

paddles, will completely test the utility of both. The power of this new steamer is in the same proportion with the Cunard line.

From the Kingston Chronicle.

More Trouble on the Frontier.—From the Toronto Commercial Herald we learn that the Gore steamer, which had arrived from Rochester on the night of the 18th instant, brought intelligence that a gang of lawless scoundrels purposed destroying the boat. Fortunately, however, timely notice was given to the Captain of the Gore by an officer of the United States Army, which enabled him to 'clear out' without receiving any damage.

In connection with this subject we copy the following rather curious article from a late number of McKenzie's Gazette. The little man appears to be coming to his senses:—

'In the west, near Detroit, we learn from a gentleman, now in Lewiston, but lately from Michigan, a trap is being set for our poor exiles, and they are to be tempted to go to Canada 'to make a stand,' as it is called—that is, to be frozen to death, 'to make a stand' on the gallows, to perish in British prisons, or to be sent into slavery in Van Diemen's Land, compared with which death itself would be a blessing. I am informed that Mr. Handy has collected twelve or fifteen cannon, including some of the Navy Island pieces, at or near Detroit, &c. &c., and as anything but disaster can follow any such attempt as that made at Windsor, I warn all true Canadians against it.

Is not the history of the leeches and quacks who have begged money for the Canada cause, and proved the curse of it, already black enough, without adding to it a fifth chapter? Many of our friends are returning to their homes and families, and I cannot blame them. Perhaps they find as I have done, that tyranny of one sort or other, is a weed that thrives in every soil.'

SCRAPS.

New York Sunday Atlas.

A negro fellow the other day got himself into trouble by marrying two wives. A great many white men do the same by marrying one.

Practice does not always make perfect. 'You cough with difficulty,' said a man to his sick friend. 'That's strange,' he replied, 'for I have been practising all night.'

'He was taken into the abdomen of immense fish and disgorged through the thorax,' as the eloquent minister said when he was describing Jonah's sea voyage.

'Interrupted the nocturnal repose of the wrong itinerant,' is vulgarly expressed, 'woke up the wrong passenger.'

'I'll be hanged if I do,' as the butcher said when Satan tempted him to steal a sheep.

Ship News.

Wrecks at Sable Island.—The ship *Eliza*, J. McAlpine, master, from Picton, bound to Glasgow, with a cargo of timber and deals, went ashore on the north side of Sable Island, on the 7th inst. at 4 a. m., in a gale of wind and snow from the east—ship under double reefed topsails and courses, crew and passengers saved, ship a total wreck, sails and rigging partly saved.—Ship *Glasgow*, of Greenock, from Montreal and Quebec, on 21 days, struck on the south side of Sable Island, on the 17th ult., Mr S. Houston, mate, was washed overboard, and 1 man perished in the rigging—ship a total wreck, part of cargo saved in a damaged state.—Ship *Australia*, of Alton, drifted on shore at Sable Island, 9th inst. waterlogged and abandoned, had been stripped of sails and running rigging.

The barque *Larch*, Thomas Evans, master, from Bathurst, [new vessel] bound to a port in Europe, lumber laden, was lost at North Pond, in the Magdalen Islands, on the 2d December—the cargo was saved, and sold at the Magdalen Islands, on the 5th—three of the crew were frozen to death.

PORT OF HALIFAX.

Arrived, Dec. 10, brig *Louisa*, Cronstadt; *Billy*, Sierra Leone. 14th, brig *Rival*, Hamburg; schr *Dartford*, Miramichi; barque *Clie*, Liverpool.

PORT OF ST. JOHN.

Arrived, Dec. 15, ship *Pursuit*, Liverpool. Cleared—ships *Ann Rankin*, Port Glasgow; *Clyde*, Liverpool; *Marchioness of Abercorn*, Londonderry; *Clarence*, Demerara; *Perthshire*, Greenock; *Margaret Pollok*, Liverpool; brig *Arcthusa*, West Indies.

To Let.

The HOUSES in Queen Street, lately occupied by Mrs. Thomson, and Mr. Burdick: These will accommodate either two or three families, and will be let to suit applicants, and at a reduced rent—if immediate application be made to

WM. CARMAN, JUNR.
Nov. 23, 1840.

THE NEW WORLD,
QUARTO EDITION.

On Saturday, the 2nd day of January, will be issued the first number of the Second Vol. of the QUARTO NEW WORLD. This form, being convenient for binding and preservation, has been, and is much preferred by great numbers of our readers in city and country. Each number of the Quarto Edition contains the same articles as the Folio, with the exception only of the advertisements and a few unimportant news-items of no permanent interest. The second volume of the Quarto is commenced with the new year for the accommodation and convenience of new subscribers, who, at that period, generally determine on the character and kind of periodicals best recommended to their attention, and best worthy of their patronage.

The New World was begun in the large, or folio size, in October, 1839. It immediately acquired a circulation unprecedentedly great. It was ordered to be sent to all parts of the country; it was sold in great numbers in the principal cities of the Union. The plan upon which it was conducted, was novel and striking. Its distinguishing feature was, that it republished, with unparalleled despatch, the most attractive portions of new English literature. On its broad and ample pages were displayed, in rapid and brilliant succession, the latest productions of the most popular authors of the day. Their names formed a galaxy, which shed a fascinating lustre around the new and copious journal. Our star differed from another star in glory, but they were all stars. Not many of the minor lights were admitted into their splendid company. Dickens, Bulwer, Talfourd, Mitford, Ainsworth, Dewey, Sedgwick, Longfellow, have few compeers in their line, and few are worthy of being ranked with them.

It was not to be wondered at that the New World became a great favourite with the intelligent and reading public. There was only one objection made to it—and that was to its size. The Folio form was the most popular but not most convenient for those who consider the works which it contained too valuable to be thrown aside. For such readers, the Quarto was commenced in June last, and for such it will be continued.

For the new volume, commencing in January, we ask the subscriptions of all lovers of pure and elegant literature throughout the country. We ask them too to favor us with their names immediately, that we may not fall short of the number that will be required in this form. The reasonableness of this request will be understood when we state that orders are every day received for back numbers which cannot be supplied. Ten times the subscription price would now be cheerfully paid by those, who delayed to send early orders. The scarcity of old numbers is an admirable proof of their value; in them are contained works sold for sixpence and one shilling, which cost in the original editions one dollar and sometimes five dollars.

The New World will be conducted as it has been, with those improvements and additions, which time and experience have not failed to suggest. It will be complete in all the departments of a first-rate literary journal. From the extensive acquaintance enjoyed by the Editors with all the best writers and critics of the country, this will be no difficult task. It will continue to be edited by Park Benjamin and Esq. Sargent.

This form of the New World will be rendered more elegant in its external appearance. It will be embellished with engravings and music, chosen by a distinguished professor.

TERMS.—Three Dollars a year, (same as the Folio) or Five Dollars for two copies, payable in advance, postage free. Where postage is not paid, it will be deducted from the remittance.

Any person wishing to obtain the above paper, can do so by leaving his name, together with the amount of Subscription, at the Gleaner Office.

THE NEW YORK ALBION.

TO OUR SUBSCRIBERS.

In our last we announced our intention of issuing to our Subscribers TWO PLATES in the course of the ensuing year, the subjects being the *Duke of Wellington*, and *Windsor Castle*.

It has occurred to us that it might be acceptable to our readers, if we were to select an American subject for one of our prints. This would seem to be but fair to our numerous American subscribers, as most of our previous plates have consisted of English subjects; we have accordingly determined upon adopting this course.

Consistently with this determination, and with our most careful endeavour to present that which shall be equally acceptable to all, we propose to offer in due course the portrait of *Washington*.

RUM, GIN, &c.

The Subscriber has received ex Schooner *Dartford*, Woodin, master, from Halifax—Punchons Demerara RUM, Hog-heads Hollands GIN, TEAS, SUGAR, &c. &c. Which he will sell low for Cash.

—Also, for Sale—A Good WORKING HORSE.
GEO. TAYLOR, JUNR.
Chatham, December 14, 1840.

New-Brunswick, Northumberland
County, S. S.

To the Sheriff of the County of Northumberland, or any Constable within said County, Greeting:

Whereas Michael Samuel, of Chatham, in the said County, Merchant, hath represented to me, that upwards of one year has expired since Letters of Administration were granted to RICHARD BLACKSTOCK, of Chatham, aforesaid, Merchant, on the Estate of STEPHEN WEEDS, late of Glenelg, in the said County, Farmer, deceased, and that he is one of the Creditors on the said Estate. And the said Michael Samuel hath also shewn probable cause for believing that there will not be sufficient personal assets to pay the Debts of the said Intestate, and hath prayed that Licence may issue to Sell the Real Estate of the said deceased, towards paying the Debts due.

You are therefore required to cite the Heirs of the said deceased, personally to appear before me, at a Court of Probate to be held at my Office, in the Parish of Chatham, on Wednesday, the Twentieth day of January next, at eleven of the clock in the forenoon, to show cause why Licence should not be granted to Sell all the Real Estate of the said deceased, towards paying the said debts, and you are further required to cite and require the said Administrator, and all and every the Creditors and other persons interested in the said Estate, personally to be and appear before me, at the time and place aforesaid, with their vouchers and papers, in order that I may then and there proceed to hear and examine the proofs of the said parties, and the validity or legality of the Debts and Demands alleged to be existing against the said Estate.

Given under my hand and seal of the said Court, this Sixteenth day of December, in the year of our Lord One Thousand Eight Hundred and Forty.

THOS. H. PETERS, Surrogate.
GEORGE KERR, Register of Probates
for said County.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

To be Sold at Public Auction, on Saturday, 26th June next, in front of Hamill's Hotel, Newcastle, between the hours of 12 and 5 o'clock, P. M.

All the Estate, Right, Title, Interest, Property, Claim and Demand whatsoever, of JAMES GILLAN, in and to all that certain Tract, Piece or Parcel of Land and Premises, situate, lying and being in the Parish of North Esk, being on the South side of the North West Branch of Miramichi River, and known as the North West Meadows; together with all and singular other the Real Estate of the said James Gillan, in the County of Northumberland—the same having been seized by me, in virtue of an Execution issued out of the Supreme Court of this Province, at the suit of Richard Blackstock, against the said James Gillan.

J. M. JOHNSON, Sheriff.
Sheriff's Office, 15th Dec., 1840.

NOTICE OF BRIDGE BUILDERS.

The Subscribers will attend at Henderson's Mill Stream, in the Parish of Newcastle, on Wednesday, the 23rd instant, at 12 o'clock, noon, for the purpose of taking a Contract by Public Auction, for the

Building of a New Bridge
Across said Stream. A Plan and Specification of which can be seen at the Office of Messrs. Gilmour, Rankin & Co., any time after Saturday next. Also, at the same time and place, a Contract will be entered into for the Filling up with Stone and Earth, the approaches to said Bridge, a description of which will be given previous to setting up the same.

The Contractors will be required to enter into a Bond, with satisfactory Sureties for the due fulfilment of the Contracts.

JAMES GILMOUR, } Commission-
WILLIAM ABRAMS, } ers.
Newcastle, 7th December, 1840.

TO LET.

For one year and longer the House and Farm formerly owned by the late David Shaw deceased, for further particulars apply to
WILLIAM STUART.
Newcastle, Nov. 24, 1840.

FARM, in NAPAN.

To be Let, for such a number of Years as may be agreed on, that
Valuable and Extensive FARM,
occupied by the Subscriber, of which about *Seventy Acres* are under the Plough.

This Farm might advantageously be divided in two, there being a capital Dwelling House and Offices on the one side, and a new Dwelling House on the other.

A good Tenant—and none but such, need apply—might have the Stock and Crop on fair terms. Apply to Mr. James Caie, Postmaster, or to the Subscriber on the Farm.
ROBERT CAIE.
Chatham, 7th September, 1840.

TO LET.

The DWELLING HOUSE, in Chatham, lately occupied by Mr. Williams. It contains Four Rooms, a Kitchen, and a Frost-proof Cellar. Possession can be given immediately. For particulars, enquire of
Chatham, November 1840.

Fall Importations!

By recent arrivals from London, Liverpool and Glasgow, the Subscribers have received a well selected Supply of seasonable

BRITISH DRY GOODS.

From Quebec, Halifax, and other parts of these Provinces, they have stored all kinds of WEST INDIA PRODUCE, Canada FLOUR, Oat Meal, Indian Meat, Prime Labrador Herrings, Cod Fish, Digby Herrings, Annapolis Cheese, Butter, and Hard-bread, &c. &c., all of which they offer for Sale at their usual low rates, at their stores in Chatham.

Also—Flour, Oatmeal, Codfish, Pork, Butter, Cheese, &c., retailed in small quantities.

JOHNSTON & CAIE
Chatham, Nov. 2, 1840.

COAL, COAL.

150 Tons Superior Sunderland Coal for Sale by the Subscriber.

HENRY C. D. CARMAN,
November 17, 1840.

A Consignment.

DRUGS, MEDICINES, PERFUMERY, &c.

The Subscriber has just received from Britain, an extensive assortment of MEDICINES, which he will warrant to be fresh and of the first quality, and which he will sell wholesale or retail, at moderate prices. He has also received a few of the most approved PATENT MEDICINES, together with SPICES, consisting of *Mace*, *Cayenne*, *Pepper*, &c.; PERFUMERY, consisting of *Essences*, *Perfumes*, *Soaps*, *Essences*, *Oil of Almonds*, *Rose Hair Oil*, *Macassar Oil*, *AROMATIC VINEGAR*, *Tooth Powder*, *Lip Salve*, *Court Plaster*, *Pink Saucers*, *Collin's Cephalic Snuff*, &c. &c. Also, a supply of the best *Pearl Sage*, and *Arrow Root*.

Printed Lists of the above may be obtained and terms made known on application to
NEIL McLEAN.
Newcastle, 26th Sept. 1840.

For Sale,

By the Subscriber, at his Establishment opposite Mr. John Hea's, and next door to Mrs. Martin's Hotel.

A Variety of GOODS,

Suitable for the Season, consisting of—*Muffs*, *Boas*, and *Ruffs*, of various kinds; *ladies' & gentleman's Fur Gloves*, *Brouse & black Kid Shoes*, *Prunella Boots & Shoes*, *Silks*, *Satins*, *Flannels*, *Merinoes*, &c. &c. Which, with his former Stock, will be sold at low price for Cash.

—Also, on Hand—

15 Quarter Casks good quality Sherry and Madeira WINE; PAINTS, and Paint OILS, Seal Oil; Fine FLOUR, TEA, SUGAR, &c. &c. A few good quality North West BUFFALO ROBES.

The highest price, in Cash, given for all descriptions of FUR.
J. SAMUEL.
Chatham, 1st December, 1840.

OIL.

LAMP OIL, by the Cask or Gallon DRY and PICKLED FISH, &c., for Sale by
OWEN McEWAN
Chatham, 23rd Nov., 1840.

WANTED,

At the Carpenter and Joiner Business, Two APPRENTICES, between 14 and 15 years of age—Boys of good character.

Apply to Mr. David Rankin, at Bathurst, or Mr. Samuel Burdick, Chatham.
Bathurst, Nov. 26, 1840.

TO LET,

And may be entered upon immediately. The BLACKSMITH'S SHOP, formerly occupied by Cameron & Bain, and latterly by C. B. Brymer, in the Town of Chatham, situate on the Public Lot Also, the HOUSE-BARN, and FARM, at the Point, French Fort Cove, Parish of Newcastle.

For particulars, enquire of Messrs. STREET & KERR, or
JOHN M. JOHNSON.
December 1, 1840.

STRAY SHEEP.

The Subscriber has had in his possession the past week

6 Stray Sheep,

The owner of the same can have them by proving marks, &c., and paying the expenses incurred. Apply to
ANDREW PETERSON.
Chatham, 7th Dec., 1840.

STRAY COW.

The Subscriber has had in his possession, for the last fortnight—

A Stray Cow.

The owner can have the same by proving property, and paying such expenses as have been incurred.
THOMAS PERRY.
Douglastown, Dec. 7, 1840.