The Maritime Bank of the Dominion of Canada.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Maritime Bank of the Dominion of Canada will apply at the next Session of the Parliament of Canada for an Act to confirm, ratify and legalize the recent allotment of 3,140 Shares of increased Capital Stock of the said Bank; also to reduce the Capital Stock of the said Bank, inclusive of such increased Shares, to \$400,000, to consist of 4,000 Shares of \$100 each, and otherwise to amend the Acts incorporating and affecting the said Bank, and for other purposes.—Dated the 18th day of December, A. D. 1883.

THOS. MACLELLAN, President.

PUBLIC NOTICE.

In the matter of Walter J. Roberts, an absconding or concealed debtor.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a General Meeting of the Creditors of the said Walter J. Roberts, to examine and pass the Accounts against the said Estate, will be held on Saturday the twenty second day of March, A. D. 1884, at two o'clock in the afternoon, at the Office of W. Hazen Chapman in Dorchester, in the County of Westmorland.

Dated December the 17th, A. D. 1883.

WILLIAM COCHRAN, S. EDGAR WILSON, W. HAZEN CHAPMAN,

In the County Court of King's County.

NOTICE is hereby given, that upon the application of Francis Forge, I have directed all the Estate, as well real as personal, of W. Douglas Blair, in the Parish of Sussex, in King's County, an absent debtor, to be seized; and unless he return and discharge his debts within three months after publication hereof, such estate will be sold for the payment thereof. Dated the 26th day of November, A. D. 1883.

WM. WEDDERBURN, J. C. C. MORTON & M'LEOD, Solicitors for Petitioning Creditor.

To John Murray, of the Parish of Stanley, in the County of York, Farmer, and Isabella his Wife, and all others whom it may concern:

NOTICE is hereby given, that under and by virtue of a Power of Sale contained in a certain Indenture of Mortgage bearing date the thirtieth day of July in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and seventy seven, and made between John Sand eight hundred and seventy seven, and made between John Murray, of the Parish of Stanley, in the County of York, Farm-er, and Isabella his Wife, of the one part, and the undersigned Charles D. O. Currie, of the Parish of Maugerville, in the County of Sunbury, Esquire, of the other part, which Mortgage is re-corded in the York County Becords, in Book 11.9, pages 699 corded in the York County Records, in Book H 3, pages 623, 624 and 625, there will, for the purpose of satisfying the moneys secured by the said Mortgage, default having been made in pay-ment of the Principal and Interest secured by the said Mortgage, be sold at Public Auction, at the Weigh Scales in front of the New County Court House in Fredericton, on Wednesday the fifth day of March next, at twelve o'clock, noon, the Lands and Premises mentioned in the said Indenture of Mortgage as follows :-All that tract, piece or parcel of Land situate, lying and being on the east side of the River Nashwaak, below Stanley Bridge, in the Parish of Stanley, in the County of York and Province of New Brunswick, beginning at a cedar tree growing on the bank of the River Nashwaak on the northwest corner of the line separating this lot from lot number nine owned by the late John Murray, thence running by the magnet north eighty two degrees east one hundred and eighteen chains of four poles each to a stake standing on the westerly slde of a reserved road, thence along the same south forty three degrees east twelve chains, thence south eighty two degrees west one hundred and nineteen chains to a marked birch tree standing on the bank of nineteen chains to a marked birch tree standing on the bank of said River, thence along the bank of said River to place of be-ginning, containing one hundred and ten acres more or less, known as Lot Number Ten. Also, all that tract, piece or par-cel of Land situate, lying and being on the said east side of the River Nashwaak below Stanley Bridge, in the Parish of Saint Mary's, in the County of York and Province of New Brunswick aforecaid hoginning at a menle tree growing on the bank of aforesaid, beginning at a maple tree growing on the bank of the River Nashwaak aforesaid on the northwest corner of the line separating this lot from lot number eight occupied by and agreed to be sold to one John Campbell, thence running by the magnet (along the said divisional line) of the year one thousand eight hundred and fifty seven north eighty one degrees east one hundred and twenty eight chains of four poles each to a stake, thence south forty three degrees east twelve chains to a stake, thence south eighty one degrees west one hundred and eighteen chains to a stake placed on the bank of the River, thence along the banks of the River to the place of beginning, containing one hundred and nineteen acres more or less, and being known and distinguished as Lot Number Nine, and being part of the territory belonging to the New Brunswick and Nova Scotia Land Company; together with all and singular the buildings thereon, and the privileges to the same belonging. Dated this 14th day of December, A. D. 1883.

CHAS. D. O. CURRIE, Mortgagee.

WETMORE & WINSLOW, Sols. for Mortgagee.

Rules and Practice of the House of Assembly

PRIVATE BILLS.

185. No Bill of a private nature shall be received by this House after the twentieth day from the opening of the Session, both inclusive, and that the Clerk of this House do cause this Rule to be published in the Royal Gazette weekly during each recess of the Legislature; and this Rule shall not be suspended except in the same manner as a Joint Rule of this House and the Legislative Council is suspended. 186. (Joint Rule.)—No Bill of a private nature, or Bill for

186. (Joint Rule.)—No Bill of a private nature, or Bill for making any amendments of a like nature to any former Act, shall be received by the House, unless a notice specifying the several objects desired to be attained, has been published four successive weeks previous to the meeting of the Legislature or to the introduction of the Bill, in some one of the Newspapers published in the City or County interested in or to be affected by the measure, or in the locality where the parties affected or the majority of them reside.

by the measure, or in the locality interested in or to be affected the majority of them reside. 187. When no Newspaper is published in either of such localities, then in some Newspaper published in the nearest adjoining County; and when no Newspaper is published therein, then in the Royal Gazette.

188. When the City or County interested in the measure, or the locality in which the parties affected reside, is largely composed of a French population, then such notice shall also be published in a French Newspaper, if any be published in the Province.

189. In any County where no Newspaper may be published, the Bill, in lieu of other local notice or publication, may be read at the Assizes, in the presence of the Grand Jury, or before the Council of an Incorporated Town, or before the Municipal Council of the County, interested in or affected by the Bill; and a certificate of such reading shall be endorsed upon or attached to the said Bill, by the Clerk of the Court, or the Town Clerk, or the Secretary-Treasurer, as the case may be, verified by the Seal, if any, of and in case of the Town Council or Municipal Council, as the case may be; and (*Joint Rule*) separate Fetitions must be presented to each Branch of the Legislature, setting forth in detail the object of the measure and the measure that may be urged for its adoption.

reasons that may be urged for its adoption. 190. (Joint Rule.)—It shall be the duty of all parties seeking the interference of the Legislature in any Private Bill, to file with the Clerk of each House the evidence of their having complied with the Rules and Standing Orders thereof.

191. In default of such proof, or evidence, being so furnished, it shall be the duty of the Clerk to report to Mr. Speaker or the House that the Rules and Standing Orders have not been complied with, and to endorse the same upon the Bill.

GEO. J. BLISS, Clerk Assembly.

Joint Rules of Council and Assembly.

1. That no Bill of a private or local nature, or Bill for making any amendments of a like nature to any former Act, shall be received by the House, unless a notice specifying the several objects desired to be attained, has been published four successive weeks, previous to the meeting of the Legislature or to the introduction of the Bill, in some one of the Newspapers published in the City or County interested in the measure, or in the locality where the parties affected reside; and when no Newspaper is published in either of such localities, then in some Newspaper published in the nearest adjoining County, or in the Royal Gazette; provided that when the City or County interested in the measure, or where the locality in which the parties affected reside, is largely composed of a French population, then such notice shall also be published in a French Newspaper, if any be published in the Province; and provided also, that in any County where no Newspaper may be published, that such Bill, in lieu of other local notice or publication, may be read at the Assizes, or at some General Sessions of the County, or City and County interested in such Bill, in the presence of the Grand Jury, or in Incorporated Counties before the County Council, and a certificate be endorsed thereon by the Clerk of the Court or the Secretary-Treasurer, as the case may be, that the same has been so read.

2. That separate Petitions be presented to each Branch of the Legislature, setting forth in detail the object of the measure, and the reasons that may be urged for its adoption.

3. No Bill of a private nature shall be received unless it shall be certified by the Receiver General that there has been paid into his hands, towards the printing and other contingent expenses of the House, the sum of *Thirty Dollars*, except in case of a Bill in amendment of or in addition to an Act, when there shall be paid the sum of *Twenty Dollars*; provided that where a Bill, in respect of which such payment may be made, does not pass the Legislature, it may be introduced without further payment at the next Session; and provided that this Ruie shall not extend to "Local Acts."

4. It shall be the duty of all parties seeking the interference of the Legislature in any Private or Local Bill, to file with the Clerk of each House the evidence of their having complied with the Rules and Standing Orders thereof; and in default of such proof being so furnished, it shall be the duty of the Clerk to report that the Rules and Standing Orders have not been complied with, and to endorse the same upon the Bill.

GEO. BOTSFORD, Clerk Leg. Council. GEO. J. BLISS, Clerk Assembly.