

When all thy Messengers forsake him, I will seek and support him, and turn his faults to good. Because he is weak, I will incline his bowels to compassion and his soul to stonement. When he departs from peace, from truth from justice, the consequence of his wanderings shall deter him from repeating them, and shall gently lead him to amendment."

The father of All gave ear, and created Man, a weak faulting being, but in his faults the pupil of Mercy, the son of ever-active and ameliorating Love.

Remember thine origin, O Man! when thou art hard and unkind towards thy brother. Mercy alone willed thee to be: Love and Pity suckled thee at their bosoms.

LITERARY CURIOSITY.

The library of the Duke of Wirtemberg, at Stuttgart, in Germany exhibits a curious specimen of that Gentleman's taste. His collection of Bibles amounts to nine thousand, which are all different editions. He has calculated that about three thousand more will complete the collection, and he spares no expence in procuring them. The whole library consists of more than one hundred thousand volumes, among which are two thousand printed before the year 1500.

QUEBEC, Dec. 31.

On Saturday the 26th inst. departed this life, the Hon. HUGH FINLAY, late Deputy Post-Master General of British America, and the eldest Member of his Majesty's Council, &c. As a Parent, Friend, and Loyal Subject, he ranked with the first in society; and his faithful and meritorious services in this Province, for upwards of forty-one years, stand sufficiently recorded to render further comment unnecessary.

Died the 28th inst. of a lingering illness, which he bore for many years past with Christian patience and resignation Major SAMUEL HOLLAND. He had been in his time an intrepid, active, and intelligent Officer, never making difficulties however arduous the duty he was employed in. He was also an excellent field engineer, in which capacity he was employed in the year 1758 at the siege of Louisbourg, in the detachment of the army under Gen. Wolfe, who after silencing the batteries that opposed our entrance into the harbour, and from his own, setting fire to three ships of the line and obliging the remainder in a disabled state to haul out of cannon shot, that great Officer by a rapid and unexpected movement took post within 100 yards of the town, from whence Major HOLLAND (under his directions) carried on the approaches, destroyed the defences of the town, and making a practicable breach, obliged the enemy to capitulate, he distinguished himself also at the conquest of Quebec in 1759, and was made honorable mention of in Gen. Wolfe's will as a legatee: he also distinguished himself in the defence of Quebec in 1760 after Gen. Murray's unsuccessful attack on the enemy. After the peace he was appointed Surveyor General of this Province, and was usefully employed in surveying the American coasts, from which survey those drafts published some years since by Major Desbarres have been principally taken.

New-Brinswick.

SAINT JOHN,
WEDNESDAY, MARCH 10, 1802.

His Excellency the LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR has been pleased to appoint Robert PARKER, John BLACK, Col. CAMPBELL, Adino PADDOCK, James CODNER, James WHITE, Junr. and John BRUNDAGE, Esqrs. to be Justices of the Peace for the City and County of Saint John.

On the 5th instant the session of the General Assembly was closed at Fredericton.

His Excellency the LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR having come down to the Council Chamber, sent a Message to the House of Assembly requiring their attendance—

The House attended accordingly in the Council Chamber, where His Excellency was pleased to give his assent to the following Bills, viz.

1. An Act for raising a revenue in this Province and for appropriating the

same together with the monies now in the Treasury.

2. An Act in addition to an Act to regulate the terms of the sittings of the Inferior Courts of Common Pleas in this Province and to enlarge the jurisdiction of the same and for the summary trial of Actions.

3. An Act for the easy and speedy recovery of small debts and for regulating the proceedings thereon.

4. An Act for regulating the Militia.

5. An Act for aiding and encouraging Parish Schools.

6. An Act for altering the time of holding the Courts of General Sessions of the peace and Common Pleas in the County of Westmorland.

7. An Act for altering the time of holding the Inferior Court of Common Pleas and General Sessions of the Peace for the county of Kings.

8. An Act to render persons convicted of Petit-Larceny competent Witnesses.

After which his Excellency was pleased to make the following Speech to both Houses.

"Gentlemen of the Council, and Gentlemen of the Assembly.

THE business before you being now completed I have the satisfaction in closing the present Session, to express my confidence that your endeavours on this occasion to secure and promote the public welfare, will be productive of the most salutary consequences."

And thereupon the Clerk of the Crown by His Excellency's command, declared the General Assembly to be prorogued until the first Tuesday in June next, and the same was prorogued accordingly.

To His Excellency THOMAS CARLETON, Esq. Lieutenant Governor and Commander in Chief of the Province of New-Brinswick, &c. &c. &c.

The Humble ADDRESS of the HOUSE of ASSEMBLY.

May it please Your Excellency.

WE anticipate with Your EXCELLENCY the Importance of the great Event which has lately taken place, not only to the British Empire at large, but to almost the whole World.

The great and glorious achievements by his MAJESTY'S Fleets and Armies, in the course of the War, appear to us to have outstripped all the Records of Fame in the Annals of our Country; and the Preliminary terms to which he has been pleased to consent for the restoration of Peace, carry with them (we conceive) the strongest demonstration of the Purity of His MAJESTY'S views and the sincerity of his professions during the long and arduous contest, in which he has been unavoidably engaged.

Great are the acknowledgements we owe to the protecting arm of Divine Providence, whose inscrutable wisdom has derived additional strength and union to the British Empire, out of the very means employed for its destruction. We hope with Your EXCELLENCY that a Peace so evidently dictated on the part of His MAJESTY by motives of benevolence and moderation, may be firm and lasting; and with Your EXCELLENCY we fully coincide in the propriety of a strict attention to the means of future safety.

Under these impressions and in compliance with Your EXCELLENCY'S recommendation we shall adopt the necessary measures for the future security of this Province by a well regulated Militia, in anticipation of the period when the present act shall cease to be in Force.

We thank Your EXCELLENCY for directing the Treasurers Accounts and other papers necessary for our information to be laid before us.—And we are gratified to understand from your EXCELLENCY that on payment of the duties for which Bonds have been taken, the Revenue of the years past will be found sufficient for discharging all the sums appropriated at our last meeting. We are equally grateful to Your EXCELLENCY for communicating to us a testimony of His MAJESTY'S satisfaction at the mutual confidence and unanimity, which has marked the proceedings of the General Assembly of New-Brinswick. With your EXCELLENCY we look up to the best of Sovereigns as the father of his People, and on every testimony of his approbation as an honour and gratification invaluable in the minds of his Loyal and affectionate Subjects.

LANG and TURNER,

HAVE RECEIVED

By the Ship *New-Brinswick*, Captain Boardett, from LONDON, (In addition to their Stock on hand)

A General Assortment of **BRITISH GOODS,**

Suitable for this Country, and are now opening for Sale on the most reasonable terms.

CASH and the highest prices always given for SKINS and FURS.

St. John, 2d January, 1802.

MILITIA

General Orders.

THE Lieutenant Governor is pleased to direct, that the Arms and Accoutrements lent by Government, during the late War, to the different Regiments and Independent Companies of Militia in the Province, be forthwith called in.—For the speedy accomplishment of which—The Hon. Brigadiers Ludlow and Allen will give the necessary orders to the Colonels of the Regiments in each district, and appoint proper persons to receive the same.—The Brigadiers will report to His Excellency, when this Service shall have been complied with, that directions may be given to the Ordinance-Store-keeper to receive the same, into the King's Store.

H. W. HAILES, Adj. General.

NOTICE.

ALL Persons having any Legal demands against the Estate of LEWIS DESLOIS of the City of Saint John, Merchant deceased, are requested to present them properly attested, within twelve months from the date hereof, to either of the Subscribers—And all those indebted to said Estate, are desired to make immediate payment to

THOMAS LAWTON
OR
WILLIAM WHITLOCK.
Administrators to said Estate.
St. John, December 8th, 1801.

NOTICE.

ALL Persons who have legal demands against the Estate of JOHN BETTER, late of King's County, deceased are requested to send in their accounts duly attested to the Subscribers within Six months from the date hereof—And all persons indebted to said Estate are desired to make immediate payment to

JOHN M'LEOD,
JOHN WATERBURY,
Administrators.
St. John, 3d Nov. 1801.

To be Leased For-ever.

AT Public Auction, at the City Hall on the Third Tuesday in March next, the Corporation ground in front of the Great work, in Prince-William Street.—The same to be divided into lots of fifty feet each, extending to low-water mark—each lot to be let up at three pounds and struck off to the highest bidder. The Plan and conditions may be seen by applying at the Common Clerk's Office.—By order of the Common Council,

G. YOUNGHUSAND } Committee.
JAMES HADDEN, }
St. John, Feb. 24, 1802.

TO BE SOLD,

AT PUBLIC AUCTION,

On the Third Tuesday of the month of March next,

On the Premises, at Twelve O'clock, THE whole real Estate of Mr. JOHN BIDDLE, late of King's Clear, in the County of York, deceased.—It consists of about five hundred acres of Land, situate in what is called The Lower French village, nine miles above Fredericton, Forty acres of which is cleared intervalle of the first quality, and fourteen acres of Upland cleared and under cultivation. There is a comfortable House and good Barn thereon.—The situation is very delightful, the Farm well watered and timbered, and upon it there is a vast quantity of excellent Lime-stone.

The above Estate is to be sold by virtue of an order from His Excellency the Lieutenant Governor in Council, and a legal title will be given by

SOPHIA BIDDLE.
Administratrix.

NOTICE.

ALL Persons indebted to the Estate of ABRAHAM VANDERBEAK, late of Fredericton, in the County of York, deceased, are desired to make immediate payment—and all persons having demands against the said Estate, to exhibit the same to

HANNAH VANDERBEAK,
Administratrix,
JOHN MURRAY BLISS,
Administrator.
Fredericton, 2d July, 1800.

JUST RECEIVED,

From Dr. CHURCH'S Dispensary, And for Sale at JOHN RTAN'S Printing-Office,

A small Supply of Dr. Church's

COUGH DROPS,

(Price ONE DOLLAR.)

A Medicine unequalled by any in the world, for the cure of Coughs, Colds, Asthmas, Consumptions, &c.—A small bottle is sufficient to prove its virtue, and will be found a sovereign remedy in recent cases.—Also his PECTORAL PILLS, which are eminently useful when taken with the Cough Drops, for shortness of breath, &c. in Asthmatic and Consumptive cases, giving almost instant relief.—Price 2/6 per Box.

CORDIAL RESTORATIVE

BALSAM,

For nervous Disorders, Debility, Inward Weaknesses, &c.—Price one Dollar and a Half each Bottle.

ANTISCORBUTIC TINCTURE

For the Teeth, Breath, and Scurvy in the Gums, and the Tooth-Ache.—Price one Dollar each bottle.

EYE SALVE

For all diseases of the Eyes.—Price 3/6 each Box.

CONCENTRATED ESSENCE OF SCURVY-GRASS,

For the cure of Sea and Land Scurvy.—Price one Dollar each bottle.

INFALLIBLE GERMAN CORN PLAISTER,

For the Cure of Corns.—Price 2/6.

VOLATILE TINCTURE.

An immediate Cure for the TOOTHACHE.—Price 2s. each Bottle.

VERMIFUGE LOZENGES.

For destroying Worms in children and grown persons.—Price 2/6 each Box.

NOTICE.

ALL Persons having any legal demands against the Estate of the late John Nutting of Newport, Hant's County, Nova-Scotia, deceased, are requested to exhibit the same properly attested within Eighteen Calendar Months from the date hereof to the Subscriber; and all Persons indebted to said Estate are desired to make immediate payment to

DANIEL M'NIEL, Administrator.
New-port, N. S. Nov. 21 1801.

ALL Persons who have any claims against the Estate of John Hartt, late of Burton, deceased, are desired to bring in their accounts to Thomas Hartt of Gagetown, or Samuel Hartt of Sheffield, Administrators to said Estate, and all who are indebted to said Estate are requested to make immediate payment.

Thomas Hartt, Samuel Hartt,
GAGETOWN, Feb. 2d, 1801.

JUST RECEIVED,

(From Wm. Cobbett, London)

AND FOR SALE AT THIS OFFICE,

A few copies of the

LETTERS OF SULPICIUS,

ON THE

NORTHERN CONFEDERACY.

WITH AN APPENDIX,

Containing the TREATY of ARMED

NEUTRALITY,

Together with other Documents relative

to the Subject.

SEAMEN'S JOURNALS, neatly printed and stitched in Marble covers may be had at this Office.