

that rum was the cause of his committing the crime, and that he drew the knife in self defence, Blair having given the first blow.—A Coroner's Inquest was held on the body on Saturday, when a verdict of Wilful Murder was returned against Williams.—Blair has left a wife and four children.

The Amaranth.—The first number of Mr. Shives' Monthly Magazine, bearing the above title, made its appearance on Saturday last. Its contents are of a very interesting description, and the typography is highly creditable to the publisher.—We learn that the Amaranth has already quite an extensive subscription list, and is daily increasing, the price being only 7s. 6d. per annum in town.—We wish Mr. Shives much success.

The weather for the last week has been remarkably mild—almost a continual thaw. It rained incessantly on Thursday and Friday, leaving our streets in a very muddy state. There was a slight frost on Saturday night, and last night a small quantity of snow fell.

St. John Morning News.

Daring Outrage.—On last Sunday night, about 10 o'clock, a person by the name of McCarron, was leaving his dwelling, (known as Bell's Corner at York point) and going towards Mr. Gerow's near by, he was attacked by several ruffians, who beat him in the most brutal manner, and left him insensible. His wife, on hearing the attack on her husband, ran to his assistance, when she was knocked down by the villains, and had her arm broken, and her head severely cut in several places.

NOVA SCOTIA.

Novascotian, January 13.

The Speakership.—The Hon. the Attorney General, having expressed his determination to retire from this office, in compliance with the rule laid down by her Majesty's Government, that a Crown Officer should no longer hold it, four candidates have entered the field, and gone, we believe, through the usual forms of canvass for the honor of succeeding to the vacant chair. These are, Messrs. Uniacke, Young, Dewolf, and Howe.

The Unicorn.—The Quebec Mercury publishes the following extract of a letter from Captain Douglas, dated Havana, Dec. 11.—We are preparing the Unicorn for the West Indies, to run between New York, Providence, (Nassau,) and Havana, but shall not leave until we have answers to letters by the Britannia. We shall probably make two voyages to New York, and Havana to New Orleans, if the American government will allow, as we cannot carry passengers between two foreign ports without the leave of either government which sanction, we think, will be freely given.

CANADA.

Toronto Commercial Herald.

The Governor General is expected here by the end of January, or beginning of February, to proclaim the Re-Union, and that Sir George Arthur will then retire from the Administration of the Government.

WEST INDIES.

Halifax Recorder, January 9.

FROM JAMAICA.—We have received files of the Kingston Morning Journal to the 17th ult., by the Chedabucto. Her Majesty's steamship Dee arrived at Kingston on the 28th November; she left this port for Bermuda on the 8th, but not having arrived at the date of last advices thence, it was feared that some serious disaster had befallen her. Respecting the political state of Jamaica we learn that party spirit is dead for a season in the colony. In most instances the conduct of the Legislature has afforded unqualified satisfaction; unlike Colonial Assemblies in general the members have spoken little, but accelerated the public business by a close application to their duty.

Kingston, Dec. 10.—We learn that the Small Pox has again been introduced into this Island. Her Majesty's schooner Skipjack, which arrived at Port Royal from Carthage, is reported to have had a case of that disease on board, and has been placed under quarantine, no delay having taken place after the fact was ascertained. We trust every exertion will be used on the part of the proper officer to keep this plague from our shores; and advise all persons who have not yet been vaccinated to be so immediately.

Spanish Town, Dec. 16.—We learn that the schoolmaster of the 2d W. I. Regiment, committed suicide yesterday, by cutting his throat and severing the carotid artery. Instantaneous death was the result. The unfortunate man it appears had laboured under much distress of mind for some time past, in consequence of having been separated from a wife whom he had married at Nassau but a short time previous to the departure of his Regiment from that place. We are told that he had that morning placed in the hands of an officer of the Regiment £50, to be remitted to his wife. He was buried with military honors.

BLANKS.

Magistrates' and Attorney's BLANKS, of all kinds, for sale at the Gleaner Office.

BANK OF

BRITISH NORTH AMERICA.

The Branch is now prepared to grant Bills at three days sight for any sum not less than Five Pounds Sterling, on the different Branches of the Provincial Bank of Ireland, viz:

Dublin,	Coleraine,	Ballymena,
Cork,	Kilkeny,	Omagh,
Limerick,	Ballias,	Dungannon,
Clonmel,	Tr.lee,	Bandon,
Londonderry,	Youghal,	Ennis,
Sligo,	Enniskillen,	Ballyshannon,
Wexford,	Monaghan,	Strabane,
Belfast,	Benbridge,	Dungarvon,
Waterford,	Parsonstown,	Malloy,
Galway,	Dewonpatrick,	Moneymore,
Armagh,	Cavan,	Cootehill,
Athlone,	Lurgan,	Kilrush,
		Skibbereen.

R. CASSELS, MANAGER.

Mira-nichi, 1st January, 1841.

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 A. CORMICK.

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 Meal, 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.

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 Pears' Soap, Smelling Salts, &c. &c.; Lavender Water, 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 Sago, and Arrow Root.

Printed Lists of the above may be obtained and terms made known on application to NEIL McLEAN.

Newcastle, 26th Sept. 1840.

PEWS,

In St. Andrew's Church, Chatham.

To be Sold at Public Auction, on Thursday, the 14th instant, in said Church, at 12 o'clock, noon.

The Preference of the few PEWS remaining unsold.

Chatham, January 5, 1841.

NOTICE.

The Subscriber having determined to withdraw from the TANNING & CURRYING Business, takes this opportunity of returning thanks to his friends and patrons, for the liberal support afforded him for many years past, and begs leave to notify them and the public generally, that he has relinquished all his interest in the Tannery, and all debts due him on account thereof, to his Brother JAMES who will in future conduct the Business in his own name. He therefore requests all persons having demands against him, to present them for adjustment, and all those indebted to him by note or otherwise, to make an early payment to James Bryant, who is fully authorised to settle all accounts, and give a sufficient discharge. WILLIAM BRYANT.

Chatham, May 17, 1839.

As the Subscriber intends to continue the above Business in all its branches, and having superior Tradesmen employed, he will endeavour to have at all times LEATHER of the best quality, and solicits a share of public patronage. JAMES BRYANT.

Cash given for HIDES and SKINS.

CENTRAL FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY

NEW-BRUNSWICK.

FREDERICTON. Capital Stock £50,000. Committee of reference at Newcastle, and Chatham.

Thomas H. Peters
John Wright
William Abrams
Michael Samuel
Charles J. Peters, Jun. } Esqir's

AGENTS

At Newcastle, C. A. HARDING, Esq.
Chatham, GEORGE KERR, Esq.
Bathurst, WILLIAM STEVENS, Esq.
Dalhousie, DUGALD STEWART, Esq.

Cheese, Cheese, & Bread.

The Subscriber offers for Sale, at his Store, in Chatham, at very low prices for Cash—18 cwt. Annapolis and Cumberland CHEESE; Firkins of Cumberland BUTTER; 60 Barrels of Philadelphia BREAD; Quebec prime and Cumberland PORK, in barrels; Rom, in puncheons; hogsheads of SUGAR, & barrels of do.: 6 hogsheads of Brandy; with a general assortment of DRY GOODS; HARDWARE, CUTLERY; Fancy Goods, &c. Also, a general assortment of GROCERIES, and CROCKERYWARE. Also—

That pleasantly situated HOUSE, in the lower part of Chatham, in which he formerly resided; terms for the House will be made easy, and if not sold before the 1st day of May next, it will be Let for a term of years.

M. SAMUEL.

Chatham, January 19, 1841.

N. B. As the Subscriber intends to make an alteration in his business shortly, he will thank all persons indebted to him, to make payment without delay.

Public Notice.

Whereas Elizabeth Morrissy, alias Chiasson, unfortunately became my lawful wife on the 22nd day of September last; and whereas ever since that time she has conducted herself in a scandalous and improper manner, and finally absconded from my bed and board without my consent or any just cause,—These are therefore to warn all manner of persons not to harbour the said Elizabeth, or to advance her any clothes, provisions, or other necessaries on my account, she being amply supplied at home, as I will not be accountable for any debts of her contracting.

LAURENCE GEHAN.

Grand Annce, January 11, 1841.

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

New-Brunswick, S.S.

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

Whereas Michael Samuel, Administrator on the Estate of JOHN LE LACHEUR, late of Chatham, in the County aforesaid, deceased hath filed an Account of his Administration on the said Estate, and hath prayed that the same may be passed and allowed.

You are therefore required to cite the Creditors and next of Kin of the deceased, and all others interested in the said Estate, to appear before me at a Court of Probate, to be held at my Office, in the Parish of Chatham, within the said County, on Wednesday, the Third day of February next, at eleven of the clock in the forenoon, to attend the passing and allowance of the said Account of Administration on the said Estate.

Given under my hand and the Seal of the said Court, this First day of January, 1841.

THOS. H. PETERS, Surrogate.

GEORGE KERR, Register of Probates for said County.

As the subscriber will leave for Britain in a few days, he will thank those person that have accounts with him to call and adjust them as early as possible.

HENRY C. D. CARMAN.

Chatham, December 29, 1840

BLANKS.

Blank Promissory Notes for Sale at the Gleaner Office.

ADVERTISEMENT.

From the New York Albion.

BRANCH OF THE ALBION AT LIVERPOOL.

The improvements in Steam Navigation, and the greatly increased number of Steam vessels running between the British Empire and this Continent, cannot fail to enlarge exceedingly the relations between those countries, and to render intelligence interesting upon an increased number of subjects. Taking all this into consideration, and being anxiously desirous to contribute to the utmost towards the information of our readers on these matters we have made arrangements at very considerable expense, which we trust will answer the end effectually.

This Journal being published weekly, it must necessarily happen, occasionally, that we should be late in publishing the Foreign Intelligence brought by the Steam Vessels between our regular days of publication. To obviate this, we have fixed a BRANCH of this establishment at Liverpool, at which place a paper will be printed, on each day of sailing of the Steam Packets from that port, and at the latest possible moment, for forwarding by the Steam Packets from other Ports; containing the very latest intelligence on all subjects that can be of interest to either the American or the British reader on this side of the Atlantic. In particular we would say that the contents will consist of all that regards the money market & monetary matters, the State of American and principal European Stocks and Securities, exchanges and monetary facilities, the Cotton, Tobacco, and other markets for American produce, the manufacturing and other trades of Great Britain, Parliamentary and political proceedings, latest London Gazettes, Foreign transactions and events, public affairs, remarkable circumstances, &c. &c.; thus making the paper a compendium of all that is valuable and interesting as news, ready to be forwarded in every direction at the earliest moment after it is landed upon these shores.

We shall always avail ourselves of Mr. Cunard's steamers, and the Papers for the Lower Provinces will be landed at Halifax and Boston by those steamers, except we have more immediate means of communication. The Colonial Shipping Intelligence and Colonial markets will receive minute attention.

We trust our readers will perceive the importance of this arrangement, which is made entirely with a view to their accommodation. To render it such at the least possible expense, the paper will be furnished to Albion Subscribers at the low rate of two dollars per annum, and to non-subscribers to this Journal at four dollars per annum, payable in advance. The plan will be in operation early in the ensuing year.

Persons wishing to become subscribers to this work will have the goodness to notify such intention without delay, so that the necessary orders may be given, to commence with the beginning of the series.

If, in places where small bills do not circulate, it be inconvenient to remit two dollars, orders for the paper from our present subscribers will be accepted without such remittance. Non-subscribers to the Albion who may wish to order the new paper separately or in conjunction with the Albion, may remit five dollars on account.

We cannot avoid again anticipating the approbation of our subscribers for this novel effort to put before them the latest and most authentic intelligence from the old world at the earliest possible moment after its arrival in this country. The low price at which we charge the new paper is a sufficient indication that gain is not so much our object as gratification to our readers. For the annual sum of eight dollars, the Albion and its Plates, together with an English paper by every Steamer, may be obtained, which in this era of cheap publications must be duly appreciated.

VALUABLE PROPERTY,

FOR SALE.

All those LOTS, Pieces, and Parcels of LAND, situate in the Parish of Ludlow, in the County of Northumberland, known and distinguished as Lot No. 67, and the ISLAND No. 21, and the lowland of the Island No. 22; being the Lands granted to Peter Duff—bounded on the upper side by Lands in the possession of the Price family, and on the lower side by Lands in the possession of Patrick Long. The above is a very valuable Property, and possesses a large Tract of Interval Land. For further particulars of the Property, and Terms of Sale, apply to MOSES H. PERLEY, Esquire, St. John, or to the Subscribers. CARMAN & WILLISTON.

Newcastle, 1st October, 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, Post master, or to the Subscriber on the Farm.

ROBERT CAIE.

Chatham, 7th September, 1840.