

vessel, reflect much credit upon the builder, Mr Henry Mahogry, of St. John.

Hon. Thomas Baillie.—The Fredericton Gazette of Wednesday last, contains an official notice, from the Secretary's Office, under date of the 24th ult., stating that the above named gentleman has been reinstated in the office of Surveyor General and Commissioner of Crown Lands. This is a piece of news we have long expected to hear, and we have much satisfaction in having it in our power to record.

Contingent Expenses of the Council and Assembly.—A Correspondent in the New Brunswicker, under the signature of Morgan Rattler, thus gives an account of the contingent expenses of the Legislature since the year 1828. The wasteful expenditure by the Assembly of the revenues of the Province, has been the theme of several correspondents in the Gleaner, and we are glad to perceive that the subject is undergoing a thorough investigation by correspondents in the city press.

1818—£167 18 2	1822—£205 17 2
1819—170 17 3	1823—252 5 9
1820—228 1 3	1824—200 4 8
1821—285 10 9	Total—1516 15 0
Average of 7 years, £216 13 6	
1825—£594 3 10	1828—£315 0 10
1826—323 5 2	1829—331 17 8
1827—440 15 8	1830—426 17 3
Total—£2140 0 5	
Average of 6 years, £356 13 4	
1831—£417 0 0	1834—£725 14 2
1832—453 8 8	1835—750 6 6
1833—1620 9 8	1816—1274 5 2
Total—£4241 4 2	
Average of 6 years, £706 17 4	
1837—£2039 11 0	1841—£2095 14 1
1838—248 5 2	Postages—449 6 8
1839—2276 4 2	1842—2134 16 8
1840—2594 17 4	Postages—497 9 0
Total—\$14,236 4 6	
Average of 6 years, £2,372 14 0	

* In the contingent Grant of 1833 it is reported that the sum of £1000 was included for the expenses of a deputation to England, the Contingent bill is therefore £620 9s. 8d., to make the correct average.

Revenue of the Province.—The following is an Abstract of the Revenue of the Province for the Quarter ending on the 30th September last:

FIXED.	Sterling.
Ordinary Provincial Revenue, collected by virtue of acts 6th William IV., Cap. 4 and 5th Victoria Cap. 1, £4,282 10 4	
Deduct Drawbacks and Discounts	225 10 11
	£4,056 19 5
For the support of Light Houses	906 1 7
For the support of sick and Disabled Seamen	455 5 9
Passenger and Emigrant Duties	474 14 2
From Officers of her Majesty's Customs, on account of duties collected under Acts of Parliament	4,026 11 1
	£9,919 12 1
Deduct Commissions to Deputy Treasurers	193 3 0
	£9,726 9 1
RECEIPTS IN AID.	
Unexpended balance of an Appropriation of 1841	3 8 0
10 boxes of Copper Coin	135 0 0
Proceeds of £8,000 Bills of Exchange on G. Baillie, Esquire, London, carried to account in January last, but not heretofore included in Quarterly Abstract	8,300 0 0
	£8,938 8 0
Total Receipts in Aid	£8,938 8 0
Total Revenue Sterling	£18,664 17 1
B. ROBINSON, P. T. Treasurer, St. John, October 8, 1842.	

Melancholy Accident.—A child about four years of age was burnt so severely on Monday week, that it died in consequence. The parents, whose name is Blake, reside near St. Paul's church, were out digging potatoes, and left the child in the house. They were alarmed at its screams, and on proceeding to their dwelling found the child enveloped in flame. Medical assistance was immediately procured, but the injuries received were so

great, that it died in about three hours after the accident.

We understand there is an opinion abroad, that a charge is made for the insertion of marriages and deaths. Such is not the case, they are published gratuitously. There have been a number of deaths during the week, and the above may account for our not receiving a notice of the same.

PASSENGERS in the Steamer Saint George, on Saturday—James Pordie, James White, Mr Macdonald, Mrs Macdonald, Miss Macdonald, Mr Walsh, Mr Pagrall, and Six in the Steerage.

MARRIAGES.

At New Bandon, County of Gloucester, on the 20th ult. by Benjamin Dawson, Esq. Thomas Henry Forbes, to Miss Ann Hiee.

At Buctouche, on Thursday the 20th October, by John Bowser, Esq. Commissioner for Solemnizing Marriages, Mr Edward Mabson, to Miss Mary Turner, both of that place.

DEATHS.

At Chatham, on Wednesday morning last, Elizabeth Helen youngest child of James A. Pierce, aged 2 years and 6 months.

SHIP NEWS.

PORT OF MIRAMICHI.

Arrived.

October 26—Brig Mary Ann, Howe, Biddeford, 28 days—J. Cunard & co; schr Marine, Landry, Carapet, 5 days—Master, schr Babet, Babil, Quebec, 6 days—Gilmour, Rankin & co.

27—Schr Charlotte, Gavin, P. E. Island, 6 days—Master: Robert, Webber, do, 2 days—Master.

28—schr Sarah Clarke, do, 4 days—Master; barque Cruickson Castle, McMillan, Halifax, 7 days—J. Cunard & co; schr Moscow, Coulson, Quebec, 8 days—Sundries.

31—Schr Jane, Hardy, P. E. Island, 3 days—Master: brig Thomas Hanford, Herbert, Cork, 30 days—J. T. Williston, schr H. C. D. Carman, McKay, P. E. Island, 4 days—Master—Steamer St. George, Mathewson, do, 1 day—Master.

Cleared.

October 25—Schr New London, Pickering, P. E. Island. 26—barque Hibernia, Boyd, London; barques Florence, Mageau, Plymouth; Faside, White, London. 27—Schr Charlotte, Gavin, P. E. Island. Lord David, Dugal, Quebec, Victoria, Vincent; do. 28—Brig Robert, Ayton, London. 29—Brig Albion, Leslie, Aberdeen. 31—Steamer St. George, Mathewson, P. E. Island, barque Ant, Williams, London.

Halifax, October 17, arid, schr Seaflower, Robicheaux, Bay Chaleur. Cleared, October 20, schrs Curlew, Eison, Dalhousie; Siberia, Watt, Miramichi. 23rd, schr Defiance, Carrie, Miramichi.

BY YESTERDAY'S MAIL.

New Brunswick.—The St. John Herald of Friday last contains the following paragraph:

We learn that His Excellency the Lieutenant Governor, has been informed from pretty good quarters that he would gain nothing by a dissolution of the present House of Assembly—but, on the contrary, there would be a large majority returned opposed to his measures. It is therefore a matter of much doubt whether there will be a new election before another sitting of the House, as we feel satisfied his Excellency would not be justified in hazarding an uncertainty for what he thinks may be more certain.

Bad Times in Demerara.—From the Bermudian we learn that an unprecedented failure has occurred in the Sugar crops the last season. The whole commercial prospects of the Colony are shrouded in gloom. It has recently fallen step after step with disorder distress, and lastly Bankruptcy. No one prospect of improvement having transpired since the great commercial distress which was experienced 18 months since. This fine Colony has suffered a transition from the very scene of prosperity to the lowest depths of distress. How evanescent and transient are all sublimity things.

Brock's Monument.—The Niagara Chronicle says that on the 30th ult. a deputation of Colonels, and other Militia officers, headed by Sir Allan McNab, waited upon the Governor General, Sir Charles Bagot, requesting him to recommend to the Assembly that a Grant might pass for the completion of the monument to the departed Hero. When

His Excellency was pleased to reply verbally, that he should feel much pleasure in making the recommendation to the Legislature.

The papers state that the fine steam ship North America, owned by Mr. J. Whitney, and running as a packet between St. John and Boston, was nearly destroyed by fire at the Long Wharf, Boston, on the night of the 21st ult. The loss is estimated at about \$2,000, which it is stated, is covered by insurance.

The young men of St. John have got up a Theatrical Corps; the first performance took place on Thursday last, and the acting is highly spoken of. All the profits are to be devoted to charitable purposes.

His Excellency the Lieutenant Governor has paid a hasty visit to the county of Charlotte, where he was received with every demonstration of respect, befitting the representative of the Sovereign.

Nova Scotia.—Halifax papers announce the death of the honorable S. Blowers, at the advanced age of 100; formerly Chief Justice of that Province. At a meeting of the members of the legal profession, it was unanimously resolved, that they should attend his funeral in a body, and that a crape be worn by the members of the Bench and Bar, for one month.

The Steamer Bangor arrived at Fayal from Pictou, in 10 days, and intended after a stoppage of two days, to proceed to Constantinople, calling at Gibraltar and Malta.

United States.—New York and Boston papers state, that a tremendous gale occurred on the southern coast, on the 5th ult., by which a number of vessels were wrecked.

American papers give an account of a vessel being destroyed by fire, at sea, on the 6th ult. She is supposed to be the Royal West India Mail Steamer, Solway, which left the Balize for Vera Cruz. When first seen by the vessel which reports the circumstance, a bark was seen bearing away from the burning vessel, which it was supposed took on board the passengers and crew.

Flour was selling at Quebec at 24s. cash, and 25s. on time, per barrel.

ECCLIASTICAL INTELLIGENCE.—The congregation of St. Paul's Church, Fredericton, have given a most harmonious call to the Rev. John M. Brooke, of New Richmond, Lower Canada, to become their Pastor; and we are glad to understand that the Rev. Gentleman has expressed his acceptance thereof. Mr Brooke is a tried and an approved minister of the Gospel, having laboured for several years with great talent, fidelity, and acceptance among the people of his present charge—and while we sympathize with them in the loss which they will sustain by his removal from them, we cannot but congratulate our christian brethren at Head Quarters in the prospect of having such a man to break among them the bread of life.

NOTICE.—The Subscriber begs leave to return thanks to his friends and the public in general, for the liberal support he has received during the period he has been in business, and as he expects to be from home for a time, he wishes all to whom he is indebted to render their accounts, and also expects all who are indebted to him to call and make immediate payment to his Son, Joseph M. Dutton, who is duly authorized to conduct his business during his absence.

JOSEPH DUTTON.

September 16, 1842.

TO LET.—weekly—Four SMALL DWELLINGS, with Cooking Stoves. Apply as above.

Notice.

All persons having just demands against the Estate of NOAH McLEUR, late of North Esk, in the county of Northumberland, Yeoman, deceased, are requested to render the same duly attested, within three months from this date, at the office of Messrs Street & Kerr; and all persons indebted to the said Estate, are requested to make immediate payment to the said Street & Kerr.

ALEX. SIMPSON, Executor.

North Esk, 31st August, 1842.

BUOYS!

TENDERS will be received at the Store of the Subscriber, on or before ONE O'CLOCK, P. M. on the 15th November next, for RAISING the BUOYS in the River and Bay of Miramichi.

LEONARD HAWBOLT,

Commissioner.

October 24, 1842.

To Let,

And immediate Possession given, The SHOP and HOUSE adjoining, lately occupied by Mr Vary, as a Book Store, situated in the Town of Chatham. The above premises will be let at a reduced rent. Apply at the Gleaner Office. Chatham, October 15, 1842.

Notice.

The Subscriber being about to leave Miramichi, hereby informs those persons who have Watches or other articles in his possession, that they may obtain them by applying to Mr John Hea.

CHAS. J. WOLHAUPTER.

Chatham, 6th October, 1842.

Wanted.

A TEACHER for the Parish School, at Douglastown, capable of communicating instruction in Reading, Writing, Arithmetic, English Grammar, and Geography. Satisfactory testimonials as to moral character will be required.

Wanted also—a Teacher for the Parish School No. 1, in the Town of Newcastle.

Application to be made to

JAMES SOUTER,

ALEX. GODDFELLOW,

CHRISTOPHER WISHART

August 26, 1842.

NOTICE.

Messrs. JOHNSTON & CAIE, of Chatham, Miramichi, Merchants, having by Indenture bearing date the 27th day of June, instant, assigned and made over to the Subscribers all their Real and Personal Estate, Debts and Effects; also all their interest in the Tanning and Currying Business, carried on in Chatham, under the firm or title of Johnstons & Co., for the benefit of their creditors.

The Subscribers hereby give notice to all the creditors of the said Johnston & Caie, residing in America, that they are required to execute the said Trust Deed, within Four Months from the date thereof; and to the creditors of the said Firm, residing in Great Britain, or Ireland, that there are required to execute the same within Six Months from the date hereof, otherwise they will be excluded the benefit of the said Trust. The said Deed is now lying for signature at the Office of Mr James Johnson, in Chatham.

JAMES JOHNSON,

WM. MACKENZIE,

GAVIN RAINNIE.

Miramichi, 28th June, 1842.

NOTICE.

All persons indebted to Messrs. JOHNSTON & CAIE, of Miramichi, Merchants, are hereby requested to make payment forthwith at the Office of Mr. James Johnson, in Chatham.

James Johnson,

William Mackenzie,

Gavin Raimie.

Chatham, 4th July, 1842.

Winter seed Wheat.

The Subscribers daily expect from New York, a quantity of superior Ganesco.

White Winter Seed Wheat,

a trial of which they recommend to the farming community. To be had on reasonable terms at their Stores in Douglastown and Chatham.

GILMOUR, RANKIN & CO.

Miramichi, 10th September, 1842.

Notice.

In Possession of the Subscriber, in the Parish of Blackville, since August last—3 Strayed Cattle, viz—1 Cow and 2 Heifers. The owner can have the same by proving property and paying expenses.

J. T. DONALDSON.

Renous River, Blackville,

October 18, 1842.

CAUTION.

The Public are hereby cautioned against Trusting any of the CREW of the Ship THOMAS GELSTON, without a written order from me, as I will not be accountable for the same.

JOHN BULLA, Master.

Chatham, October 25, 1842.

NOTICE.—All persons having any just demands against the Estate of BARNEY EGAN, late of Newcastle, in the County of Northumberland, are requested to render their accounts duly attested to Edward Williston, Esquire, Solicitor, within three months from the date hereof; and all persons indebted to the said Estate, will make payment either to the said Solicitor, or the Subscribers.

MICHAEL EGAN, } Executors.

THOMAS EGAN, }

Newcastle, 26th September, 1842.