

MUSIC AT SACKVILLE ACADEMY, N. B.—The *Borderer* informs us that the alterations which are being made in Lingley Hall, to prepare it for the reception of an Organ, are progressing rapidly towards completion, and hopes it will be finished, and the organ placed there before the commencement of the new year.

Canada.

A Grand celebration festival was given at Montreal on the occasion of opening the Grand Trunk Railway. It is said that there was literally a mile and a half of dinner.

The banquet room for the luncheon was the theme of universal admiration. The Americans declared they had seldom, if ever, seen a finer display. Nothing like it was ever before seen in Canada. The room is 300 feet long, by 90 feet wide. There were 10 rows of tables the entire length of it, and it was computed that a mile and a half of dinner table was laid altogether. Every single seat was occupied, though there were seats for 4,500, and many even at that had to stand up. The decorations were at the head or north-east end of the room, the Royal Arms, a view of the Grand Trunk Bridge over the Ottawa, with the Union Jack twined around it, on either side the American flags, and beyond them the Crown. On the west corner was the motto, "Success to Mercantile Enterprise, Railroads and Telegraphs," and on the west side of the inner East room were the flags of different nations and the names of the chief commercial cities in England and Europe. Over the chair which was in the centre of the west side was the Governor General's coat of arms, with the flag of Great Britain on his right, and the flag of the United States on his left."

United States.

DISASTER AT SEA.—The French iron screw steamer *Lyonnais*, of the Havre line, which sailed from New York on the 30th of October, with 134 persons on board, including passengers and crew, was run into by an unknown ship on the following Sunday night, when 195 miles from New York, and some sixty miles from Nantucket Light. The collision stove a hole in the side of the *Lyonnais*, and the strange vessel disappeared, leaving her figurehead on board the steamer, and has not been heard from since. Probably she was badly disabled and has gone down; for it is incredible that she would not have lent assistance to the disabled steamer, had she been in condition to do so. The *Lyonnais* was constructed with three water-tight compartments, two of which were unfortunately perforated by the collision. The water rushed into the steamer with great force, and in a few moments extinguished the fires and stopped the engine. All efforts to stop the leak proved fruitless, and in spite of bailing and lightening ship by throwing cargo overboard, the vessel continued gradually to sink stern first. On Monday afternoon the captain lowered the four boats, and embarked the passengers and crew. In the mean time a raft had been constructed of the masts, spars, cabin-doors, &c., on which were placed fifty persons with a month's provisions. On Tuesday morning, the 4th inst., the vessel continuing to sink, the captain and a few others who had remained on board, took to the yawls. Soon afterwards the three large boats left landward in company. On quitting the wreck, the captain was seen with his men in the yawl, and the first officer with the purser in the other, near the raft. The captain declared his intention of remaining by the wreck until the *Lyonnais* sank. The raft was moored to the hull with a ten fathom hawser, and a man stood ready with an axe to cut loose when she sunk.

The three boats kept company till 5 o'clock, P.M., when the lifeboat, commanded by Lieutenant Luguerre, lost sight of the others in a fog. Rough weather soon followed, and after running before the wind till Sunday, the 9th inst., and suffering horribly from cold and hunger, (the sea breaking over them had spoiled their provisions) and losing two of their number who were frozen to death, they were picked up by the bark *Elise*, bound from Baltimore to Bremen. On the following day they spoke another vessel of the same name (*Elise*) from Hamburg for New York, with German emigrants, who took all on board, except two who preferred going to Bremen, and landed them safely at this port on the 14th inst. Neither the raft nor any of the other boats have yet been heard from.

The Charleston steamer *Marion* was sent on Sunday morning last on a cruise after the wreck of the *Lyonnais* and the missing boats.

P. S. A despatch from Boston says: The vessel in contact with the *Lyonnais* was the bark *Adriatic*, Captain Dunham, from Belfast, Maine, for Savannah. They saw the steamer's light twenty minutes before the shock. The Captain and second mate were on deck at the time, and supposed the steamer stood on in her course, and were not aware of the damage done to the *Lyonnais*.

FATAL LAKE DISASTERS.—The steamer *Superior* was wrecked in a storm on Lake Superior near Grand Island, on the 29th ult. Her rudder was carried away, when she became unmanageable, and was driven upon the rocks and went to pieces. Of those on board, sixteen persons were saved and thirty-five lost, including the Captain, H. J. Jones. The barque *J. V. Ayer*, captain McClellan, from Chicago for Buffalo, with 17,000 bushels of wheat, is supposed to have foundered in a gale on Lake Michigan, on the 4th inst., and it is feared that all on board were lost. The Captain's trunk and a portion of the cabin have been washed ashore at St. Joseph's. Portions of the wreck of the propeller *J. W. Brooks* have been seen at the lower end of Lake Ontario. It is not positively known how many passengers she had on board, but it is supposed that about thirty lives were lost by that disaster.

A fish epidemic is raging in Grand River, in the State of Michigan. During the past week the shores have been literally strewed with dead and dying fish—some of them of almost fabulous size. A few weeks since all kinds of creeping things, by myriads, were cast dead upon the banks of the Grand River. Lizards of enormous size and disgusting appearance were piled in heaps, where they were thrown by the eddying current. Rats, snakes, and every species of slimy, scaly monsters, shared a common fate.

RE-OPENING OF THE SLAVE TRADE.—Timid men at the North have been repelled from the party of freedom, by fears of the dissolution of the union. They have deluded themselves with the hope that they might appease the South, and put at rest all the agitations growing out of the question of slavery. Such men are doomed to a bitter disappointment. The project now announced with great boldness and emphasis by the leading southern journals, is the *re-opening of the African slave trade*.

A dark future is opening before the American Republic. Slavery is re-established in Nicaragua, and new slave-states, in Central America, will soon be clamoring for admission to the Union. Cuba is a coveted prize, and southern statesmen will never rest till this fertile island has strengthened the slave-power, and enlarged its territory. And the slave-trade, which even the Mohammedan and pagan world have denounced as barbarous and inhuman, finds abettors and advocates, as indispensable to southern interests, and to the permanence of our Republic. These appalling crimes, looming up so darkly in the future, may yet become prominent facts in American history, if northern statesmen and merchants pursue the timid policy of the past, and counsel submission and acquiescence, through fear of a dissolution of the Union.

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A locomotive weighing sixty tons, with ten feet driving wheels, and said to be capable of attaining a speed of one hundred and fifty miles per hour has been exhibited in France. Its centre of gravity is placed so low as to render it safer than ordinary engines at the usual speed, so far as getting off the track is concerned.

Another Life Saved.—A son of Mr. A. Weaver, of Tuckerville, Conn., was most severely scalded in the following manner:—His mother had taken a pail full of boiling water from the fire, and proceeded out of doors to put it into a washing tub, when she was met in the doorway by the child, who was running in, and striking the pail, the contents were thrown immediately upon its back and neck. Mr. W. being in the house at the time, took off the child's cloths at once, and having a part of a bottle of Dyer's Healing Embrocation at hand, poured the contents immediately upon the scalded parts, and then sent to a neighboring store for another bottle of Embrocation, with which he saturated a cloth sufficiently large to cover, with several thicknesses, the scalded part. The child was then put to bed, and in fifteen minutes was fast asleep, and no other application was needed, as a perfect cure was effected, proving conclusively the inestimable value of this wonderful preparation, and the advantage of keeping it constantly at hand for use in any casualty. Remember, then, that Dyer's Healing Embrocation immediately cures scalds, wounds, cuts, bruises, pain in any part of the system, cholera morbus, diarrhea, rheumatism, and various other external and internal diseases.

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HALIFAX MARKETS.

CORRECTED FOR THE WEEK ENDING DEC. 2.

Bread, Navy, per cwt.	20s. to 21s. 3d.
" Pilot, per bbl.	22s. 6d.
Beef, Prime, Ca.	40s.
" " N. S.	50s. a 55s.
Butter, Canada, per lb.	11d.
" " N. S.	1s. 1d.
Coffee, Laguyla,	3d. a 9d.
" " Jamaica,	8d. a 10d.
" " " "	1s. 5d.
Flour, Am. spf. per bbl.	38s. 9d. a 42s. 6d.
Canada spf.	42s.
" Rye,	25s.
Cornmeal,	21s. 9d.
Indian Corn,	none.
Molasses, Mus. per gal.	2s. 6d.
" Clayed,	2s.
Pork, Prime, per bbl.	100s.
" Mess,	120s.
Sugar, Bright P. R., per ewt.	37s. 6d.
Bar Iron, com.	18s.
Hoop,	25s.
Sheet,	30s.
Codfish, large, per qt.	17s. 6d.
" small,	14s.
Salmon, No. 1, per bbl.	100s.
" " 2,	90s.
" " 3,	80s.
Mackerel, No. 1,	100s.
" " 2,	60s.
" " 3,	27s. 6d.
Herrings, " 1,	17s. 6d. a 18s. 9d.
Alewives,	17s.
Haddock,	12s.
Coal, Sydney, per chal.	25s.
Fire Wood, per cord,	21s. 6d

PRICES AT THE FARMER'S MARKET, DEC. 2.

Fresh Beef, per cwt.	30s. a 33s.
Oatmeal,	17s. 6d. a 18s.
Pork, Fresh, per lb.	5s.
Veal,	3d. a 4d.
Lamb,	3d. a 4d.
Bacon,	none.
Butter,	1s. Id. a 1s. 2d.
Cheese,	6d. a 7d.
Eggs, per dozen,	1s. 3d.
Poultry—Chickens,	1s. 3d. a 2s.
Geese,	2s. 1
Ducks,	3s.
Turkeys, per lb.	7d. 2
Calf-skins, per lb.	6d.
Yarn,	2s. 6d.
Potatoes, per bushel,	3s. 9d.
Apples, per barrel,	17s.
Plums,	none
Homespun Cloth, (wool,) per yard,	2s. 6d.
Do, (cotton and wool,) 1s. 1s. 9d.	

WILLIAM NEWCOMBE,
Clerk of Market.

Letters Received.

Mr. G. Munro, 21st. H. E. Payson, Esq., 21st. R. Woodin, 21st, 15s. Rev. C. Tupper, 21st, 20s., and 25th, 20s. J. W. Hartt, Esq., 29th. C. Dimock. E. Chute, 19th, £3 R. Walker, 22nd. Received 12s. 6d. from Lauchlen McDonald.

The acceptable communication, giving details of the Revival at Rawdon, was not received in time for the present number, but shall appear next week.

NOTICE.

The usual Semi-annual Anniversary of Horton Academy will take place, (D. V.) on Friday, 19th Dec., to commence at 10 o'clock, A. M. The parents of the pupils generally are respectfully invited to attend.

A. S. HUNT, Secretary.

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Sold in Halifax, by JOHN NAYLOR, and WM. LANGLEY.

On the 24th ult., after a short illness, Mrs. Hannah Rogers, aged 37 years.

On the 26th ult., Edmund Wright, youngest son of George and Hannah Blaiklock, aged 4 years and five days.

On the 26th ult., Mr. George Yates, in the 70th year of his age, a native of Northallerton, in the County of York, England. Deceased had been for 20 years a worthy and consistent member of the Granville Street Baptist Church.

On the 27th ult., after a long and painful illness, Mr. Patrick Foley, aged 52 years, a native of Wexford, Ireland.

On the 28th ult., Allen, third son of Mr. James W. Fenerty, aged 3 years.

At Dartmouth, on the 25th ult., Mrs. Elizabeth Farrell, of West Meath, Ireland, after a short illness, in her 72nd year.

At Charlestown, Boston, on the 24th ult., Ellen, wife of the late Rufus J. Fenerty, Printer, late of Halifax.

At Bridgetown, Nov. 21st, Olivia, relict of the late Cornelius Fox, of Cornwallis, aged 94 years.

At East Boston, Nov. 14th, Mrs. Hugh McKay, formerly of Shelburne, N. S., aged 69 years.

On Thursday morning, at St. John's, Newfoundland, of typhus fever, after 7 days illness, the Rev. R. A. Chesley, Wesleyan Minister. The deceased was a native of this Province, and removed during the last summer to take the superintendency of the Wesleyan Church in St. John's. He leaves a widow and large family, to lament their sudden and mournful bereavement.

[Received by Telegraph on Thursday.] At Boston, October 20th, of consumption, Mr. Henry Cleary, Printer, aged 30 years, son of the late Mr. John Cleary, formerly of Halifax, N. S.

At Jamaica, West Indies, on the 25th August, Mr. John Flavin, aged 27 years, third son of the late Roger Flavin, of St. John's, Newfoundland, and late first officer of the Lady Sevva, of Halifax, N. S.

At Yarmouth, on the 25th ult., in the 72nd year of her age, Mrs. Hannah Smith, relict of the late Mr. Job Smith, after a severe and protracted sickness, which she bore with christian patience. Mrs. Smith was a valuable member of the first Baptist Church in Yarmouth.

At Chebogue, on the 22nd ult., in his 24th year, Mr. James Rogers, son of Mr. James Rogers, of that place. The deceased entertained hopes of a glorious immortality.

On the 24th ult., Edward Arthur, infant son of Mr. W. H. Gridley, aged 4 months and 12 days.

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