

the 9th inst., and from St. Stephen's on the 11th, to both of which they returned suitable replies.

The Observer of the 12th instant contains the following paragraph:—

"Last evening, in St. Andrew's Church, the Rev. Dr. Simpson, and the Rev. N. McLeod, addressed a large audience on the objects of the present mission to the Colonies. They took occasion to explain in some measure the principles involved in the recent controversy, and to give a short account of the present condition of the Church at home; and certain we are, that although some may have differed from the opinions expressed, all must have been pleased with the mild and christian-like manner in which their opinions were announced and illustrated."

DEPUTATION FROM THE FREE CHURCH OF SCOTLAND.—The Rev. Patrick L. Miller, being about to leave St. John, N. B., for his native country, had an Address presented to him, to which he made an interesting reply, both of which we will endeavour to give in our next No.

St. John.—A hackney coach, drawn by two horses, whilst being turned round at the lower end of the South Market Wharf, on the 12th instant, fell off the same into the dock, a distance of twenty five feet. The inmates escaped with little injury.

On the 9th instant, Timothy Kennedy, aged 18 years, who was convicted at the present Assizes, in causing the death of one Gillespie, by stabbing him in the abdomen with a clasp knife, was brought up to receive sentence. His Honor Judge Parker stated, that within a short period, five convictions for stabbing had taken place before him. Kennedy was sentenced to twelve months imprisonment, and hard labour.

The Chronicle states that a man named Andrew Ferguson, residing at York Point, was committed to jail on the 14th inst., on suspicion of having caused the death of his wife by strangulation.

DEPUTATION FROM THE CHURCH OF SCOTLAND.

We have received for publication the following Address from St. Luke's Church, Bathurst, to the Deputation from the Church of Scotland, together with the Rev. Mr McLeod's reply thereto:—

To the Reverend Doctor Simpson, the Reverend Doctor McLeod, and the Reverend Norman McLeod; Deputation from the General Assembly of the Church of Scotland to the North American Colonies.

We, the Minister, Elders, and People of Saint Luke's Church, Bathurst, adhering to the Church of Scotland, most cordially welcome your arrival among us.

We rejoice in the object of your Mission; and in the success which has already attended it. Our gratification is the greater, that you come to us as the Heralds of Peace, seeking our highest welfare. We believe that there is a general and an increasing desire among our Presbyterian population, to cease from those unseemly strifes which ever dishonor the cause of Christianity, and frequently prove ruinous to the souls of men.

In the appointment of a Deputation so distinguished for learning, talent, and piety, we recognize the parental interest, and fostering care, with which the Church of Scotland seeks the weal of her expatriated children.

To the Church of Scotland, the Church of our Fathers, we owe our existence as an humble portion of the Church of Christ. By her we have been nurtured and cherished with maternal fidelity and affection. By the blessing of God, we have been enabled to maintain our connection with her in the day of saddest calamity and reproach. It will not then be expecting prosperity, we should cease to feel and show the dutiful union, love, and respect of her children.

Towards her, we trust, we shall always entertain the most unfeigned gratitude, esteem, and veneration. Thro' her instrumentality, we are yet to be united vitally to her great and glorious Head, which it is the grand object of all our ministrations to effect.

Our Prayer is that He, the Lord Jesus Christ, may be pleased graciously to countenance and bless her efforts to honor Him, by implanting and advancing His Kingdom in the hearts of a vast multitude of immortal beings in our loved native land, in the Colonies, and throughout the world. And that you, Gentlemen, in the prosecution of your arduous and important labors, may realize the desire of your hearts; that the adherents of our National Zion, may be united, strengthened, and built up in our holy faith to the latest posterity; and that

after successfully accomplishing the business of the Church, in which you are now engaged, you may return to your own homes and Pastoral charges in safety and happiness; is the fervent prayer of

Reverend Gentlemen,  
Your's most respectfully,  
GEORGE McDONNELL, Minister,  
WILLIAM NAPIER, Elder,  
ARCHIBALD FERGUSON, Elder,  
SAMUEL BROWN, Elder,  
H. MUNRO, Chairman of Corporation of St. Luke's Church.  
On behalf of the Congregation.

To this Address, the Rev. Mr McLeod on the part of the Deputation, made the following Reply:—

In my own name, and in the name of my absent brethren, I thank you for your considerate kindness—for this most gratifying Address and for the manner in which it has been presented by your faithful Pastor, our esteemed friend. I am thankful to find that your address breathes the same excellent spirit, expresses the same warm attachment to our Church as those which have every where encouraged us in our progress, since the day we stepped upon the shores of these great Colonies. The Church of Scotland has truly a vast field of operation. Extending over a kingdom at home, she is scattered throughout kingdoms abroad. She desires her ministrations to be co-extensive with her people.

I rejoice to find but one new obstacle to her occupying in strength every place we have yet visited, and which she occupied before. That new obstacle is want of laborers—faithful, God-fearing men—to supply the place of those men who have, from necessity, been withdrawn from hence to strengthen the citadel at home, temporarily weakened by the late secession. Now, let me remind you that it is in your power to aid us in supplying this want. What was our Lord's direction to his Disciples when He pointed out to them the greatness of the harvest, and the fewness of the labourers? He commanded them to pray the Lord of the harvest to send forth labourers. Tho' He himself was Lord of the harvest—tho' he himself walked through the fields and saw their destitution—yet still they were to ask from Him the wished-for supply. Does this convey to us no practical lesson, valuable to us at all times, but more especially in our present circumstances? Does it not teach us the necessity of now praying to the same Lord for the very same blessing? And if immediately after this command was given—and without doubt obeyed—we read that the seventy were sent forth, are we not thereby encouraged to hope that in answer to our earnest prayers, the Lord will now raise up to us living men, who can alone extend a living Church?

I have this day explained to you what is termed "the Church Question." But need I remind you that no favor of Government however excellent—no constitution however good—can make us a Christian Church. We can be this only by being a Church of Christians. We may assent to the fundamental doctrine, with all sections of the Church of Christ, that Christ alone is Head. But let me remind you that we can have Him practically as our Head only when we are born again, and united to Him by faith, and bring forth fruits to his glory.

I trust that our beloved Church will every day this evidence her vital union with her adorable Head. That the chastisement she has received will purify her, and that we will, henceforth, without pride or vain glory, but humbly, meekly, and sincerely endeavor to please Christ and extend His kingdom at home and abroad; and then we will not "fear what man can do to us." Let our prayers—our united prayers—then ascend to God, that He would arise and have mercy on our Zion. Though separated by land and sea from your Brethren at home, let us meet around a Throne of Grace, praying for the peace and prosperity of Jerusalem, that He who has preserved us, and helped us hitherto, may so keep us, and cause his face to shine upon us, that we may be enabled more and more to make His way known upon earth, and his saving health to all nations.

ENTERPRISE.—The steam mill of Messrs Rankin, Ferguson & Co., Bathurst, was burnt down on the 17th of April last; its re-erection was commenced on the 12th day of May, and it was in full operation on the 12th instant; the whole having been finished in three months.

The original foundation was laid in the bed of the harbour on the 1st of June, 1844; finished and in full operation, burnt down, re-constructed, and in operation within the space of 14 months and 11 days, including an interval of nearly a month after its being destroyed.

ERRATA.—In the account of the proceedings of the Deputation from the Church of Scotland, at Richibucto, published in our last, eighth line from the bottom, for "disruption in the disruption," read "disruption in the Church."

A QUEER FIX.—We copy the following account of a love affair, which recently occurred in a neighbouring county, from the Loyalist of the 14th inst. May it

prove a warning to all old bachelors. It speaks well for the sons of Cupid in New Brunswick:—

CUPID'S FROLIC.—"SORT O' COURTING!"—A truly ridiculous affair occurred at Kingston, King's County, the other day. A girl named McDermot now undergoing sentence for concealing the birth of a child, is confined in one of the three cells which communicates with a Hall; said Hall communicating with the street by a wicket in the bolted door. Several times had the Gaoler detected an old bachelor of 70 paying visits to his ward, (with an eye probably to the prospective) and had strong reasons to believe that he had at least relieved her from the necessity of submitting to "County fare" by sundry presents from his store (the visitor being a grocer). One evening about a fortnight since he concealed himself in the cell nearest the wicket, allowing the prisoner meantime the privilege of the Hall and it was not long before his worst suspicions were confirmed by the presence of the lover, with certain presents for his *chere amie*; but lo! while in the act of delivering the same into her hands his own hand was suddenly clasped in a noose by the jaoler, who having tied him up safely, locked up the prisoner in her cell and retired to rest. All night "alone in his glory" did the poor Bachelor stay there, and it was not until he was exposed, the next morning, to a crowd of laughing spectators that he obtained his liberty."

FIRE EATERS IN AMERICA.—The fire eaters now travelling through the United States perform feats absolutely incredible. Red-hot poker, boiling lead, ignited gunpowder, melted sulphur, appear to produce no effect on their indurated organs. But a philosophical question arises, as to whether they owe this impunity to any preparatory applications to the parts, or the great care exercised in applying "Holloway's Ointment," and in taking "Holloway's Pills," immediately after performing? We suggest this query from the fact of the extraordinary efficacy of the Ointment, and its auxiliary, the Pill, (a tonic and alterative) in subduing all maladies. In Cancer, Rheumatism, Gout, Paralysis, Giandular Complaints, Scrofula, Wounds of every kind, &c. &c., we can most confidently recommend these specifics.

Shipping Intelligence.

PORT OF MIRAMICHI.

Entered, August 18—ship Hornby, Allen, Bristol—Gilmour, Rankin & Co.; brig John White, Modrell, Gibraltar—do.; barque Regent, Stephenson, Hull—do.; barque Humber, Hopkinson, London—do.; schrs Fly, Campbell, Newfoundland—Joseph Cunard & Co.; Garland, Roach, do—do.; Surprise, Coulson, P E Island—do.

Cleared, August 16—brig Rebecca, Cambell, Belfast; schr Elizabeth, McGougan, P E Island. 18th—ship Marchioness of Queensberry, McCullam, London; new barque London, Pearson, Liverpool; brig Hibernia, Neville, Wexford. 19th—schr Hatford, Picot, Quebec.

The brig Lademinity, Graves, master, from Port Rush, bound to Quebec, went ashore on the Magdalen Islands, on the 25th ult., in a thick fog. One man, named James Brown, was drowned. The Captain and two boys remain on the Islands, and the remainder of the crew arrived here on the 18th instant, in the schr Pearl.

PORT OF RICHIBUCTO.

Entered, August 15—barque Intrepid, Wilson, Hull—Holderness & Chilton; brig Emma, Stevenson, Newfoundland—James McPhelim. 20th—brig Gratitude, (fall ship) Firth, Liverpool, 37 days—Holderness & Chilton; schr Sygnet, Gullang, P E Island.

Cleared, August 13—brig Mary Ann, Lloyd, Sunderland. 15th—barque Queen Victoria, Leaper, Hull; brig Thyaira, Richmond, Bristol; Commerce, Crowell, Cork. 16th—brig Eagle, Lang, Glasgow. 20th—brig Lady Sale, Richards, Bideford; ship Inconstant, Beacon, Cork.

PORT OF DALHOUSIE,

RESTIGOUCHE, N. B.

Arrived, August 12—schr Mary, Boudroit, Quebec—Goods; 8 days—A. Ritchie & Co. 15th—schr Harp, Stuart, Magdalen Islands—do.; 6 days—H. & J. Montgomery. 18th—schr Elizabeth Ann, Allais, Gaspe—do; 3 days—William Hamilton. 20th—schr Marie Dolphine, Blais, Quebec—do.; 12 days—P. & D. Stewart.

The American schr Harp brought here the crew (tea in number) and part of the Materials saved from the wreck of the British brig Tarbolton, of Irvine, which was totally lost on the Island of Brian, one of the Magdalans, on the 24th ult., on her passage from Liverpool to this port.

Cleared, August 1—barque Hope, Graham, Port Glasgow, timber and deals—A. Ritchie & Co.; schr Packet, Rae, Miramichi, goods—W. J. Fraser. 2nd—schr Calm, Landry, Quebec, salmon—sundries. 5th—schr Hope, McKay, Newfoundland, lumber—A. Ritchie & Co. 12th—barque Constellation, Brown, Greenwood, timber, deals & grain—William Hamilton. 13th—brig Jane, Smith, Newfoundland—lumber & shingles—A. Ritchie & Co. 16th—schr Harp, Stuart, Gull Fishery; schr Drift, Bishop, Newfoundland, lumber—H. & J. Montgomery. 18th—schr Elizabeth, Allain, New Carlisle. 20th—schr Marie Dolphine, Miramichi, goods.

Dental Operations.

Dr. M. F. Haley, Surgeon Dentist.

Will remain in Chatham for a few days, during which time he will be prepared to perform every Operation on the TEETH, for their preservation and beauty. As his time is limited, those who may need his services will confer a favor by calling immediately. Doctor Haley has letters from Gentlemen of the highest respectability with regard to his skill, and standing in his Profession, both in this Province and the United States. Rooms at Mr John Hea's. Chatham, August 22, 1845.

[In reference to the above advertisement, we beg to state that we have seen letters from the Hon. Mr Saunders, Provincial Secretary, to Gentlemen in Miramichi, recommending Dr. Haley as a very skilful practitioner, and as one who has given every satisfaction.]—Ed. GLEANER.

AUCTION.

PROPERTY FOR SALE.

At the Store of JOHNSON & MACKIE, on WEDNESDAY, the 1st October next, at 11 o'clock forenoon, will be offered for sale by Public Auction—

That Valuable Farm

On the south side of Napan River, owned and formerly occupied by Mr James Porteous; containing about 100 acres, of which 40 acres is under cultivation, with a front on the road of 30 rods. On the premises there is an excellent

HOUSE AND BARN,

both in good repair. The House is well finished, and could be entered into without any expence. The Barn is 43 feet long, by 32 wide 12 foot posts. This Property is worthy the attention of any person wishing to settle on a Farm, is situate about a mile below the post road from Chatham to Richibucto, and only about four miles from the Town of Chatham, with a good road leading to the very door.

Terms of sale—one third down, one third in June, 1846; and the remaining one third in June, 1847. The Deed will be given on the purchase money being secured agreeably to terms of sale. Further particulars made known on application to

JAMES JOHNSON, Auctioneer.

Chatham, August 15, 1845.

To be sold at Public Auction, in front of the Subscriber's Office, on TUESDAY, 26th inst., at ONE o'clock in the afternoon:—

- 6 dozen superior Penknives,
3 do do Razors,
5 do pair do Scissors,
Cases of Steel Pens, Ladies' Work Boxes,
Shoe and other Brushes,
A Card containing 90 Files, of every kind,
Carpenters' Axes & Cooper's Adzes,
A REPEAL GUN, Cards Fish Hooks,
With a large assortment of small Wares, well worthy the attention of the trade.

P. WILLISTON, Auctioneer.

Chatham, August 22, 1845.

ADMINISTRATOR'S SALE.

To be Sold at Public Auction, on TUESDAY, the Twenty-third day of September next, at eleven o'clock, A. M., in front of the store of L. P. W. Desbrisay, Richibucto, in pursuance of a Licence from the Surrogate Court of the County of Kent:

All the Real Estate of the late David Gifford, deceased, consisting of a Dwelling House, and four Acres of Land, whereon he resided at the time of his death. Also—a small House near the store of William Bowser, Esq., in the town of Richibucto.

The said Property will be sold subject to the Dower of the Widow; and the first-named property subject to a mortgage of one hundred pounds.

GEORGE PAGAN, Auctioneer.

Richibucto, 20th August, 1845.

NEW BRUNSWICK,

County of Westmorland, S.S.

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

Whereas SAMUEL OULTON and THOMAS OULTON, Administrators of all and singular the Goods, Chattels, and Credits, which were of the late THOMAS OULTON, deceased, at the time of his death, exhibited and filed their account of the Administration of said Estate, and have prayed that the Next of Kin of said deceased, and all persons interested in the said estate, may appear and attend the passing and allowing the said accounts; and also to the distribution of any surplus which may, on the final allowance of said accounts, remain in the hands of said Administrators; You are therefore required to cite the Next of Kin of said deceased, and all others interested in said estate, and they are hereby cited to appear before me, at a Court of Probate to be held at my office in Dorchester, within and for said county, on TUESDAY the twenty first day of October next, at twelve of the clock, at noon, to attend the passing and allowing of the accounts of the said Administrators, and to the distribution of said surplus.

Given under my hand, and seal of the said Court, this eighteenth day of August, 1845.

(Signed) E. B. CHANDLER,

Surrogate Judge of Probates, county of Westmorland.

(Signed) THOS. S. SAYRE, Register of Probates, county of Westmorland.