasgow; Cruckston Castle, Fisher, Greenock, Miramichi, Hutchison, Port Glasgow. Brig Britannia, Holliday, Annon. Schrs. Two Brothers, Montgomery, P. E. Island; Olive, Smith, Gaspe.

PORT OF ST. JOHN, N. B.

Arrived, June 29.—Brig Mina, Belfast; schrs. Nelson; Philadelphia; Despatch, Halifax; Mercy, Fredericksburg; ship Dunlop, Belfast; brig Pilot, Philadelphia, schr. Eliza, Boston; brig Heroine, Brier Island; schr. Lavina, Halifax.

Cleared.—Ships Joanna, Liverpool; Wolva, Hull; New Eagle, Plymouth; William Pitt Cork. Brigs William, Lancaster; Civilian, Hull; Leslie Gault, Londonderry. Beaver, do.

PORT OF ST. ANDREWS.

Arrived, June 24.—barques Flora, Liverpool—Wilson, Greenock—Charlotte, Boston—brig Carbonier, Carbonier, N. F.—schr. Broke, Halifax—brigs Ugoni, Norfolk—Morning Star, Montego Bay.

Cleared.—Brigs Susan, Demerara—Portaferry, Portaferry—Hope, Topsham—Little Ann, Teignmouth.

A schooner from P. E. Island reports a loaded brig on shore on the North Cape of that Island.

PORT OF HALIFAX, N. S.

Arrived, June 29.—Brigs, Cordelia, Newfoundland; Chebucto, Mahone Bay; Mail Boat Emily, Boston; Swan, Alexandria; Happy Return, Nicaragua, Mary, New York; Elizabeth, Magnagudavie; Don Juan, Yarmouth; John, Lunenburg; Mexican, Philadelphia; Dove, Barbice; Hope, Liverpool; Telemachus, Arichat; Marie Catherine, Quebec; Experiment, Fredericksburg. Schr. Rival, Miramichi.

Cleared.—brigs Creole, New York—Naomi, Miramichi—H. N. Binney, W. Indies.

About 50 passengers were put on board the Pilot Boats off the Harbour on Monday, from the brig Hibernia, from Kinross bound to St. John, N. B.—The Hibernia afterwards proceeded on her voyage with 180 other Passengers.

The Ship London, of Liverpool, N. S. beating out of Port Metway, on Tuesday last, struck on a reef of rocks, bilged, and it is feared will be lost.

The Susan & Sarah, Whaler, Coffin Master, was at Valparaiso Feb. 24, with 500 bbls Oil—was bound down the coast.

POST OFFICE NOTICE.

By Instructions received from the General Post Office by the last Post, I am directed to dispatch a Mail Weekly for Dalhousie Bay de Chaleur.

The Mails for Dalhousie will leave this Office on the arrival of the Southern Mail, and arrive on the afternoon of Friday at 3 o'clock along with those from Bathurst.

JAMES CAIE, POST-MASTER.

Post-Office, Miramichi July 5, 1831.

By his Honor WILLIAM BLACK, Esquire, President and Commander in chief, of the Province of New-Brunswick, and Ordinary of the same, &c. &c.

To ALEXANDER RAMSAY, of Miramichi, in the County of Northumberland, Administrator to all and singular the Goods and Chattels, Rights and Credits which were of John Ramsay, late of the parish of Northesk, in the County of Northumberland, in the Province aforesaid, deceased, Greeting:

WHEREAS the said JOHN RAMSAY lately died intestate (as it is said) having whilst he lived, and at the time of his death, Goods, Chattels and Credits within this Province, by means whereof the granting Administration of all and singular the Goods, Chattels and Credits, and also the auditing allowance and finally discharging the accounts thereof unto me only doth belong. In order therefore, that the said Goods, Chattels and Credits of the said deceased, may be well and faithfully administered applied and disposed of according to Law: I do by these presents grant unto you the said Alexander Ramsay (in whose fidelity I do confide) full power and authority to administer and faithfully dispose of all and singular the said Goods, Chattels and Credits of the said deceased, and to ask, demand, recover and receive, whatever Goods Chattels and Debts or Credits which to the said deceased, whilst living, and at the time of his death did in any way belong; and to pay whatever debts the said deceased at the time of his death did owe, or was chargeable with: so far as such Goods, Chattels and Credits will thereunto extend and the law charge you, you having being already sworn, well and faithfully to administer the said Goods, Chattels and Credits and to pay the debts of the said deceased, and to make or cause to be made a true and perfect Inventory of all and singular the Goods, chattels and Credits of the said deceased and exhibit the same inventory in the Registry of the Prerogative court of the said Province at Newcastle, and also to render a just and true account of your administration when you shall be thereunto required. And I do by these presents make, ordain and give to you Administrator of all and singular the Goods and Chattels, Rights and Credits of the said deceased.

In Testimony Whereof, I have caused the Prerogative Seal of the said Province to be thereunto affixed the Twentieth day of May, in the first Year of the reign of our Sovereign Lord William the Fourth, by the Grace of God of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, King, Defender of the Faith &c, and in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and thirty-one.

J. A. STREET, Dep. Reg.

THOMAS H. FETERS, Surrogate. 3m

NOTICE.

ALL persons having any just demands against the Estate of COLIN M'LENNAN, late of Chatham, in the County of Northumberland, deceased, are requested to render their accounts duly attested within three months from the date hereof and all persons indebted to the said Estate are requested to make immediate payment to

ALEX. M'LENNAN, ADMINISTRATOR.

Chatham, May 24.

NOTICE.

ALL persons having any just demands against the Estate of the late JOHN M'NAUGHTON, of the parish of Glenelg, in the County of Northumberland, deceased, are requested to render their accounts duly attested within three months from the date hereof, and all persons indebted to the said Estate are requested to make immediate payment to

MARGERY M'NAUGHTON, Administratrix.

DONALD M'NAUGHTON, } Executors.

ALEX. CAMERON, }

Miramichi, 24th June, 1831.