

the Isle of Man, will occasion a vacancy in the representation for the town of Three Rivers.

The Roman Catholic Bishop of Montreal has dispensed the people of his Diocese, for the present year, from the usual rigid observance of Lent.

Mr. McCoy, a Merchant of Montreal, on the 14th ult. walked to the river's edge, pulled off his overcoat, cap, coat and vest, took his watch from his fob, put it in his vest pocket, together with his wallet, and put them in a heap.

St. John, N. B., Tuesday, March 5.—We are glad to learn that Messrs. Doak & Hill, the publishers of the Loyalist, have been discharged from the gaol of York County, by the decision of their Honors the Justices of the Supreme Court, under the writ of habeas corpus, and acting on the late decision given in England, in the case of "Keiley vs. Carson," of Newfoundland.

We disapprove, as we believe the public in general do, of the harsh and highly improper language used by the editors of the Loyalist in this case, but think that the House would have exhibited much more dignity, by allowing the offensive remarks to pass altogether unnoticed.

With reference to our own local affairs, we may remark, it was generally supposed that the Committee of Supply, in the House of Assembly, would have closed yesterday, which usually portends an approximation to the close of the Session. It appears, however, that some services being still unprovided for, the Committee yet remains open, but still, in all probability be closed in the course of the present day.

MELANCHOLY OCCURRENCE.—On Monday last, Mr. John Ferguson, Blacksmith, Georgetown—a steady, industrious man—terminated his existence by blowing his brains out with a gun, in his own forge.

MECHANICS' INSTITUTE.—On Wednesday evening last, Mr. Hubbard, Master of the Infant School in this Town, lectured on Infant Education. On Wednesday evening next, the Rev. Mr. Kier will, it is expected, deliver a Lecture on The Power of Providence, as exhibited in the works of Creation.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE COLONIAL HERALD.

Sir:—In your paper of the 17th inst., I see a letter from the Secretary of the Governors of the Central Academy to the Hon. the Speaker of the Assembly, setting forth, that at least that hon. body have had, under their consideration the "great inconvenience experienced in the management of the Central Academy, from the unsatisfactory and insufficient manner in which books are furnished to the pupils in that Institution," and asking aid from the public funds of the country to supply the same.

FAIR-PLAY.

February 26th, 1844.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE COLONIAL HERALD.

Sir: In the truly excellent letter of your Correspondent "H," with whose sentiments I entirely concur, an erroneous statement appears, which, though, no doubt, inadvertently made, is sufficiently important to require correction. It represents the Bishop of Nova Scotia as altogether opposed to the introduction of evangelical Clergymen within his Diocese.

For my own part, whilst I venture to differ in opinion from his Lordship respecting the Society in question, I am well persuaded that his opposition to it, however unfortunate for the Church, is based upon upright and conscientious views. I cannot, indeed, with the little degree of forethought I possess, anticipate from that proscribed Society, struggling for existence as it evidently is, beneath the weight of irresponsible authority, even under happier circumstances, the evil influence which others appear so much to dread.

valry among them. They will be emulous only of the highest holiness and the greatest usefulness; men of another stamp will, of course, think differently and act differently. They serve another master—the too successful promoter of strife and discord. And so it has ever been from the Church's earliest history—"those that are born after the flesh persecute those that are born after the spirit."

But how, it will be asked, are we to further the benevolent objects of the Colonial Church Society? By unremitting and zealous endeavours to procure for it the Bishop's sanction; and no more feasible method presents itself than that proposed by your correspondent to the communicants of Cherry Valley, "that a petition be forwarded to the Bishop requesting him to withdraw his opposition to the Colonial Church Society, and grant his licence to all pious and zealous Clergymen who may feel desirous to reside in the Colony, and promote the relief of that spiritual destitution which exists to such a lamentable extent."

Let this be done without delay. Let every member of the Church be called upon for his signature, and few there are who will refuse it. Let it be done in a spirit of prayerful dependence upon the great Head of the Church, for his blessing upon the endeavour, and the united prayers and efforts of her members will ultimately prevail.

A CHURCHMAN.

BIRTH. At Castle Rollings, Lot 38, on Thursday the 7th inst., Mrs. Cameron, wife of Mr. Alex. Cameron, was safely delivered of a daughter; and on the Tuesday following (five days afterwards), of another daughter. Both mother and children are, we understand, doing well. This is the third time Mrs. Cameron has had twins.

MARRIED. At Crapaud, on the 8th-ult., by the Rev. Donald McDonald, Mr. James McKay, to Miss Isabella McQuarry. On Thursday last, at Cross Roads Chapel, by the Rev. Mr. Knox, Mr. John Forbes, of Lot 43, to Catherine, daughter of Mr. James Jenkins, of Lot 49.

DIED. Suddenly, on the 11th inst., at the house of Mr. Alexander Johnston, Princetown Road, Mr. John Borthwick, of Annan Mills, Barbara-weit. At Murray Harbour, on Wednesday last, Mrs. Elizabeth Irving, relict of the late Mr. James Irving, aged 77 years.

CHARLOTTETOWN MARKETS.

Table with columns for various goods and their prices. Includes items like Beef, Mutton, Pork, Flour, Oatmeal, Tallow, Lard, Butter, Cheese, Wool, Ham, Turkeys, Oats, Turnips, Carrots, Rabbits, Poultry, Eggs, Hay, Pearl Barley, Roasting Pigs, Potatoes, Ducks, Partridges, Straw, Geese, and Sausages.

LAND ASSESSMENT.

Treasurer's Office, Charlottetown, Prince Edward Island, 16th Jan. 1843.

IN pursuance of the Act of the General Assembly of this Island, made and passed in the Seventy year of the Reign of His late Majesty King William the Fourth, intitled An Act for levying an Assessment on all Lands in this Island—I do hereby give public notice, that I have made Proclamation, according to the terms of the said Act, of the undermentioned Town Lots, Pasture Lots, and parts of Lots or Townships, in this Island, in arrears for the non-payment of the several sums due and owing thereon to Her Majesty, under and by virtue of the before-mentioned Act, viz:—

Table listing land lots with columns for Town Lots in Charlottetown, Georgetown, and Townships. Includes lot numbers and acreages.

And the owners of the said Lots and Tracts of Land, so in arrears and proclaimed as aforesaid, are hereby notified, that in case the sums charged on them by the said Act, together with the Ten Cents which have been incurred, shall not be paid within Ten Days before the next Easter Term of the Supreme Court of Judicature, to be held at Charlottetown, which will commence on Tuesday the Seventh day of May next, application will be made to the Supreme Court, during the said Term, for Judgment against the said Lots and Tracts of Land respectively.

J. SPENCER SMITH, Treasurer.

GRAIN SHOW.

Table showing premiums for various grain types. Columns include item name and premium amount.

The Annual General Meeting will take place immediately after the Show, when the Premiums will be awarded.

E. THORNTON.

DISSOLUTION OF COPARTNERSHIP.

THE Copartnership heretofore subsisting between the undersigned, under the Firm of "J. B. Cooper & Co.," is and more recently under the Firm of "Cooper & Bremner," is this day dissolved by mutual consent. All Debts due to and owing by the aforesaid Firm or Co-partnership, will be received and paid by James B. Cooper.

J. B. COOPER, J. S. BREMNER.

Charlottetown, 7th March, 1844.

The Printing Business heretofore carried on by the late Firm of "Cooper & Bremner," will, in future, be conducted by the Subscriber, in all its branches, on his own account. All Orders will be punctually attended to, and dispatched in the first style of Workmanship, and on moderate terms. All persons indebted to the late Firm of "James B. Cooper & Co.," or "Cooper & Bremner," are respectfully requested to make immediate payment of their respective Accounts agreeably to the above notice.

JAMES B. COOPER.

7th March, 1844.

THE Subscriber begs leave to acquaint the Public, that he has commenced business in the Rigging Line, Rigging cut and fitted of all descriptions, in the neatest manner and on the shortest notice. Orders from the country punctually attended to.

RICHARD JONES.

Dorchester-street (upper end), 14th March, 1844.

TEMPERANCE.

A MEETING of the Auxiliary Temperance Society will (O. V.) be held in the Vestry of the Wesleyan Chapel on the evening of Monday, the 13th inst. The Chair will be taken at half past Seven, p. m., precisely.

A Collection will be taken in aid of the funds, GEO. MOORE, Secretary.

Charlottetown, 7th March, 1844.

DISTRICT No. 3.

THE Subscriber will let, by Auction, to the lowest bidder, on Saturday the 30th of March inst., at the hour of 12 o'clock, noon, on the spot, the building a Bridge at Craswell's Mill.

HARRY C. GREEN, Commissioner.

St. Eleanor's, March 8, 1844.

WHARFS IN ROAD DISTRICT No. 4.

SEALED Tenders will be received at the Office of the Road Commissioner of the above district, until Saturday, the 16th March next, at 5 o'clock, p. m., for building an Abutment and Arch to the Princetown Wharf; also, for building an Abutment and Arch to the Wharf at Long River, New London.

Plans and Specifications can be seen at any time, by applying at the Office, Darley.

P. S. MACNUTT, Commissioner.

ROAD DISTRICT No. 5.

SEALED TENDERS will be received by the Subscriber, until the 20th day of March, inst., for building two Blocks and Bridges to the Wharf at Hurd's Point, Bedeque, of a similar size and description, in all respects, to the Block and Bridges of the Wharf at Green's shore, to be completed on or before the 30th September next.

Tenders will also be received until the 20th day of March, for walling up the North East side of the Aboiteau, at Tryon River, to connect the work done last year with the Abutment, forming the Sluice way, and in every other respect to correspond with the Wall on the South West side of the said Aboiteau; the whole of the road-way to be raised with Brush and Clay to within 6 inches of the upper part of the said Walls, and to be completed on or before the 10th day of July next.

JOSEPH POPE, Commissioner.

Commissioner's Office, Bedeque; March 6th, 1844.

DISTRICT No. 6.

THE Subscriber will let by Auction, to the lowest bidder, on the spot, the Building and Repairing of the several Bridges, as follows:— On Wednesday, the 20th March, at 9 o'clock, the building a Bridge on Hope River, at the Narrows; at 12 o'clock, the new covering the Bridge on Simpson's Mill Pond; at 3 o'clock, the new covering the Bridge on Bagnall's Mill Pond.

On Thursday the 21st, at 10 o'clock, the building a Bridge on Mill River, Lot 21; at 2 o'clock, the re-building the Bridges on the Road from Haslam's to Grenville Mills. On Friday, the 22d, at 12 o'clock, the building a Wharf at the Oyster Bed, Wheatley River.

Approved security will be required for the due performance of each contract.

JEREMIAH SIMPSON, Commissioner.

Cavendish, March 2, 1844.

DISTRICT No. 8.

THE subscriber will let by Auction, to the lowest bidder, on the spot, the repairing and building of the following Bridges:— On Saturday, the 16th March, at 10 o'clock, the repairing of Poplar Island Bridge. On Monday, the 18th, at 11 o'clock, the repairing of Crabb's Mill Brook Bridge, Princetown Road.

JAMES COLES, Commissioner.

Charlottetown, March 4, 1844.

ROAD DISTRICT No. 9.

THE Subscriber will sell, by Auction, to the lowest bidder, on Thursday, the 19th inst., at 10 o'clock, forenoon, the covering and railing Corran Ban Bridge, Lot 25; also, on Wednesday, the 20th inst., at 10 o'clock, forenoon, the finishing the Bridge near John Macdonald's, Allisary, Lot 37; same day, at 12 o'clock, noon, raising the Road over the Hollow, near Maple over Pisiquid River, on the Road to Vernoh River.

Ample security will be required for the due performance of each contract.

DAVID HIGGINS, Commissioner of the 9th District.

5th March, 1844.

DISTRICT No. 10.

THE following Wharf and Bridges will be set to the lowest bidder:— On Wednesday, the 20th inst., at 10 o'clock, a. m., the building an additional Block to China Point Wharf; same day, at 2 o'clock, p. m., the building a Bridge on the Road from the Back Settlement, Lot 48, towards Alexander M' Rae's, Lot 49.

On Thursday, the 21st, at 10 o'clock, a. m., the rebuilding a Bridge over Mill Creek, near Vernon River; same day, at 2 o'clock, p. m., the building a new Bridge over Vernon River, head of Murray Harbour Road.

J. R. BOURKE, Commissioner.

Mill View, March 1, 1844.

DISTRICT No. 11.

THE Subscriber will set, by Public Auction, to the lowest bidder, at the different places where the work is to be performed, on Wednesday, the 20th inst., at 11 o'clock, the building of additional Blocks to the Wharf at Orwell Point, Port Selkirk. Same day, at 2 o'clock, the building of two Bridges on the Selkirk Road, leading from Montague and Newton, towards Orwell. Also, same day, at 4 o'clock, the building of additional Blocks to the Wharf at Eon's Point, Pinette River.

Sufficient Security will be required for the performance of the work.

ALLAN M'DOUGALL, Commissioner.

DISTRICT No. 12.

THE subscriber will sell, by Public Auction, on the spot, to the lowest bidder, on Wednesday, the 20th day of March, instant, at the hour of 10 o'clock, forenoon, the building of a Wharf, to be erected at the shore of the Widow M'Annis's Farm, head of St. Peter's Bay; and immediately afterwards, on the same day, the finishing the Wharf at the end of the Cable Head Road; also, the repairing of Marie Bridge, and erecting a small Bridge at Quigly's (near Marie).

At 11 o'clock, forenoon, of the following day, the repairing of Morel Bridge, and erecting a small Bridge at Rossiter's; and also one East of Worell's Mills. And at 11 o'clock, forenoon, on Friday, the 22d inst., the erecting a new Bridge at the New Settlement, on Lot 38; and the repairing the Bridge at the head of Hillsborough River.

Ample security will be required for the due performance of each Contract.

PETER M'CALLUM, Commissioner.

March 2d, 1844.

ROAD DISTRICT No. 13.

ON Wednesday the 20th day of March, inst., at 10 o'clock forenoon, I will attend at Grand River Wharf, at 1 o'clock at Cooper's Mills, and at 3 o'clock at Withers', for the purpose of expending, by Public Auction, on Lot 38, the following sums:—At Grand River Wharf, Fifty-seven Pounds (£57); Bridge at Cooper's Mills, Five Pounds (£5); Bridge at Withers', Two Pounds (£2).

Ample Security for the due performance of each will be required.

WILLIAM UNDERHAY, Commissioner.

Bay Fortune, 2d March, 1844.

ROAD DISTRICT No. 16.

THE Subscriber will sell by Public Auction, at Mr. Wightman's Shop, in Georgetown, on Monday, the 18th March next, at noon, the building an additional Block and Bridge on the spot, on Thursday, the 21st March, at noon, the repairs of the South River Bridge.

Security required for the performance of the work.

E. THORNTON.

29th February, 1844.

WANTED—A steady Active LAD, about 14 years of age, as an Apprentice to the Printing Business. Inquire at the Office of the Colonial Herald.

CONSIGNMENT.

FOR Sale by the SUBSCRIBER, 6 puns MOLASSES, 4 bbls. SUGAR, 2 bales DRY GOODS.

JOHN BOVYER.

JOSEPH DODD, Upholsterer & French Polisher,

BEGS leave to acquaint the Inhabitants of Charlottetown and the Island generally, that he has taken the house lately occupied by Mr. Jabez Barnard, jun., East end of King's Square, where all orders in his line will be thankfully received and punctually attended to.

Carrriages lined and trimmed in the neatest manner. Curtains hung in the latest style.

Charlottetown, 5th Jan., 1844.

THE SUBSCRIBERS have completed their Importations for the FALL, consisting of

A LARGE ASSORTMENT OF GOODS, Suitable for the Season,

Comprising superfine black, blue and coloured Cloths, Cassimeres, Tweeds and Doeskins, in great variety; Welsh & Saxony Flannels, Mouslin de Laines, Orleans and Parisian Cloths, Chenie Chusans, Printed Velvets, &c. for Ladies' Dresses, & 6-4 black Paramatta, for mourning; black and coloured Silk Velvets, Ribbons, Gloves, Laces, Hosiery, Silk & Cotton Handkerchiefs, Muslins, Braees, Stocks, superior Cotton Warp, Indigo, Fur Caps and Beaver Hats, Blankets, &c. &c.

ALSO, Jamaica Spirits, best pale and coloured Brandy, Holland's Gin, Port and Madeira Wines, Hyson and Souchong Tea, Loaf and Moist Sugar, London Porter, boxes Raisins, Currants, Spices, Mustard; Earthen, Glass and Hardware.—The whole of which will be disposed of at their usual low prices for Cash, on delivery.

LYDIARD & FINLAYSON.

No. 1, Queen Street, Dec., 1843.

P. S.—They beg to inform those persons whose Accounts have been due for some time, that unless they make a satisfactory arrangement, on or before the 15th day of March, their Accounts will be placed in the hands of an Attorney.

BUILDING.

SEPARATE Tenders will be received at Winsloe Barton for erecting a Dwelling-house, according to a plan and specification to be seen at the Office of Mr. Isaac Smith, in Charlottetown, or at the Subscriber's, for the following work:—1st. Mason's work, including all labor; 2d. The Framers' and Carpenters'; 3d. The Joiners'; and 4th the Plasterer's.

EDWARD BUXTON.

Winsloe Barton, 26th Feby. 1844.

Mr. Buxton does not pledge himself to accept the lowest Tenders, nor will any be received after the 10th day of May next.

TO CONTRACTORS AND BUILDERS.

SEALED TENDERS will be received at the Store of the undersigned (where all further particulars will be given), until the 1st day of April next, for the following WORK and MATERIALS, viz:— 1 1/2, 1 1/4 and 1 inch SPRUCE BOARDS and PLANK, 6, 3, 2, 1 1/2, 1 1/4 and 1 inch clear PINE Boards and Plank, Good BUILDING STONE for a Cellar Wall (land stone, or that which is free from Salt water, will be preferred,) with or without the mason-work thereof.

The excavation of a Cellar, 120 feet long, 5 feet deep, and 40 feet wide. The Framing, Roughboarding and Shingling of a Three Story Wooden Building. The Sinking and Walling with Stone of a Pump or Well.

DANIEL BRENNAN.

Charlottetown, 16th February, 1844. [6w]

FOR SALE, that superior new fast-sailing BOAT

CHARLES, 24 feet keel, 8 feet 9 inches beam, depth of hold in proportion; Sails and Rigging complete; carvel built, Plank Juniper. She is well known in the community as a safe riding, or driving vessel.

For Particulars, apply to Mr. C. C. Davison, Charlottetown, or to the Subscriber,

W. HUBBARD.

Elliot River, (South Side), March 5th, 1844. 4w

TO BE SOLD, a Leasehold Interest for the residue

of the unexpired term of 15 years, with a right of purchase, in and to that eligibly situated Brick House and premises, situated in Queen's Square, now in the occupation of the Subscriber. possession to be given on the 1st day of November next.

J. SIDNEY DEALEY.

Charlottetown, 6th July, 1843.

SIDNEY MILLS.

THESE excellent MILLS are now in full operation and the public are hereby informed, that a conveyance will leave the Subscriber's residence, in Queen's Square, every Thursday morning, at about 7 a. m., for the purpose of conveying Grain thither; the Flour from which will be returned, free of expense, to the owner, save the toll for grinding allowed by law.

J. SIDNEY DEALEY.

Charlottetown, 28th Oct. 1842.

TO BE LET.

BY the SUBSCRIBER, and immediate possession given, that commodious and pleasantly situated House in Water Street, formerly occupied by James D. Macdonnell, Esq. to which a good Stable and Garden are attached. Also, several valuable and eligible BUILDING LOTS, in Water Street, King Street and Eustis Street.

JAMES PEAKE.

Charlottetown, 30th Sept., 1843.

ALL PERSONS having in their possession any

BOOK or BOOKS belonging to the Mechanics' Institute are required to return the same forthwith.

P. F. LITTLE, Librarian.

January 20, 1844.

ALL Persons having legal demands against the estate of John H. White, of Charlottetown, Printer and Book-binder, deceased, are requested to furnish their Accounts, duly attested; and all persons indebted to said Estate are required to make immediate payment.

JOHN DAVIS, jun., } Administrators.

CHARLES WELSH, } Administrators.

Charlottetown, August 7th, 1843.

THE Subscriber respectfully informs the Inhabitants of Charlottetown, and Prince Edward Island generally, that he has taken the House and Premises known as the WELINGTON HOTEL, which he will open immediately, and hopes, by strict attention to business, to merit a share of public patronage.

EDMUND DUMVILLE.

Charlottetown Dec. 22d, 1843.

THE AMERICAN MILLENARIAN, and Literal

Interpreter of Prophecy, published at New York, price 7s. 6d. per annum, in advance. A few Copies have been just received and are for Sale at the Colonial Herald Office.

THE First class Brig Sir HENRY HUNTLEY, will sail

from Liverpool, G. B., for Charlottetown, on or about the First of April. Will take Freight and Passengers on moderate terms. For further particulars, apply to Messrs. David Cannon, Son & Co., Merchants, Liverpool, or at Charlottetown to the Subscriber,

JOHN DAVIS, jr.

Charlottetown, 13th Jan., 1844.

THE well known BRIG Mary Ann will sail

direct from Bideford, England, for Charlottetown, on or about the 10th April next. For Freight and Passage apply to the Subscriber,

DAVID WILSON