

the embarrassment under which he had acted during the earlier progress of the bill, and his subsequent relief from that embarrassment, had been stated by the hon. member for Kingston, who had been taken upon this bill by these gentlemen, and who had admitted that of those courses of taking the bill in exactly the same shape in which the measure had been framed by the Special Council for Lower Canada, necessarily depended upon their friends from that section of the Province feeling themselves justifiable in acquiescing in that course, the hon. member for Oxford somewhat inconsistently, as it appeared to him, (Mr. B.) complains of not having been consulted. It was true there were differences of opinion among hon. gentlemen, but to his (Mr. B.'s) mind the motion of his hon. and learned friend from Nicolet, to refer the Ordinance to the committee on this bill, was decisive of the point, and a sufficient notice to all who had been in the habit of voting with them that their hon. friends from Lower Canada felt themselves unable to put themselves, by voting for a bill similar to the Ordinance, in the position of having given the sanction of their names to a measure which had not only been forced upon Lower Canada in a manner so wholly unjustifiable, but which was in itself so highly objectionable, and that it must be remembered that hon. gentlemen could not complain of having been taken by surprise by that motion; it had been made after full notice had been given by his hon. and learned friend from Nicolet, and when therefore there had been ample time for any explanations that were desired. But the hon. member, alluding to what had been said of the influence of the administration in that house, had disclaimed the action of any such influence upon him. Whether the hon. member alluded to any thing that had fallen from him, (Mr. B.) or not, he was not able to say; but when he (Mr. B.) saw the daily increase of strength of an administration in which he knew a large majority of that house at the commencement of the session possessed no confidence at all, he said he (Mr. B.) had a right to allude to the dangerous influences either of intimidation or corruption, of hopes or fears, which had, or at least may have, brought about such result. He spoke not of this question in particular, nor of that hon. member individually, but spoke generally, and would refer to the history of the session for his justification.

The Municipal Council bill passed the Assembly on Thursday evening last, by a majority of 12. The following are the Yeas and Nays: Yeas—Black, Boswell, Buchanan, Cameron, Child, Crane, Daly, Day, (Sol. Gen.), Delisle, Derbishire, DeSalaberry, Draper, (Att'y Gen.), Dunn, Dunsmore, Foster, Gilchrist, Hale, Harrison, Hincks, Holmes, Hopkins, Killy, McCulloch, McDonald, Donald, Moore, Morris, Ogden, (Att'y Gen.), Parke, Powell, Quesset, Raymond, Robertson, Ruel, Simpson, Small, Smith, Hermans, Steele, Tascheran, Thompson, Thorburn, Watts, Yule, &c. Nays—Armstrong, Aylwin, Baldwin, Barthe, Barthelet, Borne, Bouthillier, Burnet, Cartwright, Chesley, Christie, Cook, Duggan, Durand, Johnston, MacNab, McDonald, John S. McLeath, Morrill, Moffatt, Morris, Parent, Price, Robin, Henry Smith, Sherwood, Tache, Turcotte, Viger, Woods, &c.

To CORRESPONDENTS.—Several communications are unavoidably postponed, among which are: the letter of John Diamond, which appears to claim insertion, notwithstanding our late expressed determination not to publish anything further upon the subject in which he is engaged; the communication of Mr. Gourlay, "Apollonius" and "Fiat Justitia."

THE FIFTH PERIODICAL SALE, AT THE STORES OF JAMES BROWN JR., FRONT-STREET, KINGSTON. Will take place on Wednesday, the 28th September, and following days, when a large assortment of FRESH GOODS, consisting of TEAS, WINES, FRUITS, LIQUORS, AND GROCERIES.

TEAS. 100 boxes Young Hyson, 50 caddies Old Hyson, 50 " Gunpowder, 25 chests Twankay, 20 " Souchong, 20 boxes Gunpowder, 20 " Imperial. WINES. 50 qr. casks Marseilles Madeira, 50 " Port, 10 hds Spanish " " Osborne's superior do 20 cases Claret, 10 qr. casks Muscat, 15 " Malaga. LIQUORS. 10 hds Otard's " Dupuy's Cognac Brandy, 25 qr. casks Bordeaux, 5 hds " " superior Hollands Gin, 25 qr. casks Scheideid " " cases superior " 10 cases Campbelltown Whisky, 25 bls. London Porter, 50 " Ale. SUGARS. 20 hds Muscovado, 50 bls. " " Crushed Refined, 25 " London White, 10 tierces refined Loaf, 20 boxes East India. OILS. 10 casks Olive, 25 octaves Sperm, 10 casks boiled Linedseed, 10 " Cod. FRUIT. 100 boxes Muscatel Raisins, 50 drams Figs, 25 jars Prunes, 20 bags Almonds, 25 " Filberts, 20 kegs Currants. SPICES. 25 bags Black Pepper, 50 " Green Coffee, 500 Nutmegs, 50 matts Cinnamon, 50 boxes Ground Coffee, 50 " Pepper, 25 " " TobacCO. 50 kegs Plug, 25 cases Cavendish, 15 " Ladies Twist, 20 " Nail Rod, 500 doz Paper Tobacco, 500 jars Snuff, 100 boxes Yellow Soap, 50 " Sperm Candles, 50 " Waxwick do 100 " Montreal Mould do 50 London Starch, 25 " Castile Soap, 25 " Variegated do, 25 " Fig Blue, 50 " T. D. Pipes, 50 " Window Glass, 8x10, 25 kegs Refined Salt Petre, 25 " Alum, 50 " Saleratus, 25 qr. casks Vinegar, 10 hds " " 20 qr. casks Molasses, 25 jars Mustard, 100 doz Flying Cards, 25 " Castile Soap, 250 doz Bed Cord, 200 " Corn Brooms, 20 " Door Mats, 200 kegs White Paint, 25 " Assorted. ALSO— 40 casks assorted Crockery, 20 " Glassware, 20 crates Crown Glass, 50 bales Batting, 25 " Yarn, 10 " Bed Ticks, 10 " American Cottons, With other articles, JAMES BROWN JUNIOR. Sale at 1 o'clock. KINGSTON, AUGUST 19, 1841.

SEALD TENDERS will be received at the Commissariat Office, Kingston, M. D., until noon on Wednesday the 25th day of August next, from any person or persons desirous of entering into Contracts for supplying Her Majesty's Forces at Presque Isle, with BREAD, FRESH BEEF, FUEL WOOD, and STRAW FOR BARRACK BEDDING, for one year from 1st October, 1841, to 30th September, 1842. The Tenders to express the rate in Currency, in words at length, for which each supply will be furnished, viz: Bread at " Currency per lb. Fuel Wood at " per cord of 128 ft. Straw at " per bundle of 12 lbs. Barrack Bedding at " per bundle of 12 lbs. The BREAD to be fresh, sweet and good, manufactured from fine flour, and baked in 4 and 2 lbs. loaves. The FRESH BEEF to be of the best quality, Ox or Heifer, and no other; heads, feet and offal excluded, but no Suet withdrawn; to be cut up in pieces in a clean workmanlike manner. FUEL WOOD to consist of equal proportions of sound, merchantable Hard Maple, Black or Yellow Birch and Beech, each stick to be 4 feet in length, and no less in diameter than 3 inches at the small end; and every cord to contain not less than 128 cubic feet, English measure. The STRAW FOR BARRACK BEDDING to be good, sweet, sound, Oaten or Wheaten Straw, to be put up in bundles of 12 lbs. each. The Bread, Fresh Beef, Fuel Wood, and Straw for Barrack Bedding, to be delivered by the Contractor at his own expense, at the respective Barracks and Quarters of the Troops. Unexceptionable Security subject to the approval of the Commissariat will be required, and the names of two responsible persons willing to enter into a bond with the Principal for the faithful performance of the Contract, must be given on the Tender. Payment will be made by Check on a Chartered Bank. The Tender to be marked on the envelope, "Tenders for supplies to Her Majesty's Forces at Presque Isle." Forms of Tender can be obtained on application at the Commissariat Office, where any further information will be afforded. Commissariat, Kingston, M. D., 22d July, 1841.

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