

particulars of another conspiracy, which has been detected in that unhappy country. The alleged object of this attempt was the assassination of Gen. Narvez and of his chief lieutenant, the Baron de Meer, now Captain General of Catalonia. The plot is so arranged that the attempt should be made simultaneously at Barcelona and Madrid, but in both cases the assassins were unsuccessful. General Narvez was apprised of their intention and eluded the attack, while the Baron de Meer owed his escape to the indecision of the conspirators. Circumstances, however, have created an impression the assassination of the Ministers was never contemplated and that the affair was arranged by Gen. Narvez himself, as a means of arresting certain suspected parties. The real facts probably will never be rescued from the darkness which surrounds the intrigues of Spanish politics, but the feelings of the Ministry have been shown by the arrest of Col. Prim and other parties supposed to have held treasonable correspondence with Espartero. Col. Prim is well known to have taken an active part in the overthrow of the Ex-Regent, but letters are said to have been found upon him, in which he expresses his regret at the part he had taken in upsetting the Government of Espartero, and bringing back the Moderados, seeing that the use they had made of power was to destroy the constitution and liberties of the country. A council of War had been summoned to try Col. Prim, and it was generally believed that his fate would be a counterpart of that of Diego Leon. The parties arrested at Barcelona, have undergone a summary trial, and several have already been shot. The Chamber of Deputies have given a decisive proof that they will adopt the Ministerial scheme of constitutional reform, by rejecting the amendment of M. Isturitz, by a majority of 98; and have formally excluded Don Carlos and his family from all chance of reaching the throne by means of an alliance with the Queen. The intelligence of the departure of Espartero from London has caused some sensation in the Spanish capital. Orders have been dispatched to all the authorities, both on the land and sea frontier, to use every exertion to prevent his entering the country. The Barcelona journals of the 26th ult. state, that more than 30 individuals had been arrested during the riots of the night of the 27th, and imprisoned in the citadel. An attempt to rescue them had been made by the mob, but successfully resisted by the escort.

Barcelonian journals of the 5th inst. mention the execution, on the preceding day, of Don Antonio St. Just, the son of the unfortunate general who was murdered some years ago in a riot at Malaga. St. Just had been condemned to death for participation in the Centralist conspiracy.

The police of Madrid had discovered a depot of 1800 stand of arms which were awaiting the service of the conspirators.

Pictorial Times, Nov. 9.

Fearful Conflagration at Strathaven.—Forty Houses Destroyed.—On Friday forenoon a fire broke out in the quiet little town of Strathaven, about 16 S.E. of Glasgow, by which upwards of forty houses, with a brewery of tan work, were burned to the ground, nearly one hundred poor families thrown destitute into the street, and the annihilation of the entire town seriously threatened.

The "Galway Vindicator" says, that in consequence of the public attention which has been drawn to the unequalled adaption of Galway to answer as a packet station for British intercourse with America, has ordered her Majesty's war steamer the Cyclops, Capt. Austen, to proceed to this port for the purpose of inspecting the bay, and reporting the result to the Admiralty.

About 5000 acres of Dartmoor have been purchased by a company, who have already fenced and drained part of it, and calculate on letting the whole at 10s. per acre. Hitherto the land has been waste.

We are glad to find that the gallant general Nott, who had been seriously indisposed, is now a good deal better.

The Bayonne journals announce the arrival in that town of the Spanish Vice Admiral Vigodet and Captain Vallerino, on their way to England to superintend the building in this country of some vessels of war for the Spanish Government.

The brigands in Greece are becoming more numerous and daring, and everywhere commit acts of the greatest atrocity. They make frequent excursions from province to province, plundering houses and driving off cattle.

Dr. Wolff.—Murder of Lieut. Wyburd.

—Captain Grover has just received the following letter from the Rev. Dr. Wolff:—

Meshed, the month Shaban 23. My dear Grover.—Not venturing when at Bokhara to keep a journal, I have forgotten the date of the Christian month. After the infamous Nayib Abdool Summut Khan had forced from me the promise to pay him 6000 tillas, I should atter all have been put to death had not Abbas Kulli Khan, the Persian Ambassador, saved me. I am now arrived in Persia, broken down in constitution, robbed of every thing I had, and with a debt of 6000 tillas (£2500), which I am to pay to the brother of Nayib Abdool Summut Khan, who is to accompany me to Teheran. You thought that £4000 might be collected for my mission; if you can now assist me in paying the debt above mentioned to the infamous Nayib, who forced the promise from me surrounded by his guards, well; if not, I shall be obliged to go to prison in Persia. The King has also sent with me an ambassador, who is to go to England, and the Nayib has forced me to promise to pay the expenses of this ambassador out of the money which he advanced to me. That same ambassador has excited the Turcomans of Mero and Sarakhs against us, i.e., against Abbas Kulli Khan and myself, on our way to Meshed, and forced Abbas Kulli Khan to pay him and the other ambassador appointed to Persia 150 tillas in the midst of the desert.

Yours affectionately,

JOSEPH WOLFF.

Meshed.—The above, though dated Meshed, was written at Mostroon. I am now here, and two hours after me arrived your gholam (special courier), Ali Ahmed Beyk. He found me broken down in Mullah Mehdee's house. I only add, that the Nayib wants only the interest of the above money to be paid to his son when of age. The ambassador from Bokhara is also here; he has letters and presents for the Shah, the Sultan and Queen Victoria. The Nayib has settled with the king that I should bear the ambassador's expenses from the money the Nayib expects to be paid back. I am not yet out of danger, but am too confused to explain all now. Mullah Mehdee will do it for me. Lieutenant Wyburd has been murdered at Bokhara.

JOSEPH WOLFF.

Note by Captain Grover.—Lieutenant Wyburd, of the Indian navy, is another diplomatic victim. This talented officer was sent on a secret diplomatic mission to Khiva, in the year 1835, and has never since been heard of. This unfortunate man, it is right to say, was not altogether abandoned to his fate by the British Governments; for, in a letter written to me by direction of Lord Aberdeen, I find it stated that on Colonel Stoddart being sent on his mission to Bokhara, in 1838, he was instructed to enquire about Lieutenant Wyburd. I have not, however, been able to learn that any effort has been made in his behalf since that time.

directed Dr. Wolff to obtain all the information he could concerning this wretched man, and to purchase his freedom should he be in slavery. The doctor says he has been murdered at Bokhara, but it remains to be seen on what evidence that assertion was made. I am advised to relate an interesting circumstance that occurred to me at St. Petersburg, as it will show that the good doctor's mission has not been fruitless. Dr. Wolff had authority to draw upon my private fortune for the ransom of any Christian prisoners he might find at Bokhara. In the first batch he purchased were ten Russians, and this circumstance was fortunately officially known at St. Petersburg before my arrival. A most gracious message was brought to me from the Emperor by the British Minister, expressing his Majesty's thanks, and wish to reimburse me. My reply was, "That I considered it a great honour to have been in any way instrumental in the release of his subjects, and that repayment was quite out of the question." I am glad to take this opportunity to publicly thank his Majesty for his gracious declaration, communicated to me by the British Minister—"That his Majesty would do all in his power for the relief of Dr. Wolff."

JOHN GROVER, Captain Unattached. Army and Navy Club, Nov. 6. 1844.

Death of Dr. Abercrombie.—We are sorry to announce (says the Scottish Herald of Thursday) the sudden demise of this celebrated and philanthropic physician. The deceased was seized with a fit of apoplexy, at his residence in York place, this morning, which proved almost immediately fatal. The loss of Dr. Abercrombie will be deeply and severely felt.

One thousand 32 pounders are casting at the Low Moor Iron Works near Bradford, for the Government.

NOTICE
Is hereby given, that Mr SAMUEL H. NAPIER IS NO LONGER a Deputy Sheriff for this county.

JOHN M. JOHNSON, Sheriff of Northumberland. Miramichi, 13th December, 1844.

NOTICE
The Copartnership heretofore existing between the Subscribers, under the Firm of WILLARD & FISH, is dissolved by mutual consent. All persons having any claims against the said concern, will render the same to the subscriber, Oliver Willard, by whom all the debts are to be paid, and who is also to collect and receive the debts due to the said concern, with the exception of certain debts which have been assigned to the subscriber, Hiram Fish, and of which the parties concerned will receive notice.

OLIVER WILLARD, HIRAM FISH. Newcastle, 25th November, 1844.

The subscriber returns his sincere thanks to his friends and the public, for their liberal support to him while in the above concern; and would beg leave to inform them, that he will continue the business at the old stand, and solicits a continuance of their support.

—On hand, ready for sale—
2,000 sides Sole and Upper LEATHER,
500 CALF SKINS, and all other kinds of Leather,
500 bushels Plaster hair.
Cash paid for Hides and Skins.
OLIVER WILLARD.
Newcastle, 25th November, 1844.

NOTICE—A Meeting of the Directors of the HIGHLAND SOCIETY, of New Brunswick, will take place at Hamill's Hotel, Newcastle, on FRIDAY, the 27th inst., at 12 o'clock, A.M. By order of the President,
NIEL McLEAN, Secretary.
Miramichi, 3th Dec. 1844.

General Agency and Commission Office,
No. 18, CORN-HILL, LONDON,
Opposite the EXCHANGE.

To Merchants, Commercial News Rooms, Libraries, Agricultural Societies, Offices, of the United Services, Printers, Publishers of Newspapers, and Colonists generally. P. L. SIMMONDS, General Agent and Commission Merchant, in offering his services to his friends and the Colonial Public in general, has to acquaint them that he is ready to receive orders for supplies of any kind and quantity, and goods of every description of first rate quality at the very lowest market prices of the day, and to transact business upon the most liberal terms, provided he is previously furnished with funds for draughts, at either long or short dates, or a reference to some London or Liverpool house for payment.

P. L. Simmonds will receive consignments of any description of Merchandise to be sold on commission, and accept bills for two-thirds of the amount, on receipt of the bills of lading. Consignments entrusted to his care will meet with every possible dispatch in their disposal, and sales be conducted with the greatest attention to the interests of the disposer. An extensive knowledge of general business, acquired during a long residence in the West Indies, and subsequent extensive courses of business with all the British colonies, the experience of several years in London as a Colonial Agent, coupled with promptitude, attention, and judgment, will, he trusts, enable him to give satisfaction to those who may favor him with their commands.

N. B.—Parents sending home their children for education, may with confidence entrust them to the care of Mr Simmonds.

For Sale.

The LOT OF LAND lying on the north side of the South West branch of Miramichi River, in the parish of Ludlow, known as the Lot No. 67, granted to Peter Duff, with the whole of the ISLAND No. 21, and the upper part of the Island No. 22, lying in front of the said Lot, the whole containing 180 acres; along the front of which there is a considerable body of INTERVALE. The Property will be sold on reasonable terms.

For further particulars apply at the office of GEORGE KERR, Chatham, 24th October, 1844.

Land for Sale,

The LOT OF LAND, on the North side of Black river, lately owned by John U. Ross, deceased, extending Forty rods in front, and containing 100 Acres. There is a dwelling House and barn on the lot, and it cuts annually eight tons of hay.

The Lower half of the Lot on the South side of Napan, known as the Bowman Lot, extending in front 45 rods and containing 145 Acres, of which from 30 to 40 acres are cleared.

The Upper Half of the Lot lately occupied by John Cockerham, deceased, lying on the South Side of Napan River, with a front of 30 rods, and containing 100 acres, of which, from 8 to 10 acres are cleared.

A Tract of Land lying on the South side of the Little South West, having a front of 120 rods, and containing about 400 acres, of which from 20 to 30 acres is intervale.

For terms and particulars apply at the office of GEORGE KERR, Chatham, Nov. 1, 1844.

To Lend on interest, for 5 years on approved security, the sum of £60. Apply as above.

NEW BRUNSWICK,
County of Northumberland, ss.

[LS] To the Sheriff of the County of Northumberland, or any Constable within the said County—Greeting: Whereas Alexander Key, administrator, and Margaret Key, administratrix, of all and singular the Goods and Chattels, Rights and Credits, which were of PATRICK HENDERSON, late of Chatham, in the county of Northumberland, Merchant, deceased, have represented to me that the personal estate of the said deceased is insufficient to pay the debts due by the said deceased; and have prayed that Licence may issue to authorize them to sell all, or so much of the Real Estate of the said deceased as may be necessary to pay the said debts: You are therefore required to cite the heirs of the said deceased, personally to be and appear before me, at a Court of Probate, to be held at my office, in the parish of Chatham, on Tuesday, the thirty first day of December next, at the hour of eleven of the clock in the forenoon, to shew cause why Licence should not be granted to the said administrator and administratrix, to sell such part of the real estate of the said deceased as may be necessary, towards paying the debts due by the said deceased: and you are further required to cite and require the said administrator and administratrix, and also 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, and make such further order in the matter as shall seem just.

Given under my hand and the seal of the said court, this twenty ninth day of November, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and forty four.
T. H. PETERS, Surrogate.
GEORGE KERR, Register of Probates for said county.

Surrogate Court,
County of Northumberland, Province of New Brunswick, ss.

[LS] To the Sheriff of the county of Northumberland, or any Constable in the said county—Greeting: Whereas ALEXANDER RANKIN, ALEXANDER KEY, and JOHN M. JOHNSON, Executors of the Last Will and Testament of ALEXANDER P. HENDERSON, late of Chatham, in the county aforesaid, Merchant, deceased, have filed an account of their Administration on the Estate of the said deceased, 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 said 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, on Tuesday the 31st day of December next, at eleven of the clock in the forenoon, to attend the passing and allowing of the said account of Administration on the said estate.

Given under my hand, and the seal of the said court, this twenty ninth day of November, 1844.
T. H. PETERS, Surrogate.
GEORGE KERR, Register of Probates.

NOTICE:

A PROMISSORY NOTE drawn by William Hamilton, bearing date, Dalhousie, July 8, 1842, in favor of the undersigned, for Forty Pounds Currency, with interest from date, at five per cent, being left with William McGregor, of Dalhousie, Innkeeper, for safe keeping, who now declines producing it: all persons are hereby cautioned against purchasing the said note, the undersigned never having received value therefor.

JOHN McPHERSON, Dalhousie, November 10, 1844.

FASHIONABLE DANCING.

Mr. McLEAN begs to inform the inhabitants of Miramichi, that he intends opening classes at Newcastle, Chatham, and Douglastown, immediately after the navigation closes, for teaching the above elegant accomplishment.

N. B. Quadrille, Waltz, and Gallopade Parties attended and instructed.
Miramichi, Nov. 16, 1844.
All persons indebted to Phineas Williston & Brothers, are requested to pay the sums they respectively owe, to the subscribers, or to one of them, without delay, otherwise legal steps will be resorted to, to enforce payment.

J. Cunard, M. Samuel, James A. Pierce, Assignees of the Estate of P. Williston and Brothers. Chatham, 22nd November, 1844.

Education

The following are the TERMS of Mrs. REEVES'S SCHOOL, Newcastle, including instruction in Spelling, Reading, Grammar, Geography, History, Biography, Writing, and Arithmetic; also, useful and ornamental Needlework.

For Young Ladies above fourteen years of age, £5 0 0
For do. under fourteen do., 4 0 0
For do. under ten do., 3 0 0
For do. under seven do., 2 0 0
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Ditto for Drawing, per annum, 2 0 0
Newcastle, Oct. 29, 1844.