

TO THE EDITOR OF THE COLONIAL HERALD.

AUCTIONS.

Surveyor General's Office, 1st August, 1843.

THE Surveyor General will RE-SELL, at PUBLIC AUCTION, at the Court House, in Georgetown, on Saturday, the 2d day of September next, at 12 o'clock, noon, the following Town and Pasture Lots in the said Town and Royalty, the purchase money thereon not being paid—agreeably to Lord Stanley's Despatch, dated 18th March, 1843, viz:— Nos. 4 and 14, Fourth Range, Letter A. Nos. 11 and 12, First " " C. Nos. 2 and 3, Fourth " " C. Nos. 3, 6 and 11, First " " D. No. 15, Fourth " " D. Nos. 2 and 16, First " " E. No. 2, Fourth " " E. Nos. 7 and 8, First " " F. Nos. 3 and 4, Second " " F. Nos. 11, 13 & 14, Third " " F. No. 1, Fourth " " F. Nos. 2, 6, 7, 11, 12 and 13, Second Range, Letter G. Nos. 2, 4, 5, 12, 14 and 15, Third " " G. No. 1, Fourth Range, Letter G.

PASTURE LOTS, Nos. 39, 43, 58, 59, 64, 66, 67, 86, 115, 126, 131, 136, 142, 150, 158, 162, 185, 239, 273 and 291. Lots adjoining the said Royalty, Nos. 39 and 40. GEORGE WRIGHT, Surveyor General.

TO BE SOLD, by Auction, on Saturday, the 26th August, inst., at the Queen's Wharf, at 12 o'clock, the remarkably fast-sailing Boat UNICORN, with or without the Rigging. JOHN SCOTT.

FOR SALE OR TO LET, THAT pleasantly situated Dwelling House and Premises, now in the occupation of Mr. T. B. Tremain, in Water Street. Possession can be given on the 1st September next. For further particulars apply to D. WILSON. Richmond Street, August 8th, 1843.

THE Subscriber offers for Sale Three hundred Acres of valuable Freehold Land, upon Township No. 55, being 2 1/2 miles from Mr. Ringwell's Mill, and through which a new Road was opened in 1842, and passes to Georgetown, rendering it a desirable situation for settlement for three or four Families. This block of land has 19 chains front, is well watered, and forms an excellent place for Ship Building. Terms will be made easy, provided one-half shall be paid down. Deeds will be executed by the Hon. J. H. Peters, Solicitor General. Kenneth McLean or the Subscriber himself will show the Land. Also, 50 Acres of Freehold Land, situate upon Township No. 44, North Side, 20 acres of which are under cultivation, of which also easy terms will be given, on one-half the purchase money being paid down. Apply as above directed. R. MACDONALD.

Township No. 46, North Side, Aug. 7th, 1843.

FOR SALE, OR TO LET, THE unexpired Term of Thirteen Years of the Lease of the HOUSE and Premises at present in the occupation of Edward Kickham, situate in Dorchester Street, and fronting the Store of A. Duncan, Esq. It is an excellent stand for business. Or, the Subscriber will let, for a term of years, his new Building in Kent Street—there is a Store in it, and sufficient accommodation for a respectable family. Possession of either can be given on or before the 1st September next. For particulars, inquire of EDWARD KICKHAM. Charlottetown, July 31st, 1843.

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., CHARLES WELSH, Administrators. Charlottetown, August 7th, 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. Aug. 1843.

TEA, WINE, COFFEE, TOBACCO, &c. JUST RECEIVED, 25 Octave casks Malaga Sherry WINE, 30 dozen Hunt & Co's. SHERRY, in cases, 9 boxes Negro head TOBACCO, No. 1, 8 boxes Cavendish TOBACCO, Honey dew, 2 tierces Loaf SUGAR, double refined, 25 chests best Congo TEA—chop 1842. 27 qr. casks White Wine VINEGAR—perfectly pure, 1 do. SHRUB, 2 do. GIN, 10 do. BRANDY, 11 puns heavy retailing MOLASSES—a prime article. For sale by the Package, on lower terms than they can be imported. Apply to ALEXANDER DAVIDSON, or S. DESBRISAY & CO. Charlottetown, July 18th, 1843.

NOTICE.—Whereas William Stewart, of Lot or Township No. 47, Trader, by Deed of Assignment, duly executed, bearing date the Sixth day of July, instant, hath assigned, transferred, and set over unto John F. Muncy, of Halifax, Nova Scotia, Merchant, all outstanding Debts whatsoever, due, owing or belonging to him in this Island, together with his Books of Account and Books of original entry: Now, I do hereby notify all persons indebted to the said William Stewart, to come forward without delay, and pay to me the amount of their respective debts—my receipt alone being a legal discharge to them for the same. JOHN LONGWORTH, Attorney of J. F. Muncy. Charlottetown, 31st July, 1843.

HEAD STONES. THE Subscriber offers for Sale a few good Head Stones, which will be sold and lettered cheap for prompt payment. For further particulars, apply to the subscriber, at Mr. W. Lacey's, King Street, or to Mr. K. McKenzie, Charlottetown, by whom all orders will be promptly attended to. JOHN CARMICHAEL. July 28th, 1843.

CASE OF EXTREME SUFFERING. WILLIAM MAHAR, a native of Ireland, advanced in age, and STONE BLIND, is without the means of procuring even a crust of bread, without the assistance of the charitable public, whose liberality he now looks to for relief. William Mahar will petition the Legislature at their next session, for permanent support, until which time contributions will be gratefully received by James D. Hazard, Esq., Gazette Office; Messrs. Cooper and Bremner, Colonial Herald; Mr. John Ings, Islander Mr. T. Desbrisay, Duggest, Charlottetown; and C. Birch Bagster, Esq., of Mill Vale, Lot 22.

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 elegantly 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.

POWNAL STREET WHARF. HAVING been appointed by His Excellency the Lieutenant Governor to collect the Subscriptions towards making the intended Wharf at the end of Pownal Street, in Charlottetown, I do hereby give notice to all concerned, that I shall call forthwith, on the respective subscribers, for the amount of their subscriptions, and I will also receive the same at my Store. ROBERT HUTCHINSON. Charlottetown, July 10th, 1843.

VESSEL FOR SALE. ALEXR. PICKERING offers for Sale the Schooner New London, burthen about Twenty Tons, old measurement. She is well calculated for the Fishery, or a small coaster. New London, June 10th, 1843.

Sir; I am one who lives in rather an obscure manner in Charlottetown, and but seldom care to avail myself of a knowledge of such things as are legally under the control of my superiors, believing, as I proudly and candidly do, that they, especially the Executive Council, are men of honorable and upright intentions, though ultra aristocratic in the main; yet, if left unshackled by the arbitrary caprice of any above them in power, would carry out all the designs intrusted to their care by the legislature in a legitimate and satisfactory manner. Under such impression, and so far as the disposition of affairs is left to others, I generally keep silent. But a rumour is afloat, and from what I have heard, has been so for some time past, viz: that Messrs. Waddell and Brown are to be ousted from the Academy. If this be true, I, as one of the people, am extremely anxious to know why and wherefor? And as you (from the sphere in which you move) are likely to be in possession of the secret, will you oblige, not only me, but a great number of the inhabitants of Charlottetown, with the cause of such a proceeding?

I find that within the last few days the rumour has become quite general (and as unpopular as general), some assigning one reason, and some another, but nearly all agree that the upas plant has been produced from a root or seed which by me, at this time, shall be nameless, for I cannot reconcile such unchristian dissembling and cruel conduct with the character of those gentlemen who more immediately have the control of the Academy.

Should Messrs. W. & B., whose characters stand unimpeached, (and so far as I know) unimpeachable, and who, by their indefatigable services in this town, are rendered in themselves worthy of the highest encomiums, and near and dear to the hearts of the great majority of the people, be thus wantonly and cruelly dealt with, then I shall indeed think that some invisible lever is industriously and insidiously at work somewhere. I am, however, extremely unwilling to harbor such a belief. Yet, though I say but little on such subjects, I cannot be deaf to them, and if only a part be true, relative to the patronage and approbation (and that more than verbal) which I hear has been tendered to Mr. Brown from high places, not only in Europe, but in this town, then I say again, that I am and must be sceptical as to any legitimate ground for fear.

Trusting that you or some other person will in some tangible shape or other favor our community with a balm that will be suitable for the wounds already deeply enough inflicted, and calculated to enable me to remain silent, I am, &c. A SUBSCRIBER.

THE TOILET.—An additional pleasing appearance is rendered to the countenance by the well-arranged curl, the BRAIDED PLAIT and the FLOWING TRESS. In dressing the Hair, nothing can equal the effect of "ROWLAND'S MACASSAR OIL," either Natural or Artificial Hair—rendering it so admirably soft, that it will lie in any direction: it produces beautiful flowing curls, and, by the transcendent lustre it imparts, renders the head-dress truly enchanting! It preserves the coiffure in the heated atmosphere of the ball room, and neutralises the effects of a damp atmosphere, or violent exercise.—See Advertisement.

LAUNCHED, on the 12th inst., at the Shipyard of Mr. Donald Macdonald, Goose River (North side), a superior Brig called the Zephyr—built for Mr. John Davis, Merchant, of this town.

Passengers. In the St. George, from Miramichi, on Tuesday last.—Hon. J. H. Peters and Lady; Mr. and Mrs. McKie; Messrs. Lyden, Stewart, Wright, and 9 in the steerage. From Beedeque, Capt. Ridley; Miss Campbell; Messrs. Hensley and Swabey.

In do. from Pictou, on Wednesday last.—Rev. Mr. Waddell and Lady; Rev. G. Christie, Mr. and Mrs. Lobban, Mr. and Mrs. Masters, Mrs. McKenzie, J. S. Dealey, Esq., G. Birnie, Esq., Mr. Reddin, junr., Messrs. Scott, Johnson, Caldwell, Knowlan, Clark, Twining, Lane, and 2 in the steerage. For Miramichi, Mrs. Williston and family.

PORT OF CHARLOTTETOWN. ENTERED. Aug. 12.—Industry, Goodwin, Pictou; Freestone, &c. Rebecca, Spency, Pugwash; Lime, Betsey, Harney, Gysborough, N. S.; Fish. Jolly Tar, Vigneau, St. John's, N. F.; Limestone. 14.—Argo, Howatt, Sydney, C. B.; Coals, Brothers, Turnbull, do; do. Waltron, Moore, do; do. 15.—Mary Ann, Davis, Shadac; Boards, &c. Thetis, Jolimore, Tamagouche; Freestone. 16.—Glory, Le Blanc, Pictou; Limestone. 17.—Susan, M'Ewen, do; Coals. CLEARED. 14.—Industry, Goodwin, Pictou; ballast. Defiance, Robertson, Sydney; do. 16.—Speculation, Wood, Halifax; Fish, &c. 17.—Susan, M'Ewen, Fishing Voyage. 18.—Brothers, Turnbull, St. John's, N. F.; Boards and Shingles. Mary Ann, Sprague, Shadac; ballast.

MARRIED. On Thursday evening last, by the Rev. Mr. Strong, Wesleyan Missionary, Mr. H. A. Callbeck, Tryon, to Charlotte Amelia, youngest daughter of Major Robinson, Brighton Lodge.

Ship News. July 19.—Arrived, Caroline Alice, —, at Pill; 22d.—Antelope, James, at Kingston; 23d.—John Hawes, Scott, at Falmouth, leaky—all from P. E. Island. July 21.—Sailed, Mary Ann, Mason, from Dublin; 25th.—British Lady, Redmore, from Bridgewater; Lady Huntley, Elmes; and Sir H. Huntley, Eales, from Liverpool—for P. E. Island.

DIED. On Sunday morning last, Margaret Isabella, wife of Mr. J. Pilcher, Schoolmaster, aged 20 years. On Monday last, suddenly, Mrs. Catherine Powell, aged 49 years, wife of Sergeant Powell, late of the 4th Royal Veteran Battalion. On the 14th inst., at Elliot River, Mr. Duncan McEwen, aged 70 years.

To Correspondents. A BRITISH SUBJECT came to hand too late for insertion in this day's paper. Several other communications have been received, and are under consideration.

THE ILLUSTRATED LONDON NEWS: A few Copies of the latest Number of this very popular and splendid Publication have this day been received by the Subscribers. P. S.—All Orders for English and American Newspapers, Magazines, or other publications, will be promptly and punctually attended to. COOPER & BREMNER. Colonial Herald Office, Aug. 19, 1843.

Valuable Farm for Sale, with or without the Crop. THE Leasehold Interest of 130 Acres of Land, for the Term of 999 years—two of which are expired. The Land is of the first quality, upwards of 50 acres are in crop and pasture; there is a Spring of Water near the Dwelling House, As there are other buildings on the premises, it will be let in one or two farms, to suit purchasers. There is plenty of firewood and fencing upon the Land. For particulars, enquire of the Subscriber, on the premises. ANDREW CARR, jun. Princetown Road, Lot 23, Aug. 15th 1843.

THE Subscriber offers for Sale a TOWN LOT in Georgetown, First Range, Letter A. It is a very desirable situation for business. For particulars, apply to A. MACDONALD. (4w) Charlottetown, Aug. 16th.

FOR SALE. AT the Subscriber's Store, LONDON PORTER and LEITH ALE, by the barrel, dozen, or bottle, warrant-ed to be good. CHARLES DEMPSEY. Charlottetown, July 25th, 1843. (3w)

MILL SAWS! MILL SAWS!! AMERICAN MILL SAWS, of the best description, for Sale, at the Store of the Subscriber. CHARLES DEMPSEY. Charlottetown, July 25th, 1843. (3w)

here on the 29th ult. He intends to have such of the farmers as wish to say anything, before him separately. By this means, in a quiet interview and statement of their grievances to himself, they are not influenced by the presence of their neighbours, as would be the case if the inquiry were publicly conducted. The inquiry is conducted in a room in the Black Lion Hotel. After the inquiry is concluded here, Mr. Hall will proceed into Pembrokeshire, as circumstances may direct.

I am sorry to say that one of the furnaces at Clythach, between Merthy and Abergavenny, was blown out on Saturday, which has thrown upwards of 300 men out of work.

FRANCE.—The Paris papers of Tuesday contain no domestic news of importance. The Moniteur contains a royal ordinance promoting the Prince de Joinville to the rank of Rear Admiral. This ordinance is followed by the marriage act of the Prince with the Princess of the Brazils, which was signed on the 31st ult., in the palace of Neuilly, in presence of the royal family, Marshal Soubt, M. Guizot, the minister of the Brazils, Baron Pasquier (Chancellor of France), and the Duke de Cazes (Grand Referendary of the Chamber of Peers), acting as the civil officers. We learn from the Journal des Debats, that the princess brought her husband, as dowry, first, 1,000,000f. in specie; secondly, a revenue of 180,000f. arising from Brazilian stock; thirdly, 25 leagues of territory, in the province of Santa Catarina, at the choice of the prince; fourthly, a yearly income of 26,000f., together with jewels to the amount of 200,000f.; fifthly, a present from the Emperor of the Brazils of 300,000 francs, for her outfit. Independently of these advantages, she is to succeed to the throne of the Brazils, to the exclusion even of her eldest sister, if the Emperor Don Pedro II., and the Princess Januaria, the presumptive heiress to the crown, should die without issue.

SPAIN.—A variety of reports were circulated yesterday on the Paris Bourse. It was said that an attempt having been made to disarm the National Guards of Saragossa, they had risen against the troops of Brigadier Ametier, and driven them out of that city; that an insurrection in favour of the Fueros had taken place at Bilbao, and that the Biscayan Junta had addressed an appeal to their brethren of Alva and Guipuzcoa to join in the movement; that the English government had notified to the French cabinet, that orders had been forwarded to Mr. Aston to quit Madrid and proceed to Seville, the government of the Regent being the only one recognised by England, &c.

THE PRESS.—The following remarks on the "American Press," which we extract from the Cynosure, an ably-conducted paper, recently established in New York by a company of "practical printers," may not be altogether unsuited to the meridian of Charlottetown, at the present juncture:—

A late number of the Rochester Post contains an admirable article on the "American Press, what it is and what it ought to be." The strictures are severe, but just and merited. It must be admitted that there is a lamentable want of dignity in the conduct of a majority of the newspapers with which our country is flooded. This is more particularly the fact among the partisan journals, which for the most part are filled with the coarsest ribaldry, abuse, and blackguardism of one another, and especially of their political opponents. If these editors are worthy of belief, not a candidate for office of any kind, but is a fit candidate for the penitentiary or gallows, and the editors themselves, from the description given of each, are no better than so many thieves and cut-throats. Our city papers, of late, have been wanting in much of the courtesies which belong to one another, they are constantly offending against the dignity which should always characterize the tone and sentiments of the newspaper. They indulge in language unbecoming a fish-woman, and do not scruple to invade the sanctity of the domestic hearth, or read asunder the ties of consanguinity, and make bitter and grievous the holiest affections of human nature. Husbands have been torn from their wives, and mothers from their children, by the tongue of scandal, falsehood and calumny; yet these things are looked upon with indifference, or as matters of trivial importance, not only by a portion of the press, but by many of our inhabitants. Such a course of conduct, on the part of newspaper publishers, has tended much to degrade the press, and lower its usefulness in the estimation of the good and worthy of our people. What care the mass of our citizens for the petty quarrels and animosities of rival editors? It is only the low and the vulgar who take delight in the "dog eat dog" propensity thus manifested, and encourage the belligerent parties to debase themselves in the level of brutes. There should be a speedy reform in this respect. No gentleman will indulge in foul-mouthed invective towards another, and all violations of refinement and respectable public journal. If editors will not respect themselves, and one another, they need not expect that their influence will be extended and controlling with the public. The people look to them for instruction—let them have light and information, and less of the editor's personal animosities and bickerings with his fellows of the press.

LIBEL.—Judge Savers has commenced another suit for libel against the proprietor of the Novascotian.

The Mechanic & Farmer and the Presbyterian Banner, lately published at Pictou by Messrs. Stiles & Fraser, have been discontinued. A new paper, to be called the Eastern Chronicle, advocating the same principles as the defunct papers, is shortly to make its appearance in the same place. Messrs. Gildert & Patterson are to be the publishers.

THE MACKEREL FISHERY.—We perceive that some enterprising individuals in Pictou have lately fitted out a vessel for the purpose of prosecuting this long neglected branch of industry. Mackerel have been, of late, unusually abundant around our own shores—on the Northern coast especially—and we do not remember to have seen such quantities of these valuable fish brought to our market in any previous season. We sincerely trust that the example now set by the Pictou people will not be thrown away upon us, and that it may prove the means of exciting some of our townsmen to try a similar experiment. If judiciously prosecuted, such an enterprise could scarcely fail to turn out highly advantageous to all the parties engaged in it.

TEMPERANCE MEETING.—On Monday evening a public meeting of the Auxiliary Temperance Society took place in the National School Room—Mr. J. Boyver, President of the Society, in the chair—on which occasion several animated and interesting addresses were delivered in furtherance of the objects of the Society. We regret to have to state that the attendance was not so good as might have been expected; we trust, however, that the members are not permitting their zeal to flag, at a time when, it is evident, renewed exertions are so much needed.

SUDDEN DEATH.—A sudden and awful death occurred on Monday morning last. W. Powell, Bellman, on attempting to awaken his wife, whom he took to be asleep, found, to his surprise, that she was a lifeless corpse. She had gone to her bed the previous evening as usual. The deceased had, for several years past, led a very dissipated life.

At an early hour on Sunday morning last, some individuals took it into their heads, while under the influence, we presume, of some maddening liquid, to amuse themselves by dabbling, in a very disgusting manner, the Court House, and the residences of several of the peaceable inhabitants of this town, with white paint; and on Tuesday an advertisement appeared in the Royal Gazette, offering a reward for the detection of the person or persons who disfigured the designed effect. Instead, however, of this notice producing the desired effect, it appears to have been made the pretext for another dabbling experiment, although, as is generally believed, by a totally different party from that engaged in the first attempt. On Wednesday morning, the Court House, as well as a number of private houses in Queen Street, and other parts of the Town, were found to be covered with white paint, and the persons who disfigured the designed effect. Instead, however, of this notice producing the desired effect, it appears to have been made the pretext for another dabbling experiment, although, as is generally believed, by a totally different party from that engaged in the first attempt. On Wednesday morning, the Court House, as well as a number of private houses in Queen Street, and other parts of the Town, were found to be covered with white paint, and the persons who disfigured the designed effect. Instead, however, of this notice producing the desired effect, it appears to have been made the pretext for another dabbling experiment, although, as is generally believed, by a totally different party from that engaged in the first attempt.

indeed, would induce us to imagine that so soon as the south-west monsoon shall have expended its fury, he of the Somnath Gates will return home—a consummation most devoutly to be wished."

The news from China is, so far as it goes, not unwelcome. No recurrence of outbreak or misunderstanding is noted. Sir H. Pottinger, as to whose illness some exaggerated reports had been spread, is awaiting at Canton the arrival of the Commissioner whose presence was expected in the early part of June. In a few months we shall know the result of the anxiously awaited negotiation.

SPAIN.

It is utterly impossible, in the space which is allotted to us, to detail the incidents of the insurrection which distracts Spain. As we stated in our last number, the Regent has proved cautiive. To the utter dismay of his friends, and to the undisguised astonishment of his foes, he has never dared, backed as he knew he was by the peasantry, to unsheathe a sword. It may be that the man did not possess the nerve and the ability which the exigency required: it may be that his troops are ill disciplined and worse paid; or it may be, as some surmise, that Philippe of France has not forgotten the pith and efficacy of the oracle which of old was delivered to Philip of Macedon: "Fight with silver weapons, and you will conquer the world!"

It is said that Mr. Aston has advised the Regent to abdicate. Espartero is either a profoundly cunning, or an utterly mistaken man. He may be alluring his antagonists into a decoy from which they cannot escape, or he may be "scattering his fame and fortune to the winds recklessly and for ever"—"results," says an old moralist, "test ability," and results we must await.

Meanwhile, all sorts of rumours are afloat as to the marriage of that implicit and incapable stripling the Queen. If, as one party assume, French intrigue and French gold should secure an alliance with the House of Bourbon, will the allied powers stand calmly by and submit to an act which it has been for years their policy to deprecate? There is a coil now being twisted which it will puzzle the most dexter diplomatist to unravel. There was but one means of severing the gordian knot—the sword. It remains to be seen whether the entanglement in which Europe is likely to be emmeshed can be cast off by any other means.

EXTRAORDINARY PASSAGE BY THE HIBERNIA.—It will hardly be credited, that the Hibernia, on her last trip, ran the distance from Halifax to Liverpool in an hour less than nine days! Nothing can exceed the astonishment with which her arrival was hailed; and we find the London and provincial papers all speaking of her late voyage, not only as the most extraordinary run ever yet made, but as almost surpassing credibility. Her mails were landed in Liverpool in nine days from the time of her departure from Halifax, and in nine days and a half the intelligence she conveyed appeared in the London daily journals.

THE GREAT BRITAIN.—This vessel was launched at Bristol on the 19th ult.

LOSS OF THE PEGASUS, HULL STEAMER, AND FRIGHTFUL LOSS OF LIFE.—Another appalling steam-boat disaster has taken place, near the place where the Forfarshire was wrecked a few years ago, and where the late Grace Darling so heroically distinguished herself by saving five lives, at the imminent risk of her own. By the present disastrous occurrence, no fewer than from fifty to sixty human beings have been suddenly deprived of life. The Pegasus, which has plied between Leith and Hull for several years, left Leith harbour on Wednesday afternoon, the 10th ult., having on board, besides the crew, at least sixteen cabin and about twenty steerage passengers; but the probability is, that the number was greater, for several individuals are known to have gone with her whose names do not appear on the list at the company's office. The vessel sped on her way till mid-night; just when the watch was changed, the captain being on the bridge, taking a look about him before he turned in, she struck on a sunken rock inside the Fern Islands, near what is called the Golden Rock. The engines were then backed, and she came off. Her head was turned towards the shore, but she did not proceed many hundred yards when the water rushing in extinguished the fires, and almost immediately the vessel sunk. Finding the vessel sinking rapidly, there was a rush to the boats, which, it would appear, were swamped. Capt. Miller, who is among the victims, had great experience in the navigation of the coast, having sailed many years as commander of one of the Leith and London smacks. He was considered an excellent seaman. From all we can learn there must have been about sixty persons on board, including the crew; and only six of the number have been saved.

The Spectator states that Sir Robert Peel and his "youthful friend," Lord Stanley, though carrying it so smoothly in public, are at daggers drawing behind the scenes.

There are at this time constructing in this town sixteen or seventeen vessels of iron, but no one new ship of wood is building on the stocks.—European Times.—[We have been requested to state that the above is not correct.—Wilmer's News Letter.]

REVIEW OF THE CORN TRADE.—The most conflicting reports respecting the appearance of the outstanding Wheat crop continue to reach us, and it is quite impossible to arrive at a conclusion respecting the probable result of the harvest. In many districts the ear is said to be unusually short, and towards the bottom badly filled, in addition to which there are partial complaints of red rust, &c. On the other hand, it is universally allowed that the breadth of land under wheat is greater than was probably ever before known, and in many districts the plant is described as in every respect healthy. We think, therefore, that our former estimate of about an average will prove nearly right, should we be favored with fine weather for securing the harvest. At present we do not hear of a single field having been cut, and the season may be reckoned fully a fortnight later than last year.

The rapid rise which has of late occurred in the value of Wheat has (as we anticipated would be the case) caused increased supplies to be brought forward by farmers, and at most of the leading markets held during the week, the receipts have been fully equal to the demand.

The Lord Chancellor has just dismissed the Hon. Thomas Ffrench, son of Lord Ffrench, for having been present at a repeal meeting held some months since.

Mr. Elton, the actor, was one of the passengers who was lost on board the Pegasus. He had been performing at the Edinburgh Adelphi Theatre. He was well known in Liverpool and Manchester, and much respected. He has left a large family, not well provided for. Benefits are getting up for them in London and Edinburgh.

One thousand stand of arms, and 250 casks of ball-cartridges, were landed last week at Duncannon.

Father Mathew administered the pledge to eighty thousand persons during his short stay in Manchester.

A marriage is on the tapis between the Earl of March, son to the Duke of Richmond, and the daughter of Algernon Greville, Esq.

The capabilities of a new iron steamer on the Thames, called "The Prince of Wales," are said to be seventeen miles an hour.

So great was the opposition among the venders of vegetables in Sheerness last week, that green peas were actually offered for sale at three farthings a peck.

It is now generally stated, says the Globe, echoed by the Times, that the Houses of Parliament will not be prorogued until the last week in August.

LATEST INTELLIGENCE.

(Received by this Morning's Mail.) The London papers of last night contain a Treasury Minute, dated July 25th, which declares that it has come to the knowledge of the government that certain officers in the revenue department of Ireland have connected themselves with the repeal associations; and it is intimated that unless such officers immediately withdraw from such associations, dismissal will follow the refusal. STATE OF SOUTH WALES.—Mr. Hall, the gentleman sent down by the government to inquire into the causes of the recent and continuing outrages in this district of the principality, and to ascertain the grievances of which the peasantry complain, commenced the duties of his commission