

ORIGINAL.

The third Annual Meeting of the Miramichi Sabbath School Society, was held in Johnston's Hotel, on the 12th inst. the Rev. John M'Curdy, President, in the Chair. The meeting being opened with prayer, besides several resolutions bearing a particular relation to the management of the Society, the following were unanimously passed:

1. That as a wish had been expressed by some of the people in the neighbourhood of Mr Leggett's, in the lower part of Chatham, that a Sabbath School might be formed in connection with this Society, the Rev. John M'Curdy and D. Perley, Esq. be appointed a committee to visit that neighbourhood, and aid in the formation of such a School.

2. Moved by Mr Daniel Keith, and seconded by D. Perley, Esq. That this Society view with deep regret the death of their late Secretary and Treasurer, Chr. Clark, Esq. who was also one of its ablest Teachers, and whose memory will be long held in estimation by the members of this Society, for the deep interest he took in every thing connected with its welfare. The passing of this resolution was followed by a short and solemn pause.

A number of persons added their names to the list of annual subscribers, and were constituted members of the society.

It will be gratifying to the friends of education and religion to learn, that the scholars connected with the schools of this society still continue to increase. They number according to the returns of this year, upwards of 130. More names are on the Roll Books, but this is about the average attendance. The returns of the teachers speak favourably of the progress the pupils have made under their care. They specify the various exercises in which the scholars engage, and state that their progress in each is in general highly satisfactory.

The Teachers continue to manifest an unabated zeal in imparting the word of life to their young and interesting pupils; and it is hoped, that, while they now in the discharge of their important trust, enjoy many pleasing reflections, they will hereafter have many of these little ones to present to the Lord as crowns of joy—that they will have the inconceivable satisfaction of hearing the Great Judge say, 'well done good and faithful servants; ye have been faithful over a few things; I will make you rulers over many things; enter ye into the joy of your Lord.'

The society from the experience of several years, can confidently recommend to the public Galt's system of Sabbath School Teaching, as a mode well calculated to lead the young mind gradually and irresistibly, to a knowledge of the scriptures. Its object is not to burden the scholar by causing him to commit to memory long—and to him—unmeaning tasks; but to explain every idea brought before him as he advances. Its aim is to enlighten the mind, and not to fill it with the mere sound of words; while at the same time moderate tasks are every Sabbath repeated upon the strength of memory. Hence we find under this system, scholars of five, six, and seven years of age, giving ready answers to questions, suggested to the teachers from the tasks they have learned—answers, which evince that their intellectual powers are already considerably expanded. Nothing can give to the scholar a greater relish for his exercises than a consciousness that his understanding is improving; and nothing can afford greater encouragement to the teacher, whose object is to impart information, than to see his pupils increasing in knowledge. This system is now extensively in use, among various denominations of christians in Great-Britain, is chiefly used by many in these Colonies and is introduced, with much approbation, into the United States of America. It is a system which ought not to be confined merely to Sabbath Schools. Heads of families by its use, may, with great facility, pour into the minds of their children, stores of religious knowledge. It will be the means of making their family instructions easy, and delightful to themselves, and profitable to those whom God has placed under their parental controul. A set of these books in the hands of pious and zealous parents, would do much towards training up children and youth in the nurture and admonition of the Lord; as they prove abundantly instrumental in nurturing the young plants, in the nurseries (Sabbath Schools) of our Zion.

TO LET, for one or more Years, as may be agreed upon.

That excellent HOUSE with GARDEN and BARN, adjoining, owned and formerly occupied by the late Robert Graham, deceased, at the lower part of the town of Chatham; possession will be given on the 1st May next.

That FARM in Napan, with Barn thereon, adjoining Mr Kerr's property, on the upper side of Napan bridge, known as the property of the deceased.

Lot No 15, containing 225 acres, adjoining Mr William Gillis's lot, on Napan river.

For particulars enquire of the administratrix, in Chatham, or

February 24, 1834

JOHN M. JOHNSON.

AUCTION.

On WEDNESDAY, 12th March next, at 11 o'clock, forenoon, will be Sold by Public Auction, at the residence of the late Mr Robert Graham, in the lower part of the town of Chatham.

A quantity of HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE, consisting of an 8 day Clock, a Mahogany Chest of Drawers, Hardwood and other Chairs, Tables, Benches, Bedsteads, &c. &c. with a variety of Kitchen Utensils, a single Stove, &c. &c. Also—

a 5 year old Horse a Sleigh and harness
a Cow and Calf a Cart and harness
a Plough and Harrow 2 Wood Sleds, shod,

and a variety of other articles.

A credit of 3 months on all sums above £5, will be given on approved security. The above is the property of the late Robert Graham, deceased, and now for Sale by order of the Administratrix on said Estate.

J. M. JOHNSON, Auctioneer.

Chatham, Feb. 25.

NOTICE.

TENDERS for the Erection of a BEACON on the site of the former one, on Point Escuminac, agreeable to a plan and Specification, to be seen at the office of the Subscriber, will be received until the 1st day of MARCH next, by the Subscriber.

Satisfactory security will be required for the performance of the Contract; and the money will be paid on the Contract being taken off the hands of the Contractor.

WILLIAM ABRAMS, Commissioner for Buoys and Beacons.
Newcastle, February 17.

SHERIFF'S SALES.

On TUESDAY, the Ninth day of SEPTEMBER next, will be sold by Public Auction, in front of Hamill's Hotel, at Newcastle, between the hours of 12 and 5 o'clock in the afternoon.

ALL the Right, Title, Interest, Claim and Demand, of JOHN CLARK, WILLIAM LIDDELL, and JOHN LIDDELL, or either of them, of, in and to, the several Lots, Pieces, and Parcels of LAND, Tenements, Real Estate and Hereditaments, hereinafter mentioned: To wit—in and to, two certain Lots or Tracts of Land, situate on Beobair's Point (so called) in the parish of Nelson, formerly owned and possessed by the late Murdoch McKenzie, deceased. Also in and to, a certain other Tract or Block of Land, formerly owned by the said late Murdoch McKenzie, deceased, situate, lying and being, between the Black and Grey Rapids in the parish of Blackville, on the South Side of the South West Branch of the River Miramichi, containing by Estimation, 500 Acres, more or less.

Also, in and to the Lots Number 45, 46, and 48; and also a part of Lot Number 50, situate in the parish of Chatham.

And Also all the other Lands, Tenements, Real Estate and Hereditaments of the said John Clark, William Liddell, and John Liddell, or either of them, within the County of Northumberland, or so much thereof as may be necessary to satisfy several executions, issued out of the Supreme Court against them.

RICHARD S. CLARKE, Sheriff.

Chatham, 22d February, 1834.

To be sold at Public Auction on TUESDAY, the Ninth day of SEPTEMBER next, between the hours of 12 and 5 of the clock, in the afternoon of the same day, at Hamill's Hotel, Newcastle.

ALL the Right, Title, Estate, Interest and Claim of ELIJAH FOWLER, of in and to the following Lots or Tracts of LAND; to wit, in and to all that certain Piece, Tract, or Parcel of Land, situate, lying and being in the Parish of Blackville, in the County of Northumberland, on the north side of Cain's River, between the upper and lower Horse Shoe, and known and distinguished as Lot Number One, granted by Government to one Robert Jepson, containing by estimation, 400 Acres, and on which the said Robert Jepson at present resides. Also all that certain piece or parcel of Land and premises, situate, lying and being in the parish of Blackville aforesaid, and abutted and bounded as follows: that is to say, beginning at a marked Ash Tree, standing on the southern bank or shore of the Bartholomew's River, at the north western angle of the grant to Isaac Leighton, thence running by the magnetic needle South 45° east, 95 Chains, of four poles each, along the south western boundary line of the said Grant, crossing Otter brook within that distance, then south 45° west, 40 chains, thence north 45° west, 132 chains, crossing the said Otter brook in that distance to a marked Birch Tree, standing on the said bank or shore of the said River, and thence following the several courses of the same down stream to the place of beginning, containing 400 Acres. The said several Tracts of Land having been seized by me, by virtue of two writs of Execution, issued out of the Supreme Court of this Province against the said Elijah Fowler, at the suit of William Dundin, and Thomas Bois.

RICHARD S. CLARKE, Sheriff.

Sheriff's Office, February 24, 1834.

BLANKS

Of various kinds for Sale at this Office.

NOTICES.

PREROGATIVE COURT,

COUNTY OF NORTHUMBERLAND.

The several and respective Creditors in particular and all other persons in general, having or pretending to have, any Interest or Claim against the Estate and Effects of the late WILLIAM J. MUNROE, late of the Parish of Saumarez, in the now County of Gloucester, late part of the County of Northumberland, deceased, and the heirs of the said deceased, are hereby notified and required to be and appear before me, Thomas H. Peters, Surrogate for the said County of Northumberland, at my Office in Chatham, on Monday, the Seventeenth day of March next, at two o'clock, noon, to object to and shew cause (if any they have) against the allowing and passing of the Accounts of Administration, exhibited by the Administratrix on the said Estate, and now on file in the Registry of the said Court.

Given under my hand and seal of the said Court, at Chatham, the twenty-eighth day of February in the year of our Lord one Thousand Eight Hundred and Thirty-four.

THOMAS H. PETERS, Surrogate.

J. A. STREET, Depty. Reg. Pro.

TEACHER WANTED

For the School at Moorfields. Intending Candidates are requested to lodge their applications with the Parish Trustees, none need apply who cannot produce satisfactory Testimonials of Character and qualifications.
Newcastle, 27th January, 1834.

NOTICE.—All persons having just demands against the Estate of JOHN BURKE, late of the parish of Newcastle, deceased, are hereby required to present the same duly attested, within Six calendar Months from the date hereof; and all persons indebted thereto, are requested to make immediate payment to Sophia Burke, at Newcastle.

SOPHIA BURKE, Executrix.
MARTIN CRANNEY, Executor.

Newcastle, 23d December, 1833.

NOTICE.—Mr. DONALD SUTHERLAND, (late of Restigouche,) Merchant, having closed his business in that quarter; all persons indebted to him are hereby notified to call at the Office of the Subscriber, and settle their respective balances without delay.
A. BARBERIE, Attorney at Law.
Dalhousie, 21st Nov- 1833.

GOODS, & C.

GROCERIES, CONFECTIONARY, &c.

For Sale by the Subscriber.

Superfine and Fine Flour	Loaf and brown sugars
Oat Meal	Souchong tea
Kilo dried Indian Meal	Black lead and rotten stone
Common and pearl barley	Whiting, & blue wash for rooms
Split peas, white beans	Brandy, spirits, gin and rum
Whole and ground rice	Shrub, peppermint, vinegar
Do and do pepper and allspice	Crockeryware, consisting of—
Do and do coffee	cups and saucers, flat and soup
Mustard and Cayan pepper	plates, dishes, soup and gravy
Salt pork, beef and hams	tureens, bowls, pitchers, mugs,
Cloves, mace, nutmegs	&c. &c.
Whole and ground cinnamon	Cotton homespun, striped cotton
Do and do ginger	and gingham shirts
Raisins, currants, nuts & almonds	Pen and pocket knives, shears,
Starch, fig and liquid blue	scissors and razors
Spanish indigo, copperas	Fine tooth and rask combs
Ground logwood, alum	Hooks and eyes
Roll and flour brimstone	White and coloured sewing cotton
Salt petre, Epsom Salts	in balls and reels
Essence Peppermint & cinnamon	Quills and writing paper
Best Alexandria Senna	Red and black ink
Arra Root, chalomile flowers	Mens' strong shoes, lathing tack
Camphor, cream of tartre	Heel and toe, sparrowbills, awl
Magnecia, castor oil	blades, shoe knives and sand
Tamarinds, honey	stones, heel ball
Refined liquorice	Files, carpet tacks
Candid sugar and hoarhound	Black lead and slate pencils
Peppermint, cinnamon	Carpet brooms and brushes
Ginger, lemon and camphor lo-	Bake ovens & covers, iron pots
zenges	Screw augers and gimblets
Confectionary assorted, in paper	Woolen socks and mitts
parcels	Worsted braces, sail needles
Hard soap, onions	Womens' & girls' brass and steel
Mould and Dip Candles	top thimbles
Hard bread and crackers	Brass and iron jews harps, whips
Butter, cheese, apples	Cod and mackerel lines & hooks
Table salt, per basket or pound	Cotton and silk handkerchiefs
Fig and cut tobacco and pipes	Chest locks and hinges
Maccabau snuff (good quality)	But hinges and pad locks
Spanish and common Segars	Window glass and putty.

SEA STORES put up on the shortest notice.

The subscriber will endeavour to keep constantly on hand a supply of articles in the GROCERY and PROVISION line, and Families may be accommodated with the smallest quantity at low prices—for Cash.

WILLIAM LETSON.

Chatham, 28th Oct. 1833.

FOR SALE at this Office.—A few copies of the Report of the Commissioners appointed to inquire into the Judicial Institutions of the Province.

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