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

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MONDAY EVENING, MAY 10, 1852.

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## GREAT Electoral Hessian State Loan Of 6,725,000 Dollars.

This Loan is guaranteed by the Government, and contracted by the eminent Banking House of Messrs. M. A. von ROTHSCHILD AND SONS, in Frankfort on the Maine. The following capital Prizes must be gained, viz:

14 of 40,000 Dollars,	60 of 4,000 Dollars
22 of 30,000 Dollars,	60 of 2,000 Dollars
24 of 32,000 Dollars,	120 of 1,500 Dollars
60 of 8,000 Dollars,	180 of 1,000 Dollars
&c., &c.	The smallest prize is 55 Dollars.

The next Drawing takes place irrevocably on the FIRST OF JUNE, 1852.

The Price of the Tickets is as follows:

One Ticket for 5 Dollars,  
Six " for 25 Dollars,  
Thirty " for 100 Dollars,  
Sixty-five " for 200 Dollars,

Remittances can be made in Bank Notes, Bills or Drafts on Europe, &c. Each Shareholder will receive, free of expense, the Prospectus, with full particulars; and after the Drawing, the List of the successful Numbers, which will also be published in the leading Journals. The Prizes will be paid in Cash at Frankfort on-the-Maine, Paris, London, New York, or New Orleans.

Apply, without delay, to *Moriz Stiebel, Sons, Bankers and Merchants, Frankfort-on-the-Maine, Germany*; or those who prefer it can direct their letters to the care of Messrs *S. Stiebel & Co., Merchants, 32, Nicholas Lane, Lombard Street, London*.

P. S.—Remittances which arrive too late will be returned to the sender; or, if he prefers, shares for the following distribution will be forwarded.

## New Brunswick,

### COUNTY OF GLOUCESTER, TO WIT.

[L. S.] To the Sheriff of the County of Gloucester, or any Constable within the said County, Greeting.

Whereas FRANCIS FERGUSON, of Bathurst, in the said County, Merchant, hath filed his Petition in this court, setting forth that ALEXANDER McNEIL, formerly of the parish of Bathurst, in the said County, departed this life on or about the day of November last, at Dauphine, in the State of Pennsylvania, without having, to the best of petitioner's knowledge, made any will, leaving a widow, ——— McNeil, and one daughter, him surviving, which said widow and daughter, to the best of petitioner's knowledge, still reside in the said State of Pennsylvania; and that the said Alexander McNeil died, seized of certain Real Estate, situate in the said county of Gloucester, and was, at the time of his death, indebted to the said petitioner, and praying that Letters of Administration be granted to him in due form of Law:

You are therefore required to cite the Heirs, Creditors, and all others interested in the said Estate, to be and appear before me at a Court of Probate to be held at my Office, in Bathurst, on MONDAY, the Tenth day of May next, at Eleven o'clock, A. M., to show cause, if any there be, why the Prayer of the said Petition should not be granted.

Given under my hand and the seal of the said Court, at Bathurst, in the said County, this tenth day of March, A. D., 1852.

HENRY W. BALDWIN,  
Surrogate Judge of Probates.

ROBERT GORDON, Register of Probates

## FOR SALE.

The DWELLING HOUSE and LANDS, on the West side of King Street, formerly occupied by the late William Poteous, deceased, now occupied by Michael Leonard. The Two Acre FIELD with the BARN thereon, fronting the South side of the Wellington Road, bounded below by Lands of M. Samuel, Esq., and above by the Peter Brown Lands; also, about nine Acres of LAND, on the James Brown Lot, lately occupied by William Crain. The Two Story DWELLING HOUSE, at the Corner of Queen and Water Streets, occupied by William Johnston. The One Story DWELLING HOUSE, fronting on Water Street, lately occupied by Mr Andrew Mason. The DWELLING HOUSE fronting the East side of Queen Street, containing three tenements, at present occupied by Tenants. A Lot fronting 54 feet on the North side of Water Street, and extending back 70 feet. The above properties were recently owned by Mr WILLIAM JOHNSTON, and will be sold in Lots to suit purchasers, and on reasonable terms. For particulars apply at the office of

KERR & THOMSON,  
Chatham, 6th December 1851.

## The Horses "Champion" and "Conqueror."

The Subscriber, grateful for the patronage hitherto extended to him, now offers his horse CHAMPION for the use of the public. CHAMPION has taken the first prize at the Northumberland Agricultural Society Show, three years. He is now six years old. He will be travelled this Season, from the 1st of May to the 15th of July, through the Parishes of Glenelg, Chatham, Newcastle and Nelson. His stations will be made known by the Groom in due season.

Terms—twenty shillings for the season, payable on the 1st of May, 1852. A reduction of ten shillings will be made when the mare should miss.

The Horse CONQUEROR is three years old, sixteen and a half hands high; dark chestnut. He took the first prize at the Kent Agricultural Show last fall, and will be let to a few Mares at the subscriber's residence, from the 12th of June to the 20th of July. This horse, for size, beauty and action, is unsurpassed in the Province.

Terms—25s. for the Season, payable 1st August.

DANIEL ELKIN.

Napan, 17th April, 1852.

## Valuable Property for Sale or Lease.

The Subscriber offers for sale or lease, that spacious Two Story DWELLING HOUSE, 36 feet long by 30, owned and occupied by him, situated in Water Street, one of the best Business Stand's in the Town of Bathurst, lot 100 feet by 200, with outbuildings, &c., attached.

The whole property is in a thorough state of repair, with a never-failing Well of Water on the premises, and is admirably adapted for a Hotel, or Gentleman's residence. If sold, the terms of purchase will be made easy, one half of the amount can remain secured on interest, for two or three years, if required.

The Furniture in the House will also be sold. Possession given the first of May. For further particulars apply to George Kerr Esquire, Chatham, or to the subscriber on the premises.

JOHN DUNN.

Bathurst, 9th March, 1852.

## BOOK-BINDING.

The Subscriber is now prepared to execute all orders in the above line, in a Superior Manner, and with Despatch. Particular attention paid to Binding NEWSPAPERS and Re-binding OLD BOOKS.

DAVIS P. HOWE.

Chatham, February 20, 1852.

☞ All persons forwarding Illustrated Works, containing no printed "directions to the binder," for the placing of the Illustrations, will please, in future, to point out the pages opposite to which the Plates are to appear. The time lost in the examination of new Works, to find the true places of the Illustrations, is not at all compensated by the price charged for binding.

## TO SMOKERS.

The Subscribers tender their grateful acknowledgments for the encouragement extended to them since they commenced business; and having enlarged their establishment for the purpose of manufacturing more extensively, they are prepared to offer for sale a stock of the best TOBACCO, consisting of Cavendish, Honey-dew, &c.

Merchants purchasing by the quantity would do well to call and examine their stock and judge for themselves, before purchasing elsewhere, as their whole aim will be to compete with the market.

D. & J. McLACHLAN

Chatham March 25, 1852.

## Valuable Farm for Sale.

The Subscriber offers for sale that VALUABLE FARM, at present occupied by him, situate on the South side of the Main River, ten miles from the town of Richibucto, and seven miles from the Shipyard. It contains 100 Acres, 50 of which are under the plough, and well fenced. There are several good Out-houses on the Premises. There is also a healthy young ORCHARD attached.

Any person desirous of purchasing, can have the Stock and any quantity of Seed on the most reasonable terms.

THOMAS GRAHAM.

Maine River, Richibucto, January 29, 1852

## New Brunswick Society,

FOR THE ENCOURAGEMENT OF AGRICULTURE, HOME MANUFACTURES, AND COMMERCE.

Great Provincial Exhibition, to be opened at Fredericton on Tuesday the 5th of October next, under the auspices and patronage of His Excellency the Lieutenant Governor and Lady Head.

TO THE PUBLIC:—

The Legislature having passed a grant of £500 in aid of the funds of the Society, to provide for the expenses of getting up and managing the proposed Exhibition, &c., thereby showing their approval of the same, upon the plan and contemplated arrangements contained in the resolutions of the Society passed at the general meeting held on the 16th of October and 7th of February last, which have all been heretofore published and widely circulated throughout the Province, the Executive Committee are now actively engaged in the preparations requisite to carry out the scheme, and all local Committees for the different Counties in the Province; the General Committee, consisting of the Legislative Council and members of the House of Assembly, in their private capacities, in their respective Counties; the several County Agricultural Societies and Mechanics' Institutes in the different parts of the Province; Manufacturing Companies, and all Agriculturists, Horticulturists, Manufacturers, Mechanics, Artisans and Artists throughout the country; and all other persons taking an interest in its welfare and prosperity, are now called on to be up and doing in aid of this great work, as no time is to be lost in preparing articles to be brought forward for competition, and raising subscriptions in aid of the funds necessary to provide for the large expenses that must be incurred.

It will be seen by the schedule and classified list of the objects for the Exhibition, already published, that it will be open to all the natural productions, both mineral and vegetable, of the Province; to all kinds of agricultural produce; to all articles of home manufacture of every description; to cattle, horses, sheep, pigs, poultry, and cured meats of all kinds; and to specimens of all the different branches of the fine arts.

Farmers, Gardeners, Manufacturers, Musical Instrument Makers, Jewellers, Watch and Clockmakers, Carpenters, Wheelwrights, Blacksmiths, Whitesmiths, Founders, Mill Owners, Carriage Builders, Boot and Shoe Makers, Saddlers, Harness Makers, and indeed all descriptions of Mechanics, Artisans and Artists, are all therefore strongly invited to come forward, with the respective productions of their industry, labour, skill, ingenuity and ability, in their different callings, for a generous competition with each other for excellence, and thus shew what the resources of the Province are, and what the people in it can do. The Ladies of the Province are also solicited to exert their talents and ingenuity in fancy and ornamental work for the Show.

Liberal Prizes will be awarded to the victors in this praiseworthy rivalry, a list of which will be hereafter published as soon as it can be prepared and arranged. Pecuniary assistance to a limited amount, so far as funds will permit, will be placed at the disposal of the respective Local Committees for Counties at a distance from Fredericton, to afford aid to such persons as may be in need of the same, in the expenses of transmitting their articles for competition to the Exhibition; and the more liberal the subscription from such Counties are, the greater will be the amount to which such aid can be extended to them.

The Exhibition will be opened by His Excellency the Lieutenant Governor in person, on Tuesday the 5th of October next, and closed on Saturday the 9th, during which time a Fair will be held with the Exhibition, at which Ploughing Matches, Regattas, and various kinds of public amusements and sports will be hereafter provided, as the object is to make this great Exhibition a show not only highly beneficial to the Province at large, and thus carry out the most important objects of the Society, but also instructive and amusing to all who attend.

The use of the Province Building has been kindly granted to the Society for the occasion, in which all articles of a nature to require great care, safe keeping, and protection from the weather, will be placed.

Every exertion will be made to provide the means of comfortable accommodation in Fredericton and its immediate vicinity, for visitors to the Show.

It is hoped and trusted that the public Press of the Province—that powerful engine for promoting all great undertakings—will be exerted in behalf of this good cause, and that the Editors of Newspapers in the several districts of the country, will give general insertion in their respective papers to this communication, and exert themselves to give general information on, and keep the public attention alive to, all matters connected with the scheme, which may tend to its success, and excite an extensive spirit of enterprise and desire for excellence among the people.

G. F. STREET,

President of the Society.

Fredericton, April 8, 1852.

## AUSTRALIA.

There were three arrivals in the Thames on Monday from the Australian colonies,—the Albert, the Bolivar, and the Blackfriar. The Albert brings dates to the 20th of December, or about a fortnight's later news, and she has 33,000 ounces of gold on board, valued at about £120,000. The Blackfriar has 11,052 ounces, valued at about £40,000. The gold fields were producing some very rich specimens. One called the Great Australian Nugget, weighing gross 341 5 oz. dwts, and estimated to contain 336 ounces of pure gold, had attracted crowds of persons to see it, and the result was, that a great number of persons at once proceeded to the digging. This lump had been sold at public auction for the sum of £1,155. A second and exceedingly rich specimen of gold in the matrix, weighing ninety ounces, was spoken of as unsurpassed by anything yet found. It was obtained at Louisa Creek. A third nugget, weighing eighty-two ounces, discovered two miles from the Turon, about a foot below the surface, is described as a very wonderful specimen. In one day the receipts at Melbourne had been 16,333 ounces.

The Australian Government had raised the price of licenses for the diggings from 30s. to £30 per month.

It was found almost impossible to retain any one at an ordinary occupation. A recommendation from the Lieutenant Governor for a large increase in the pay of all the inferior Government employes had been carried by a vote of 17 to 10.

There is enough in the accounts to show that emigrants have not only some good fortune to hope for, but that there are also dangers and temptations. "The present system of indiscriminate digging is calculated to produce the habit of gambling." "We are sorry to learn that many of the diggers spend their Sundays at Braidwood in drunkenness and riot." Such like remarks are tacked to the fag-end of every letter from the gold districts. Crime, too, is rife among the miners. "Robberies," says one paper, "are becoming fashionable in the Victoria gold fields." One poor fellow had 62 oz. stolen from him on Saturday last; another £30 in notes; another man had his tent cut open, but the robbers missed the purse. As for horse-stealing, it has become so common that it is thought little of, except by the sufferers." The Melbourne Daily News states that "a number of diggers have come to the town for the purpose of buying fire arms. They have no protection on which they can depend, and they intend to keep in small bodies for their own protection. The diggings on an evening present a most extraordinary scene, much resembling a party who apprehend a surprise. Most of the diggers are armed to the teeth, and volley upon volley is fired, it being a rule to discharge and reload after six o'clock every evening.

At the Ballarat diggings crime is fearfully on the increase. The diggers there are surrounded by a gang of vagabonds. They are altogether unprotected. The police are awed by the amount of crime, and