

gards the political refugees, which the Federal Council, in a courteous note, declines to accede to.

CANADIAN RAILWAYS.—On Tuesday a meeting of the shareholders was held in London, Mr S. Laing, M. P., in the chair. The chairman stated to the meeting the reasons for which the Great Western of Canada Company had considered it of importance to anticipate any other company in obtaining possession of this line. He referred to statistics showing the rapid growth and wide development of Hamilton and Toronto, which he described as the Glasgow and Edinburgh of the colony. A bill had already passed the Canadian legislature, and arrangements had been made with an eminent English contractor for the completion of the line at an estimated cost of £323,000; whilst it was proposed that the Hamilton and Toronto railway shall be leased to the Great Western Railway Company at a rent equal to 6 per cent., with participation in any dividend beyond that amount paid to the Great Western Company. Mr Laing concluded by observing that it was thought desirable that a railway, which was the natural ally of the Great Western, should be in the possession of the proprietors of the latter company rather than become the property of the promoters of any other undertaking. He therefore moved a resolution that the arrangement proposed by the Great Western Company be approved. The motion was seconded and carried unanimously. Resolutions were then submitted and adopted deprecating the formation of unnecessary competing lines, adopting the arrangement entered into with the Grand Trunk Railway, and declaring the readiness of the shareholders to support the directors in carrying out the Samia branch, as originally intended. Other resolutions of a formal nature having been agreed to the business terminated.

THE OVERLAND MAIL.—We received the following despatch, in anticipation of the Overland Mail, dated Trieste, May 11: The steamer Calcutta arrived at nine o'clock last night in 106 hours from Alexandria. On the 19th of March the force under Sir John Cheape captured the stronghold of the robber chief Meaton, near Dorabew, after four hours' obstinate fighting, in which 102 rank and file were killed and wounded. Nothing was known with certainty as to the state of affairs at Ava, or as to the ulterior movements of our troops. Mr. Luard, of the civil service, had been suspended for having offered, if a public inquiry were allowed him, to prove certain Judges guilty of infamous conduct in the discharge of their judicial functions. A public investigation as to the truth of Mr. Luard's challenge was unanimously desired by the Indian press. Great indignation prevailed throughout India in consequence of the report that the home Government intended to renew the Indian charter for ten years, without waiting for an inquiry. Intelligence had been received from China down to the 27th of March, at which date Sir G. Bonham had gone to Shanghai. The insurrection had advanced with such rapid strides that the Emperor had been forced to demand assistance. By this mail advices had been received from the Cape down to the 22nd of March. The Caffre war had been finished by the complete submission of the rebel chief Sandilli, he and his tribe having been driven across the Kei. The treaty of peace was concluded by General Cathcart on the 9th of March. The steamers Queen of the South, Harbinger, and Adelaide had arrived at the Cape. The Waterford Mail reports that crime of very description has nearly altogether ceased in that now peaceable and well-disposed county.

NOVA SCOTIA.

The Steamer Devastation arrived at Sydney on Tuesday last. She parted with H. M. Cumberland, bearing the flag of Vice Admiral Sir George Seymour, on the voyage from Bermuda, off Halifax Harbour and proceeds from Sydney to St. John's N. F., with the Lord Bishop of Newfoundland and thence to Quebec.—Halifax Sun.

FROM PAPERS RECEIVED BY THE FREDERICTON MAIL

Major Robinson, and the Hon. A. E. Botsford, arrived here in the U. D. Plover, on Thursday evening last, and are now awaiting the arrival of Mr. Bouchette from Canada.—As soon as the latter gentleman joins his associate Commissioners, they proceed together to the point from which they start to mark out the Boundary line between this Province and Canada.

Mr. Bouchette the gentleman referred to above as expected to join Major Robinson and Mr. Botsford, arrived here on Tuesday evening. These gentlemen left Woodstock for the Grand Falls in the "Reindeer" last evening.—Woodstock Reformer.

The Messrs Glazier have established a new and beautiful little steamer called the Bonnie Doon, on the Woodstock route. She is admirably arranged, finished, and furnished, and is said to be speedy.

A richly carved and very beautiful tablet has been erected in the Roman Catholic Church of

this City, over the remains of the late Dr. Dollard, the former Roman Catholic Bishop of this diocese.—The tablet was executed and erected by Messrs. Osgood & Co., of St. John, and does great credit to their taste and skill.—Head Quarters.

SUNDAY'S MAIL.

UNITED STATES.

ROCKLAND, MAY 23.—DESTRUCTIVE FIRE.—The village of Rockland was yesterday morning visited with another conflagration—one of the most destructive that has ever occurred in the state. The fire was discovered about 8 o'clock in the morning, in a barn back of Sam Phillips' store on Main street; thence it spread to W. A. Farnsworth's store and S. Phillips' store, at nearly the same time; on either side of these are a number of wooden buildings, and a fresh breeze springing up, the whole in a few minutes were completely enveloped in flames.

The estimated loss is between \$100,000 and \$175,000. There were burnt 23 stores, 8 dwelling houses (including the only hotel in the place), 3 law offices, 2 dentists, and 2 physicians' offices, 2 daguerreotypes, 2 barbers' shops, 2 heavy stables, and 7 other buildings.

BUFFALO, MAY 23.—The Congregational church at Lockport was struck by lightning, yesterday, during divine service. It entered the singers' gallery, instantly killing Luther Crocker, one of the choir, and severely wounding six others, three of whom were ladies. The minister on witnessing the awful occurrence, fainted in the pulpit.—Consternation seized upon all present.

NOVA SCOTIA.

WAR STEAMERS.—The Steamer Columbia was signalled yesterday morning. She is off the harbour surveying.

Another Steamship—the Argus—arrived yesterday afternoon, 16 days from England for the protection of the Fisheries. Good again! We shall hear the boom of her guns this morning saluting the Admiral.

SHIPS-OF-WAR IN HALIFAX HARBOR.—Cumberland, 70. Capt. Seymour, Flag of Sir G. F. Seymour; Vestal, 26. Capt. Hamilton; Basilisk, 6. Steam-sloop, Com. Hon. F. Egerton; Argus, 6. Steam-sloop, Com. Purves; Pyramus, 2. Receiving Ship; Espaigne, 12. Sloop, Com. Hancock.

LATE FROM NEWFOUNDLAND.—Steamship Ospray, arrived on Monday in four days from St. John's, N. F.

The Seal Fishery Catch, though large, had not reached public expectation.

The Legislature has appropriated £550 for the protection of the Fisheries.

Potatoes and Bread stuffs are exceedingly scarce in the Placentias.

The Report of the contemplated fishery transfer, had created the most intense excitement.—Halifax British American.

THE RAILWAY.—The Europa brought out 15 or 16 engineers who have been despatched by the British Government to survey the route of the North Eastern Railway.

Cheap Wholesale and Retail Establishment.

GLASGOW HOUSE, Commercial Building Chatham, Miramichi.

A LARGE AND WELL ASSORTED STOCK OF BRITISH & FOREIGN DRY GOODS is now open for sale at the above well-known Cheap Store.

Consisting of, black, blue, and other Shades of West of England Broad Cloths, Cassimeres, Doeskins, Tweeds, Russell Cord, Gambroons, Satinets, Vestings, plain and printed Drills and Moleskins, Flannels, Blankets, printed Druggott Mens' Tuscan Paramatta and Wool Hats, Cloth Cotton, Gambroon, Alpaca and Glazed Caps, Tweed Flannels, Grey and White Cotton, Long Cloth, Scotch Holland, long Linn and fine Linnen, brown, black, and slate Holland, Towels, Diaper, brown and white Linnen Table Cloths, Oil Cloth, Damask and printed Cloth Covers, Osnaburg, Stripe Hessian, printed Calicoes and Furniture, Scotch Ginghams, strong and fancy Striped shirting, Bed Tick, Selvisis plain and embossed Linings, plain and printed Orleans, Coburgs, Dolaines and Lama Cloths, printed Muslins, Organdies, Opaline Barege, and embroidered Circassian Dresses, Poplins, black and colored Silks, Satins and Parisians, Edgings, Laces, Netts, Lace Veils, Gossamere, Silk and Cotton Hair Netts, brown and white Stays, Ladies Silk Neck Ties, Muslin Collars, Habit Shirts, Chemises, Sleeves, Frock Bodies, Babies' Caps, Corded Petticoats, dark and light Shawls, Bonnets, Cap and Bonnet Ribbons, Flowers, Cap Borders, Black Crape, Stockings, Gloves, &c. &c. Wadding, Battin, Cotton Warps, READY-MADE CLOTHING, Cotton, Silk, and Spun pocket Handkerchiefs; Silk and Satin Neck Ties; Carpet Bags, Buttons, Threads, (Silk) Twists, Padding and Canvass, Umbrella, Parasols, Boots and Shoes, Jewellery, &c., &c., &c., A large lot of good Tea and Tobacco.

The above STOCK has been selected personally, and principally purchased for Cash, the goods will be sold at unusually low prices, so as to defy competition.

M. RYAN.

No second price. N. B., parties wishing to choose the cloth, can have Coats, Vest, and Trowsers made to measure Cheap and Good, and a fit warranted.

M. R.

Chatham, 23th May, 1853.

BOWSER'S HOTEL.

The Subscriber, having taken, and fitted up, that large and commodious House situate in Chatham, formerly occupied by the Honorable Joseph Canard, is now prepared to accommodate the travelling public, and trusts by strict attention and ten years' experience in the business, to merit a share of the public support.

The tri-weekly stages running to the Bend of Peticodiac, and Restigouche, and twice a week to Fredericton, all start from, and arrive at this Hotel.

Good Stabling and Sheds, and an experienced Hostler always on hand.

HENRY BOWSER.

Miramichi, May 23rd, 1853.

BOUNTY.

The Miramichi Fishery Society, desirous to encourage the Catch of, and at the same time furnish this Market with a regular supply of

FRESH FISH.

Now offer a Bounty of TWENTY SHILLINGS PER DAY.

until further notice, to any person or persons, who will supply this Market, First every Tuesday and Friday, by 8 o'clock, in the morning, with not less than five hundred weight of Fresh

CODFISH, HADDOCK, MACKERAL, FLOUNDERS, FLUKES, SOLES, HALLIBUT; or either, or all of these descriptions of fresh fish, amounting, separately, or together, to that weight.

Notice of the arrival of the Fish, to be made to Mr W. E. SAMUEL, at whose wharf they are to be retailed to Housekeepers, in moderate quantities, and at reasonable prices, until 12 o'clock, noon, each day; after which the party furnishing the fish, may sell what remains in any way or to whom he chooses.

The Bounty will be paid in CASH each day.

JOHN M. JOHNSON, }
W. E. SAMUEL, } Committee.
ALEX. LOUDON, }
Miramichi, 23th May, 1853.

FASHIONABLE GOODS.

Just received ex Lady Faulkland, an extensive and splendid assortment of Ladies Dresses, Shawls, Bonnets, Ribbons, Neck Ties, Parasols, Hosiery, British and French Flowers, Prunella Boots and Slippers, Carpeting, &c., &c.

For sale at low prices by JOHN MACDOUGALL, Chatham, May 23, 1853.

Central Bank Agency,

CHATHAM. Bills and Drafts on LONDON, NEW YORK, and BOSTON, in sums to suit purchasers. GEORGE KERR, Agent. Chatham, May 26, 1853.

WRECK SALE.

To be Sold on FRIDAY, the 3rd JUNE next for the benefit of Owners, Underwriters, and all concerned, at Messrs. Ferguson, Rankin & Co's. Wharf, Bathurst, at 11 o'clock, A. M.

THE HULL,

BOATS, SAILS, TACKLE, APPAREL AND FURNITURE, of the Brig COLINGWOOD, of Ayr, stranded in Nenisiguit Bay, on her voyage from Greenock to Dalhousie, where she now lies abandoned. HENRY W. BALDWIN, Commissioner of Wrecks, &c Bathurst, 26th May, 1853.

The Entire Horse Conqueror,

A dark Chestnut, 17 hands high, very swift to trot or gallop, took the first prize in the County Kent at 2 years old, in Northumberland at 3 years, and is now 4 years. Will travel in Glenselg, Chatham, Nelson, and Newcastle, according to agreement with the groom and parties. Places appointed for stopping will be made known by the groom in due time.

Terms 20s. for the season with a reduction of 10s. should the mare not prove with foal, (or colt insured, 27s. 6d., or no charge.) 2s. 6d. to be paid the groom for each mare. Payment not required till 1st May, 1854.

DANIEL ELKIN, of Napan. Chatham, 7th May, 1853.

CONTRACT.

The Subscriber is desirous of Contracting for the Repairing of the Stone Building, in Chatham (known as the Charter's Store) partly destroyed by fire.

Persons desirous of taking the job, will obtain the necessary information as to the work required, on application to the Subscriber.

T. H. PETERS.

Chatham 15th May, 1853.



KELLY & ORR'S STAGE, BETWEEN MIRAMICHI AND FREDERICTON.

Summer Arrangement for 1853

The Subscribers beg leave to announce that a comfortable Waggon, drawn by excellent Horses, and driven by an experienced Coachman, will leave BOWSER'S HOTEL, CHATHAM, on the morning of every

MONDAYS AND THURSDAYS

at 9 o'clock, and ROBERT ORR'S, FREDERICTON on the morning of every

TUESDAYS AND FRIDAYS,

at 9 o'clock precisely.

Bags will be kept at the Houses of Mr Bowser, Chatham, and Mr Orr's, Fredericton; and it must be distinctly understood, that no seat will be considered engaged, until the person books his name and pays the fare.

Luggage or other property conveyed by stage, will not be delivered, until the carriage thereof be first paid.

KELLY & ORR.

Chatham, May 21, 1853.

R. CARMAN,

Barrister, Notary Public &c. &c.

OFFICE—At his residence, opposite Dr. THOMPSONS, Wellington road.

A GARD.

Glasgow House Re-Opened!

The proprietor of the above well-known fair-dealing Establishment, in soliciting a continuance of the very liberal patronage he has heretofore received, begs leave to inform his friends and the public at large, that he has resumed Business in his old stand, Commercial Building, and is now opening a large and well assorted Stock of

British and Foreign Goods,

personally selected, which he is determined to sell, both wholesale and retail, at such unusually low prices as do defy Competition.

M. RYAN.

Coats, Vests, and Trowsers, as usual made to measure, cheap and good, and a fit warranted.

N. B. Business as usual will be carried on, under that very fair system of no second price, so that a child will have the same advantage of purchasing as the best judge.

M. R.

Chatham, May 21, 1853

List of Letters for April.

Received at the Post Offices in CHATHAM and NEWCASTLE, and remaining for delivery, 20th May, 1853.

CHATHAM.

Blake Robert	Kelly Walter
Black Brook	Lauler Ann Mrs
Cameron Ann	Mason Jessie
Dougle William	Merill Doctor James
Edger Robert	Mitchell Mathew
Eldridge Elisha	Napan
Cape Cod, Chatham	McKenzie John
Finnigan James care of	McKay Espert
R. Graham	Rockheads
Ferguson Donald	McLean Ann
Black River	McLean Henriette
Gillis James	Shippigan
Napan	McMahan Pat
Glin Martin	Pride Gideon B
Goudry Frederic	Napan
Napan	Preston Oliver
Gunn John	Syvret H
Point Aux Car.	Siket Ann
Healey Dominic	Swanson Mr
Johnston William	Walker George
Jardine Samuel	Block Maker
Napan	NEWCASTLE.
Knight John	Jones Frederick
Rockheads	3 Letters

Persons asking for any of the above letters will please say "advertised."

JAMES CAIE, P. M.

CROWN LAND NOTICES.

CROWN LAND OFFICE

May 2, 1853.

The undermentioned Lots of Crown Lands will be offered for sale by Public Auction, on Tuesday the 7th day of June next, at noon, by the respective Deputies, at their offices, agreeably to the Regulations of 11th May 1843, and no sale on credit will be made to any person who is indebted to the Crown for previous purchases.

(The right of granting Licences for the cutting of Logs and Timber is to be reserved by the Government, after the Land has been surveyed and improved to the value of not less than ten pounds, until the first day of May next following such survey and improvements.) (No person is allowed to hold more than one hundred acres, payable by instalments.)

GLOUCESTER.

By Deputy Carruthers, at Bathurst.

100 acres, lot 40, block 37, Bass River, S. Canard improved.

NORTHUMBERLAND.

By Deputy Peters at Chatham.

50 acres, lot L, Ledbetter's Brook, H. Ferguson and A. M'Laggan.

65 acres, east of lot A, Williamston, Wm Taylor improved.

KENT.

By Deputy Douglas, at Beaulieu.

100 acres, lot 84, Saint Anthony, W. Gilmore.

100 acres, lot 85, Saint Anthony, A. Hannington.

100 acres, lot 86, Saint Anthony, J. Cowin.

170 acres, lot 85, north side Cocagne River, J. Grier; 16s. per lot survey.

155 acres, lot 86, north side Cocagne River, J. Grier; 16s. per lot survey.

155 acres, lot 87, north side Cocagne River, J. Foster; 16s. per lot survey.

155 acres, lot 88, north side Cocagne River, J. Foster; 16s. per lot survey.

155 acres, lot 89, north side Cocagne River, J. M'Crum; 16s. per lot survey.

155 acres, lot 90, north side Cocagne River, J. M'Crum; 16s. per lot survey.

100 acres, lot 41, block 5, Wellington, M. Basterash, improved.

50 acres, lot 45 west, block 5, Wellington, T. Collet, improved.

50 acres, lot 75 east, block 5, Wellington, A. Herbert, improved.

130 acres, lot P, block B, Wellington, St. Jer void.

100 acres, lot V, Township S. R. Richard.

157 acres, lot 20, middle Township, W. Kennedy; 16s. per lot survey.

156 acres, lot 74, middle Township, R. B. Cutler improved; 16s. per lot survey.

156 acres, lot 21, south Township, T. Hicks improved; 16s. per lot survey.

160 acres, lot 22, south Township, S. Geddes improved; 16s. per lot survey.

JUST RECEIVED,

EX DEFiance, FROM BOSTON.

Bags fresh Filberts, Walnuts, Pican Nuts, soft shelled Almonds, mixed Pickles, in half gallon jars. Syrups, Honey, Irish Moss, assorted Essences, Perfumery, Cassia, Mace, Sage, Preserved Citron, Orange Peel, Spiced Candies, Washing Fluid, Burning Fluid, Picture Frames, Looking Glasses, Wash Stands, Toilet Tables, Pails, Brooms, Hay Rakes, Hay and Mann's Forks, Tobacco, Tea, Buckwheat Flour, Beans, Pease, &c. For sale by

JOHN MACDOUGALL.

Chatham, 18th May, 1853.