

gized by the inhabitants of this Province, as furnishing within ourselves a very necessary article of subsistence, hitherto subject to the expenses of transportation and duties, or in case of an American war, only to be obtained thro' the channel of the St. Lawrence. Establishments of this nature should not be permitted to suffer for want of patronage, on which their existence and public utility so much depend.

A new printing apparatus has arrived for the establishment of a Newspaper at the village of Dundas, to be entitled *The Phoenix*, and edited by Richard Cockrell Esq.

KINGSTON :
TUESDAY, JANUARY 6, 1818.

We understand that Parliament will meet in this Province, at York, on the 5th of February, for the dispatch of business.

FORT OF KINGSTON.

Arrived, last night, Schooner Com. Perry, Pugh, Master, from Sackets-harbor, with Flour, Cheese, passengers, &c.—left Sacketsharbor yesterday at 12 o'clock.

We received per the Sch. Com. Perry, New York papers of the 24th Dec., they contain no later European dates than what we had before received;—They are principally occupied with Congressional proceedings.

The Rev. ROBERT McDOWELL will preach on Sunday next, the 11th inst. in the Lancasterian School House in this town, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, and 3 in the afternoon.

An unknown correspondent, signed "A Friend to Humanity," wishes to appeal to the benevolent and humane Ladies of Kingston, in behalf of an unfortunate and wretched female, who has been confined in the cells, in the Gaol of this Town, for ten months, and who is represented as being in a most deplorable state, and not having had a change of wearing apparel during that time, and who is subject to fits. The writer adds, had it not been for the assistance of the Gaoler, and his wife, she must inevitably have perished.

Lord Selkirk was at the City of Washington on the 16th December.

The Governor of the State of Georgia, has issued an order for drafting 5000 men, exclusive of Officers, to be placed under the command of Major General Gaines, of the U. S. army.—The Savannah paper adds:

"Whether these troops are to co-operate with major-general Gaines, in inflicting punishment on the hostile Indians, or to aid in the accomplishment of the taking possession of East Florida, or any other object of importance to Georgia, time will soon determine."

MR. MILES,
SIR,

By inserting the following communication in to-morrow's Gazette, you will oblige a subscriber.

COMMUNICATION.

There is a certain class of designing men, who will borrow money from, and contract debts with, the more laborious and industrious part of the community, with ample promises of payment at a specified time. But when the time comes, they have met with some disappointment or misfortune, which renders them unable to pay; but at another time, which they readily name, they will be sure to discharge the debt. However, the second time is like the first, they still wish to evade payment: will you, won't you, call again tomorrow?—Thus the honest man is shuffled off from time to time, with deceitful promises, and pitiable evasion, until he is per-

haps ultimately deprived of his right.

Such characters are the bane of Society, for their conduct weakens mutual confidence, excites jealousies, and deprives the poor, industrious and honest man, of that pecuniary support which he would otherwise easily receive from his benevolent neighbors.

It often happens, Those are of the best of people whose characters have been most injured by Slanderers, who are like flies "leaping over men's good parts and lighting on their sore." We usually find that fruit the sweetest the birds have been picking at; besides,

Some it is what they have heard, and tales devise,
Each fiction still improved with added lies,
In both acts, the little mind appears;
And harsh the fruit the bastard bramble bears.

He who has no wealth, has no credit

Although 30 minutes cessation of arms would not be allowed, we out General'd the enemy.

NEW YORK Dec. 18, 1817.
The Fire at St. John's, says the Royal Gazette—"So far as we have been able to ascertain, thirteen mercantile establishments, and among them, the extensive concerns of Hart, Robison & Co., B. Henderson, (late J. M. Braire & Co.) Bulleys, Job and Cross, Parker Cheever and Co. Wm. B. Thomas, Alwood & Haynes, Peter Le Messurier and at least 135 dwelling houses, occupied by no less than 1100 persons, have been consumed, and it is calculated the amount of property destroyed, cannot amount to much less than five hundred thousand pounds."

From the Gloucester farmer.

WOODBURY, N. J. Nov. 5.
Friend Crane—In looking over one of your papers, I observed an extract (I think taken from an eastern paper) which mentioned that pincisivay would cure a cancer, but made no mention of the manner of using it. I have been troubled with something on the side of my face, which I feared was of the cancer kind, as its progress and appearance were similar to several I had seen in their early stages, which proved fatal: I showed it to Dr. Bowinan Hendry, who advised lead water, which I tried as he directed; but it continued to increase in size and uneasiness, so that I could not shave myself on its account. But on one of Dr. Legall's visits, I showed it to him, and related what I had seen in your paper. He said he had seen the same and no directions how to use it, but advised making a strong decoction of the herb, and with a soft rag wet it as often as convenient, and drink freely of the tea. I followed his advice, and often held the wet rag to the parts affected several minutes at a time, and frequently wet it when I awoke in the night. The lump soon began to decrease, after the commencement of the above treatment, and in less than three weeks totally disappeared.

I had several scurvy places about me, one near one of my eyes, which had been troublesome for several years past, I tried the decoction to them, as to the other, with the like success.

As a cancer is one of the greatest calamities that ever afflicted the human frame, and prevention preferable to cure, and the above method perfectly safe and easy, I think it my duty to recommend and advise all persons who may apprehend occasion, to make trial, and am,

Your friend,

JOSEPH COOPER.

The Dey of Tripoli having presented to the Regent such remains of antiquity as are movable from Lebyda, the site of Carthage, the Weymouth store-ship is on her voyage thither, for the purpose of receiving and bringing them to England. They are represented as highly curious, and illustrative of that once splendid capital. It is also stated, that the Dey has offered his protection to any European who is willing to attempt the journey from Tripoli to Tombuctoo.

British Legislation.

Ads passed in the 57th Year of the reign of George the Third, or in the fifth Parliament of the United Kingdom!

Cap. LIII. For the more effectual Punishment of Murders and Manslaughters committed in Places not within his Majesty's Dominions.—June 27.

Cap. LV. To continue an Act to empower his Majesty to sue and detain such persons as his Majesty shall suspect are conspiring against his Person and Government.—June 30.

After March 1, 1818, persons committed to have the benefit of the laws.—The Secretary of State may order persons committed for high treason, &c. to be removed to any other gaol.

Cap. LVII. To allow British Goods to be exported direct from this Country to the United States of America upon the same terms as when exported to any Foreign Country.—June 30.

Quebec, December 2.

We have it from authority not to be questioned, that all the paragraphs in the English papers respecting the conversation between Lord Amherst and Bonaparte, are wholly unfounded; and that his Lordship was not charged with any letter from the ex-Emperor of France. Letters are lately received in town from his Lordship himself to that effect.

A traveller on his return from the State of Ohio where he had been to purchase a farm in that "land of milk and honey," gave this account of the state of prime: "Sir—As I was driving my team, I observed a hat in the path. I reached with my whip stick to take it up from the mud. 'What are you doing with my hat?' cried a voice under it. I soon discovered under the chapeau a brother emigrant up to his ears in the mire. 'Pray let me help you out,' said I. 'Thank you said the bemired traveler, 'I have a good long-legged horse under me, who has carried me through worse flights than this; I am only sloping to breathe my nag, as this is the firmest footing I have found in 50 miles.'

Am Team.

One Johnston and a Mrs. Simmons have been apprehended in Philadelphia on suspicion of having stolen the bags of gold from the public vaults in Quebec, lately advertised. Upwards of 7000 dollars in New-York bank bills were found upon them, which they had exchanged the gold for in New-York.

Can. Courant.

The act to abolish the Internal taxes, has received the signature of the President, and become a law.—N. Y. pap.

HATS.

SMITH & BUTTERWORTH,

RETURN their sincere thanks to their friends and the public in general, for the liberal encouragement that they have received since they recommended the *Hatting Business*. They have an extensive assortment of

Ladies and Children's BONNETS, of various colors and shapes.

Gentlemen's Beaver & fine Felt HATS,

Likewise, Knapt and Wool Hats.

Which they will sell very low for cash or approved credit.

Produce taken in payment.

Jan. 2.

KINGSTON ASSEMBLY.

The next will be on Friday the sixteenth instant.

January 5.

Notice.

THE annual meeting of the Kingston Auxiliary Bible and Common Prayer Book Society will be held in St. George's Church on Wednesday the 14th instant, at 12 o'clock.

Jan. 6.

ERNEST TOWN Mansion Hotel.

ABEL P. FORWARD.

WISHES to acquaint the public, that he has completely finished an elegant new built two story house in the village of Ernest Town, for the accommodation of Gentlemen & Ladies. There being an elegant arched room, forty feet in length, Gentlemen and Ladies may assemble with propriety for civil recreation.

Travellers may rely on finding good accommodations for Horses and Carriages, with good attendance.

The Inhabitants of the Town and its vicinity will always find the best and purest Liquors of every description, for prompt pay only.

No pains will be spared by Mr. F. to give universal satisfaction to all who may think proper to call.

A few boarders can be accommodated at a reasonable rate. Students at the Academymust always have the preference.

Weekly payments will be required of strangers without security.

Ernest Town, Jan 5, 1818. 32f

Contract.

ANY person willing to Contract with the Subscribers to take the following quantity of LUMBER, to Market, to be delivered at the Craft, in the Port of Montreal, or at New-Liverpool Cove in the Port of Quebec, as may be required, will apply by Letter Post-paid, to the subscriber, Town of Kingston, or to Messrs. McLean and McMullan at Prescott.

1500 feet Pine timber ready rafted, 4000 Standard staves } on the water, 10000 pieces 2 1/2 3 1/2 in. deep } 1 in. edge, at the Kingston Mills.

20000 feet square pine timber ready rafted;

5000 Standard staves } waters } 10000 pieces 2 1/2 3 1/2 in. edge, at Gananoque.

60,000 feet square pine between Welles's Island and Prescott, ready rafted.

WM. HAMILTON.

Kingston, Jan. 6, 1818. 32

FOR SALE,

ON reasonable terms, that well known land for a Tavern, situated in the Village of Prescott, Lots No. 9 and 11, fronting the King's Highway, and a large two story framed House, well finished, with a large Kitchen in the rear, standing for twenty spans of horses, a shed twenty feet long, and a good house on the rear Lot, fit for the accommodation of a respectable family. The whole of the buildings thereon, being finished in a workmanlike manner, and at present occupied by Mr. Alexander B. McDonald, as a Hotel.

For further particulars, apply to the subscribers, or to Mr. Alexander MacDonell, Junior, Merchant, Prescott, by whom the terms may be made known, and an indisputable title and immediate possession will be given.

ALEX. MACDONELL & Co.
Kingston, 3d Jan. 1818. 32f

LADIES' & GENTLEMEN'S

Fur Caps,

Beaver Gloves & Moggins,

For sale by

MONJEAU & ST. GERMAIN.

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THE SUBSCRIBER,

DEGS leave to inform his friends & the public, that he has just received, in addition to his former stock, a general assortment of real

Jamaica Spirits,

Brandy, Gin,

Peppermint,

Wines, &c. &c.

Together with a fresh supply of

Dry Goods &

GROCERIES.

Those who will favour him with their custom, will find them far superior in quality to any yet offered for sale in this Province.

Country Produce will be taken in payment.

JOHN DOWLING,

Store Street, Kingston, U. C.

20th Dec 1817. 32

THE SUBSCRIBER,

DEGS leave to inform his friends &

the public generally, that he has removed from his former stand to the shop lately occupied by Jonas Abbot & Co. near the Market Place, where he has now on hand, a general assortment of

Hardware,

Cutlery, &c.

Which he will sell on the most moderate terms.

To let, the shop lately occupied by the subscriber, and possession given in immediate.

ANGUS CAMERON.

Perth, January 5, 1818. 32w

WANTS a situation in a Grocery

or Dry Goods Store, a young

man that is well acquainted with the different languages. For particulars apply at this Office.

Jan. 5.

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Montreal Herald.