

former accounts, regarding the charge of his commission, by which it appears that he has been in the habit of charging commission only on the sums of money paid by him and not on the amount collected, and the Committee having examined his former accounts, find that statement to be correct; the balance in his hands as per his account 31st December, 1827, was therefore 181 : 14 : 9, instead of 221 : 17 : 7, as reported by the Committee of last Session. Mr. Kiellor charges in this account the sum of 15*l*, paid to the Administrators of Joshua Weatherhead. For this charge there is no voucher.

He also charges a commission of 10 per cent, on 48*l* : 3 : 1, being the amount of duties collected under the Act of 6 Geo. 4, cap. 114, by the Collector of the Customs at Dorchester last September, and paid to the Deputy Treasurer, which is of course incorrect. The true state of his account will stand thus.

Treasurer Dr.	Balance due the Province 31st December, 1827,	18 : 14 : 9
	Amount of Ordinary duties collected up to 20th October, 1828,	48 : 7 : 4½
	Amount received from the Collector of the Customs as above stated,	48 : 3 : 1
		115 : 8 : 2½
Cr.	By Commission on the above sums of	18 : 14 : 9
	And	48 : 7 : 4½
		67 : 2 : 1½
		6 : 14 : 14

Balance due the Province,

£108 : 11 : 14

It appears by the account current of R. Simonds, Esq., the present Province Treasurer, that this Officer has remitted to the said Province Treasurer, between the 10th October, and 31st December, the sum of 488 : 14 : 11½.

No. 28. Is the account current of the Deputy Treasurer at Miramichi with the Province Treasurer, shewing a balance in his hands in Bonds and Cash, on the 20th of October, 1828, of 2,118*l* : 4 : 7.

He credits Commission charged on money received from the Collector of Customs in 1827, 1*l* : 12 : 3½. Which your Committee suppose to be an account of a difference of 21*l* : 1 : 9, pointed out last Session against the Sub-Collector of Miramichi. Also difference on dollars received at 5*s* and paid at 5*s* 4*d* in 1827, 34*l* : 8 : 11½. And difference in 106*l* : 5 : 3½ Sterling, received from the Collector of Customs in dollars at 4*s* 4*d* Sterling, 4*l* : 10 : 10.

No. 29. Is a particular account of the Ordinary Provincial Duties collected at Miramichi between the 31st December, 1827, and the 20th October, 1828, amounting to 3,273*l* : 13 : 11½.

Also a statement of the amount received from the Sub-Collector of the Customs there, in part of Duties collected by him under the Acts of Parliament, amounting to 745*l* : 9 : 4 Sterling.

823*l* : 5 : 11

4,101*l* : 19 : 10½

300*l*

From which he deducts the amount of Salary,

3,801*l* : 19 : 10½

No account from the Sub-Collector of the Customs at Miramichi of the amount of Duties collected by him in 1828, under the Acts of Parliament, accompanies this statement.

No. 30. Is a note of Discounts allowed for prompt payment of Duties at Miramichi in 1828, amounting to 10*l* : 3 : 7½.

No. 31. Is a list of Bonds in the Treasury at Miramichi on the 1st November, 1828, amounting to 1,892*l* : 18 : 5½.

No. 32. Is an account of Duties collected at Miramichi for the relief of sick and disabled Seamen, from the 1st December, 1827, to the 20th October, 1828, inclusive, amounting to 635*l* : 16.

No. 33. Is an account current of the Deputy Treasurer at Miramichi with the Province Treasurer, on account of the Fund for the support of sick and disabled Seamen, shewing a balance in his hands on the 20th October, 1828, amounting to 201*l* : 2 : 8.

No. 34. Is the account current of J. W. Weldon, Deputy Treasurer at Liverpool, shewing a balance in his hands on the 20th October, 1828, in Bonds and Cash, amounting to £611 : 11 : 6½.

In this account Mr. Weldon credits an error in last year's account in Commission upon Duties received from Sub-Collector of Customs there, of £1 : 7 : 9.

No. 35. Is a particular account of the Ordinary Provincial Duties collected at Liverpool between the 1st January, 1828, and the 20th October, 1828, amounting to 503 : 3 : 3

50 : 6 : 4

From which the Deputy Treasurer deducts Commission 10 per Cent,

£452 : 16 : 11

Accompanying this account there is a statement of money received from the Sub-Collector of Customs at Liverpool, in part of Duties collected by him at that Port in 1828, under the Acts of Parliament, amounting to £144 : 10 : 7½.

In which statement there is an error of 20*s*. in favor of the Province.

It does not appear that the late Deputy Treasurer, B. M. Goldsmith, Esquire, has paid over or accounted for any part of the balance of £653 : 10 : 3½, reported to be due the Province by him by the Committee of last year, neither does he appear to have accounted for the balance of £103 : 5 : 10, also reported to have been due to the Fund for the relief of sick and disabled Seamen.

No. 36. Is the account current of the Deputy Treasurer at Chediac between the 1st January and 20th October, 1828, shewing a balance in his hands at that date of £116 : 10 : 11. Accompanying this is an account of the Ordinary Duties collected and secured at Chediac, amounting to £49 : 6 : 4. He gives no list of Bonds.

The Committee do not find any returns of Duties on Goods sold at Auction throughout the Province, during the last year; and they recommend that the Treasurer, as well as the Deputy Treasurers, be directed to call on the Auctioneers, in their respective Districts, and to require them to furnish a Statement of the amount of Duties on Goods sold by them at Auction, respectively, and not previously accounted for.

All the foregoing Accounts appear to be correct, except where particularly noticed in this Report.

All which is respectively submitted to this Honorable House.

ALL Persons indebted to the SAINT GEORGE Steam Boat, are requested to make immediate payment to the Subscriber, who is now directed by the Proprietors of said Boat to place all unsettled Notes and Accounts in the hands of an Attorney to collect.

JAMES SEGEE.

Fredericton, April 8, 1828.

ALL Persons are hereby cautioned against purchasing a Note of Hand, drawn by the subscriber, in favour of Christie, and endorsed to Stephen Cameron.—Said note is dated in February, 1824, and payable the 10th day of June following, which conditions have been complied with.

JONATHAN HARDING.

Maugerville, Dec. 15, 1828.

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** MR. B. would take an Apprentice—or would devote a portion of his time to the instruction (in the preliminary branches of a Medical Education,) of any young gentleman so destined.

Shop the late Mr. Kendall's.

Europe.

LONDON, Nov. 18.

SIERRA LEONE.—Death of Governor Lumley. —Another victim—another Governor, and several of his suite, have perished in that infamous swamp of pestilence and iniquity. We have before us a letter, dated Sierra Leone, Aug. 12: Lieutenant-Governor Lumley is dead, so is Ensign Gordon of his staff, and the Governor's white servant is not expected to recover! The Governor and his whole staff were struck down by the pestilence at one fell swoop. Brigade Major Frazer and Lieutenant M'Lean have recovered. A relation of the late Granville Sharp had come out as pay-master. Horrified at what he saw, and trembling for his life, he, in two days after landing, insisted on being sent back to England. Dr. Clark and Dr. Foulis are both laid up. The mortality even amongst the black inhabitants, says the letter, is 'frightful!' The burial grounds are evening and morning, filled with victims! Need we add more? We have not revealed all the horror, but, amidst death, we cannot dwell on iniquity.—*Glasgow Courier*.

His Majesty's ship *Alligator*, has arrived from Madeira, with the remains of the late Capt. CANNING. By this conveyance, we have accounts to the 29th ult. inclusive. The island remains in a very convulsed state: the number of Portuguese thrown in prison is great, and still increasing.

December 8.

We rejoice to say again what we made known some months ago—viz., that we have the very strongest reason for attributing to the Duke of Wellington a fixed determination to introduce a bill for the relief of the Catholics in the ensuing session. We have, further, sufficient ground for believing, that an active negotiation is now in progress between the Duke of Wellington and Mr. Peel, with a view to arrange whatever difference may have resulted from their opposite, or, at least, separate feelings, towards a question upon which the sentiments of the highest personage in the realm are now in accordance with those of his first Minister.—*Times*

A rumour is in circulation, which we give as we have received it, by no means vouching for its accuracy, but, on the other hand, with a knowledge that it has been for some days prevalent in well informed circles. It is this—that within the last fortnight or three weeks a difference of opinion arose, relative to a proposed parliamentary arrangement of the Catholic question, between the Duke of Wellington and Mr. Peel, which though it embraced no feeling on either side calculated to lead to personal disunion, was such as induced the latter to offer to resign, rather than be an obstacle in the way of his Grace's measures. The Duke is represented to have urged that, rather than the country should lose the services of Mr. Peel, he would himself give way, and return to his former station as Commander-in-Chief. The rumour we allude to goes on to state that, with a view to this latter arrangement, Lord Sidmouth was proposed to succeed the Duke at the head of the Administration; and that this accounts for the intercourse which has undoubtedly been going on of late between the Duke of Wellington and that nobleman. It is added, however, that the difference in question was afterwards accommodated, and that there only remains now the long vacant office of Privy Seal to fill up.—*Morning Paper*.

WINDSON, Friday.—Yesterday afternoon at half past two o'clock, the King, accompanied by the Lord Steward, and the Earl of Fife, as Lord in Waiting, left the Royal Lodge in a close carriage and proceeded to the Castle, where his Majesty passed nearly two hours, when he left and returned to the Royal Lodge, and at the usual hour, honoured his distinguished attendants with his company to dinner. This day his Majesty again visited the Castle; and on Monday next it is expected that he will commence residing there. His Majesty enjoys excellent health.

His Majesty will in a few days hold a grand Council at Windsor Castle, we believe on Friday, or Monday the 25th instant; when, we have the best reason to believe, the office of the Lord Privy Seal will be filled, and the Administration of the illustrious Premier be strengthened by the addition of several experienced and popular personages, amongst them that estimable nobleman, Viscount Sidmouth.—*Berkshire Chronicle*.

Death of the Earl of Liverpool.—This amiable Nobleman, who so long filled a conspicuous place in the Government of this country, departed this life yesterday morning at his seat at Coombe Wood, where His Lordship had been staying ever since his removal from town after his first dangerous illness. His Lordship had been in the usual state of health for some days previous, without any symptoms calculated to excite apprehension having appeared, and had breakfast as usual yesterday morning, when about half-past nine o'clock the Noble Earl was attacked with convulsions and spasms; a messenger was immediately despatched to Mr. Sandford, one of His Lordship's medical attendants, who resides