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**Iron, Tin and Cordage Warehouse,**  
Mr. Goudie's Steam Boat Ferry Wharf, St. Peter's Street.

THE Subscriber has on board the regular Trading ships from Great Britain.

A complete assortment of Bar, Bolt, Bundle, Rod and Nail Iron, of the best quality,

Hoop Iron of all sizes,

Tin for covering Houses,

Hawsers and tarred Cordage of superior quality equal to the Patent Cordage, Hambro, Cod and Mackerel Lines, best Salmon Twine.

These articles being direct from the Manufactories, will be sold at the lowest rates on arrival.

N. B. Orders taken for the above articles to be shipped from Great Britain at the Manufactories lowest prices.

ON SALE,

Bar and Bundle Iron, Steel, Sheet Iron for shutters & chimney tops, iron wire, cordage, lines & twines, crockery & lustered ware, shovels, spades, frying pans, vinegar in casks and jars, linseed oil, paint, putty, shot, japan mugs, horse shoe nails, brass and hair sieves, tacks, tinned spoons, a small assortment of brushes, brooms &c. &c. by

JAMES GEORGE.

Quebec, 22d May, 1817.

GOODS STORED, or sold on Commission as usual.

TO LET,

And possession given the 1st May next, on the subscriber's wharf, No. 8, St. Peter street:

THE OFFICES now occupied by Messrs. COLTMAN & HALL, with Cellars. Also, the Offices occupied in said building by Messrs. HENDERSON, BROTHER & Co. with the two upper floors of a store on said wharf. For further particulars, apply to

JOHN GOUDIE,

Ship builder, St. Rock.

Quebec, 5th April, 1817.

ADVERTISEMENT.

THE undersigned duly appointed Tatrix to the Minor Children issue of her marriage with the late Peter Brehaut, deceased, in his life time merchant of this city, informs the public that she has appointed Mr. GEORGE SYMES and Mr. PETER SHEPPARD, Agents, for the liquidation of the affairs of the Estate; she therefore requests all persons who have claims on said Estate, to exhibit them to the said Agents, and all such as are indebted to pay their respective amounts to them, and their receipts will be as valid as her own.

THERESE BREHAUT.

Quebec, 13th May, 1817.

Advertisement.

THE subscribers being duly appointed Agents for the liquidation of the affairs of the Estate of the late Peter Brehaut, Esqr. in his life time Merchant of this city, request all persons having claims against the Estate to produce their Accounts duly authenticated for adjustment and all such as may be indebted to the said Estate are desired to pay their respective amounts without delay otherwise their accounts will be placed in the hands of an Attorney to be sued for.

GEORGE SYMES,  
PETER SHEPPARD.

Quebec, 19th May, 1817.

NOTICE.

THE Subscribers inform the merchants and others that the Stores and Cellars on the Cape Diamond Brewery, and Pres de Ville Wharves occupied by Mrs. Brehaut are hired for the purpose of receiving any quantity of Grain or other Goods, and should any require Cribbing or Kildrying there are a number of Excellent Cribbles and a good Kilo for that purpose, as also a Fish Screw, at which any quantity of Fish can be packed on the shortest notice.—They assure that every attention will be paid to the preservation and security of any articles placed under their care on said properties.

GEORGE SYMES,  
PETER SHEPPARD.

Quebec, 16th May, 1817.

To be sold or Let.

THE House, Stores and Water Lot at the Canotrie formerly the property of Messrs. David Anderson, & Co.

THE Manor house at St. Roch, with the out-houses, Garden and Fields adjoining thereto.

Also to Let,

The CAPE DIAMOND BREWERY, and its appurtenances and Wharf.

The Cape Diamond Brewery Wharf, and Stores, The Wharf and Stores at Pres-de-Ville, now in the occupation of the Subscriber.

THERESE BREHAUT,

Quebec, 16th May, 1817.

FOR SALE,

On the Premises now occupied by Mrs. Brehaut at Pres-de-Ville,

LONDON particular, and London Market Madeira Wines, Port, Claret, Sicilian, Teneriffe, and Faval Wines in wood and bottles of the best quality, Jamaica Spirits, Cognac Brandy, a few barrels muscovado Sugar, a cable and a few coils Cordage, Oak Pine and Elm Timber, dressed and rough West India Staves, Cod Oil, Plaster of Paris, New-Castle Coals.

And at the Cape Diamond Brewery,

Burton Ale, Porter, Mild Ale, and Table Beer, of a very superior quality.

GEORGE SYMES,  
PETER SHEPPARD.

Quebec, 16th May, 1817.

To be sold, by Public Auction, on TUESDAY, the 1st July next,

THE convenient HOUSE, No. 8, Pres-de-Ville, at present occupied by Mrs. WISEMAN

For terms, or further particulars apply to the subscribing proprietor, JOHN SMITH, 17th May, 1817.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the firm of CHINIC, VEZINA & Co. Auctioneers, Brokers, and Commission Merchants, of this city, is this day dissolved by mutual consent. All those who are indebted to the said establishment, are requested to make immediate payment of their accounts; and those to whom the said concern stand indebted, are desired to send in their claims for liquidation.

JOS. M. CHINIC, jun.  
ALEX. A. VEZINA.

Quebec, 31st Dec. 1816.

A Louer pour l'Été,

TROIS CHAMBRES bien Meublées, avec une Etable, Remise, Jardin, &c. situé à Sainte-Foi.—Pour plus amples informations s'adresser à l'imprimerie, 5e. Mai, 1817.

FOR SALE,

By J. JONES, Jun. & Co.  
30 St. Peter, Street.

Fine and Super Fine Flour,

Indian Meal, in Bbls,

Crackers' in do.

Split Peas,

Prime and Mess Beef,

American Prime Pork,

Irish do. do.

Irish Hams and Bacon,

American Butter in kegs,

Irish Lard,

Herrings,

Irish Whiskey,

Twanky Tea,

Loaf Sugar,

Leaf Tobacco,

Harness Leather,

Crowly Steel,

Candies 4, 6 and dips,

Soap,

Best Cordage,

Seed Oats and Kilo dried do.

Plaster of Paris, useful to farmers

20th May 1817.

LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR'S OFFICE,

YORK, 19th FEBRUARY 1817.

THIS is to give notice that Tenders will be received at this Office from such Person or Person as may be desirous of Contracting to render the whole or any part of the Water Communication between La Chine and Kingston, by the course of the River Rideau navigable for Boats drawing two feet water and ten feet width. Also for Boats drawing three feet water and twelve feet in width.

The Tenders are to specify the number of Locks and the places at which it is proposed to build them; Also the number of Flood Gates in each Lock, and the period for completing the work by the Irish Creek.

Tenders will also be received for opening the Communication in the direction of the Rideau Lake, and the Water Communication from thence to Mud Lake and from thence to Kingston. Tenders signing the Securities for performing the Contract will be received till the 30th of June next inclusive; and further particulars may be known by applying to the surveyor General's Office at York, the Office of the Deputy Quarter Master General at Quebec, or the Assistant Quarter Master General at Kingston.—20th Febr. 1817.

BUREAU DU LIEUTENANT-GOUVERNEUR,

YORK, 19 FÉVRIER, 1817.

AVIS est donné par le présent, qu'on recevra à ce Bureau des propositions de telle personne ou personnes qui voudra ou voudront contracter, pour rendre navigable pour les chaloupes qui tirent deux pieds d'eau et ont dix pieds de largeur, toute ou aucune partie de la communication, par eau, entre La Chine et Kingston, par le cours de la rivière Rideau—aussi pour les chaloupes qui tirent trois pieds d'eau et ont douze pieds de largeur.

Les offres devront spécifier le nombre d'Écluses et ces endroits où l'on propose de les construire; aussi le nombre de portes à l'eau dans chaque, et le terme pour compléter l'ouvrage par Irish creek.

On recevra aussi des propositions pour ouvrir la communication dans la direction du Lac Rideau, et la communication par eau de La Chine au Lac à la Vase, et de là à Kingston.

On recevra des propositions, mentionnant les garanties pour l'accomplissement du contrat, jusqu'au 30me de Juin prochain inclusivement. Pour plus amples informations s'adresser au Bureau de l'Aidepeur Général à York, le Bureau du Deputy Quarter Master General à Québec, ou de l'Assistant Quarter Master General à Kingston.

20me, Février, 1817.

**LOUIS MASSUE & Co.**

**H**AVE received per the Alexander, Vickers from Liverpool and hourly expected per the Nelly from London, a neat and well chosen supply of Spring Goods comprising, plain and figured satin and sarsnet ribbons, 9 8 superfine light and dark ground chintz, furniture callico and dimity, white and plain cambrick, black sateen, India and Spitalfield bandannas, white, colored and black sarsnets, damask and plain twilled silk shawls, ladies' and gentlemen's silk and cotton gloves and stockings, ladies' leather, morocco and Jean boots and shoes, linen pocket handkerchiefs, cambricks, twilled nankeens, bombazet, blue, black, grey and white shalloon, linen diaper, table cloths, fringes, spermaceti candles, linseed oil, canister powder, playing cards, white sheep skins, nails, &c.

**ON HAND,**

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| 200 doz. cotton & wcr. hose.             | 120 doz. pins, assorted.                          |
| 100 doz. beaver and shammy gloves.       | 100 reams writing paper,                          |
| 10 do. lamb's wool drawers.              | 40 casks nails,                                   |
| 100 pieces coloured and black bombazet.  | 1,000 gross gilt, plated, and metal buttons,      |
| 25 do. coloured and white vest quilting. | 1,200 do. salmon twine,                           |
| 30 do. furniture dimity.                 | 20 doz. Hambro' lines,                            |
| 35 do. fine white jean.                  | 40 cwt. shot, assorted.                           |
| 100 do. white cotton.                    | 800 lbs Poland starch,                            |
| 30 do. Russia & ir. sheeting.            | 200 lbs fig blue,                                 |
| 150 do. Irish linen.                     | 45 doz. Dry & M's blacking,                       |
| 100 do. cotton ca. kerie.                | 80 doz. painting brushes,                         |
| 70 do. real French cambric.              | 250 do. cloth and shoe do.                        |
| 1 cis. cotton lace.                      | 70 sets fire irons,                               |
| 2 trunks sewing silks.                   | 280 dozen womens' morocco leather and jean shoes, |
| 1 do. silk umbrellas and parasols.       | 45 dozen mens' calf and hide do.                  |
| 6 cases cotton umbrellas.                | <b>ALSO,</b>                                      |
| 1 case tapes and combs.                  | Tea, sugar, almonds, nuts,                        |
| 3 bags sh-inch umburgh.                  | pepper, mustard, sauces, and                      |
| 2 do. pasteboard.                        | 50 doz. prime Port wine.                          |
|  | &c. &c.   |

No. 1, Esplanade street, 10th June 1817

**CORDIAL DISTILLERY.**

**T**HE subscriber informs his friends and the public in general that he has removed his DISTILLERY and MANUFACTORY to that large and commodious house lately occupied by Mrs. Drapeau, Sault au Matelot street, No. 22.

**R. QUIROUET.**

N. B. Orders to any extent will be executed on the shortest notice.

Quebec 6th May, 1816

**TO LET,**

For one or more years, and possession given 1st May next:

**T**HAT large and commodious house, No. 16, Sault au Matelot street, three stories high, with an excellent vault, yard, and other conveniences. Apply to the subscriber on the premises.

**CAMPBELL & CHAPMAN.**

Quebec, 27th Jan 1817.

**To Let,**

**F**ROM the 1st May next in Free Masons' Hall those ROOMS on the ground floor occupied as Offices by the Quarter-Master General's Department. Also, that large Room in the upper story used as a Meeting House, and two large Vaults or Cellars

**W. F. SCOTT.**

Free-Masons' Hall, Quebec, 28th March, 1817.

**For Sale,**

"At reduced Prices"

- Large Coal for grates.
- Jamaica honey in jars of 50 lbs. each,
- Best Jamaica sugar,
- Double refined loaf ditto,
- Prime Mess pork.

**THOMAS AYELWIN.**

Quebec 17th December, 1816.

**WILLIAM TORRANCE & Co.**

**H**AVE just received by the late arrivals from London, Liverpool and Greenock, and offer for sale, at their Wholesale and Retail Stores, No. 2, Notre Dame street, Lower Town:

- 40 boxes China oranges, 10 boxes lemons,
- 200 firkins best Irish and American butter,
- 100 boxes English mould candles, with waxed wicks,
- 10 do. wax and spermaceti candles,
- 100 do. white and yellow soap,
- 35 hhds. bright Muscovado
- 40 barrels do. do.
- 50-bags white East India } **SUGAR,**
- 6 hhds. loaf
- 50-bags green Jamaica coffee,
- 30 boxes Halifax chocolate, 50lbs each,
- 20-bags Barcelona nuts,
- 100 boxes Muscatel and bloom raisins,
- Jordan, shell and bitter almonds,
- French plums and Turkey figs,
- 25 boxes Durham mustard, in 1/2, 3/4 and 1 lb. bottles,
- 30 cases olive oil, in flasks of 2 1/2 doz. each,
- 15 do. do. in French bottles,
- 24 barrels best double distilled white wine vinegar,
- Vinegar in jars of 1 and 2 galls. each, for pickling,
- 70 hampers. King's arms, double Gloster and Cheshire

- 6 cases pine apple
- 60 chests gunpowder, hyson, twankay & touchong teas,
- 20 cases Poland starch, 8g and powder blue,
- 10 hhds. Spanish whiting,
- 50 bags and barrels pot and pearl barley, rice in tierces
- 15 barrels oatmeal and split peas,
- 20 kegs Loch fine herrings,
- 30 half barrels and kegs fine American crackers,
- 2500 lbs Albany Tobacco, in rolls of 10 to 12 lbs each,
- Ladies' twist do. and sweet-scented plug,
- Havana sugar, in boxes of 250 each,
- 3 cases Indigo, 50 lbs each,
- 50 pneumatic strong and well flavoured Jam. spirits,
- 50 do. do. do. Grenada do.
- 10 pipes Holland gin and cogniac brandy,
- 5 hhds. lime juice,
- Syrup, pepperment and real Martinique noyau,
- Best London brown stout and porter,
- Old L. P. Madeira, L. P. Tenerife, Sherry, Malaga,
- Port and claret, wines of a superior quality, in wood or bottles.

Mace, nutmegs, cloves, cinnamon, black and Cayenne pepper, arrow root, sugo, root ginger, French olives in jars and bottles, French capers, pickles and sauces assorted, pickled oysters in pots, American honey in barrels and small pots, basket salt, Isinglass, curry powder, barley sugar and sugar candy, with almost every other article in the grocery and spirit line. Remarkable cheap for cash or approved credit.

Quebec, 10th June, 1817.

**JOHN MILLER,**

GROCER, WINE & SPIRIT DEALER.

**B**EGETS to inform the public that he has withdrawn from the concern carried on under the firm of Wm. Torrance & Co. and has now commenced business on his own account, at No. 1, Notre Dame street, in the house lately occupied by Messrs. Ferguson & Cairns, where he flatters himself he will receive a share of the public favor.—Quebec, 2d June, 1817

**R**ECEIVED by the Carricks and Waller from Liverpool, and for sale by the Subscriber—superfine, middling and common Cloths, Cassimere and pelisse cloths, cassimere, Shawls of different colors, Thread of various descriptions, Hosiery, Bombazets, lace shawls, Trimmings, satin and cambric Buttons, glove, &c. &c. a superior parcel of cask pickled Butter and Cheshire Cheese—also, an extensive assortment of Nails from the manufactory.

**J. G. CLAPHAM,**

No. 10, Sault-au-Matelot street.

2d June, 1817.

**TO LET,**

And possession given on the 1st August next: **T**HAT convenient HOUSE, with Yard and Stabling, in Garden-street, the corner next to the Ursuline Nunnery, at present occupied by Assist. Com'ry Geo. Bennet. For particulars, enquire of Mr. HUNT, next door.—2d June, 1817.

**FOR SALE by the Subscribers,**

- M**USCOVADO Sugar,
- Single and double refined loaf do.
- Jamaica and St. Domingo coffee,
- Jamaica rum,
- Port wine, in wood and bottles,
- Madeira wine in hhds.
- Claret wine in cases of 3 dozen each
- Tenerife (L. P.) wine in casks of 4 doz.
- Sherry wine, in wood and bottles,
- SPANISH WINE, viz. —**
- Red Alicante, in pipes and hhds.
- White do. in do.
- Sweet do. in hhds.
- Benevento wine in pipes and hhds.
- Muriedro do. in pipes,
- Catalan do. in hhds.
- Tink. Wine in hhds.
- Albafora do. in hhd

- Spanish figs,
- Soft and hard shell almonds,
- Almond kernels,
- Raisins, in boxes and half boxes
- Spanish hazle nuts,
- Earthenware, assorted
- Nails, assorted
- Sheet Iron,
- Fowling Pieces,
- Pistols,
- Tinware, assorted
- Saws, assorted
- Handsome Watches,
- Handsome piano fortes,
- Pot and wrapping paper,
- Cod Oil,
- Gun Powder,
- Tobacco Pipes,
- Corks,
- Cordage, and bass rope, of different dimensions
- Window Glass, and Glassware,
- Cottons and Woolliens,
- Prints, in kegs
- Wood and Beaver Hats,
- Rice,
- Lochfine Herrings,
- Porter and Brown Stout, in casks of 4 & 6 doz. each
- Irish Linens.

**ALSO,**

- 10,000 feet Oak Timber,
- 20,000 feet red Pine do.
- 5,000 feet white Pine do.
- 10 M. standard staves,
- 2 M. deals,

**ROGERSON, HUNTER & Co.,**  
No. 8, St. Peter street.

Quebec 26th Aug. 1816.

**FOR LIVERPOOL**

**T**HAT well known Brig CARRICKS, Joseph Bushby, master, copper and copper fastened, and in every respect a ship of the first class—will be ready to receive goods on freight the 10th inst. and will positively be despatched (a great portion of her cargo being engaged) on or before the 25th; for Freight or Passage, having superior accommodations, apply to Capt. Bushby, at Brebant's wharf, or to **GEORGE SYMES,** Quebec, 2d June, 1817.

**Union-Hotel & Coffee-House.**

**T**HE Subscriber respectfully informs the public that he has taken a Lease of that spacious building which is now open and prepared for the reception of company.

The recent improvements in this building enable him to assure those who may honour him with their support, that they will meet with every convenience and attention. Elegant Ball and Card Rooms—Diners, Suppers &c. provided on the shortest notice, with the best provisions the season will afford; together with Wines and other Liquors of a superior quality.

Subscription, or Club Parties, will meet with every attention.

Gentlemen wishing permanent Board will be accommodated on reasonable terms, by applying at the Bar of the Hotel.

**JOHN O'HARA.**

Quebec, May 5, 1817.

**Extract of a letter from Bridport, March 26 :—**  
 In consequence of a vacancy having taken place in the Representation of this Borough, C. H. Sturt, Esq. son and heir of our late revered deceased Member, has been here some days, and has canvassed this town on the independent principles that the ancestors of this ancient family ever manifested in their political character. This young Gentleman has received the most flattering assurances of support from all ranks, and is adored by the lower classes, from a grateful recollection of the many beneficent acts that have been formerly bestowed on them. To day we were not a little surprised at the arrival of Mr. Hunt at the Golden Lion Inn. This mock patriot applied to Messrs. Margie and Denzeloe, Printers in this town, to get an Address to the Electors published, but to their credit, neither would give currency to the inflammatory poison. He then made application at the neighbouring Printers, at Beaminster, where he met with the same contempt. In the course of the day, he harangued the populace, stating, that in consequence of the resignation of Mr. Serjeant B. St., he intended offering himself as a candidate; that to-morrow he would canvass the Borough, and the next day he should be found on the hustings, and would there explain himself more fully. His address was received with loud and universal hisses—the multitude vociferating "No Hunt; no Spa fields." The object of this demagogue, it is clearly seen, is, by taking an advantage of the Election Meeting, to endeavour to stir up a tumult. In this base purpose he will be completely defeated; the new candidate is too popular to be affected by an opposition of the most contemptible kind. The Magistrates are gentlemen of high honour, and possess such an attachment to good government as to leave no doubt but the most effectual steps will be taken to defeat the wicked machinations of this most dangerous and ill disposed character."

#### SALE.

NOTICE is hereby given, that on TUESDAY, the first day of July next, precisely at ONE o'clock in the afternoon, at the requisition of Mrs. HANNAH SHEPHERD, widow of William Shepherd, deceased, when living confectioner and pastry cook, of this city; and of Messrs. James Cockburn, and Josias Wartele, executors of the testament of the said Wm. Shepherd; and in conformity thereto, the subscribing Notary will, on the premises, cry, sell and adjudge to the highest and last bidder,

#### A LOT of GROUND,

Of an irregular figure, situate in the Upper-town of Quebec, in Saint Joseph street, bounded in front by the said Saint Joseph Street, and in depth by Couillard street; on the south-west side by Mr. Matthew McClure, representing Stafford Hoyt; and on the north-east side by Pierre Drolette; on which side the said lot of ground enlarges its breadth behind the lot of the said Pierre Drolette; and by another lot of which the front is on the said Couillard street, belonging to Mr. William Thomas, on which are erected several houses and buildings, particularly a large stone house, two stories high, the whole front of which is on a level with the said Saint Joseph street; which said house enlarges its breadth behind that of the said Pierre Drolette, and has many apartments on that side; and of which the pignons are in common with those of the neighbours. Further, another stone house, two stories high, with a bakehouse, of which the front is on Couillard street, on which said street there is a convenient passage leading to the stores and out-houses, in the yard, between the two houses above mentioned, in Couillard street. Under the house the first designated, are two good vaults, very lofty and dry, and another of a like description, under the part behind the house of the said Pierre Drolette.

Such as may be desirous of purchasing, may know the conditions of sale, and examine the title deeds, by applying to the subscriber, at his office, in Poinc street, Quebec.

F. FLETCHER.

**THE Subscriber** intending to continue the Business of AUCTIONEER, BROKER & COMMISSION MERCHANT, under his own name, takes this opportunity of returning his most sincere thanks to his friends and the public in general for the liberal encouragement which he has received when acting under the name and firm of *Fredk & Thos. C. Oliva*, and hopes by a continuance of regularity and punctuality, to merit that share of their patronage which he has been accustomed to receive.

THOS. C. OLIVA,  
Quebec, May 30, 1817.

#### DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.

**THE Partnership** existing between FRED. and THOS. C. OLIVA, is by mutual consent, this day dissolved.—Any person or persons having claims against the said partnership, will please address themselves to *Thos. C. Oliva*, who is duly authorised to settle the same; and any person or persons indebted to the said firm, are requested to make immediate payment to the said *Thos. C. Oliva*, who is also authorised to receive the same, otherwise disagreeable measures will be taken.

FREDK. OLIVA,  
THOS. C. OLIVA.  
Quebec, May 30, 1817.

#### GEORGE BURRELL, Confectioner and Pastry Cook,

**RETURNS** his sincere thanks to the public for the liberal encouragement he has received since his commencement in business, and begs leave to inform them that he has removed to No. 2, Hope Street, next corner to Mr. Childs, merchant, where he intends following his business in its various branches; he has fitted up eight commodious bed-rooms for the accommodation of Gentlemen as boarders. Gentlemen wishing to dine regular, can be accommodated every day at 4 o'clock. Soups every day from 12 to 4 o'clock. Orders thank fully received and attended to with dispatch.

N. B. He has on hand a quantity of Merchandize which he offers Cheap for Cash.  
20th May, 1817.

#### For Sale.

**BY THE subscriber**, No. 14, St. Lewis street, Upper Town, a quantity of fine MARBLE SLABS, for grave Stones, which can be well ornamented and lettered at his yard, as may be required.  
Quebec, 5th May, 1817. JOHN PHILIPS.

**THE SUBSCRIBERS HAVE JUST RECEIVED** By the Ship ALEXANDER, Thos. Reid, master, from Belfast. And offer for Sale, at their Store, lately occupied by Mr. CRAVEN,

100 tons coals,  
100 firks excellent Irish butter,  
A quantity of feathers, coarse bonnets, shoes,  
Derbyshire spar ornaments, and gypsum busts.

#### ALSO,

1 case of handsome fashionable straw bonnets,  
And a general assortment of dry goods, wines,  
beers, cider, spirits, &c. &c.

CAMPBELL & CHAPMAN.  
Quebec, 31 June, 1817.

#### FOR SALE.

**A QUANTITY** of Large COALS, fit for Grates.  
Enquire of

WILLIAM & JOHN O'HARA,  
Union Hotel.  
Quebec, 21st April, 1817.

#### To Let,

**AND** possession given immediately, three FLATS of an extensive Store, situated on the Queen's Wharf now used as a Depot for Public stores. The premises are in good condition and may be had till the 1st May, 1819. For particulars apply to the Deputy Storekeeper General.

Storekeeper General's Office.  
Quebec, 20th May, 1817.

#### JAMES FITZ GIBBON,

JOINED, CABINET MAKER, AND UNDERTAKER.  
**RESPECTFULLY** informs his friends and the public that he has commenced Business at the Turk's Head, No. 37, St. John's Street, where he solicits a share of the public favour in his line.  
Quebec, 22 April, 1817.

**THE subscribers** are now landing from on board of the Virginia, from London, the following articles, which will be sold low for Cash, short credit, or in exchange for produce:

6 pipes strong Cogniac Brandy,  
3 ditto Hollands geneva,  
20 half hds. double distilled white wine Vinegar,  
8 cases fine salad oil in pint bottles,  
20 tins of boiled linsed oil, 11 gallons each,  
30 boxes fine Muscatel raisins,  
20 casks fine Turkey do.,  
28 boxes imperial French plums,  
2 butts Currans,  
50 casks 3 doz. each, Hibbert's brown stone,  
2 cases men's superior water-proof Hats,  
100 boxes glass, 7½ x 8½, and 6½ x 7½,  
20 cwt. Putty in bladders—10 dozen scythes,  
And a variety of other Articles.

#### Also on hand,

10 packages of India goods, 3 trunks of fashionable millinery, real Leghorn hats, flannels, moreens for curtains, bombazets, 10 pipes of old Port Wine, 2 do. do. L. P. Madeira, Jamaica spirits, &c. &c.  
HENDERSON, BROTHER & Co.

Quebec, 26th June, 1816.

**THE subscribers** offer for Sale on the opening of the Navigation.

50,000 bushels best quality Wheat,  
9,000 do. ditto Pease,  
6,000 do. ditto Oats,  
2,500 do. ditto Barley.

The whole of the above from the borders of the River Chambly, warranted fit for seed.

#### ALSO,

3000 barrels fresh fine Flour,  
2000 quintals Biscuit,  
3000 quintals Farine Entiere at a price not exceeding 32s. 6d. per cwt.

28th April. JAMES McCALLUM, & Co.

#### FOR SALE,

**A FEW** Firkins excellent Table BUTTER.  
EDM'D. A. IRELAND.  
Quebec, 13th May, 1817.

#### Block and Pump making.

RD. UPINGTON,  
Block and Pump maker,  
Near Messrs. Irvine, Macnught & Co.'s wharf, has on hand, an extensive assortment of Blocks, which he offers for sale, on reasonable terms.  
N. B. Metals or Wood turned on the shortest notice  
Quebec, 17th March, 1817.

**THE Subscribers** respectfully inform their friends and the public, that they have removed, from the Store formerly occupied by them on Mr. Goudie's wharf, to the lower part of Mr. Buneau's House, Lower Town, Market Place.

They are now landing from the Eliza, Alexander, Kent and Mary, an extensive assortment of Dry Goods &c. which they offer for sale, on the lowest terms, for cash—Also superior Port and L. P. Madeira Wine in pipes, Vinegar in casks, a few Table Services of blue delft Ware, China, Teaset and a quantity of well assorted Earthen Ware in Crates and Tierces. THOMSON, SCOTT & Co.

**TO LET** the rooms formerly occupied by Mr. Voyer, and that new Store in Mountain Street, opposite Mr. Nelson's,  
Quebec, 28th May, 1816.

**REIFFENSTEIN & CO.**No. 9, *Sault au-matelot street.*

**INFORM** the public that they have received per the *Alexander*, from Liverpool, and *Isis*, from London, a superb collection of the most FASHIONABLE ARTICLES, both useful and ornamental, the whole too numerous to particularize—but they deem it necessary to remark that in Jewellery, rich Cut-Glass, plated and japaned Ware, silver Toys, elegant large Mirrors and Pier Glasses, French and English Perfumery, gentlemen's Hessian; Wellington, Cossac and Cobourg Boots; Wellington and 3 tie shooting and walking Shoes; ladies' Boots and Shoes, various of the latest fashion; children's do. elegant Work and Dressing-Cases, French Parasols and Umbrellas, gentlemen's and youth's fashionable Beaver Hats, ready made fancy muslin Handkerchiefs and gentlemen's Suits of the latest London style, an elegant assortment of general Millinery, French and British real thread Lace, superfine Cloths and Casimeres, instantaneous Fire Boxes; or-mou-lu, single and double Lights with Figures and rich cut glass Drops; wax Tapers; wax, spermaceti and composition Candles, of the first quality; store and mould tallow ditto, the latter with wax wicks; superior Pickles, pickled Oysters, and Sauces, such as can be recommended with confidence; a few packages of fine table Fruit, or Muscatel Raisins, Jordan Almonds, &c.; a few Inkstands, of new patterns; an assortment of walking Sticks and Canes, watch and clock makers' Tools and Engines, black lead Pencils, a few sets of curious French paper Hangings (new subjects), a choice selection of proof Engravings, and a most valuable collection of Books—also particularly worthy the attention of the Ladies, a most elegant and extensive selection of French SILK GOODS, consisting of rich half and square emb'd Handkerchiefs, some nett, plain, square and rich Damask Shawls; nett & emb'd Silk Mantles; an assortment of the richest emb'd long Shawls and Scarfs; rich, plain and twilled 5-8, 3-4 and 4-4 Sarsnetts; white and colored Sattins, Florentines and clerical *Robe de Soie*. Velvet, some rich Dresses, and a great variety of other articles, which being all purchased for cash, the proprietors are enabled and purpose to sell them very low for cash.

**LIKEWISE,**

50 casks Canada Nails,  
200 doz. real German Sythes,  
11 hhds. Hoaf Sugar.  
Quebec, 2d May, 1817. u

**A VENDRE.**

**UN BEAU CHEVAL ENTIER**, qui a quatre ans  
jeune—le plus bas prix est £30. S'adresser à  
l'Imprimerie.—2c. Juin, 1817.

**ROBT. TURNBULL,**

Taylor and Habit maker.

**BEGS** leave respectfully to return his sincere thanks to his friends and the public for the very liberal encouragement which he has experienced in his line since his establishment in this city, and informs them that he has taken into Copartnership Mr. JOHN WHAM. The business will in future be carried on under the firm of *Turnbull & Wham*, for whom he solicits a continuance of the favor which he has hitherto received.

T. & W. have received by the *Carricks* from London, an elegant assortment of goods in their line, which they will work up according to the latest fashions, with dispatch and at liberal prices.

3d June, 1817. u

**TO LET,**

And possession given immediately:  
**A** LARGE and convenient HOUSE, pleasantly situated in the Upper-Town of Quebec. Enquire of the Printer.—2d June, 1817. u

**FURNISHED LODGINGS**, in a Private House, No. 12, St. Lewis-street.—2d June. u

**TO BE SOLD,**

**A** BEAUTIFUL Canadian STALLION, just four years old—lowest price £30. Enquire at the Printer. Quebec, 2d June, 1817. u

**STRAW** bonnets trimmed and untrimmed, white, grey and black beaver do. do. do. fancy flowers and feathers 5-4, 6-4 and 7-4 black lace shawls, thread and cotton laces, ladies' and gentlemen's silk and cotton stockings, cot. & beaver gloves, linen cambric 4-4 and 6-4 cotton do. 4-4 and 6-4, jaconett, muslin, rich sewed and tamboured muslin for dresses, figured, twilled and plain sarsnett's, Irish poplins, silk and cotton imitation shawls, colored crapes, black and green gauze, furniture chintz and linings to match calicoes, ginghams, fine and superfine cloths, pelisse do. and a number of other articles in his line, for cash or short approved credit.

ARCH. DENNIE.

Quebec, 3rd June, 1817. f

**FOR SALE,**

**A** NEAT BAROUCLETTE or light open Carriage, with or without Harness.  
An excellent Canadian carriage HORSE, gentle and fit for the saddle.  
Also, a good English CHARGER, accustomed to light draft.—Enquire of the Printer.  
Quebec, 3d June, 1817. b

**For Sale by the Subscriber.**

**A** Few hundred thousand of the best English Bricks, which if taken from on board, will be sold at a very low rate.

HAMD. GOWEN.

No. 16, St. Peter Street.

3d June, 1817. u

**FOR FREIGHT OR CHARTER,**

To London or Liverpool—the fine fast sailing brig *DON*, Capt. Forrest. For term of freight or passage, apply to the Captain on board, or to **ROB. HAMILTON, BROTHERS & Co.**  
3d June.

**New Garden SEEDS.**

**A**RRIVED in the *Providence*, and for sale by the subscriber, viz.—Yellow, Swedish and globe Turnips, white Coss; white and brown, Dutch and drumhead Lettuce; long green Cucumber, earliest Pens, and dwarf do. Windsor and scarlet Beans, Cabbage, orange Carrot, double Parsley, Charvil, red and hammersmith Lettuce, large white winter Turnips, purple do. salmon and short top Radish.—Also, hemp and canary Seeds, Sainfoin, lucern and red Clover, Essence of Anchovies, a few Hams and Bacon, &c. &c.

GEO. CHAPMAN.

Quebec 2d June, 1817. u

No. 19, Hope street.

**THE SUBSCRIBERS**

Have just received of Providence, Eweretta, and Isis, from London, and Alexander, from Liverpool,

**A** N elegant and well chosen assortment of Goods, direct from the Manufacturers, viz. Ladies' and Gentlemen's silk, cotton, thread, worsted, and lamb's wool hose, girls', children's and youths' ditto, ladies' and gentlemen's silk, cotton, kid, Woodstock real buck, military, doe skin and beaver gloves, mads, youths and childrens do. silks, sattins, silk shawls, scarfs and handkerchiefs, watch, sattin, lustring and velvet ribbons, taste, real French cambrie and lace, handannas, India nankeens and cottons, Canton crape and shawls, black and coloured bombazeens and bombazetts, white and coloured cambries, dimities, chintz and copperplate furniture, 4-4th and 7-8 h printed calicoes and cambries, ditto shawls and scarfs, silk, cotton and thread pocket handkerchiefs, figured and plain jaconet and mall muslins, lenox and book muslin, superfine cassimeres, 5-4th green baize, fustians, corduroys, cotton, velvet, and coloured nankeens, ladies' morocco leather and jean boots, children's morocco and leather ditto, haberdashery, stationery, cutlery, buttons, combs and brushes, Day & Martin's japan blacking, spices, hyson, soucheong and wankey tea.

A small quantity of Seed Barley.

GERMAN AND CANADA SCYTHES.

Which are now unpacking, and will be sold low for cash, or short credit. Orders for town and country, will meet every attention.

J. MACNIDER &amp; Co.

Quebec, 3d June, 1817. 2m

**Exchange Coffee House,**

Lower Town Market place.

**J.** WELCH respectfully informs his friends and the public in general that he has taken that large and commodious House lately occupied by Mr. James Ross, which he has appropriated for the reception of Gentlemen where they can be accommodated, with comfortable board and lodging on the most reasonable terms.

Captains of vessels and all passengers will have every attention paid to their satisfaction.

Soups every day from 12 to 2 o'clock.

Good Wines Liquors, &amp;c.

**ON SALE BY THE SUBSCRIBER,**

**S**EVERAL Cargoes and consignments, just arrived, consisting of Salt, Coals, Jamaica and Leeward Island Rum, a few pipes of choice Brandy, Teas, Prime Mess Pork, and some packages of Dry Goods.

ROBERT HAMILTON, BROTHERS &amp; Co.

Who beg leave to inform Merchants and Captains of vessels, that they have entered into copartnership with Mr. ABRAHAM GIBSON, in the Lumber trade, which they will in future carry on at New Liverpool, under the firm of HAMILTONS & GIBSON; and being in possession of considerable saw Mills on the Ottawa River, will be enabled to supply them with Deals and Boards of every description, and such other articles of Lumber as may be ordered. Any commands they may be favored with, addressed to them at New Liverpool, or at the office of R. H. B. & Co. Quebec, will be duly attended to.

Sault au Matelot street, June 2d.

**FOR LIVERPOOL.**

**THE** remarkable fine coppered Brig *ALEXANDER*, (a regular trader,) James Vickers, master, will commence loading for the above Port on the 9th instant, a part of her cargo being already engaged, she will be dispatched without delay. For Freight or Passage apply to Capt. Vickers, at Messrs. Irvine & Co.'s wharf, or to  
HEATH & MOIR.  
Quebec, 2d June, 1817. d

From *Bolton's Weekly Messenger*, March, 24.

MANUSCRIPT FROM ST HELENA.

As so much of the attention of the public during the late war has been directed towards this singular production and its reputed author, and as the Manuscript appears to justify the importance assigned to it, we have deemed it our duty to give it a perusal. According to Mr. Warden, (a self-sufficient and foolish writer, but an authentic one, as far as he himself appears to be the writer) Bonaparte was much occupied in writing; and the natural purpose of writing is to publish and be read. If Bonaparte, therefore, had thus written his Memoir, either in part or the whole, it is no matter of just surprize that it has found its way to the British press. Of his several visitors at St. Helena, there are many who might have brought away with them a letter or packet; and Bonaparte would find no difficulty in procuring persons in England who would undertake and execute the charge of having it published. We do not intend to infer from what we have said, that there is any thing improper in this act of publishing, or bringing away for the sake of publishing. If there had been any thing libellous, the English law would have had a responsible subject in the bookseller. Let Bonaparte, therefore, be permitted to publish as much as he pleases. It will be in aid of the history of the time and will bring us better acquainted with a character who has occupied so large a space upon so rude a theatre.

The first singularity in the Work (which is only published in French) is the abrupt, and, as it were, passionate style of the writer; a style, which has so notoriously the characteristic manner of Bonaparte, as to be an argument neither on the one side or the other for the authenticity of the work. In a very foolish book, but a very interesting one, of that French Archbishop and intriguer, De Pradt, the reader may remember several long conversations of Bonaparte related *verbatim*, and in which may be seen some very striking specimens of this style of the French Chief,—a style equally characteristic of his temper, and of the quality of his mind. Full of great, and indeed magnificent images,—swelling with his own conceptions, forgetting the present in a splendid imaginary future; then suddenly awakening to the present difficulty and distress, expressing himself with passionate impatience with respect to all the causes, and in the next moment resolving upon some daring remedy. Such is the manifest character of the mind of Napoleon; and such, as it appears to us, is the style which is employed in the work before us.

The narrative (for such it is) is throughout in the first person. The book is an octavo volume of 150 pages, and the subject is a running commentary upon the principal events of the military and civil life of Napoleon. Our limits will not admit a lengthened criticism; but we must notice, in passing, a few of its most striking passages.—We begin with the Preface; which is hold enough, and short enough.

"I shall write no commentary," says the writer, (Napoleon, or some one, speaking in his name).—"The world has seen my reign, and I feel no disposition *d'alimenter la curiosité publique* to purvey for public curiosity. But I shall briefly run over the main events of my life for two reasons; I care nothing for the present time, but let me stand as I am before my son and posterity.

"This is my motive for writing; I am compelled to resort to an indirect means of rendering this narrative public. Should I send it to the English Ministry, it would remain for ever in the office; it should first reach."

This is the whole of the Preface; the Work then commences with a narrative of his early life, his education, &c. of which all are dispatched, each

in its turn, with a sentence. Some of these condensed members are very striking, some even acute, and all are characteristic. We shall sub-join a few of them.

"I succeeded in every thing, because I resolved to succeed. My will was strong. I looked at the point, and precipitated myself towards it. I carried all difficulties by assault, and as few difficulties are made of brass, they fell before me. The secret of my success has been, that I never hesitated.

"The best part courage itself, is in the will,—in a vigorous but decided resolution. But this will, the faculty of thus willing, is not a matter of choice; it is the gift of nature, it is natural firmness." But the French is here so much more expressive than any translation, that we are induced to add it—"La Volonté dépend, au reste, de la trempe de l'individu; il n'appartient pas à chacun d'être maître chez lui."

"I derived no advantage from any study but the mathematics. I read indeed all, because I would not be ignorant of what was known to those around me. But long and methodical arguments of these writers on morals, law, and history, seemed so much bearing about the bush; I saw their object at once; in history I wanted only fact, and in morals I saw the reasons in the book of the world before me. I very early accustomed myself to impress a distinct idea, a picture in full of every subject in my own mind; I then closed my eyes and ears, and examined it as if it were in the silence and darkness of self reflection. This is the secret of my strong conceptions, which were in fact only clear conceptions."

"I was first under fire (when a Lieutenant) in a small action with the Genevese. My natural coolness and habit of attentively looking at the affair before me, made me at once a soldier, and I date my military ability from this moment. I saw that both parties merely occupied themselves in firing straight forward at each other; and that this mode promised nothing decisive on either side; both parties fighting merely to discharge their duty. I saw a hill at a distance; I saw that it commanded their rear, and I concluded that if I fell on them from that part I should decide the battle. I took a small body of men; I made the movement and gained the victory. I was made a Captain in consequence; but my reason for mentioning it is that it taught me the art of gaining a victory; this art consists in being in earnest; in looking attentively upon the point whilst all others are employed in the noise and bustle of the common detail, and in making some decisive movement which fortune may admit. I require of my soldiers only steadiness in front, till fortune shall throw the cast, which affords the opportunity for my play.

"This was my first notion, and always has been, and is still, of what belongs to a good General. I now became attached to my profession of arms; I sought all books within my reach, and applied them to the system in my own mind, and in what was going on around me. I thus formed my own theory of war, and Europe has seen what it is."

He then proceeds to relate his part in the siege of Toulon; it introduced him to the notice and patronage of Barras; Barras was in power, and Bonaparte needed a patron. Each suited the other, and Bonaparte was made a General. In the affair of sections he regards himself as having merely done his duty. He was called out to disperse the Insurgents against the actual Government. He obeyed, and cleared the streets. The service was regarded to be of great importance, and he was made General of Division.

The narrative then proceeds to the several other eras of the Life of Bonaparte; his appointment to be General in Chief of the Army in Egypt, his Egyptian campaign, &c. in all of which it contains most important matter for future history,

and reflection. We strongly recommend the work to serious attention, and regret that our limits will not admit of a longer account of what so well merits it.

(We publish the following for the information of all who would thrust heretical bibles down Catholic throats.)

BULL AGAINST THE BIBLE.

Issued by the Pope the later end of October last.

In this document the important design of circulating the Holy Scriptures is characterized as "an abominable device by which the very foundation of religion is undermined." It is declared to be the duty and object of the See of Rome "to employ all means for the purpose of detecting and rooting out such a pestilence in every way." The Catholic Primate of Poland, (Abp. Grzy) to whom this modern anathema is addressed, is highly commended in it for his "zeal and activity under circumstances so threatening to Christianity, in having denounced to the Apostolic See this defilement of the faith, tending to the imminent peril of souls; and he is earnestly exhorted to execute daily whatever he can achieve by his power, promote by his councils, or effect by his authority" in defeating the plans which the enemies of the Catholic religion, are represented to have "prepared for its destruction." It is farther declared to be the especial duty of the episcopal office to expose the wickedness of such an abominable scheme, by showing, in obedience to the precepts of the Catholic church, that the Bible printed by heretics is to be numbered among other prohibited books of the Index." After which is expressly asserted, that "experience has proved, that the Holy Scriptures, when circulated in the vulgar tongue, have, through the temerity of men, been productive of more injury than advantage." For this cause it is declared to be "necessary to adhere to the salutary decree of the 13th June, 1737, which prohibits all versions of the Scriptures in the vernacular tongues, except such as are approved by the Apostolic See, and are published with annotations from the writings of the Holy Fathers."

The matter, however, did not end here. Providentially ALEXANDER I. (who merits the name of great far more than *him of Greece*) was then at Warsaw, and upon the application of Mr. P. condescended to become the Patron of the Polish Bible Society, as before of the Russian; and his Majesty being now sovereign of the country, and not under the jurisdiction of Rome, the Society proceeded with new vigour; and the whole of Poland will be happily enlightened by the Scriptures.

\* Pinkerton.

From the *London Times* of April 21.

It is now, we believe, understood that Watson, Preston, Hooper, and Keen, the persons charged with high treason and now prisoners in the Tower of London, will without further delay, be brought to trial. In about a week from this time bills of indictment will, it is said, be preferred against them; and, as the law in this case requires, a copy of such indictment will be furnished to each prisoner, with the names of witnesses intended to be brought forward on behalf of the prosecution. The prisoners are then entitled to ten clear days after the delivery of the indictment, before they can be brought to trial; and, as soon after this period as possible, they will be tried at the bar, before the Court of King's Bench, at Westminster. We should suppose the trial will take place about the middle of May.—Whether these persons are innocent or guilty, we sincerely rejoice at their being put upon their defence. However the prisoners may in this or in other cases feel for themselves, yet, as a general maxim, the most speedy justice is the most humane.

QUEBEC, JUNE 10, 1817.

NEITHER by the river, nor through the United States, have we received any thing new since our last. The latest advices from England are, however, somewhat of a cheering nature, trade having considerably revived. That however, trade should be brisker in the Spring, when the great highway of nations is crowded by the spreading sails of commerce, is no more than might be expected.—To such a revival the opening of the Saint Lawrence would contribute in no small degree. Be the revival in its result profitable, or unprofitable, it is something in needy and turbulent times, to keep the manufactories a going. Better find employment for the poor than hang them for desperate acts, the natural effect of want; for truly it is said, hunger will make its way through stone walls. It is neither to be restrained by precept, menaces or example. From a civilized being, it will change man into the most ferocious, and the most daring of animal nature. To this must be attributed the late tumults in England; and not to any revolutionary spirit in any number of the English people, further than to what they may be roused by the hope of bettering their wretched condition by any change. If, however, it be admitted that hunger makes men ferocious, and it is an axiom that few will be disposed to dispute, certain it is that prudence will dictate extraordinary precautionary measures to guard against that ferocity. But the great remedy lies in finding the means of administering to the calls of nature, by putting it in the power of the craving wretch honestly to pacify his appetite; for this, as we have above observed, employment is the legitimate and least burthensome means, even if it yield no more than sustenance to the labourer.—Better to his feeling must it be, to live by his labour than on alms; and surely, better is it for those who would be burthensome with the task of supporting him, had he no employment.

We have much satisfaction in finding, that some hundreds of settlers have found their way from Britain to Canada. This is still a more effectual remedy for poor times. There is room enough in America for any European redundancy; and to America should thousands, instead of hundreds fly, as the great asylum offered by nature. If they, as they ought to, give a preference to British America, so much the better. There, they will not be burthensome with state taxes, nor thrown to an immeasurable distance from a market, as is the case with great numbers who seek shelter in the United States. Further, they will retain their character of British subjects, and not be considered as aliens, which they must be for a time, in the States; and not aliens only, but proper subjects for every species of imposition.

**A BEAR-HUNT!**—Yesterday evening, about sun-set, as some gentlemen were walking on the plains, they were informed by a passenger, that a bear had just crossed in a certain direction.—They followed the direction, and soon eyed him, not being small of stature. Brain halted, faced about, took a view of his pursuers, and conceived it most prudent to trot off. They chased him in different directions, but without any weapons, nor were they able to procure any that were of any use. At length, Brain unwisely, instead of retreating, advanced towards the suburbs, and made a lodgment in a garden, where he was bravely attacked by a Canadian of the name of Joseph Montreuil, with a hatchet, who in need his first stroke, but was more successful with the second, when Brain reared immediately upon his hind paws, and grasped the weapon. The brave Montreuil undismayed, wrested, however, the hatchet from his gripe, and with repeated effectual strokes, made the shaggy inmate of the forest bite the dust, and yield his forfeit life, for daring to quit his savage haunts to intrude on those of civilized man.

Since writing the above, we learn that poor Brain was the property of a gentleman in town, from whom he had escaped two days ago; so, that we have to make REPARATION D'HONNEUR to his owners, for treating him as an invader.

PROVINCIAL SECRETARY'S OFFICE,  
Quebec, 10th June, 1817.

His Excellency the Governor-in-Chief has been pleased to appoint—  
THOMAS BOUTILLIER, M. D. Gentleman, to practice medicine in this Province.

Assize of BREAD for this week—

White loaf.....ls. 2½d.  
Brown do.....ls. 6½d.

State of the THERMOMETER, for the past week  
at 8 o'clock, A. M. 55, 56, 56, 48, 43, 50, 52,

## PORT OF QUEBEC.

## ARRIVED.

June 6—Brig Neptune, Clark, sailed 16 April from Glasgow, to Gerard, Finlay & Co. Montreal, cargo rum, coals and goods—Passengers, Mr. Simpson, Nichol and 3 in steerage.  
—7—Brig Cosack, Walker, sailed 17 April from Liverpool, to Froste & Porter, cargo goods, crates, &c. Passengers Mr. and Mrs. Cooper.  
—Brig Prince of Colours, Hutchenson, sailed 16 April from London, to Hamd. Gowen, cargo goods, rum, teas, &c. Pass. Messrs. McKie, razer, Lionies, Mason and Carlonie.  
—Bark May Flower, Lee, sailed 6 of April from Shields, to Rogerson, Hunter & Co. in ballast.  
—Brig Caesar, Wood, sailed 20 April from Liverpool, to D. Patterson, cargo salt, bricks, crates, sugar and goods. Pass. 3 settlers.  
—8—Brig Prince Regent, Graham, sailed 7 April from Kingston, Jamaica, to Heath & Moir, cargo rum, sugar, coffee and pimento.  
—Ship John & Mary, Davis, 49 days from Liverpool to order, cargo salt, bricks, soap, &c.  
—Brig Albion, Richmond, 23 April from Newcastle, to Bell & Stewart, in ballast.  
—9—Ship Juliana, Webber, sailed 1 April from London, to Matt. Lyburner, cargo rum, brandy and teas, Passenger Mr. McKutehon—Intelligence, damaged by the ice.  
—Brig Renova, Watt, sailed 9 April from Leith, to Bell & Stewart, general cargo, (Montreal) passengers Mr. Kerr and 19 settlers.  
—Brig Trader, Hall, sailed 13 April from London, to Bell & Stewart, cargo wines, sugar, teas, &c. Passengers 14 settlers—Intelligence, Capt. Beisby and part of the crew of the brig Mary & Jane, wrecked in the ice.  
—Brig Lesander, Wilson, 19 days from Liverpool, to order, (Montreal) cargo—crates and goods. Passenger, Mr. Finney, supercargo.  
—Brig Latona, Robinson, sailed 29th April from Shields, to order cargo—coals, & grindstones. Passenger, Mr. Bouchart.  
—Brig Ugo, Anderson, sailed 3d April from Peterhead, to Heath & Moir, in ballast—Intelligence, this vessel took part of the cargo of the Mary & Jane, and most of her materials.  
—Brig Neptune, Neil, sailed 16th April from Greenock, to Melvin & Belanger, general cargo. Passengers, 22 settlers.  
—Brig Mary, James, sailed 14th April from Peterhead, to order, (Montreal) in ballast.  
—Brig Union, Hatcher, sailed 9th April from London, to Campbell & Sheppard, general cargo. Passengers, Mr. & Mrs. T. C. Campbell, Mr. Hobbs, Mrs. Ross.  
—Ship Autumn, Batchelor, sailed 22d April from London, to order, in ballast. Passengers, 17 men, women and children, settlers.  
10 H. M. Ship Pactolus, Capt. Dobbie, 14 days from Halifax.  
—Schooner Mary, from Arichat, to order, cargo—plaster of Paris.  
—Sh'r Spring, Bird, from Arichat, to order, cargo—Plaster of Paris.  
—Brig Margaret, Pearson, 10 weeks from Liverpool, to George Platt—general cargo.  
—Brig Omnium, French, sailed 12th April from London, to J. Hunter & Co. (Montreal) general cargo.  
—Brig Amphion, Little, sailed 23d April from Liverpool, to Geo. Hamilton, (Montreal) cargo hardware, wines, salt, &c.

## AVIS.

LE Bureau de l'Adjudant Général des Milices a été transféré de l'Évêché, au No. 19, Rue Ste. Anne, près de l'Église Ecossaise.

## NOTICE

THE Office of the Adjutant General of Militia has been removed from the Bishop's Palace to No 19 Ste. Ann's street, near the Scotch Church Quebec, 10th June, 1817.

## Fine Ships for London and Hull.

THE SHIP FAME, Thomas Minnott, master, for Hull, will sail about the 20th June — And the Brig HARMONY, John Jameson, master, for London, will sail about the 25th.—Both ships have good accommodation for passengers or families. Apply to the Captains on board, at Brehan's wharf, or to WM. MEIKLEJOHN Quebec, 9th June, 1817.

## Wants a Situation.

A YOUNG man a native of North Britain, wishes for a situation in a store, he having several years experience in London, or any other situation he may be thought capable of undertaking—Apply at this office. 10 June.

## FOR SALE.

On moderate terms, a handsome new CHARIOT and HARNESS, Just landed from the Prince of Asturias. It is disposed of in consequence of the proprietor being obliged to reside in the Upper Province.—To be seen on the Wharf No. 1, St. Peter-street. 10th June, 1817.

## SALES BY AUCTION.

ON WEDNESDAY next, the 11th instant, at ONE o'clock, at the subscribers' Auction Room:

A GENERAL assortment of Dry Goods, consisting in calicoes, muslins, linens, white cotton, checks woollens, dimities, &c.

## AND

Ten casks shot, twenty half and quarter bbls gun powder, 10 bags glue, a few casks nails, &c.

## Likewise,

For the benefit of the Underwriters, one case haberdashery just landed from on board the Isis, John Melvin, master from London.

## Also,

For account of the Shippers, 12 casks best english lime.

MELVIN & BELANGER,  
Auctioneers & Brokers.

Monday 9th June, 1817.

ON THURSDAY next, the 12th instant, at the subscriber's Auction Room, precisely at TWO o'clock: 200 casks bottled porter about 3 doz. each.

2 hds well assorted tin, copper and iron ware,  
115 fl-kins excellent table butter,  
10 do. do. lard,  
8 barrels pork,  
15 hampers english cheese,  
5 jars white wine vinegar,  
1 hhd glassware in lots,  
3 pockets hops,  
8 casks old Port wine, 3 doz. each,  
A few lots loaf sugar.

## ALSO,

3 hds. brushes assorted.

A general assortment of Dry Goods, regulation and staff swords, caps, &c.

## Likewise,

An elegant BAROUCLETTE, a capital Irish Horse, an excellent Canadian do. a double-barrelled gun,

## And

A parcel of elegant mahogany and cane bottom chairs, Sofas, and other furniture lately arrived with a variety of other articles.

EDMUND A. IRELAND,  
Auctr. & Broker.

Quebec, 10th June.

ON THURSDAY, the 12th instant, at ONE o'clock, at the subscribers' Auction Room:

10 hogsheads of claret wine }  
10 cases do. each 8 doz. ea. } of a superior quality,  
3 pipes Madeira, 10 boxes saffron,  
3 pipes french brandy, 10 jars linseed oil,  
100 kegs white paint, 50 casks nails assorted,  
10 hampers cheese, 20 kegs butter,  
106 tons excellent Scotch coal,  
9 casks assorted hardware,  
2 tons of patent shot assorted sizes,  
2 excellent quadrants.

## ALSO,

A general assortment of Dry Goods just landed from different vessels from London, Liverpool, &c

WHITE & LANGUEDOC,  
Auctr. & Brokers.

Quebec, 9th June.

At the Auction Room of T. & J. CARY, on THURSDAY Evening, the 12th instant, at SEVEN o'clock, will be sold

A CHOICE collection of BOOKS,  
Quebec, 10th June.

## HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE.

THE Sale that was to have taken place last Saturday on the Cape Diamond Brewery wharf, is unavoidably postponed to TUESDAY next, the 17th instant, when they will positively be sold, on the PARADE, in front of the UNION HOTEL, by J. No. CUVILLIER. June 10th.

AVIS.

**L**A Société d'Hypolite & Laurent Rolette, Marchands, est expirée de ce jour.

H. ROLETTE,  
FREDK ROLETTE,  
Procureur de LAURENT ROLETTE,

N. B. Le Sous signé informe ses amis et le public qu'il continue seul la même branche de commerce

H. ROLETTE

AVERTISSEMENT.

**L**E Sous signé prend la liberté d'offrir ses sincères remerciements à ses amis et au public en général pour la protection dont il a été honoré, dans son commerce, pendant vingt ans passés, en espérant la continuation.

Aussi il informe le public qu'il a reçu par la Providence de Londres, l'Alexander de Liverpool, et le Rothermarchus de Leith, un des meilleurs assortiments de cuir anglais et autres articles de Sellier, qu'il vendra ou fabriquera à bonne composition pour argent ou à court crédit.

JOSEPH STILSON,

Sellier, Faiseur d'harnais, et

Decorateur, No. 12 Rue St. Jean

Québec, 10 Juin, 1817.

N. B. Les Selliers de la Ville et de la Campagne peuvent avoir des articles ci-dessus à des prix les plus raisonnables. Voitures de toutes sortes couvertes, doublées, décorées, réparées et peinturées avec promptitude et sans délai.

J. S.

FOR FREIGHT OR CHARTER.

**T**he fine new Brig UGIE, George Anderson, master, 168 tons burthen, now on her third voyage, will accept a Charter for any safe Port in the United Kingdom, is a very suitable vessel for wheat and will be ready to receive her cargo in five days.

ALSO,

**T**he fine coppered Brig PRINCE REGENT, Robert Graham, master, admeasure 148 tons, sails fast and is a most desirable vessel, will accept a Charter to any Port in the United Kingdom or West India Islands, and will be discharged in four days. The above are both first class vessels.

Apply to HEATH & MOIR.

Québec, 9th June 1817

WANTED,

**A** WET NURSE—to any person fitted for such situation, and bringing with them a good character, liberal wages will be given—apply to the Printer—Québec, June 9, 1817.

**T**HE subscribers have just received by the ship Isis and others from London, their customary supply of gentlemen's most fashionable beaver and water proof Hats, lads black, white and drab Hats and Bonnets of the most fashionable shapes, like wise ladies straw riding Hats and Bonnets elegantly wrought and trimmed, also a general assortment of Goods in their line. They have also received their usual supply of children's morocco and leather Half Boots and Spencers, ladies' jean Boots of the most fashionable colours. The above goods will be disposed off extremely low for cash or short credit at their Store.

No. 13 Fabrique Street,

WILLIAM HALL & SON.

Québec, 2d June, 1817.

FOR SALE BY THE SUBSCRIBERS:

**T**HIRTY barrels of Upper Canada mess BEEF two do. do. prime do. do.

Ex. & T. C. OLIVA.

Québec, May 7.

FOR SALE,

At No. 9, Saull-au-Matlot street:

**T**EN cases of superior old HOCK—3 dozen each.

LIKEWISE,

A few barrels of prime mess Pork.

WILLIAM PHILLIPS.

Québec, 1st May, 1817.

Maison de Pension.

**M**ADAME F. PONSY informe respectueusement le public que 10 ou 12 Messieurs peuvent à réloges commodément à sa maison de pension, No. 10, rue la Montagne, près de Mr. Wyse, Perruquier Québec, 9<sup>e</sup> Juin, 1817. N. B. Ils seront servis avec toute attention possible.

Boarding House.

**M**AD. F. PONSY respectfully informs the public that ten or twelve Gentlemen can be conveniently lodged at her Boarding House, No. 10, Mountain street, next door to Mr. Wyse, Hair-dresser. N. B. They will be served with every possible attention Québec, 9<sup>th</sup> June 1817.

**J**UST arrived and for Sale by the subscribers, the cargo of the brig Hugh, from Belfast and Cork consisting of

Prime fresh mess pork in barrels and half barrels, dried hams, Belfast and Cork butter in firkins and half do. rendered lard, Irish linens assorted, Russia duck, linen shirts, old Antigua, Jamaica and leeward Island rums, soap and candles, printed muslins and calicoes of various patterns, pellisse cloths, hosiery, men's clothes, patent cordage, boots and shoes, leather, corks, iron, coats metal safes, pots, &c. all of which are of a superior quality and will be disposed of on moderate terms.

M<sup>r</sup>ROBERTS & M<sup>c</sup>CLEAN.

Cul-de-Sac street or No. 3, Queen's wharf

Québec, 9th June

FOR SALE,

**B**Y the Subscriber, at his Store No. 5, Sous le Fort street, a few firkins first quality Irish Butter and Bacon Hams, just arrived per the Enterprise, from Cork. THOS. ATKINS. Québec, June 10, 1817.

CABINET & UPHOLSTORY GOODS.

**F**OR sale by the subscriber, No. 1 & 2 Couillard street an extensive and fashionable selection of Goods imported this year, consisting in China furniture and ornaments, Linings, bindings and fringes, Mahogany, case and rush chairs, Glazed and common paper, velvet and other borders, Green and blue table cloth covers, Stair and table oil cloths, Mahogany portable Desks and Dressing cases, Ladies' Work Boxes and Tea Caddies, Brussels, story and common Carpets, Peas and Toilet Glasses, Walking Canes, Knife Cases and Backgammon boxes, Paper and Japanese Knife and Broad Frays, Brass and Plated Goods.

Together with numerous articles of his own Manufacture viz.

Mahogany Sideboards, Secretaries, Tambour Desks, Chests of Drawers, Bedsteads, Pembroke, Sohas, Card and dining Tables, Wardrobes, Bookcases, Hair Cloth, Case and Common Sofas, all of which will be sold at very reduced prices.

The subscriber having procured from Europe an experienced Upholsterer and paper Hanger, informs his friends that all orders in this line will be executed in the most fashionable manner and on reasonable terms.

FREDERICK PETRY.

Québec, 10th June, 1817

**T**HE undersigned returns his sincere thanks to his friends and the public, for the liberal encouragement he has experienced during his late co-partnership in the firm of Ferguson & Cairns, and informs them, that he has removed to No. 6, Mountain street, where he now carries on his business as usual. He has now landed from the Isis, and PRINCE CONOARD from London, a general assortment of the first quality in his line, which he will make up in the most fashionable manner, and at the shortest notice.

ROBT. CAIRNS.

June 9th, 1817

**T**HE subscribers beg to return thanks to the public in general for the very liberal encouragement they have experienced since their commencement in business, and give notice, that Mr. A. FERGUSON retires from business this day, and it will, in future, be carried on by Mr. R. CAIRNS. They have to request all those indebted to them, to make immediate payment to Mr. R. CAIRNS; who is duly authorized to receive the same; and those who have claims against the estate, to present them for liquidation.

A. FERGUSON,  
ROBT. CAIRNS.

Québec, May 1, 1817.

NOTICE.

**T**HE subscriber begs leave to offer his sincere thanks to his friends and the public in general, for the support he has received for these twenty years past, in his line of business, and hopes for a continuance of the same.

He also gives notice, that he has received by the Providence from London, the Alexander from Liverpool, and the Rothermarchus from Leith, one of the best assortments of English leather and saddlery, and saddler's ironmongery, which he will sell or make up cheap for cash, or short credit.

JOSEPH STILSON,

Saddler, and Coach Harness Maker and Trimmer, No. 12, St. John street.

N. B. Town or country Saddlers may be supplied with any of the above articles on the most reasonable terms. Carriages of all descriptions, covered, lined, trimmed or repaired, and painted with neatness and dispatch.

J. S.

Québec 9<sup>th</sup> June, 1817.

LANDING

From the RENECCA, Capt. Harvey, and for sale by the subscriber:

**R**USSIA tallow, soap, candles, butter, cheese, pork hams, Scotch herrings, London ale and porter, loaf and mu covado sugar, Port wine, leaf tobacco, shoe blacking, cooperas, bar iron, paints and stain oil, oatmeal and barley, 50 tons coals, &c. &c.

GEORGE ROSS,

51, Saull au Matlot street.

Québec, 10th June, 1817.

**T**HE *Rebecca* will commence loading for the Clyde, early next week, and will positively be dispatched in all this month. She will take a few tons of ashes or flour on freight, if applied for immediately. For freight or passage, having excellent accommodations, apply to the Captain on board, at Mrs. Bechaut's wharf, or to

GEO. ROSS.

Notice.

**T**HE partnership of Hypolite and Laurent Rolette Merchants has this day expired.

Hyp. ROLETTE.

Fred. ROLETTE, Atty.

To LAURENT ROLETTE.

Québec, 9th June.

N. B. The subscriber informs his friends and the public that he continues alone the same branch of business.

H. ROLETTE.

**J**UST arrived per the *Salus*, from Liverpool, and for sale by the subscribers, at their stores, on Mr. Goodie's wharf:

- 100 crates well-assorted Earthenware,
- 12 do. do. China ware,
- 200 firkins best Irish Butter,
- 18 casks Russia candle Tallow,
- 200 boxes yellow Soap,
- 150 casks Cheese,
- 100 boxes mould Candles,
- 20 ton English Iron, assorted,
- 200 boxes 1<sup>o</sup> Tin plates,
- 100 do. 1<sup>x</sup> do.
- 20 bales Flannels, assorted colours and prices.

CRINGAN, PORTEOUS & Co.

Québec, 2d June, 1817.

**To be Sold or Let**

And immediate possession given, That elegant new dwelling HOUSE, outside of St. John Gate, with a spacious garden and fruit trees, an excellent well of water in the kitchen.

Also,

**To be Sold or Let,**

And immediate possession given, A small convenient HOUSE, in the best repair, next to Mr. Laing's, in Fleury street, St. Roch, at present occupied by the subscribing proprietor.

GEORGE BLACK.

16th May, 1817

THE fine fast sailing coppered Brig ROYAL CHARLOTTE, James Gilchrist, master for Greenock, will commence loading her cargo to-morrow, and as it is all ready to be put on board as quick as it can be received, she will sail on the first day of June, she has excellent accommodations for passengers; for further particulars apply to the Capt. on board at Messrs Jaa. McCallum & Co.'s wharf, or to

ROGERSON, HUNTER & Co. No. 9, St. Peter street.

Quebec, 13d May, May, 1817.

**ADVERTISEMENT.**



**Ran away**

ON MONDAY, the 19th instant, from the house of the subscriber, GERMAIN LEBELLE, an indentured apprentice to the Tailoring business. He talks good French, and pretty good English, and is much marked with the small pox. He had on when he went away, a grey surcoat, a pair of blue pantaloons, and took with him a blue and an olive body coat. All persons are hereby forbid harbouring the said apprentice on pain of prosecution; and any person who will bring the said apprentice, or will give any information of him, so that he may be recovered, will receive a reward of FIVE POUNDS.

JOHN HONSTON.

Quebec, 26th May, 1817.

**Avertissement.**

Il s'est évadé de la maison du sousigné, Lundi le 19 du présent, GERMAIN LEBELLE, apprentif au métier de Tailleur. Il parle bien la langue Française et assez bien la langue Anglaise, et est beaucoup marqué de la petite vérole. Il avoit sur lui un habit gris et une paire de pantalons bleus; il avoit aussi un habit olive et un autre bleu. Toutes personnes sont par le présent défendues de receler le dit apprentif, à peine de poursuite; et la personne qui ramènera le dit apprentif, ou en donnera quelque information, de manière qu'on peut s'en assurer, recevra une récompense de cinq livres courant.

JOHN HONSTON.

Quebec, 26e Mai, 1817.

THE subscriber respectfully informs his friends and the public that he has commenced Business on his own account, as SADDLER, HARNESS Maker and Cardage Trimmer, No. 13, Ste Anne street, next door to the Livery Stables, formerly Mr. Webb Robinson's Store; and solicits their support, which he hopes by exertions will ever merit.

Quebec, 20th May 1817.

THO. BURNUP

**FOR SALE,**

- 100 puncheons Jamaica rum,
- 50 tierces do. coffee,
- Holland's Lin.
- Superior old Port wine, in pipes,
- A few cases Frontignac wine,
- Teneriffe, } wines, of superior quality, in pipes
- Spanish, and } hhd. and qr. cases.
- Faval
- Round iron, assorted sizes,
- Copper bolts, do.
- Cardage and nails.
- 15 000 feet oak timber,
- 10 M. staves.

ALSO,

WILLIAM PRICE.

Quebec, 23th Sept. 1816.

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 GEORGE VANFELSON, Esquire, in the Upper Town of Quebec, St. Lewis street, No. 41, and that the said Office will be open every Wednesday, 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 communications, and also upon the probable amount of the expense of the works to be performed in furtherance of such Improvements.

Quebec, 16th May, 1817.

**ADVERTISEMENT.**

Quebec, 14th May, 1817.

THE Commissioners for the Internal Communications in the County of Dorchester, and in that part of the County of Buckinghamshire belonging to the district of Quebec, do hereby give notice that their Office will be opened in the City of Quebec, at the house of CRAS DELERY, Esquire, one of the Commissioners, Hope street, every day in the week, between Nine o'clock in the forenoon, and Four o'clock in the afternoon, in order to receive all Communications relating to the nature of the duties prescribed to them by the Act passed in the last session of the Provincial Parliament, intitled, "An Act to provide more effectually to the Improvement of the Internal Communications in the Province," and to the Improvements to be made in the said County of Dorchester, and in that part of the County of Buckinghamshire belonging to the district of Quebec, to facilitate new means of communication, and on the probable expenses of the works to be done in consequence of such improvements.

N. B. Those Communications to be in writing, and directed "To the Commissioners on Internal Communications for the County of Dorchester, and that part of the County of Buckinghamshire belonging to the district of Quebec."

**AVERTISSEMENT.**

LES Commissaires des communications Intérieures du Comté de Dorchester et de cette partie du Comté de Buckinghamshire qui dépend du District de Québec, donnent par le présent avis que leur Bureau sera ouvert en la Ville de Québec, à la Maison de CHARLES DE LAZAR, Ecuyer, l'un des Commissaires, Ste. Famille, tous les jours de la Semaine, entre neuf heures du matin et quatre heures du soir, pour recevoir toute communication qu'on voudra leur donner relative à la nature des devoirs qui leur sont prescrits par l'Acte passé dans la dernière Session du Parlement Provincial, intitué, "Acte pour pourvoir plus efficacement à améliorer les communications intérieures dans la Province," et aux améliorations à faire dans ledit Comté de Dorchester et dans cette partie du Comté de Buckinghamshire, qui dépend du District de Québec, pour faciliter de nouveaux moyens de communications et sur le montant probable des frais des ouvrages à faire en conséquence de telles améliorations. — Québec, le 14 Mai, 1817.

N. B. Ces communications seront par écrit et seront adressées, "aux Commissaires des Communications Intérieures, pour le Comté de Dorchester et pour la partie du Comté de Buckinghamshire dépendante du District de Québec."

Just received per the General Murray, from London, and for sale by the subscriber:

- STILTON, Pine Apple, Berkley, Sugar Loaf,
- double Goster and Cheshire Cheese, double and single refined Loaf Sugar assorted, Pickles and Sauces, Capers, French Olives, Florence Oil, pickled Oysters, Muscatel and Bloom Raisins, French prunes, Turkey Figs, Raisins, Currants, mould and dript Candies, Day & Martin's Blacking, with a general assortment of Wines, Liquors, &c. in his line.

CHRISTOPHER WILSON

Quebec, 20th Sept. 1816.

**A besoin d'une Place.**

UN jeune Monsieur, d'un bon caractère et qui pourra produire des certificats de sa bonne conduite, entendant les langues Française et Anglaise, et capable de tenir des livres dans un Magazin en gros et en détail. S'adresser à cette Imprimerie.

Quebec, 11e Mai, 1817.

THE Subscribers have received a consignment of 50 elegant Engravings, — battles of Bonaparte, by one of the first Artists in Europe, which will be sold low, either together or separate.

ALSO,

Just received a few packages of fashionable Tricorns for window Curtains, Bombazines, &c. &c.

HENDERSON, BROTHER & Co.

Quebec, 27th May, 1816.

**LANDS FOR SALE.**

THE following lots of Land are for sale by the subscribers, for which undoubted titles will be given, and terms of payment made easy to the purchasers.

**IN THE TOWNSHIP OF SHELFORD,**

Lot, No. 8, in the first range of lots, containing 10 hundred superficial acres, with a dwelling house, barn, and other buildings thereon erected.

**IN THE TOWNSHIP OF SUTTON,**

Lot, No. 23, in the fourth range,  
17 in the seventh range,  
27, in the eighth range,  
24, in the ninth range.

PETER PATERSON & Co.

Quebec, 12th May, 1817

**NOTICE**

JAMES MILLER, duly commissioned and sworn Inspector of Timber, &c. for the Port of Quebec, begs leave most respectfully to inform all persons concerned in the Lumber Trade, that he has removed from his former residence in the Lower-Town, to Sillery Cove, where he intends keeping a team of horses, &c. on the spot. All orders addressed to him will be immediately executed under his own inspection for by an assistant equally well qualified, in his absence.

Sillery Cove, 25th May, 1817.

**Wants a Situation.**

A YOUNG man who is familiar with the business of a counting house, thoroughly acquainted with attending a Grocery or Dry Good store; speaks English and French, and can be respectfully recommended. Any order left for him, to this purpose, at this Office will be duly attended to.

Quebec, 27th May, 1817.

**SHOP TO LET,**

IN the House, No. 3, St. John Street. It is most advantageously situated for business. For terms, apply to the WIDOW L'HEUREUX, on the premises.

6th Feb. 1817.

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given that the business heretofore carried on under the Firm of WHITNEY & COTTRELL is this day dissolved, by mutual consent; all persons having any demands against said concern are requested to present them to Joshua Whitney for liquidation, and all persons indebted to said concern are called upon to pay the same without delay to Joshua Whitney who is duly authorized to discharge the same.

JOSHUA WHITNEY,

Quebec, May, 1817. FRANCIS COTTRELL.

N. B. The Business will in future be carried on as usual by JOSHUA WHITNEY, on his own account.

J. W.

THE subscriber respectfully informs his friends and the public that he has commenced business on his own account, at the House No. 24, St. Charles street, outside of Palace Gate, he has on hand an assortment of Ladies' and Gentlemen's hats, children's and youth's do. which he will dispose of at the lowest prices, Ladies' Beaver dressed dyed or altered to the latest fashions, also, Gentlemen's hats dressed and put in shape at the shortest notice.

J. J. BARNARD.

19th May, 1817.

Printed and published for THOMAS CARY, No. 6 St. Anne street, at the NEW PRINTING-OFFICE No. 21, Buedestreet.

(BY DESIRE.)

### CUSTOM-HOUSE ABUSES.

The Commissioners of the Customs have been reprimanded, in the following letter, by the Lords of the Treasury, for permitting scandalous seizures of property by their officers, under pretence of irregularity:

Treasury Chambers, August 14, 1814

GENTLEMEN—I am commanded by the Lords Commissioners of his Majesty's Treasury to inform you, that they have recently had under their consideration representations from various merchants, complaining of unjust seizures and vexatious detentions by the Officers of your departments. In some of these cases My Lords have observed, that the precise letters of Acts of Parliament framed many years ago, in time of peace, and of more circumscribed commerce, have been rigorously applied amidst all the difficulties incident to war, and against the manifest spirit of the Acts themselves, the penalties of which were directed for the punishment of fraud or culpable negligence, and not for accidental or trivial omissions. To four cases which will serve as examples of many others, I am commanded to draw your special attention:—The first is, the seizure of twenty hogheads of sugar, entered with the mark RS instead of R S; these hogheads were seized by the officers of your department, at Bristol, merely for the omission of the small intervening mark; and a satisfaction has been demanded for the restoration of each of one guinea. It is quite manifest, from all the circumstances of this case, that no fraud could have been intended. To grant a satisfaction therefore, to the seizing officer, could tend only to encourage similar seizures for trifling irregularities; and therefore, My Lords cannot sanction the payment to the seizing Officer of any satisfaction whatever, but direct the immediate restoration of the goods. Another seizure at the port of Bristol, which has particularly attracted their Lordships' observation, is that two hogheads of sugar, imported in the ship Ruth, in the month of April, and seized by the officer, as he declared, for being an excess upon the report of the cargo, against the earnest remonstrance of the owners, who contended that the cargo entirely corresponded with the report. After nearly four months' detention, and various reports and correspondence, the owners were enabled, from the accidental circumstance of a part of the cargo having been sold until the whole was delivered, to prove that there was no ground whatever for the seizure; and the very irregularity which was the pretence for the seizure, was traced to the officer himself. A third case at the port of Bristol is that of the sugar imported in the Anna Maria, a part of which has been seized, because the marks do not entirely correspond with the report, but as the whole contents of the cargo, as reported and delivered, agree, there is no ground to suspect a fraud, and the irregularity is not of an extent to call for any penalty. My Lords, therefore, desire that the sugar may be forthwith restored without any satisfaction whatever. A fourth case now before their Lordships, is that of the Perseverance, in the port of London, which vessel and her cargo have been seized under circumstances so extraordinary, as to demand their Lordships' immediate interposition:—It appears that this ship brought some cases of sugar from Gibraltar, and under the existing laws, was not liable to seizure, but the owners were at liberty to send the vessel and cargo again from this country. They applied, however, to their Lordships to land and warehouse the cargo; and whilst this application was under consideration, your officers, construing such application into an intention to land the goods for warehousing, seized the vessel and cargo. The application to their Lordships for permission to warehouse being refused, the Memorialists then applied for an order to transship the cargo into another vessel, for Gibraltar, "the petitioner being subject to heavy demurrage for detaining the vessel." To this request their Lordships were pleased to accede, and your Board were apprised thereof on the 6th ult. and desired to give immediate directions for that purpose. The vessel Perseverance and cargo having, however, been seized by your Officers as above stated, you have requested their Lordships' directions, submitting, "that should their Lordships be pleased to order the delivery of the goods and vessel, the seizing Officer might, according to the practice, be entitled to

a satisfaction;" but you beg to submit how far their Lordships, under the circumstance, may think he has any claim to the same. According to the views which My Lords at present take of this case, the original seizure appears to have been most unjust, and any practice which would entitle the officer to satisfaction, cannot be too much censured, or too soon abolished. In cases like this, My Lords expect, from the discriminating judgment of your Board, the prompt and vigorous execution of the powers vested in you by law; and you may confidently rely, without the delay of previous reference to their Lordships, which is in itself a heavy punishment to the merchant, upon their Lordships' full support in whatever measures may be necessary for the punishment of oppressive or contumacious officers.—This, my Lords feel to be due to the interest of the fair merchant, and to the character of the Government, both of which are affected by such transactions as those adverted to in this letter. Already my Lords have instructed you to injoin your officers to refrain from acting upon any new constructions of law contrary to the past practice, and to refer all such doubts, in the first instance, to your Board; and in case of great importance or difficulty, you will apply for their Lordships' determination. As the penalties contained in the various laws of Customs were intended for the punishment of fraud, and not of accidental or trivial omissions, the officers of Customs must cease to consider such mistakes as sources of advantages to themselves; for my Lords are determined hereafter to mark with their decided displeasure every detention that shall appear to have been made upon such vexatious pretences. In order to remove every doubt of their Lordships' intention upon this subject, I have it in command to desire, that if upon the delivery of cargoes of vessels it shall appear that any packages which may be erroneously marked, do in substance and contents correspond with the report and the manifest, neither such goods or vessels shall be deemed liable to seizure on account of such error.

I am, Gentlemen, your obedient servant,  
(Signed) S. R. LUSHINGTON,  
Commissioners Customs.

THE SUBSCRIBER having removed to No. 20 St. Anne street, Upper-Town (near the Scotch Church) takes the liberty to tender his services as an AUCTIONEER & BROKER, to the officers of the Army and others, who may have household furniture, or other property, to dispose of at their respective dwellings or otherwise, either in Town or Country. He has had some years experience in the above line, (exclusive of his Agency and Commission Business, which he still continues); he therefore entertains confident hopes of rendering satisfaction to those who will be pleased to employ him.

JOHN MUNRO.

Quebec, May, 1817.

### CANADA TANNERY,

At the foot of Abraham's Hill.

THE proprietors of the above Manufactory offer for sale a general and very extensive assortment of LEATHER of all descriptions, at a low rate, for cash or short approved credit. The Goods hereby offered for sale will be found, upon inspection, to be infinitely superior to anything of the kind hitherto manufactured in this country; and well merits the attention of purchasers.—All orders from town and country parts will meet with punctuality and dispatch.

Quebec, May 14, 1816.

To Let, from 1st May,

THE House and premises belonging to Judge KERR, situated in St. John suburb, at present occupied by Colonel Myers. Apply to JOHN STEWART.

Quebec, 17th Feb. 1817.

### FOR SALE,

A VERY handsome Canadian STALLION, perfectly gentle, accustomed to a carriage and to draft of every description. He will be warranted thoroughly sound.

ALSO,

A capital Double-Barrel GUN, made by Clark, foreman to Knock, with Case; Powder Flask, Shot Belt, &c. &c. complet.—Inquire of the Printer.

Quebec, 13th May, 1817.

Wanted Immediately,

AN Apprentice to a Surgeon and Apothecary. For particulars, apply to the Editor.

Quebec, 12th May, 1817.

To be Sold, or to Let,

THE HOUSE No. 12, St. Famille street, together with the out Houses, garden and other dependencies appertaining to those extensive premises:—in the event of a sale, the terms of payment would be made to suit the convenience of the purchaser;—For sale or lease, apply to

JAMES IRVINE,  
22, St. Louis street.

Quebec, 17 March, 1817.

To Let,

Possession given on the 1st May next. That spacious dwelling House, situated in St. Peter street, well known by the appellation of Old London Coffee House.

Quebec, 8th April, 1817.

### The Quebec Exchange.

THIS institution being intended to facilitate the operations of trade in general in this province, and extend as much as possible the channels of information to every individual interested as well as to the public at large. The committee take this method to inform the public that a part of the Exchange Room will be appropriated to receive the names and address of all artists, schools, manufactories, tradesmen, hotel and tavern keepers, livery stable keepers, stage coach offices, steam boats and all establishments of public utility and convenience throughout the two provinces, cards printed or written descriptive of the establishments with the days and usual hours of departure for stage and steam boats, from one place to another, framed (not to exceed ten inches square including the frame) will be received and hung up in the room at half a guinea per annum for each; and such as may not be paid for in all the month of May Annually will be considered as discontinued and taken down accordingly. By this mode they consider that the public and proprietors will be mutually benefited as all these establishments will become at once known to every stranger coming into the country by the River St. Lawrence, as well as to the Inhabitants of Quebec.

Quebec, 31st March, 1817.

### FOR SALE,

THAT extensive LOT at the end of St. Stanislaus street, in the upper Town of this City whereon are a large well built Dwelling House, a good stable, and convenient out-houses, all in complete order and repair, with a large Garden in the rear. The Lot contains nine thousand two hundred superficial feet, Fr. measure, and is bounded in front by St. Stanislaus street, on one side by St. Helen street, and on the rear by Angel street. The premises may be viewed, and examined at any time, by those who are desirous of being acquainted with their situation, condition, and many conveniences.

Quebec, 23d Aug. 1816

A VENDRE,

UNE quantité d'excellente avoine de semence Angloise, au si une quantité d'avoine angloise à chevaux, séchée au chaudoir, par

J. JONES Jr & Co.  
rue St. Pierre, No. 30.

17 Mars, 1817.

**ROBERT GAIN,**

**HOUSE PAINTER, GLAZIER, and DECORATOR,**  
**FROM LONDON,** returns his sincere thanks to the public, for the very liberal encouragement he has received since his arrival in this country; and begs leave to inform them he has removed to the house, in St. Anne street, next door to Mr. Cary's Auction room, where he will be happy to receive orders, which will be attended to with punctuality and dispatch.

N. B. He has on hand a large stock of window glass, in crates, which he will cut up to any size that may be wanted. Quebec, 1st May, 1817.

**NOTICE** is hereby given that the Partnership of **LOUIS MASSUE & Co.** expires this day by mutual consent.

All persons indebted to said concern are requested to pay to **LOUIS MASSUE;** and those who may have demands against it, will please send in their accounts for payment.

**FRS. DURETTE,  
 L. MASSUE.**

Quebec, 1st May, 1817.

N. B. The affairs will be continued by the subscribers under the same denomination of **LOUIS MASSUE & Co.** who flatter themselves by their assiduity and attention to business to be deserving of the continuation of the public favours.

**LOUIS MASSUE,  
 NICOLAS MASSUE.**

No. 1. Fabrique street. Upper-Town

**FORSALE.**

**200 Cedar posts ready squared for garden fences.**

6,000 feet inch boards, long lengths,

9,000 feet oak timber,

A team for hauling timber, and all other apparatus for the lumber trade.

4,000 West India staves. And,

**TO BE LET,**

A pleasant country residence on the banks of the Saint Lawrence, on very moderate terms, with or without a garden. Apply to

**WALTER GILLEY,  
 Sillery Cove.**

who has taken a cove next to his house, for hauling up timber, staves, plank, &c. under his own eye. Having a team on the spot, he respectfully offers his services to merchants and others, who may have occasion for them. Parties accommodated at his house as usual. W. G.

Quebec, 1st May, 1817.

**ECOLE GRATUITE.**

Le public est averti que l'Ecole gratuite d'après les principes Britanniques, est établie en la Haute-Ville de Québec, Rue St. Hélène, où seront reçus les enfants pour être instruits dans la lecture et l'écriture, en anglais et en français et dans l'arithmétique gratuitement, et auxquels seront fournies toutes choses nécessaires à cet effet pour rien, les personnes qui veulent se qualifier pour être maîtres d'écoles dans les Campagnes, seront pareillement reçus et instruits gratuitement. Par ordre du Comité.

R. JOHNSTON, faisant fonction de Secrétaire. Québec, le 1er Mai, 1817.

**FREE SCHOOL.**

The Free School on the British system of Education is now established in the upper town of Quebec, in Saint Helen street, where children will be received and instructed **GRATUITOUSLY** in Reading, Writing, and Arithmetic, in French and English, and every thing necessary to that effect furnished free of expense. Persons who wish to qualify themselves as Teachers for the country, will be also received and instructed **GRATIS.**

By order of the Committee,

**Rt. JOHNSTON,  
 Acty. Secretary**

Quebec, 1st May, 1817.

**Houses and Stores to Let.**

To be Let, for one or more years, and to entered upon the 1st of May next, the Apartments at present occupied by Mr. McFarlane, at the foot of Mountain street, and three flats of a new Store adjoining. Also a large and convenient store recently occupied by Government, and a store-house fronting the new street called St. Paul, together with a part of a wharf in front. Inquire of

**ROBT. RICHARDSON.**

Quebec, March 30, 1817.

**HOUSE OF ASSEMBLY.**

Wednesday, 12th March, 1817.

**RESOLVED**—That this House will not receive any petitions for private Bills after the first fifteen days of each Session.

**RESOLVED**—That this House will not receive any private Bills, except in the first twenty four days of each Session.

**RESOLVED**—That the said Resolutions be printed, during six months, in all the public papers, after the present Session, and also one month before each Session, during three years.

(Attest)

**WM. LINDSAY, jun.  
 Clk. Assembly.**

**CHAMBRE D'ASSEMBLEE,  
 Mercredi, 12 Mars, 1817.**

**RESOLU**—Qu'à l'avenir cette Chambre ne recevra des Petitions pour des Bills privés que dans les premiers quinze jours de chaque Session.

**RESOLU**—Que cette Chambre ne recevra des Bills privés que dans les premiers vingt quatre jours de chaque Session.

**RESOLU**—Que les dites Résolutions soient imprimées pendant six mois dans tous les papiers publics après la présente Session, et aussi un mois avant chaque Session pendant trois années.

(Attesté)

**WM. LINDSAY, jun.  
 Greff. Ass.**

The Printers in Lower Canada, are requested to insert the above Resolutions in both languages, in their respective newspapers, during the six ensuing months; after that term is expired, their agreement for printing the same will be paid to them, or to their agents in Quebec, by the Clerk of the House of Assembly. Quebec, 7th April, 1817.

**TO LET.**

FOR the Summer, three neatly furnished Rooms, with stable, coach-house, garden, &c. situated at St. Foy—For further particulars, enquire at this office. 5th May.

**CAMPBELL & CHAPMAN** have received by the late arrivals a few Casks of **Alloa Ale**, and **London Brown Stout** in Casks of 3 & 5 dozens. Quebec, 9th October, 1815.

**TO LET.**

THE House, Garden, and premises, No. 21 St. Louis street. For particulars, enquire of the Proprietor thereon. 24th April, 1817.

**FOR SALE or CHARTER**

To any port in Great Britain—The fine fast sailing ship **ACTIVE**, copper fastened, 430 tons register measurement, and will be ready to commence loading at the opening of the Navigation. For further information, apply to

**JOHN GOUDIE,  
 Ship builder, St. Rock.**

N. B.—Wanted for the above ship, a chief Mate. None need apply but those who can produce a good character. J. G.

**ROBERT GAIN,**

**Peintre, Vitrier et Décorateur, de Londres,**

Fait ses sincères remerciements au public de l'encouragement très libéral qu'il a reçu de puis son arrivée dans ce pays; et il prend la liberté de l'informer qu'il a transféré sa demeure à la Maison, Rue Ste. Anne, la porte voisine de la Chambre d'Encau de Mr. Cary, où il se trouvera très flatté de recevoir des Ordres, lesquels seront exécutés ponctuellement et avec promptitude.

N. B. Il a en main une quantité considérable de vitres en paniers qu'il taillera d'après les dimensions qu'on pourra désirer.

Quebec, 10. Mai, 1817.

**VENTE.**

ON fait savoir, que **MARDI**, le premier jour de Juillet prochain, à Une heure précise après-midi, à la requisition de Dame **HANNAH SHEPHERD**, veuve de Mr. William Shepherd, décédé, en son vivant Confiturier et Pâtissier, demeurant en cette Ville, et de Messieurs James Cockburn et Josias Warfele, Exécuteurs du Testament du dit William Shepherd, et en conformité à icelui sera par le Notaire Soussigné, sur les lieux, crié, vendu et adjugé au plus haut et dernier enchérisseur:—Un **LOT de TERRE ou EMPLACEMENT** de figure irrégulière, situé en cette Haute-Ville de Québec, Rue St. Joseph, borné en front par la dite Rue St. Joseph, et en profondeur par la Rue Couillard, du côté Sud-Ouest par Mr. Mathew M'Clure, représentant Sandford Hoyt, et du côté Nord-Est à Mr. Pierre Drolet, duquel côté le dit Lot de Terre s'étend derrière l'emplacement du dit Pierre Drolet et à un autre emplacement dont le front est sur la dite Rue Couillard, appartenant à Mr. William Thomas—sur lequel sont érigés plusieurs Maisons et Bâtimens, notamment: une grande Maison en pierres à deux étages au niveau de la dite Rue St. Joseph, de tout le front de l'emplacement, laquelle dite Maison s'étend derrière celle du dit Pierre Drolet, et donne plusieurs appartemens de ce côté, et dont les pignons mitoyens avec celles des voisins—En outre une autre Maison aussi en pierres à deux étages avec Boulangeries, dont le front est sur la dite Rue, il y a une entrée commode pour parvenir aux hangars et remises dans la cour entre les deux Maisons sus-mentionnées Rue Couillard—sous la Maison premièrement désignée sont deux bonnes Voutes bien élevées et bien sèches, et une autre de même description, sous la partie derrière la maison du dit Pierre Drolet.

Les amateurs pourront connaître les conditions de vente et examiner les Titres en s'adressant au Soussigné, en son Etude, à Québec, Rue des Pauvres.

**F. TETU.**

Quebec, 6e Mai, 1817.

**Usmar and Penny, Boat Builders,**

**RESPECTFULLY** inform their friends they continue Building Boats of all descriptions on the lowest terms. They have on hand for sale **New and Old Boats**—rough and ready made ash Oars.

No. 7. Canoterie, Near hope Gate.

Quebec, 20 June, 1815.

**To be Sold, or LET,**

A well built **DWELLING-HOUSE**, with a good Garden adjoining, situated at Point Levi, above Hallow Cove, and commanding a most capital prospect of the river and country. Apply at No. 1, St. Peter street. Quebec, 26th July, 1816.

The Subscriber respectfully informs the Merchants, Ship owners, and others, that he commences the business of **SAIL MAKING** on the 1st May, at No. 18, St. Peter street, the loft formerly occupied by Mr. James Hunt, and hopes by attention and diligence, to merit a share of their support.

**HENRY BULLIN.**

Quebec, 29th April, 1817.

**FOR SALE,**

At No. 5, South-du-Marché street:

- 7 puncheons L. I. rum,
- 8 hogheads } bright muscovado sugar,
- 60 barrels } do. Brazil do.
- 32 do. } do. Brazil do.
- 50 qt. casks best Jamaica shrab,
- 26 casks } Seal Oil,
- 59 hhds. } Seal Oil,
- 21 tierces }
- 15 casks olive oil,
- 200 barrels pickled herring,
- 2 crates earthenware.

**W. G. & P. SHEPPARD.**

Quebec, 27th Aug. 1816.

**TO LET, for ONE or TWO YEARS,**

A **COUNTING-HOUSE**, with or without other rooms and storage. Enquire at the premises, No. 1, St. Peter street.

Quebec, 31st March, 1817.