

be punished; and, if we mistake not, there will be found Laws powerful enough to enforce it. The *Boston Weekly Messenger* and the *Portland Argus* were the last missing,—for the discovery of the person who took them, a handsome reward is offered.

Augusta, March 26.

Just as our paper was going to press, the following correspondence between Major General Scott, Sir John Harvey and Governor Fairfield, was put into our hands, by which it will be seen that a temporary arrangement has been entered into between the Government of the Province and the State of Maine, in relation to the border difficulties, which will, for the present, remove all apprehension of collision. The troops now upon the Aroostock, will probably be forthwith recalled.

HEAD QUARTERS,

EASTERN DIVISION U. STATES ARMY,

Augusta, Maine, March 21, 1839.

The undersigned, a Major General in the army of the United States, being specially charged with maintaining the peace and safety of their entire Northern and Eastern frontier, having cause to apprehend a collision of arms between the proximate forces of New Brunswick and the State of Maine, on the disputed territory which is claimed by both—has the honor, in the sincere desire of the United States to preserve the relations of peace and amity with Great Britain—relations which might be much endangered by such untoward collision—to invite from His Excellency Major General Sir John Harvey, Lieutenant Governor, &c. &c. a general declaration to this effect:

That, it is not the intention of the Lieutenant Governor of Her Britannic Majesty's Province of New Brunswick, under the expected renewal of negotiations between the cabinets of London and Washington on the subject of the said disputed territory, without renewed instructions to that effect from his Government, to seek to take military possession of that territory, or to seek by military force to expel therefrom the armed civil posse or the troops of Maine.

Should the undersigned have the honor to be favoured with such declaration or assurance, to be by him communicated to His Excellency, the Governor of the State of Maine, the undersigned does not in the least doubt that he would be immediately and fully authorised by the Governor of Maine to communicate to His Excellency, the Lieut. Governor of New Brunswick, a corresponding pacific declaration to this effect:

That in the hope of a speedy and satisfactory settlement, by negotiation between the governments of the United States and Great Britain, of the principal or boundary question, between the State of Maine and the Province of New Brunswick, it is not the intention of the Governor of Maine, without renewed instructions from the Legislature of the State, to attempt to disturb, by arms, the said Province in the possession of the Madawaska settlement, or to attempt to interrupt the usual communications between that Province and Her Majesty's Upper Provinces: and that he is willing in the mean time, to leave the question of possession and jurisdiction as they at present stand,—that is, Great Britain holding in fact, possession of a part of the said territory, and the Government of Maine denying her right to such possession; and the State of Maine holding in fact, possession of another portion of the same territory, to which her right is denied by Great Britain.

With this understanding, the Governor of Maine will, without unnecessary delay, withdraw the military force of the State from the said disputed territory—leaving only, under a land agent, a small civil posse, armed or unarmed, to protect the timber recently cut, and to prevent further depredations.

Reciprocal assurances of the foregoing friendly character, having been, through the undersigned, interchanged, all danger of collision between the immediate parties to the controversy will be at once removed, and time allowed the United States and Great Britain to settle amicably the question of limits.

The undersigned has much pleasure in renewing to His Excellency, Major General Sir John Harvey, the assurances of his ancient high consideration and respect.

WINFIELD SCOTT.

To the above, Sir John Harvey replied as follows:—

The undersigned Major General Sir John Harvey, Lieutenant Governor of Her Britannic Majesty's Province of New Brunswick, having received a proposition from Major General Winfield Scott of the United States army, of which the foregoing is a copy, hereby, on his part, signifies his concurrence and acquiescence therein.

Sir John Harvey renews with great pleasure to Major General Scott, the assurances of his warmest personal consideration, regard and respect.

J. HARVEY.

Government House, Fredericton,
New Brunswick, March 23, 1839.

Copies of the above papers having been submitted to the Governor of Maine, he added the following to another copy, which has been transmitted by General Scott to Sir John Harvey.

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT,

Augusta, March 25, 1839.

The undersigned, Governor of Maine, in consideration of the foregoing, the exigency for calling out the troops of Maine, having ceased, has no hesitation in signifying his entire acquiescence in the proposition of Major General Scott.

The undersigned has the honor to tender to Major General Scott the assurances of his high respect and esteem.

JOHN FAIRFIELD.

[From the *Woodstock Times*, March 30, 1839.]

Never since the axe of the woodman was first heard to sound amidst the depth of our forest, has the little town of Woodstock been so much stirred and bustled as during the last week.

In time to come—when she arrives at the rank of a large and thriving inland town—

when her population will be thousands, when her wealth and commerce will prevail, and the hum of busy men be heard in her streets—the late visit of Sir John Harvey will ever be looked upon as a most interesting event in her annals.

Connected as His Excellency is with the history of the British Provinces in N. America, it must be a happy reflection for him that his wise policy and timely measures of precaution have actually been the means of preventing two nations—descended from a common stock—speaking the same language, and both the protectors and promoters of liberal institutions, from being plunged into a bloody and awful war.—It is only those who know by experience, the miseries entailed upon the wretched inhabitants of an invaded country—who can form even a conjecture of the inestimable advantages of Sir John's spirited, and at the same time forbearing, conduct.

His Excellency arrived on Monday last, at about 5 o'clock, P. M., and was received by a salute from the Royal Artillery, and a Guard of Honor of the 69th Regiment, with the Band of the 36th. An immense concourse of people of all classes, were assembled to welcome his arrival; and as the ark-like stage drawn by four excellent horses decorated with ribbons, dashed through the streets, escorted by the Troop of York Hussars with their gay and extremely handsome uniform, the scene was most animating.

His Excellency alighted for one moment at the Woodstock Hotel, and afterwards drove to Mr. Charles Connell's where he remained during his stay amongst us.

The Officers of the Garrison entertained His Excellency at dinner that evening, and after cloth was removed and Her Majesty's health drunk, Col. Maxwell proposed "our talented Governor Sir John Harvey," and the toast was received with the greatest enthusiasm; His Excellency returned thanks in the warmest manner, and gave the health of the Officer Commanding in the County of Carleton—Colonel Maxwell—complimenting the Colonel upon the success of all he had undertaken by his orders, and expressing himself as extremely fortunate in having selected an officer so peculiarly adapted for the task he had to perform.

His Excellency was given in his usual straight forward and manly manner, and must have proved highly gratifying to the feelings of him to whom they alluded. It need not be remarked that the toast was warmly responded to by all present. The gallant Colonel himself, who presided, so happily prefaced the numerous toasts he gave, as to call forth repeatedly a smile on His Excellency's countenance, who appeared to enjoy the good humour and hilarity which shone around him.

All the officers commanding corps and heads of departments, were called in succession upon their legs, and the neat and soldier like reply of Major Brookes, (commanding 69th Regt.) seemed to elicit general satisfaction.

One circumstance added much to the conviviality of the evening.—The meeting of the 36th and 69th Regts.—two corps (as the gallant Colonel expressed it,) whose friendship, feeling, and facings were alike—"ever fresh and green."

The Band of the 36th, led by that excellent musician, Mr. Seanne, enlivened the evening with a variety of the most pleasing airs.

On Wednesday the whole garrison under the command of Colonel Maxwell, received His Excellency in line on the ice, on the Meduxakick Creek, and were drawn up in the following manner, facing and parallel to the right bank of the River:—Royal Artillery on the right, 36th Regiment, 69th Regiment, Militia Artillery, 1st Carleton Infantry, Woodstock Rifle Company and the York Hussars, making in all an imposing military spectacle.

The column marched past in slow and quick time, and the manner in which the Volunteer and Militia corps performed their part, elicited the praise of His Excellency, and indeed reflects the greatest credit on their officers, and to Col. Maxwell for the uncommon zeal displayed by him in rendering every assistance to facilitate their instruction in the Militia art.

After a column had marched past in slow and quick time, the Brigade advanced in line, halted, opened ranks and presented arms, the Band playing "God Save the Queen." After this second salute, the General in the most graceful and soldier-like manner, rode forward and with his head still uncovered, displaying to full view his noble and commanding features, made a most pithy commendatory address to the Regular Troops and loyal New Brunswickers, and one which will be long remembered by those who had the good fortune to be present.

During the week His Excellency has every day entertained in his never failing hospitable manner, the principal inhabitants of the neighbourhood and officers of the garrison; and on Thursday held a Levee at his temporary head quarters, at Mr. Connell's, at which it was gratifying to see Major Kirby and two other American officers from the garrison at Houlton.

Few Governors are more popular than Sir John Harvey, and it is to be regretted that his stay in our village has been so short.—May success attend him wherever he resides!

His Excellency left Woodstock at 8 o'clock yesterday morning, under a salute of 15 guns from the Royal Artillery.

[From the *Montreal Gazette*, March 21.]

It is impossible to allude to the truly generous and patriotic conduct of our sister Province of New Brunswick, on the subject of the disputed boundary and territory, without being gratified beyond expression at conduct so truly worthy of British subjects in an emergency like the present, when their dearest rights and interests are assailed. On the 7th instant the House of Assembly of that loyal Province voted £3,000 for improving the road round Temiscouata Lake, and thence to the Grand Falls. It was, at the same time, thought probable at Fredericton, that an appropriation would be made by the Government of Lower Canada, for repairing the road from Fredericton to Quebec; and thus facilitate the transport of troops and conveyance of the mail between those cities and the adjacent country. A Bill was also passed, authorising the Executive to receive tenders from the Banks, for making advances to persons employed in expending the funds of

the Province; the Banks at no time to advance more than £30,000, and the rate of interest not to exceed five per cent. On the same evening, a message was presented from the Lieutenant Governor, with the Resolutions passed by the Legislature of Nova Scotia, and to which we formerly alluded; and with respect to which a resolution was unanimously passed, expressive of the high sense entertained of the generous and patriotic sentiments of the Legislature and inhabitants of Nova Scotia. The House having then resolved itself into a Committee, it was found, that, in the present exigency, there was but one common desire to strengthen the hands of the Executive Government, and, with that view, a Resolution was passed, placing at the disposal of the Lieutenant Governor, the whole available means of the Province. Upon motion, it was unanimously agreed, that the House and the spectators in the gallery should unite in giving three cheers in approbation of the measures of the Executive Government and Legislature, which resolution was carried into effect in a truly British style. We believe that proceedings, of a spirit and temper like these, are unprecedented in the history of our Colonies. It is therefore to be hoped, that the recent conduct of the loyal inhabitants of the British Provinces in America, will be seized upon by the Mother Country as a fitting opportunity to support them in the maintenance of their rights and liberties; and that measures will be adopted to convince our democratical neighbours, and their lawless mobs, that it will be in vain for them to attempt to make good their claims to the disputed territory, otherwise than over the necks of the brave and loyal inhabitants of these Provinces.

MARRIED.

On the 6th ultimo, by the Rev. J. Birkmyre, A. M., Mr. John Rosborough, Parish of Prince William, to Miss Mary Magarr, Parish of Queensbury. On the 11th ult. by the same, Mr. John Lynch, Parish of Queensbury, to Miss Nancy Kirk, of this Parish. On the 26th ult. by the same, Mr. Thomas Crawford, to Miss Fanny Evans, both of the Parish of Burton, County of Sunbury.

DIED.

At Dalhousie, on the 13th instant, P. Dumaresq, Esquire, Mr. D. was a Lieutenant in the Navy, and an active efficient officer on the Halifax station during the last American War, and was Sub-Collector at the Port of Dalhousie. At Richibucto, on the 20th inst. of rapid consumption, Mr. James D. Weldon, Merchant, aged 22 years; deeply and deservedly regretted by a numerous circle of relations and friends.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

To be sold by Public Auction at the Court House in Burton, on Tuesday the eighth day of October next, between the hours of twelve and five o'clock in the afternoon:

ALL the right and title of George P. Nevers, of in and to that certain lot or tract of land, situated in the Parish of Burton, on the Nerepis Road, so called, about three miles from the mouth of the Oromocto, originally granted to Ebenezer Farnham, containing three hundred acres, more or less, with all improvements thereon: The same having been taken by virtue of two several Executions issued out of the Supreme Court, at the suits of Messrs Pickard and Coburn, for £39 2s. 9d. and Peter Duff for £19 10d. J. HAZEN, SHERIFF. Burton, 28th March, 1839.

To be sold at Public Auction, at the House of Samuel Mayes, Inn Keeper, in Gagetown, on the second Saturday in October next, between the hours of twelve and five o'clock of the afternoon:—

ALL the right, title and interest of Walter A. M. Fawn, in and to a certain Farm or tract of land, and grist mill thereon, situated, lying, and being in the Parish of Petersville in Queen's County, on the west side of the Nerepis Road, adjoining northeasterly to lands granted to James Oliver Betts, and known as lot number eleven, containing two hundred acres, more or less, together with the buildings and appurtenances thereunto belonging: seized and taken, in and by virtue of an Execution issued out of the Supreme Court at the suit of Barnabas Tilton. Dated at Gagetown, the twenty-fourth day of March, one thousand eight hundred and thirty nine. N. H. DEVEBER, Sheriff of Queen's County.

Contract for Builders.

PROPOSALS will be received at the Provincial Secretary's Office, until the twenty-fifth of April next, for building an addition to that Office, according to a plan and specification to be there exhibited. Fredericton, 25th March, 1839.

CENTRAL BANK.

FREDERICTON, 26TH MARCH, 1839.

At a Meeting of the Directors held this day, Mr. SAMUEL W. BABBIT was appointed Cashier, in the room of ROBERT GOWAN, Esquire, resigned;—this appointment to take place on the first day of April next. By order of the Board. W. J. BEDELL, PRESIDENT.

ATTORNEY GENERAL'S OFFICE.

FREDERICTON, 26th March, 1839.

ALL Persons indebted to the Crown on account of purchases of Land or on leases to cut Timber and Logs on Crown Lands within the Province, are hereby notified, that I have received instructions to take immediate measures to enforce payment. CHARLES I. PETERS, Attorney General.

N. B. The Editors of the several Papers throughout the Province are requested to insert the above. C. I. P.

LANDED from on board one of the Steamers, last autumn, and now in charge of the Subscribers,—owner unknown:

Several papers of Starch, One package Cinnamon, One do. Sulphur, One do. Pominto, One do. Salts, One Keg Mustard, W. H., 18. s. F., and a large Cheese. Also—Several Joints of Stovepipe, I. S. W. MACPHERSON & COY. April 1, 1839.

TO LET.

THE Dwelling House and Premises, in King Street, belonging to the Estate of the late J. M. COLDWELL, now occupied by Mr. GEORGE HART. Possession given on the first day of May next.—Apply to ASA COY, Surviving Administrator. April 1, 1839.

NOTICE.

A dissolution of the Copartnership between the subscribers heretofore subsisting under the firm of

W. H. STREET & RANNEY, having by mutual consent this day taken place, the Stock of the said Firm will continue exposed for sale, at the usual place of business till the first day of May next. All persons indebted to them are requested to make payment to either of the undersigned, and those having claims, to exhibit the same for adjustment.

W. H. STREET.

H. P. RANNEY.

Saint John, 1st April, 1839.—4w.

NOTICE.

THE period for which Mr. RANNEY was associated as a co-partner in my Wine and Commission business having expired, the same will on first May next, be resumed and continued as formerly on my own account, in the new Brick Building fronting on Saint John Street, next door to Mr. WALKER'S. W. H. STREET.

Saint John, 1st April, 1839.—4w.

TO LET FOR ONE YEAR.

SEALED Tenders will be received until 15th inst. by the Church Wardens and Vestry, Parish St. Mary's, for the Glebe Lands Lot No. 11, formerly known as the public Lot, also Lots No. 91 and 92, in the upper part of the settlement Nashuack; persons applying will send the names of those they propose as their security and the amount they propose to give.

JOHN VAN HORNE,

Clerk of Vestry.

April 1, 1839.

LOST.

BETWEEN the Savings Bank and Mr. James Hale's Store, Seven Pounds in Bank Notes of one pound each, any person finding the same and restoring it to the Subscriber will be liberally rewarded.

JOHN BLAIR SENIOR.

Fredericton, April 3d, 1839.

LOST.

A DOUBLE BARRELLED PISTOL, rifled at the muzzle of each Barrel. The person who may have found the same will receive a Reward of FOUR DOLLARS, by leaving it at the Royal Gazette Office.

FREDERICTON

Steam Boat Company.

NOTICE is hereby given that a Fourth Assessment of Two Pounds on each Share of the Capital or Stock of the above Company, is required to be paid by the Shareholders, on or before the 25th day of April next, at either of the Banks in this place, at the Office of HENRY GILBERT, Esquire, in Saint John, to the Treasurer of the Company, or at my Store, agreeably to the deed of settlement. JOHN T. SMITH, PRESIDENT. Fredericton, 20th March, 1839.

CENTRAL BANK STOCK.

SEVERAL Shares in the above Bank for Sale, enquire at this Office. Fredericton, 19th March, 1839.

NOTICE.

ALL persons, Inhabitants of the Parish of Fredericton, and also non-residents and their Agents, liable to be taxed for Rates, are hereby requested forthwith to give in a statement of their Real and Personal Property "if they shall think fit," to either of the Subscribers, Assessors for said Parish. THOMAS STEWART, ASA COY, MARK NEEDHAM, Assessors. Fredericton, 18th March, 1839.

FOR SALE.

THE Premises lately occupied by the Paymaster of the 65th Regt. situated at the upper end of King's Street, comprising four Town Lots, has convenient out Buildings, and a good Garden.

If the above Property is not disposed of at Private Sale by the 20th of April next, it will then be offered at Public Auction. J. A. MACLAUCHLAN. Fredericton, March 6, 1839.

NOTICE.

ALL Persons having demands against the Subscriber are requested to present them for adjustment; and all persons indebted to him are required to make immediate payment. BENJAMIN WHEELER. Fredericton, 13th March, 1838.

ALL persons having any legal demands against the Estate of JOHN GARDEN late of the Parish of Sheffield, County of Sunbury, deceased, are requested to present their accounts, duly attested, within three Calendar Months from this date to the undersigned, and all persons indebted to said Estate are required to make immediate payment to JOANNA T. GARDEN, Administratrix. Parish of Sheffield, County of Sunbury, March 9, 1839.

CONSIGNMENT.

THE Subscriber has just received by the latest Steamers, a large quantity of TEAS consisting of Gunpowder, Hyson, Twankey Young Hyson, Souchong, Congo of different kinds, and Bohea, part of the Clifton's and part of the Hon. East India Company's Teas, comprising an excellent assortment for family use or Retailers.

Also—Very superior WINES, Bottled in Cases and Barrels: put up for the Mess of the 65th Regiment. Best Golden SHERRY, Best L. P. MADEIRA Old CLARET, Old PORT, and Pale BRANDY.

One Bale 7, 9-4 and 10-4 BLANKETS; an assortment of FURS, consisting of Caps, Mitts, Boas, &c.

Likewise on hand—Lisbon and Sherry Wine, Bottled in Barrels, best Cognac BRANDY in wood, best Government Manilla SEGARS, with a variety of other articles.

MARK NEEDHAM.

Fredericton, Nov. 13, 1838.—tf.

Commercial Bank of New Brunswick

HAVING assumed the business of the Bank of Fredericton, Notice is hereby given, that on Friday next the first day of March, a Branch of this Bank will be opened, in the building known as the Bank of Fredericton.

COMMITTEE OF DIRECTION.

Asa Coy, F. E. Beckwith, James Hale, W. D. Hart, Thomas T. Smith and B. Wolhaupter, Esquires.

Cashier, Archibald Scott, Esq.

Discount days, Monday and Thursday of each week; hours of business from 10 to 3 o'clock.

By order of the President and Directors, A. BALLOCH, Cashier.

27th February 1839.

HOUSE TO LET.

THAT eligible stand for a BOARDING HOUSE, situate on the corner of Phoenix Square, containing 18 Rooms of different dimensions, and very commodious in other respects, for that purpose. The House and premises will be let for a term of years, and possession given on the 1st day of May next.

Apply to the Subscriber, JAMES BALLOCH.

5th March, 1839.

WHEREAS licence has been duly granted to the Subscriber by the Governor and Council to sell so much of the real estate of the late Honourable JOHN MURRAY BLISS, as may be sufficient to discharge the debts due from estate of said J. M. Bliss,

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given, That on Monday the 29th day of April next, the subscriber will sell at Public Auction, that well known valuable tract of land with the appurtenances situate in Lincoln in the County of Sunbury, about nine miles from Fredericton and known as the Belmont Farm. The property will be sold in two lots, to be divided by a line running through the gully above Belmont House. The lower part will contain about 35 acres of upland in a good state of cultivation, about 15 acres of intervals partially improved, and about 250 acres of wood land. On this part there is an excellent two story House with very extensive Barns and Outhouses. The House was built under the particular inspection of the late Judge Bliss, and was always occupied by himself; and it may be truly called one of the most comfortable, convenient, and respectable looking residences in this Province. The upper part will contain about 50 acres of improved and excellent intervals, upwards of 30 acres of upland cleared, and under good cultivation, and about 400 acres of Wood land. There is a comfortable Farm House and good Barn on this part.

Possession will be given and deeds executed and delivered on the 1st May next, on the purchaser complying with the following conditions of sale:

25 per cent. down, and approved endorsed notes with two endorsers, each, for twenty five per cent. in four months, with interest, and twenty five per cent. in eight months, with interest, and 25 per cent in twelve months, with interest.

The sale will take place on the premises at 12 o'clock.

L. A. WILMOT,

Sole remaining Administrator.

Fredericton, 18th Feb. 1839.

FOR SALE.

THAT neat and commodious COTTAGE, at present occupied by the Rev. Dr. SOMERVILLE, consisting of Drawing Room, Dining Room, Breakfast Room, large Pantry and Kitchen on first floor; on the second are two large Bedrooms, to one of which is attached a Dressing Room, or if required, a small Library with shelves. In the Bedroom is a Clothes Press and open Fire place; in the Dressing Room is a Stove; one other large Bedroom is heated by pipes from the Hall Stove, as also a smaller room on the same floor. Servants room, with access from the Kitchen. An excellent Well under cover in a porch adjoining the House. A good Cellar the length and breadth of the House, with double windows. The out-houses are as follows, viz.: A large Closet plastered and shelved for holding fresh meat in winter, another light Closet for holding saddles, bridles, &c. &c. Barn with double floor, wood-house sufficiently large to contain 12 or 14 cords of wood. Stable for 2 horses, hay loft above all three buildings that will hold 4 or 5 tons of hay. These all in good order, the greater part having been built two years ago. A large Garden well stocked with fruit trees, and in excellent order. Fredericton, 16th Feb. 1839.

NOTICE.

ALL Persons indebted to the Rev. Dr. SOMERVILLE, are hereby notified to make payment of the same, on or before the 1st day of May next; and all those who may have any just demands against him, are hereby requested to present them for payment. Fredericton, 16th Feb. 1839.

Botsford Mill Flour.

THE subscribers having erected Mills on the Little River Falls, in the neighbourhood of this City, for the manufacture of Flour, and having likewise imported per ship *Eagle*, from London, a very superior lot of best Dantzic Red and White WHEATS, beg leave to inform the public, that they will continue to keep on hand at their Store, No. 28, South Market Wharf, best Superfine and Fine FLOUR, in barrels and in bags—which they will warrant equal in quality to that imported from the United States; and as they intend selling on reasonable terms for cash or other approved payment, they trust they will be favoured with a share of the public patronage. Bakers will do well to call and examine for themselves. OWENS & DUNCAN. St. John, August 4, 1838.

THE Subscriber intending to bring his business in this Town, to a close, respectfully requests those indebted to him to make payment of their accounts immediately; and those to whom he is indebted are requested to present their accounts for settlement. GEORGE WHITE.

Fredericton, February 12, 1839.