

Saturday's Edition.

SATURDAY AFTERNOON, AUGUST 5.

Mail by the St. George:

The Steamer St. George arrived this morning about eight o'clock. Halifax papers as late as Tuesday last, were received by her.

P. E. ISLAND.—The papers from the Island, give a very flattering account of the crops, which are represented as promising a rich harvest.

Charlottetown Gazette, August 1. An occurrence of a very melancholy nature took place last week, which resulted in the sudden death of Mr. John H. White, of this town, where he has resided for the last fourteen years.

The circumstances are nearly as follows:—It appears that the deceased some years ago purchased a Sloop, which he expected to turn to his advantage, by selling her as a pleasure Yacht to some gentleman of fortune. This speculation however did not succeed, and the vessel was laid on his hands.

Halifax, and supplied with provisions. The boat was then taken to the water side, and on similar excursions—sometimes going himself as master. About a fortnight ago, he contracted to take a Sloop from Charlottetown to the River on the North side of the island, and he put to sea on Monday the 24th ult.

Charlottetown Herald, July 28. A CONFLICT WITH THREE BEARS. A few days ago, Peter Macphee, residing at Big Pond, was informed by one of his boys that he had just seen three bears, a large one and two small ones, in the woods near his premises.

Halifax.—Dr. Collyer, it appears, has signally failed in making converts to the Mesmeric system. The Morning Herald of Monday, gives the following closing scene at the Doctor's lecture:—

mesmerized, and after 22 minutes trial, he retired, fully convincing the audience of the Doctor's want of skill, or the humbug of Mesmerism! At this stage of the proceedings, a number of gentlemen, who attended nightly, for the purpose of satisfying themselves, of the truth of the science, began to express their dissatisfaction, for the doctor had been promising ever since the second night he lectured in this city, to enter upon the subject of Clairvoyance, which, from some cause best known to himself, he did not comply with.

Halifax Herald, July 31. The Gas Company, are putting down the pipes in all the upper streets, so we may soon expect to see the whole city, from the citadel on the water side, and from the dock yard to the engineer yard, lighted with gas.

Mail by Kelly's Stage. The mail by Kelly's Stage was received at the Post Office in Chatham, about 5 o'clock last evening.

Montreal Courier, July 24. American Sympathy and Irish Repeal.—We beg to draw the attention of Irishmen in this city to the following article, taken from the New York Journal of Commerce.

Under the head "mysterious," the Kingston Statesmen has the following paragraph:— MYSTERIOUS. It is currently reported in circles likely to be well informed on the subject, that some sad crimes, forgeries and defalcations have been discovered in some of the public offices!

St. John New Brunswick, August 1. THE LATE FIRE.—In our last, we had the unpleasant duty of recording, in a very hasty manner another calamitous fire, which broke out on Saturday morning, and spread with the most alarming rapidity.

LATER FROM CHINA.—By the arrival at New York of the ship Horatio, dates from China to the 12th of April, fifteen days later, have been received, but we have nothing new. Freights were low and an influx of Cotton Manufactures from England was looked for.

It appears from discoveries made at Liverpool that the recent conflagrations in that town, have been the work of a band of diabolical incendiaries.

The Wesleyans educate 18,533 day scholars in England and Wales, and 374,611 Sunday scholars.

Nine persons escaped from London (Canada) jail on the 13th inst. In effecting their escape, they had to break through the grated doors of three separate cells, and destroyed ten very substantial locks, and even bars of iron, previous to arriving at the last door, which led them to the hall of the court house.

Boston Notion, July 29.

FRIGHTFUL OUTRAGE IN PHILADELPHIA.—DESPERATE CONDUCT.—The Philadelphia Gazette of Tuesday evening says—Last night about 9 o'clock, a large mob of men came into the vicinity of Sixth and Shippen street, as is supposed, to attack the members and apparatus of the Hope engine company.

FIRE AT COPENHAGEN.—The great fire on June 29th, was as extensive as that caused by the bombardment of the British in 1807. It commenced at 9 o'clock in the evening in one of the immense store houses of Jacques Holm & Son, and burned several buildings adjacent.

The damage was estimated at two million six hundred thousand or five million francs, a fifth part of which was covered by insurance.

Thirty two firemen and soldiers were wounded or less severely; seven firemen and five soldiers were killed.

ENGLISH NEWS!—A gentleman who came passenger in the St. George, informs us that the steamer Acadia, with the second July mail, arrived at Halifax on the afternoon of Monday last.

He states that he saw in the possession of a Gentleman who arrived in the coach at Pictou, on Tuesday evening, a Slip printed at the office of the Morning Post, in Halifax, on Tuesday morning, which contained a summary of the news. He did not see anything of special importance.

How is it that the Halifax Times—bearing date Tuesday morning, makes no mention of the arrival of the Acadia on the previous afternoon?

NEW POTATOES have been offered for sale in our market during the week.

QUERY.—Will the Editor of the Gleaner be good enough to inform me, as well as the public, whether any person holding a Government situation, can make assertions reflecting on the Executive, and at the same time retain office?

In answer to the above, we refer our correspondent to the famous Despatch of Lord John Russell, to Sir John Harvey, commonly styled "the Russell Purge," and published by Sir John, with explanatory notes in a "Circular Memorandum."

SALMON FISHERY.—We understand not over one half the Salmon have been taken this season, compared with last year's catch.

CARD.—On Saturday, August 5, JOHN G. MARSHALL, Esq. late Judge of Cape-Breton, will deliver a LECTURE on TEMPERANCE, in the Methodist Chapel in Chatham, at seven o'clock in the evening.

CARD.—Mr. Kelly notifies the public that his Stage regularly runs once a week between Fredericton and Newcastle. Persons wishing to take passage, are requested to book their names at the store of Mr. Thompson, in Chatham.

Notice: The Assessors of Taxes for the Parish of Chatham, will meet for the purpose of making the ASSESSMENT on MONDAY, the 14th August next, at the Office of Mr. James Johnson. Those persons who are desirous of handing a STATEMENT of their Income and Property liable to Taxation according to Law, will govern themselves accordingly.

Marriages.

At Point Le Lemne, Restigouche, on the 12th July, by the Rev. James Steven, JAMES M'CURDY, to MARGERET LONGWELL.

At New Richmond, Canada, on the 3rd inst, by the Rev. George McDonnell, Mr WILLIAM HOWATSON, to Miss LILLIAS FAIRSERVICE, both of New Richmond.

Deaths:

At Campbellton, Restigouche, on the 3rd July, SARAH CAMPBELL, wife of Mr Laughlin Sinclair, aged 35 years, a native of Glenelg, Inverness, Scotland, who has left a husband and six children to mourn their loss.

Near Campbellton, Restigouche, Mrs GERARD, aged 66 years.

Shipping Intelligence.

Port of Miramichi:

ARRIVED: July 28, schr. Elizabeth, Harding, Halifax, 7 days—Master.

July 29, brig Sylph, Pyle, Sunderland, 58 days—J. Cunard & Co: schr. Prudent, Billingsley, Quebec, 14 days—Master: brig Union, William, Milford, 42 days—Crane & Allison, schr. Albion, Steer, Newfoundland, 9 days—Gilmour, Rankin & Co.

August 1, brig Medora, Stewart, Algiers, 62 days—do.

August 3, schr. Dolphin, O'Brien, Newfoundland, 10 days—J. Cunard & Co.

August 4, schr. Caledonia, Pillman, Saint Peters, 7 days—Master.

CLEARED—July 22, Nymph, Newfoundland; Fame, Thompson, P. E. Island. 25, Mentor, Forster, Blythe. 26, Canou, Cockburn, Newcastle. 27, Wear, Bell, do; Emma, Feltham, Newfoundland; Lady Harvey, McDonald, do; Oxford, Burns, Port Glasgow; Pearl, Hall, Newfoundland; Elizabeth, McKay, P. E. Island. 28, Charlotte Gavin, do; Hippocampi, McDonald, Waterford, 31, Dudk, McCarthy, P. E. Island. August 2, Milo, Weslin, Bristol; Seafower, Muirhead, Newfoundland.

Port of Shippegan:

ARRIVED, on the 29th July, brig Vine, Hunter, Sunderland, 48 days—J. Cunard & Co.

Port of Bathurst:

ARRIVED—July 29, brig Isabella, Reid, Fougard—Ferguson, Rankin, & Co. 31, brig Wm. Reid, Walton, Newfoundland, do.; schr Marine Landry, Miramichi, J. Cunard & Co.

CLEARED—August 1, brig Lord Althorpe, Bristol; schr Lipuam, Miramichi.

NOTICE.

THIS IS TO CERTIFY, that the REPORT in circulation, that I had said, that since the Election, my CROP, CATTLE, and HORSES, had been injured, IS WITHOUT FOUNDATION; as I have not received any damage either to my crop or cattle; and I now deny having said that I had received any damage whatever from any person.

LEWIS MORISON. Chatham, 2nd August, 1843.

W. Y. THOMSON, Saddler, Harness, & Trunk Maker.

Having commenced Business in Chatham, in the Shop adjoining the Office of George Kerr, Esq., will be THANKFUL for any Orders in his Line; which will be executed PROMPTLY, and on reasonable terms. Chatham, August 3, 1843.

Wanted!

A MILLER—capable of taking charge and conducting a Flour and Oat Mill: a single man would be preferred, and references will be required.

Also—A MILLER for a mill with two run of Flour Stones. For information apply at the Gleaner Office. August 4, 1843.

NOTICE.—The Subscriber begs to inform his customers who reside at a distance and who may have WATCHES, or other property in his hands, that he intends to remove from Miramichi in the course of this Summer.

WM N. VENNING, Newcastle, July 7, 1842.

CENTRAL FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY NEW BRUNSWICK.

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

Thomas H. Peters, John Wright, William Abrams, Michael Samuel, Chas. J. Peters, Jun., J. A. Street. Requires.

AGENTS. At Newcastle, A.A. DAVIDSON, Esq. Chatham, GEORGE KERR, Esq. Bathurst, WM STEVENS, Esq. Dalhousie, D. STEWART, Esq.

Card.

The Subscriber has removed from Dalhousie, to Newcastle, Miramichi, and has taken the Office lately occupied by C. A. HARDING, Esq., Newcastle. THEOPHILUS DESBRISAY, Jr., Barrister & Attorney at Law, & Notary Public.