

per annum for reducing the navy to a state of inefficiency at once dangerous and disgraceful to the country.

12. Sir John Cam Hobhouse, who has received £2,500l. per annum for belying all his professed principles, and perpetuating the infliction of flogging in the army.

Cum multis aliis. And here ends a catalogue that should teach the people of England the truth of that memorable declaration—"The heads, advocates, and followers of the Whigs can never constitute a national party, being patched up of the heterogeneous inconsistent parts, whom nothing served to unite but the common interest of sharing in the spoil and plunder of the people, by overthrowing the Church and State."

NEW ADMINISTRATION—GREY—AND ALL GREY.

The following rough draft of a "Treasury Minute," was picked up a few days since at the door of a house in Downing Street. As its contents are "of no use to any but the owner, we publish it, that it may be reclaimed.

Mem. 1. A consolidated Cabinet alone can save the country; but that, to secure cordial co-operation can only be composed of the members of one family; and where can such a family as mine be found? What with myself, and my sons, and my sons-in-law, my brothers, and my brothers-in-law, and my cousins, we could muster a matchless Ministry.

Mem. 2. The bench of Bishops have had due notice from me "to set their house in order" and I propose to consolidate the said bench, and transfer all its duties and dignities to my trusty and well-beloved, Dr. Grey, Bishop of Hertford, and Ponsonby, Bishop of Derry, on their appointment to the Archbishopsrics of Canterbury and York:

Mem. 3.—Comspectus of my new Cabinet and official appointments to be proposed by my Reformed Parliament.

Earl Grey.—First Lord of the Treasury, President of the Council, Chancellor of the Duchy of Lancaster, and Lord Privy Seal.

Hon. Sir. C. Grey, (cousin).—Lord Chancellor, and Speaker of the House of Lords.

Honourable General Grey, (brother).—Commander-in-Chief in England and Ireland.

Honourable Colonel Grey, (son).—Master General of the Ordnance, and Secretary-at-War.

Lord Howick, (eldest, son).—Lord Lieutenant of Ireland.

Honourable John Grey, (son).—Secretary for Ireland.

Honourable and Rev. Dr. Grey, (brother).—Archbishop of Canterbury.

Honourable and Rev. Dr. Ponsonby, (brother-in-law).—Archbishop of York.

Honourable Captain F. W. Grey, R. N. First Lord of the Admiralty.

Honourable Captain G. Grey, R. N. (son).—Admiral of the Fleet.

Edward Elice, (brother-in-law).—Chancellor of the Exchequer.

Lord Durham, (son-in-law).—Governor General of India.

C. Wood, (son-in-law).—Secretary for the Colonies.

Honourable F. R. Grey, (son).—Under Secretary ditto.

Honourable Sir F. Lamb, (cousin) Secretary for Korean Affairs.

Honourable H. C. Grey, Under Secretary for ditto.

Lord Melbourne, (cousin).—Secretary for the Home Department

Hon. G. Lamb, (cousin) Under Secretary for ditto.

Lord Ponsonby, (brother-in-law).—Post-Master General.

Lord Duncannon, (cousin).—Woods and Forests.

Honourable G. Ponsonby, (brother-in-law) President of the Board of Trade, and Master of the Mint.

Sir. Robert Adair, (Dr. Grey's father-in-law).—Lord Chamberlain, with a title.

J. Bulteel, (son-in-law).—Paymaster of the Forces.

Charles S. Grey, (nephew).—Lord Chancellor for Ireland.

Honourable F. C. Ponsonby, (cousin) Master of the Horse, with a title.

W. H. Whitebread, (nephew) Vice-President of the Board of Trade, and Paymaster of the Navy.

THE BRITISH AMERICAN.

MARCH 9, 1833.

Our paper has been delayed until this day [Tuesday, from the same before-mentioned cause. The Mail arrived this morning, bringing Halifax dates to the 6th inst., at which date the harbour of that place was frozen over, so as to admit of the passing of foot passengers and sleds from Dartmouth with safety. Our European dates are nothing later than those already before the public; indeed, local matter keeps pressing in upon us so as to exclude in a great measure Foreign Intelligence.

Patrick Barnet.—We understand His Excellency the Lieut. Governor has been pleased to commute the sentence of the unfortunate man, who was condemned to death last Hilary Term for burglary, to one years solitary confinement.

HOUSE OF ASSEMBLY,

(Reported for the British American.

TUESDAY, MARCH 12, 1833.

The House being to assemble at 2 o'clock this day, several of the Members were present from two until four o'clock, at which time Mr. Speaker had not arrived, when the Clerk at the request of the Mem-

bers then present, adjourned the House to the following day.

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 3.

The House met agreeably to the previous days adjournment. The Tresspass Bill was read a third time, passed, and sent to the Council. At two o'clock the House attended his Excellency the Lieutenant Governor in the Council Chamber, when he gave his assent to two Bills relating to the Statute Labor and High Road Laws.

An Address was ordered to be sent to the Governor, praying that several Roads might be opened through the interior of the Island under the terms of "The Road Compensation Act," which passed—All the Members voting for it except Mr. Hugh McDonald, and Mr. Compton; the remainder of the day was principally occupied in committee on the Boundary Bill.

At about 4 o'clock the House adjourned.

THURSDAY, MARCH 14.

This day was principally taken up in reading Bills and some other routine business, in which nothing very peculiar or worthy of remark took place.

FRIDAY, MARCH 15.

The forenoon of this day was principally occupied in Committee on the consolidation of the Laws relative to the Licences for the retail of Spirituous Liquors. Between two and three o'clock a Message or Deputation was sent to the Governor, on the return of the Members the doors were closed and kept so until seven o'clock, when the House adjourned until one o'clock next day.

SATURDAY, MARCH 16.

Very shortly after the House resumed business, the doors were closed on a case of Privilege, and continued so until between five and six o'clock in the afternoon, when the doors were opened; and some resolutions reported to the House from the Committee of Privileges, on the subject of a conversation which took place between some Members of the Assembly who waited on his Excellency, as reported yesterday. We could not get the exact words of the resolutions, but understood them to be reprehending in plain, though strong terms, the conduct of the Lieut. Governor, both for want of courtesy towards the House of Assembly, and for the misconstruction which his Excellency put upon some of the resolutions of that Body, respecting the Militia Arms, &c. &c. We are surprized from the length of time the doors were closed to find the resolutions pass the House unanimously, during the time the doors were closed. The only voices we could understand distinctly were Mr. Binn's and Mr. Brennan's, who generally spokén in that commanding and determined manner that is usual with great minds when excited. However, as we could not get the whole of the debates we refrain from saying anything more on the subject at present, but shall most likely give the resolutions &c. &c. in our next.

After some other routine business the House adjourned until 11 o'clock on Monday; when there is to be a call of the House in consequence of the Civil List, being "the order of the day" for that day.