

ceive payment at the time of entry, if required, and to allow a discount or abatement thereupon, at and after the rate of six per centum per annum proportionably to the credit which the said importer or importers may be so entitled to have.

LX. And be it further enacted, That the several rates and duties imposed under and by virtue of this Act, shall be paid, levied, recovered or secured, and drawbacks thereon allowed in the manner as directed in and by the provisions of the said recited Act made and passed in the third year of His Majesty's reign, intituled, "An Act for raising a Revenue in this Province," excepting so far as the said Act is altered, amended or repealed, by this or any other Act passed in the present Session; and the several articles hereby made subject to duties, shall be liable to be seized, forfeited and disposed of; and the like pains, penalties and forfeitures are hereby inflicted and imposed, for the non entry or false entry, landing or relanding thereof, and shall and may be sued for, prosecuted and recovered and disposed of in such manner and by such ways, means and methods as are directed in and by the provisions of the said recited Act, (except as aforesaid), and the several provisions of that act hereby continued in force, shall extend and apply, and be taken and construed to extend and apply to the several dutiable articles; duties and penalties imposed by this act in the same manner as if the said provisions were herein repeated.

X. And be it further enacted, That this Act shall continue and be in force until the first day of April, which will be in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and twenty-eight.

FREDERICTON, (N. B.)

TUESDAY, 10th APRIL, 1827.

Alms House and Work House.

COMMISSIONER FOR THE WEEK,
GEO. F. STREET, Esq.

SAVINGS BANK.

TRUSTEES NEXT WEEK,

HENRY C. CLOPPER, ESQ.

JAMES TAYLOR, ESQ.

JEDEDIAH SLASON, ESQ.

Amount deposited

yesterday,..... £20 : 0 : 0

GENERAL ORDER.

HORSE GUARDS,

Tuesday Night, January 23.

The last Duties having been paid to the remains of His Royal Highness the Commander-in-Chief, The King deems it right to express to the Army the melancholy satisfaction which His Majesty derives from the deep feeling of Grief manifested by every Class of the Military Profession, in common with the People at large, under the great Calamity with which it has pleased the Almighty to afflict the Nation and His Majesty,—a Calamity which has deprived the Crown of one of its most valuable and distinguished Servants, and His Majesty of a beloved and affectionate Brother.

The King does not think it necessary to dwell upon the pre-eminent merits of the late Duke of York; His Majesty knows that these are impressed and engraven on the hearts of His Majesty's Soldiers: His Majesty desires that it may merely be observed, that the able Administration of the Command held by His Royal Highness for a long series of years, His assiduous attention of the welfare of the Soldier, His unremitting exertions to inculcate the true principles of Order and Discipline, His Dis-

cernment in bringing Merit to the notice of the Crown, and the just impartiality with which He applied the Honors of the Service, have combined to produce results that identify the Army, as a Profession, with the Glory and Prosperity of this great Contry, and which will cause His Virtues and Services to be in the grateful remembrance of the latest Posterity.

The King feels that under the present afflicting circumstances, His Majesty cannot more effectually supply the loss which the Nation and the Army have sustained, than by appointing to the Chief Command of His Majesty's Forces, Field Marshal His Grace the Duke of Wellington, the great and distinguished General who has so often led the Armies of the Nation to Victory and Glory, and whose high Military Renown is blended with the History of Europe.

By His Majesty's Command,
(Signed) H. TORRENS,
Adj. General.

Pursuant to a Notice issued by the High Sheriff of the County of York at the request of the Inhabitants, a Public Meeting was convened in the County Court House on the 5th instant, in order to prepare an Address of Condolence to His Most Sacred Majesty on the late calamity with which it has pleased the Almighty to visit the Royal Family and the Nation by the death of His Royal Highness the Duke of York.

His Honor the Chief Justice was in the Chair, surrounded by the resident Members of His Majesty's Council, the Clergy, Magistracy, Gentry, Merchants, and the Inhabitants generally; and under the dangerous state of the ice, the meeting was far more numerously attended than could have been expected. The Address was agreed to as unanimously as the subject of it was individually felt; and we trust our Gracious Sovereign will be pleased in seeing the sons of those men whose attachment to His revered Parent and the British Constitution led them to sacrifice their fortunes for their principles, thus entering into the domestic sorrows of their Prince, and identifying themselves in all things with the feelings and interests of their fellow subjects at home.

His Excellency Sir HOWARD DOUGLAS, (with his usual zeal and anxiety to promote the prosperity of all Institutions that tend to the general benefit of the Province, and particularly our Collegiate establishments) has presented the Governor and Trustees of the College, with the very liberal donation of One Hundred Pounds, to be invested, as a Fund, for the provision of a Gold Medal with such an inscription as may hereafter be decided on, to be presented annually, forever, to the most meritorious Student, in such branch of learning as the Governor and Trustees may determine: Thus laying a foundation for that spirit of emulation in our Provincial Seminary for Learning, which is so necessary in all literary Institutions, and from which (experience has shown) the most beneficial results may be expected.

The ice has broken up and disappeared so rapidly in the river within the last four days, that we should not be surprised to see the Steam Boat here in a week at farthest. The snow has also almost entirely disappeared, and the general state of the weather indicates an early and vigorous spring.

The President of the United States has issued his Proclamation closing the American Ports against all vessels arriving from the British American Colonies and from all the other Colonies, from which American vessels shall be excluded. The following instructions have been forwarded by Mr. Rush to the Collectors:—

Circular to the Collectors.

Treasury Department,
March 17, 1827.

SIR, I send herewith a copy of the President's Proclamation, dated this day, by the effect of which you will perceive that the trade between the United States and certain colonial ports of Great Britain, as opened by the act of Congress of the 1st of March, 1823, entitled "An Act to regulate the commercial intercourse between the United States and certain British colonial ports," is closed: and that the provisions of the act of April the 18th, 1818, entitled "An Act concerning navigation," and those of the act of May the 15th, 1820, entitled, "An Act supplementary to an act entitled An act concerning navigation," are in force. These several acts have heretofore been transmitted to you at periods when their provisions were in operation; but copies of them are again enclosed for your information and government.

As British vessels from some of the colonial ports specified in the first section of the act of the 1st of March, 1823, may now be within the United States, and consequently must have arrived anterior to the date of the Proclamation, the President directs that all such British vessels be allowed to depart from our ports, with their cargoes. As others may arrive between the date of the Proclamation and the time of its reaching you, he also directs that as to these the forfeitures and penalties of the aforesaid acts of April 18th, 1818, and May 15th, 1820, be not enforced; but that they too be permitted to depart. And if, after you shall have received the Proclamation, British vessels should arrive within the ports of the United States from some one or more of the said British colonial ports, in ignorance of the existing prohibition which the laws impose to their entry, the President further directs, that in the case of all British vessels so arriving, prior to the first day of July next, you cause notice to be given to them, as soon as possible, of the prohibition, accompanied by orders for their departure within twenty four hours, without unloading; upon their failure to comply with which orders, you will proceed to enforce against them the provisions of the acts last recited.

In case of all British vessels arriving within our ports, from any of the aforesaid British colonial ports, after the first of July, you will, forthwith, enforce against them the provisions of those acts.

I have the honor to remain, your obedient servant,
RICHARD RUSH,
To —, Collector.

ERRATA.—In the Militia General Orders, of the 26th March, (inserted in the last Gazette) in the 3d Northumberland Militia, for Daniel Duncan, read David Duncan, and for David Racharty, read Daniel Racharty.

ROAD WORK.

THE Supervisor of the Great Road from Fredericton to St. John, by way of the Nerepis, will attend at nine o'clock, on the morning of the 1st day of May next, at the Farm of Mr. Stephen Stevens, in Westfield; and from thence will proceed towards Fredericton, for the purpose of describing to Persons desirous of contracting for the performance of work upon the said Road, the places where, and the manner in which the same is to be done.

Written proposals for finishing all, or any of the several portions of the said Road so to be described, will be received by the Subscriber, at any time between the 2d and the 8th day of May; on which last mentioned day the whole of the proposals received will be opened, and the lowest accepted.

R. SIMONDS.
Fredericton, April 9, 1827.

York Agricultural and Emigrant Society.

A Quarterly Meeting of the York Agricultural and Emigrant Society, holden at the County Court House, on Tuesday the 3d day of April, 1827—It was Resolved, that a Cattle Show and Ploughing Match be held at Woodstock on Friday the 7th day of September next, and Premiums as follow be given to the Owners of Animals that may then be exhibited.

- For the best Stallion, raised and owned in the County of York, not less than 3 years old, £5.
- For the second best do. do. £2 10s.
- For the best Bull, do. do. not less than 2 nor more than 4 years old, £3.
- For the second best do. do. do. £2.
- For the best Cow, not less than 3 nor more than 6 years old, do. do. £2 10s.
- For the second best do. do. do. £1 5s.
- For the best Ram, not exceeding 4 years old do. do. do. £2.
- For the second best do. do. do. £1.

And that Premiums as follow be given:—

- To the best Ploughman, £4 0 0
- To the second best do. 2 10 0
- To the third best do. 1 0 0
- For the greatest quantity of the best quality of Timothy Seed raised in the County of York, by any one Person, not less than 5 bushels, £3.
- For the greatest quantity of do. do. raised do. do. on one fourth of an acre, £2
- For the greatest quantity of Red Clover Seed, raised do. do. on one undivided acre, £3.
- For the greatest quantity of White Clover, do. do. do. £3.
- For the greatest quantity of the best quality of Wheat, raised on one undivided acre, £4.
- For the greatest quantity of Indian Corn, do. do. £3.
- For the greatest quantity Barley do. do. £2 10s.
- For the greatest quantity of Lapland Turnips raised on one undivided 1/2 acre of old land, do. do. £2 10.
- For the greatest quantity Flat Turnips, do. do. £2.

The Rules of Competition and the particular places in Woodstock for the Cattle Show and Ploughing Match, will be published as speedily as possible.

The above premiums for Seed, Grain, and Turnips, will be awarded at the General Meeting, on the 2d Tuesday in January next.

D. LUDLOW ROBINSON,
Secretary.

TO BE SOLD,

On Wednesday, 10th October next, by Public Auction at the Market House, one undivided half share of that part of the Estate of the late Stair Agnew Esq. deceased, allotted to Mr. John Agnew, and now in the possession of Captain Barker and Mr. Thomas Gill. The said half share having been conveyed to Stair B. Agnew by the said John Agnew.

GEORGE MINCHIN,
GEORGE P. BLISS,
JAMES TAYLOR, Junr.,
Trustees on the Estate of Stair B. Agnew.
Fredericton 10th April 1827.

To Lease by Auction.

On Monday the 16th instant for a term of years, that large and commodious Store and Cellar in Carleton-street, belonging to the Estate of the late Samuel Grosvenor deceased. Possession will be given on the 1st of May next.

ASA COY, Auctioneer.
Fredericton 6th April 1827.