

riders to the Government Bill. A lengthy discussion followed, in which much warmth of feeling was exhibited.

Several members advocated an immediate appeal to the People, as the only remedy for the present state of things.

March 24.

Amendments made by Legislative Council on bill relating to office of Register of Deeds and Wills were not agreed to by the Lower House, bill consequently lost.

March 25.

On motion of Smith, resolved, that address be presented to His Excellency, praying for detailed statement of Cost of Public Printing since the 1st January, 1854.

March 26.

Immediately after reading of Journals, the Hon. Mr Gray informed House that the Executive Council had unanimously agreed in recommendation to Governor to prorogue House with view of dissolution.

Proceedings so summary, no opportunity to try question on Smith's resolution; 21 members remained in their seats during prorogation and but 20 proceeded to Council Chamber, considerable excitement outside.

Mr President, and Gentlemen of the Legislative Council.

I have readily given my assent to the bills which you have passed. On full consideration on state of public affairs, I have come to the determination of Proroguing this Assembly, with view to its immediate dissolution.

LATEST BY TELEGRAPH. TO CHATHAM READING ROOM.

Halifax, March 27, 1857.

"Europa" arrived at a quarter to 12 o'clock, this morning. In England all is excitement about the coming Elections—Nothing of importance doing in Parliament.

MARRIAGES.

At the Manse, Kingston, Richibucto, on the 12th inst., by the Rev. James Law, A. M., Mr JOHN ROBERTSON, to MISS MARY JANE DAVIS, both of Richibucto.

DEATHS.

At the residence of his brother, Thomas C. Allan, Esq., in Newcastle, on Thursday last, Mr WINCKWORTH ALLAN, in his 57th year.

A PROFITABLE HOG.—Mr James Danford has handed in the following for the information of the Public: 5th of Sept. 1856, had a litter of Pigs, 10 in number.

List of Branch Pilots

- Andrew McCullum, Samuel Waddleton, John McLean, Mitchell Martin, Sen., Mitchell Casey, John Brown, George Rodgers, Donald McLean, James Walls, Robert Walls, John Walls, Jr., Francis Cullen.

Extracts from the Minutes. EDWARD WILLISTON, Clerk of the Peace, Northumberland.

Lloyd's Register of British and Foreign Shipping.

It having been represented to the Committee that much inconvenience and loss will be incurred by the Ship-builders in the British North American Colonies, if the Regulation passed on the 15th May last, "That on and after the 1st July, 1857, Ship-which proceed to sea without being fastened with Iron Knives and Riders prescribed by the Rules, will have one year deducted from the period to which they would otherwise be entitled to be classed in the Register Book;"

New Advertisements. NEWCASTLE DIVISION, NO. 45, S. OF T. CONCERT.

The CHATHAM AMATEUR BAND, purpose giving a CONCERT, in the Hall of the Sons of Temperance, Newcastle, on TUESDAY evening, 31st inst. Proceeds to be devoted to the Completion of the said Hall.

TO LET.

The FARM and PREMISES, on which the late JAMES FOREN resided, commonly called the HALF-WAY HOUSE, presently in the possession of William Johnston. For particulars, apply to Mrs FOREN, Chatham or to, GILGOUR, RANKIN & Co. Douglastown, March 27, 1857.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

To be sold at Public Auction, on SATURDAY, the tenth day of OCTOBER, next at the COURT HOUSE, in Newcastle, between the hours of twelve and five o'clock, in the afternoon of the same day.

JAMES MITCHELL, Sheriff. Sheriff's Office, Newcastle, 20th March, 1857.

AUCTION.

On THURSDAY next, the 2nd APRIL, at 11 o'clock A. M., at the Subscribers store in Chatham. 60 bbls. American Flour, 15 do Rye Flour, 500 pieces Room Paper.

NOTICE.

At a Meeting of the BOARD of DIRECTORS, of the MIRAMICHI JOINT STOCK FISHING COMPANY, held on the 23rd inst., it was ordered that a Fourth instalment of £2 of the Share on the Stock of the said Company, be paid to John M. Johnson, Esq., Agent—payable the 2nd April next.

MASONIC.

NORTHUMBERLAND LODGE, NEWCASTLE.

THE REGULAR MONTHLY MEETING of the above LODGE will be held at their LODGE ROOM in the Mechanics' Institute, Newcastle, on TUESDAY, the 14th of APRIL, at 8 P. M.

CROWN LAND NOTICE.

CROWN LAND OFFICE, March 18, 1857. The right of Licence to cut and carry away Timber and Lumber until the first day of May 1857, from Berchs applied for by the following persons, in the undermentioned situations, will be offered for sale by Public Auction at this Office, on WEDNESDAY the First day of April next.—Sale to commence at noon.

Table with columns: Names, Sq Miles, Situations. Includes Thomas Crezier, Hilaire Vasseur, William Hamilton, John Ferris.

Tannery for Sale.

That well known TAN YARD, situate in the centre of Richibucto, and lately occupied by James Kirkpatrick. There are Ten Pits, Bark Mill, Stoves, Tables, &c., &c. Also, a New House partly finished.

NOTICE.

CHATHAM GAS LIGHT COMPANY. At a Meeting of the Board of Directors held on the 18th inst, it was Resolved that a second instalment of ten per cent of the Capital Stock of the said Company be called in payable to the Treasurer on the 20th APRIL next.

FASHIONS. FASHIONS.

WINTER FASHIONS just received. New and beautiful Style of OVER COATS, &c., &c., call and see.

PARISH OF CHATHAM.

To the Editor of the Gleaner, and the Ratepayers of the Parish of Chatham. WE the Subscribers think it our duty, and it will be in compliance with a request from the Grand Jury Prorogment, to let you know how your money is expended, and who is getting support from the Parish; and if any person knows of any imposition, the Subscribers will be thankful for the information.

Table with columns: Name, Amount. Lists names like Hugh M'Cormick, Widow Jackman, James Kelly, etc.

The lowest tender for supply for the year was from Alex. Loudoun, Esq., as follows: Flour, per stone, 3s. 6d.; Oat Meal, do, 2s. 6d.; Corn Meal, do, 1s. 6d.; Dry Codfish, do, 1s. 4d.; Molasses, per gallon, 2s. 9d.; Tea, per pound, 1s. 8d.; Firewood, per load, 3s. 11.

Medical attendance by Tender for the year for all cases £5 10s., Doctor Johnson. We have six good, whole-some boys, the youngest 9 years of age, and the oldest 12, and 8 girls, the youngest, 7 year of age, and the oldest 16.

List of Letters for February

Received at the Post Office Chatham and Newcastle, &c., and remaining for delivery 15th March, 1857. Allen Robert, Allen Wm., Andrew Wm., Brander Ellen, Brander H. John, Bateman Joseph, Burke Patrick, Bardin Thomas 2, Breman Michael, Bride Thomas 2, Cassady Elizabeth, Carter Thomas, Cowan Martin, Dorthy Betsy, Dunn Peter, Fraser Donald (Mason), Frost Shepherd Mrs, Fraser Jane Miss, Goodfellow Elspeth, Ginnis John Indian Gov., Green Alfred, Henderson Mary, Hasket Matthew, Hasket Pebe, Hynes J., Hickey Eloy, Hart John, Hickey Thomas, Johnson Samuel, Keough Ann care of P. Walsh.

CROWN LAND NOTICE.

CROWN LAND OFFICE, March 3, 1857. The undermentioned Lots of Crown Lands will be offered for sale by Public Auction on TUESDAY, the Seventh day of APRIL next, at noon, by the respective Deputies, at their Offices, agreeable to the Regulations of 11th May, 1843, and no sale of credit will be made to any person who is indebted to the crown for previous purchases.

(Not to interfere with the right to cut Timber or other Lumber under Licence applied for previous to the applications for the purchase of the Land.) (No person is allowed to hold more than one hundred acres payable by instalments.)

By Deputy Sadler, at Dalhousie. Town Lot 182, Dalhousie, A Ritchie; upset price £15.

By Deputy Peters, at Chatham. 93 acres, in block 17, near Danford, Glenelg, Wm. Archibald. 100 acres, in block 17, near Danford, Glenelg, Pat. Connors.

By Deputy Douglas, at Buctouche. 160 acres, lot 2, Middle Township, H. Walwood; 160 survey.

By Deputy Little, at Richibucto. 229 acres, north of Harley's road, Melus river, Martin Robichau. 104 acres, lot 108, South Branch, Aldoune, P. M. Richard, improved. 52 acres, lot 129, block D, Carlton, John Atkinson.

Assessors Notice. The Assessors for the Parish of Chatham, hereby give notice to the Inhabitants thereof, that they are ready to receive statements UNDER OATH, within one month from date, from all persons liable to be taxed on Real and Personal Property and Income, deducting from their Personal Estate the just debts they owe, and they will be rated accordingly. Dated the 14th day of March, 1857. JAS. KERR, Wm. J. FRASER, M. ORANNEY, Assessors.