

THE SEASON.—If "old Winter" was tardy in making his appearance, he has made amends by commencing his reign in right good earnest. The weather during the whole of the week has been excessively cold and boisterous. The river has been fast bound in icy letters for some days, and horses and sleighs are travelling on it in all directions. Thursday was as cold a day, we think, as we ever experienced in the country. Sufficient snow fell on Tuesday night to make good sleighing.

REV. MR. ARCHIBALD.—A late Scotch paper contains the following piece of intelligence, which we have no doubt will be gratifying to the friends of the Rev. Gentleman in this quarter.

"The heritors and kirk-session of New Monkland, vacant by the death of the Rev. Mr. Begg, having resolved to appoint a Minister in accordance with the wishes of the male communicants, the latter met on Monday last, for the purpose of election, and united upon the Rev. Robert Archibald, assistant and successor of A. Kilbarchan, late of Chatham, Miramichi."

PROVINCIAL REVENUE.—The Royal Gazette contains an abstract of the revenue for the quarter ending the 30th September last, from which it appears that the total revenue for that period, amounted to £31,893 10s. 5d, being an increase of £6,692 10s. 5d, over the corresponding quarter of 1844. The following are the sources from whence the revenue were derived.

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| Ordinary Revenue | £12,930 10 3 |
| Export Lumber Duty | 6,057 15 3 |
| Light House Duties | 1,061 16 2 |
| Sick and Disabled Seamen's do. | 535 15 8 |
| Passenger and Emigrant Duty | 194 15 6 |
| The Customs | 7,441 5 3 |
| Loan Fund | 2,234 4 3 |
| Incidental Revenue | 1,419 8 1 |
| Receipts in aid | 18 0 0 |
| | £31,893 10 5 |

DEDICATION OF THE ROMAN CATHOLIC CHAPEL IN FREDERICTON.—The Head Quarters states, that this interesting ceremony was performed last Sunday fortnight, by the Right Rev. Bishop Dollard, assisted by several Clergymen belonging to his Diocese. The morning and evening sermons were preached by the Rev. Mr. Scanlan, to an overflowing audience. The contributions taken up on the occasion amounted to upwards of £46.

ST. STEPHEN'S CHURCH, GLENELG.
At a Meeting of the Trustees of St. Stephen's Church, Glenelg, held on the second day of December, the following Extracts from the Minutes of the Presbytery of Miramichi, were laid on the Table, and a copy of them ordered to be transmitted by the Clerk to the Rev. Mr. McMaster, together with the following notification from the Chairman of Trustees, of his ceasing to be their Minister, viz:

St. Andrew's Church, Chatham, }
12th November, 1845. }
The which day, the Presbytery being met *pro re nata*, and constituted, the Presbytery proceeded to take up the following remit from the Synod of New Brunswick, in reference to the Rev. Angus McMaster, viz:

"St. Andrew's Church, St. John, 11 September, 1845.—The which day the Synod of New Brunswick being met and constituted; *Inter alia* a letter was laid on the table from the Rev. Angus McMaster, addressed to the Moderator, intimating that he had deemed it his duty to withdraw from connexion with the Presbytery of Miramichi, with instructions to confer with Mr. McMaster on the subject, and to dispose of the case according to the laws of the Church."

"Extracted from the Records of the Synod of New Brunswick, by
WM. HENDERSON, Synod Clerk, p. t."

The letter from the Rev. Angus McMaster, addressed to the Moderator of the Synod was laid on the table. The Presbytery then formed itself into a committee of the whole, for the purpose of holding a conference with the Rev. Angus McMaster. After conference, the Presbytery, finding that Mr. McMaster continues in his resolution to withdraw from connexion with the Synod of New Brunswick, express their regret that he should have come to this resolution, order his name to be struck from the roll, and instruct the Clerk to send an extract of this minute to the Chairman of the Trustees of St. Stephen's Church, Glenelg, and to the Moderator of the Presbytery of Miramichi, by which Mr. McMaster was ordained."

Extracted from the Records of the Presbytery of Miramichi, by
WM. HENDERSON, Pres. Clerk.

Mansie, Newcastle, 13th Nov., 1845.
Alex. Fraser, Esq., Chatham Head,
Sir,—I have been requested by the Presbytery of Miramichi, to enclose to you as Chairman of the Trustees of St. Stephen's Church, Glenelg, the enclosed extract from their minutes.
I am, yours truly,
WM. HENDERSON.

Miramichi, 2nd December, 1845.
Reverend Sir,
I had a communication dated 13th ult., from the Presbytery of Miramichi, with extracts of proceedings of Synod of New Brunswick and said Presbytery, relative to your own solicitation in being admitted to resign your communion with these venerable bodies. The Trustees of St. Stephen's Church, Glenelg, where you was inducted as Minister in connexion with the Established Church of Scotland, have had these extracts before them, a copy of which the Clerk was ordered to furnish you with, for your information and government, which you have herewith. In consequence of proceedings of Synod and Presbytery, you cease to be the Minister of St. Stephen's Church, Glenelg, of which circumstance it now becomes my imperative duty to notify you, and declare the Church vacant, that you may govern yourself accordingly, and consider this a sufficient notice.

ALEX. FRASER, JUN., Chairman of the Trustees of St. Stephen's Church, in connexion with the Established Church of Scotland, (Incorporated) Parish of Glenelg, County of Northumberland, Province of New Brunswick.
Rev. Angus McMaster, Glenelg.

The Secretary of St. Andrew's Church, Chatham, informs "Castigator," that several years ago, the Corporation of that Church, Resolved, That a tax of Six Shillings, be exacted for the use of the PALL CLOTH, and that One Shilling thereof, be retained by the person having the care of it: nor is he aware that the Corporation have ever since entertained the most distant idea of either rescinding or amending that resolution, or of making the slightest distinction between persons applying for the use of the Pall Cloth.

If the Lady and Gentleman to whom Castigator has referred, have really been overcharged, by a certain undertaker (which assertion, the Secretary is requested by the accused party, to gainsay) they now know the extent of the imposition, and need not go far to discover by what means they may recover the overcharge.

It was Mr. Rennie's ferryman, and not Mr. Dixon's, who was so perilously circumstanced in endeavouring to convey the mail across the river, as related in our last week's paper.

The Stated Quarterly Meeting of the BOARD OF EDUCATION, for the County of Northumberland, will be held at the Office of the Clerk of the Peace, on Tuesday, the 23d instant, at 12 o'clock, noon.

JOHN McCURDY, Secretary.
December 12, 1845.

Deaths.

At Chatham, on Wednesday last, MARY, infant daughter of Mr. A. Haddow, aged 3 months.

At Aberdeen, on the 7th ult., ANN LESLIE, wife of Captain A. Leslie, of the brig Albion.

Shipping Intelligence.

PORT OF MIRAMICHI.

The schr. William, from P. E. Island, with a cargo of produce, is ashore at Point Escuminac. The cargo will be saved.

From Willmer and Smith's European Times, November 19.

ARRIVALS IN BRITAIN.

From Dalhousie. Nov. 1—Wellington, Leith.

From Gaspe. Nov. 6—Jubilee, Cadiz.

From Miramichi. Nov. 1—Caithness-shire, Belfast; General Graham, Leith; Clarins, Galway; Ocean, Waterford. 4th—British Lady, Liverpool; Red, Cork. 10th—Coverdale, the Clyde. 11th—Marchioness of Clydesdale, the Clyde; Wm. Bromham, Newport. 12th—Princess Victoria, Deal; Raven, Limerick; Agent, Liverpool. 13th—Liverpool, at Liverpool. 14th—Wingrave, off Scilly. 15th—Elizabeth & Sarah, Deal; Samuel, Holyhead; Red, Liverpool; Yasatan, do. 17th—Express, do; Jessie, do.

From Restigouche. Nov. 10—Springflower, Padstow.

From Richibucto. Nov. 2—Chieftain, Falmouth. 4th—Springfield, Cork. 10th—Pleades, Bristol Channel.

Ealmonth, Nov. 2—The Chieftain, arrived here from Richibucto for Dundee, is leaky, having grounded on the bar coming out.

Holyhead, Nov. 15—The Samuel, from Miramichi, at this port, with loss of bulwarks, and decks swept.

The Fredericton Mail.

The Courier with this mail had not arrived when we went to press.

Hay, Hay, Hay.

FOR SALE, THIRTY TONS GOOD ENGLISH HAY,

Deliverable in Newcastle, on application to STREET & DAVIDSON.

Newcastle, 10th December, 1845.

Steam Engine For Sale.

The subscribers offer for sale a HIGH PRESSURE ENGINE

of about 20 horse power, and Two BOILERS, (one nearly new), together with the Machinery which was used for Driving one Gang of Saws, and one Circular Saw.

The above Engine was built at one of the first establishments in Glasgow, and being in good order, is well worthy the attention of any person wishing to fit up a Saw or Grist Mill. Further particulars may be known, and the Engine seen, by application to

J. W. HOLDERNESS & CHILTON.
Richibucto, 5th December, 1845.

LOST.

Yesterday morning, between the store of Messrs Cunards, in Chatham, and the Foundry, a small DAY BOOK, the contents of which were written in French. Between its leaves were also two settled accounts. Whoever will leave it at the Gleaner Office, will be rewarded for their trouble.
December 13, 1845.

In the Surrogate Court for the County of Kent.

[L. S.] To the Sheriff of the County of Kent, (Copy.) or any Constable within the same.

Whereas MARY GIFFORD, Administratrix upon the Estate of David Gifford, late of Richibucto, deceased, hath filed her final account of the administration of the said Estate in the Registry of this Court, and hath prayed that the same may be examined and allowed,—

It is therefore Ordered, That the Creditors, Next of Kin, and all other persons interested in the said Estate be cited, and you are hereby required to cite them, to be and appear before me, at a Court of Probate to be held in and for the said county, at my office, in Richibucto, on Saturday, the Tenth day of January next, at the hour of eleven o'clock in the forenoon, to attend the examination and passing of the said account.

Given under my hand and seal, at Richibucto, the ninth day of December, in the year of our Lord, 1845.

WILLIAM CHANDLER, Surrogate for the county of Kent.
J. W. WELDON, Register of Probates for the county of Kent.

Wholesale & Retail Seed Store,

13, SOUTH CASTLE STREET, LIVERPOOL.

GEORGE BARRY, Nurseryman, Seedsman, and Florist, begs to acquaint the Inhabitants of Miramichi, and the surrounding country, that he has always on hand a Fresh and Choice Collection of GARDEN FLOWER, and AGRICULTURAL SEEDS, which he has grown, and carefully selected for his own immediate Trade.

Wholesale and Retail Orders carefully selected, and Packed, suitable for all climates, and to any amount.

Garden and Agricultural Implements of the most approved Patterns; all sorts of Fruit and Ornamental Trees, choice Flowers, Seeds, &c.

The subscriber respectfully announces that he has been appointed Agent for the above establishment, in this and the neighbouring Counties; and begs to solicit Orders from Agricultural Societies, Retailers, &c., for the undermentioned articles, viz:

GARDEN, FLOWER, AND AGRICULTURAL SEEDS,

FRUIT AND ORNAMENTAL TREES, Garden & Agricultural Implements, &c.

The subscriber reminds parties desirous to be furnished with the above articles TIMEOUSLY NEXT SPRING, that they will do well to place him in possession of their Orders forthwith, that they may be prepared in Britain, and forwarded from thence direct to the several Ports, at which they may be required.

JOHN MACDOUGALL.
Chatham, Miramichi, 4th Dec., 1845.
N. B. Catalogues to be had at the subscriber's store.

In the Surrogate Court for the County of Kent.

[L. S.] To the Sheriff of the County of Kent, (Copy.) or any Constable within the same.

Whereas MARY LAYTON, Administratrix upon the Estate of William John Layton, late of Richibucto, deceased, hath filed her final account of the administration of the said Estate in the Registry of this Court, and hath prayed that the same may be examined and allowed,—

It is therefore Ordered, That the Creditors, Next of Kin, and all others interested in the said Estate, be cited, and you are hereby required to cite them, to be and appear before me, at a Court of Probate to be held in and for the said County, at my Office, in Richibucto, on Saturday, the Tenth day of January next, at the hour of eleven of the clock in the forenoon, to attend the examination and passing of the said account.

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NEW BRUNSWICK.

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

[L. S.] To the Sheriff of the County of Northumberland, or any Constable, within the said County, Greeting:

Whereas, ROBISON CROCKER, Executor of the last Will and Testament, of Thomas Morrow, late of the Parish of Northesk, in the County of Northumberland, Farmer, deceased, hath filed an account of this 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 Creditor, and next of kin, of the said deceased, and all other persons 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 TUESDAY, the twentieth day of December next, at eleven of the clock in the forenoon, to attend the passing and allowing of the said account of Administration of the said Estate.

Given under my hand and the seal, of the said Court, this sixth day of November, one thousand eight hundred and forty five.

THOMAS H. PETERS, Surrogate.
GEORGE KERR, Register of Probates for said County.

Croton Fire Insurance Company! OF NEW YORK.

The Subscriber is authorized on behalf of the above Company, to insure Dwelling Houses, Out Houses, Stores, Household Furniture, and Merchandise, against loss of Fire, at moderate rates of Premium.

WM. CARMAN, Junior.
Chatham, November 11, 1845.

Notice:

ALL PERSONS having any demands against the Estate of ALEXANDER STEWART, senior, late of the Parish of Newcastle, Farmer, deceased, are requested to present the same within Three Months from the date hereof; and all persons indebted to the said Estate are requested to make immediate payment to

GEORGE STEWART, Executor.
Newcastle, October 27, 1845.

RECEIVED,

Per Schr Elizabeth, from Prince Edward Island,

500 Bushels OATS,

A few boxes Vermicella & Macaroni.

H. C. D. CARMAN.

Chatham, Oct. 7, 1845.

RECEIVED,

By Schooner "Three Brothers,"

25 Bbls. Oat Meal.

H. C. D. CARMAN.

Chatham, Oct. 7, 1845.

Oats, Butter, &c.

By the schooner Happy Return, from Prince Edward Island, just landing—

1000 bushels OATS,

5 tubs BUTTER.

H. C. D. CARMAN.

Chatham, November 15.

Co-partnership.

The subscribers having entered into Co-partnership, the Business hitherto conducted by

JAMES JOHNSON,

as General and Commission Merchant, will in future be carried on by them on the same premises, under the firm of

Johnson & Mackie.

JAMES JOHNSON

JOHN MACKIE.

Miramichi, 1st August, 1845.

BLANKS.

For Sale at the Gleaner Office.