

The paragraph lately going the round of the papers upon the subject of the crown jewels contains an important inaccuracy. The jewels constituting the regalia at the Tower are not those respecting which there has been a question between our court and that of Hanover. Some jewels belonging to George II, and some in the possession of Queen Charlotte, were, it seems, the subject of a bequest to the crown of Hanover. Under that bequest they were claimed, and her Majesty having submitted the claim to competent authority its validity was admitted. The crown of Hanover however has nothing to say to the regalia, which will remain as at present.

A Suitor for the Princess Alice.—Although no official intimation of the views of the Dutch Court has as yet been conveyed to this country, we believe there is no doubt as to the intention of the King of Holland to demand the hand of the Princess Alice for the young Prince of Orange. We have been told that if the contemplated proposal, when made, shall be acceded to by Her Majesty, it is intended to send the Prince to this country to complete his studies at one of the English universities, Cambridge most probably.—*Court Circular.*

The Circassians, commanded by Sefer Pasha, on the 14th December, took Fort Adckon, after a strenuous resistance. They massacred the garrison, which consisted of 1200 men.

Rachel, the celebrated actress, Field Marshal Radetzky, and Redchid Pasha, are dead.

Business improving—rates of discount reduced to 6 per cent. Consols quoted 94 7-8 to 95 1-5. Breadstuffs flat and unchanged.

P. E. ISLAND.

P. E. Island Telegraph.—By arrangement with the New York, Newfoundland and London Telegraph Company, the line of Telegraph on this Island, together with all concessions enjoyed by the Company, have passed into the hands of J. Hunter, Esq., for a term of years, from April next; and we learn that it is the intention to erect additional lines wherever local support comes forward to warrant the outlay. Mr Hunter is at present in the United States on business connected with the enterprise.

NEW BRUNSWICK.

We learn from the St. Croix Herald that the number of vessels which arrived at St. Stephens last year, exclusive of coasting vessels, was 85, of 30,000 tons.

The same paper says that lumbering on the St. Croix and its branches is very active, not less than 400 teams and 2,500 men being employed by the St. Croix merchants. This we consider decidedly bad news.—*Freeman.*

Incendiarism.—A wicked attempt was made yesterday morning, soon after midnight, to feloniously destroy by fire the Temperance Hall, in Carleton. Near the southern corner of this spacious building a small portion of the foundation had been removed sometime since; the cavity, it appears, was enlarged by the incendiary, and then filled with shavings and other combustible materials to which fire was applied. Very fortunately, the flames were soon discovered by two young ladies residing in a neighbouring house, and who mainly contributed, by the prompt application of water, in saving a fabric which has cost the good people of Carleton upwards of £1250, and which is like an honor and an ornament to the place.

The perpetrator of this foul offence is strongly suspected, and it is to be hoped that the authorities of Carleton will spare no pains in bringing him to justice.—*Nbr.*

New Advertisements.

Crown Land Notice.

CROWN LAND OFFICE, Jan. 28, 1858.
The undermentioned Lots of Land in the POCMOUCHE INDIAN RESERVE will be offered for sale by Public Auction, by the Commissioners at Bathurst, on WEDNESDAY, the 24th day of MARCH next—Sale to commence at noon.
No. 24, 96 acres, Irish Landry,
No. 27, 25 " G. LeBreton,
No. 29, 83 " Lewis Boushie.
JAMES BROWN, Sur. Gen.

Miramichi Mechanics' Institute.

Lectures will be delivered by the Revd. Wm. Henderson, in the Hall of the Institute, on the Evenings of the 4th and 11th February next.—Members are particularly requested to exhibit the tickets to door-keeper before passing in.
Chatham, 29th January, 1858

List of Letters for December.

Received at the Post Office Chatham and Newcastle, remaining for delivery the 15th January, 1858.

Bobo Louis	Kebbo Mary Miss.
Greener Mrs	Launders Jane
Clark Barbara	Murdoch L David
Costigan Wm.	Moon James Mrs
Cable Stephen	M'Laughlin James
Clarkin, Patrick Black	Nowlin Mary Miss
Brook	O'Rourke Patrick
Campbell S. Ellen Miss	Palmer Mary Mrs
Dagout Francis Capt.	Ross Donald
Dowling John (Maiden)	Russell Ann Ross Miss
Gagen Cornelius	Sinnett James
Gray George	Thompson, Joseph Napan
Gray T George.	Ullock William 2
Johnston Wm. (Shoe-maker)	Wall Richard
	Wall James (Pilot)
	JAMES CAIE, P. M.

NEWCASTLE.

Brown H. James	Parker T. John Mr
Henry Mary	Perry Joseph Mrs
Isaac, Barque James Hall	Rust John
Hapada, Frank Ship-car-	Stuart John
painter	Young Ellen

JARED TOZER, P. M.

P. S. Persons asking for any of the above letters will please say "Advertised."

New Advertisements.

REQUISITION.

To JOSEPH WHETMORE, Esquire, High Sheriff of Kent,

SIR,—WE, the undersigned Freeholders and Ratepayers of the County of Kent, having learned that some of the offices now held by the Hon. J. W. WELDON, will shortly become vacant; and having further learned that it is in contemplation by the Government to fill up some of the offices by persons non-resident in the County,—hereby request you to convene a PUBLIC MEETING for the purpose of taking into consideration the policy of making such appointment, and to express the feelings of the people in opposition to the principle and policy involved in such appointment, believing, as we do, that the wishes and interests of the people generally, should be consulted in all appointment of a local character.

L. P. W. DesBrisay	C. Browne
Joseph Doherty	Henry J. Dwyre
Edward Walker	Martin Keough.
J. A. James	Michael Murphy
R. Hutchinson	George Wallace
John Power	James O'Marrah
Isaac Sewerby	Donald M'Arthur
Rufus S. Chandler	Robert Ross
Morden S. Levy	Vetal Molleir
William Hamilton	Joseph Molleir
Samuel Corme	Geo. M'Anley
Keady O'Leary	Jas. Christola
Jno. Kean	Richard Crocker
Pierce Quilty	Michael Kin-low
Thos. Wathen	Jas. Hannah
S. B. Hetherington	Wm. Henderson
John S. Wilson	Charles Hughes
John Sutherland	Silvester Dixon
Jacob Ferguson	F. G. Richardson
Wm. Robertson	George Ellis
John Hains	S. H. Wathen
Martin Moony	Jas. Forster
Robert Thompson	Wm. Forster
Simon Graham	James Gifford
Edward Moore	

Richibucto, January 25, 1858.

Public Meeting.

To the Freeholders, Ratepayers, and Inhabitants generally of the County of Kent:

Whereas it has recently become known that the present Administration of this Province is contemplating to fill up some of the Public Offices now held by the Hon. J. W. WELDON, by persons who are non-residents of this County, and believing that such a course of procedure on the part of the Government is wrong in principle:

NOTICE is hereby given that a PUBLIC MEETING of the Inhabitants generally of the County of Kent will be held in the COURT HOUSE, at Richibucto, on THURSDAY, the 4th day of FEBRUARY next, at the hour of 11 o'clock, A. M., for the purpose of ascertaining whether the public feeling of the County is for or against the adoption of the principle.

This extraordinary mode of calling a Public Meeting has been rendered necessary by the refusal of the High Sheriff of this County to convene one in accordance with the wishes of a numerous and respectfully signed Requisition presented to him for such purpose.

Signed on behalf of the Requisitionists.
JAMES A. JAMES,
R. HUTCHINSON,
MORDEN S. LEVY,
THOS. KEAN.

Richibucto, January 26, 1858.

WHARF LOGS

Required for the Public Wharf at Newcastle.
100 HEMLOCK AND 500 CEDAR LOGS.

TENDERS will be received for supplying the above at the Counting House of Messrs. JOHN HAWES & Co., Newcastle, until TUESDAY, the 9th FEBRUARY next. The Logs to be delivered as soon as practicable, after the opening of the River, at the PUBLIC SLIP in Newcastle.

RICHARD HUTCHISON, } Committee.
JOHN HAWES,
W. A. BLACK,
Newcastle, 29th January, 1858.

Mr ARCHER, Dentist,

(Late of Edinburgh) intends being in Chatham at BOWLER'S HOTEL, on TUESDAY, the 12th inst., where he will remain a week or two, when he may be consulted in all the branches of his Profession. As Mr A's stay will be short, he solicits an early call from those more especially who may require his services in the Mechanical Department.

Mr A. will be in Newcastle, at Mr. Fish's, on SATURDAYS the 6th and 13th.
Miramichi, January 9, 1858.

NOTICE.

All Persons having any claims against the Estate of the late JOHN SCRATCH, late of the Parish of Newcastle, in the County of Northumberland, Farmer, deceased, are requested to render the same within three months to the Subscribers, to whom all Persons indebted to the said Estate are requested to make immediate payment.

RICHARD HUTCHISON, } Administrators.
JAMES BROWN,
Newcastle, November 7, 1857.

Notice.

All persons having any demands against the Estate of JAMES M'PHERSON, late of the Parish of Colebourne, in the County of Restigouche, deceased, are requested to hand the same duly attested, with in three calendar months from this date, to DOUGALD STEWART, of Dalhousie: And all persons indebted to the said Estate are required to make immediate payment to either of the undersigned Executors.

Dated at Dalhousie, in the County of Restigouche, the 15th day of October, 1857.
D. W. STEWART,
WILLIAM M'PHERSON, } Executors.
JOHN COOK,

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THE ANNUAL EXHIBITION of the Carleton (Kent) Agricultural Society will take place on WEDNESDAY, the 10th FEBRUARY next, in W. S. CAIE'S Esq. GRIST MILL, Kouchibouguac.

All Grains which take Prizes must become the property of the Society, and will be sold to the highest bidder immediately after the Prizes being awarded. All the Seeds of the Society remaining on hand will be sold at the same time.

TERMS—Cash on being knocked down.
The following amounts comprise the Value of the Grains and the Prizes.

GRAINS, (Price and Prize.)

Best White Wheat, not less than 2 bush,	\$1 15 0
Second best, do,	2 " 1 10 0
Best Red Wheat,	2 " 1 15 0
Second best, do,	2 " 1 10 0
Best Black Oats,	2 " 0 15 0
Second best, do,	2 " 0 12 0
Best White Oats,	2 " 0 16 0
Second best, do,	2 " 0 12 0
Best Barley,	2 " 0 18 0
Second best, do,	2 " 0 15 0
Best Timothy Seed,	2 " 0 17 0
Second best, do,	2 " 0 15 0
Best Pease,	1 " 0 17 0
Second best, do,	1 " 0 14 0

DAIRY PRODUCE. (Price only.)

Best Butter, Sample 20 lbs.,	\$0 10 0
Second best, do,	0 7 6
Third best, do,	0 5 0

DOMESTIC MANUFACTURES, (Price only.)

Best Twilled Homespun, all Wool,	\$0 7 6
do do Cotton & Wool,	0 7 6
Best Homespun, Wemans' Wear, all Wool,	0 7 6
do do do Cotton & Wool,	0 7 6
Best Twilled White Flannel, all Wool,	0 7 6
do Plain do Cotton & Wool,	0 7 6
Best sample Mens' Socks, not less than 3 prs 0	5 0
Second best do do	0 3 9
Best sample Mens' Mitts,	0 5 0
Second do do do	0 3 9

RULES AND REGULATIONS.

All articles exhibited must be the production of a Member of the Society, and owned by him. No article is to be entered after the hour of 11, A. M., when the Judges are to be admitted.

If any dispute arise whether an article exhibited has been raised, produced or manufactured by the exhibitor within the past year, the owner must prove, to the satisfaction of the Committee, that it has.

All Grains to be eligible to take Prizes must be exhibited without undergoing any drying process except by the weather or sun. And all Cloths and Flannels without being folded.
The Judges will not withhold a Premium, on the ground that an article is unworthy.
By Order.

SYDNEY P. FAYLE, Secretary.
Kouchibouguac, January, 1858.

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Chatham, January 9, 1858.



Crown Land Notice.

CROWN LAND OFFICE, January 5, 1858.

The undermentioned Lots of Crown Lands will be offered for sale by Public Auction, on TUESDAY, the Second day of FEBRUARY 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 Licences applied for previously to the applications for the purchase of the Land).
(No person is allowed to hold more than one hundred acres payable by instalments.)

GLOUCESTER.

By Deputy Carruthers, at Bathurst.

100 acres, lot 33, block 13, south of Tatigouche, Thos. Seaton.

140 acres, lot 24, block Y, Blackville, John Bergin.

100 acres, lot P, south of Big Hole Brook, John A. Pries.

KENT.

By Deputy Douglas, at Buctouche.

53 acres, lot 93, St. Anthony's, Fred. Whitemarsh.

75 acres, lot 62 west, block 5, Wellington, D. Robicheau.

75 acres, lot 62, east, block 5, Wellington, Alex. Collet.

100 acres, lot 138, block O, Wellington, Geo. Holder.

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MONDAYS AND THURSDAYS,
at the hour of 8 o'clock A. M., and Fredericton on the mornings of

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at the same hours. Books will be kept at Kelly's Office, Chatham, and at the Barker House, Fredericton. It must be distinctly understood that no person will be considered entitled to a seat without registering their names and paying their Fare.

ORR & CARVELL.

Chatham, January 5, 1858.