

On motion of Mr Kinnear, The House, according to the Order of the Day, went into Committee of the whole, on a bill to incorporate sundry persons by the name of 'The President, Directors and Company, of the Commercial Bank of New-Brunswick. Mr Hayward in the chair of the committee. Mr Speaker resumed the chair. The chairman reported, that having the Bill referred to them under consideration, the following was moved as an amendment—To strike out the XIX Section after the word 'Enacted' viz:— 'That the Joint Stock or property of the said Corporation shall alone be responsible for the debts and engagements of the said corporation, and that no person or persons who shall or may have dealings with the said corporation, shall, on any pretence whatsoever, have recourse against the separate property of any present or future member of the said corporation, or against their persons, further than may be necessary to secure the faithful application of the Funds of the said corporation.' And insert, That the holders of the Stock of the said Bank, shall be chargeable in their private and individual capacities, and shall be holden for the payment and redemption of all Bills which may have been issued by the said corporation, and also for the payment of all debts at any time due from the said corporation, in proportion to the Stock they may respectively hold; Provided, nevertheless, that in no case shall any Stockholder be liable to pay a sum exceeding twice the amount of the Stock, actually held by him: And provided also, that the liability of such Stockholders, as aforesaid, shall not continue beyond the term of one year, from and after the time he shall have duly transferred his Stock, pursuant to the provisions of this Act: And provided also, that the Joint Stock or property of the said Corporation, shall also be responsible for the debts and engagements of the said Corporation.' And upon the question for adopting the amendment, the Committee divided—Yeas 14, Nays 11. And it was carried in the affirmative.

Mr End moved for leave to bring in a Bill, in addition to, and in amendment of the several Acts now in force, to provide for sick and disabled Seamen, not being Paupers, belonging to this Province.

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MIRAMICHI:
TUESDAY MORNING, MARCH 4, 1834.

We are still without any later news from Europe. In a few days, three English Mails will be due. The Halifax papers state, that the December Packet put back, having experienced heavy weather on the coast of England. If this be correct, there is every probability she has been detained for the January mail,—if not, there is every reason to apprehend some serious accident has befallen her.

Our paper to-day is principally occupied with the proceedings of the Legislature, as we embraced the opportunity—in the absence of more important matters—to lay before our readers, their doings up to the latest dates received,—and to effect this desirable object, we have also published a Supplement, which will accompany the paper.

BLACK TONGUE IN HORSES.—This disease, which has been making sad ravages among the Cattle in Lower Canada, and in the Northern States, has, we have been informed, been introduced into the Settlements on the South-West branch of this river, by an itinerant tinker from the State of Maine. We find the following articles relating to this disorder, among our late papers, and publish them for the information of our readers:

'A disease among horses now prevails to a considerable extent in the neighbouring States, which, we learn, has extended itself to the animals in this and the Upper Province. We give some extracts from the American papers, describing the complaint, as well as preventives and cures which are there recommended for adoption.—*Cobourg Reformer*.

Preventive.—Take one ounce of asafetida, divide it into two parts, wrap them in clean linen rags, and nail one part in the bottom of the manger where the horse is fed, the other in the bottom of the bucket in which it is watered. These will last for three months. A small piece confined in the bridle bit when the horse goes from home will act as a preventive. **Cure when the disease has commenced.** Take one pint of castor oil, two ounces balsam copaiva, two ounces sweet spirits of nitre, let these ingredients be well mixed in a bottle and given. Symptoms of the disease, are sore-

ness in the mouth, tongue red, raw in spots, slavering.—*Goodsell's Genesee Farmer*.

Take 2 oz. alum, 1 oz. borax, 1-2 oz. blue vitriol, 1-2 oz. copperas, 1-2 pound honey and one quart vinegar, with a little sage—steep, and make a wash, with which cleanse the mouth of the horse three times a day, taking care to keep him from taking cold.—*Amherst Cabinet*.

The following receipt was furnished us by a gentleman who has tried and proved its efficacy. Take of saltpetre, alum and loaf sugar, quarter of an ounce of each; and 1 pint brandy—Simmer them together, so that the ingredients be well mixed, and apply it as a wash. The mixture should be heated over a slow fire, as it is very inflammable, and should it boil over it would burn like gunpowder.—*New England Farmer*.

The following receipt was handed us by Mr O. Bishop, veterinary surgeon, who says it is a sovereign remedy for the prevailing disease among horses, known as the 'Black Tongue,' 1 pint honey, 1 do spirits, 1 do strong sage tea, 1 oz. nitre, 1 do alum, 1-2 do copperas. Mix together and wash the mouth; swash the mouth half an hour afterwards with linseed or castor oil.—*Coopersdown Journal*.

The black tongue disease in horses is becoming so prevalent and spreading with such rapidity, that we are almost induced to believe it is a species of cholera. It is infecting horses, oxen, sheep, and even the feathered tribe, and what is most strange, a man near Deerfield, who has been among horses suffering with it, has contracted the disorder! It is a species of putrid sore throat or canker rash, eating off the roof of the tongue, and turning it black, at the same time diseasing the glands of the throat. Cleanliness of racks and mangers should be preserved, and as a preventive, salt is said to be excellent. A piece of gum asafetida placed in each manger, and another fastened in the water bucket, are indispensable to the health of animals about these times. Another preventive used in large stables in this town, is putting a composition of tar and camphor on a piece of cloth and winding it round the bits. Fine salt thrown into the mouth and sulphur scattered in the manger occasionally.—*Northampton Courier*.

THE WEATHER.—For the last three weeks we have enjoyed, with the exception of two or three days, a continuation of such mild, agreeable weather, as seldom falls to our lot even in the month of April. Perhaps there never was known, such a favorable season for the various occupations of the Lumberman, and should the freshets in the spring permit the driving of all the timber made, the lumberer will have a fair chance of recovering the losses he sustained last year from the unpropitious season.

By the last post we received the second No. of the *St. Croix Courier*, a neatly printed, and well filled sheet of selected and original matter, printed at Calais, in the State of Maine. We wish the proprietor, Mr Bates, such success, as will enable him to pursue his labours in such a manner as will prove beneficial to his subscribers, and profitable to himself.

TO CORRESPONDENTS.—We have obtained several communications, the publication of which we have delayed until next week, to effect the object stated in the in a foregoing paragraph.

ERRATUM.—In the opening paragraph of the Communication in our last page—for 12th inst. read 12th ultimo.

MARRIED.—By Donald McKay, Esq. on Wednesday evening, the 12th ult., at her father's house, Mr. Milton Commins, of the State of Maine, to Susan, eldest daughter of Henry Copp, of the parish of Northesk.

At the Sackville Church, in Westmorland, on the 30th January, by the Rev. Charles Milner, Andrew Barbarie, Esq. Barrister at Law, to Eliza, third daughter of Mr. M. B. Cornwall, of Dorchester.

DIED.—At Kouchibouguac, on the 20th ult. Mr. John Baytie. He came by his death, by the falling of a limb from a tree, which struck him on the forehead. A medical man was sent for, but could render him no assistance, and he expired in about eighteen hours after the accident, apparently insensible of any pain. Mr B. has left a widow and large family to deplore his untimely end, and their own bereavement of an industrious husband and father.

We stop the press to publish the following document: we have not room to give the signatures it bears.

RICHARD S. CLARKE Esq., High Sheriff.

You will please call a Meeting of the Merchants and others interested in the Timber Trade, to be held at the Court House, on Thursday, the 6th instant, at 11 o'clock, to take into consideration the necessity of Petitioning the Imperial Parliament against the proposed alterations of the duty on Colonial Timber and Lumber. We are Sir, Your Obediant Servants,

In pursuance of the above requisition, a Public Meeting will take place at the Court House, on the 6th inst. at 11 o'clock, for the purpose of carrying into effect the purport of the above requisition.

RICHARD S. CLARKE, SHERIFF.

Miramich, 4th March, 1834.

MONTREAL GAZETTE. The shareholders of the Quebec and Halifax Steam Navigation Company held their annual general meeting on the 28th ultimo, when a Report from the Committee of Direction was submitted, and the gentlemen composing it requested to continue in office for the ensuing year. After adverting to the sale of the *Royal William*, and the handsome offer of the purchases to transfer her to the original stockholders, without any profit, on condition of the vessel been continued on the route between Quebec and Halifax an offer to which they could not avail themselves, the Committee express their regret that debts to the amount of £1699 2s. 6d. should remain due, which they have no adequate means to liquidate. The Committee conclude their Report in the following terms.—

"The Committee view with deep and sincere regret the failure of this first attempt to establish a navigation by steam between the Lower Provinces and Canada. On a review, however, of the various accidents and misfortunes that occurred to the *Royal William*, most of which could neither have been foreseen nor prevented, and which, in a great degree, contributed to the failure of the scheme, and taking also into account the almost daily improvements in steam navigation,—they entertain a hope that the time is not far distant when a second attempt will be made under the existing Act of Incorporation, and crowned with complete success."

QUEBEC GAZETTE. *Call of the Two Houses.*—The sittings of to-morrow, (the 15th,) are those at which the first order of the day, in both Houses of the Legislature, is a Call of the Members. In both the object is the same; namely, to take the state of the Province into consideration.

It is understood, that in the Legislative Council no particular course is, for the present, marked out, but the attendance of Members was considered proper, after the menaces by the Assembly to break up the Session, and after its notice for a Call. In the Assembly, a very long series of Resolutions, embodying the sentiments avowed by some of the leading men from the district of Montreal, has been prepared, touching Mr. Stanley, the Governor, Council, Land Company, Contingencies, &c.; and will be submitted and discussed to-morrow night, we suppose, in Committee, and probably be resumed, by adjournment, on Monday.

It would be speculating to talk of the result, which, after the late divisions in the House, cannot be judged of with any approximation to probability.

The order of the day for to-morrow in the Assembly is—"In Committee of the whole, on the State of the Province," with instructions on the following subjects:—Message on Mr. Mandel's expulsion; Message with Despatch, on an elective Council; Report of Special Committee on the Address for the payment of £7000, as contingencies of the Assembly, Beauchamp's Petition, praying to be paid as witness before the Land House, Message on the Address respecting the Land Company and the Waste Lands of the Crown.

All persons having demands against the Estate of JOHN SIMPSON, late of the parish of Northesk, in the county of Northumberland, deceased, are requested to present the same, duly attested, within three months from the date hereof; and all persons indebted to the said Estate are requested to make immediate payment to

WILLIAM CARMAN, Atty. for the Estate.

March 1, 1834.

All persons having demands against the Estate of the late CHRISTOPHER CLARKE, Esq. deceased, are requested to render the same without delay, for adjustment; and all persons indebted to the said Estate, will please make immediate payment to

March 3, 1834.

WILLIAM ABRAMS, Admr.