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And Scotland from tyranny gallantly saved, How deer is the land of the heather.

Then, land of the greenwood, so fair and so A son of the bonnet and feather

Can ne'er be forgetful of freedom and thee,
Who sighs for the land of the heather.

Editor's Department.

MIRAMICHI: CHATHAM, TUESDAY, Nov. 28, 1848

The Subscriber having been compelled to consume a large amount of time, and incur considerable expense, in his too of enfuncies endeavours to collect his far-spread Ontslanding Debie, hereby notifies all persons to whom he is not indebted, and with whom he his not a conning account, that orders for advertising in the Gleaner, and for Printing in fature, must be accompanied with the CASH otherwise they will not meet with altention.

JAMES A. PIERCE.

THE CITY OF SAINT JOHN.—The following article copied from the New Brunswicker, will furnish our readers with an idea of the wretched plight in which the Corporate property is at present. There must have been great neglect of dury on the part of the city officers or same thing were no place the atcers, or something worse, to place the affairs of the city in such an awkward dilemma.

The Courier of Saturday contains a notice from the Sheriff's office, in the usual form, that the whole of the real estate of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the city of Saint John, will be sold by the Sheriff in May next, to satisfy an execution issued out of the Su-

o satisfy an execution issued out of the Supreme Court.

All the city lots and waterside property on both sides the harbour, with Navy Island, Partridge Island, the Islands in the Falls, the lands in Lancaster, the flats in Courtenay bay, the Court House, the Gaol, the Orphan Asylum, the Market House, the Mayor's Office, the Engiae Houses, the Breakwater, the Ferrylandings, the Hay Scales, the Slippagu—everything in fact which belongs to the City, in its corporate capacity, has been siezed; and the Citizens of St John have the mortification and disgrace of seeing their extensive and va-

the Citizens of St John have the mortification and disgrace of seeing their extensive and valuable real estate, with their public buildings and property of every description, offered for sale by the Sheriff.

Owing to the bad faith, bad management. loose system of accounts, corruption, recklessness, and extravagance of former Boards of Com non Council, the whole of the property sow advertised by the Sheriff, has been mort-ranged to Trustees, to secure certain city cre-Faged to Trustees, to secure certain city creditors for £116,000 or thereabouts. The cators for £116,000 or thereabouts. The Sheriff will now sell the equity of redemption only, and that being gone, farewell to the city property forever. We predicted this termination to city affairs nearly seven years ago, and were then heartily abused; the outrageous conduct of the common council and its officers could lead to no other result, and here we have the consummation, publicly and officially before us. ly before us.

Notwithstanding all that has occurred, seve-tal of the men who were steeped to the lips in the extravagance and misconduct of former day. days, have been year after year returned to only, have been year affective to the common council, where they still sit to laok stupidly and helplessly apon the rain and disgrace they have brought upon their fellow citizens. Those who have so long continued to uphold these men in office, have obtained their instrument.

their just reward.

But as to the last and final blow it may be taked—who is it that hath done this? It hapcaked—who is it that both done this! It happeas that the plaintiff in the suit against the
city, and upon whose execution the city property is to be sold, is John R. Partelow, as exscutor of the late Agnes Campbell!!! It needed only thisto render the chinax complete.—
The end Crowns the Work.

ST. JOHN AND SHEDIAC RAILWAY .-It appears that the survey of this route is completed, and that Mr. Wilkinson, the rincipal Surveyor, has proceeded to dead Quarters, to make up his plans and teport: (No serious difficulties were found h the way, but on the contrary, the country is reported to be admirably adapled for a railway. We hope this imporsink into obligion, as many others of a similar nature have been.

Sr. John.—The Mechanics' Institute of this city was opened on Monday week, when a lecture was delivered by the len L. A. Wilmor, which is highly spoten of ken of 3

STRAMERS SETWEEN MONTREAL AND deal of the Quebec Mercuty says:

The first attempt at Steam navigation oc- he Parish of Weldford, County of Kente

And the first lover's garland that o'er I wove,
Was called from the bloom of the heather.

Was called from the bloom of the heather.

The vessel will be a propeller of 830 tons burthen, and three handred horse power. She is an excellent sailer, and it is expected will make the passage from Quebec in fifteen days. I hope the experiment may

> THE CANADA. - Willmer & Smith's European Times furnishes the following notice of this new Steamer, of the Cunard

The last of the newly built ships belonging to the British and North American Royal Mail Steamship Company has reached the Mersey. The Canada, under the command of Captain Judkins, arrived here on Tuesday, and judging from the time she took in running from Glasgow to this port, she induces the belief that if anything she will excel her sister tivals for speed. Like all the other ships belonging to the company, particularly those lately built, the Canada is a beautiful model, and well put together. Her materials, both wood and iron, are of the best description, and the arrangements for passengers of the most The last of the newly built ships belonging wood and iron, are of the best description, and the arrangements for passengers of the most ample and satisfactory kind. But we need not further alfude to her beauty and appearance, inasmuch as she sets out for New York on the 25th inst., and both there and at Halifax our friends will have an opportunity not only of judging her as a model, but also of duly estimating her great power and speed. It only remains for us to congratulate Captain Judkins on his new charge, and to express our hope that he may be as successful in his command of the Canada, as he has hitherto been in the other ships belonging to the company.

SENSIBLE. The Hungarian Minister, Cossuth, challenged the editor of the Allgeimen Zeitung, but the editor coolly answered, that any fool might give a chal-lenge, but two fools were needed for a

DESTRUCTIVE FIRE AT POKEMOUCHE.— We are sorry to have it to record, that the new Chapel in course of erection at Pokemouche, in the County of Gloucester, was discovered to be on fire on the morning of Wednesday, the 15th inst, which was soon communicated to the vestry adjoining, and the old chapel, situate a short distance from it. The three buil dings, in a very short space of time, were reduced to a heap of ashes. The new building was 120 feet long, 44 feet wide and 26 feet posts, with a fine tower. The outside was completed, and all the window-sashes were in the building, ready to be placed, together with much of the inside finishing. The loss, a Correspon-dent informs us, cannot be less than

Mr. Dwyre, the master builder and architect, has suffered severely. He lost all his tools, wearing apparel, £10 in cash, and a quantity of produce, which had been collected in payment of his work. The two men in his employ (James Mann and Martin Deverick) have also lost their tools, and other things of value, as nothing was saved from the building.

building.

It is impossible to say how the accident originated, as Mr. Dwyre had carefully put out the fire which was in the stove, the evening previous, and thrown a quantity of water on the shavings, in presence of Mr. Landry, one of the Elders, and several other individuals, who remained in the vestry after he had left the premises. The huilding was got up by public subscription, principally among the inhabitants of the settlement, and the loss will be severely telt by them, more particularly in these depressed times.

To Correspondents. - Phrenogasto came to hand too late for insertion today. All lengthy articles are requested to be in our office not later than Saturday evening, to ensure them publication in the following Tuesday's paper.

THE SEASON. -The weather has been very changeable during the week. We have had most copious showers of rain, and but little frost. The ground is free cf snow, and our river of ice, for two or three days past. WAll the outward bound vessels have taken their departure. Last night was calm and frosty, and there was considerable ice in the river this morning.

NIGHT WATON .- A supscription paper is being hunded round for the payment of a Nightly Watch in Chatham, during the winter nights. A most excellent and judicious movement.

Marriages.

At the house of the bride's father, on the 14th inst., by the Rev. James Law, A. M., Mr. THOMAS INVING, to Miss ELIZABETH ROBINSON, both of the Parish of Weldford, County of Kent.

On the 15th instant, by the same, at the house of the bride's father, Mr. WILLIAM RODGERS, to Miss ELLEN LITTLE, both of

At Richibucto, on the 22d instant, by the same, Mr. RICHARD ENGLISH, to Miss NANCY FITZGERALD, both of the Parish of Richibucto.

On the 23d inst. by the Rev. John McCurdy, Mr. Philip J. Hierling, to Miss Marky Wason, both of the Parish of Alnwick.

Deaths:

At the Rock Heads, in the parish of Chatham, on the 11th November, Mr John Man-DERSON, aged 60 years.

Ship News.

PORT OF MIRAMICHI.

ENTERED-Nov 20-Sch Caroline, Bell, P. E. Island; Henry Carman, Campbell, P.E. Island.

22-Irene, Garret, Halifux: Irish Lass, Cahil, P. E. Island; Sarah, Walsh, do. 23-Retief, Powell, Richibucto.

CLEARED—Nov 21—sch Clarinda, Boig, Newfoundland; Caroline, Bell, P. E. Island; 22—frish Lass, Cahil, do.; Irone, Garret, Halifax. 24—Henry Carman, Campbell, P. E. Island; Relief, Powell; Richibucto; Experiment, Murphy, Halifax. 25—Sarah, Walsh, P. E. Island P. E. Island.

PORT OF DALHOUSIE.

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ENTERED, Nov. 20—schr Margaret, Sinclair, P. E. Island, 3 days, oats, &c.—A. Ritchie & Co.; schr Margaret, Fougier, Newfoundland, 14 days, fish—H. & J. Montgomery.

21st—schr Ploughboy, Linkletter, P. E. Island, oots—A. Ritchie & Co.

CLEARED. Nov. 16—brig Royalist, Campbell, Fleetwood, timber—A. Ritchie & Co.; brig Dykes, Paters, Cork, timber—do.

17th—brig Active, Hughes, Holyhead, timber—A. Ritchie & Co.

18th—schr Waterleo, Eisar, Halifaz, ballast.

21st—brig St. George, Lonsdale, Pill, tim-ber—A. Ritchie & Co.; schr Margaret, Fou-gier, Carlton, ballast.

Miramichi Mechanics' Institute.

A meeting of the Directors of this Institu-tion will take place at the Lecture Roam, on SATURDAY, the 9th day of December next, at 8 o'clock, P. M., to close the business of the past year.

And the ANNUAL MEETING of the Mem-DAY EVENING, the 11th December next, at 8 o'clack, for the purpose of appointing Office Bearers for the ensuing year, and of transacting such other business as may be required,
J. M. JOHNSON, Jun., Secretary.
Chathem, 27th November, 1848,

List of Letters for October,

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JAMES CAIE, P. M. N. B. Persons asking for any of the wbove Letters, will please say Advertised.

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Received at the Newcastle Post Office during the month of October, and remaining for

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care of John Bagnall Sullivan John (10- Persons asking for advertised Letters will please say advertised. HUGH MORELL, P. M.

Schoolmaster Wanted.

On the 10th day of January, 1849, a Teacher for the Napan School, No 1, in the Parish of Gleselg. One who has attended the Training School, and received a License as a first or second class teacher, would be preferred. None need app y but those who can produce satisfactory testimonials of character and qualifications. The teacher can be supplied with a Dwelling House and Garden, convenient to the school. For particulars apply to the subscribers, and if by letter, nost paid.

James Kern,

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Napan, November 27, 1845. duce satisfactory testimonials of character and

County of Northumberland,

PROVINCE OF NEW BRUNSWICK, SS. In the matter of John Fowner, of Blackville, in the County of Nortkumberland, a Bank-

in the County of Nortkumberland, a Bankrupt.
Whereas under the provisions of the acts of the General Assembly in this province, intitaled "an act relating to Bankruptcy is this province," and of "an act in addition to and in amendment of the same," John Fowler, of Blackville, in the County of Northumberland, Lumberer, hath been declared a Barkrupt, and heth accordingly surrendered himself to me; Now, therefore, I do hereby give public notice, that by virtue of the power and authority to me given in and by the said acts, I have appointed William Salter, Esquire, of Newcastle, in the county aforesaid, Provisional Assignee of the astate and effects of the said Bankrupt. And I do hereby require all persons indebted to the said Bankrupt, to pay to the said Assignee, on or before the Twentieth day of January next, all such sum and sums of money, debt or duties, as they may owe to the said Bankrupt; and all persons who have in their possession, power or custody. who have in their possession, power or custo-dy, any property or effects of the said Bank-rupt, to deliver the same up to the said assig-nce, on or before the said Twentieth day of January next. And I do require all the credi-tors of the said Bankrupt resident in the said Province, or in any of Her Majesty's North American Colonies, or in the West Indies, or in the United States of America, within three American Colonies, or in the West Indies, or in the United States of America, within three months from the date hereof, to deliver in the the said Assignee, and to prove to my satisfaction, their respective claims and demands, whether the same be actually due or to become due against the said Bankrupt. And notice is hereby also further given, that I appoint a meeting of the creditors of the said Bankrupt to be held on Tuesbay, the twenty eighth day to be held on Tuesday, the twenty eighth day of November instant, at the office of the undersigned Commissioner, in Chatham, at Eleven of the clock in the forencon. And a further meeting of the creditors of the said Bankther meeting of the ereditors of the said Bank-rupt will be held on Monday, the eighteenth day of December next, at Eleven o'clock in the forencon, at the office aloresaid, for the purpose of receiving proof of or contesting any claim presented against the said estate; at which meeting, or any adjournment thereof, the said Bankrupt will be examined upon oath touching his estate and dealings; and such other business relating to the said estate will other business relating to the said estate wall then and there be transacted as may be deem-

ed necessary.

Given under my hand, at Chatham aforesaid, the Eleventh day of November, A. D., 1848.

W. CARMAN, Commissioner of the estates and effects of Bankroots for the county of Northum-berland.

County of Northumberland,

PROVINCE OF NEW BRUNSWICK, SS

In the matter of WILLIAM DICKENS and ROBERT RAINSBORROW, of Bay du Vent, in the County of Northumberland, Bankrupts.

whereas, under the provisions of the Acts of the General Assembly in this Province, intuited an Act relating to Bankruptcy in this Province, and of an Act in addition to and in amendment of the same'—William Dickens and Robert Rainsborrow, of Bay du Veat, in the County of Northumberland, Lumberers and Millmen, have been declared Bankrupts and have accordingly surrendered themselves to me. Now therefore, I do hereby give Public Notice, that by virtue of the power and authority to me given, in and by the said Acta I have appointed William J. Fraeer, of Chatham, Merchant, Provisional Assignee of the Estate and Effects of the said Bankrupts; and I do hereby require all persons indebted to the said Bankrupts, to pay to the said Asto the said Bankrupts, to pay to the said Assignes, on or before the Twentieth day of November next, all such Sum and Sums of Money, Debt or Duties, as they may owe to the said Bankrupts; and all persons who have in their Possession, Power or Custody, any Property or Effects of the said Bankrupts, to deliver the same transfer. to deliver the same up to the said Assignee, on or before the said Twentieth day of November next: and I do require an the Clear-tors of the said Bankrupts, resident in the said Province, for in any of Her Majesty's North American Colonies, or in the West Indies or in the United States of America, within three months from the date hereof, to deliver in t the said Assignee, and to prove to my satis faction their respective claims and demands whether the same be actually due or to be come due against the said Bankrupts, and Noice is also hereby farther given, that I appoint a meeting of the Oreditors of the said Bankrupts to be held on Saturnay, the 18th day of November next, at Eleven o'clock, A. M., at the Office of the undersigned Commissioner, in Chatham, aforesaid, and a further meeting of the Creditors of the said Bankrupts, will be held on Monday, the 27th day of November next, at 11 o'clock, in the forehoon, at the office aforesaid, for the purpose of receiving proof of or contesting any claim prefaction their respective claims and demands receiving proof of or contesting any claim prereceiving proof of or contesting any clerin presented against the said Estate, at which meeting or at any adjournment thereof, the said Bankrupts will be examined on onth, together their extate and dealings, and such other business relating to the said Estate, will then and there be transacted, as may be deemed neces-

Given usder my hand at Chatham, aforesaid, the Sixteenth day of October, A. D. 1943.

W. CARMAN, Jun.

Commissioner of the Estate and Effects of

Bankrupts for the County of Northumberland.