do every thing in its power to discountenance gambling in any way. He hoped the Petition would not be received.

Mr. Cunard expressed energetically similar sentiments; and hoped, as the Petition had been called a "*novel*" one, that the decision of the house would make it a "*singular*" one.

Mr. Weldon said it was merely a petition, not a bill. He had no objection to receive it, and let it lie on the table. It could do no harm there. When the bill should be brought in, objections might be argued.

Mr. Dow thought, that if it was suffered to lie on the table, the house would never hear any more about it.

Mr. S. Humbert hoped it would on no account be received. He strongly protested against it. The laws against gambling must be strictly enforced.

Mr. Wyer had no objection to receiving the petition; but observed, that the House in fact could not pass an act to authorize the disposal of the lands in question, as the petitioner had really disposed of them long ago. It was therefore not in the power of the House to do it.

Mr. Brown thought it of no use to receive the petition, as any such bill as that which it prayed for, would assuredly be thrown out.—He, however, bore testimony to the worthiness and integrity of the petitioner's character.—The petition was rejected.

EXTRACTS FROM THE JOURNALS.

Thursday, February 24.

Mr. Partelow, by leave, presented a Petition from John Kerr, and others, licensed Auctioneers, in the City of St. John, praying an amendment in the Act for the regulation of Sales by Auction, may be repealed, and other enactments made in lieu thereof; which he read,—*Ordered*, That the said Petition be received.

Mr. S. Humbert, by leave, presented a Petition from John Stevens, of South Bay, in the Parish of Lancaster, in the County of St. John, praying aid towards erecting an Oat Mill at that place; which he read—*Ordered*, That the said Petition be received, and referred to the Committee of Supply.

Mr. Partelow, by leave, presented a Petition from Patrick Keleher and Moses S. Johnson, of St. Andrews, praying for pecuniary aid, to enable them to continue to run a good and sufficient Stage between St. John and St. Andrews; which he read.—*Ordered*, That the said Petition be received, and referred to the Committee of Supply.

"*Message to the House of Assembly, Feb. 25th.*"

"The President informs the House of Assembly, that in pursuance of an appropriation of the Legislature, made in 1827, of £200, for the purpose of having the proper lines surveyed and marked out between the County of St. John and King's County, and also between King's County and the County of Westmorland, and also between King's County and Queen's County, he issued orders for proceeding with the service; and he now directs to be laid before the House, the Report of the Commissioner and Surveyor General of Crown Lands on that subject, and a plan accompanying the same. "W. B."

Mr. Bliss, Master in Chancery, informed the House, that the Council had agreed to the joint Address to His Majesty, of congratulation on His accession to the Throne, and of condolence on the death of His late Majesty King George the Fourth; and they had appointed Mr. Hurd a Committee, with such Committee as the House may appoint, to wait upon His Honor the President, and request he will be pleased to transmit the same to be laid before His Majesty.

[The following is a copy of the Address alluded to:—]

"TO THE KING'S MOST EXCELLENT MAJESTY.

The Humble and Dutiful Address of His Majesty's Council and House of Assembly of the Province of New-Brunswick, in General Assembly.

May it please Your Majesty.

"HAVING had laid before us the official communications, announcing the demise of the Crown, by the death of His late Majesty George the Fourth, we hasten, in cordial union, to express the grateful remembrance we entertain of the glory which our Mother Country acquired during his able Government, and the deep feelings of regret which we experience at the death of a Sovereign, under whose dominion Great Britain has seen her glorious Constitution duly preserved, accumulated honors placed on the brows of her Warriors, and England made a prominent example to the world, by supporting every institution calculated to bestow happiness on the people, whose fortunate destinies made them subjects of that highly favoured realm.

"To Your Majesty we turn with unbounded confidence and full hope; and we perceive with heart-felt satisfaction the sceptre of the United Kingdom swayed by the hand of another Son of the revered Monarch, under whose paternal auspices this Province was erected.

"We beg leave to approach your Majesty, with our congratulations on your accession to the Imperial Throne of your Ancestors; and we cherish the happiest anticipations from your Majesty's having, while devoting yourself to the service of your Country in the British Navy, personally visited your North American Colonies, and being thereby enabled to estimate their commercial importance and unswerving loyalty.

"We ask permission to reiterate the expression of that attachment to your Majesty's Family, and the British Constitution, which led our fathers to this land; and it is to us a source of great joy to see a Queen of England sharing your Majesty's Throne whose amiable character, and eminently laudable example, in her exalted station, must exercise a most salutary influence throughout the Nation.

"Heartily and devoutly we pray the Almighty Disposer of events, to shed His eternal blessings and temporal protection on your Sacred Majesty, to look with gracious favour upon all your undertakings, and to spare to your faithful people, and more especially during a period of such portentous aspect as the present, your Majesty's invaluable life."

Monday, February 28.—Mr. Simonds moved for leave to bring in a Bill, to incorporate sundry persons by the name of the Saint John Fire Insurance Company.—Leave granted.

Mr. Simonds moved for leave to bring in a Bill, for the establishment, regulation and improvement of the Great Roads of communication through the Province, and to repeal all the laws now in force relating thereto.—Leave granted,—The said Bill being brought in, was read a first time.

COMMUNICATIONS.

MR. CHUBB,—

I wish through the medium of your respectable paper to address a few lines to the Public in general, and to my creditors in particular.

I lately observed an advertisement in the Courier, purporting to be a Sheriff's Sale of certain Real Estate belonging to me, and taken on execution at the instance of Ralph M. Jarvis.—The perusal of which advertisement really astonished me, and is the present cause of this exposition, and explanation—which I consider myself in duty bound to for the satisfaction and information of my just creditors.

The Plaintiff, R. M. Jarvis, and myself have done business to the amount of several hundred pounds for Goods purchased, for which I assert he received honorable payments.—When the sudden and unexpected depression and stagnation in business took place, I, among the unfortunate many, became indebted in a small balance of about £40 to Mr. Jarvis, for which I gave my obligation,—and in the Month of December, 1829, I paid Mr. Jarvis £25 cash, on an express condition and pledge that I should not be harrassed or oppressed with any litigation from him.—Placing every confidence in Mr. Jarvis' pledge, (as I would on the word of any man) I remained perfectly satisfied, and assure the public that I was never more astonished than when I perused the advertisement alluded to.

I now beg to state my motives for thus addressing the Public.—Having understood that my creditors are impressed with an idea that the amount due Mr. Jarvis is to some extent, I therefore deem it my duty as well as justice to my creditors, to state for their information that the balance due by me to Mr. Jarvis, is simply about twenty pounds, for which he obtained (after pledging his word to the contrary,) judgment by default, and for this amount has attached my real estate. From this brief statement my just creditors will be aware of the sum due Ralph M. Jarvis, Esq. and also of the particular circumstances attending the case, and I leave it impartially for their consideration.

At the same time I beg to state to my creditors that I am making every exertion for their benefit, and have a fair prospect of soon coming to arrangements to their satisfaction, and assure them it has been by the usage and treatment of such persons that I have been placed in my present disagreeable situation, as it is and ever has been my earnest study to do justice to my creditors.

I am, Your's, &c.

February 26. JOHN BAIRD.

MR. CHUBB,—

Sir.—The spirit of improvement throughout the Province of New-Brunswick, nowhere claims our attention more than on the Stage line from St. John to St. Andrews. The rapid improvement within the last few years, is almost without precedent in the history of this Province. The recent establishment of the Mail Stage, has given new impulse to settlers, and they have at this moment got as many as a dozen houses of entertainment for the comfort of the traveller, which are conducted, many of them, in a manner highly creditable to the proprietors, under the peculiar circumstances attending their location. The soil in general is strong and tolerably productive, but the vast quantity of rocky and barren land, together with its irregular make, renders it difficult to find sufficient in one body to farm to advantage, except in Musquash, where there are many very fine farms, cutting abundance of hay, and having a proportionate quantity of arable land. Pasture lands abound in almost every part, where the axe and the fire have made way for the sun. It is remarkable that on this whole line there is not a single grove of hard wood, as in other parts of the Province, though in general on the sea-board there is a large proportion of soft wood, which extends in some instances half a mile, and in others a greater distance; but on this route, the eye occasionally catches a glance of distant hills, some three or four leagues in the interior, and no trace is discovered of any but soft wood.

The inauspicious appearance of the Country in general, establishes the fact beyond a doubt, that the principal part of the persons who have located on this sterile tract of the Province, have done so with little other inducement than the prospect of travelling becoming general on this road—with an eye, at the same time, directed to the spirited Representatives in our General Assembly, who have this Session convened with weighty and important promises fresh on their memory—having been so recently pledged to their constituents to promote their interest as well as that of the Province in general. This is not to be accomplished by their presence at this convention—it is not looked for from saying and not doing—*ignorantia facti excusat* not the Member for negligence or omitting to do any thing useful and necessary, except under peculiar circumstances. The candidate it is presumed is *idoneus homo*; this honor is conferred upon the person—and a distinguished honor it is; they ask not gold and silver in return, but they demand a faithful, zealous, and unremitting discharge of the obligations he voluntarily takes upon him, and the protestations of good faith not to be severed.

One of the first and greatest considerations for the general benefit of this Province, is the improvement of the Great Roads throughout. Although I am aware some will differ with me in opinion; yet I know such difference will be confined to persons who have not seen other countries and the march of improvement therein, whose minds and judgments are circumscribed, and who consider it a useless expenditure of time to arrange causes and effects.

The facilities extended to the Agriculturist by good roads, is a primary and leading cause for strenuous efforts in his pursuits. This is a consideration of the first importance; for, if we only advert to one circumstance, we can prove to a demonstration, that the wealth and independence of any country is in no possible manner secured, except by cultivating the soil. The one flagrant instance I allude to, is the decline of the once flourishing kingdom of Spain, whose dominions extended from land to land and from sea to sea; we see her at one time in possession of more wealth than any four divisions of Europe beside; her subjects were maddened and intoxicated with the prospect of eternal ease, of never-failing funds;—But where are they? What was the result of such inconsistencies? *Mirabile dictu!*—They are humbled and in poverty; they neglected the cultivation of the soil—they fostered the pursuit to other neighbouring countries, and threw wealth into the hands of their enemies.

(*To be continued.*) W.

Mr. CHUBB.—I am glad to find that *Brother M'Leod* in his last paper tacitly (at least) acknowledges the inconsistency of the late arrangement at our Missionary Meeting; for until he can prove that Episcopalians solicit members of the Methodist persuasion to preside at their religious institutions the inconsistency must be on our side.

He tells us, it frequently occurs in England,—but what?—not that Churchmen solicit men differing in opinion from their own Establishment; but that our Brother Methodists are in the habit there also, of requesting men out of their own pale to preside at their Missionary or other institutions. Thus you will perceive Mr. Chubb, that his own statements militate against him.

I hope he will not again make such a sweeping assertion as appeared in his last Gazette, viz.—"We are confident that the writer in the Courier is not a Wesleyan Methodist," as such an assertion may possibly be proved erroneous. The enquiry that was made at our Meeting house on Sabbath evening last respecting the author, certainly failed in its effect; nor could the conclusion warrant our Brother Editor in his assertion.

A WESLEYAN METHODIST.

CONUNDRUMS.

Which County has done most to *enlighten* the present House of Assembly?—Westmorland, it sent them a *Chandler*.

Why is the present House of Assembly, wiser than any former one?—Because when they meet they have their *End* in view.

What County has shewn the greatest desire to secure the Acts of the present Assembly?—Charlotte—it sent a man to *Clinch* them.

Why are these Conundrums like Mr. M'Leod's Lectures on Temperance?—They are "to be continued."

The Courier.

SATURDAY, MARCH 5, 1831.

BANK OF NEW-BRUNSWICK.

Director next week, . *Hon. Ward Chipman.*

DISCOUNT DAY,.....THURSDAY.

Hours of business, from 10 to 3.

☞ *Bills for Discount, must be lodged with the Cashier before 3 o'clock on TUESDAY.*

MARINE INSURANCE COMPANY.

Committee for March:

JOHN WARD, Jun. President.

ISAAC L. BEDELL, JAMES KIRK,
C. CALVERLEY, DAVID HATFIELD.

THE Election of DIRECTORS of the MARINE INSURANCE COMPANY, for the present year, having taken place at the Annual Meeting of the Stockholders, on the 5th instant, agreeably to the Act of Incorporation;—Notice is hereby given, that the Business of the Company is continued, and RISKS taken upon the most eligible terms.

By order of the President and Directors,

THOMAS HEAVISIDE.

St. John, 24th July, 1830. *Sec'y.*

Settlement of the North Eastern Boundary Question in favour of British Claims! and Arrest of Mr. O'Connell!!

☞POSTSCRIPT, 3 o'CLOCK, P.M.

The Land Mail from Halifax has just arrived, and although our paper had been previously put to Press, the receipt of the above highly important intelligence, has induced us to stop the Press, in order to lay it before our readers. In addition to the items given under the proper head, the following summary is furnished by the Halifax Royal Gazette of Wednesday last:—

We have been kindly favoured with London papers to the 25th January, and Liverpool to the 26th, brought by the Corsair.

The accounts from Ireland are deeply distressing. The arts and influence of Mr. O'Connell are now likely to produce deplorable effects.—in a large portion of that part of the kingdom, a spirit of hostility towards the Government has been excited which is truly alarming. The Emancipation of the Catholics it appears has been productive of little good—the concession, though, in our opinion, just in itself, has given confidence to the factious—a repeal of the Union, and the Independence of Ireland, are now the avowed objects of the Party at the head of which is Mr. O'Connell. "Look at Belgium"—says that individual to his Countrymen—"she has separated herself from Holland—what Belgium has done Ireland may accomplish." The Government has borne with this advocate for rebellion until the peace, prosperity and happiness of the Kingdom have become endangered, and is now determined to exert its authority.—On the 18th of January, Mr. O'Connell, Mr. Lawless and others, were arrested on a charge of holding Meetings in defiance of the Proclamations of the Lord Lieutenant—they were admitted to bail, and have probably by this time been tried.

Russia and Poland have issued their Manifestoes—and both were preparing for the contest. France appeared inclined for war—and a strong opinion prevailen that she was determined to assist the Poles. Spain and Portugal continued in an unquiet state—Mina had returned to Bayonne, where, it was supposed, he would endeavour to organise an army for the purpose of making another attempt to effect a revolution in the former kingdom.

The decision of the King of Holland respecting the Boundary Line between New-Brunswick and the State of Maine was delivered to the Ambassadors of England and the United States on the 10th January, and on the 16th His Excellency Sir Howard Douglas arrived at the Colonial Office with the important Document. The decision, it is said, is in favor of the claim of Great Britain—and we trust the question is now finally disposal of.

LIVERPOOL, Jan. 25.—Prices—B. Am. Timber 18½d. a 2s. 1d.; Pine Plank, 2in. per foot 3d. a 3½d.—The demand for Timber has been good, prices have been well supported; good pine is scrace and importers are holding out for an advance for the stock on hand, and every prospect of improved rates in the spring. Deals are scarce and in demand.

The Emperor of Russia, we understand, has prohibited the exportation of grain from Russia, Poland, and Lithuania, but not, as has been stated, from the Russian dominions in general. The prohibition, however, limited as it is, will much affect the corn trade, as it comprises those countries in which grain is principally produced, so far as Russia is concerned. This being the case, the exports from Dantzic, Liebau, and Pillau, ports that are usually supplied with grain from Poland and Lithuanla, will be necessarily exceedingly limited. We need scarcely add, that this measure of the Emperor of Russia will probably cause a rise in our Corn Market. Indeed prices have again advanced to-day.

On a Supplement which accompanies our present number, will be found Tables of the Imports and Exports at the Port of Saint John and its Out-Bays, during the year ending 5th January, 1830,—documents which, at any time, are highly important to the mercantile community, but more so at the present moment, as shewing the amount of our trade, at a time when it is feared that His Majesty's Ministers contemplate some serious change with respect to the future admission of our staple article of export into the British market; and when, too, it is contemplated by our own Legislature to impose an *advalorem* duty on all British manufactures imported into this Province.—The latter proposition, if carried into effect, will, we fear, seriously affect the applications to the British Government, for a continuance of the present protecting duty on Foreign Wood, which have been forwarded from the North American Colonies generally; and, in fact, speaks little in favour of our boasted loyalty, for it certainly has more the appearance of a *retaliatory* than a *necessary* measure.—These tables will also be found important in shewing the value of our exports to the West-Indies, under the old system, and will be a very desirable reference hereafter in contrasting that amount with what may be the extent of the trade that will be carried on *by* and *through* this Province, under the recent change in the restrictive policy of the Mother Country.—Next week we shall present our readers with similar tables for the year 1830.

HOUSE OF ASSEMBLY.—We regret to learn by the following extract of a letter from Mr. Blatch, (the gentleman employed in taking the debates,) to G. D. Robinson, Esq. one of the Reporting Committee, dated at Fredericton, on Saturday last, that ill health, brought on by close application to his arduous duties, should have deprived us of so important a part of the Debates, as that which took place while the House were in Committee of *Ways and Means*. We have received the whole of Mr. Brown's speech on that subject, which is inserted in another column.—It will be seen that it has been only by extraordinary exertions that Mr. Blatch was thus far enabled to fulfil the duties of his avocation, which it is generally acknowledged he has done with great credit to himself, and we ardently trust that he will be able to continue his labours, which have heretofore been so satisfactory to the public:—

"You will perceive that the accompanying report of yesterday's debates reaches to the enormous length of thirty pages, although I was obliged considerably to curtail it, even to compress it to that size. It occupied me the greater part of last night, and all my spare moments previous to going to the house this morning. When I arrived there, I found the House in Committee on the Ways and Means. Being a very important subject, I earnestly endeavored to fulfil my avocation; but the effect of the intensity of my application, and the laboriousness of my exertions during the last three weeks, together with want of exercise and the heat of the house, so completely overcame me, that I was compelled to leave the House altogether about 1 o'clock. I had been able to note down only a very few unconnected remarks, as I was in such a state of nervous agitation, that my mind was incapable of attention.—I exceedingly regret this loss of matter so generally interesting; but could not prevent it.—On a fair average, during the time I have been here, I have been intensely occupied during 16 hours out of every 24, leaving no more than 8 hours for sleep, meals, and recreation. You will not wonder, therefore, that I have broken down at last. However, I hope to be refreshed by Monday morning; and I will strain every nerve to get through the session with satisfaction to the Committee and the public at large."

☞We are authorised by the Gentlemen composing the Committee for receiving the Debates of the House of Assembly, from Mr. BLATCH, to say, that they are perfectly satisfied with the conduct and abilities of that Gentleman, and that they regret the appearance of an advertisement in the *Colonist* of yesterday, with which the Committee are totally unconnected, but which, without some explanation, is evidently calculated to wound the feelings of Mr. Blatch. The advertisement alluded to, is understood to have originated from a Communication signed '*Legion*,' forwarded from Fredericton, for insertion in the Colonist, stating that some persons at Head Quarters were dissatisfied with the Reports, and that ample funds were there ready to defray the expense of another Reporter.

TO CORRESPONDENTS.—'An Episcopalian's' *pills* having operated so powerfully, we shall, by his consent, defer giving the *bolus* in our possession, until the patient's mental faculties be more composed.—The address of a "*Shepherd Boy*" to the Members elect of the Provincial Parliament of this Province, by some unaccountable delay, did not reach us till this morning. Other favours have also been received.

*** To-Morrow evening Dr. BURNS will give a Lecture on *the analogy of Divine operation in the Natural and Moral Creations.*

MARRIED,

On Sunday evening, the 20th ult. by the Rev. B. G. Gray, Mr. WILLIAM I. LOCKHART, to Miss ALATHEA ARMSTRONG, both of this City.

On Wednesday evening last, by the Rev. Dr. Gray, Mr. GEORGE ELLISON, to Mrs. MARY SAUNDERS, both of this City.

On Wednesday evening, by the Rev. B. G. Gray, Mr. WILLIAM HUNT, of Digby, N. S. to Miss ANNA BOYNE, second daughter of Mr. T. Boyne, of this City.

At Waterborough, Queen's County, on the 9th inst. by the Rev. Samuel R. Clarke, Mr. ROBERT M'MONAGLE to Miss FANNY SMITH.

At Saint George on the 6th ultimo, by the Rev. Mr. Thompson, Mr. JOSEPH WETMORE, of Hampton, to AMY E. youngest daughter of the late Peter Clinch, Esquire, of the former place.

On the 6th December last, by the Rev. Dr. Mc Gill, of Glasgow, WM. BOYD KINNEAR, Esq. Recorder of this City, to JANET, daughter of Jas. Muir, Esquire, of Rose Bank, near Greenock.

On the 2d Nov. last, at Paterson, (New-Jersey, U. S.) the Rev. G. M. West, A. M. to Miss AMELIA GARNER, both late of England.

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PORT OF SAINT JOHN—ARRIVED,

Tuesday, ships Ant, Pye, Port Glasgow, 44 days—R. Rankin & Co. ballast.

Bee, Robertson, P. Glasgow, 44—R. Rankin & Co. ballast.

Brigs Jane, Baird, Liverpool, 43—Geo. Thomson, coals.

Thomas, M'Cready, Berbice, 28—E. Barlow & Sons, rum, sugar, and molasses.

Wednesday, Schr. Frances-Ann Kinney, Boston—Hiram Smith, assorted cargo.

This morning, brigantine Mary-Ann, Delesdernier, New-York, 47 days—D. & E. Leavitt, flour, &c. The Mary Ann has been in at Owl's Head, to the eastward of Halifax—her sails nearly blown away, and otherwise much damaged. The crew has been on an allowance of water for the last 25 days, and of bread for several days. The Master reports having been among wrecks of vessels at the mouth of the Bay for ten days.

CLEARED

Brig Vista, Smith, Baltimore, plaster.

The Brig *America*, from Patagonia to New-Bedford, having 20,000 seal skins, and 1000 barrels of sperm oil on board, was wrecked on the 14th of February, supposed to be 30 leagues from the S. W. part of Bermuda. She was sailing with a S. E. breeze, when a voilent N. W. wind struck her aback, the rigging was immediately cut away, the masts went over, and she filled with water. All the crew, 34 in number except the Master and Mate, were washed overboard and perished. They two were washed overboard, but the topsail halyards caught the Mate's feet, which he afterwards got hold of—and seized the Master and saved him also. They were two days on the wreck, and were taken off by the schooner Caledonia, of Yarmouth, N. S. from St. Thomas'. On the afternoon of the same day the Q. fell in with the Laurel of Alexandria, bound to Bermuda, and the Master, John Parker, went on board of her. The Mate, William Canfield, was landed at Yarmouth on the 26th ult. and this morning he arrived here in the Packet from Digby. The America had been on a fishing voyage to the South Sea, and had been from New-Bedford about fifteen months. —*City Gazette of Wednesday.*

ASSIZE OF BREAD,

Published 1st March, 1831.

THE Sixpenny Wheaten Loaf of SUPERFINE FLOUR, to weigh . . 2lbs. 4oz.
The Sixpenny Rye, . . 3 6
And Shilling, Three-penny, and Penny Half-penny Loaves in the same proportion.

LAUCHLAN DONALDSON, MAYOR.

SAINT PATRICK'S SOCIETY.

A QUARTERLY MEETING will take place at the Exchange Coffee House, on MONDAY Evening next at 7 o'clock.

JAMES M'CLEERY, *Secretary.*

St. John, 5th March, 1831.

UNION LODGE, No. 38, meets at Masonic Hall, on TUESDAY Evening next, at 6 o'clock—R. N. *March 5.*

THE SAINT PATRICK'S SOCIETY will celebrate the Anniversary of its Patron Saint, at the Exchange Coffee-House, on Thursday the 17th inst. —Gentlemen desirous of uniting with the Members of this Institution at their National Festival, may obtain Tickets at the Bar of the Coffee House, previous to the 15th instant.

☞ Dinner on the Table at 5 o'clock.

By order of the President,

JAMES M'CLEERY, *Secretary.*

March 5, 1831.

FOR NEW-YORK.

THE BRITISH BRIG

St. Catharine,

B. SQUIRES, Master;

Will sail for the above Port on Monday next the 7th instant, wind and weather permitting.—For Passage, apply at the Store of the Subscriber. N. MERRITT.

March 5, 1831.

FOR NEW-YORK.

The Packet Schooner

Frances Ann,

N. KINNEY, Master;

WILL sail for the above Port on TUESDAY next.—For Freight or Passage, apply to HIRAM SMITH,

March 5. *South Market wharf*

ORREL COAL—*Per Jane.*

90 CHALDRONS ORREL COAL, *first quality*—for sale. Apply to

March 5. GEORGE THOMSON.

RECEIVED,

Per Brig DUNCAN, from Liverpool:—

A FEW Casks CURRANTS, RAISINS, and FIGS—in fine order;
2 Pipes of Red WINE;
1 Hogshead of Madeira WINE;
2 Bales of Italian WRITING PAPER;
1 Box LEAD PENCILS.

March 5. CROOKSHANK & WALKER.

JUST RECEIVED,

Per Brig MARY ANN, from New-York:

10 KEGS first quality TOBACCO;
1 Cask of PEARLASH;
1 Cask of SAL ÆRATUS;
1 Bale COTTON WICK;
20 Dozen CORN BROOMS.

March 5. *HENRY BLAKSLEE.*

LOAF SUGAR,

CHAIN CABLES AND ANCHORS.

Just received per Brig Duncan, and Ship Edward Reid, from Liverpool:

CHAIN CABLES—½, ⅝, 11-16, ¾, 13-16, 1, 1¼, and 1½ inch;
ANCHORS—from 1 cwt. to 9 cwt.;
7 Hhds. LOAF SUGAR, of the best quality.

Feb. 26, 1831. JOHN ROBERTSON.

AUCTION SALES.

SALE POSTPONED.—The Sale of the HOUSE, at Indian Town, now occupied by Mr. GEO. CLARK, which was to have taken place on the 1st instant, having been Postponed until Thursday next the 10th instant, will take place at 12 o'clock on that day, at the Subscriber's Auction Room.

March 5. JOHN ROBERTSON.

On THURSDAY next, at 12 o'clock, will be offered, on the premises, by the subscriber:

THE Eastern half of LOT No. 783 on the North side of Duke street, at present owned by Mr. John Campbell, cooper—together with the Two DWELLING HOUSES thereon, one of which is finished throughout.—*Terms* moderate, and made known at the time of sale.

If no purchasers appear, the premises will then be let for such term as may be required.

March 5. E. D. W. RATCHFORD.

HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE,

BY AUCTION.

On WEDNESDAY the 16th instant, at 11 o'clock, will be sold by the subscriber at the residence of Lieut.-Colonel LOVE—*a variety of*

HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE,

—consisting of—

SETS of Moreen Window Curtains; Dining, Card, Sofa, and Secretary TABLES; Sofa, Chairs, Carpets, French Bedsteads, Beds, Mattrasses, Mahogany Chest of Drawers, &c. Glasses and other bed-room Furniture.

Dinner and Breakfast sets of China Ware, and a select number of BOOKS, by English and Foreign authors. —ALSO—

A Grand Horizontal PIANO FORTE, by *Broadwood*—Music Stand, &c.; Spanish Guitars; a double-barrelled Fowling Piece; Pair of Holster Pistols, and some Swords, Harness, and various other articles.

March 1. E. D. W. RATCHFORD.

On MONDAY the Fourth day of April next, will be sold at Public Auction, by virtue of a License of His Honor the President and Council, for that purpose obtained by the Administrators:—

ALL the Right, Title, and Interest of WILLIAM WHELPLEY, deceased, of, in, and to, a certain piece or parcel of LAND, situate in King's Ward, and fronting on Duke street, under lease to Mr. Richard Nowlan, at an annual rent of £14.—Further particulars, and terms of sale may be had on application at Mr. SWYMMER'S Office. *St. John, March 5, 1831.—5i's*

To be Sold at Public Auction, on Wednesday the 20th day of April next, at 12 o'clock, at the Auction Room of the Subscriber:

THE Leasehold PROPERTY at the lower end of Morris-street, being a continuation of Duke-street, consisting of a two-story Dwelling-House and Out-Houses, formerly belonging to the Estate of William Gilbert, deceased. Terms and further particulars made known on application to JOHN KERR.

Feb. 26, 1831.

TEAS.

The Subscriber has on hand—

A FEW Chests CONGOU and Best HYSON TEA. JAMES T. HANFORD.

March 5, 1831.

TOBACCO.

A FURTHER supply of Manufactured TOBACCO, *assorted qualities*—just received per brig Mary Ann, from New-York.

ON HAND.—Maccabau, Rappee, and Scotch Snuffs—in kegs, jars, and bottles, for sale at *reduced prices.* E. D. W. RATCHFORD.

March 5, 1831.

BLACKSMITH WORK.

THE Subscriber, grateful to his friends and the public generally, for their past favours, begs to inform them that he has opened a Shop in Water-street, nearly opposite to Merritt's Wharf—where he hopes by punctuality to secure further patronage.

N. B.—GRATES and KITCHEN RANGES, on the most improved plans, made to order, at the shortest notice. JAMES GIBB.

St. John, March 5, 1831.

WANTED—A Young Man capable of attending the bar of a genteel Tavern. He must also be acquainted with keeping accounts. Apply at this Office. *Feb. 26.*

WANTED,—An active Young Woman as Laundress and House Maid.—Apply at the Courier Office. *February 26.*

LOOK OUT!!

In the Press, and will be published in about a week—

The Great Eclipse!

A PROPHETICAL, Political, Satirical, and Comical POEM,—which may be had at Mr. M'Millan's, Mr. O'Brien's, Haydon's, Lowry's, and Hopley's. *February 25.*

BEST ENGLISH

COAL.

120 CHALDRONS of best ENGLISH COAL, per the EDWARD REID, for sale very cheap, if taken from the Vessel immediately. M. DELAP.

February 26, 1831.

ORREL COAL.

100 CHALDRONS best Orrel COAL, per Brig *Duncan*, from Liverpool, for sale by GEO. D. ROBINSON.

February 26, 1831.

Great Bargains!

SELLING OFF CHEAP.

LOWE & GROOCOCK,

ARE now offering their extensive Stock of Dry GOODS, for sale, at prices not to be equalled—they having made a deduction of *Twenty per Cent.* upon every article. The undermentioned prices will give to the public some idea of cheapness.—

Superfine Blue Broad Cloth,	3s. 3d. per yd.
Do. olive, green, & other colors,	6s. 6d. „
Bombazetts,	from 7½d. upwards.
Fine Irish Linen,	1s. per yard.
Mens' Socks,	2½d. per pair.
Ladies' fine white cotton Stockings,	4d. per pr.
Gentlemens and Ladies Gloves,	7½d. to 1s. 3d.
Stout Drab Kersey,	2s. per yard.
Womens' Stays,	1s. 3d. per pr.
Check,	6d. & 7½d. per yd.
Bed Quilts,	9d. *each!*

With the above, every other article equally low.

—THEY HAVE ON HAND—

23 Barrels of excellent BEEF,
20 Do. superior PORK,
30 Firkins of first quality Cumberland Butter.

St. John, February 26, 1831.

ON CONSIGNMENT,

AND FOR SALE BY THE SUBSCRIBER:

30 BBLS. Canada and Irish Prime Mess PORK; 70 Boxes Dipt CANDLES;

Low for approved payment.

February 26. *JOHN V. THURGAR.*

RUM, SUGAR, AND MOLASSES.

Landing ex Brig Ambassador from St. Kitts, and for Sale low, if taken from the wharf:

50 PUNCHEONS MOLASSES;
20 Ditto RUM;
10 Hogsheads SUGAR.

February 26. I. KETCHUM.

BALTIMORE CRACKERS.

98 KEGS CRACKERS—for sale by the Subscriber, very low, if applied for immediately. E. D. W. RATCHFORD.

February 26.

SUGAR AND CANDLES.

JUST RECEIVED—AND FOR SALE.

50 BARRELS first quality Jam. SUGAR,
50 Boxes Mould CANDLES.

Feb. 19, 1831. J. & H. KINNEAR.

TO BE LET,

And possession given first of May next:

THAT pleasantly situated HOUSE in Princess-street, opposite the residence of His Honor the President—Rent low. Inquire of SARAH THOMAS,

March 5, 1831. *On the premises.*

TO LET,

And immediate possession given:

PART of that pleasantly situated HOUSE in Germain-street, fronting Trinity Church, now in the occupation of the Subscriber. ELIJAH SPURR.

March 5, 1831.

TO LET,

For 12 Months, from first May next:

A PLEASANTLY situated HOUSE, corner of Union and Brussels Street, the property of Capt. HAMMOND, and tenanted by Mr. JOHN DOHERTY, to whom application can be made on the premises, or at the City Brew House.

There are attached very convenient out offices, with a small neat GARDEN—Terms £35.

March 5, 1831.

TO RENT,

From the First of May next:—

THAT Commodious BRICK STORE, with two good CELLARS—at present occupied by E. L. THORN.—Inquire of

March 5. R. SANDS.

FOR SALE,

And possession given immediately,

THE Premises of Mr. JOHN CAMPBELL, situate on the north side of Duke-st. between Germain and Charlotte streets, at present occupied by himself, and comprising a well finished Dwelling House in front, having seven rooms and a good cellar—and in the rear a Dwelling House and Cooper's shop.

TERMS—*£150 down, £50 in Store Goods at Cash price, and £200 payable in four years, with interest.*—Apply to

March 5. E. DEW. RATCHFORD.

TO LET,

And possession given the first of May:—

THAT commodious and well finished HOUSE, on the corner of Union and Nelson streets, belonging to the subscriber.—It has an excellent frost-proof Cellar, a never-failing well of water in it, and every convenience attached for a family.

ALSO.—The south end of the same building, commodiously fitted up for a family, having a frost-proof cellar, and other conveniences.—Possession of which may be had immediately.

The above will be let together or separate—if taken together they will form an excellent establishment for a Boarding House, the Rent of which will be very moderate. For further particulars, apply at the *Courier Office*, or to

SAMUEL BAGSHAW,

February 19. Lower Cove.

TO LET,

THE STORE and PREMISES at the Corner of St. John street and Peters' wharf now in the occupation of WILLIAM BREEZE.—Also, two WAREHOUSES on he said Wharf.—Inquire of

Feb. 19. JAMES PETERS, JR.

TO BE SOLD,

And possession given 1st May next—

THAT commodious DWELLING HOUSE and well known Grocery Store, at present owned and occupied by the Subscriber. The House is well adapted for the comfortable accommodation of a family; and the stand as a Grocery is well established and superior to most in this City. The premises may be viewed at any time, and terms and further particulars known, on application to

H. PORTER,

February 19, 1831. *York Point.*

TO BE LET,

And possession given 1st May next—

THE Dwelling HOUSE in Mecklenburg-street, in the immediate vicinity of Queen's Square, lately in the occupation of Mr. A. M'Kenzie. It is very pleasantly situated, and has a large Yard and other conveniences attached. Apply at the Counting-House of

HANFORD & RAYMOND,

February 19, 1831. *Peters' Wharf.*

TO BE LET,

From the first of May, 1831:—

THE HOUSE, on the corner of Queen and Charlotte-streets, and the Bake House adjoining, fronting on Queen-street. Apply to JOHN M. WILMOT, or

12th Feb. 1831. WILLIAM HUGHSON.

TO BE LET,

From the first day of May, 1831—

THE two HOUSES, fronting on the corner of Duke and Charlotte-streets. Likewise, the two HOUSES, fronting on Charlotte-street, adjoining the property of I. L. Bedell, Esq.—Apply to

Feb. 12. WILLIAM HUGHSON.

TO BE SOLD OR LET,

THAT Dwelling HOUSE, fronting on Britain-street, nearly opposite the Brick Building of Robert Robertson, Esquire, and the Lot on which it stands, together with two Lots adjoining.

Also to Let—from the first of May next:—The lower Flat of the Subscriber's House, now occupied by Mr. Robert Barber. Apply to

26th Feb. 1831. P. SCHURMAN.

TO LET,

And possession to be given on the first day of May next:

THE HOUSE at present occupied by Mr. E. WADDINGTON, in Great George Street, nearly opposite the Poor House.—The House has seven rooms, four of which have fire places.—For terms and other particulars, apply to

Feb. 26. JOHN ROBERTSON.

TO LET—*From 1st May next:*

THE two large DWELLING-HOUSES in Horsfield-street, with Gardens, Outhouses, &c., belonging to the Estate of the late J. C. F. Bremner.—Apply to B. BREMNER.

19th February, 1831.

TO BE LET,

From the first day of May, 1831—

THE HOUSE in Princess-street, opposite the residence of Mr. C. Davies, and adjoining the property of Mr. Andrew Hutchison. Apply to

Feb. 12. WILLIAM HUGHSON.

TO LET,

THE Premises occupied by the Subscriber and others, situated in St. John-street—*viz:*

A STORE fronting on St. John-street, } 26 by 23 feet,
in which there are various useful articles of furniture.
An unfinished Store in rear of the same, } 25 by 38 feet.
A Ditto, immediately above, 38 by 46 feet.
A Ditto, „ „ 38 by 50 feet,
in which there is a well finished Warehouse, with shelving and other furniture complete, } 20 by 50 feet,
and attached to which there is an Attic Floor, } 38 by 50 feet,
well adapted for a Sail Loft.

The above may be Let together, forming a handsome establishment; or may be divided, as each Store and Floor have separate entrances; with the joint use of a valuable Hoisting Machine.

1st Feb. 1831. SAMUEL STEPHEN.

TO RENT,

From the first of May next:

THE Dwelling-House belonging to the Subscriber, opposite the Scotch Church, now occupied by Mr. Thomas Plummer. Apply to

January 29, 1831. SARAH GRIGOR.