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For the benefit of those concerned, and at the request of a number of respectable citizens, we present the following notification.

OFFICE OF AMERICAN CLAIMS,
HALIFAX, Nova-Scotia, 15th Nov. 1785.

WHEREAS an act passed during the last session of Parliament for appointing commissioners further to enquire into the losses and services of all such persons who have suffered in their rights, properties and professions during the late unhappy dissensions in America, in consequence of their loyalty to His Majesty and attachment to the British government; and whereas Col. THOMAS DUNDAS and J. PEMBERTON, Esq; two of the commissioners appointed by the said act were thereby directed to repair to Nova-Scotia, or any other of His Majesty's Colonies in America, to enquire into such claims. NOTICE is hereby given, that the said commissioners have arrived at Halifax, and intend to proceed forthwith at that place to make their enquiries into the claims already preferred, and to receive and enquire into such new claims as shall be preferred before the 1st of May 1786, in manner hereafter mentioned.

As to those claims which have been preferred under the former act of Parliament, the said commissioners mean to enquire into them regularly, in such order as the same were received and stand entered in the Office of American Claims in England; of which persons resident in or near Halifax may be informed, by enquiry at the office there, and the same information will be communicated by the commissioners to the Governor, or chief officer in every other part of His Majesty's colonies in America, to the intent, that all persons interested, by application to such governor or chief officer, may know the order in which such claims will be investigated. It must however be understood, that the personal attendance of every claimant at the time his claim is examined into will be indispensably required.

In respect to the said former claims, it is required by the said commissioners, that a duplicate or at least an account of the nature and extent of such claim formerly delivered, and the names of the witnesses intended to be produced in support of it, be transmitted with the utmost possible expedition to Peter Hunter, Esq; secretary to the commissioners at the Office of American Claims at Halifax.

And whereas by the said act, time has been allowed to the 1st day of May, 1786, for new claims to be preferred by persons who shall upon oath prove to the satisfaction of the commissioners, that they were absent from the Kingdoms of Great-Britain and Ireland, and by unavoidable accident or particular circumstances were utterly incapable of preferring their claims during the time allowed by the former act. NOTICE is hereby given, that it is expected by the said commissioners that on the delivery of every such new claim, an affidavit be made in the following form:

"A. B. late of _____ but now of _____ do hereby swear, that he resided at _____ from the 15th of July 1783, to the 15th of March 1784, and thus depose further faith, that he was utterly incapable of preferring or delivering to the commissioners appointed by act of parliament passed in the 25th year of the reign of his present Majesty, entitled, 'an act for appointing commissioners to enquire into the losses and services of all such persons who have suffered in their rights, properties and professions during the late unhappy dissensions in America, in consequence of their loyalty to His Majesty, and attachment to the British government.' Or at their office, any memorial, claim or request for aid or relief on account of this deponent's losses during the late unhappy dissensions in America, within the time allowed by the said act, for the receiving of such claims, he avows that this deponent during all that time, viz. between the 15th of July,

"1783, and the 15th of March 1784, lived 'or resided at _____' And (here state the particular circumstances which prevented the delivery of the 'claim'.")

N. B. Persons residing in or near Halifax may make oath to their affidavits before the commissioners; persons residing at any other part of His Majesty's colonies, before the Governor, or any one of the Council of the province, or chief magistrate of the place wherein such claimant resides.

All new claims accompanied by an affidavit made pursuant to the above form (if the facts and circumstances stated in such affidavit appear to be sufficient,) which shall be preferred before the 1st of May 1786, will be received by the said commissioners subject however; as to the facts and circumstances stated in such new claim, as well, as in such affidavit, to future enquiry and consideration on the personal examination of the claimant.

And the said commissioners give further notice, that they mean in the first place to finish their enquiry into the claims formerly preferred, and then to proceed to the examination of such new claims as shall be received before the 1st of May 1786, and endeavors will be used, that such new claimants shall receive the earliest information of the time and order in which their respective claims will be investigated.

PETER HUNTER, Sec'y.

BEVRIDGE & ELLIS,

PERUKE-MAKERS and HAIR-DRESSERS
Prince-William street:

RETURN their sincere thanks to their friends, and the public in general, for past favors, and hope for a continuance of them.

WANTED:

A smart young Lad as an Apprentice to the above business.

LONDON, April 6, 1785.

CHARLES COOKE

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A FARM situate near Frederick-town, consisting of about 200 acres of excellent land, of which there is about 40 acres entirely cleared, a new log-house, and an excellent cedar barn, together with a horse, cows, sheep, &c. the whole to be sold very reasonable.

For more ample information those desirous to purchase may apply to the Printer hereof.

Notice.

THE subscriber intending speedily to leave this province, desires all persons indebted to him to make immediate payment; and all those who have any demands against him to bring in their accounts that they may be adjusted.—He also forewarns all persons from harbouring or trusting a woman who calls herself Mrs. Adams, as he will pay no debts of her contracting; and whoever shall purchase any thing of her, belonging to him, will be prosecuted according to law. He likewise forbids any and every person from boarding or lodging at his house in King-street, as they will answer it at their peril.

JOHN ADAMS.

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[Price 12 Shillings per Dozen.]

AN ASTRONOMICAL DIARY, OR ALMANACK, For the Year of our LORD CHRIST 1786,

Being the second after BISSEXTILE or LEAP-YEAR,

CONTAINING:

THE position of the moon in man's body, passing under the twelve Zodiacal Constellations, together with a figure of the human frame.

The names and characters of the Planets.

The characters of the Aspects.

The Vulgar Notes for the year 1786.

The Eclipses for the year 1786.

The transit of the planet Mercury over the sun's disk.

Amanda: a Poem.

Moon's place and age, sun and moon's rising and setting, moon's apogee and perigee, equation of time, tides and falls of the church, judgment of weather, time of high-water, &c.

A list of the names of the officers of civil government, in and over his Majesty's province of New-Brunswick.

A list of the names of officers in the Court of Chancery.

The names of the Judges of the Supreme Court.

The names of the officers in the Saraguate General's Office.

The names of the officers in his Majesty's Customs.

The exact boundary of every county in this province.

The names of the mayor, recorder, common clerk, aldermen, assistant aldermen, chamberlain, &c. &c. of the city of Saint John.

The names of the judges of the Inferior Courts of Common Pleas, General Sessions, justices, clerks and commissioners for taking affidavits, sheriffs, coroners, &c. of every county.

The time for holding the Supreme Courts in this province.

Staff of the army in this province.

Time of going through the tides in the river Saint John.

Table of coins, at the rate of 4/5 per dollar—dollars reduced into sterling—half pence into sterling.

Table of coins, at the rate of 4/3 per dollar, (as taken by the army) dollars into sterling—guineas into sterling—half pence into sterling.

Table of coins, at the rate of 5/6 per dollar—dollars into sterling—guineas into sterling—half pence into sterling.

Table of coins, at the rate of 4/6 per dollar—pounds into dollars—pounds into guineas—pounds into half pence.

Table of coins, at the rate of 4/3 per dollar—pounds into dollars—pounds into guineas—pounds into half pence.

Table of coins, at the rate of 5/6 per dollar—pounds into dollars—pounds into guineas—pounds into half pence.

Table of interest at 6 per cent.

Directions for making pot and pear ashes, salts, &c. together with a plan of the works.

Remarkable events.

List of the names of the members of the honorable the House of Assembly of this province.

Remedies against various diseases of the human body.

Select Anecdotes.

Time of high-water in the several rivers on the south side of the Bay of Fundy, &c.

To be SOLD,

On reasonable Terms,

For a term of Years.

A Leased LOT of GROUND,

on the corner of Dock Street, fronting the public ground upper corner, with a house on the same, and possession given the first of May next. For further particulars enquire of Mr. Richard Seaman, No. 106, Germain Street, or Mr. John Dunham, at Cadboro.

St. John, March 21st, 1786.

THOMAS JENNINGS,

At YORK-POINT,

Has newly imported, and has for SALE at a reasonable rate, for Cash or good Bills, the following articles, viz.

Salmon Twine,

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ROPING,

Suitable to compleat FISHING NETTS, superior to any yet imported.

ALSO,

Fishing Lines,

Of all sorts,

Together with an ASSORTMENT OF

Ironmongery,

AND

TIN WARE,

BAR IRON, STEEL, &c.

N. B. A good SCOW to be LET ON REASONABLE TERMS, on security being given for her value, or safe return to the owner.

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Capt. Ritchie from London, and to be SOLD WHOLESALE and RETAIL

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At his STORE, No. 54 PRINCE WILLIAM STREET, on the most reasonable terms for cash, or good bills of exchange,

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Second and court Womens black worst cloths of all colors.

A large assortment of carpets from 5 by 4 to 1/2 yard wide.

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Handkerchiefs and coloured shawls.

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Womens blue, dress, Womens leather shoes.

With a variety of other articles too numerous to mention.

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Of the

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