

The 20th inst. has been fixed by the Lady Patronesses for the opening of Pa. Ement.

Sir C. Bagot has appointed Dr. Rolph, Emigration Agent, on behalf of the British North American Colonies in this country.

Despatches from the Governor of Newfoundland were received at the Colonial Office on the 18th ult., and on the same day, Hon. Mr. Crane, from New Brunswick, had an interview with Lord Stanley.

Mr. G. W. Osborne, Mr. Tilstone, Mr. Burstall, and Mr. Harrison of Quebec, a deputation from the Canada Timber Merchants, had an interview with the Colonial Secretary on the 31st ult.

The Earl of Elgin, the new Governor General of Jamaica, with his Lady and suite sailed in the Isis, Mail Steamer, yesterday, from Falmouth, to assume the functions of his Government.

Sir George Arthur is appointed Governor of Bombay, in succession to the late Sir H. M. Naghten.

Lord Hill, it is said, will shortly resign his office into the hands of Sir George Murray. Sir Henry Hardinge will probably remove to the Ordnance Office. It is rumoured that Lord F. Somerset will succeed Sir E. Blakeney in the command of the troops in Ireland, or be appointed Secretary at War, and Sir Brooke Stewart be Military Secretary to the new Commander in Chief. Numerous other arrangements are in contemplation, including the abolition of the depot system.

The following notice in the French papers gives reason to hope that another grand advance will shortly be made in international communication. English Agents are arriving in Paris to arrange with the French Government the means for establishing a good telegraphic line from London to Calcutta, across France, and which should extend through Italy, Greece, and the Red Sea to India. It appears that an English Engineer has demonstrated the possibility of executing the work and of placing London and Paris in immediate communication with the Indian Continent.

A Steamer called the Telegraph blew up a few days ago, by which 19 lives were lost and a very large number were wounded.

BRUSSELS.—The days fixed for the departure of the British Queen for New York, are the 4th May, 7th July and 7th of September.

THE ARMY.—The standard for recruits is reduced to 5 feet 5½ inches; last week, however, such was the difficulty of procuring men in Dublin that the bounty had risen to £11. It is intended to call out veteran Battalions immediately for garrison duty at home, also to raise two more West India Regiments, and a second battalion of the Canadian Rifle Corps.

Consequent upon the augmentation of six Regiments, the following Regiments will be ordered home from North America, viz: the Foot Guards, the 56th, 57th, 61st and 70th.

The 45th Regiment is to be augmented to two Battalions of 600 rank and file each; and a Company of African Artillery for service in Jamaica is to be formed from volunteers from the coloured troops stationed in that Island.

The depots of the following Regiments are to be converted into second Battalions, by adding additional companies to each, by which they will be rendered of the same amount as the active service companies, viz: the 20th Regt. (Col in Chief, General Sir W. Houstoun,) at Bermuda; the 231 Regt. (General Sir Willoughby Gordon) in Canada; the 97th Regt. (General Sir H. Hardinge,) at the Cape, and a third Battalion is to be added to the Rifle Brigade, (Field Marshal the Duke of Wellington.)

The following reliefs will shortly take place from Foreign Stations:—Two companies in Canada, two companies in Gibraltar, and two companies in the West Indies. The companies in Canada will be relieved in May next, those in Gibraltar in August or September next, and the West India relief will embark at Woolwich in October next.

Major Sir Wm. Gomm is appointed to command the troops in the Northern district of England.—Major Generals Sir J. A. Hope and Sir R. Armstrong are appointed to the Staff in Canada, in succession to Lieut. Generals Sir J. Macdonnell and Clibberrow.—Major General Sir E. K. Williams succeeds Lieut. Gen. Sir R. Arbuthnot on the Staff of Bengal.

The Earl of Dalhousie will, it is said, be appointed Governor of Madras.

By the last overland Mail we learn that large supplies and several Regiments were ordered to be embarked from India to China by the 15th March. Sixteen Transports had been taken up at Calcutta alone. Instructions had been received in India to comply with whatever requisitions Sir H. Pottinger may make for stores or troops. A determination to speedily settle matters in China upon a firm basis has been communicated to the Governor General of India, and consequent on this the extensive scale of armament alluded to has been adopted. We expect to learn by the next accounts from China, of the retaking of Canton and the final departure of the expedition for Peking.

The English Mail to meet the sailing of the Steamer from Halifax, on the 31 May, will be closed at the Post Office, on Saturday the 30th inst. at half-past ten o'clock, in the forenoon.

Valuable Property for Sale.

ON Tuesday the 21st day of June next, will be sold by Public Auction on the Premises, that Lot of LAND in Carleton Street, belonging to the Estate of the late SAMUEL GROSVENOR, deceased.

Also, at the same time and place, A Lot of Land in Wakefield, County of Carleton, being No. 3 in the 6th Tier of Lots, containing 200 acres, more or less, bounded on the upper side by Land owned by Henry Mies, and on the lower side by John Estabrook, belonging to the said Estate.

Terms made known at the time of Sale.

GEORGE SHORE,
GEORGE MINCHIN,
JOHN SIMPSON, } *Executors.*

Fredericton, April 15, 1842.

[Sentinel.]

HOUSE AND STORE TO LET.

And Possession given 1st May next.

THAT pleasantly situated HOUSE, in Queen Street, opposite the STONE BARRACK. The House and Store will be let together or separate as may be required. It is a first rate stand for business of almost any description, especially for a Grocery or Provision Store.

Particulars made known on application to the Subscriber.

JAMES D. ROBERTSON.

Fredericton, April 14, 1842.

NOTICE.

THE Subscribers having this day entered into CO-PARTNERSHIP, wish to notify their friends and the Public that their business will be conducted under the Firm of GRIGOR & HOBEN, in the Store lately occupied by the Trustees of Munro, Wallace & Co.

WM. GRIGOR.
JOHN HOBEN.

Fredericton, March 28, 1842.—3w.

NOTICE.

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given, That I have this day appointed Mr. JOSEPH MYSHALL, Junior, Deputy Sheriff for the County of York, for the ensuing year.

E. W. MILLER, Sheriff of York.

Sheriff's Office, Fredericton, April 5, 1842.—3w.

HOUSE TO LET.

From the first of May next,

A Two Story HOUSE in Charlotte Street, at present occupied by Wm. NEEDHAM, Esquire, containing Six Rooms and a finished Garret, with Cellar Kitchen, good Well, Out Houses, &c.

ALSO TO LET.—The upper Flat of the HOUSE owned and at present occupied by the Subscriber, in Queen Street, nearly opposite the Market House; it has a Parlour and four Bed Rooms, Kitchen and other conveniences.

THOMAS STEWART.

Fredericton, April 11, 1842.—2w.

AUCTION.

THE Subscriber will offer for Sale at Public Auction, on Wednesday, 27th instant, at the residence of MAJOR RUXTON, who is about leaving the Province, a quantity of nearly new and valuable HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE, and Kitchen Utensils.

LIKEWISE.—An excellent PIANO FORTE, and a quantity of Sherry WINE. ALSO.—Horse, Carriage, Sleigh, Harness, Buffalo Skins, Wood, Coal, &c. &c.

MARK NEEDHAM, Auctioneer.

Fredericton, April 11, 1842

ROOMS TO RENT.

THE Premises lately occupied by Mr. JAMES COOK, consisting of two Rooms, a Bed Room, Cellar Kitchen and Wood House. Possession given 1st May next. Apply to

JOHN S. COY.

April 11, 1842.

PEW FOR SALE.

IN the body of the Methodist Chapel, a PEW, No. 31, and the third one from the Pulpit. Apply to

F. W. HATHEWAY.

N. B. All Persons having unsettled accounts with the Subscriber, are hereby requested to call and settle them without further notice, as they will save cost by so doing.

F. W. H.

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CUT Lath, Shingle, Board and Finishing NAILS of all sizes.

Cut Flooring Brads, 3, 3½, 4 inch,

" Finishing, do. 1, 1½, 1¾, 2 inch,

" Sheathing, do. 2, 2½, 2¾ inch.

Copper Boat Nails, assorted sizes.

A supply of the above description of Nails always on hand, and for sale at very low prices, wholesale or retail.

Purchasers of Nails will find it much to their advantage to call and inspect for themselves.

June, 1839.