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QUEBEC BANK.

DIRECTOR for the present Week,
CHARLES SMITH, Esquire.

Days of Discount **MONDAY & THURSDAY.**

Notes offered for Discount should be enclosed to the Cashier, and given in before the day of discount.

Hours for public business at the Bank, from 10 A. M. to 2 P. M.

NOAH FREER, Cashier.

No. 5, Saint-au-Matlot Street,
5th February, 1821.

BANK NOTICES.

DIRECTOR for the week,
GEORGE SYMES, Esquire.

Days of Discount **TUESDAY & FRIDAY.**

Notes offered for Discount should be enclosed to the Cashier, and given in before the day of discount.

Office hours from 10 o'clock A. M. to 2 o'clock, P. M.

D. SUTHERLAND, Cashier.

No. 3, St. Peter's Street.

ALFRED HAWKINS,

WINE MERCHANT,

Offers for sale in addition to his usual assortment of Wines, the ullages of two pipes of Madeira Wine, which has been three years in the East Indies, and is of the very first rate quality; it will be sold in the wood or in cases of 6 doz. 3 doz. or by the single doz.—The Wine was imported this season in the Ship St. Lawrence, Capt. Douglass.

Also.—Still and Sparkling Champaign.

Samples may be tasted at his office.

SPIRITS.

Real Cognac Brandy, Hollands,

Jamaica Spirits, E. I. Arrack.

BEERS.

Burton Ale,

Mild Ale,

and Porter,

At the Brewery Prices.

And FINE GINGER BEER.

A. H. returns his sincere thanks for the support he received in the firm of MAQUAY & HAWKINS, and informs his friends, that his business will be conducted under his immediate superintendence, he is therefore confident of giving satisfaction to those who will please to favor him with their orders.

No. 4, St. Peter Street, Lower-Town.

7th August, 1820.

THE Subscribers are now landing on Messrs. IRVING & Co.'s Wharf the cargo of the Brig HUGH from Trinidad, consisting of:—

Strong well flavoured Leward Island Rum,
Bright Muscovado Sugar, in hhds, tierces and barrels,
And a few puncheons Molasses of a superior quality, all of which will be disposed of on moderate terms.

M. ROBERTS & MCLEAN.

Quebec, 2d August, 1820.

FOR SALE BY THE SUBSCRIBER,

THE Undermentioned Articles, viz:—a few elegant ornamented Marble Grave Stones, Tomb Tables, Marble Slabs for Hearths, Jambes, &c. which will be sold reasonable for Cash or approved credit.

JOHN PHILLIPS.

Quebec, 1st. February, 1820.

Just Published,
And for Sale at this Office,
“MEMOIRS

OF
The Administration of the Government of
LOWER-CANADA,

BY
SIR G. DRUMMOND,
SIR J. C. SHERBROOKE,
The late DUKE OF RICHMOND,
JAMES MONK, Esq. and
SIR P. MAITLAND.”

200 Dollars Reward

FOR THE DISCOVERY OF INCENDIARIES!!!
WHEREAS repeated attempts have been made during the night of the 14th, 15th, 16th and 22d inst. to SET FIRE to different parts of the premises belonging to the *Ursuline Convent* in this City—Be it known that

The Quebec Fire Assurance Company, hereby offer the aforesaid reward of *Two Hundred Dollars*, to any person or persons who shall give such information as may lead to the apprehension and conviction of the *Principal Offender* concerned in the above most daring and alarming outrage—which reward will be paid on conviction.

By order of the President and Directors of the
Quebec Fire Assurance Company,
WM. HENDERSON, Junr.

Secretary.

Quebec Fire Office, 16th January, 1821.

For Sale, by **G. HENDERSON,**

No. 7, Saint-au-Matlot Street, near the Bank;

NAILS and Spikes, Hoop Iron, Window-glass, Putty, Paints and Linseed Oil, Basket-saw, Corks, a few hogsheds blue Printed ware, china, and the new invented *Iron Stone ware*, Umbrellas, Parasols, Writing Paper, a few packages Hats, Brushes, *Fighting Pieces* and Pistols, and a great variety of other articles.—

ALSO,

3 brass Bedsteads, complete,

MARBLE & white Stone CHIMNEY

FRONTS,

Registers, Plain, & Patent GRATES,

KITCHEN RANGES, & COAL STOVES,

Double and Single Carrion Stoves,

Fenders, Fire Irons, & Dog Irons.

30th May, 1820.

A very great variety of the most fashionable and hand some Patterns.

SCHOOL BOOKS.

IN addition to their usual supply of School Books, T. CARY, Jun. & Co. have lately received the following, which they can afford at very low prices:—

WATTS'S complete SPELLING BOOK, which comprehends an abridgement of the History of England—price 1s. 6d.

SCOTT'S INTRODUCTION TO READING and Spelling, to which are added principles of English Grammar—price 1s. 3d.

SHEEHY'S FRENCH PRONOUNCING SPELLING BOOK, on an improved plan—price 1s. 3d.

ELEMENTS OF GEOGRAPHY, by LEECH, 1s. 3d.

DE FRESNOY'S GEOGRAPHY for youth, with Maps,—price 1s. 3d.

Free-Masons' Hall, 10th October, 1820.

NOTICE.

THE Subscribers, assignees to the Bankrupt estate of Mr. PETER SHEPPARD, hereby give notice that those having demands against the late concern, are desired to send the same to Mr. Peter Sheppard for adjustment, and all those indebted to the said concern by book account, notes, &c. are requested to pay the amount thereof to the said P. Sheppard, who is duly authorised to that effect, otherwise their accounts, &c. will be put in an Attorney's hands for immediate prosecution.

**JOHN DAVIDSON,
W. G. SHEPPARD,
BROOKE HANCOX.**

Quebec, 11th November, 1820.

P. Sheppard has moved his residence to Mr. Desbarats's house, near the Governor's garden.

Best Timothy Hay for sale,

BY ANN RICHARDSON, apply at Mrs. E. PEARSON & Brother, No. 17, St. Peter Street,
10th Jan. 1821.

THE Subscriber offers for Sale the following Goods just landed from the *Kitty*, which will be sold very low for Cash or in Barter for the Produce of the Country:—

10 Pipes of superior Benecarlo Wine,
10 Hogs of London P. Tenerife do,
32 do. of old Mountain do,
1 do. of Madeira do.

ALSO,

A new 12-inch Cable,

49 Coils Cordage,

4 Bales of Canvas,

11 Kegs of Varnish,

10 do. of Pitch,

With several Packages of Slops, &c.

HENRY ATKINSON.

Gondie's wharf, Sept. 1, 1820.

FOR SALE,

FIRST and second quality White Oak Timber, Cull do. do. Merchantable Red Pine Timber and Spars, Do. White do. White and Red Pine Deals, Spruce do. Slaves and Lathwood.

Apply to **H. ATKINSON.**
Gondie's Wharf, May 1, 1820.

NOTICE.

D. MACNEILL, UPHOLSTERER and PAPER HANGER, most respectfully informs his friends and the public, that he has removed from No. 21, Sous-la-Fort Street, to No. 24, St. Stanislaus street, Upper Town, where he will be glad to receive orders in the above line and which he flatters himself he will be able to execute with neatness and dispatch.
Quebec, 17th Oct. 1820.

OATS, PEASE, AND LARD,

FOR SALE.

By **W. PHILLIPS.**

Gondie's wharf, Nov. 12, 1820.

COUNTY OF QUEBEC.

Quebec, 25th July, 1820.

THE Commissioners for Internal Communications for the County of Quebec, do hereby give notice, that they will hold their Office at the Dwelling House of **ERLE TOWN, Esquire**, Palace Street, in the Upper Town, and that the said Office will be open every Monday and Thursday, between the hours of nine and twelve o'clock in the forenoon, for receiving any communications which may be made to them relative to the improvements to be made in the said County for facilitating new means of communication, and also upon the probable amount of the expense of the works to be performed in furtherance of such improvements.

The Subscriber has for Sale,

FIRST and 2d quality dry Kamouraska inch Boards, First and 2d do. 3, 2, 2, & 3 inch Planks, St. Paul Bay Planks and Boards, Genuine Essence of Spruce, (warranted good) Essential Oil of Spruce, Spruce Beer as usual, Liquors of all sorts, (not less than 3 galls.)

THOS. WILSON.

Quebec, 26th April, 1820.

FOR SALE,

BY the Subscribers just arrived, 6 pipes Port Wine of a very superior quality, 4 hds. and 1 pipe E. J. Madeira.

ROGERSON, HUNTER & Co.

Quebec, 15th August, 1820.

WASHINGTON, November 25.

American Ingenuity.—At the Navy yard in this city, a cambouse, intended for the use of a 74 gun ship, on a most improved construction, has just been manufactured. It is scarcely possible to imagine an apparatus of this description, that combines through the agency of heat such a variety of useful purposes. Besides the ordinary service of very extensive conveniences for cooking; all economically arranged so as to have fuel, it possesses an invaluable improvement, which we understand has never before been similarly applied. It is a method to facilitate the ventilation of foul air, from the apartments of the sick, or of any other part of the vessel; by means of a common hose pipe screwed on near the fireplace, which is so constructed as to have a chamber at the back, for the purpose. By this ingenious invention, the bad air is readily conducted from any distance, and in any direction required. Perhaps, only those who have experienced the want of such an agent in purifying the infected air, in a crowded ship, or warm climate, can duly appreciate this improvement; but it is certain that those public vessels which do not possess this useful apparatus, ought to be no longer without it.

The cambouse also possesses another advantage not commonly attached in such articles, it can by a very simple process, purify 200 gallons of salt water, every 24 hours, without impeding the usual business of cooking; or requiring any additional fuel.

The improvements and the execution of the above work, which is superior for neatness and durability, to any thing of the kind we ever saw, was performed under the direction and superintendence of that able and indefatigable mechanic, Mr. Benjamin King.

MONTREAL, January, 31.

DARING ATTEMPT AT ROBBERY.

Between 6 and 7 o'clock in the evening of Sunday last, a villain entered a house in the Main-Street, Quebec Suburb, occupied by a man of the name Gingras, under pretence of wishing to purchase a Chaplet (beads.) After some conversation he knocked down the occupant of the house, and beat him with a stick about the head and face until he was nearly senseless. The noise occasioned by the scuffle attracted the attention of a person who happened to pass at the moment, and who went into the house, and very opportunely liberated the poor man from his dangerous assailant. The villain escaped by the backway through the garden, and we regret to hear he has not since been heard of.

FEBRUARY, 3.

DESTRUCTIVE FIRE.—On Wednesday last, the elegant Library and Bookstore, belonging to Messrs. Nickless and McDonnell, of this city, situated opposite the Court House, we regret to say, was consumed by fire. The fire broke out in the attic story, which was occupied as a Bindery, during the time the work people were at dinner; but whether it arose from an insecure stove-pipe, from the negligence of the binders, or from any other cause, is not known. The flames were not discovered, until they had reached the roof, and all hopes of saving the building totally lost. As it happened during the day, the prompt exertions of the neighbours, enabled them to save a large part of the property; but as must be the case in the bustle of

removing books and articles of this description, a serious loss and damage must have occurred—many valuable books have been injured, and whole sets rendered useless by a part of them being lost. Several Books were in the Bindery at the time, and those, together with a large quantity of stationary have been completely consumed. The favourableness of the weather, (it being a thaw and quite calm at the time) the hour at which it occurred, aiding the active exertions of the citizens, fortunately preserved the adjoining buildings, no other house except the one was burnt. We understand the property was insured in the Phoenix Fire Office for £2650, and the House for £1000.

Military dispositions.—Next spring the regiments in Canada are to be disposed as follows: 37th and 70th regiments to be stationed at Quebec; 60th at Montreal; 76th at Kingston; and 68th to remain on the upper frontier.

Attempt at suicide.—Last Monday evening, a mason residing in the St. Lawrence suburb, whose name it would not be proper to mention, hearing a guttural noise in an adjacent room, went into it and found one of his daughters in a state of demi strangulation. She had tied round her neck a handkerchief, fastened it to the crook of the windowbolt, and, as the distance from the ground did not admit of suspension, had the resolution to curve her knees for the purpose of hanging herself. All powerful love, which, it appears, sometimes operates on the female heart as, or more impressively than on ours, was the cause of the rash attempt. Her father had obstinately refused his consent to her union with the man of her choice, and life without him was insupportable. This circumstance gives rise to a consideration not unpleasant to our sex; as it shows that if the fair sex love us less frequently than we them, yet the greater fervor of theirs compensates for its unfrequency, so that on the average they are as much under our influence as we under theirs—and that if, in deliberation on a proposal of marriage, pecuniary motives generally regulate their decision, yet there are instances where it totally influences their choice, which proceeds warm and disinterested from the heart. As this paragraph may meet the eye of the faithful fair one above mentioned, we would recommend an elopement in preference to strangulation—an advice that she will no doubt follow, when she considers (a truth which we have attained by long and serious reflexion) that one cannot get married after one is dead.

Apprehended since 25th ult.—John Sparrow junr. accused of uttering counterfeit coin; Joseph Frank Rice and John Joseph O Neil* of three capital offences; James Bailey, James Works, Anne Maddocks and George Hunter, of misdemeanours; Antoine Goyet, John Shaver, Marie Louise Charpentier, and Amable Charpentier, of petty larceny; James Brennan, private of the 37th Regt. for fracturing the skull of corporal Michel Diggin same Regt. with a billet of fire wood.

* After the constable had lodged John Sparrow in the watch-house, Joseph Frank Rice and Joseph O Neil, with several others, (who lodged in the same house with the prisoner and were present at the time of his apprehension) the

first armed with an axe and the others with bludgeons, pursued the officer and posted themselves on each side of the street near the watch-house, apparently with an intent to intercept him on his return. The constable, however, seeing them and suspecting their intention, procured the assistance of some of the watch and apprehended the two abovementioned. From an axe being found on Rice, it would seem that it was intended to assassinate the constable, who has rendered himself obnoxious to offenders by his activity. This circumstance appears to indicate the necessity of providing him with an efficient assistant.

MARRIED.

On Thursdays last, by the Rev. J. Hick, WILLIAM LUNN, Esq. of the Naval Department, to Mrs. MARGARET HUTCHISON, both of this city.

DIED.

Here on Monday 29th ult. MARY HOBART, Wife of Dr. ARNER RICE, aged 44 year.

At St. Johns, on Monday the 29th ult. in the 49th year of his age, MINARD HARRIS YEO, MANS, of the Custom House Department there, after a short illness.

POTATOES.

A Few Hundred Bushels of the Best quality for Sale by CHAS. W. ROSS. St. John street, 6th February, 1821. d

NEW PAINT AND GLASS STORE.

No. 17, St. John Street, and corner of St. Stanislaus Street.

THE Subscriber returns his sincere thanks to his friends and the public, and begs leave to inform them that he will constantly have on hand and for sale all kinds of ready mixed Paints, fit for laying on, also, Glass of all dimensions. Putty, &c. &c.

WILLIAM SYNNOTT,

Painter, Glazier, and

Quebec, 5th Feb. 1821. Paper hanger. N. B. The Painting, Glazing and Paper hanging carried on as usual. W. S. u

BUILDING LOTS to be conceded in perpetuity, in St. Louis Suburb, near the Walls of the City. Apply to M. BERTHELOT. 18 Jan. 1821. u



Fiddlers, your pias in temper fix,
And rosin well your fiddlesticks,
Awa wi' yeo Italian trucks,
And gie us Tullochgorum.

It is well known that the Scotch dancing music is so peculiar in its style and taste, that no foreigner can do justice to its performance, like the natives.

The ladies and gentlemen of this city, are respectfully informed, if they would wish to have Scotch medleys introduced at their balls, by applying to the subscriber, they will be provided with two violin players and a bass, who are well acquainted with the fashionable dances, besides Strathspeys and Reels.

The subscriber, for his part, has the pleasure to say that he was in his Majesty's service for fourteen years, through England, Ireland and Scotland, and had the honor to play at most of the respectable families in those countries.

Lessons given to young gentlemen on moderate terms.

J. MACKENNEY,

No. 80, St. John Suburb.

12th January, 1821. g

On **FRIDAY**, the 9th of February,

Will be performed by **OFFICERS of the GARRISON,**

THE MOUNTAINEERS;

TO WHICH WILL BE ADDED

The Village Lawyer.

The Performance will commence at 8 o'clock precisely. Tickets may be had and Boxes taken at Messrs. T. CARY, JUNE & Co.'s Printing Office, and Mr. WINE'S, Lower Town. The Receipt of the House will be appropriated to Charitable Purposes.

QUEBEC ASSEMBLY.

THE next ASSEMBLY will be on **THURSDAY**, February 8th—Managers for the evening, A. PATTERSON, CHEVALIER D'ESTIMVILLE, Esqrs.

W. A. THOMPSON.

Dancing to commence at 9 o'clock precisely.

To let,

IN FREE MASONS' HALL, from 1st May next. The Shop and Apartments on the ground floor, occupied by Mr. Spruells.

The Ounces and wine Vaults, occupied by Mr. Maquay. And those spacious and well finished apartments, with the Stables, Coach House and wood House, occupied by the undersigned.

W. F. SCOTT.

Free-Masons' Hall, }
Quebec, 30 January, 1821. }

Fresh Cod-Fish

JUST arrived and for Sale at the Meat Shambles, Upper Town, Market place, by

ALEXR. RUTHERFORD

Quebec, 30th Jan'y. 1821.

THE Subscribers respectfully inform their Friends and the public in general, that they have received per the John from London, Alexander from Liverpool, and Rebecca from Greenock, a general and extensive assortment of articles in the

Cabinet and Upholstery

line, which they offer for sale, on moderate terms, at their Furniture Warehouse, No. 4, St. Ann street, opposite the English Church.

ROBT. & ALEX. HADDAN.

Quebec, May 30th 1820.

FOR SALE,

By **Rogerson, Hunter & Co., at their Stores,** No. 8, St. Peter-street:

LEWARD Island Rum, Cognac and Spanish Brandy, Whiskey, Benecarlo Wine, in pipes and hogsheads, Albadora & Fondello Wines, in bottles, Molasses, very bright Jamaica Sugar, in barrels, Carolina Rice, in half-tierces, Raisins and Figs, in boxes of 28 lbs. Nuts and soft shell Almonds, Mess and Prime Mess Pork, Irish Hams, Salt, fine Flour, Biscuit, Nails, copper Spikes, Gunpowder, F. FF, FFF, and Irish Linens.

Just landed from on board the Brig Lord Wellington, from Plymouth, prime Port Wine, vintage 1815; Sherry Wine, in wood and bottles; Claret, in cases; very fine Cyder, in wood and bottles; Yellow Soap, Candles, 4's, 5's & 8's; Stockholm Pitch and Tar, in barrels and half-barrels; black and white Varnish, Canvas and sewing Thread, Spirits of Turpentine, in carboys.

ROGERSON, HUNTER & Co.

Quebec, 2d June, 1820.

Washing Account Books,

FOR SINGLE GENTLEMEN AND FAMILIES,
Sold at the NEW-PRINTING OFFICE, Free-Masons' Hall.

For Sale by **GERRARD, FINLAY & Co**

80 M. STANDARD STAVES,

25 M. Feet MERCHANTABLE OAK TIMBER,

At low rates.

15th Jan. 1821.

Just arrived and for Sale,

FRESH Cod Fish, Oysters in kegs,

American Butter, Lard, Cheese & Honey.

Also, on hand, a few barrels Montreal Pomme Grey Apples, Cider by the puncheon, gallon or dozen.

THORNTON & KELLY.

25 St. Peter Street, Lower-Town.

Quebec, 16th Jan, 1821.

HAWKINS' BEER VAULTS,

No. 4, St. Peter Street,

THE best London Brown Stout, Ales, Porter and Cyder, warranted in excellent order, and sent to any part of the Town.

Mild Ale - 7s. 6d. per doz.

Burton, do. 9s. do.

Quebec, April 20, 1820.

To Merchants, Corn Dealers, Millers and Bakers.

TO LET, FOR A TERM OF YEARS,

On the 1st of May, 1821,

THE MANUFACTURING FLOUR MILL, of JACQUES CARTIER, forming Four Pair of Stones, with Bolts and other machinery appropriate; including also a **BARLEY MILL**, with half of the large Stone Hangard and Bakehouse. And, also, a smaller Mill, calculated for two pair of Stones—both Mills at a small distance from the River St. Lawrence—with the use of the Wheat Kiln in common. Apply to **GEORGE W. ALLSOPP**, Esq. at Quebec, or at Cap Sante.

Cap Sante 30th May, 1820.

ADVERTISEMENT.

THE Subscriber is enabled to supply the Public from his Distillery and Brewery at St. Roch, with the following articles viz:

Patent Essence of Spruce,

Spruce Beer,

Ginger Beer,

AND

Medical Men may be furnished with

The Volatile Oil of Spruce,

ditto of Pyrola,

Essence of Pyrola.

THOMAS AYLWIN.

8th April, 1820.

FOR SALE.

400 QUINTALS of dry cod fish, just received.

ALSO,

A few Barrels of Salmon and oil.

GEORGE BLUMHART,

22d August, 1820.

JUST Received per Susan, and for sale by the subscribers:

5 pipes L. P. Madeira, | 20 cases W. Wax,

10 do. Cognac Brandy, | 10 pipes Geneva.

ALSO,

Fine and Common Cloths, Cassimeres, Flannels, Bombazettes, Cotton Shirting, 7-8 and 9-8 Printed Calicoes, 6-4 Cambrics, 4-4 and 6-4 Jacquenet Muslin, Canton Crap, Shawls and Scarfs, Bandanna Handkerchiefs, Russia and imitation Sheetting, Brown Holland, Beaver and Kid Gloves, Sallampores, Bafias and long Cloths, the whole of which will be sold low for Cash.

WILLIAM MACKIE & Co.

25th Sept. 1820.

FOR SALE OR TO LET.

A Neat Two story new HOUSE, No. 2, Ann street, St. Roch, consisting of Seven Apartments, a Garret and Celler, with a large Garden and a Well of excellent Water. Possession given immediately, if sold, easy terms of payment will be given, by applying to

WILLIAM SYNNOTT,

Painter, Glazier, Paper

Hanger, &c.

Quebec, 29th Aug. 1820.

For Sale by **PATERSONS & WEIR,**

5 Pipes very superior old L. P. Madeira Wine.

10 Cases old Port Wine.

Quebec, 6th November, 1820.

FOR SALE OR TO LET.

and Possession given upon the 1st of May next.

THAT very commodious new house, No. 3, pleasantly situated in front of the Esplanade, lately occupied by the Deputy Quarter-Master General, with excellent stabling for five horses, coach house, office houses, a good yard, &c. &c. also to let three stalls

Quebec, 6th Decr. 1819

JOHN BOYD.

THE Subscriber, Lessee of the Iron Works

of St. Maurice, and those of Three Rivers, has to announce to his Customers, that he will be able at the opening of the Navigation to make a further reduction in the price of articles manufactured at these Works, and that from the selection he made, while in England of clever and experienced workmen, great improvement has been made in the appearance of the Goods, and particularly in the Hollow Ware, which will be found light and handsome, equal to similar articles imported from Great Britain. The Stoves made at St. Maurice are well known to be of a very superior quality.—Considerable reduction will also be made in the price of all kinds of Mill Machinery, Bar Iron, Plough Shares and Potash Kettles. A new Tarif will be prepared, and may be had by application to the Subscriber or to his Agents, Mr. JOHN FORTIN, Montreal, ZAC. McALEY, Esq. St. Maurice, EDWARD GREIVE, Three-Rivers, and BELL & STEWART, Quebec.

Mw. BELL.

Quebec, 10th January, 1820.

JUST RECEIVED, and for Sale at the Subscriber's Store, Lower-Town Market-place:

Sweet Oranges,

Fresh Figs in Boxes and Fraits,

Common and Turkey Raisins,

Shell Almonds,

Spanish Nuts,

Best Aberdeen Marmalade,

Do. do. Honey,

Superfine Pearl Barley,

Scotch Groats,

Market and Bottle Baskets.

JOHN ESSON,

Quebec, 12th May, 1820.

A VENDRE, aux magasins des sous-signeés, dans la rue St. Paul,—

Fleur fine et superfine, fabriquée tant dans le haut que dans le bas Canada.

Quelques quarts et demi-quarts de Fleur superfine à pâtisserie, fraîche, faite de bled de Genesee, pour l'usage des familles, ou pour être exportée aux Indes occidentales.

Farine entière,

Biscuits de marine de différentes qualités,

Graine de lin, Pois cuisans, Avoine et Son,

40 quarts de Lard du pays haut,

Environ 1300 Madriers d'épinette nets, sciés l'année dernière, et qui seront vendus à bon marché ou échanges.

AUSSE—Toile, un petit assortiment de clous et autres quincailleries, qui seroient vendues à bon marché par la facture.

20 quarts de plomb à tirer de différentes qualités,

50 grosse de bouteilles à Potter.

Ferrures de gouvernail pour un vaisseau de 500 tonneaux.

COLTMAN & HALE.

Ils offrent aussi de louer à un prix moderne une partie du quai et dépendances qu'ils occupent, et qu'on trouvera être bien adaptés pour les marchandises fines ou les denrées du pays.

Quebec, 15 Août, 1820.

TO LET until the 1st May, 1821.

THE HOUSE in Carrières Street lately occupied as Public Military Offices.

For the whole, or part of the said premises application to be made at the Barrack Office in Garden Street.

T. TRIGGE, B. M.

Barrack Office, }
11 Dec. 1820. }

A LOUER jusqu'au 1er de Mai, 1821.

LA MAISON dans la rue Carrière, dernièrement occupée comme bureau militaires publics:

Pour tout ou partie des dits prémisses s'adresser au bureau des casernes, rue Jardin.

T. TRIGGE, M. C.

Bureau des casernes, }
11 Décembre, 1820. }

For Sale or to Let,

THE House, No. 11, St. Ursule street, with a capital Stable and Coach House, an enclosed Garden and spacious Yard:—

The Terms of Payment may be made to suit the convenience of the Purchaser, apply on the premises.

16th January, 1821.

A Few cases White creaming Champagne, Red Burgundy & Hermitage Wines,

Of a superior quality imported from Rheims are offered for Sale by the Case, at a very low rate, by

JAMES GEORGE.

Goudie's Wharf, 22d Decr. 1820.

CONGRESS OF THE U. S.

House of Representatives.

COMMERCE OF THE BLACK SEA.

Mr. Fuller, of Mass. offered for consideration the following resolution.

RESOLVED, That the Committee on Commerce be instructed to enquire into the expediency of providing by law such means as may be necessary to obtain for the citizens of the United States the navigation of the Euxine Sea, and a participation of the commerce of its ports and dependencies.

Mr. F. after remarking on the expediency of affording to commerce, under present circumstances, all the facilities in the power of the government to bestow, went on to say that our commerce with Russia, it was well known was at present almost entirely carried on through the Baltic Sea, which it was equally well known, was closed against navigation for the greater part of the year by the severity of the climate. The Euxine Sea, he said, afforded much greater facilities, by means of the rivers which fall into it, for carrying on the trade with Russia. But, not having any agent there, we have no means of procuring the permission to pass the Straits of the Dardanelles. From the information of others, however, Mr. F. said he had no doubt, that the requisite permission could be obtained by asking it in a proper form and manner. The free intercourse with the Euxine would, he said be of much advantage to us in another point of view. At present, all our commerce with Turkey is carried on through Smyrna. Several ports of the Dardanelles, Mr. F. said, would be more convenient for his purpose than Smyrna. Upon the whole, he thought it quite advisable to have an enquiry made into this subject through the medium of a Committee of the House.

Mr. Stevens, of Connecticut, said, in reference to Mr. Fuller's intimation, said that permission to pass the Straits could be obtained if asked in a proper manner, that he presumed the agent who asked it must go with something in his hand, and suggested the propriety of ascertaining, before they went further, what would be the cost of this project.

Extract of a letter from New-York, dated 24th January, 1821:

Yesterday completed the drawing of the Literature Lottery, when the 10,000D prize came up to No. 17,764, and was sold at WAITES' Office the day before it was drawn, in shares, except one eighth, which remained unsold.—Ticket No. 14,846, drawn same day a prize of 1000D, was sold at Waites' in a whole ticket; No. 5063, same day, a prize of 500D, sold in shares; No. 7579, same day, a prize of 500D, sold in a whole ticket; No. 4486, same day, a prize of 100D, in shares; No. 5242, same day, 100 D, in a whole ticket—all of which to persons in this city. In the Pennsylvania State Lottery, on Saturday afternoon, No. 18,373 came up a prize of 5000D, and No. 16,740, 1000D, both of which were sold and immediately paid at WAITES' Office in Philadelphia.

MASTERSHIP OF St. CATHERINE'S

This place is in the gift of her Majesty, and Alderman Wood is expected succeed Sir Herbert Taylor who, it is said, is about to retire. It is supposed to produce £2000 a year.

A steam boat has been recently built at Liverpool for the navigation of the Tagus. We perceive, by a Liverpool paper, that she left Liverpool for Lisbon on the 5th of November, and arrived at the latter place after a passage of four days.

Liberty.

Equality.

REPUBLIC OF HAYTI.

John P. Boyer, president of Hayti.
TO THE HAYTIANS,

Haytians!—The time of discord and division is passed. The day of re-union and concord, the most happy in my life, is arrived.—Children of the same family, we have all rallied under the shade of the sacred tree of liberty. The Constitution is restored throughout Hayti; from the north to the south, from the east to the west, the Republic beholds citizens devoted to its prosperity and independence.—I will not recount the history of your past miseries; preserve the memory of them in order to secure yourselves against the recurrence of such evils. After having taken up arms to free ourselves and our fathers from a wretched state of slavery, to which we were in subjection two centuries; after we had poured out our blood and made the greatest sacrifices for the country, who could have imagined that we should have become the victims of ambitious men, who did every thing for themselves and nothing for the people. You know their names. Their fatal celebrity fixed all those dreadful evils upon the country, and has sent their names down to posterity with the execrations of an oppressed people. You have before your eyes the history of the iniquitous Government of Christophe, whose caprices were the supreme law. This ought to convince you that at all times the law should emanate from the general will, and not from the fancy of the individual who is placed at the head of the state.

The Constitution of the Republic, the work of Representatives of all the Departments, has established wise securities against arbitrary power. If during fourteen years, it has blessed those which remain faithful to its provisions, it shall now constitute the happiness of those whom the rebel Christophe led into error, and who this day shall return to the Constitutional Government. But to obtain this result, it is necessary, Haytians, that each one of you divest himself of all personal considerations, of all particular pretensions, recollecting that every man's services are for the country, and not for himself, disdaining all advantages which take their sources in intrigue or favour.

We ought never to forget the names of those brave patriots who ceased not to contend against despotism to the very last. Those who gave the most solemn pledge to the people, to make an effort for the recovery of their liberty, are worthy of the national remembrance.

I regret that that blood of which I shall always be sparing flowed so profusely; all my care shall now be to spare. My order of the 17th, sent express to the Cape, by my aid-de-camp, did not arrive time enough to save the life of the son of Christophe or those officers who have been most conspicuous in executing the barbarous orders of his government.

Haytians! the past is forgotten. I declare it most solemnly; believe me; haste to concur with the government in its designs to establish the independence of the country. The first Pre-

sident of Hayti is the depositary of the public tranquillity and prosperity. He will spare neither pains nor cares, in making this his duty. Let every citizen imitate his example, and the wounds of the country, occasioned by this civil war, will very soon be healed.

Haytians! render thanks to the Supreme Being, who has permitted us to unite as one nation, and has brought us together as brethren. We pray that we may be inspired with sentiments of peace, and that we may leave our children the heritage of peace in a free and independent country.

Vive la République!

Vive la Constitution!

Vive la Liberté et l'Egalité.

Given at the National Palace at Cape Hayti, the 26th October, 1820, and in the 17th year of Independence.

BOYER,

By the President,

B. INGINAC,

The Secretary General.

CHARLESTON, Jan. 11,

From St. Domingo.—Capt. Wise, of the brig Essex, arrived yesterday from port au Prince, which place he left on the 21st ult. informs, that 3 days previous to his departure, President Boyer arrived there from Cape Henry, with 16000 troops, among whom were the body guards of the late Christophe. His return was succeeded by great rejoicings and illuminations, during which all business was suspended. The tranquillity of the Island was deemed to be completely established, and the consolidation of its government under Boyer was hailed with universal satisfaction.

Markets were dull—American Produce freely admitted.

Capt. Wise brought Despatches for Government.

Extract of a letter to the Editor of the Emancipator, from a correspondent in Norfolk, (Vir.) dated August 27th, 1820.

"There is now a law in this State, which took place the first day of January last, which prohibits schools being kept for teaching colored people, under the penalty of three dollars for every offence, if free; or 20 lashes on the bare back; or if slaves, 20 lashes. It subjects white persons to the same penalty, and enjoins on all magistrates and sheriffs under penalty of eight dollars, for refusing to execute the law. The informer is to have the whole of the fine.

"My wife, who had a sabbath school for colored children, which she taught gratis for 3 or 4 years past, has been compelled to give it up, although none were admitted but those who were free, and those who had written permits from their owners. She had more than a hundred scholars at a time; although the school was supported by some of the best men in town, and several of the magistrates, yet I was presented before the grand jury, and nothing saved me but the presentment being made before the law became in force. Before I consented for the school to be broken up, I consulted with the States' Attorney, who was much in favour of the school, and a pious man, who said it was so pointedly against the laws, that he himself, as the prosecutor, would be obliged to take notice of it. "I am so disgusted with my native State, that if I could dispose of my property without

too great a sacrifice; old as I am, I would remove to a land of liberty!!!"

A serious question occurs—whether our *fifteen hundred thousand* AFRICAN SLAVES are less worthy of moral and religious instruction than the pagans and Hindostans? The latter, though sunk in the depths of pagan darkness, are comparatively free and happy. The former, deprived of personal, civil, and religious liberty, are generally subjected to severe servitude, and often to hunger, cold, and nakedness, ignorance, contempt, and scourging, having no comfortable dwellings, &c.

"Behold the tears of the oppressed! On the side of their oppressors there is power—but they have no comforter!" no resource under heaven! Well may even a Jefferson, "tremble for his country," under the terrible reflection that divine justice "cannot sleep forever."

Self preservation, by the sagacity of a dog.—

A widow lady, in the neighbourhood of Boston, possessing a small Spaniel lap dog, on retiring to rest, was very much annoyed by the anxiety of the animal to sleep in her chamber; she had even to drive him out; but he still continued to bark and scratch for admittance, which was granted. After she had retired to rest, she was aroused by his barking, and pulling the clothes; and he even bit her to arouse her—when, to her horror, she found her child, (of five years of age) in fits, owing, as it turned out, by having a cylinder of coals in her chamber. This is another instance of the effects of charcoal, and the sagacity of the dog.

PROVINCIAL PARLIAMENT OF LOWER-CANADA.

"A Bill, to provide for the Trial of Impeachments in this Province," being at present under discussion in the House of Assembly, the following extracts from the proceedings of the Legislative Council, relative to the same important subject, will no doubt be highly interesting to the public at this moment.

Extract from the printed Journals of the Legislative Council, page 89.

TUESDAY, 34 March, 1817.

The Members convened, were:

The Honorable the Chief Justice, Speaker;
The Honorable Messrs. Hale, Duchesnay, De Gaspé, Ryland, Cuthbert, Grant, Revd. J. O. Plessis, Bishop of the Roman Catholic Church of Quebec; Irvine, Perceval, Perrault, Scott, Coffin, McKenzie, De Léry.

The Honorable Mr. Ryland, from the Committee charged to draw up an Address to His Royal Highness the Prince Regent, to thank His Royal Highness for the signification of his pleasure on the subject of the Address of this House of the third of March, 1817, Reported that the Committee had prepared the said Address, which was read by the Clerk, was agreed to by the House, and is as follows:

To His Royal Highness the Prince Regent, of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland.

MAY IT PLEASE YOUR ROYAL HIGHNESS.

We His Majesty's most dutiful and loyal subjects the Legislative Council of Lower-Canada in Provincial Parliament assembled, do beseech Your Royal Highness to accept our hum-

ble and grateful thanks for the signification of Your Royal Highness's most gracious pleasure (in answer to the Address of this House of the third day of March, 1817,) that, in the case of Mr. Justice Foucher, and in all similar cases of Impeachments by the Assembly of this Province, the adjudication of the charges preferred against the party accused shall be left to the Legislative Council."

"We, at the same time, humbly beg leave to assure Your Royal Highness that this great and important Parliamentary privilege conferred upon the Legislative Council, is considered by this House as the highest mark of confidence that the Crown can bestow upon it, and that it will ever be the earnest wish and endeavour of this House so to discharge the important duties, which under this arrangement will devolve upon the Legislative Council, as to give complete satisfaction to Your Royal Highness, and to all classes of His Majesty's subjects in this Province."

ORDERED, That an humble Address be presented to His Excellency the Governor in Chief, requesting him to lay the humble Address of this House to His Royal Highness the Prince Regent at the foot of the Throne, in such way as he may judge the most proper.

Journals for 1817. Page 267.

The Members convened, were:

The Honorable the Chief Justice, Speaker;
The Honorable Messrs. De St. Ours, Hale, Duchesnay, Caldwell, De Gaspé, Ryland, McGillivray, Revd. J. O. Plessis, Bishop of the Roman Catholic Church of Quebec, Perceval, De Salaberry, Burns, Scott, Coffin, McKenzie, Targeon.

It was moved to resolve, by the Honorable Mr. De St. Ours, as we are informed,

That the declaration of the late Governor in Chief, of the 24 day of March last, upon the subject of the Address of this House to His Royal Highness the Prince Regent, of the 3d day of March, 1817, doth give to the Legislative Council full and complete authority, in the case of Mr. Justice Foucher, and in all similar cases of Impeachments, whensoever the same shall be preferred by the Assembly, to adjudge the charges preferred against the party accused, and to offer to His Majesty the opinion and advice of this House thereon. That in the exercise of the powers and privileges granted by the Crown in all cases of Impeachments by the Assembly, this House will be guided, as far as circumstances will permit, by the Rules, usages and precedents to be found in the Journals of the Imperial Parliament, subject nevertheless to such special instructions as this House may, from time to time, receive from the crown, through His Majesty's Representative, for its guidance and direction, and that a copy of this Resolution, with a copy of the Address of this House, of the third day of March last, to His Royal Highness the Prince Regent, be sent by one of the Masters in Chancery to the House of Assembly.

It was moved,

Whether this be a single motion or not,

It was resolved that the said motion was a single motion.

The Honorable Mr. Irvine enters, and the said motion being read, after debates,

It was moved,

That the consideration of this motion be postponed to Monday next.

The same being objected to, after debate,

The question of concurrence being put on the motion of postponement,

It was resolved in the affirmative.

MR. EDITOR,
SIR,

"They do me wrong, and I will not endure it."

After sneaking through the streets of this city for the greater part of a very inclement day, in search of an honest bit, and enduring the thwacks and kicks of many a wicked urchin after running the gauntlet amidst the whips and yells of the town carters, I had nigh perished with hunger and cold, when I fortunately got my scent. The morsel to which I put my nose, and at which I licked my famished lips, was not of the first quality, it would not have tempted the dainty appetites of many of my race, perhaps better fed than taught; but as it had been carefully protected from the drift by a covering of paper, I bethought me that "*hungry dogs must eat dirty pudding*," and I commenced my repast accordingly.

When my meal was made, (with as much grace as possible) I returned thanks for my good fortune, for I hate an ungrateful dog, and standing on three legs, (from the severity of the cold,) I began to "*pore over the small print*" which had covered my dainty, when to my great astonishment and alarm, I found it to be part of your valuable paper of the 30th ult. which contained many unworthy insinuations against my species in general, and a strong recommendation of taxation.

Thus situated (although not a Subscriber,) and never having even "*promised to pay*" my guinea, I thought myself at full liberty to examine the whole statement, during which my feelings were painfully excited, accompanied by sundry twitchings round my neck, and under my right ear.

The attack was base, and in a moment of irritation, I exclaimed, now could I "*snarl, and bite, and play the dog*;" my ill humour was however subdued by the workings of my better feelings, and I determined to apply for redress, where it is seldom refused, and I crouch at your feet, fully assured you will give me your assistance.

My respect for the very worthy and humane, and enlightened magistrates of this great city is unbounded, and I feel acquitted of having, in the most trifling degree, shewn any contempt for their worships, while my admiration of their sagacity is not to be expressed. I wish with all my heart the *muzzle* was more generally applied, which would effectually check the bite or bark of the many cross-bred, ill-fed mongrels, who are constantly shewing their venomous teeth.

It is true the race is numerous, but were the public aware of the description of the food which in general falls to its share, they ought to be grateful for the reduction of the offensive offal which is thus removed from the highways, and "*few of the poor of this metropolis*" would partake of, or envy us the "*dogs' meat*" that comes within our reach.

The dogs of this country are not as in England fed on *lights*, nor will I on that head suf-

folks any longer to be kept in the dark.

I deny the truth of the Subscriber's assertion, that "there is scarcely a dog to be seen in the cities of the *Mother Country*;" my mother, (and a pretty bitch she was) was of the true English breed, and has often delighted my cropped-ears with tales of her intrigues, her feeding, and the merry gambols she and her playmates had in the squares and public walks of London, there, says she, (bless the slut) I have met many a citizen dog, taking his peregrinations attended by one at least of the *Livery*, who carefully carried him over every puddle that endangered the comfort of his little feet. 'Tis now, alas, I fear "neck or nothing" with us all, I see the fate which hangs over me, my existence hangs on a thread, but I will not turn tail, nor cease to defend myself while I have the power of resistance; something whispers that if I do right, I shall do well, and therefore I write to you. I will not suffer the log, nor will I be attacked with impunity.

Pray then, Sir, exert your influence to save us, and you shall, to use the elegant and emphatic language of the "Subscriber" know to your own knowledge, that I know how to be grateful.

I am, Sir,
your unhappy dog,
BOW-WOW.

Quebec, 3d Feb. 1821.

MR. CARY,

Please insert for the information of the "Subscriber" who appeared in your last paper so much astonished at a person's freezing Mercury by means of an artificial cold in a cold day, that he may do the same in a warm day, with the following mixtures.

First—Snow or Pounded Ice, and
Muriate of Soda, *Equal parts*.

Second—Muriate of Lime, *two parts*,
Snow or Pounded Ice, *one part*.

Into the first, let the Mercury be placed, and it brings it down to cypher; then remove it to the second, and the Mercury congeals, and is malleable.

Yours, PHILOM.

THE QUEBEC MERCURY.

QUEBEC, FEBRUARY 6, 1821.

Disappointed of fresh dates from Europe, by the almost total inaccessibility of the American ports to shipping, arising from extraordinary quantities of ice on the coast, what remains for us but to have recourse to the politics of our neighbours for the exercise of our pen.

One of our nearest neighbors is the state of New-York. We sometime ago observed that Governor Clinton, in his speech, at the opening of the short November session, mentioned, in a theoretical way, interferences on the part of the officers of the general government with the politics of the particular State governments.—Though the legislature of the state of New-York was called together at that period for a special purpose, that of appointing electors of President and Vice-President of the Union, and was, in consequence, to be of only a few days duration, yet a majority being found in opposition to the Clintonian party, which is the party of the governor, Mr. Clinton was called

upon by the senate for proofs of his allegations or suggestions. This he very civilly promised to furnish in due time. After four days, when an adjournment was about to take place, the senate renewed its call on the governor for the fulfilment of his promise, though the session had not been expected to last so long as the few days that it did last. The governor in reply said that he would attend to their applications in the ensuing session, which was to take place in January. This last message the senate, very unhandsomely, ordered the clerk to return to the governor. These circumstances we formerly set forth; but find it necessary to repeat them for the right understanding of the sequel.

In the present session, which began in January, the governor transmitted the promised proofs in a message, not to the senate, but to the assembly; for it appears that His Excellency feels his dignity so wounded by the conduct of the senate, that he declines communicating with them. The documents accompanying the message to the assembly, furnish a mass of evidence of the active interference of a number of officers of the general government, in the last election for governor of the state of New York, in favor of Mr. Tompkins, vice president of the Union, in opposition to Mr. Clinton. The documents are said to be stronger than was expected, even by Mr. Clinton's friends. Several post masters were displaced for voting for Mr. Clinton.

Another subject of party division in the state of New York, arises from a bill having past the two houses, through which it was hurried in the same short November session, though, as we observed before, convened for only one object. This bill was to call a convention of the people of the state, for the purpose of amending the State constitution. The bill was rejected by the Council of Revision, of which the governor is one, on the ground of irregularity; because it called a convention without first consulting the people whether such a convention was wished for by them; and because it exposed the whole constitution to be subverted, when only parts required emendations. At any rate, the people being the source of all government, any change should be their act.

These are the great sources of the jarrings of our neighbours, the New Yorkers arising principally from the governor's party, in the legislature, being in the minority.

The rage for long speeches does not seem to prevail less in the State legislatures than in Congress. As every speech prolongs the pay, not of the speaker only, but of every member of the legislature, every long speech may be considered a long pull at the public purse; therefore every speaker has fair play to administer as many opiates to his brother law givers, as his lungs, his breath; and the out pourings of the spirit, will enable him to jog on,

'Till of his lungs stretching leather,
He has reach'd the utmost tether.

On Saturday last the Assembly were in committee on the bill to incorporate the bar of this province. The debates lasted for some time. The bill met with more opposition than might have been expected, when we consider the number and talents of the gentlemen of the bar who compose part of that house. However, there appears to exist some alarm that these gentle

men are acquiring too great an ascendancy in public affairs; and, on the committee reporting progress, and asking leave to sit again on the first Monday in March, there were for the motion 19, against it 17.

Unfortunate accident.—On Sunday last, the son of Mr. Francis Dovey, carpenter of St. John Suburbs, was unfortunately run over by a Tandem. The boy, about ten years of age, was playing in the main street, when a Tandem cariole, in which were three young lads, came past, no doubt at an improper rate; and before the child had time to escape, ran over him. The consequence was that one of his arms was broken above the elbow, and he likewise received a severe contusion on the thigh. We cannot let the present opportunity pass without noticing the very inconsiderate conduct of some parents in this city, who allow their children daily to drive even Tandems about the streets of the city and suburbs, to the very great hazard of the lives of the citizens; and we may add to the very great detriment of the society, by encouraging their sons in idle and frivolous pursuits, at an age when they ought to be at school.

On Saturday night, about 10 o'clock, the inhabitants of the Lower Town were alarmed by the cry of fire, which proceeded from the *Cul de Sac*.—It was occasioned by a fire having commenced in the ship chandlery store of Mr. Isaac Wilson, the nature of whose stock in trade, added to the crowded neighbourhood of his residence, increased the apprehensions of those who repaired to the scene of the calamity.

The danger was discovered by a female servant, who informed Mr. W. (just as he was retiring to bed) that smoke was coming up stairs. After examining the apartments occupied as a dwelling house, and in which there were stoves, and perceiving nothing remarkable, Mr. W. was disposed to imagine that the servant only fancied it was smoke. A few moments, happily for himself and the surrounding population, disclosed the error, for on opening a door, communicating with the lower shop, the smoke ascended in such volumes as nearly to suffocate him.—The alarm was immediately given, and by the spirited and persevering exertions of the public, the danger was happily arrested, without doing more damage than might be expected from a fire which had so nearly got beyond the controul to which, providentially, it yielded.—Upon examination there can be no doubt but the destructive element had been long concealed, and proceeded (owing to the faulty construction of the *flues*) from embers falling against the chimney-stopper, put up to prevent the smoke.

TO CORRESPONDENTS.

SCRUTATOR must remain under consideration. In our Supplement, with some trivial alterations, it will probably appear.

Proceeding of the LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL, on the Impeachments, continued.

Extract from the printed Journals of the Legislative Council, for the year 1819, page 345. Wednesday, 10th February.

The Members convened, were:
The Honorable the Chief Justice, Speaker;
The Honorable Messrs. De St. Ours, Hale,

Duchesnay, Callwell, De Gaspé, Cuthbert, Burns, Scott, Coffin, Taschereau, McKenzie, Turgeon, Gagy.

The House, according to order, resumed the debates on the motion of Friday last, "that the declaration of the late Governor in Chief, of the 2d day of March last, upon the subject of the Address of this House to His Royal Highness the Prince Regent, of the 3d day of March, 1817, doth give to the Legislative Council full and complete authority, in the case of Mr. Justice Foucher, and in all cases of Impeachments whenever the same shall be preferred by the Assembly before this House, to adjudge the charges preferred against the party accused, and to offer to His Majesty the opinion and advice of this House thereon; that in the exercise of the powers and privileges granted by the Crown, in all cases of Impeachments by the Assembly, this House will be guided, as far as circumstances will permit, by the Rules, usages and precedents in the Journals of the Imperial Parliament, subject nevertheless to such special instructions as this House may, from time to time, receive from the crown, through His Majesty's Representative, for its guidance and direction, and that a copy of this resolution, with a copy of the Address of this House, of the third day of March last, to His Royal Highness the Prince Regent, be sent by one of the Masters in Chancery to the House of Assembly."

It was moved by way of amendment, That all the words after the word "that," in the first line of the said original motion, be struck out, and the following inserted, "the declaration of the royal pleasure contained in the Message of the Governor in Chief, of the 2d. of March last, upon the subject of the Address of this House to His Royal Highness the Prince Regent, of the 3d of March, 1817, assures to the Legislative Council, in the most unequivocal manner, the privilege in the case of Mr. Justice Foucher, and in all similar cases of Impeachments, whenever the same shall be preferred by the Assembly, to adjudge the charges preferred against the party accused, and that in the exercise of the powers and privileges of the Legislative Council, in all cases of Impeachments by the Assembly, this House will be guided, as far as circumstances will admit by the Rules, usages and precedents to be found in the Journals of the Imperial Parliament."

The Honorable and Revd. J. O. Plessis, Bishop of the Roman Catholic Church of Quebec, enters.

The question of concurrence being put on this motion,

It was resolved in the affirmative.

HOUSE OF ASSEMBLY, JANUARY—1821.

WEDNESDAY, 31st.—An engrossed Bill to incorporate certain persons, authorising them to purchase a lot of ground in St. Lawrence Suburbs of Montreal, to establish a public market place, was passed and sent to the Legislative Council.

Resolved, That a humble address be presented to his Excellency the Governor in Chief, praying that he will cause to be laid before the House a statement of the articles liable to duty which have passed on their way to Upper-Canada at Côteau-du-Lac, since 1816.

Resolved, That further consideration of the Bill for regulating trials by impeachment, be referred to Tuesday next.

The Bill from the Legislative Council, entitled "An

Act for the summary trial of certain actions," was read a second time.—On motion being made that the Bill be read a third time on Friday next, Mr. Speaker declined receiving the motion, stating that the Bill tended to lay a burden upon the Public, and that such Bills ought to originate in the House of Assembly.—An appeal was made to the House from Mr. Speaker's decision.—The House having divided, there were Yeas, 16 and Nays, 16.

FRIDAY, 2d February.—An engrossed Bill to appropriate a certain sum of money for the internal communications of the County of Orleans, was passed and sent to the Legislative Council.

The Report of the Committee upon the accounts of the public revenue, and the estimate of the Civil List was read.

Ordered, That the House proceed to hear the witnesses relating to the election of John Jones, Jun. Esq. for the County of Bedford.

SATURDAY, 3d.—The second reading of the Bills to incorporate the Cities of Quebec and Montreal, was postponed to Friday next.

The House in Committee on the Bill to incorporate the Bar, made some progress, and obtained leave to sit again on the first Monday in March.

The House then proceeded on the County of Bedford election, until adjourned.

MONDAY, 5th.—A Bill to facilitate the Administration of Justice, in small matters, in the County Parishes, was received, read a first time, and ordered to be read a second time on Wednesday.

A Bill to regulate the landing place, at the market, in the Lower-Town, was read a first time, and is to be read a second time on Saturday.

A Bill to prevent the introduction of infectious diseases, &c. was read a first time, and ordered to be read a second time on Saturday.

By Auction will be Sold, on TUESDAY the 13th inst at the Dwelling House of the late Mr. JOHN SIEA, Boade Street.

All the Household Furniture appertaining to the Succession of the deceased, consisting in Dining and Card Tables, Sofas, Chairs, a handsome and well toned Piano Forte, cost 60 guineas, an Egg Day Clock, Gold and Silver Watches, silver Plate and Crockery-ware, Bedsteads and Bedding, Linen and Wearing Apparel, Stoves and Pipes, Kitchen Utensils, &c.

Also, All the Stock in Trade of the deceased, consisting in Leather Boots, Shoes of every description, and a variety of articles in his line of business.—Sale to begin at ONE o'clock, and to be continued at the same hour from day to day until the whole be disposed of.

J. BELANGER,

Quebec, 6th Feby. 1821.

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Tout le fonds de commerce du decédé, consistant en Boites de cuir, souliers de toutes sortes, et une variété d'autres articles.

L'Encaen commencera à UNE heure et continuera chaque jour à la même heure, jusqu'à ce que tout soit vendu.

J. BELANGER, N. P.

Quebec, 6 Février, 1821.

ISAAC WILSON returns his grateful thanks to his Friends and the public in general, by whose prompt and continued exertions, on Saturday last, his own property and that of the neighborhood, were reserved from the imminent danger of destruction by fire.

Côté-du-Sac, 6th February, 1821.

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Quebec, 6th Feb. 1821.

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6th Feb. 1821.

Upper-Town Market Place

TO LET,

And possession given on First May next.

THE Upper part of the New House, corner of St. Louis and St. Anne Streets, now occupied by Lt.-Col. McKensie, 60th Regt.

ALSO,

THE pleasantly situated House in St. Valier Suburbs, on the road leading to Dorchester Bridge, now occupied by Paymaster READ, 60th Regt. together with a large garden, good stabling and coach-house, and an adjoining field.

Apply at No. 11, St. Ursule Street, or at Wardele & Fraser's Counting House.

Quebec, 6th February, 1821.

TO LET, and possession given on the 1st of May next, two Houses adjoining each other,

occupied by Mr. T. Mackay, opposite Messrs. Irvine, Macnaught & Co.'s House and Stores, near the Wharves, Champlain Street.—The above property will be Let separately or together.—For particulars apply to Mr. ARCHD. CAMPBELL, Notary Public.

6th Feby. 1821.

TO LET,

THAT Central situated House, No. 5, Garden Street, now occupied as a Grocery Store by Mr. John Noad.

It has a very convenient Yard, Out-Houses, Stables, Wine Cellars, &c. For further particulars application to be made to Louis Panet, Esq. N. P. Boade-Street, Upper-Town.

JAS. OLIVA,

Feb. 3d, 1821.

TO SELL OR LET,

THE Dwelling House, extensive Garden and Premises of Mr. Justice Kerr, in St. John Suburbs.

The House was very lately painted, and put in complete repair, and has in it three Grates, Venetian Blinds, and other fixtures. There are an Oven and a Well in the kitchen. The Stable and Coach-house are spacious and in good order.

The House and sufficient ground for offices will be disposed of with or without the garden, in which there are Asparagus Beds, with a great variety of Apple, Plum and Cherry Trees, and Gooseberry, White Raspberry and Currant Bushes.

Persons desirous of treating either for the whole or small parts of the Garden, and Yard are referred to

L. T. McPHERSON, Esq. N. P.

St. Peter Street,

A servant lives in the house, who will shew the premises.—5th February, 1821.

LEAF TOBACCO.

12 Hogsheads Tobacco, (James River.)

For Sale,

GEORGE BLUMHART.

Quebec, Feb. 6th 1821.

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FOR SALE, the property of *Wolfe's Field*, about 14 mile from Louis-Gate. Easy terms of payment will be allowed, and possession will be given in all June next. In the intermediate time the improving of the land, garden, &c. goes on, and the whole will be found in such order as seldom to be met with in this country. Apply to the Subscriber, at *Wolfe's Field*, or at the Counting-house of Messrs. **BELL & STEWART**, Quebec.
D. MONRO.

June 20, 1820.

THE Subscriber has received by the late arrivals in addition to his former stock of Groceries, the following articles:—

- 1 butt fine Currants,
- 30 boxes fresh Muscatel Raisins,
- 1 box macaroni,
- 1 do. Vermicelli,
- 10 hampers double Gloucester Cheese,
- 1 bale Isinglass, (1st quality)

Also, on hand,

A small assortment of handsome cut Glassware, consisting of Tumblers, Wine Glasses, Custard Cups, Jelly Glasses and Finger Basins.

WILLIAM SIMS, u

Quebec, 5th Novr. 1819. Upper-Town Market Place

Building Lots,

TO be conceded for ever, at *Lower Bijou*, joining St. Valier Suburbs.

MICHEL SAVAGEAU.

Lower Bijou, 1820.

SPARKLING CHAMPAIN.

A FEW Dozens for Sale by the Subscriber, on *Goodie's Wharf*.

H. ATKINSON.

January 3rd 1820.

The Subscriber

HAS just received by different vessels from Europe a general assortment of Superfine Fashionable Cloths, the best Double-milled Casimeres, Silk Florrenten, Toillinet, Waistcoat patterns, Baracans for Shooting Jackets, Camlet for Boat Cloaks, &c. &c. all of the very best quality, which the subscriber will make up in the most fashionable style and shortest notice.

GEORGE ARNOLD,

Sous-le-Fort street, the Queen's Wharf.

N. B. And a general assortment of Groceries; likewise English Hams, &c. &c. &c.

May 2nd, 1820.

GERRARD, FINLAY & Co. have for Sale, at their Stores:

Jamaica and Leeward Island rum, brandy, gin, Irish whiskey, Canadian whiskey, port, Madeira, sherry, Tenerife and other wines, ginger, Jamaica sugar, shrub and lime juice, tin-plates, copper in bars, cordage. Also prime pork, hickory nuts and buffalo skins. And at the coopers, staves, white oak timber, elm timber and white pine.

Quebec, 30th Oct.

MONTCALEM HOUSE. DANCING ACADEMY.

MISS ASPINALL, pupil of the celebrated "Vestris" gives instruction in the most fashionable Quadrilles, Waltzes and Spanish Dances, as they are danced at "Willis's," "Ainack's" and the "Argyle Rooms," London.

Days for the attendance of junior pupils, every **WEDNESDAY** and **SATURDAY**, from Two to Five o'clock. A Musician regularly attends the Academy during the lesson hours.

Miss E. ASPINALL's Preparatory School continues open, for the limited number of twelve, young pupils, under the age of ten years.

Terms for instruction, in Needle Work, English Grammar, Writing and Arithmetic, Two Guineas per Quarter, and One Guinea entrance—Boys under eight admitted.

Quebec, 16th Jan. 1821.

A VENDRE,

LA Propriété appelée *WOLFE'S FIELD*, à environ un mille et trois quarts en dehors de la Porte St. Louis. On accordera des facilités pour le paiement, et il sera donné possession du tout dans le mois de Juin prochain. Jusqu'à ce tems-là, on continuera de cultiver la terre, le jardin, &c. et le tout sera remis à l'acquéreur dans un ordre qu'il est rare de trouver dans ce pays. S'adresser au Soussigné à *Wolfe's field*, ou au comptoir de Messrs. **BELL & STEWART**, à Québec.

20e Juin, 1820.

D. MONRO.

FOR SALE, **EIGHT** pipes superior London particular Madeira Wine, landing this day at Messrs. McCallum & Co's wharf.
CHAS. F. AYLWIN.
Oct. 20, 1820.

To Let, in the Lower-Town Market place, **THAT** central Counting-Room, in Mr. P. Brunaux's house, formerly occupied by Mr. Archibald Campbell, N. P. with part of the back store, and a vault. Entry on the 1st May next. Enquire at John Esson's.
Lower-Town, 3d April, 1820.

B. COLE,

Bell-Hanger, Wire-maker, & Cribble-maker,
No. 21 St. John Street.

THANKFUL for the encouragement received since his commencement in business, he begs to inform the Gentlemen of Quebec and its vicinity, that he still continues to manufacture every thing in the above business, as usual.

Old Cribbles repaired, and all orders executed with punctuality and despatch.
Quebec, Feb. 21st. 1820.

D. READER, from London, late foreman to R. Gair, House, Coach, Sign and Ornamental Painter, respectfully begs leave to intimate that he has commenced business in the above line on his own account, and trusts from his long experience and moderate terms he will be enabled to give satisfaction to those who may favour him with their commands.

Chairs and all other furniture painted and ornamented to every pattern. Glazing done in the best manner.

No. 25, St. Joseph Street, St. Roch, nearly opposite Dr. Royley.—Quebec, 18th Sept. 1820.

WILLIAM NORTHGRAVES,

Watch and Clock Maker, Silversmith and Jeweller, 15, Fabrique-street,

RESPECTFULLY informs his friends and the public in general that he has received by the late arrivals a handsome assortment of Watches, in gold, silver and gilt cases, jewelled, capped, and seconds, warranted of the best workmanship, which he will sell low for cash.

NB. Keeps constantly on hand a neat assortment of goods in his line. Buys old gold and silver.

Repairs Clocks and Watches repaired in the best manner, and on reasonable terms.
Quebec, 7th Sept. 1820.

ENGLISH ACADEMY.

No. 6, St. Stanislaus-street, Upper-Town.

R. MILBOURN respectfully intimates to his friends and the public that his Evening Instructions, for the evening season, did recommence on Monday, the 16th ult. Hours—from 7 till 9.
Quebec, Oct. 17, 1820.

CLERGY RESERVES.

HIS Majesty having been graciously pleased to erect and constitute a Corporation, consisting of the Bishop of this Diocese and the Clergy of the Church of England holding benefices within this Province, for the superintending, managing and conducting the Reserves made or to be made for the support of a Protestant Clergy within the Province, **PUBLIC NOTICE** is hereby given, that all Leases of such Reserves will in future be granted by the said Corporation; and that applications for the same are to be made either to the Secretary of the Corporation at Quebec, or to the Clergyman of the Church of England residing nearest to the lot to be applied for:—

Notice is also further given to those persons—whether holding Clergy Reserves under lease or occupying them without title, who are in arrear in the payment of rent for the lots respectively held by them, that the Ministers of the Church of England residing nearest to such lots are severally authorized on the part of the Corporation to receive arrears of Rent, or in cases where such arrears shall be large, to compound for them; such composition to be subject to the approbation of the Principal and Directors of the Corporation:—

And all persons, so in arrear, are called upon to make payment forthwith accordingly, and to prevent, thereby, the necessity of further proceedings against them.

By order of the Corporation,

ANDREW WM. COCHRAN, Secy.

Quebec, 13th June, 1820.

FOR SALE by **GEORGE BROWNE, S.** Stanislaus Street, Upper Town, White sparkling Champagne, Old Hock, Constantia, Sauterne, Vin de Grave, Claret, Madeiras, Port and Teneriff Wines, East India Atrack, Noyau, London Brown Stont and Porter, Taunton Ale, &c. &c. warranted Genuine and of the best quality; Also 25,000 fresh cut 3 inch Standard Deals and 120 spars of different dimensions.

N. B.—A few dozens superior old crusted Port Wine.

29th August, 1820.

RICHARD DALLOW, Taylor, requests his friend to be particular, and the public in general, to accept his sincere thanks for the generous encouragement with which he has been favored, and he trusts that his attention and punctuality to orders, will entitle him to a continuation of their favours, which he respectfully solicits.

And he has just received per the St. Lawrence, from London, a general and complete assortment of goods in his line, consisting of superfine cloths and casemirs, tailors &c. which he will make up in the most fashionable style for cash or approved credit.

No. 24, sous-le-fort street,

Oct. 24, 1820.

RECENTLY received, and for Sale, by the Subscriber:—

- 12 pipes } Spanish Wine,
- 10 Hds. }
- 24 Casks Smoked Hams,
- 25 Casks Lard,
- 88 Boxes Soap and Candles,
- 80 Casks Nails,
- 2 Casks Black Lead,
- 2 Casks Printing Ink,

BELL & STEWART.

Quebec, 3d August, 1820.

NOW landing from on Board the Zephyr, from London, which will be sold very low, 20 pipes of Pale Roussillon Geneva, 20 do. of Spanish Wine, 50 casks of Barrel Raisins, 50 boxes of fine Muscadine ditto, 2 casks of Zante Currants, 5 barrels of shell'd Almonds.

Apply to

HENRY ATKINSON.

Goodie's Wharf, Sept. 5th 1820.

LYMES & WOOLRICH not having disposed of the whole of their Stock of fine Goods at their late Auction, they beg to inform the Public they have a variety of the most fashionable Fancy Articles, remaining, besides many other descriptions of Goods.

ALSO,

A few sets of the best silver'd Paper Hanging, with rich Flock Borders, and a few Boxes of the best London Mould and Dip Candles warranted wax wicks, the whole of which will be sold cheap, for Cash only.
Palace-Street, Dec. 18, 1820.

FOR SALE,

By T. CARY, Junr. & Co. Freemasons' Hall,

A FEW COPIES OF

FRANCHERE'S VOYAGE,

To the RIVER COLUMBIA,

IN FRENCH.

Price, 7s 6d.

16 Jan. 1821.

COMTE' DE QUEBEC.

Québec, 25 Juiller, 1820.

LES Commissaires pour les Communications intérieures pour le Comté de Québec, donnent avis par le présent, qu'ils tiendront leur Bureau à la Maison de FELIX TREU, Ecuier, Rue des Pauvres, et que le dit Bureau sera ouvert tous les Lundis et Jendis entre neuf heures et midi, pour recevoir toutes communications qu'on pourra leur donner sur les améliorations à faire dans le dit Comté, pour faciliter de nouveaux moyens de communications, et aussi sur le montant probable des frais à faire pour parvenir à ces améliorations.

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