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Nec araneorum sane textus ideo melior, quia ea se fila gignunt, nec noster vilior quia ex alienis libamus ut apes.

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MIRAMICHI, TUESDAY EVENING, APRIL 4, 1848.

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STAGE COACH.

Summer Arrangement.

The subscriber will continue to run the Mail Stage between

Fredericton and Miramichi

During the present season, ONCE PER WEEK EACH WAY.

The Stage will leave the subscriber's residence, in Chatham, every MONDAY MORNING, at 9 o'clock; Douglastown at half past nine and Newcastle at 10 o'clock, and arrive in Fredericton the following morning at 9 o'clock. Will leave the North American Hotel, Fredericton, the following FRIDAY morning at 11 o'clock, and arrive in Chatham the day following at the same hour.

The subscriber has on this line, at all times a comfortable covered Coach, and a careful driver, who will afford every facility and accommodation to travellers.

FARE—£2. Each passenger will be entitled to carry with him 40 lbs of luggage; anything over that weight, 2 1/2 per lb.

Any person wishing to procure an Extra Conveyance from Chatham to Fredericton, can obtain the same on reasonable terms, at any time, by applying to the subscriber. He also keeps on hand Extras for the purpose of forwarding passengers by the above coach, desirous of getting to Shediac in time for the P. E. Island steamer.

WM. M. KELLY.

Miramichi, June, 1847.

N. B. Passengers will please be punctual to the hour of starting. All luggage at the risk of the owner.

Sheriff's Sales.

On the second SATURDAY in April, 1848, in front of Hamill's Hotel, Newcastle, between the hours of 12 and 5 o'clock, P. M., will be sold at Public Auction,

All the Real Estate, Right, Title, Interest, Property, Claim and Demand

Of Daniel Becket, in and to certain Land situate on the little South West branch of Miramichi; and all other the Real Estate of the said Daniel Becket, in the County of Northumberland. The same being taken by me under Execution issued out of the Supreme Court at the suit of Peter Mitchell against the said Daniel Becket.

JOHN M. JOHNSON,

Sheriff of Northumberland.

Sheriff's Office, 4th October, 1847.

On Monday the 29th May, 1848, in front of Messrs. M Samuel & Son's store, Chatham, between the hours of 12 and 5 o'clock, A. M., will be sold at Public Auction,

All the Real Estate, Right, Title, Interest, property, claim, and demand of William McKinnon, in and to the lower half of a Lot, now in the occupation of Hugh McKinnon, situate at the mouth of Bay de Vis River, in the parish of Glenelg.

Also—all other the Real Estate of the said Wm. McKinnon, in the County of Northumberland, the same having been seized by me under an Execution issued out of the Supreme Court at the suit of J. T. Williston, Esquire against the said William McKinnon.

JOHN M. JOHNSON, Sheriff.

Sheriff's Office, 23d November, 1847.

CO-PARTNERSHIP.

The subscribers having entered into Co. PARTNERSHIP, as Attorneys and Solicitors under the firm of *Johnson & Mitchell*, the business will be conducted by Mr. Johnson in Chatham, and Mr. Mitchell at Newcastle.

J. M. JOHNSON, Jun.,

P. MITCHELL, Jun.

Miramichi, 1st November, 1847.

NOTICE TO FARMERS.

The Subscribers have for Sale—

6 Fanning Machines,

of superior description. Copies of the one imported by them last fall, which has been so highly approved of. The above articles are manufactured here, and well worthy the attention of our Farmers. Terms liberal.

JOHNSON & MACKIE.

Chatham, Feb. 22, 1847.

All persons having any just demands against the Estate of the late JOHN LYONS, late of the parish of Newcastle, Farmer, deceased, are requested to render the same duly attested, within three months, and all persons indebted to the said Estate will please make immediate payment to

RICHARD HUTCHISON } Executors

JOHN PORTER,

Newcastle, February 4, 1848.

County of Northumberland.

Province of New Brunswick, and British North America.

In the matter of JOHN C. CRAIGAN, of Chatham, in the County of Northumberland, in the Province of New Brunswick, Book keeper, 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 of Bankruptcy, has been awarded and issued, and is now in prosecution before me, the commissioner named, and the said fiat against the said Bankrupt: PUBLIC NOTICE is therefore, hereby given, that William Leson, of Chatham, aforesaid Esq. 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 sums or sums of money, debts or duties, and to deliver up such property or effects to the said assignee, on or before the FIRST DAY OF MAY NEXT; and all creditors of the said Bankrupt are hereby required, to deliver 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 are 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 WEDNESDAY, the 19th day of April next, at twelve o'clock, noon, of the same day at my office in Chatham, aforesaid; and also another General Meeting of the creditors of the said Bankrupt, shall be held at my office, aforesaid, on MONDAY, the first day of May next, at twelve o'clock noon, of the same day, for the purpose of receiving proof of, or allowing or contesting any claim presented against the said estate, at one of which meetings, the said Bankrupt will be required to surrender himself to me, the commissioner named in the said Fiat, and to make full discovery and disclosure of his estate and effects, and on oath; and at the last of such meetings, or at some adjournment thereof, he will be required to furnish 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 this 22nd day of March, 1848.

W. CARMAN, Jun.

Commissioner of the Estate and Effects of Bankrupts for the County of Northumberland.

Fruit Trees, Ornamental Trees, Shrubs, &c.

Frederick L. Harris,

NURSERYMAN & FLORIST.

Would intimate to the inhabitants of Miramichi, that he has commenced business in the above line, at Richmond, in the suburbs of the city of Halifax, where he has a very extensive and choice selection of—Fruit Trees, Ornamental Trees, Shrubs, Evergreens, Roses, Evergreen and Hardy Herbaceous Plants, and Flower seeds.

Orders left at the Gleaner Office, Chatham, will receive attention, and be shipped early in the spring. Catalogues may also be obtained at the same place, which will give intending purchasers every information respecting prices and varieties on hand.

In the list of Hardy Herbaceous Plants will be found many species that will prove of the greatest acquisition to every Flower Garden, in fact indispensable to every collector.

The Fruit department has had my especial attention, and shall use my utmost abilities to introduce every new kind worthy of cultivation. Trees of every sort will be planted for fruiting as soon as received, and those that are suitable for this climate will be cultivated extensively.

The public will infer from the immense collections brought before their notice, that no pains has been or will be spared to gather together an assortment unrivalled by any other establishment.

The prices of Trees, Roses, &c are attached to each kind with the exception of Fruit Trees, which are stated under each class, they are for Trees of suitable size for transplanting with success.

The best season for transplanting Trees, &c. is in April and May, September and October, either of which months they may be planted with entire success, persons residing at a distance had better forward their orders early in March or August.

All orders from unknown correspondents, must contain a remittance or reference to some respectable person in Halifax.

January, 1848.

Provincial Legislature

OF NEW BRUNSWICK.

HOUSE OF ASSEMBLY.

March 17.

To Mary McLeod, of the Parish of Alnwick, in the County of Northumberland, Widow of an old Soldier of the Revolutionary War, the sum of £10 to relieve her in her destitute circumstances.

To His Excellency the Lieutenant Governor or Administrator of the Government for the time being, the sum of £100 annually, for three successive years, for the purpose of encouraging the running a good, sufficient and seaworthy Steam Boat, of not less than fifty horse power, and skilfully navigated, between the City of St. John and the Head of the Bay of Fundy; the same to be paid to the Proprietor or Proprietors of such Boat, at the expiration of each and every year, for three successive years as aforesaid, on satisfactory certificates being produced to His Excellency in Council, that a Boat, answering the above description has run between the City of St. John and Dorchester and Bend of Petitediac, once a Week alternately, during the usual period of navigation, (unavoidable accidents excepted,) for the accommodation of Passengers and conveyance of Freight.

Mr. Partelow, from the Committee appointed on the 19th day of January last, and to whom was referred the state of all the Roads of Communication in the Province, with directions to report what sums will be required for the repairing and improving thereof, submitted a Report; and he having read the same, handed it in at the Clerk's Table, where it was again read. The following are extracts:—

GREAT ROADS.

From Dorchester to Shediac,	£75 0 0
Shediac to Petitediac,	190 0 0
Richibucto to Chatham, including Bridges,	450 0 0
Newcastle to Bathurst,	300 0 0
Bathurst to Belledoune,	300 0 0
Belledoune to Metis Road,	500 0 0
Shediac to Richibucto,	400 0 0
Fredericton to Petitediac	400 0 0
Bathurst to Miramichi, via Pokemouche,	350 0 0
Saint John to the Novascotia line	1,800 0 0
Fredericton to St. John, via Nerepis	1,090 0 0
Saint John to Saint Andrews	700 0 0
Nerepis to Gagetown	75 0 0
Fredericton to Woodstock	1,050 0 0
Woodstock to Arestock	700 0 0
Arestock to Grand Falls	425 0 0
Fredericton to Finger Board	400 0 0
Belleisle to Saint John	100 0 0
Fredericton to Newcastle	900 0 0
Fredericton to Saint Andrews	600 0 0
Salisbury to Hopewell	500 0 0
Waweg to Saint Stephen	150 0 0
Woodstock to Boulton	75 0 0
Oromocto to Gagetown	100 0 0
Oak Bay to Eel River	550 0 0
Grand Falls to Canada Line	900 0 0
Saint John to Quaco	200 0 0
Hampton to Belleisle,	75 0 0

SPECIAL GRANTS.

Towards completing and covering the bridge over the South West Branch Miramichi River.	£200 0 0
Christopher's to Forks of Upsalquitch, Portage Road,	100 0 0
From Christophers to Mouth of Upsalquitch,	150 0 0
Bend of Petitediac to Richibucto via Irishtown,	100 0 0
Road over Shippegan Plains,	100 0 0
From Newcastle Bridge to the Gaspereau, through the Hardwood Ridge	150 0 0
From Pabineau Falls to Chaplin Island Road,	100 0 0
Road from Dixon's Ferry to Corry's, Bartibog,	100 0 0
Towards Bridges, at Black River, Northumberland, and improving the Road to Escuminac	100 0 0
Towards paying for plankng Bathurst Bridge the past year,	100 0 0
For the Pabino Bridge,	100 0 0
For the Bridges on the Road leading from St. Nicholas River, up the South side of the Richibucto.	50 0 0
For a Bridge across the Richibucto River, at or near the head of the Tide,	200 0 0
Towards building a Bridge across Daigle's Creek, Kent,	50 0 0

BYE ROADS.

Gloucester,	£875 0 0
Northumberland,	1,296 5 0
Restigouche,	893 15 0
Westmoreland,	1,130 0 0
Kent,	842 0 0

Lower Landing Grand Falls, to American Boundary,	50 0 0
Cole Island to Cape Tormentine,	225 0 0
Pickard's Store to American Boundary,	50 0 0

Your Committee would earnestly recommend, that in all cases where new Bridges are to be erected, if practicable, Stone should be used instead of Wood materials, for although the first outlay would be materially increased, a great saving would in the end be effected.

The usual Grant of £400 is also recommended through the Lands of the Nova Scotia and New Brunswick Land Company.

The Hon. Mr. Hazen, from the Committee on the subject of the Post Office Department, submitted their Report; and he having read the same, handed it in at the Clerk's Table, where it was again read. Extracts therefrom—

The Committee appointed on the 24th day of January last, to take into consideration matters referred to them relating to the Post Office Establishment in this Province, have had before them the following Petitions, and beg leave to report as follows:—

Petition of John Frizel and others, praying that a Grant for conveying the Mail from Bathurst to Shippegan be increased. Recommended that it be increased to £40.

Petition of Henry Swim, praying compensation for Ferrying Mails over the North West Miramichi. Recommended that £10 be granted him in full of all claims for his service.

Petition from John Bell and others, praying that a Grant may be made to Captain James Walsh for running a Packet during the past year between Shediac and Prince Edward Island. Recommended that the sum of £10 be granted him for this service up to the fourteenth June last, when the Steamer commenced her trips.

Petition of Wm. Napier and others, praying aid towards running a Packet between Bathurst and the North side Baie de Chaleur. The Committee cannot recommend that a Grant be made for this undertaking until it is known what support Canada will afford it.

Petition of Wm. Kelly and others for a Grant of £120 per annum, to afford a semi-weekly Mail and further accommodation to Passengers on the route between Fredericton and Miramichi. Referred to the consideration of the House.

The Committee recommend, that the Grants of 1847 for Post-Communications, as therein referred, be continued; and that the following scale of Appropriations for the current year be adopted, as consistent with this report—

Bathurst to Pokemouche, via Shippegan, increased to	£40 0 0
Miramichi to Dalhousie,	100 0 0
Miramichi and Pokemouche, and Shippegan, increased to	45 0 0

The Committee are not prepared to submit for the consideration of the House, any project for the management of the Post Office in this Province, until information is received of the nature of the measures prepared by His Lordship the Governor General, for the like object in Canada; and crave leave to make a further Report.

March 21.

To His Excellency the Lieutenant Governor or Administrator of the Government for the time being, the sum of £30 to enable him to pay the Managing Committee of the Roman Catholic School at Bathurst, in aid towards the support of said School.

To His Excellency the Lieutenant Governor or Administrator of the Government for the time being, the sum of £—— in payment of the balance due Francis Elliot for the erection of a Bridge over Bathurst Basin, in the County of Gloucester, including allowance for extra works in raising the height of the bridge, in full of all demands for principal, interest and extra work, for and on account of said Bridge, and as a final settlement of the transaction.

Upon the question for sustaining this resolution, the Committee divided as follows.—Yeas—20. Nays—14.

And it was thereupon carried in the affirmative, and the black filled up with the sum of £350.

To the Justices of the Peace for the County of Kent the sum of £21 12s. 6d. to reimburse them expenses incurred in sending William Chiswell to the Provincial Penitentiary, under the direction of the Executive Government.

To John Johnson, a licensed Teacher, the sum of £10 for Teaching a School, in the Parish of Dundas, County of Kent, for the period of six months ending the 13th February, 1847.

To James Wuten, a licensed Teacher, the sum of £20 in consideration of his giving instructions in the higher Branches of Education during the years 1846 and 1847, there being no Grammar School in the County of Kent.