

SECOND EDITION.

TUESDAY MORNING, FEBRUARY 4.

COMMUNICATION.

NEWCASTLE, January 31, 1851.

Mr Pierce,

Sir,—As you have misrepresented in your Gleaner of the 27th instant, what I said to the Grand Jury in discharging them.

I hope in your next paper, that you will give a correct version of what I did say, "And that was" That I regretted the business of the Court, detained them so long, and that as many of them came a great distance from their Homes.

But that if the Sheriff done his duty, in warning the next Juries neither them nor the Petty Jury, at the present Sessions, would have occasion to appear, for the next three years in that Box—before it would be their turn.

I am, Sir, your most obedient servant,  
JOHN FRASER, J. C. P.,  
And Chairman of the General Sessions at their last sittings.

[The version we gave of Mr Fraser's address, alluded to above, was obtained from several members of the Grand Jury. There is a wide difference, certainly, in the two reports. We are glad, however, Mr Fraser pleads not guilty; for, if true, it displayed conduct derogatory to the dignity of the Bench; highly insulting to the important judicial body addressed; and utterly at variance with the common amenities of life.]—  
ED. GLEANER.

NEW BRUNSWICK.—Reporting the Debates.—The mode heretofore adopted by the Legislature in granting a sum of money to some half dozen Reporters who attended the House of Assembly and the Legislative Council during the session, has given great dissatisfaction to the people, as a considerable amount of money has been yearly squandered, for which a corresponding benefit has not been received; and in order to put a stop to the system, we learn that a list has been put in circulation in this city, in order to raise a sum of money sufficient to have one paid Reporter for St. John, without any expense to the Province. The publishers of the different City papers have come into this arrangement, whereby the reports will be forwarded here and published for general information. This will break up the discreditable system which has too long prevailed in this Province, and it is confidently expected that not only our own members, but those from other sections of the Province, will sternly refuse to give a single penny to any Reporter at the public expense.

In addition to the above arrangement, we have secured the services of a faithful Reporter, who will transmit us the proceedings of the Legislature in a succinct form, but containing all the doings of the assembled wisdom of New Brunswick.

Yesterday morning the Petit Jury presented His Honor Chief Justice Carter with a complimentary address on his recent elevation, to which a suitable reply was made. We shall publish these documents in our next.—  
New Brunswicker.

UNITED STATES.—We learn by telegraph to the news room, that Cotton freights at Mobile, on the 31st ult., were quoted at 4d per lb in British vessels.

Audobon, the celebrated ornithologist, died on Monday last, near New York, aged between 70 and 80.

Dates from Barbadoes to the 8th January report a fine crop and plenty of provisions, at as cheap rates as ever remembered.

Tariff.—We learn from Washington that efforts are being made for a revision of the tariff. It is proposed to lay a duty of forty per cent on iron, instead of thirty, as at present; Bituminous Coal the same. Window Glass and Linseed Oil, thirty per cent. instead of twenty. Wool, (now 30.) Raw Silk, (15.) Hemp, (30.) Cordage, (29.) and Hemp Yarn, (20.) ten per cent advance on the present rates. Dye stuffs, now ranging from five to fifteen per cent. to be free.—The valuations specified in the existing tariff, to be the actual valuation at the time when, and the place where, the goods were exported, except for Iron, which is to be assessed at the average of foreign values at the chief points of exportation for the last ten years.

New York, Jan. 24.—The fact of the Arctic bringing no intelligence of the Atlantic has excited general anxiety in this city; but the belief is that she had no time to return to Liverpool before the Arctic left.

Sales of New Brunswick Ships at Liverpool.—During the year 1850, forty six vessels built in this Province were sold in Liverpool, twenty three of which were new, and twenty three old vessels. During the same period twenty four Quebec, and thirty eight Nova Scotia vessels were sold at the same port.

Steamboat Explosion.—The steamboat Brilliant burst her boilers above New Orleans, on the 20th ult., killing two persons and wounding many others.

Curious Sheriff Seizures.—In New Orleans they make some strange attachments. Recently one of the city creditors attempted to seize as satisfaction for his debt, the statue of Justice, which figures prominently upon one of the Municipal Halls. More recently the sheriff entered the sheriff's office, of the second

municipality, locked up the treasure box and walked off with the key.

WEST INDIES.—We have dates from Jamaica to January 11. The Cholera was still raging with great virulence in the different parishes. The merchants of Kingston have made arrangements to supply, by sailing vessels, the deficiency caused by the discontinuance of the Royal Steamships between Jamaica and the Main.

Barbadoes papers to the 13th December state that crops of every kind were flourishing. It was expected that 35,000 hogsheads of sugar would be shipped. The Island was remarkably healthy.

A shock of an earthquake was experienced at St. Thomas on the 19th Dec., but no damage was done.

We have dates from Hayti to Jan. 1. The island remains quiet. The coffee crop will be less than one half the usual amount. The Emperor has just furnished the insignia of the military orders. There was no news of importance.—*Halifax Sun.*

NOVASCOTIA.—Ross' Metallic Paints.—We have already called public attention to the high estimation in which the Metallic Paints, manufactured by John Ross, Esq. of Truro are held by those who have had occasion to use them. Certificates of a highly satisfactory character in praise of these articles of Provincial Manufacture appear elsewhere, in this issue, and from information afforded by parties who have similarly applied them, we can safely endorse the opinions therein contained.

Dartmouth Canal.—A large meeting responded to Mr Fairbank's call yesterday on this subject, and an energetic Committee was appointed to carry out its objects, and try to do some good in the Province by native talent and industry.—*Halifax Sun, Jan 31.*

Hyde is at Pictou agitating the construction of a line of Electric Telegraph to connect Halifax with the Straits of Canso.—*Halifax B. N. American.*

MEXICO.—Melendez, chief of fifteen hundred rebels in Oajaca, Mexico, had captured several villages and put the municipal fathers to death. The rebels had not been put down, but were congregated at Tehantepec, the capital.

Central Bank Agency.

Notice is hereby given, that GEORGE KERR, Esquire, of Chatham, in the County of Northumberland, is duly authorized by the President, Directors and Company of the Central Bank of New Brunswick, to manage and conduct an AGENCY for that Institution, in Chatham, from this date.

GEO. BOTSFORD, President.  
Fredericton, 18th January, 1851.

List of Letters

Received at the Newcastle Post Office, during the month of December, and remaining delivery.

- Shanow Brown, Nelson Village.
- Mrs Jane Clark, North Esk.
- Robert Davis, near Newcastle.
- Mary Donovan, care of Rev. Mr Egan.
- Lydia Kingston, near Newcastle.
- Andrew McCullam, Pilot, care of Mr Loch.
- Jane Lewis, care of Dr. Thompson.
- Duncan McTavish, North Esk.
- Bryan O'Donnell, near Newcastle.
- William Pringle, Do.
- Mrs Mary Ryan, Newcastle.

Persons asking for any of the above, will please say Advertised.  
HUGH MORELL, P. M.

WAVERLEY HOUSE,

North Side King Street,  
SAINT JOHN, NEW BRUNSWICK.  
James Williams, Proprietor.

THE SUBSCRIBER respectfully announces that he has Leased the above named NEW BRICK HOTEL, which will be opened for the accommodation of Travellers on FRIDAY the 1st November. The WAVERLEY has been built expressly for a first-class Hotel; it contains a spacious Ball Room, Dining Rooms, Drawing Rooms, Family and "Bridal" Apartments, and Forty well-ventilated Bed-rooms, with excellent Stables and Offices attached. The House is fitted, throughout, with Gas and Water.

The Waverley is built, finished and furnished on a scale of elegance and comfort, and superior to any Hotel in the Provinces in all its appointments.

The Proprietor is determined that no exertion shall be wanting on his part to win and sustain a high reputation, to make it a pleasant home for the "Traveller," and the House of the Provinces.

The charges will be moderate, the Cellars and Larder constantly supplied with the best the markets will afford, and the Servants civil and attentive.

The Subscriber respectfully solicits that a liberal patronage will be extended by a discerning public.

JAMES WILLIAMS.

Lost.

On Wednesday last, between the residence of Mr William Parker, in the South West, and Newcastle, a Bandbox, containing a Brown Sain BONNET. Any person leaving it with Mr Parker or at the Gleaner Office, will be rewarded.  
Miramichi, January 14, 1850.

CHATHAM STEAM MILL.

The undersigned having got the Mill in perfect order, and in full operation, are prepared to grind, at the shortest notice, Grain of all kinds, to the extent of about 150 bushels of Wheat, and 160 bushels Oats per day and Pearl and Pot Barley, as much as is generally required. The strictest attention will be paid, and every accommodation given to those who may favor them with their patronage.

The undersigned intending to work the Saw and Grist Mill during the next season give Notice that they will Saw for the Public, by the thousand or on shares. They are also prepared to purchase Logs.

FROST & BAIN.

Chatham, 19th January, 1851.

CARD.

JOHN HENRY.

Tailor and Habit Maker,  
FROM SCOTLAND

Begs to acquaint the inhabitants of Miramichi, that he has opened the shop lately occupied by Mr James Maher, opposite the Commercial Building, and will be happy to execute Orders in his Line, for those who may honor him with their favors.

Chatham, 23d December, 1850.

J. S. FARLOW,

Commission Merchant & General

Agent,

CORNER OF FEDERAL AND HIGH STREETS,

Boston, U. S.

REFERENCES.

- Messrs. Johnson & Mackie, Chatham,
- George Kerr, Esq., " "
- Alex. Loudon, Esq., " "
- William Muirhead, Esq., " "
- William Bowser, Esq., Richibucto.
- Robert Noble & Sons, Halifax.
- Berton Brothers, St. John.
- George Sutherland, Esq., " "
- N. B. CASH ADVANCED on Consignments.

NEW BRUNSWICK.

HOUSE OF ASSEMBLY, 8th March, 1848.  
Resolved, That no Bill of a private nature, or petition for money or relief, shall be received by the House after the fourteenth day, from the opening of the Session, both inclusive; and that the Clerk of this House do one month previous to meeting of the Legislature, cause fifty printed copies of this Rule to be sent to each of the Clerks of the Peace in the several Counties for distribution, and cause the same to be inserted in the Royal Gazette, and two Newspapers in such County where Newspapers are published.

CHAS. P. WHETMORE, Clerk.

HOUSE OF ASSEMBLY, 7th April, 1849.  
Whereas, The number of applications to this House from School Teachers for grants of Money have been from year to year increasing; and whereas it is desirable that such information should be furnished as would enable this House to arrive at just and equitable conclusions; therefore

Resolved, That this House will in future sustain no application for allowances to Teachers of Common or Parish Schools, unless it shall be certified by at least two Trustees of Schools for the Parish where such School has been taught, shewing the time actually taught—the Teacher to be licensed—the cause why such Teacher was not certified to the Sessions in the ordinary way—and that such Teacher was not compelled to discontinue his or her School on account of an improper conduct.

CHAS. P. WHETMORE, Clerk

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FOR THE COUNTRY.

(Published every Wednesday in time for the Afternoon Mails.)

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The terms per annum are one half less than those of any other paper printed, viz: Single Copies, 7s. 6d.; Ten Copies only \$10. (Invariably in Advance.)

The MORNING NEWS—on account of its astonishing cheapness, its originality, and facilities for obtaining the latest news and conveying to all parts of the Province—has perhaps the largest country circulation of any paper published in British America. Its principles are thoroughly known to be Reform to the letter.

Our subscribers will confer a favor, and assist the cause of Reform, by using their influence among their friends to obtain new subscribers.—The forthcoming Session will be the most interesting of any that has ever been held in New Brunswick—and the Morning News will be on hand to give an outline of every day's proceedings, as in former years.

Will our friends oblige by soliciting subscribers, and forward immediately, as a new volume is about commencing?

G. E. FENETY,

cattle feeding upon the rich bottom lands belonging to the city. Every city lot here contains one acre and a quarter, and each man that moves here may pay \$1 50 for recording the same, and then go on and build a home for his family, with nothing more to pay save his tithe money, which is one tenth of his earnings. This goes into the Treasury for Church purpose, as well as for public works.

The improvement made here in the three years the Mormons have been in the country. The houses are built of unburned brick, called 'doubles,' and are comfortable and genteel dwellings. They have fine flour mills and saw mills now in operation, and others going up. Their lumber is chiefly sawed out of the Fir tree, and is not so good as pine, although it answers very well as a substitute.

Coal has been found in great abundance in the Valley, and I am informed that they are now making a Railroad on which to transport the same to the city. Stone Coal is now one dollar per bushel in the city, and charred coal fifty cents. Salt is obtained out of the Lake in its native state, and when ground is far superior to any salt which you receive from the East. It is possible that you in the Mississippi valley, may yet be supplied with the article of salt from this Lake. I am satisfied that for the next twenty thousand years the Rocky Mountains will furnish the world with potash and saleratus. The valley of the Platte and Sweetwater can do it without half trying. God only knows the wealth that lies hid in these mountains, for the benefit of coming generations, which now appear to the eye and mind as a great barren waste upon the earth's surface, or in another view, as mere monuments of His Almighty power, upon which man may look and be humbled.

Another Great Discovery.—The Germantown (Pa.) Telegraph, says there has been just brought to light, the application of a power, which is to supercede entirely the present steam power of the world! The discovery has been made by an Eastern man who has completed his models—one of which will be deposited at Washington as soon as patent rights shall be secured in the different European countries. The machinery is entirely perfected—the power is a motive one, and steam has no part in creating it. So simple and economical are the principle and application, that two tons of coal will be sufficient to drive the largest ship of the line around the world. The Telegraph is quite enthusiastic in its predictions.

Didn't like the Jug.—A wealthy, popular, and gay young gentleman once boasted that he could walk home with any one of the members of a certain Division of the Daughters of Temperance, from Church; he accordingly after services were over on the next Sabbath, spruced up to a fair damsel, and with a polite bow tendered his arm. The young lady, as by instinct, draw back as from a serpent, and exclaimed:

No, sir: I'll never put my arm through another jug-handle as long as I live.—*New York Tribune.*

Montgomery, Alabama, Jan. 14.—Some attempts having been lately made by suspicious whites to insurrection, it is proposed to hold a convention of planters in this city to devise immediate means of safety.

The U. S. steamer Preble, 18, recently returned from a four years cruise in the Pacific during which period she lost the whole of her original crew, 145 in number, except one Commissioned Officer and two forward ditto.

The Washington Monument.—The Washington Correspondent of the New York Tribune, says that the Swiss Government have forwarded a beautiful stone from the Alps, to be placed in the National Monument to Washington.

Somebody, name unknown, has left at the landing of General Harrison's farm, at North Bend, a magnificent marble monument, in memory of the illustrious Ex-President. The family have not the least intimation from whence it came.

The Lexington, United States Store ship, recently arrived at New York from Gibraltar and the Mediterranean, had fifteen distinguished Hungarians as passengers to the United States.

California.—The total amount of gold cleared at the Custom House at San Francisco from Nov. 12th, 1849, to Dec. 15th, 1850, was nearly \$29,000,000.

An exceedingly rich silver placer has been discovered a few leagues from Monterey, where a company is forming to work the mines on an extensive scale.

HERRINGS!

The Subscriber offers for sale, cheap for Cash, or approved credit,

131 bb.s No 1 Canso HERRING

WM. MUIRHEAD.

Chatham, February 1, 1851.

He has also been appointed Agent for the sale of Sand's Sarsaparilla, in Miramichi. (See advertisement.)

Telegraph Notice!

The Subscribers to the Stock List for the Line of Telegraph from the Bend to Chatham, are requested to meet at the Mechanics' Institute Room, in Chatham, on FRIDAY, the 7th instant, at 3 o'clock, P. M., for the purpose of transacting important business.

C. McCULLY,  
W. J. FRASER,  
J. M. JOHNSON, Jun., } Committee.

February 3, 1851.