peas, or oats, are all very good and when mixed with water are excellent substitutes for green fodder. Sheep are more fond of peas, beans and corn tops, than of the best of hay; and when well preserved they are among the very best articles of food for sheep. No animal pays better for its keeping than sheep; the quantity of his wool always bears a proportion of his keeping and shelter; and it is in vain to expect strong and healthy lambs from poor and weak ewes. It will always be found cheaper, and create less labor and trouble to keep sheep in a good & thriving condition, than bring them up again if suffered to become poor and weak. Water should be given to sheep every day, and a very small quantity of corn meal mixed with the water will make it more nutricious, and will not be extremely expensive. Salting them must never be neglected for any length of time, they require more salt in winter, than in summer, the food in Winter being dry, and the salt has a tendency to make them drink, but two much should not be given to ewes near lambing time. It is a good practice to mix occasionally with the salt a little tar which is healthy. B. S. B.

Constellation.

FREDERICTON, (N. B.)

23D FEBRUARY, 1819.

At the late term of the Supreme Court, Mr. *John Thomas Murray* and Mr. *Henry Bliss* were admitted and sworn Attornies of that Court.

P.S. to the Gazette.

His Excellency the LIEUTENANT-GOVERNOR has been pleased, by and with the advice of His MAJESTY'S Council, to appoint the following Gentlemen to be Fire Wards for the Town of Fredericton, under the Act of Assembly, 1817 :---

Colonel The Hon. Sir ROBERT LE P. TRENCH,
The Hon. JOHN M. BLISS,
WILLIAM F ODELL, Esquire,
PETER FRASER, Esquire,
HENRY SMITH, Esquire,
GEORGE SHORE, Esquire,
Mr. JEDEDIAH SLASON,
Mr GEORGE MINCHIN.

His EXCELLENCY has also been pleased, by and with the advice of His MAJESTY'S Council, to appoint the following Gentlemen to be Fire-Wards for the Town of St. Andrews :---

JOHN CAMPBELL, Esquire,
COLIN CAMPBELL, Esquire.
HARRIS HATCH, Esquire.
Mr JOHN STRANG,
Mr. DAVID W. JACK,
Mr. HENRY HUTCHINGS,
Mr. EPHRAIM WILLARD,
Mr. JAMES BARBER.

The following Scale of Fees on Grants of Crown Lands in Upper Canada, has been published there by *Authority*, and may be interesting to persons inclined to remove to that Province :---

	Sterling.
200 Acres,	£16 17 6
300 do.	24 11 6
400 do.	32 5 8
500 do.	39 19 9
600 do.	47 13 10
700 do.	55 7 11
800 do.	63 2 0
900 do.	70 16 1
1000 do.	78 10 2
1100 do.	86 4 3
1200 do.	93 18 4

The Fees on 100 Acres, being the allowance most usually granted to Emigrants, £5 : 14 : 1.

A Bristol paper states that a deputation will be sent by government to the Princess of Wales, to negociate her return to England, "no other person having a right to hold a drawing room."

Saint John, Feb. 17.

ARRIVED,

Thursday, ship Superior, Hamilton, Jamaica and Crooked Island—Merritt & Van Horne, sugar and salt.
Friday, Am. sch'r Superb, M'Farland, Belfast—H Johnston, & Co lumber.
Saturday, sloop Huntress, Morton, Portland—Merritt & Van Horne. lumber.
Last evening, sch'r Juno, Reed, Halifax--Crookshank, Johnson, pork, canvass, &c.
Am Sch'r. Rob Roy, Pool, Portland—Meritt & Van Horne, lumber.
Sloop Triton, Seaman, Saco—Master, lumber.

CLEARED.

Brigs Antelope, Raymond, Barbados—lumber, G. & C. Raymond
Frances-Ann, Hallett, Demerara—fish & lumber, H. Peters & S. Wiggins
Am. brig Morning Star, Smith, Portland—salt & plaster, Merritt & Van Horne.
Am. sch'r Ardent, Drinkwater, Portland--ballast, Master.
Jet, Yarnum, Richmond—plaster, Master.

LEGISLATURE OF NEW-BRUNSWICK.

Tuesday, 16th February.

[Extracts from the Journals.]

On motion, made and seconded, Ordered, that the Bill "to provide for the support of a Light-House upon Point Escuminac, in the County of Northumberland," be now recommitted.

Mr. *Campbell* gave notice, that he would on Thursday next, bring forward a motion, that an humble Address should be presented to His Excellency the *Lieutenant-Governor*, relative to the reserved Lands in the County of Charlotte.

On motion, made and seconded, Resolved, that the House will, to-morrow, resolve itself into a Committee of the whole House, on the consideration of the Ways and Means of providing the necessary supplies for the Public Service.

Mr. *Speaker* communicated to the House, a Letter he had received from *James Fraser*, Esquire, Member for the County of Northumberland, requesting that, in consequence of his being appointed one of His Majesty's Council for the Province of Nova-Scotia, his Seat in this House may be declared Vacated.

The House, pursuant to the order of the day, resolved itself into a Committee of the whole House, on a Bill "for the "erection of an Alms-House and Work-"House, within the County of York, and "for the making of rules and regulations "for the management of the same."

Mr. *Pagan*, from the Committee, reported, that the Committee had gone into consideration of the Bill to them referred, and that he was directed by the Committee to report, as their opinion, that the further consideration of the said Bill be postponed for three months.

Wednesday 17th February.

Read a first time, a Bill, "to extend the "Provisions of an Act, intituled an Act to "provide for the Necessities of the Pro-"vince, occasioned by the Failure of the "late Crops."

Read, as engrossed, a Bill, "to authorise "the Justices of the Peace for the City and "County of St. John, to levy an assess-"ment on the Inhabitants of the said City, "for the purpose of building a Poor House "in the said City."—Passed and sent to the Council for their concurrence.

The Committee appointed to examine the Journals of the Honorable His Majesty's Council, as to their proceedings upon the Bill, "for granting further aid in support "of a Public Grammar School in the Town "of St. Andrew's," have attended to that duty, and report, that they found on the Journal of yesterday the following entry :—

"That the further consideration of the said Bill be postponed for three months."

Mr. *Campbell* moves for leave to bring in a Bill, to give greater effect to an Act, passed in the 56th year of His Majesty's Reign, intitled "an Act for establishing a Grammar School in the Town of Saint Andrew's." Leave Granted.

Mr. Deputy-Secretary, *Carmichael*, delivered a Message from His Excellency the *Lieutenant-Governor*, as follows :—

"NEW-BRUNSWICK.

"MESSAGE TO THE HOUSE OF ASSEMBLY,

"16th FEBRUARY, 1819.

"The *Lieutenant-Governor* informs the "House of Assembly, in answer to their "Address of the 12th instant, that he has "given directions to the proper Officers to "lay before the House an account of the "Fees taken on Grants of Land to one Ap-"plicant, and also when several Applicants "are included in one Patent."

"G. S. SMYTH."

A Bill "to revive and make perpetual "an Act, authorising the Mayor, Alder-"men, and Commonalty, of the City of "St. John to make regulations for the more "effectual prevention of Fires within the "said City, and authorising the said Mayor, "Aldermen, and Commonalty, to make "further regulations for this purpose."—was taken into consideration by a Committee of the whole House—amended and ordered to be engrossed.

A Bill "to regulate the exportation of Fish."---was read a second time. And ordered to be committed on Wednesday next.

Mr. *Campbell*, agreeable to leave, brought in a Bill, "to give greater effect to an Act, "passed in the fifty-sixth year of His Ma-"jesty's Reign, intituled an Act for esta-"blishing a Grammar School in the Town "of St. Andrews."

Which was read a first time.

The House, pursuant to the order of the day resolved itself into a Committee of the whole House, on the consideration of the Ways and Means of providing the necessary supplies for the Public Service.

Message from the Council.

Mr. *Speaker*,

"The Council have read a third time "and passed, the Bill to prevent the further "issuing and circulation of Treasury Notes."

Read as engrossed, a Bill "to provide "for the support of a Light-House to be "built upon Point Escuminac, in the County "of Northumberland."

Thursday 18 February.

A Bill "to give greater effect to an Act "passed in the fifty-sixth year of His Ma-"jesty's Reign, intituled an Act for esta-"blishing a Grammar School in the Town "of Saint Andrews." was read a second time and ordered to be committed to-morrow.

Mr. *Smith*, by leave, presented a Petition of sundry Inhabitants of the Parish of Wellington, in the County of Northumberland, praying that the said Parish of Wellington may be annexed to the County of Westmorland.

Ordered to lie on the Table.

Mr. *Campbell*, by leave, presented a Petition from the Overseers of the Poor for the Parish of Saint Andrew's, praying to be remunerated the sum of £89 : 5, expended by them for the relief of Emigrants and transient Poor, in the said Parish.---received, and referred to the Committee of Supply.

A Bill "for the support of a Light-House "to be built upon Point Escuminac, in the "County of Northumberland," was ordered to be engrossed.

On motion of Mr. *Campbell*, resolved, that an humble Address be presented to His Excellency the *Lieutenant-Governor*, praying that he will be pleased to inform the House of Assembly, if any and what steps have been taken in order to expedite the enquiry into the state of the reserved Lands in the Counties of Northumberland, York, and Sunbury, as recommended by a Committee of the Privy Council, dated 1st May, 1817, on the Petition of the Inhabitants of the County of Charlotte, praying that the restrictions may be removed from certain Hard-Wood Reserves in that County, in order that the said reserved Lands may be granted to His Majesty's Subjects.

Mr. *Peters*, pursuant to leave, brought in a Bill, "in addition to an Act, to repeal "an Act, made and passed in the thirty-"ninth year of His Majesty's Reign, in-"tituled "an Act to prevent bringing In-"fectious Distempers into the City of Saint "John," "and to make more effectual "provision for preventing the importation "and spreading of such Contagious Dis-"tempers."

A Bill "for the more effectual Punish-"ment of Persons who shall be guilty of the "Trespasses therein mentioned, in the City "of Saint John." was ordered to be engrossed.

It appearing by a Letter from *James Fraser*, Esquire, a Member for the County of Northumberland, addressed to Mr. *Speaker*, that he has been appointed one of His Majesty's Council for the Province of Nova-Scotia, and has requested his Seat as a Member of the General Assembly of this Province, to be Vacated---thereupon ordered, that his said Seat be Vacated, and the same is hereby declared to be Vacated.

On motion made and seconded, Ordered, that the *Speaker* do forthwith issue his Writ to the Clerk of the Crown, for the Election of a new Member for the County of Northumberland, in the room of *James Fraser*, Esquire, whose Seat has been declared to be Vacated.

Mr. *Simonds* moves for leave to bring in a Bill to explain an Act, intituled "an "Act for regulating Elections of Repre-"sentatives in General Assembly, and for "limiting the duration of Assemblies in this "Province."

Leave Granted.

Mr. *Simonds*, by leave, presented a Petition of the Kirk Session of the Presbyterian Congregation of Miramichi, praying they may be allowed to solemnize Marriage. ---ordered to lie on the table.

Friday, 19th February.

A Bill "to explain and amend an Act, "intituled an Act to impose a Duty upon "certain Articles imported into this Pro-"vince."---was read a second time, and ordered to be committed to-morrow.

The House, pursuant to the order of the day, resolved itself into a Committee of the whole House, on a Bill, "to extend "some of the provisions of an Act, intituled "an Act to provide for the Necessities of "the Province, occasioned by the Failure "of the late Crop."---which was ordered to be engrossed.

Mr. *Campbell*, pursuant to leave, brought in a Bill, "to regulate the exportation of "Lumber, and to repeal all the Acts now "in force relating to the same, and for "other purposes therein mentioned."

Which was read a first time.

A Message from the Council.

Mr. *Speaker*,

"The Council have read a third time "and passed, the Bill "to make perpetual "several Acts of the General Assembly, "which are near expiring."

Mr. Deputy-Secretary, *Carmichael*, by order of His Excellency the *Lieutenant-Governor*, delivered to the House a Message from His Excellency, as follows :---

"NEW-BRUNSWICK.

"MESSAGE TO THE HOUSE OF ASSEMBLY,

"18th FEBRUARY, 1819.

"The *Lieutenant-Governor* informs the "House of Assembly, that the Map of the "Province has been made by the Surveyor-"General, and transmitted to the Province "Agent, agreeable to their wishes, and "recommends that the House should make "a remuneration for the same."

"G. S. SMYTH."

The House, pursuant to the order of the day, went into consideration of a Bill, "to "give greater effect to an Act, passed in "the fifty-sixth Year of His Majesty's "Reign, intituled an Act for establishing a "Grammar School in the Town of Saint "Andrew's."---which was ordered to be engrossed.

Mr. *Peters*, pursuant to leave, brought in a Bill, "in addition to, and amendment "of an Act, to revive and make perpetual "an Act authorising the Mayor, Alder-"men, and Commonalty, of the City of "Saint John, to make regulations for the "more effectual prevention of Fires within "the said City."

Which was read a first time.

BOSTON, JAN. 11.

Extract of a letter to a gentleman in this town, dated Washington, Feb. 4.

"The debate still continues on the Semi-nole war, and the question will not be taken this week. Jackson has a majority in the House, a vote of censure cannot obtain. Gen. Jackson is here. On his arrival in the city, a notice was issued by the Mayor for a meeting of the citizens to consult upon the subject of a *public dinner*, for him. Some of the more reflecting interposed, and the idea was abandoned. He has not appeared, much in public. Last evening I saw him at the *drawing room*, in full dress, and a vast many gazing at him."

CALCUTTA, August 19.

The distress in the money market has of late increased, and Government 6 per cent securities have sold at even nine per cent discount. The hopes of relief thro' the shipments of dollars from Britain cannot be realized, while they bear the excessive price stated by the late accounts. We trust, however, the shutting of the Government loan in the country, in conformity with the public notification of the 11th instant, will have a speedy and favourable influence. We understand it is the intention of the mercantile body to request of Government a loan on the security of the Company's papers.

AUG. 24.

We have perused several letters from Indigo Planters in the districts of Jessore and Cishenagur, all of which concur in pronouncing this a most ruinous season. Most of the factories in the last district has finished working, and we understand it is now pretty well ascertained that the produce of the season is not likely to exceed 65 to 90 maunds.

SEPT. 9.

The fort of Mollier has surrendered to the force under the command of Lieut. Colonel McDowall, which completes the conquest of the province of Kandersh, and terminates the war in the Peishwa's late dominions.

It has been reported that the first Ceylon fleet which sailed from this port has been

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