

town. And we tell the authorities, and we speak advisedly, that the people of the town will not allow such a hazardous measure to be carried into effect without united and strenuous opposition.

**THE MACKAREL FISHERY.**—A gentleman who came up from Point Escuminac a few days ago, informs us, that during the last fortnight there have been from forty to fifty American schooners about two miles from the point, the crews of which have been busily occupied catching mackarel; and so abundant are the fish, that they have hired persons from the shore to assist them. Some of them had 300 barrels on board. How many persons belonging to our County are employed in this lucrative business? We are afraid the answer will be—none, still persons complain of the hardness of the times, and the want of employment.

**HAY HARVEST.**—The hay harvest is now become general, and our agricultural friends have been favoured with most delightful weather to make their hay, and to house it in good condition.

**QUARANTINE, QUEBEC.**—The latest accounts from Grosse Isle report that the number of sick in hospital was 105, at the healthy division for the purpose of purifying, 1,156.

**WOODSTOCK.**—We are indebted to the New Brunswick for the following brief summary of the result of the trials for riot.

The Woodstock trials have at length been concluded, and the result is as follows: seven of the parties convicted of riot, and twenty seven of unlawful assembly. The former were sentenced to the provincial penitentiary for different periods, viz: three for one year, two for eight months, one for six months, and one for four months. Twenty one of the latter have been sent to Woodstock gaol for one month, three for six months, and three for three months. Fifteen were acquitted.

**CHILL.—Dreadful Fire and Earthquake.**—The New York Sun has the following distressing news from this quarter of the globe.

Santiago, the capital of Chili, was visited by another destructive fire, on the night of the 12th of April. It commenced on the western side of the Plaza de la Independencia. The flames spread with great rapidity, and soon enveloped a row of beautiful buildings called *palacio*, ornamented with elegant pillars, &c. The loss of goods alone is estimated at half a million of dollars.

Several lives are said to have been lost. While the fire was raging a strong shock of an earthquake occurred. This added greatly to the general alarm; and this was further increased by a second fire, which broke out in another part of the city. It is stated as a remarkable fact, that in the city of Santiago, with a population of 100,000 inhabitants, there were only two fire engines.

**PRINCE EDWARD'S ISLAND.**—The *Charlottetown Gazette* contains the following gratifying intelligence respecting the crops in that Province.

Having had an opportunity of a short excursion into the country, we could not but be struck with the remarkably fine and very healthy appearance of the crops of both Grain and Potatoes at the present time—wheat and barley are generally in ear.—Potatoes in blossom, and never, we think was there a better promise. The backward weather experienced shortly after seed time, seems not at all to have impeded the progress of vegetation, which is now nearly at its height. Although the Clover and grasses will be good. By the blessing of an indulgent Providence, P. E. will, in a few weeks we hope be recovered from her present unusual state of dependence upon external supplies for the support of her inhabitants.

**NEW BRUNSWICK.**—The person arrested at Calais, in the State of Maine, on suspicion of being Bowes the murderer, proves not to be that person.

His Excellency the Lieutenant Governor and Lady Head, arrived on a visit to St. John, on Monday last. He purposed returning to the seat of Government on Saturday.

An Irish league has been formed in St. John, the object of which is 'to promote and disseminate a true knowledge of the state of Ireland, and to assist that country in obtaining an independent Parliament.'

**THE UNITED STATES.**—The *Montreal Herald* gives the following specimen of our American neighbours reciprocal principle of 'Free Trade.'

Many of our mercantile readers are ignorant of a fact, which the late enterprising merchants from our ports to Chicago, has brought under our notice, namely, that Foreign and British goods, not being the produce of

the British Colonies, are subject to a duty of ten per cent., on their introduction into the inland ports of the United States, over and above that levied on the same goods imported into New York or any other of their seaports. For example, Salt—Foreign or British—if imported from Liverpool to New York, pays a duty of 20 per cent. *ad valorem*, while if imported via the St Lawrence, to Chicago, it pays 30 per cent.—It is the same with British crockery, cutlery, dry goods, &c.—and thus, has the shipper to New York, a bonus of 10 per cent. in his favour over the shipper to Montreal, in so far as the United States' markets are concerned.

**CANADA.**—The Irish Monster Meeting recently attempted to be got up by delegates from New York, turned out to be an entire failure. Not more than 300 persons attended.

We copy the annexed from the *Quebec Gazette* of the 19th instant.

About 2 o'clock, p. m., yesterday, the steamer *Free Trader* arrived at this port from Michigan city, at the head of Lake Michigan, with a cargo of 6,434 bushels of Indian Corn for H. J. Noad & Co. The *Free Trader* is the first vessel direct from the Far West to Quebec. She has made a very fair voyage. She left Michigan on Friday the 7th inst., making the voyage—2,360 miles—in 11 days.

The Suspension Bridge at Niagara Falls, was opened to foot passengers on the 4th of July, when large numbers crossed and recrossed on the foot-bridge. The work is rapidly progressing.

'We understand,' says the *Hamilton Gazette*, 'that it is not the intention to erect the Railway Bridge until it is absolutely required for that purpose. The bridge for the passage of horses, waggons &c., will be completed during the present season. The stock of this Company must in a short time prove the best on the continent.'

#### LIVERPOOL TIMBER MARKET.

The supplies of North American colonial Wood since the 1st February have been brought in 59 vessels, viz: 7 from Quebec, 35 from St. John, N. B., and 17 from other ports, which have occupied a tonnage of 35,765; during the same time last year there arrived 42 vessels, the tonnage being 24,020. From the North of Europe 37 vessels, 12,441 tons, Wood laden have arrived; whilst for the like time last year, 30 vessels, 10,055 tons, arrived. In our last circular we referred to the various causes which then operated to depress the general trade of the country. It is, however, satisfactory to observe they are now, in some measure, being removed—the dreaded consequences of the disturbances in Europe are diminished—our national finances prove in a much more satisfactory state than anticipated, and confidence as to an approaching improvement in the value of produce, as well as of other property, is taking place. Already the public funds have advanced 4 per cent; and should a bountiful harvest be realised, a return to that wonted activity in trade, to which the country has unfortunately been so long a stranger, will be greatly accelerated. During the last fortnight there has been a growing confidence, that the market for wood has passed the utmost point of depression; the demand has, consequently, become good, and hitherto at an advance in the prices, which seems likely to be fully maintained. The Quebec cargoes, which have arrived up to this time, with the exception of one in the river, have been sold at 14d to 14½ per foot for Yellow Pine, 15d per foot for Red, 22d to 23d per foot for Oak, 16d to 17½ per foot for Elm, £7 per standard for Spruce, and £7 10 to £7 15 per standard for Yellow Pine Deals. Since the 1st instant, St. John's cargoes, upon arrival, have been placed at from 15 to 17½ per foot, for averages ranging from 16½ to 19½ inches, with Birch at 14d per foot and Spruce Deals at £7 10 per standard. Cargoes of St. Stephen's St. John's, and St. Andrews Spruce Deals have been sold at £5 to £8 5 per standard, and middling quality St. John's and Dorchester at £7 10 to £7 16 7 per standard.—*Duncan & Ewing.*

**TRADE TO THE UNITED STATES.**—The new schooner *Clarinda* left here on Friday last for Boston, with a cargo of Miramichi Notions, consisting of grindstones, preserved fish, put up in tin cases, railroad sleepers, shingles, old iron, and several other trifles, together with several worthless Apprentices, who clandestinely left the employ of their masters, one of whom was a worthy from our establishment. The cargo (with the exception of the last-named item) was shipped by Messrs Johnson & Mackie.

#### Marriages.

On Thursday, the 27th July, by the Rev. W. Henderson, Mr CHARLES SOMMERS, to Miss JANE MENZIES, both of the Parish of Northesk.

#### Deaths.

On Friday morning, 14th July, at Kouchibouguac, Mr ROBERT GREGAN, aged 47 years, leaving a wife and four children to lament their irretrievable loss.

We have made an error in the date of our paper on the first page—31st July instead of the—1st August.

#### ARRIVALS AT THE BRUNSWICK HOUSE, AT RICHIBUCTO.

July 26.—Richard Hocken, Esq., Bathurst, 25th—J. Sowerby, Weldford; Hon. James Peters and Lady, P. E. Island; Mr Winthrop Young, Calais, Maine; Mr Sprague, Boston; Mr R. A. Ford, Woldford; Mr Bennett, Petcodiac; Mr James Dawson, Bathurst, 29th—Mr Wm. Shirley, New Hampshire, U. S.

#### ARRIVALS AT BEA'S HOTEL.

Jas. Dawson, New Bandon; Rev. Mr. Law, Richibucto; J. H. Harding, Shippegau; Jas. McPhelan Buctouche; Mrs. O'Brien and Son, Bathurst; Chas. Weldon, Richibucto; Hutchison, Richibucto, Wm. McArthur, Charlottetown, P. E. Island; Theo. Desbrisay, Esq., Bathurst; Mrs. L. H. Harding, St. John; John Henry Law, New Bandon; G. P. McKay, Charlottetown; Capt. Simon, ship Grampion, of Liverpool, Mrs. Read and Nephew, Charlottetown; M. O'Brien, Bathurst; Alex. Brown, do.; Edward Patten Kouchibouguac; G. Cole, Calais, Maine; Peabody Stymast, Shippegau; S. B. Hetherington, Richibucto; Wm. Shirley, Lancaster, New Hampshire; Wm. Parker, South West; A. McNeil, Esq., Bathurst; Jas. Dawson, Sackville; Joseph More, St. John; Sprague, U. S.; Robert S. Moran, Esq., St. John; Henry Bowser, Bathurst; Geo. Bossoneault, Bonaventure; Ferdinand Bosson-eault, do.; E. Martel, New Carlisle; Joseph Ayer, Esq., Sackville.

#### Ship News.

##### PORT OF MIRAMICHI.

ENTERED.—July 27.—sch Margaret Elizabeth, McDougall, New York. Gilmour Rankin & Co., and Duncan & Loch.  
29th—Defiance, Curry, Halifax; St. Helen, Joncas, Quebec.  
CLEARED.—July 27.—sch Clarinda, Boig, Boston.  
28th—Josephett, Langlais, Quebec; brig Peter, Scorsfield, Dartington.  
29th.—sch Manilla, O'Brian, Newfoundland.

The mate of the John Craig, the vessel which was lost near the entrance of Shippegau harbour a short time since, called upon us last evening and informed us that the body of Captain Walton, was recovered on the 14th July, and interred on the 17th, his remains being accompanied to the grave by a large concourse of the inhabitants. The bodies of the four seamen and boy were also picked up and decently interred.

##### PORT OF SHEDIAC.

CLEARED.—July 22.—sch Harmony, McFarlane, Newfoundland, boards.  
25th.—bark Elizabeth, Gilbertson, London, deals.

##### SAILINGS FROM BRITAIN.

Miramichi.—Mariner, from the Clyde.  
Richibucto.—Hartly, from Liverpool.  
Gaspe.—Saint George, from Jersey.

#### Highland Society.

At a General Court of Directors of the Highland Society, of New Brunswick, at Miramichi, will be holden at Hamill's Hotel, Newcastle, on the second Tuesday in August next, at 12 o'clock, noon.

A. FRASER, Junr, Hon. Secretary.  
Miramichi, July 30, 1845.

#### CAUTION!

All persons are hereby cautioned against giving my wife Ann any credit on my account, as I will not be accountable for any debts she may contract.

THOMAS MAY.  
Bartholomew's River, Parish of Blackville.  
July 21, 1845.

#### TO LET,

And possession given immediately, the pleasantly situated Residence, at present occupied by the family of H. C. D. Carman. For further particulars apply at the Gleaner Office, Chatham, July 31, 1845.

#### WANTED.

An Apprentice at the Gleaner Office, a lad of good character, who can read and write. Chatham, August 1.

#### AUCTION IN NAPAN,

On Monday, 7th August, at 11 o'clock, at the Residence of Mr. Archibald Campbell, in Napan, will be sold by Public Auction: 2 Stout Working HORSES, 18 tons of Up-land HAY, 5 Acres of OATS, now growing, 3 COWS, 4 two year old HEIFERS. Terms at sale.

JAMES JOHNSON, Auctioneer.  
Chatham, 29th July, 1845.

#### Notice.

The Subscriber hereby gives Notice, that from and after the date hereof, he will not pay for any debts contracted by his Wife and Family.

AMPROSE C. COMMONY.  
Bathurst, July 25, 1845.

#### New Brunswick.

##### COUNTY OF NORTHUMBERLAND,

To the Sheriff of the County of Northumberland, or any Constable of the said County, GREETING.

Whereas, JOHN BOYCE, late of the Parish of Blackville, in the said County, Yeoman, lately died Intestate (as it is said), leaving Goods and Chatties in the said County to be administered, and John MacCormack, of the Parish of Blackville, and the said County, Farmer, had prayed that Administration may be granted to him on the said Estate. You are therefore required to cite the 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 Chatham, in the said County, on FRIDAY, the 18th day of AUGUST next, at eleven of the clock in the forenoon, to shew cause why Administration on the said Estate should not be granted to the said Applicant: Given under my Hand, and the Seal of the said Court, this seventeenth day of July, 1845.

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

#### Brunswick House.

##### AT RICHIBUCTO, COUNTY OF KENT.

The subscriber begs leave to announce to the public generally, that he has become the proprietor of the House formerly owned by Wilmot W. Nash, in the town of Richibucto, which has undergone considerable alterations and improvements, and is now furnished in good order to accommodate the Public: either Travellers or steady Boarders will find a quiet and comfortable house; and the subscriber pledges himself that no effort on his part shall be wanting to render the stay of those visiting the Brunswick House pleasant and agreeable. Good Sabling attached to the premises.

JOSEPH WETMORE.  
Richibucto, July 22, 1845.

#### Farm to Sell or Let.

That FARM in rear of Douglastown, in the Parish of Newcastle, Farmed by Mr. George Mitchell, and owned by John Porter Esqr, containing 150 acres, 50 acres of which is cleared and in first rate order, being all recently tilled, with a good House and BARN with Byers fit to contain from 20 to 25 head of cattle. If not sold soon, it will be let for such number of years as may be agreed upon, and entry given the 1st day of November next. Also—

To be Sold, that FARM in rear of the late John Lyons, Farm, at Moothfield, bounded on the west by Richard Contair, and on the east by Mrs. Gekie, with considerable cleared Land upon it and well watered.

For further particulars apply to  
JOHN PORTER.  
Douglastown, July 21, 1845.

#### For Sale.

The LOT of LAND fronting on the north side of Miramichi River, nearly opposite middle Island, known as Lot No. 43, containing 100 Acres. There is a snug dwelling HOUSE on the Lot, and from 8 to 10 acres of cleared Land. The front abounds in free stone, fit for building purposes, and has a good Salmon Fishery. The premises are at present in the occupation of Mr. James McIntosh. For Terms and further particulars, apply at the office of

GEORGE KERR.  
Chatham, May 29, 1845.

#### For Sale.

For Sale—That VALUABLE FARM, situated on the south side of the North West Branch of Miramichi River; owned and lately occupied by John Fittimore. The Farm contains about 100 acres, of which 7 acres are fit for a crop—30 acres more consist of Hay Land, and 30 acres of Pasture Land: making about 70 acres of cleared, all of which is nearly clear of stumps. The Fences are all Cedar, and in fair order. There is a good 1½ story Dwelling House on the premises, partly finished, and a good framed barn, 30 by 40 feet shingled on the roof and floored. There is also a good Spring near the House. For terms of sale and other particulars, apply at the office of

GEORGE KERR.  
Chatham, May 29, 1845.

#### Flour, Flour, Flour.

##### NOW LANDING.

#### Ex Schooner "Pacifique"

##### FROM QUEBEC,

150 bbls Fine and Superfine Quebec Flour, (finest brands,) Mess and Prime Pork, White Wine Vinegar, 2 casks of excellent Cheeses, 15 barrels of bottled Porter and Ales, Per Schooner 'MESSENGER' from Halifax bbls. Molasses and brown Sugar, Paio Sea Oil, Lime Juice, Crookilla, Superior Lemon Syrup, Double refined Sugar, boxes of Digby Herring, Turkey Fig in drums, one cask Superior Port Wine, together with his usual stock of Groceries, will sell at the lowest rates for Cash, or in Barter for Salmon Alewives and Country produce.

Wm. ALANO LUTSON.  
Commer Building, Chatham,  
May 23, 1845.