

SAINT JOHN.—The inhabitants of this city have presented Captain W. C. Brown, late Master of the steamer North America, with a purse of £60 as a token of respect for his conduct during the calamitous shipwreck of that vessel.

The Courier contains the following paragraph on the weather.

So far with us the present winter may be considered mild, but remarkably changeable and stormy—having already had what may be considered two January thaws. On Monday night and Tuesday morning we had a heavy gale of wind from the South-East, with snow and rain, the wind gradually changing to the Southward and Westward. Several vessels sailed on Monday for Europe, and one of them, a Barque, was signalled off the Harbour on Tuesday afternoon, but the wind hauling more to the Northward, she stood down the Bay again. On Thursday night and Friday morning, we experienced another very heavy blow, accompanied, at intervals, by heavy showers of rain. The wind on Thursday afternoon was from the Eastward, and the air mild for the season, but during the night it changed to the South-East, and wore round, Southwardly, till it got to West, blowing heavily, and at times most violently, until last evening. The air yesterday was cold, and the vessels in the harbour made considerable ice last night. We have not heard of any material damage having been sustained by the vessels in port.

The Courier speaks of the necessity there exists of having a harbour of refuge in the Bay of Fundy, and recommends that a Breakwater be erected at Dipper Harbour for that purpose, and that a petition requesting aid, be presented at the next meeting of the Legislature.

ARRIVALS AT HEA'S HOTEL.

January 5.—S. B. Hetherington, Richibucto. John Graham, do; David Gifford, do.; Caleb Slocumb, Annapolis. 6th.—James Black, Dorchester; Joseph Black, do.; V. Hicks, do.; G. Crowser, do.; Hon. J. W. Weldon, Richibucto; James Fraser, Kouchibouguac; Hugh McDonald, Bay du Vin. 7th.—W. Parker, South West. 9th.—Capt. Hood, Bark Wm. Glen Anderson of Glasgow, from Restigouche. Mr. Wm. 2nd Mate of said ship. Daniel McFaggart, Dalhousie. James Fraser, and daughter, Kouchibouguac.

Marriages.

On the 9th inst., by the Revd. R. Shepherd, Mr. ALEX. JAMES HENDERSON, to Miss MARGARET WILSON, all of Chatham.

Deaths.

At his father's residence, Lower District of Newcastle, on the 7th inst., Mr. ADAM GORDON, son of Mr. William Gordon, senior, in the 40th year of his age. He bore a blameless character, and his death is lamented by a large circle of friends and acquaintances.

At Dorchester, on Saturday, the 2nd inst., JANE, third daughter of Mr. Reuben Taylor, aged 20 years.

The Annual Meeting of the Miramichi RELIGIOUS TRACT SOCIETY, will be held in Chatham, in the Large Room, over the Gleaner Office, on TUESDAY, the 19th instant, at 3 o'clock, P. M.

WILLIAM HENDERSON, Secretary

AUCTION.

On TUESDAY, the 2nd day of February next, in front of the Store of Messrs. Haddow and Loudoun, in Chatham, will be sold at Public Auction, all the

Spruce and Juniper Timber

Now on the 500 acre Lot of Land, on the Renous River, belonging to the Corporation of St. Andrew's Church, Chatham. Five years will be allowed the purchaser for taking away the said timber. Chatham, 11th January, 1846.

Herrings, Herrings.

—For sale by the Subscriber—
20 barrels prime Labrador Herrings,
105 do. do. Cane do.
150 quintals Codfish,
do Haddock,
do Pullock,
Barrels Fish Oil. Also,

An extensive and choice assortment of DRY GOODS; together with STATIONARY of every description; English, Latin, and Greek School Books, and a number of Works on General Literature; the Illustrated Family Bible, Hanny's Concordance, splendidly bound in Morocco; Chambers's Peoples' Editions, consisting of the poetical and prose Works of Robert Burns, Life of do., Life and Writings of Franklin, Rebellion in Scotland, by Chambers, Clarke's Travels, Bacon's Essays, &c. &c.; Conversation Cards, Puzzles, &c., for Evening parties, by Reynolds, of London.

Valentines!

In great variety; Steel and Quill Pens, Memorandum Books, &c.; also—GROCERIES, LIQUORS, and WINES, all at low prices, as usual. JOHN MACDOUGALL. Chatham, January, 1846.

NOTICE.

At a General Sessions of the Peace of our Lady the Queen, held at the Court House, in New-castle, in and for the county of Northumberland, on Tuesday, the thirteenth day of January, one thousand eight hundred and forty six.

Whereas great inconvenience and delay is experienced in consequence of Accounts and Returns usually audited and certified by the General Sessions not being filed with the Clerk of the Peace on or before the first day of the Sessions,—

It is hereby Ordered, that all Accounts, Old Soldiers' Certificates, School or other Returns, not so filed by 12 o'clock on Thursday, the third day of the Sessions, that such accounts, school returns, old soldiers' certificates, &c., not so filed, will be laid over until the next General Sessions; Constables' and Crier's accounts only excepted. Extract from the minutes. T. H. PETERS, Clerk of the Peace.

NOTICE.—All persons having any just demands against the Estate of the late Reverend JAMES SOUTER, formerly Minister of St James Church, Newcastle, and late of Borthwick, in the County of Edinburgh, Scotland, deceased, are required to render the same, duly attested within three months to the subscriber; to whom all persons indebted to the said Estate are required to make immediate payment. ALLAN A. DAVIDSON, Administrator. Newcastle, 23rd December, 1846.

NOTICE.—All persons having any just claims against the Estate of the late ALEXANDER McDONALD, late of the parish of Alnwick, in the County, Farmer, deceased, are required to render the same, duly attested, within three months, to Messrs. Street & Davidson, Solicitors, Newcastle, to whom all persons indebted to the said Estate are required to make immediate payment. ALEXANDER RANKIN, Administrator. Newcastle, 7th December, 1846

All persons having any legal demands against the Estate of HUGH MUNRO, Esquire, late of Somerset Vale, in the County of Gloucester, deceased, are requested to render their accounts, duly attested, within Three Months from this date, to the undersigned, Francis Ferguson, at his Office in Bathurst; and all persons indebted to the said Estate are requested to make immediate payment to the said Francis Ferguson. GEORGE A. MUNRO, FRANCIS FERGUSON, ROBERT GORDON, Administrators. October 16, 1846

REMOVAL.

JOHN FRASER & CO.,

Beg leave to acquaint their friends and the public generally, that they have removed from the store in the Commercial Building, to that lately occupied by Mr Henry Wright, next door to Johnson & Mackie's, where they respectfully solicit the visits of intending purchasers. Their present Stock contains a variety of materials for Winter Bonnets, Dresses, Cloaks, &c., Muffs, Boas, Victorines, Ladies' and Childrens' Squirrel Turbans, Lambs' Wool, Cashmere, and Merino Stockings; Shawls & Dress Caps, London manufacture; Flannels and Kerseys, an excellent article for Gentlemen's Drawers and Under Vests, with a variety of other Goods suitable for the season. Chatham, 8th December, 1846.

HAY! HAY! HAY!

FOR SALE, from 10 to 15 Tons best ENGLISH HAY, in barn, in Newcastle. Apply to STREET & DAVIDSON. Newcastle, 26th December, 1846.

William J. Fraser,

Has received, per brig "Chilion," from Boston His FALL SUPPLY of

American Goods,

Which he now offers for sale, wholesale or retail, at low prices, for Cash only. Chatham, 29th October, 1846.

Seasonable Goods.

The subscriber has on hand, and will dispose of on reasonable terms, a very excellent assortment of DRY GOODS, suitable for the season; GROCERIES, &c. Also—200 barrels Prime HERRINGS. S. AARON. Richibucto, November 20, 1846

Hats, Caps, & Furs, on Consignment.

Just received, a good assortment of Ladies' Cardinals, Muffs, Boas, and Cuffs; Gentlemen's Fur Caps, of various qualities and patterns; Childrens' Fur Caps; Gentlemen's Beaver and Silk Hats; all of which are offered at very low prices. JOHN RUE. Chatham, 7th November, 1846.

Stage to Richibucto.

The Subscriber proposes running a STAGE Twice a Week between Chatham and Richibucto. He will leave Chatham on the mornings of TUESDAY and FRIDAY, at 9 o'clock, should TWO Passengers offer. Fare—Ten Shillings. The conveyance will be fitted up in a comfortable manner. PATRICK BURNS. Chatham, January 4, 1847.

Bankruptcy Notice.

County of Restigouche, in the Province of New Brunswick, in British North America.

In the matter of BENJAMIN MERRILL, of the Parish of Addington, in the County of Restigouche, in the Province of New Brunswick, Lumberer, a Bankrupt.

Whereas under the provisions of the Acts of the General Assembly of the Province aforesaid, made and in force relating to bankruptcy, a Fiat in bankruptcy has been awarded and issued, and is now in prosecution before me, the Commissioner named in the said Fiat, against the said bankrupt: Public Notice is therefore hereby given, that GEORGE DEBROS, of Campbellton, in the said county of Restigouche, Gentleman, has been appointed Provisional Assignee of the Estate and Effects of the said Bankrupt; and all persons indebted to the said bankrupt, or having in their possession power or custody, any property or effects of the said bankrupt, are hereby required to pay all such sum and sums of money, debts or duties, and to deliver up such property or effects to such Assignee, on or before the Ninth day of January next; and all creditors of the said bankrupt are hereby required to deliver in to the said Assignee, and to prove to my satisfaction, within three months from the date hereof, their respective claims and demands, whether the same be actually due or are to become due.

And notice is hereby further given, that it is appointed that a general meeting of the creditors of the said bankrupt shall be held on SATURDAY, the nineteenth day of December instant, at eleven of the clock in the forenoon of that day, at my office in Chatham, in the county of Northumberland; at which meeting the said bankrupt will be required to make a full discovery and disclosure of his estate and effects under oath. And also another general meeting of the said creditors shall be held on MONDAY, the eighteenth day of January next, at eleven of the clock in the forenoon, at my office aforesaid, for the purpose of receiving proof of or allowing or contesting any claim presented against the said estate. And at which last meeting, or some adjournment thereof, the said bankrupt will be required to finish his examination, and such other business relating to the said estate will be then and there transacted as may be deemed necessary. Given under my hand, at Chatham aforesaid, this Seventh day of December A. D., 1846. WM. CARMAN, Junior, Commissioner of the Estate and Effects of Bankrupts for the county of Restigouche.

For Sale or To Let.

The well known property situate in Saint George street, Bathurst, owned by Mr John Kerr, and at present occupied by Mr Robert Smith; it is a one and a half story house, 34 by 24 feet, with a good frost proof Cellar, a Kitchen running back 15 by 20 feet, with a good well of water at the door. There is on the premises an excellent Bar, with other Out Buildings. The premises are well adapted for a Public House. Possession will be given on or before the 1st of May next. The Lot of Land on which the House stands is 100 feet by 200. Also—a Lot of Land containing 100 acres, about half a mile from Getty's Ferry, on the East side of the Big river.

For further particulars enquire of Mr WM. LITTLE, Chatham, or of Mr ROBERT SMITH, on the premises. Bathurst, Dec. 31, 1846.

Copartnership Notice.

The Subscriber having this day taken into Copartnership his two sons, JOSEPH J., and WILLIAM E. SAMUEL, the business heretofore carried on by him will in future be conducted under the Firm of M. SAMUEL & SONS. M. SAMUEL. Chatham, 2nd January, 1847.

The Subscribers have on hand an extensive assortment of Dry Goods, Cutlery, and Earthenware. Also—Flour, Pork, Butter, Annapolis Cheese, Brandy, Gin, Wine, Jamaica Spirits, Sugar, Muscatel Raisins, &c., &c., which they will dispose of on reasonable terms for Cash or approved Credit, at their store in Chatham. They respectfully solicit a share of public patronage. M. SAMUEL & SONS.

Johnson & Mackie

—Have received by Recent Arrivals—

20 barrels Canada Fine FLOUR,
20 casks East India Pale ALE, in bottles,
6 casks Bosen's Ale, 6 casks Bosen's Porter,
50 barrels prime Pork, 10 lbs Mess Beef,
40 do Mess do., 100 bbls Apples,
20 boxes Cheese, 40 bbls Onions,
20 kegs Butter, 15 hhd's Sugar,
20 bbls Plaster of Paris, 7 puns Molasses,
50 bbls Canso Herrings, 5 puncheons Rum,
25 bbls Labrador do., 50 boxes Window
10 boxes Tobacco, [Glaze],
10 Jars Sauz, 10 Cooking Stoves,
—In Store—
400 quintals Codfish, 30 bbls Mackerel,
4 casks Sperm Oil, 5 casks Refined Oil,
3 do pale Seal do. 10 casks Cod Oil.
Chatham, 7th October, 1846.

CEDAR POLES.

WANTED, about Three Thousand CEDAR FENCE POLES, to be delivered by the 1st of June next. For further particulars apply to WM. LETSON. Chatham, 29th December, 1846.



Winter Arrangement FOR THE FREDERICTON and MIRAMICHI MAIL STAGE.

The Subscriber having entered into a Contract for conveying

Her Majesty's Mails,

Weekly, between Fredericton and Miramichi, via Nashwaak, begs leave to return his sincere thanks to the public for the very liberal patronage which he has hitherto received on the Southern route; and he now informs the public, that from and after the Fifth of January next, he will be prepared with comfortable Stages and good Horses, to carry Passengers and Luggage on the Fredericton route, and trusts that by strict attention to the comfort of travellers, the public will extend to him a liberal share of their patronage, on this route. Hours of starting as follows:—

Will leave the Royal Hotel, Chatham, every MONDAY morning, at 8 o'clock, A. M., and passing through Douglastown and Newcastle, will arrive in Fredericton on the following morning. Will leave the North American Hotel, Fredericton, every Friday morning at Ten o'clock, A. M., and will arrive in Miramichi on the following morning.

Each passenger will be entitled to carry with him a Trunk, not exceeding 40 pounds weight, a travelling bag, and hat box; all extra luggage, 2 1-2d per lb. All luggage to be at the risk of the owners. Passengers will please be punctual to the hours of starting.

The Southern route will be carried on by the subscriber as usual; and he will be prepared to forward passengers and luggage on either of the above routes, with extra stages, at all times, at reasonable rates.

WM. KELLY.

Miramichi, 11th December, 1846.

MAIL CONTRACT.

TENDERS addressed to the Deputy Post Master General, Saint John, will be received until 12 o'clock at noon, on MONDAY, the 8th day of March next, from such persons as may be willing to enter into a Contract for conveying Her Majesty's Mails, twice a week each way, between ST. JOHN, N. B., and AMHERST, N. S., commencing on and from the 6th day of July, 1847; the sum per annum to be stated in Halifax currency, for which they would be willing to perform the service.

The particulars of the Contract are, that the Mails shall be conveyed on such days and at such hours as the Deputy Post Master General may from time to time appoint, in a Wagon of suitable size, (to be approved of by an officer of the Department) to be drawn by not less than two horses. The mails to be carried at a rate of speed of not less than Seven miles per hour, including stoppages. The Contract will be entered into for three years, after which period either party shall have power to annul the same, by giving a notice of Three months. The Contractor will be bound to afford perfect security to the mails, and means to protect them against the weather.

TENDERS will at the same time be received for conveying the Mails on the above conditions three times per week each way between Saint John and Amherst.

J. HOWE, D. P. M. G.

General Post Office, New Brunswick, December 5, 1846.

Schoolmaster Wanted.

A TEACHER for School in District No 6, in the Parish of Newcastle, qualified to instruct the Youth in Reading, Spelling, Writing, Arithmetic, and English Grammar of good moral character and steady habits; who can produce satisfactory testimonials as to character and capability. Apply to either of the subscribers.

WILLIAM HENDERSON, RICHARD HUTCHISON, CHRISTOPHER WISHART, Trustees. Newcastle, 7th December, 1846.

Newly-invented Trusses.

An assortment of newly-invented TRUSSES, for sale by WM. FORBES. Chatham, Nov. 13, 1846.

NOTICE.

DR. PALLEN being about to leave Miramichi in a few weeks, requests all persons having accounts with him, to call and settle without delay. Chatham, December 1, 1846.

Removal.

DR. BENSON, SURGEON, &c., informs his friends and the public, that he has removed to the premises formerly occupied by the late R. BLACKSTOCK, Esq., in Chatham, where he may be consulted professionally, at Chatham, October 30, 1846.

Accordion for Sale.

A very superior London made Accordion with Books of INSTRUCTION for sale. Enquire at the Gleaner Office.