

**ELECTION.
PUBLIC NOTICE.**

NORTHUMBERLAND TO WIT.
I, JAMES MITCHELL, Esquire, High Sheriff of the County of Northumberland, having received Her Majesty's Writ, dated the 30th day of May, last, for the Election of Four able and discreet Persons to serve in the General Assembly of this Province of New Brunswick, for the said County of Northumberland, do in obedience thereto, hereby Procure and give Public Notice, that a Court will be held by me at the County Court House, in the Town of Newcastle, on MONDAY, the 23rd day of June, instant, at 10 of the clock, A. M., for the purpose of said election, of which all persons will take notice and govern themselves accordingly; and in case a Poll should be then and there demanded, I do hereby further proclaim and give Public Notice that Polling Booths will be opened on FRIDAY, the 27th of June, instant, at 8 of the clock, A. M., and continue open until 4 of the clock, P. M., of the same day, at the following places:—
At the Court House, in Newcastle.
At or near Goodfellow's, in Newcastle, for all electors above Grand Down Creek, in Alnwick, and for all electors in Newcastle, below the Mill Stream owned by Gilmaur, Rankin & Co., opposite Middle Island.
At or near the Town of Chatham, Parish of Chatham.
At or near Bartholomew's Mill, Parish of Blackville.
At or near John Decantlin's, Parish of Blisfield.
At or near John Wilson's, Parish of Ludlow.
At or near the residence of John McKay, at the Richbucko Road, in the Parish of Glenselg.
At or near Cuppage's, in the Parish of Northesk.
At or near the residence of Robert Noble, in the Parish of Hardwick.
At or near McGhie's Tavern, in the Parish of Nelson.
At or near Flett's Cove, in Nelson, for all electors residing east of the Semiwan Ridge on Barnaby's river, and all residing on the south side of the South West, east of the upper side of Lot No. 13, granted to George Henderson, except the electors on both sides Semogan road.
At or near James Hutchison's, in Northesk for all electors on the east side of the North West, below the lower line of the grant to the late James Walsh and all on the west side below the lower line of the lot formerly owned and occupied by the late Andrew McGrath.
At Lower Nguac, in the Parish of Alnwick.
For the purpose of taking the said Poll, and I hereby further Proclaim and give Public Notice, that on MONDAY, the 30th day of June, instant, at the hour of 12 o'clock, noon, at the County Court House aforesaid, the said election will be closed, and the persons chosen to serve in the General Assembly will be then and there openly declared. All of which said Proclamations all persons will take due notice and govern themselves accordingly.
JAMES MITCHELL,
Sheriff of Northumberland.
Sheriff's Office, Newcastle, 5th June, 1856.

PETER MITCHELL, Esquire,

SIR,—
We, the undersigned, Freeholders, request that you will allow yourself to be put in nomination as a Candidate to represent the County of Northumberland at the coming Election. Your connection with the Shipbuilding, Lumbering, and Mercantile interest of the County will, in our opinion, enable you to be of especial service as one of our Representatives.

(Signed by)
R. Crocker, W. Muirhead, W. J. Fraser,
Hugh Bain, Robt. T. Millar, John Wyse,
W. Kelly, Alex. Jessamine, D. Witherall,
J. Bagnell, W. Falconer, W. Russell,
John Cameron, John Pond, J. Harrington,
Thos. Vanston, James Fish, Wm. Swim,
And 90 others.
Miramichi, 30th May, 1856.

GENTLEMEN,—
I beg to acknowledge the receipt of a Requisition from you and 90 others, Freeholders of the County of Northumberland, requesting me to allow myself to be put in nomination as a Candidate at the approaching Election.

I can assure you I feel flattered by the selection of me, as a Candidate, and accept the nomination; and should I be successful in the approaching contest will also use my best efforts to represent the interests of our County, in an honest and independent manner.

I have the honour to be, GENTLEMEN,
Your most Obedient Servant,
P MITCHELL.
To
Robinson Crocker, W. Muirhead, W. J. Fraser,
Hugh Bain, R. T. Millar, John Wyse,
Wm. Kelly, Alex. Jessamine, D. Witherall,
J. Bagnell, W. Falconer, Wm. Russell,
John Cameron, John Pond, J. Harrington,
Thos. Vanstone, Jas. Fish, Wm. Swim,
And 90 other Freeholders.

To the Freeholders of the County of Northumberland.

GENTLEMEN,—
Having been solicited by a Requisition from a large and influential body of the Freeholders of this County, to allow myself to be put in nomination at the approaching General Election, I beg to inform you that I am now before you as a Candidate for the honour of being one of your Representatives.

My Principles are known to all of you as Liberal and Progressive, and I shall always advocate and support the introduction of any measure calculated to develop the resources of the Country, and promote the comfort of its inhabitants; and will, on the hustings, explain to you my views on the various measures which I deem necessary to attain these ends.

My interests are identified with your own; I am a native of your County, and desire to promote its prosperity, and from my experience as Farmer, Shipbuilder, Lumberer, and Merchant, am intimately acquainted with its wants, as well as its resources, and feel that I could do so with advantage to its inhabitants, and should you do me the honour to return me, I shall, to the best of my ability, endeavour to serve you faithfully and dependably.

I have the honour to be, GENTLEMEN,
Your most Obedient Servant,
P. MITCHELL.
Miramichi, 6th June, 1856.

To the Freeholders of the County of Northumberland.

GENTLEMEN,—
A Dissolution of the Assembly under extraordinary circumstances, calls for an unexpected exercise of your elective franchise.
Three elected to represent you within the last Six years I make a fourth appeal with confidence. In October 1854 I accepted office in the Government with a desire to advance your interests, and you confirmed my appointment by show of hands.
To assert your rights I resigned office in May 1856, and again solicit your support.
I have the honour to be,
Gentlemen,
Your obedient servant,
JOHN M. JOHNSON.
Chatham, June 6, 1856.

To the Freeholders of the County of Northumberland.

GENTLEMEN,—
By the dissolution of the General Assembly, the right of exercising the Elective Franchise is again in your hands, and I beg respectfully to offer myself for the third time as a Candidate for your suffrages at the approaching Election.
You are the Judges of my conduct as one of your Representatives during the past four years, and if I have pursued a course that meets your approval, I respectfully ask a continuance of your confidence and support.
I have hitherto according to the best of my judgment, given my support to every measure which I believed would advance the best interests of the Province, whether I was acting with or against the existing Government. And if I should be again honored with your approval, I will do as I feel I have hitherto done, use my best endeavours to promote the general good of the Province, and varied wants and interests of Northumberland in particular.
I am, Gentlemen,
Your most obedient,
GEORGE KERR.
Chatham, June 7, 1856.

To the Freeholders of the County of Northumberland.

GENTLEMEN,—
In again offering myself as a Candidate at the approaching Election, I beg to state that I do so unconnected with the Government or with any party. As I have been one of your Representatives for the last twenty-three years and upwards, my principles and opinions must be well known to you; it is, therefore, unnecessary to recapitulate them; and in soliciting your suffrages on the present occasion, I shall only say that by the past you must judge of the future, and that if I am again honored with your confidence I shall, as I have ever done, do all in my power to promote the best interests of the Province and Northumberland County in particular.
I shall shortly be among you, and will endeavour to visit the different sections of the County, when it will afford me the highest gratification again to meet my old and tried friends and the inhabitants of the County I have so long represented, and in whose welfare I must always feel the warmest interest.
I am, Gentlemen, with much respect,
Yours, faithfully,
J. A. STREET.
May 31, 1856.

To the Freeholders of the County of Northumberland.

GENTLEMEN,—
His Excellency the Lieutenant Governor, having dissolved the Assembly of this Province, you are again called on to exercise your Elective Franchise in choosing Four Members for this County. Having served you for the last Three Sessions, and having also been requested by many old and true friends, to again offer as one of your REPRESENTATIVES, I take this early opportunity of letting you know, I have responded to their request, and will meet you on the day of Nomination, to give you a satisfactory explanation of my Votes during the time I had the honour of serving you in the General Assembly, knowing as I do that the Freeholders of Northumberland will never desert a faithful servant, and also knowing I have discharged my duty faithfully towards them, I fear not the result. In the mean time,
GENTLEMEN, I have the honour to be
Your Obedient Servant,
RICHARD SUTTON.
2nd June, 1856.

To the Freeholders of the County of Northumberland.

GENTLEMEN,—
The Dissolution of the House of Assembly having taken you by surprise, you will be called on again in a few days to exercise your rights in Electing your Members—persons of fidelity to your cause who will reflect credit on your County. It is for you to look back at the acts of your late Representatives, and say if they are again worthy of your confidence. I do not hesitate to say the votes of some cannot be justified or bear the light, and that they will find out when too late.

GENTLEMEN,—You are sick and tired of the profligations and hollow professions of Candidates who offer themselves to your consideration, it is a threadbare story and as old as Electioneering tactics—Do not be deceived; select the man who know how and are thoroughly acquainted with all your interests—if you do so you will get your share of what your County is entitled to, if you do not you will only have yourselves to blame. I therefore respectfully offer you my services for the next four years, or for such time as the new House may be in existence, and if at the end you do not approve of my conduct, I have no hesitation in saying you ought to send me home to take care of my own business. Be chary of making promises until the day comes; the practice of Canvassing is repugnant to the feelings of an honourable man, and appears grovelling and low to last degree, the people are disgusted with such clap-trap nonsense.

On the nomination day I shall have the honour of paying you my respects, when I shall more fully explain to you my views. In the mean time,
I am, GENTLEMEN,
Your faithful Servant,
M. CRANNEY.
Miramichi, 5th June, 1856.

To the Freeholders of the County of Northumberland.

GENTLEMEN,—
The Lieutenant Governor in the exercise of his Prerogative, having dissolved the late House of Assembly, you will be called upon in a few days to select four fit and discreet persons to represent you in the Halls of Legislation.
In the exercise of this right so dear to all British Subjects, due regard should be paid to the political principles, independence of spirit and integrity of character in those who come forward to solicit your support and confidence, you will no doubt hear Harangues on the day of Nomination which may lead you to suppose each candidate possesses these qualifications, but much of these will be for the purpose of throwing dust in your eyes.
In choosing persons to represent this County, the custom is, and has been, to select Lawyers and Merchants, with now and then a spice of No-Trade, Art, Mystery, or occupation, while the Mechanic and the Labourer, the very men who support all, and build up the country, have never returned one of their own body, and have consequently in a great measure, been misrepresented.

Gentlemen, I can read, write, and cypher a little my literary qualifications are therefore equal to many of the Candidates already before you; and if you look over last year's assessment list, you will find my property qualifications to be indisputable. I am a Mechanic—one of yourselves, whose boast is—not to have derived his birth from Lions enthroned nor Rulers of the Earth: and should you think fit to nominate and return me as one of your Representatives, I shall, irrespective of personal consideration, or political combination, advocate and support the following measures, being in my opinion, among the most important for the welfare of the Province.

The Encouragement—1st, of Agriculture as the source of a Country's Wealth.
2nd, Railroads, as calculated to open up the country, develop its resources, introduce capital, break down monopoly, and elevate the condition of the poor.
3rd, Ship-building as being the principal manufacture for which our country is adapted.
4th, The Fisheries as being a mine of wealth, if judiciously prosecuted.
5th, Education. I shall advocate a more and liberal system of Education, with a view of placing the means of instruction within the reach of every family in the Province, not in such a way as to usurp the right of the parent, but to give him such legitimate aid as it is the part of the State to do.

In view of this enlarged system of Education, I shall advocate Universal Suffrage, or the right of every sound mind to have a voice in all Elections, from that of a Collector of Dog Tax to Members of Parliament, I look upon the present system as unjust and a stigma upon a large portion of our intelligent population.

Such Gentlemen, are what appear to be the most important matters with which the Legislature will have to deal. If you desire me as one of your Representatives, you can return me in such a capacity. I shall always vote on the side of liberty and justice, and against coercion, tyranny, and despotism, whether attempted to be enforced by a Peer or by a Party.

I have the honour to be,
Gentlemen, your most Obedient Servant,
GEORGE HAYDEN.
Ship Yard Hill, Chatham, Miramichi, June 12, 1856.

To the Freeholders of the County of Northumberland.

GENTLEMEN,—
I beg to offer myself as a Candidate for the honour of Representing Northumberland at the approaching Election, and if returned will do my duty to the best of my ability.
On the Day of Nomination I hope to have an opportunity of addressing you fully on the questions now agitating the public mind, and also on others that may engage the attention of the Legislature, and if our views should agree, then I trust I shall have the honour of being elected one of the Representatives of this important County.
I am Gentlemen,
Your Obedient Servant,
RICHARD CARMAN.
Chatham, 2nd June, 1856.

To the Freeholders of the County of Northumberland.

GENTLEMEN,—
I beg to offer myself as a Candidate for the honour of Representing Northumberland at the approaching Election, and if returned will do my duty to the best of my ability.
On the Day of Nomination I hope to have an opportunity of addressing you fully on the questions now agitating the public mind, and also on others that may engage the attention of the Legislature, and if our views should agree, then I trust I shall have the honour of being elected one of the Representatives of this important County.
I am Gentlemen,
Your Obedient Servant,
RICHARD CARMAN.
Chatham, 2nd June, 1856.

CARD.

To that portion of the community in the County of Northumberland who are authorised to select men to Represent them in the House of Assembly, in the Province of New Brunswick.

GENTLEMEN,—
You are called upon by the sudden Dissolution of the House of Assembly, in a very abrupt manner but yet at the same time a noble act of the "Lieutenant Governor," in dispersing a mass of the vilest materials that ever arose from the disorderly affections of the human race.

I come before you hungering and panting after Legislation, with nothing but my talents for my passport, and perseverance for my capital. From the villany of the law I possess no property in the County, but I am the lawful inheritor of two estates in two different Parishes in the south of Scotland. I do not know whether our heroic Governor possesses any property in the Province of New Brunswick or not, but he is a land-holder in Great Britain, of course his right of administration issues from the Sovereignty of the British Crown. Should I be chosen as one of your Representatives I shall enter on the same my waters of Legislation by your constituent Sovereignty. My great object in making this appeal to your honour and wisdom is to embrace the opportunity of attacking six of the vilest inventions, perhaps unequalled in the History of Legislation and Jurisprudence, these six consist of 1st the Liquor Farce, (I do not call it a law,) 2nd the two-third Vote Law, (now the majority,) 3rd the Writ of Ejectment Law, 4th the School Bill, 5th the New Brunswick Pandect of Sir Edmund Head, 6th the Three Months Notice.

On the day of Nomination I will endeavour to explain as succinctly as possible, the inconsistencies of these six contrivances—called laws.

I have the honour to be,
Gentlemen, your most Obedient Servant,
WILLIAM SMITH.
Newcastle, 10th June, 1856.

To the Freeholders of the County of Northumberland.

GENTLEMEN,
Having been solicited by a highly respectable and influential number of the Inhabitants of this County, to allow myself to be put in Nomination at the approaching Election, I have, after mature consideration, responded to the call, and shall appear at the Hustings on Monday, the 23rd instant, and explain my views if so required, on the various topics which are now agitating the public mind.
Having been actively engaged all my life in the Farming and Lumbering Interest, my best attention if elected, will be given to these interests, in common with the varied interests of this Province.
I have the honour to be,
Gentlemen, your most Obedient Servant,
JARED TOZER.
North Esk, 9th June, 1856.

LAND IN BATHURST, N. B.

BY AUCTION.
To be Sold by Public Auction, on TUESDAY, the Eighth day of JULY next, at twelve o'clock, noon, in Front of Witherall's Hotel, Bathurst.

The following Valuable Lands,

viz:—Those well-known Premises in the Town of Bathurst, known as the "End Property," fronting on Water Street, and running back to St. George's Street, with a side line on King street, comprising a Large Two-story DWELLING HOUSE, BARN, Out Houses, Garden, Grass Plat in front, and capacious FIELD in the rear. The Dwelling House was built for the late proprietor, in a superior manner—the grounds laid off tastefully and conveniently under his inspection, and are now well stocked with ornamental and other Trees, in a flourishing condition. It commands an uninterrupted view of the beautiful Harbour and Basin of Bathurst and the opposite village of St. Peters, and with moderate immediate repair, could be rendered a most delightful and unexceptionable Gentleman's Country residence, or with some slight alteration, could be made an Elegant Hotel, now so much required by Sportsmen and Tourists visiting the Bay.

The Lot No. — fronting on Water Street, with the Buildings thereon, formerly occupied by Michael O'Brien; an excellent situation for carrying on Trade—with Lot No. 36, in the rear. The whole to be subdivided, to suit purchasers.

That LOT of LAND, fronting on Water Street, bounded by T. Miller, and Edward Hickson, and formerly occupied by William Napier, Esq. with the Buildings thereon.

The Large PASTURE LOT, at the head of Murray street, No. 136, known as the Military Lot.
The Field comprising Lots Nos. 10, 11, and 12, on Patrick's Point.

The PASTURE LOT, at the head of King Street, No. 140, known as the Tannery Lot.
Terms—25 per cent. down, balance in one, two, and three years, in equal instalments. For further particulars apply to Henry Pryor, Esq. Halifax, George Kerr, Esq. Chatham, or to
HENRY W. BALDWIN, Auctioneer.
Bathurst, June 4, 1856.

AUCTION.

Of Lands in Gloucester County.

TO BE SOLD by Public Auction on TUESDAY, the EIGHTH day of JULY next, at 12 o'clock, noon, in front of WITHERALL'S HOTEL, Bathurst. THAT convenient Pasture Lot, (No. 121) in the Town Plat of Bathurst, fronting on King, St. Patrick's and St. John Streets, containing 400 by 233 feet.
Three Town Lots on the North side of St. Patrick's Street, No. 114, 115, and 116, containing each 100 by 200 feet, originally granted to Wm. Ross.

The Western half of Town Lot, 50, fronting on St. George's Street, 50 feet by 200 feet.
Town Lots, Nos. 70, 71, 72, 73, and 74, fronting on St. Andrew's St. and the Market Place, enclosed under a fence, and in a state of good cultivation.

The Ground between the Old Ferry Landing and the Big River Bridge on the East side of the road, divided into convenient Building Lots to suit purchasers.

Part of Lot 26, fronting on Water Street, lying between the old Gaol Lot, and the Carter and Frost Property.

The Lot or Farm of Land, situate on the South side of Middle River Basin, one mile from Bathurst, recently occupied by Bernard Doucote, containing forty acres more or less.

Two Seven Acre Lots adjacent to the above, lying between the Big River and the South side of the road, being part of the Land formerly owned by Ami Melancon.

The Lot of Land fronting on the south side of the Big Nepisiguit River, formerly owned by Francis Vienne, containing 50 acres more or less.
Part of Lot No. 6, North side of Middle River Basin, fronting on the main road and running to the rear of the grant adjoining Charles Carter's land and containing — acres more or less.

Part of that very desirable Lot of Land, No. 21, at Nigadoo River, Parish of Berisford, originally granted to Martin Grant, containing — acres more or less. This Lot possesses among other advantages the only cove or shelter for boats on that shore.

All that well known parcel of Land, No. 37, next adjoining the Church at Petit Rocher on the East side, formerly occupied by John Boudreau, containing 100 acres, more or less.

One Third of Lot No. 16, Petit Rocher, originally granted to Francois Boudreau containing 66 acres, more or less, adjoining the Land of Edward Baldwin.

That well-known Premises, fronting on Douglas Street, Bathurst, near the South end of the Basin Bridge and opposite St. George's Church, known as the "Gloucester Hotel," with the Lands adjoining, comprising Lots No. 2, 3 and part of 4, divided into lots to suit purchasers. A more favorable situation for a House of Entertainment could not be found on the Town Plat of Bathurst than these premises afford.

A Lot of Land fronting on St. John Street, in the rear of W. J. Boyle's premises and next to Michael O'Brien's, containing 100 by 200 feet.
Pasture Lot No. 120, West end of St. Patrick's Street, partly in the Cove, 400 by 300 feet.

TERMS.—25 per cent. down; Balance in 1, 2, and 3 years, by equal instalments. For further particulars apply to GEORGE KERR, Esquire, Chatham, S. L. BISHOP, Esq., or to the Subscriber in Bathurst.
H. W. BALDWIN, Auctioneer.
Bathurst, 4th June, 1856.