

be not soon taken to remedy the evil, that the Grand Jury, at the sitting of the Supreme Court in September, will represent it as a nuisance.

**AGRICULTURAL.**—Last week we stated that several farmers in the vicinity of Chatham had commenced mowing their grass. We perceive that Hay making is now going on in all directions, and the weather for some days has been as favourable as the farmers could desire. The intelligence respecting the yield is highly satisfactory.

Yesterday morning we saw a "Horse Rake" in operation in one of the fields belonging to Mr John Hea. It worked most admirably, and is a great saving of labour, a matter of considerable moment in this quarter, where that commodity always bears a high price. It is of American manufacture, and most ingeniously constructed. We hope some of our mechanics will examine it, with the view of manufacturing some during their leisure hours in the winter season. We would advise our Agricultural friends who have time, to go and see it in operation.

On Tuesday last, while in Douglastown we were shown by A. Rankin, Esq., a field of wheat, and another of timothy and clover, the like of which we never witnessed before at this season. The former was full four and a half feet high, with an unusually strong stock and large head. We question much if the like of it is to be witnessed in British North America.

Several gentlemen in Newcastle informed us that in their neighbourhood, extensive agricultural improvements had taken place, and that a large quantity of grain was sown during this season, which promises a large return. We have only to cast our eyes across the river, to witness the large amount of Agricultural operations which have been going on in the immediate vicinity of Douglastown.

It is gratifying to find that scarcely a stranger who pays us a visit, but is surprised at the appearance of the country, the admirable system of agriculture pursued, the improved implements in use, the excellent breeds of cattle, sheep and hogs, and the care, attention, and labour bestowed on the formation of "Compost heaps," which have been emphatically styled the "Farmers' Bank."

**THE SEASON.**—A heavy shower of about an hour's duration, fell on Wednesday last. At Newcastle, hail of considerable size came pelting down for a few minutes, but in Chatham this was not the case; there were several flashes of lightning accompanied with heavy thunder.

**MECHANICS INSTITUTE.**—At a recent meeting of the Directors and other Office-Bearers of the newly established Mechanics' Institute, it was unanimously resolved, that the sum of £25 sterling, should be placed in the hands of Mr William Rennie, for the purpose of procuring suitable scientific works for the use of the members of the Institute. That gentleman has made a present of several books to the institution. Committees were also appointed to draw up suitable bye-laws for the guidance of the Office-Bearers, to select a room in which to hold meetings, and to confer with the shareholders of the Union Library if they would not allow the books, which have been locked up for several years, to be placed at the disposal of the Institute. We have since conversed with several of the parties, and in no instance have we found any objection raised. We are therefore in hopes that this desirable measure will be carried out, which will be highly advantageous to the interests of this useful institution, which, if conducted with any zeal, must confer extensive and permanent benefit on the community.

**OREGON QUESTION.**—Late American papers give the following new version of the Oregon Treaty, which we think is more in character with the rights of Britain, and such a one as would be agreed to by her, than anything we have previously seen.

**Article I.**—The 49th parallel of north latitude from the Rocky Mountains to the sea, with a line from that point, round the south of Vancouver's Island, through the straits of Fuca, to be the boundary line between the two countries.

**Article II.**—From the point where the 49th parallel of north latitude shall be found to intersect the great northern branch of the Columbia river, the navigation of the said branch to be free and open to the Hudson Bay Company and all British subjects to whom the said branch meets the main stream of the Columbia—thence down the main stream to the Ocean, with free access into and through the said river or rivers; it being understood that all the several portages along the line thus described in like manner to be free and open. In navigating the said river or rivers British Subjects with their goods and produce shall be treated on the same footing as the Citizens of the United States. The United States to make regulations respecting the navigation of said rivers, but not inconsistent with the Treaty.

**Article III.**—In future appropriations of the territory south of 49, the possessory rights of the Hudson Bay Company and the British Subjects who may be already in occupation of land or other property, lawfully acquired, to be respected.

**Article IV.**—The farms, lands, and other property of the Paget's Sound Agricultural Company, on the north side of the Columbia, shall be confirmed to said company. In case the United States for public or private purposes, should wish the said lands, or any part thereof, the property so required shall be transferred at a proper valuation, to be agreed upon between the parties.

**Article V.**—Ratifications to be exchanged within six months.

**DOMESTIC.**—We have been much gratified with the inspection of a very beautiful copper-fastened six oared Gig, built of teak wood. She is intended for the Mexican Packet now building at the yard of the Hon. Joseph Cunard, in Chatham. The model, finish, and workmanship throughout, reflects much credit on her builders, Messrs. John and Daniel McLaughlan, formerly of Picton.

#### ARRIVALS AT HEA'S HOTEL, CHATHAM.

July 11—Captain Fourneaux and Lady, Newfoundland; Captain Tessier, do.; Mrs. Harding and daughter, Fredericton. 12th, Francis Wood, Esq. Savannah, Ga.; Joseph Peters, Fredericton; Captain Smith, Brigus, Newfoundland; Captain Piercy, do.; Master Peters, do. 13th—Samuel B. Hetherington, Richibucto. 15th, Dr. Avery, Halifax; G. F. Morton, Esq. do.; Miss White, Amherst. 16th, William Fraser and daughter, Kouchibouguac, William Ward, do. 17th, S. B. Hetherington, Richibucto; Mrs. Edmund Powell, do.

From the Fredericton Royal Gazette. SUPREME COURT.—TRINITY TERM, 9TH VICTORIA, 1846.

Monday the 12th October, 1846, is appointed for the examination of Henry Barclay Robinson, Ward Chipman Drury; Samuel Thomson, William Henry Matheway, and Alexander Thomson Paul, for admission as Attorneys of the Supreme Court, such examination to be held at the Judges Room in Fredericton.

At Bathurst, on Wednesday, the 15th inst., aged 36 years, after a protracted illness, which she bore with the most exemplary patience and cheerful resignation to the Divine will, JANE, wife of Robert Gordon Esq., M. D. and eldest daughter of Hugh Munro, Esq. In all the endeared relations of life, and especially in those of a wife and a mother, Mrs. Gordon's removal has left a void in the heart, which this world cannot supply. The consolation of those who sorrow for her removal, is, that their loss is her unspeakable gain.

Her mortal remains were followed to "the house appointed for all living," by a large concourse of persons of all religious denominations in testimony of their respect. She sleeps in Jesus. "There remaineth a rest for the people of God."

#### Deaths.

At Dalhousie, County of Restigouche, on Monday the 12th inst., of Apoplexy, JOSEPH HUNTER, Esq., aged 59, Deputy Land Surveyor for that County, a native of Sligo. His urbanity and strict integrity endeared him to all those who had the pleasure of his acquaintance.

**GRINNING FOR A FORTUNE!**—The eccentric but benevolent Lord G. observed, in passing through the village of N. (in his estate) a poor middle-aged man, whose features were rigid with paralysis, as a result of suffering from rheumatism, &c. Now, the good old Nobleman thought, that if he could by any means induce this poor fellow to laugh, he might (for he had heard of similar occurrences) recover a healthy pliability of muscle. He therefore told him, that if, on the following day, at

twelve o'clock, he would come to the hall, and fairly laugh out, he would settle a hundred a-year on him for life. His wife, a sharp-witted woman, immediately thought of a means to accomplish this.

She got together all the money she had, and purchased some boxes of Holloway's Ointment and its powerful tonic and alterative auxiliary Holloway's Pills. The husband used both, and on the following day went to the hall, and laughed loud and long, to the astonishment of everybody, and well he might, for he got one hundred per annum by it!—Truly surprising are the above preparations, in Gout, Rheumatism, Cancer, Scrofula, Piles, Wounds, and all other maladies.

#### Shipping Intelligence.

##### PORT OF MIRAMICHI.

Our arrivals have not come to hand. The following vessels have arrived during the week—barque Clio; schr Misco, Coulson, from Quebec; brig China, from New York; barque Abel Anna; and brig Sobraon.

HALIFAX, July 10.—cleared, schr Stranger, O'Brien, Restigouche.

##### PORT OF DALHOUSIE,

RESTIGOUCHE, N. B.

Entered, June 27—schr Superb, Hall, Halifax, 12 days; goods—J. Samuel: Defiance, McPhee, do., 12 days; ballast—Wm. Hamilton.

29th—brig Clipper, Taylor, Newfoundland, 9 days; herrings—H. & J. Montgomery.

30th—ship Triton, Smith, Greenock, 40 days; ballast—A. Ritchie & Co.

July 1—schr Perseverance, Curry, Halifax, 13 days; ballast—W. S. Smith.

2nd—schr Agenoria, McKay, P. E. Island, 4 days; live stock—sundries.

Cleared, June 27—brig Dykes, Cockton, Carlise, G. B.; timber—A. Ritchie & Co.; schr Sylph, LeBuffle, Newfoundland; lumber—R. Ferguson.

30th—schr Superb, Hall, Halifax; shingles, J. Samuel: Defiance, Curry, do.; do—William Hamilton.

July 1—brig Hound, Whelan, Newfoundland; lumber—H. & J. Montgomery.

2nd—schr Temperance, Casey, Picton; shingles—do.

3rd—brig Sally, Ditchburn, Carlisle, G. B.; timber—A. Ritchie & Co.

4th—brigs Shaw, Hewitt, do.; do—H. & J. Montgomery: Hope, Lister, do.; do—A. Ritchie & Co.

7th—schr Agenoria, McKay, P. E. Island; ballast: brig Sylla, Fell, Ulverston; timber—A. Ritchie & Co.

8th—barque John Munn, Watt, Greenock; do—do.

9th—brig Wave, Storer, Fleetwood; timber & deals—do: schr Defiance, McPhee, Newfoundland; lumber and shingles—W. S. Smith: ship Agnes, Bell, Beaumaris; timber and deals—A. Ritchie & Co.

10th—brig Symmetry, Colledge, Newcastle; timber & deals—A. Ritchie & Co.

##### PORT OF RICHIBUCTO.

Entered, June 29th—ship Helen Thompson, Stevenson, New York—20 days; David Wark.

July 2—brig Margaret Parker, Cullerton, Newfoundland, brig Mersalla, Egan, do.

6th—barque Springfield, Roy, Liverpool—37 days; L. Desbrisay: brig Anna, Toft, Algiers; Holderness & Chilton.

Cleared, June 25—brig Elizabeth, Peter, Newcastle.

26th—brig Frederick Young, Wallace, Newcastle.

27th—brig Dolphin, Anderson, Sunderland; ship Atlantic, Hall, London.

July 2—brig Warwick, Turner, Grimsby: John White, Orwin, do.: barque John Bromham, Barrett, Plymouth: schr Charlotte, Critchell, P. E. Island.

3rd—barque Elizabeth Holderness, Predger, Hull.

4th—brig Marsala, Egan, Newfoundland.

6th—brig Sailor, Grozier, Grimsby; John, Connor, Dunbarvon.

7th—brigs Sylph, Raisbeck, Liverpool; Edmund Castle, Wheatly, Morasion.

**Wreck.**—The ship Wm. Abrams, Captain James Hamlin, from Boston, bound to Calcutta, struck on Black Ledge, about 3 miles to the westward of Seal Islands, during a dense fog, on Thursday the 2nd instant, and became a total wreck. The Captain had been without any distinct observation for three or four days, when he judged himself about 50 miles to the westward of where he now lies, (within a few feet of the Columbia.)—The materials and part of the cargo will be saved; the latter consisted of 522 tons of ice; 80 bales cotton manufactures; 207 M. cedar shingles; 4 cases leather and 100 lbsds. Ghee (melted butter) besides stores for a three years voyage. The crew, consisting of 15 Englishmen, and 15 Lascars and Malays, were all saved. The W. A. was a Nova Scotia built ship, 4 years old, and 760 tons burthen. She had been fitted up at great expense for the voyage upon which she had entered. Her owners are Messrs. Hamlin & Co., of Greenock, the captain being one of the firm.

[The Wm. Abrams was built at this port about seven years ago, by the late W. Abrams, Esq.]—Ed. GLEANER.

The ship Walter Scott, Capt. Blass, which sailed from Quebec on the 24th November last, for Limerick, was lost at Bras-d'or, coast

of Labrador, on the 11th of December, and the mate and two seamen out of a crew of eighteen in number, are the only survivors. The suffering of the crew during the winter was extreme, and the deaths were principally from being frost-bitten, and exhaustion.

#### AUCTION.

On MONDAY, 20th instant, at Eleven o'clock, forenoon, on the Hon J. Canard's Wharf, will be Sold by Public Auction—

100 bbls. CORN MEAL,

Ex brig "China," from New York. JAS. JOHNSON, Auctioneer. 17th July, 1846.

#### Soap and Candles:

The subscribers have received from the manufactory of ANDREW SCOTT, St. John, N. B.,

150 boxes Yellow SOAP, 25 do pale yellow do., 50 do Mould CANDLES, 20 do Dipt Candles.

All the above articles of excellent quality, and for sale low.

JOHNSON & MACKIE.

17th July, 1846.

#### Cargo of schr. IRIS.

The Cargo of the above Vessel, from Boston, For Sale, amongst which are—

Best Genesee and Superfine FLOUR, Rye Flour, Corn Meal, Biscuit, Crackers, White Beans, Barrels Resin, Tobacco Pipes, Cooking Stoves, Pails and half pails, Corn Brooms, Whip Handles, Axe Handles, Clothes Pins, Willow Baskets, Churns, Chairs, Chest Drawers, Looking Glasses, Scythe Sheaths, Hay Forks, Dung Forks, Scythes, Threshing Flails, Horse Collars and Hames, Cotton & Wool Cards, Oil Skin Suits, Fluid Lamps, TEA, Battery Wadding, Room Paper, Sauff, Pickles, Lemon Syrup, Figs, Prunes, &c., Wheel Heads, Horse Chains, Window Shades, and a number of other articles.

JOHNSON & MACKIE.

15th July, 1846.

**NOTICE.**—All Persons who shall ship any PICKLED FISH in barrels, or offer for sale any Pickled Fish not being inspected and branded according to the Acts of the Legislature of this Province, will be dealt with according to law; without any exception of persons. ADAM KERR, Inspector. Chatham, 16th July, 1846.

#### Drugs and Medicines.

Per schooner, "Joseph Howe," from Boston—

Best Bordeaux Prunes, finest Turkey Figs, essence of Smoke, essence of Spruce; Expectorating SYRUP, a valuable remedy for colds, pain in the breast, asthma, and complaints of the breast in general; ANODYNE, Opodeldoc, for Rheumatism, pains in the nerves and sinews; Lumbago, &c.; an assortment of Marsh's celebrated single and

double TRUSSES;

#### Celebrated SARSAPARILLA SYRUP,

for purifying the blood, affording an effervescent and refreshing drink during the summer months: superior Honey, sugar candy, Nutmegs, Confectionary, a few elegant confectionary Glasses, Lemon Syrup, refined Liquorice, Lascars, Naval-shaving Soap, tooh, nail, and hair Brushes, Beeswax, Oils of Lemon, carraway-seeds, and Partridge-berry. The subscriber keeps constantly on hand a general assortment of

**Drugs, Medicines, Paints, Dye Stuffs, &c.** such as Antimony, Alcohol, nitric, nitrous, muriatic, sulphuric, oxalic, prussic, benzoic, citric, and Tartaric Acids; blue Pill, Burgundy Pitch, Barbadoes Tar, Copiaivan and Canada Balsams, Cantharides, carbonate of Iron, cannella, cascarilla bark, cream of Tartar, cowage, Dover's Powders, Venice Turpentine, castile soap, pink and blue saucers, oils of Bergamotte, cloves, almonds, cajuput, cinnamon, lavender, savine, and juniper, prussiate of potash, Tapioca, best Bermuda arrow root, tamarinde, saffron, syrup of garlic, superior Strychnon's Elixir, indigo, ground ginger; the celebrated Vermifuge, or worm extractor, which has surpassed all others in its radiating powers.

#### BOOKS.

Shakespeare's Dramatic Works, in two volumes. Rollins Ancient History, Rhind's Vegetable Kingdom, Snodgrass on the Apostolic Succession, Nugent's French and English Dictionary, Chambers's Information for the People.

WM. FORBES.

Chatham, May 22, 1846.

#### Here we are again!

Just received, per the Oxford, from the Clyde, the usual Spring supply of GENUINE DRUGS AND MEDICINES from the APOTHECARIES' HALL, GLASGOW.