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THE DYING PARENT:

A FRAGMENT.

But oh! 'tis sad to see an infant pour
Its plaints round one just ready to
depart:
His bursts the heart consign'd to death
before,
And adds a sting to his acutest dart."

MRS. FAUCERES.

"IF it were not for thee, Oh my
child! I would willingly bid adieu to
"life—but thou hast wound thyself
"round every fibre of my heart—and
"to leave thee behind—I can't sup-
"port the thought"—"Let me die
"with my dear mother," interrupted
"the weeping Eliza. "Ah, my child,"
"said the parent, "if Heaven would
"grant it—But I feel myself a going
"—Come Eliza, let me embrace thee
"a last time, and die in thy arms." E-
"liza approached her mother—she wept
on her neck. The almost lifeless An-
na embraced her child, and then her
gentle spirit sought refuge where the wea-
ry are at rest. Eliza kissed the clay-cold
cheek of her mother, and bathed it with
her tears. I heard the lamentation, as
I was passing by, and opened the door
—Heavens! what a scene met my eyes.
I could scarcely support myself—I made
out to reach the bed, and seated myself
on the side of it, for there were no
chairs—it was truly the habitation of
sorrow. The little mourner turned her
head—"Have you seen my father,"
said she. "No my dear," I replied.
"He went yesterday to try to get some-
thing for my dear mother—but she'll
want it not—she has just gone—and
Oh! that I could follow." Here the
door opened, and an emaciated figure en-
tered. "Oh my dear papa!" contin-
ued Eliza, "is it you, my mamma is
dead—there she lies." "Eternal pow-
ers!" exclaimed he, "now there re-
mains no more charms for me on this
side the grave; but stop, I will live for
the sake of my Eliza." Here he kiss-
ed his wife and shed tears.

It seemed as if poverty had fixed her
residence here—and I addressed the fa-
ther of Eliza, "Sir, have you where-
"withal to inter the remains of your
"wife decently?—If you have not,
"make me your friend." "Oh Sir,"
"he replied, "if you had come but
"yesterday, you would have been re-
"ceived with transport—but I have a
"father—a father who has not till now
"seen his error—he yesterday, for the
"first time these eight years, called me
"his son, and he is once more my dear
"father—I thank you for your offer.
I then asked him to call and see me,
and relate to me his history; to which
he most obligingly consented. I gave
him my address, and we parted.

* * The history of this unfortunate
person will be given in our next.

THE Subscribers being appointed
Administrators on the Estate of
Mr. PETER ETTER, of Westmorland,
Province of New-Brunswick, deceased,
do notify all Persons who have any
legal claims against said Estate to ex-
hibit the same within Eighteen Calendar
Months from the date hereof; and
every Person indebted to the said Estate
are requested to make speedy payment.
SARAH ETTER,
WILLIAM ALLAN.
Westmorland, May 25, 1798.

Will be Sold Low, By the PIECE or PACKAGE,

A handsome assortment of

Dry Goods & Groceries,

Imported for account of the late EBE-
NEZER PUTNAM, Esq.—Apply to
JAMES CODNER, or
ANDREW CROOKSHANK,
June 15. Administrators.

James Codner,

Has received by the Ship CROW-ISLE,
and Brig SMYRNA from London,

A VARIETY OF MERCHANDISE,

Consisting of

PRINTED ca- licoes & chint- zes, Shawls and hand- kerchiefs, Copper plate and chintz furniture, 4-4 & 7-8 Irish li- nens, Russia and English sheetings, Raven's duck and oznaburghs, Table cloths and towelling, Checks & stripes, Bandanna & print- ed handkerchiefs. British and India muslins, Cambries & lawns, Ladies' Morocco shoes and sandals, Saddlery, Ironmongery, Hardware and cut- lery, Powder and shot,	Window glass and nails, Paints and oil, Spicery, Saltpetre, Loaf sugar, Hyson, Souchong, Green and Bohea } Teas. Pimento, Pepper, Mustard, Cinger, Figs, almonds and raisins, Carraway seed, Capers, Florence oil in flasks, Vinegar, Soap, starch and blue, Madeira, Sherry, Lisbon and Port Wines in pipes and quarter-casks, and by the gallon.
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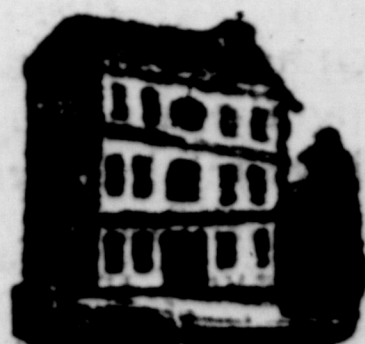
JUST ARRIVED

IN the Sloop SUSANNA, from Jamaica,
and for Sale on the most reasonable
Terms—a Cargo of RUM, SUGAR,
PIMENTO, GINGER, and a small
quantity of TAMARICK. Enquire
of

James Codner, or
Andrew Crookshank.

Saint John, Sept. 14. [i.e.]

TO BE SOLD,



A HOUSE and Lot
of Land, consist-
ing of 500 Acres, sit-
uate on the River St.
John, and about five
miles below the Pres-
que Isle Garrison.—There is 25 acres of
excellent intervalle, several acres of
which are cleared and fit for ploughing.
—Immediate possession will be given,
and six months credit.—Apply to
JAMES H. LAMB.
Frederickton, May 10, 1798.

NOTICE.

ALL Persons having Demands a-
gainst the Estate of the late GER-
HARDUS CLOWES, Esquire, of Mauger-
ville, deceased, are desired to exhibit
them properly attested to within Twelve
Months—and all those indebted to the
said Estate are requested to make imme-
diate payment to

THOMAS HORSFIELD,
RICHARD CARMAN,
EXECUTORS.

Saint John, 26th October, 1798.

Apize of Bread.

Established September 21st, 1798.

The Sixpenny Wheaten Loaf } lb. oz.
to weigh - - - - - } 2 4
Ditto Rye - - - - - } 3 2
And other Loaves in proportion.
WILLIAM CAMPBELL,
Mayor.

NOTICE.

ALL Persons having any just De-
mands on the Estate of DAVID
BLAIR, late of the City of Saint John,
Merchant, deceased, are desired to ren-
der the same in; and all Persons indebted
to the said Estate are requested to
make immediate payment to
PETER BLAIR, } Executors.
WM. DONALD, }
SAINT JOHN, 12th Oct. 1798.

FOR SALE,

AN Excellent Tract of Land lying
on the Northwestern branch of
the River Oromocto, in the County of
Sumbury; containing four hundred and
fifty acres of good Intervale and Upland,
being one half of a Tract formerly be-
longing to Doctor Ambrose Sharman—on
which is the most commodious place for
erecting Mills of any now unoccupied in
the Province, with a sufficiency of wa-
ter at all seasons, and plenty of fine Tim-
ber adjacent—Also, a very valuable Her-
ring Fishery, where thousands of barrels
may be taken in a season.

For particulars enquire of ISRAEL
PERLEY, Esquire, at Maugerville, or of
WILLIAM BUCHANAN the proprie-
tor, near Saint Andrews.

N. B. The above Land will be sold
entire, or one half only, as may best ac-
commodate the Purchaser.

WHEREAS Complaints

have been made by the fair Bri-
tish Merchants trading directly to Great-
Britain, that they are unable to form a
probable estimate of the quantity of
Goods they may safely import from
thence or the British Plantations, and
are also deprived of the produce they
have contracted to receive for any sup-
plies by them entrusted to the Planters
and Fishermen on the Coast, as it is
bartered by them for articles clandes-
tinely and illegally imported.

THIS IS TO GIVE NOTICE,
That His Majesty by His Royal Com-
mission and Instructions, has empower-
ed me as Superintendent of Trade and
Fisheries to put a stop to those illegal
proceedings, and has furnished me with
the means of preventing the same.

I do therefore caution and advise all
Traders and other persons that have
been in this practice of illicit trade that
they withhold from the same, as such at-
tention will be shewn to the Sea Coast
of these His Majesty's Colonies in fu-
ture, as will prevent the like illegal
practices, a continuation of which will
occasion to those concerned much loss
of property.

GEORGE LEONARD.

Saint John, 12th October, 1798.

FOR SALE,

A QUANTITY of PITCH, TAR,
TURPENTINE and ROSIN,
RYE FLOUR,
INDIAN CORN,
ONIONS, &c. &c.
Please apply at J. RYAN's Printing-
Office. NOV. 23.

Public Auction

ON the first Tuesday of May next, at
one o'clock in the afternoon, at the
House of ABRAHAM VANDERBEAR,
Innkeeper in Fredericton, certain lots
or tracts of Land, the property of
DANIEL MURRAY Esq. taken in
Execution at the suit of WILLIAM
GARDEN Esq. and to be sold by
Public Auction, agreeable to a law of
this Province made and provided:

ONE tract lying in the Parish of
Prince William, in the County of York,
opposite to Long Island in the said Pa-
rish, and containing one thousand acres,
more or less, a considerable number of
which are cleared and in cultivation.

ALSO, one other tract lying in the
said Parish, in the County abovement-
ioned, known by the name of Poqui-
ack, and containing two thousand acres
more or less, a number of which are
cleared, and have been in cultivation:
on which tract have been a very valua-
ble set of Mills, lately destroyed by fire,
the seat of which is quite contiguous to
the river St. John.

The above premises will be exposed
for sale at the time and place above
mentioned, by

WILLIAM ANDERSON,
Sheriff of York.

Fredericton, New-Brunswick, }
Oct. 31. 1798. } [6m.

To be Sold,

THE following Lots of Land, lying
in the upper end of the Parish of
Queensbury, in the County of York.
Lot No. 13, in the Queen's Rangers
Grant, containing 210 acres, about
seven of which are cleared.

Lots No. 16 and 17, containing 44
acres, about 15 of which are cleared.
Lots No. 18 and 19, containing 474
acres, about 20 of which are cleared.
—On these Lots are a convenient
dwelling-house, a saw and grist Mill,
in thorough repair, on one of the best
streams in the Province.

Lot No. 33, containing 1040, to be sold
together, or in 520 acre Lots.

N. B. The whole of these Lots have
a valuable proportion of intervalle.

ALSO FOR SALE,

The great Goack Island, containing a-
bout 60 acres, wholly intervalle, of
which about fourteen acres are under
cultivation.

THE Lots upon which the Mills
stand and the above Island, are subject
to a Lease of three years from the 1st
day of May last.—For terms apply to
Colonel ARMSTRONG in Fredericton,
who will make the time of payments
easy to the purchaser.

Fredericton, July 6, 1798.

Notice.

ALL Persons having any Demands
against the Estate of WILLIAM
DONALDSON, Esq. of the City of Saint
John, Province of New-Brunswick, Mer-
chant, deceased, are desired to present
the same within the space of Eighteen
Calendar Months from the Date hereof;
likewise all those indebted to said Estate
are requested to make immediate pay-
ment.

HUGH JOHNSTON, }
WM. DONALDSON, }
ARTHUR DINGWALL, }
Saint John, 31st July, 1797.