

Colonial News.

Nova-Scotia.

Halifax Royal Gazette, July 13. THE COLUMBIA.—This once noble vessel has been reported a total wreck. At last accounts she lay on the rocks, broken, and liable to go to pieces in any commotion of the waves. Heartily do we join in the general regret at this disaster.

The passengers who landed on Seal Island, held some deliberative meeting respecting expression of opinion, and management of affairs. At these several resolutions were passed. They addressed, by letter, the captain of the steamer, Neil Shannon, Esq. The addressers stated, that they acquitted the captain of all responsibility and blame, respecting the wreck, as they had learned the conditions on which the Columbia was navigated between Boston and Halifax; they thanked the captain for the mode in which he had performed his duty, and the care which he had bestowed on the welfare of the passengers;—they expressed general sympathy and respect, and warm wishes for his prosperity and happiness.—The passengers also prepared an address to the commissioners of Light Houses, in which they speak, in high terms of praise, respecting the conduct of Mr. Hitchings, Light House Keeper, and Mr. Crowell, and their families, residents on Seal Island, who made strenuous exertions for the safety and comfort of those who were thrown on their hospitality.

While in Halifax the passengers presented a complimentary letter to the Hon. S. Cunard for his exertions on their behalf. Suitable answers were returned.

Thanks for escape, and prayers for the future safety of the passengers, were offered in some of the churches of the city on Sunday.

The Margaret, Steamship, with part of the passengers and the Mails, left Halifax, for Liverpool, on Sunday afternoon.

Eighteen of the Columbia's passengers wait the departure of the Hibernia.

MILITARY AND NAVAL.—The illustrious sailed on Monday forenoon, for Quebec. Her appearance well became her name as she glided gently down the harbour. The Alert got under way, about the same time, for England, with part of the 64th Regiment. The Dee, same destination, sailed on Tuesday, with Artillery, and Sappers and Miners. The Tweed sailed on Tuesday, on a cruise. H. M. Schooner, Fair Rosamond, sailed on Saturday, along the eastern shore, having the Bishop of Nova Scotia on board.

ARRIVAL OF TROOPS.—The Transport William Bromham arrived last evening, from Portsmouth: She brings 63 men of the Rifle Brigade, and 21 of the 52nd Infantry.

From the Halifax Times. JAMAICA.—Dates from Jamaica to the 13th ult. were received on Friday last. They contain the melancholy intelligence of the death of the Countess of Elgin, the lady of the Earl of Elgin, Governor of Jamaica, in child birth, on the 7th ult.—the infant, a daughter, survived its birth but a brief period. Her Ladyship was only 22 years of age. Business was suspended in Kingston from the time of Her Ladyship's decease, until the interment, which took place at Spanish Town, was over.

Intelligence from St. Jago de Cuba, received at Jamaica, states that the slave trade had resumed all its former activity—the Lieutenant Governor of Matanzas was openly supporting it—the equipment of slavers was going on under his eye—and cargoes of slaves had been landed upon the coast without any preventive steps being taken. The Captain General, it is stated, was resolved to allow the trade to take its course, and he had not been supported by the home government in the measures he had taken to put an end to such iniquitous traffic.

SICKNESS AT PORT-AU-PRINCE.—Capt. Paxton of the Pandora, arrived at Boston, who left Port-au-Prince on the 13th June, reports it very sickly there.—Almost every vessel in port had lost a portion of its crew by yellow fever. The British Consul died a few days before the Pandora sailed.

Halifax Herald, July 12. MESSENGER OF DEATH.—The New Jersey locusts, according to the Newark Eagle, are inflicting wounds which prove mortal to those bit by them. We have heard says the editor, within a few days of as many as six deaths occasioned by the sting of these noiseless locusts. A child died in this city last week, after a few days illness, having been stung on the arm by one with which it had been playing.

New-Brunswick.

St. Andrews Standard, July 13. THE WEST INDIA TRADE.—We regret to learn that in consequence of Lumber being allowed to be carried from the United States to the West Indies on the same footing as from British American Colonies, that a number of vessels loading for the West Indies enter and clear on the American side—where we are informed it only costs about \$12 Port Charges, by which means our vessels avoid paying light-money, Hospital money and other Charges, which makes a serious difference in their port charges, besides their purchasing their Provisions and small stores much cheaper than they could on this side of the water; and should the Export Duty law go into effect they will avoid paying the shilling per M. duty.

PORT AU PRINCE.—We learn from the American papers that the British Consul at the above port died on the 11th ult. It is said to have been very unhealthy.

Gleaner Office, Friday,

POSTSCRIPT.—12 o'clock. Kelly's Stage has just arrived. From the Head Quarters office we obtained a supplement, announcing the arrival at Halifax, of the steamer Caledonia, on Sunday morning last, with the first July mail. We do not perceive anything of moment in the intelligence thus procured. Peace reigned throughout Ireland.

The Repeal question still continues to be agitated Ireland, and every meeting seems larger than the previous ones, as will be seen on reference to the Irish news. As an evidence that no outbreak is expected by the Government, the London Globe of the 3d instant mentions the recall of 400 troops from Ireland, to be stationed in Plymouth.

From India we have late news, by which it appears that Sir Charles Napier has more work to perform before he subdues the warlike Belooches.

Shipping Intelligence.

Port of Shippegan:

ARRIVED, July 9—barque Bolton Abbey, Mason, Liverpool, 38 days—J. Cunard & Co. 19th—brig Jane Alice, Stewart, Sunderland, 40 days—do.

CLEARED, barque New Eagle, Lowes, Falmouth; brigs Monarch, James, Lancashire; Victoria, Walsh, Preston.

By 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.

Chatham, 15th July, 1843.

To Dr. Cotton, Dear Sir,—I should be wanting in gratitude to you, and guilty of a crime to the public, were I to withhold my testimony of the good effects of your Cottonian Novator. I was, for thirteen years, in a fearful situation, tortured night and day with violent Rheumatic pains in my legs and thighs, for which every remedy that could be prescribed by the most eminent physicians was tried, but to no purpose. The result is, I am now as free from pain as any man in the world.

THOMAS MORAN.

Witness—Alexander Mitchell.

To Dr. Cotton, Sir,—This is to certify that I have been for ten years past subject to severe attacks of Inflammatory Rheumatism in my arms and legs, so that at times I was unable to dress myself without assistance. I have been attended by Doctors on board of a man of war, who put me under a course of Mercury, and tried several means, but to no effect. Hearing of your Cottonian Novator, I tried it; and, thanks be to God, I am as free from pain as any man in Chatham.

I am employed by John M. Johnson, Junior, Esq., Advocate, where persons wishing to satisfy themselves by personal inquiry, can do so by calling on me. JOHN HEY. Chatham, 19th July 1843

LOST.

STOLEN OR STRAYED from the premises of the Subscriber about the first June, an Iron Grey, or Roan Colored HORSE, with a square docked tail. Any person who will give such information to Messrs. J. Cunard, & Co., at Kouchibouguac, or to the Subscriber, as may lead to his recovery, will be suitably rewarded. BENJAMIN STEPHENS. Kouchibouguac, July 19, 1843.

Steamer ST. GEORGE.

The above Steamer will ply as follows until further notice:

Leaving Miramichi every MONDAY, at TWO o'clock, P. M., for Charlotte-Town.

Leaving Charlotte-Town for Pictou, every Tuesday, immediately after her arrival at Charlotte-Town.

Leaving Pictou for Charlotte-Town, every Wednesday, at noon. Leaving Charlotte-Town for Miramichi, every FRIDAY, at 8 o'clock, A. M.: Calling at Bedeque every alternate week after this date—going and returning.

Persons wishing to ship by this Vessel, are particularly requested to leave their Entries for the Custom House early on the Monday morning with the Subscriber; and Passengers are requested to book themselves at the Subscriber's Office. JAMES JOHNSON. Chatham, 10th May, 1842.

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.

NOTICE.—Whereas my Wife MARY, has left my Bed and Board without any legal cause, I forbid any person or persons from harbouring or crediting her on my account, as I will not pay any Debts of her contracting. JOHN WEAVER. Blissfield, June 30, 1843.

Notice is hereby given, That Mr JOHN ROBINSON has been appointed a DEPUTY SHERIFF for this County. J. M. JOHNSON, Sheriff of Northumberland. Sheriff's Office, 1st May, 1843

Public Notice!

Having received Her Majesty's Writ for the Election of a Member

to serve in the General Assembly of this Province, to fill the vacancy in the representation of the County of Northumberland:

Notice is hereby given, that the said Election will commence at the Court House, in Newcastle, ON MONDAY the Seventeenth day of July, instant, at NINE O'CLOCK in the forenoon, and in case a Poll be demanded from and after the first day, will open at nine o'clock, A. M., and be held at the following places, viz: On Tuesday, 18th July, at Lower Neguac.

Thursday, 20th do., at Bay du Vin, near Williston's.

Friday, 21st do., in the Town of Chatham.

Saturday, 22nd do., in North Esk, near Cuppage's.

Monday, 24th do., at Bartholomew's River, near M'Laggan's.

Tuesday, 25th do., near Robert Doak's residence, Blissfield.

And on Thursday, 27th July, will open at 8 o'clock, A. M., at the Court House, Newcastle.

JOHN M. JOHNSON, Sheriff of Northumberland, Sheriff's Office, Miramichi, 1st July, 1843.

New Store & New Goods!

Imported by John Fraser & Co., Per the Importer, from London and Liverpool, and NOW OPENING in the Store lately occupied by Mr. OWEN M'EWEN, Commercial Building, a GENERAL ASSORTMENT of

Haberdashery and Drapery, Which will be Sold on very favourable terms for CASH ONLY.

The STOCK comprises Mousseline De Laine in dresses and pieces, new set patterns; fancy and London PRINTS; Tescany and Donsable BONNETS, Princess shapes and of superior quality; Lancashire and real WELSH FLANNELS; Scotch Cambrics and Lawns for ladies' pocket Hdkfs. An elegant assortment of Gauze, Satin, and Latesting RIBBONS; GLOVES, Lace and Kid; HOSE, white and black, cotton and Lace do., children's Socks brown and black Holland, unfinished do., an excellent article for children's wear; Fleecy Lined Cotton for summer Drawers; Albert and Peel mixtures for summer Coats and Trowsers, stout grey and white Calico, 4-4 and 8-4 do. and Sheeting; color'd Sateens for children's Dresses; Umbrellas, Quilling, Paris Blonde and Whisker Blonde, Netts, Laces, &c. &c. Also expected in a few days, from Halifax, a SUPPLY of

WEST INDIA PRODUCE,

Which has been purchased personally on favorable terms,—with a general assortment of GROCERY GOODS. The Drapery Goods will be open for inspection on Monday next. Chatham, June 3, 1843.

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. } Esquires.

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

The subscribers have this day entered into Copartnership as ATTORNEYS at LAW, and will in future carry on their professional business at Mr. Street's Office, Newcastle, under the firm of STREET and DAVIDSON. J. A. STREET. ALLAN A. DAVIDSON, Miramichi, May 2 1843.

Carding Mill!

The Subscriber having been appointed AGENT for Mr STEPHEN WRIGHT, of Bedeque, Prince Edward Island, will RECEIVE and FORWARD any parcels of WOOL intended for CARDING, by the Steamer ST. GEORGE, which vessel calls there once a fortnight. The charge for Carding THREE PENCE per pound on the Wool returned. The Wool to be at the risk of the owner. Punctuality may be relied on, and Mr. Wright will attend to the Shipping of the various packages at Bedeque. JAMES JOHNSON. Chatham, 22nd June, 1843.

WANTED!

FOUR SHIP MASTERS to take charge of New Vessels, immediately. TWENTY RIGGERS for the season.

FOUR MOULDERS, TWO FITTERS UP, and TWO TIN and COPPER SMITHS for the Chatham Foundry.

JOBS will be given to Ship Carpenters on Vessels now building at Bathurst, Chatham, and Kouchibouguac.

HOUSES, with Land attached will be provided for men having Families, at moderate rents Apply to

J. CUNARD & Co Chatham, April 29, 1843.

Cheap Summer Goods

AT THE Store opposite the Royal Hotel.

John Macdougall,

Has received by recent arrivals, his SPRING IMPORTATIONS, which have been selected with particular care, and consist of—children & ladies' Tuscan, Devon, Rice & Caledonia BONNETS; a very choice assortment of Ribbons, silk & gauze Hdkfs and Bandannas; children and ladies' gingham, chine, and silk Parasols; lace mitts & gloves; Hosiery; children and ladies' white and color'd Stays; black & fancy color'd Aprons; youth & gentlemen's Navy Caps; fancy prints, white & grey Cottons; twill'd regatta Shirting, muslins, Orleans Cloth; table cloths, plaid gingham, dress plaid, moleskin, cantoon, plaid and fancy Vests; moleskin, cantoon, & flushing Trowsers; children and ladies' satinette boots and shoes.

Also—bright Porto Rico SUGAR, Molasses, Tea, Coffee, Martell's Brandy, Geneva, Jamaica, & Demerara RUM; port and sherry Wines, Peppermint, Shrub, Canada FLOUR, Cheese, split Peas, Rice, picnic Crackers, Figs, Raisins, Confections, Glasgow and Liverpool Soap, Candles; Cavendish, fig & twist Tobacco; Sauff; cloth, hair, shaving, and crumb Brushes; shoe thread, indian rubber & liquid Blacking; shoe brushes, wool cards, American buckets, corn brooms, brown Windsor Soap—a very superior article.

The above, and various other articles, he offers for sale for cash or country produce. Chatham, 13th June, 1843.

In the matter of John Jardine

Of Richibucto, in the Province of New Brunswick, and of Liverpool, in the County of Lancaster, England, Merchant, Ship Builder, Ship Owner, Dealer and Chapman, a Bankrupt;

Notice is hereby given, that by Power of Attorney duly executed by Samuel McKean, James Ingram, and James Cazenove, the Assignees of the Estate and Effects of the said John Jardine, chosen and appointed in pursuance of the acts of the Imperial Parliament in force concerning Bankrupts; The Subscriber has been constituted the Attorney of the said assignees, with full authority to act for them in this province, in managing and closing all the affairs of the said Estate that remain unsettled.

He therefore calls upon all persons holding property of the said Bankrupt, to account to him for the same, and all persons owing debts to the Estate to pay the same to him without delay at Richibucto. JOHN MILLER. Dated 29th May, 1843

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.

To Let

The SAWMILL with HOUSE and FARM at French Fort Cove, Newcastle: Also—the HOUSE and FARM at the Point, adjoining thereto. Apply to J. M. JOHNSON. Chatham, 15th April, 1843.

Wesleyan Academy, Sackville, N. B.

Governor and Chaplain—Rev. A. Desbrisay. Principal—Rev. Humphrey Pickard, A. M. Mathematical Tutor and Lecturer on Chemistry, &c.—

English Master—Thomas W. Wood, Esquire. French Tutor—Mr Joseph R. Hea.

Agent—Rev. S. D. Rice. Treasurer—Charles F. Allison, Esquire.

Committee—Rev. Messrs. Temple, Knight, Wood, McLeod, and C. E. Allison, Esq.

The Course of Study will be extensive, systematic, and thorough, including English Grammar, Geography, Arithmetic, Mathematics, pure and mixed, Natural Science, Morals, and Intellectual Philosophy and Belles Lettres, the French Language, and the Classics.

TERMS: For the Academical Year of Forty three weeks, For Board, Washing, Fuel, Lights, &c., and Tuition in the Common } £25 0 0

English Studies, Additional charges will be made for Tuition in the higher Studies, but the expense for Board, Tuition, &c will in no case exceed } £30 0 0

Ten shillings per week, additional, will be charged to any who may remain during the Vacations.

£7 10s N B currency, must be paid in advance, when the Pupil enters the Institution.

The Institution will be opened with appropriate religious and literary exercises, Thursday, June 29th, when the first Term of the Academical year will begin.

Persons who may intend to place Pupils in the Institution, are requested to intimate that intention as soon as possible to the Treasurer, C. F. Allison, Esquire, Sackville, and to send the Pupils, if possible, at the beginning of the Term.

* * Books and STATIONARY, such as will be required by the Students, may be purchased at the Academy. June 3, 1843.