FREDERICTON, (N. B.)

26th AUGUST, 1817.

The English Mail for July, arrived at the Post Office yesterday afternoon, bringing London dates to the 9th of that month, but they furnish us with little more than we were previously in possession of.

Extract of a Letter from New-York, dated July 31st.

"The price of Plaster of Paris has advanced 25 per Cent. in France, in consequence of the exclusion of that article from Nova-Scotia and New-Brunswick. The price in France is now 3½ to 4 dollars per ton."

GENERAL M'GREGOR.

General M'Gregor the conqueror of Amelia Island, is said to be a native of Scotland, about 36 years of age, five feet eight inches high, and inclined to corpulency. His flag is a white field with a blue cross

HALIFAX, AUGUST, 19.

POSTSCRIPT.

Free Press Office, 5 o'clock a. m.

The Grace Packet arrived last night with the July Mail in 38 days from Falmouth; our files of Papers are down to the 9th July from which we have made Extracts; but they are extremely barren.

LONDON, JUNE 29.

There has been much rioting in Holland in consequence of the dearness of provisions; the mob had compelled the Corn dealers to sell at the prices it fixed.

JULY 4.

The *Regent* steam-packet, bound in Margate, was burnt to the water's edge, off Whitstable. Crew and passengers saved.

The cause of the fire is stated to be as follows: The gale of wind being strong, blew the chimney fire away, and the woodwork, which is nearly breast high from the deck, at the bottom of the flue, for the purpose of keeping the people near the chimney from burning themselves, caught fire; the men in throwing the buckets over for water to put it out lost them, consequently the fire was not checked, and the captain immediately made for land, and got all the people and crew, and luggage, safe ashore; but the vessel is almost entirely consumed.

JULY 5.

WATSON, and the other persons lately acquitted of High Treason, were to have dined together on Monday next, at Pentonville, to return thanks for the interest taken by their friends in their fate on the occasion of their trial. Yesterday the dinner was put off *sine die*, on account, as it is said, of the illness of HOOPER, whose life is again thought to be in danger. JULY 7.

Yesterday and this morning we received the Paris Papers of Thursday and Friday last. The price of grain still continues to fall. In the department of Pay de Dome, the sack of wheat has fallen from 70 to 40 francs, and in other quarters in a similar proportion.

The accounts from Madrid state, that there was a confident expectation of an amnesty in favour of all the proscribed Spaniards.

The Duke of CLARENCE was so much better on Saturday as to be up and sit in his drawing-room at Bushy. JULY 8.

We received this morning the Paris Papers of Saturday last. They continue to give accounts of the fall in the price of Grain, and of the favourable appearence of the Harvest.

DEATH OF MR. PONSONBY.

We feel much regret in stating, that the melancholy apprehensions respecting this Gentleman were confirmed by his departure this morning, at ten minutes past six o'clock. The late Right Honourable GEORGE PONSONBY was born on the 5th of March 1755. He was appointed Lord High Chancellor of Ireland, March 23, 1806, which office he resigned. He was Member for Tavistock. He was married on the 18th May 1781, to Lady MARY BUTLER, eldest daughter BRINSLEY, the Second Earl of BELVEDERE, by whom he had several offspring. He was highly esteemed in private life, as well as in the important office which he filled in Ireland. As the Leader of Opposition he held forth a laudable example of dignified manners, temperate eloquence, powerful reasoning, illustrated by extensive learning, and an exemption from the narrow spirit of Party.

DIED] At her Son's House, in this Town, on Wednesday the 13th inst. Mrs. HANNAH MILLER, relict of *Stephen Miller*, Esq. deceased, aged 82 years. Her illness had been severe for the last four months with extreme pain, which was borne by her with the steadiness and fortitude of a Christian. She was a woman of great humility, and of singular piety.---Her connexions feel her loss an irreparable one.

Government Contract.

Commissariat Office, Fredericton, N. B. 4th August, 1817.

ANY person or persons desirous of Contracting to furnish Fresh BEEF for the Troops and Department in this Garrison, St. John, Moose Island and Saint Andrews, for *SEVEN MONTHS*, commencing the 25th *September*, 1817, and ending the 24th *April* following, are requested to leave Sealed Proposals, for Fredericton, at this Office, and for the other Stations at their respective Commissariat Offices, on or before the 6th *September* next: To be written upon "*Tenders for fresh Beef.*"

The quantities required at each Post not to exceed

At Saint John— 300 lbs. per day,
.... Fredericton, 300 Do.
.... Moose Island, AND .... St. Andrews, 200 Do.

Security will be required for the due performance of such Contract as may be entered into.

Payment will be made every two months for the quantities of Fresh Beef supplied within the period, in Cash or Bills of Exchange, at the current rate, at the option of the Assistant Commissary General.

The conditions of the Contracts for Fredericton, may be seen at this Office, and at the other Posts, at their respective Commissariat Offices.

Sheriff's Sales.

TO BE SOLD,
BY PUBLIC AUCTION,

On the 4th day of *February* next, between the hours of 11 and 5 o'Clock in the afternoon, at the House of Mr. *John M'Leod's*, in Fredericton—

LOTS No. 14 and 15, on the *Penneack*, in the Parish of St. Mary's, taken in execution from JOHN CLEARWATER, by a Writ of *fieira facias*, issued out of the Supreme Court, at the Suite of WILLIAM SEWELL, for £36:19:11, and will be Sold on the above day to the highest bidder, by

EDWARD W. MILLER,
26th AUG. Sheriff of York.

TO BE SOLD,
BY PUBLIC AUCTION,

On the 4th day of February next, between the hours of 11 and 5 o'Clock in the afternoon, at the House of Mr. *John M'Leod's*, in Fredericton—

LOTS No. 15 and 16, in *Woodstock*, taken in execution from ANTHONY WOODLAND, by a Writ of *fieira facias* issued out of the Supreme Court at the Suite of SARAH BRANNAH, for £27:3:9, and will be Sold to the highest bidder, by

EDWARD W. MILLER,
26th AUG. Sheriff of York.

TO BE SOLD,
BY PUBLIC AUCTION,

On the 4th day of February next, between the hours of 11 and 5 o'Clock in the afternoon, at the House of Mr. *John M'Leod's*, in Fredericton—

LOTS No. 2 and 3, on the Southern Bank of the River *Madamkeswick*, of Lands granted to the Guides and Pioneers, 200 acres more or less, taken in execution from *Peter Allen*, by a Writ of *fieira facias*, issued out of the Supreme Court at the Suit of SARAH BRANNAH, for £102:10:8 and will be Sold on the above day to the highest bidder, by

EDWARD W. MILLER,
Aug. 26. Sheriff of York.

Corn.

JUST ARRIVED,
And for Sale,
By William Bailey,
600 Bushels INDIAN CORN.

☞ He will have also for Sale, in a few days, a quantity of Indian Meal.
Fredericton, August 26, 1817.

☞NOTICE.

PERSONS indebted to the Subscriber on Bonds or Notes, or who may have balances due on Book, up to the 24th June last, are particularly requested to call and discharge the same without delay.

HENRY SMITH.
Fredericton, 29th Nov. 1816.

New Goods.

MARK NEEDHAM,

Has just received by the Ship *Ben Lomond*, from Greenock, and *Castlereagh* from London, a part of his SPRING supply, (particularly selected) which are now opening at his NEW STORE, and will be sold very low for Cash. He is expecting daily, the remainder of his Goods from *Liverpool.*
Fredericton, 27th May, 1817.

New Goods.

Ezekiel Sloot & Co.

HAS just received per *Minerva* from *London*, part of their Spring supply of MERCHANDIZE, which they offer for Sale very low for *Cash* or good *Bills of Exchange.* They expect, daily, the remainder of their assortment from *Liverpool.*
Fredericton, 22d July, 1817.

The Subscriber

HAS just received per *Minerva*, from *London*, a quantity of British GOODS, which he offers for Sale on the most reasonable terms.

Also, two Pipes each, BRANDY and GIN, of the first quality.

GEORGE MINCHEN.
Fredericton, 22d July, 1817.

BROKE GAOL

On the 1st instant, the undermentioned persons---

RICHARD LEE, *Ten Pounds reward.*
JOHN M'LEOD, (Miramichi) *Five do. do.*
EDWARD WALCH, *Five do. do.*
PETER STEWART, *Ten do. do.*
SAMUEL MILLER, *Five do. do.*

Whoever will apprehend said Deserters, and deliver them to the Sheriff of Northumberland shall receive the above rewards.

R. S. CLARKE,
Sherriff of Northumberland.
New-Castle, 4th July, 1817.

FOR SALE,

A FARM (Lot No. 2,) in *Miramichi*, opposite Beaubear's Island, on the north side of the River, within one mile of the Court-House, containing 200 Acres, a part of which is under cultivation. On the Premises is a House and Barn, with a great quantity of Hard Wood; having also a good Spring.—Its situation is very pleasant, and well calculated for a person in Trade. For further particulars apply to

BRYAN DUNN,
On the Premises.

☞ If the above Property is not Sold by the 15th of October next, it will on that day be put up at Public Anction.
Miramichi, 13th AUGUST, 1817.

☞*A few Copies of the Acts of the last Session of the General Assembly for Sale at the Royal Gazette Office. 27th May, 1817.*

John A. Hersey,

RESPECTFULLY informs his friends and the public in general, that he has obtained the art of a very recently invented *WINDOW SPRING*, on an excellent construction, and will warrant the utility and cheapness of the same to give general satisfaction to those Gentlemen who may favor him with a trial of the same.
Fredericton, July 29, 1817.

FOR SALE, AT AUCTION,
The first day of September next if not previously disposed of,

A LOT of LAND

Containing 212 acres with a House thereon,---20 acres clear---in the Settlement called New-Maryland, 4 and an ½ miles from Fredericton. ANY person wishing to purchase the abovementioned property will know the terms by applying to

J. D. BLAICHER.
Fredericton, 29th July, 1817.

JEDEDIAH SLASON

Has just received by the Brig CHARLOTTE from Liverpool, and the JOHN & MARY from London, the remainder of his SPRING supply of

GOODS,

Among which are the following articles:---

SOAP, Candles, Loaf Sugar,
Port, Sherry and Lisbon Wines,
Geneva, Cogniac Brandy,
Best London Porter,
A few Boxes Bloom Raisins, &c. &c,

ALL those indebted to J. S. up to the first of *January* last, are *earnestly* requested to call and settle their accounts without delay, otherwise they will put in the hands of an Attorney to collect.
FREDERICTON, 8th July, 1817.

FOR SALE.

THAT valuable Tract of LAND and the Buildings thereon, on BEAUBAIR'S Point, *(Miramichi)*, owned and possessed by the Subscriber; 160 Rods in front, on the North Bank, South-west Branch, and extending back to the South Bank of the North-west Branch, holding the same front of 160 Rods there. The House is planned and finished in the neatest manner. The Cellar is well built with stone and mortar; two stacks of Chimney's, two Fire-places in the one and four in the other; on the first floor is three Rooms, a Kitchen, a Store-room and six Closets; on the second is four Rooms and five Closets; two Stores finished complete; a Wharf 185 feet long, proof against ice, &c. A Barn 53 by 35 feet; a Coopers' Shop, Green House, &c. &c.; a very neat Garden set with fruit trees, goosberry and currants. Also, two Wells, one of which is thirty feet deep, and not less than twenty feet water in the dryest season.

Any person or persons having a wish to purchase part or the whole, will call on the Subscriber as soon as possible, as he is determined to have it sold. Terms of payment will be made easy, by giving good security.

All persons having demands against the Subscriber, will please render them for adjustment; and those indebted, are requested to make payment without delay, otherwise their accounts will be put in the hands of his Attorney. M. M'KENZIE.
Miramichi, 19th June, 1817.

Ezekiel Sloot,

REQUESTS all those indebted to him to the 1st July instant, to call and settle, and *PAY* without further notice.
Fredericton, 22d July, 1817.

For Sale at this Office,

THE
UNION HARMONY:
OR
BRITISH AMERICA's SACRED VOCAL MUSICK.

From the most approved English and American composers, with some original musick on special occasions.

4th Feb. 1817.