

COMMERCIAL.

COUNTRY MARKET. St. John, Feb. 2, 1848.

Everything scarce except Beef; travelling extremely bad, and but few arrivals from the country.

Saint John Wholesale Prices Current.

Corrected Weekly, by the Chamber of Commerce.

SAINT JOHN, WEDNESDAY, Feb. 2.

Table of market prices for various goods including Anchors, Bacon, Barley, Bread, Beef, Butter, Candles, Coal, Coffee, Cordage, Cotton, Copper, Composition Nails, Dyewood, Flour, Fish, Fruit, Hay, Iron, Indigo, Lumber, Molasses, Oils, Pork, Rice, Salt, Soap, Sugar, Tar, Timber, and Feas.

FOUND. A NOTE OF HAND drawn by J. Alexander, in favour of F. S. Nickeron, for a sum exceeding twenty pounds, and payable to-day.

NOTICES.

Many of our readers are aware that the Rev. A. D. Thompson has been confined for several months by severe sickness, and that his recovery for some time was considered quite doubtful.

QUARTERLY MEETING FOR CHARLOTTE COUNTY. The regular Quarterly Meeting for Charlotte County, will be held within the 1st Baptist Church in St. George, to commence Friday morning, Feb. 11th.

HYMENIAL.

At Indiantown, on Thursday last, by the Rev. Sampson Busby, Mr. Stephen H. Fowler, of Westfield, King's County, to Mary Jane, second daughter of Mr. Solomon Miller, of Yarmouth, N. S.

OBITUARY.

At St. Martins, on the 27th ult., Isabella Agnes, youngest daughter of Abel and Abigail Washburn, aged 3 years and 3 months. This was a child of uncommon intelligence for her years.

On Saturday night last, Robert Ray, Esq., in the 61st year of his age. He was highly esteemed by his numerous friends, by whom his death will be deeply lamented.

On Saturday evening last, Mary B., wife of Capt. Hugh Chisholm, and daughter of John Greighton, Esq., of Lunenburg, N. S., aged 24 years.

On Monday morning, after a short illness, aged 76 years, Mrs. Martha, relict of the late Mr. Shaderack Chase.

On Friday, after a short but painful illness, Miss Louisa, eldest daughter of Mr. Wm. Davies, formerly of the parish of Burton, in the 20th year of her age.

Suddenly, on Friday morning, in the 27th year of her age, Elena, wife of Mr. Daniel Doyle, leaving a husband and three children to mourn their bereavement.

On Thursday the 27th inst., in the 22d year of his age, Mr. John McLaughlin, a native of Carndonagh, County of Donegall, Ireland, leaving two Brothers and one sister to mourn the loss of a kind and affectionate Brother.

On Thursday morning, of Consumption, Clarissa, daughter of Mr. Daniel Crawford, of Kingston, aged 23 years.

On the 24th inst. Sarah S. Hippisley, youngest daughter of Capt. Edward Hippisley, of this city, aged 15 months.

MARINE JOURNAL.

PORT OF SAINT JOHN, N. B.

Table of arrivals and departures for the Port of Saint John, N. B., listing ship names, agents, and dates.

25th—Lady Caroline, Hodge, Waterford, timber and deals—R. Rankin & Co.; Schr. Yarmouth Packet, Kelly, Trinidad, fish—Chas. McLaughlin.

Arrived at New York, Jan. 25, ship Tuskar, Chapman, 42 days from Liverpool, and 34 from Waterford.

Packet ship Baltimore, from Dover, arrived at New York, 26th ult., spoke on the 13th, lat. 47, 55, long. 44 20, brig Albert, from Bristol, for this port.

Arrived at Boston, 26th ult., schr. Peruvian, Fleming, hence.

Arrived at New-York, Jan. 21st, ship India, Gray, (late Thomson), 57 days from Liverpool.

At Portland, Jan. 20, schr. Olive Branch, hence. Passed 20th, off Barnegat, a British Barque with loss of mizen mast.

ARRIVALS IN EUROPE FROM ST. JOHN, N. B. —Dec. 30, John Hutchins, Penarth Roads; 31, Liddell, Deal; Sarah Rawes, Whitehaven; John, Cardiff; Jan. 1, Emma, Dover; 2, Venus, Gravesend; Alert, Waterford; 3, Jenny Lind, Lisbon; Argyle, Gravesend, (Brown); Argyle, Hull; 6, Favourite, Southwold; 9, David Cannon, Gravesend; 10, Perseverance, Gloucester; 6, Henry, Arryl Bay; 5, Emma, Leven; 9, China, Liverpool; 7, Lucy, Cork; 10, Liverpool, Gravesend; 5, Margaret, Kingstown; Moodkee, Wexford; 9, Favourite, Hull; 10, Rolus, Fal-mouth; 11, John, Bristol; 10, Wolfville, Belfast; 11, Plymouth, Penzance; 1, Johanna, Longhope.

SAILINGS FROM EUROPE FOR ST. JOHN, N. B. —Dec. 31, Cranston, Deal; Jan. 3, Argo, Deal; 4, David, Liverpool; 5, Conquest, Hull; 9, Belmont, Bristol; 8, Snowden, the Clyde; 11, Sophia, Gravesend; 9, Bethel, Cork.

Sailed for New Orleans, Jan. 4, Orbit, from Liverpool; Swan, Deal; 6th, Sir Charles Napier, do.

For New York, 8th, Unicorn, from Liverpool; 11th, Emigrant, from Cork.

For Savannah, 4th, Jane, from Liverpool; 6th, Evergreen, from Deal; 12th, Juno, do.

Cleared at Liverpool, Themis, from New Orleans.

Jan. 7.—The Perseverance arrived in King-road, from St. John, N. B., for Gloucester, with loss of boats, &c.

Barrow, I. W., Jan. 9.—The Llan Ruaney, from St. John, N. B., went on shore on the Ship Ledge 30th ult. has parted, and the sides with most of her cargo almost to nigh water mark; if the weather remains fine, the greater part of her cargo will be saved.

COWES, Jan. 1.—The Mary Caroline, of and for St. John, N. B., from Hull, was assisted in here to-day, with loss of bowsprit, foretopmast, sails, outwater, &c., having been in contact with the Mary Isabella, Alexander, from Cardiff to London, which vessel lost mainmast by the board, had larboard side stove in, and was abandoned in a sinking state: crew saved.

NOTICE.

A QUARTERLY MEETING will be held with the Baptist Church in Amherst, to commence on Saturday, 11th of March next, at 3 o'clock, P. M. Ministering brethren and others in the northern and eastern parts of the Province, and in the adjoining parts of New Brunswick, are urgently requested to attend.

By order of the Baptist Church, WILLIAM LOGAN, Clerk. Amherst, January 22, 1848.

NEW BRUNSWICK BENEFIT BUILDING SOCIETY and Saving's Fund.

THE Second Monthly Subscription Meeting of this Society will be held at the Office of the Society, Prince William Street, St. John, on Monday the 7th day of February next, between the hours of 5 and 9 o'clock in the evening.

By order, CHAS. L. STREET, Secretary and Treasurer. St. John, Jan. 25, 1848.

Great Reduction of Prices at the PANTECHNETHECA!

Until the end of the Month. A CANADA COAT, usually sold for 45s, now charged TWENTY-FIVE shillings. A Brown Beaver COAT, Velvet Collar and Cuffs 50s., now charged THIRTY shillings.

MOURNING.

This melancholy, yet necessary appendage of bereavement, has been made almost exclusive, by the enormous prices heretofore charged, and the great uncertainty and trouble of getting clothes made, in proper time.

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NEW BRUNSWICK BENEFIT BUILDING SOCIETY and Saving's Fund. FIRST LOAN MEETING.

THE First Loan Meeting will take place at the Mechanic's Institute on Thursday, the 10th day of February next, at 8 o'clock, p. m.

The Funds of the Society will be advanced by ballot. Applications for advances can be made on and after the 25th instant, (the forms supplied gratis), at the Office of the Society.

New members can be admitted at any time on payment of the back Subscriptions.

By order, CHAS. L. STREET, Secretary and Treasurer. St. John, Jan. 25, 1848.

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Under 10 years, 10s. Tuition each Term. Between 10 and 14, 15s. " " " " Above 14 years, 20s. " " " "

Fuel, 2s. 6d. each, Spring, Winter, & Autumn term. Accommodation for Students in the Seminary at the rate of 8s. 6d. per week.

C. SPURDEN, Principal. Fredericton, Dec. 30, 1847.

READ'S HOTEL.

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Good Stabling, and an experienced Hostler always in attendance. JOSEPH READ.

P. S.—The above establishment is conducted on strictly Temperance principles. J. R. St. John, December 29, 1847.

TEMPERANCE HOTEL.

KING STREET, SAINT JOHN, N. B. THE Subscriber, having resumed the Business at his Old Stand, known as REED'S HOTEL, begs to inform the Public that he is prepared to receive Permanent and Transient BOARDERS; and assures them that no pains will be spared, on his part, to render the above Establishment worthy of patronage, and respectfully solicits a share of the same.

JAMES E. McDONALD. N. B.—Horses and Sleighs always on hand for Hire. Jan. 4.

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Gaiter Bottoms made to fit the Foot without Straps. An excellent plan for those who wear Galoches. (From Peel's Paris and London Fall and Winter Fashions.)

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