

CONVICTION AND SENTENCE OF DEATH AT WINDSOR.—James Kennedy, the party charged with the murder of Wallace, by an assault with an iron bar, has been tried during the week at Windsor, and found guilty of wilful murder. Sentence of death has been passed upon the prisoner. The Jury, upon an inquiry, when the verdict was being taken, on the part of the prisoner's counsel, — R. Haliburton, Esq., — declined to make any recommendation for mercy. Their deliberations did not extend beyond about an hour. The female indicted as an accomplice was acquitted. The prisoner's counsel moved an arrest of judgement. The Judge declined to give any rule, but said he would consult his brethren as to the matter. In the mean time the prisoner remains in the felon's cell, awaiting the order of the Executive.

P. E. ISLAND.—MR. LORD, M. P. P., for Tyron, Baddeck, having accepted office as Land Commissioner, again solicited the suffrages of the electors of that place. He was opposed by MR. POPE. The election came off on Tuesday last, when POPE beat LORD by at least eleven votes.

Canada.

A destructive fire occurred at Montreal, on Saturday, 23rd ult. It originated in the Caledonian Tavern, corner of Wellington and Grey Street, and that, along with several other buildings in the vicinity, was soon destroyed. The loss of property consumed by this fire is estimated at £15,000.

SCANDALOUS CONDUCT OF FIREMEN.—On Tuesday last there was a fire at Kingston, Upper Canada, which destroyed eighty houses, and what is remarkable, the firemen of that city, in consequence of some misunderstanding with the city authorities, looked on without lending the least aid in extinguishing the flames; and not only refused to work themselves but some of them aided in preventing volunteers to work the engine. The consternation became very great, when the Mayor hired men at a dollar each to work the engines. After raging for more than two hours, the flames were subdued.

TORONTO, May 29.—The boiler of the steamer Iokerman exploded this afternoon at 4 o'clock, instantly killing two men and dangerously wounding six. The crew consisted of twenty-two men, of whom Captain McBroome, Peter McLaughlin, and one other, are the only ones that escaped uninjured. Ten more are missing.

CANADA SEAT OF GOVERNMENT.—The British Government has transmitted despatches to the Canadian Government, signifying Her Majesty's assent to fix the seat of government in one of the Canadian cities. The Montreal Herald says that the Queen and a majority of the people of England are in favor of conferring the honor on Montreal, with the understanding that its name is to be changed to that of "City of Victoria."

AN AMERICAN COMPLIMENT.—The Boston W. & R. informs us that the proposed marriage between the Princess Royal of England and the Prince of Prussia is to be broken off, as Lord Palmerston dares not propose so large a dowry as the Prussian court considers essential.

A SERIOUS RIOT occurred at Washington on the 1st inst. The civic elections were warmly contested. Two parties were formed, the "Pug Uglies," the "Rip-raps" and the "Chumps," against the "Democrats." Pistols and knives were freely used. Several persons were killed and a greater number wounded.

HAVANA.—The steamship Black Warrior arrived at New York on Wednesday evening, with Havana dates to the 15th inst. The Spanish steamer was hourly looked for, with orders for the immediate commencement of hostilities against Mexico.

The sugar crop was expected to fall short 20 per cent as compared with last year's yield.

One half the population of the Ladron Islands had been swept off by the small pox, between March and September, 1856.

We publish as a great curiosity the following characteristic letter, received by our friend Dr. J. C. AYER, of Lowell, Mass., from the rebel chief, or usurping Emperor of China, in acknowledgment for quantities of the CATHARTIC AND PECTORAL PILLS, the Doctor sent him as a present.—Ladies Wreath, N. Y. City.

Dr. Ayer in America—

The great curing Barbarian of the outside country: Your present of sweet curing seeds and fragrant curing drops, of Cherry smell, has been brought to Huggins-Tene—the mighty Emperor (Kwangto) of the terrible, stout Ming dynasty, by the grace of heaven, and after an interval of ages—Prince of peace (Tang-wang) of China, the Central Flowerly Land. He has sent his powerful mandarin to give them to the sick according to what the Interpreters read from your printed papers. Be profoundly happy, O wise Barbarian! for I—Yang-sun-Teing—say it! Your curing seeds and sweet curing drops were given to the sick in the Army of the Winged-Sword, and have made them well. Be profoundly happy while you live for this is the cure of the Mighty Emperor of China, who approves your skill, and permits you to send more of your curing medicines for his fierce armies of myriads of men. They may be given to Chiang Lin, Chief Mandarin of the Red Button at Shanghai, who will repay you with Ten or Silk or Gold.

The high mandarins of China, have heard of your great knowledge, surpassing all other foreigners, even to equal the divine wisdom of our own healing medicines, who make remedies that cure instantly. We are glad to know you bow in trembling terror before the Mighty Emperor.

Written by Yang-sun-Teing, minister-in-chief of the sacred Imperial Dynasty.

Letters Received.

J. E. Fullerton, 28th.—If we received an account of the death of Mr. J. S. Fullerton from Rev. H. Charlton, it has escaped our notice. The only way in which this could have occurred must have been by its being on the same sheet as the account of his mission to Cape Breton, and so put away with it after publication. If Bro. Charlton will send us another copy we shall be glad to insert it.

Rev. C. Tupper, May 28th, and June 1st, 1 sub., £2. David Rogers, Esq., June 2nd, 5s. 3d. Rev. H. Charlton, 2nd, 20s. J. C. Anderson, 2nd, 1 sub. DeMill & Fillmore, 27th. Rev. A. W. Barss, 2nd, 28s. 7d.

To our Subscribers.—The Rev. Charles Tupper, our General Agent, expects to leave home for the Western Association, at Yarmouth, about the 9th of June. Subscribers in arrears, on whom he may call, will much oblige us by paying to him the amounts due for the Christian Messenger.

NOTICES.

ACADIA COLLEGE.

At a Convocation held at Acadia College on Friday, June 5th, 1857, Mr. Robert D. Porter, of Cornwallis, having completed his course, received the Degree of Bachelor of Arts. Mr. Thomas Higgins, A. B. of Rawdon, was admitted to the degree of Master of Arts.

The honorary degree of Doctor in Divinity was conferred on the Rev. Charles Tupper, of Aylesford.

The above degrees were bestowed with the usual appropriate public exercises.

STEPHEN W. DEBLOIS, Secy.

There will be a meeting of the Board of Governors of Acadia College at Hantsport, on Monday June 22nd, at 10 o'clock A. M.

STEPHEN W. DEBLOIS, Secy.

Wolfville June 8th, 1857.

Associations, 1857.

NOVA SCOTIA.

Will meet as follows:— WESTERN, at Yarmouth, 2nd Church, Saturday, June 13th.

CENTRAL, at Hantsport, Saturday, June 20th.

EASTERN, at Onslow, Saturday, July 4th.

NEW BRUNSWICK.

EASTERN, Moncton, 1st Church, Saturday, July 11th.

WESTERN, Nashwaak, Saturday, Sept. 5th.

Minutes of Associations, &c.

Persons having copies of the following will greatly oblige us by forwarding them to our office:—

Central, Nova Scotia, 1853.

New Brunswick Associations from commencement, excepting 1845 and 1850.

Convention Minutes, for 1846, 7, 9, and 51.

We will send a small pamphlet in return.

Christian Messenger Office.

Commercial.

HALIFAX MARKETS.

CORRECTED FOR THE WEEK ENDING JUNE 9

Table with 2 columns: Commodity and Price. Includes items like Bread, Navy, per cwt., Beef, Prime, Ca., Butter, Canada, per lb., Coffee, Laguira, Tea, Congo, Flour, Am. sp. per bbl., Canada sp., Rye, Cornmeal, Indian Corn, Molasses, Mus. per gal., Pork, Prime, per bbl., Sugar, Bright P. R., per cwt., Bar Iron, com., Hoop, Sheet, Codfish, large, per qtl., Salmon, No. 1, per bbl., Mackerel, No. 1, Herrings, Alewives, Haddock, Coal, Sydney, per chal., Fire Wood, per cord.

PRICES AT THE FARMER'S MARKET, JUNE 9.

Table with 2 columns: Commodity and Price. Includes items like Fresh Beef, per cwt., Oatmeal, Pork, Fresh, per lb., Veal, Lamb, Bacon, Butter, Cheese, Eggs, per dozen, Poultry—Chickens, Geese, Ducks, Turkeys, per lb., Calf-skins, per lb., Yarn, Potatoes, per bushel, Apples, per barrel, Plums, none, Homespun Cloth, (wool.) per yard, Do. (cotton and wool).

WILLIAM NEWCOMB, Clerk of Market.

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TORONTO, April 27th, 1854.

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The following from one of our Agents, who is too well known in his own State to need endorsing by us, will be read with interest by Dyspeptics:—

LEBANON, N. H., Feb. 29, 1856.

MESSRS. SETH W. FOWLE & Co.—Gentlemen: Please send by Express, another Box of Oxygenated Bitters, as we are nearly out. These Bitters have recently been used with unusual benefit by a member of my family, who has derived more advantage from it than from all other medicines, which fact being known, greatly influences the demand for the Bitters. There is no profession, in which a reputation for truth and sincerity is more desirable, than in that of an Apothecary; and for this reason, I have always been careful in recommending remedies. But I feel perfectly safe in advising all who are troubled with Dyspepsia, to resort at once to the Oxygenated Bitters.

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This may certify that I have used Perry Davis' Vegetable Pain Killer in numerous cases, and believe it to be a very valuable medicine. I have prescribed it extensively in bowel complaint, (particularly for children), and it is in my opinion superior to any preparation I have ever used for the relief of those diseases. When given to children, I have always combined it with the syrup of gum arabic, say ten drops to a teaspoonful of the syrup, well mixed.—Others have mixed it with milk and molasses, equal parts.

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Married.

At Guysboro, on the 21st ult., by the Rev. W. Hall, Mr. Rosoph McNeil, to Miss Martha Gosby, both of the same place.

Died.

Drowned, in fishing in a boat, at J. & M. Tobin's dock, on Friday, the 5th inst., Saml. C. Dickson, aged 11 years.

At the Poor's Asylum, on the 4th inst., Wm. Frederick, aged 48 years, a native of Cole Harbour.

At Hammond's Plains, on the 1st inst., Mr. Thomas Johnston, Senr., in the 89th year of his age, an old and respectable inhabitant of that place, formerly of the Royal Artillery.

On the 24th ult., at his residence, King Square, Charlottetown, P. E. I., the Rev. Albert Desbrisay, Wesleyan Minister, and late Governor and Chaplain in the Mount Allison Institution, Sackville, N.B.

At Upper Stewiacke, on the 27th ult., after a few days illness, George Archibald, in his 19th year. Deceased had been about five years a member of the Baptist Church, and at the time of his death was engaged as teacher at Musquodobou.

At Wallace, Cumberland, May 26th, after an illness of seven days, Mr. Phillip McKim, aged 53 years. He was the eldest son of the late Andrew McKim, Esq., M.P.P., leaving a widow and eight children, with a large circle of relations and friends, to mourn the loss of an affectionate husband, a kind father, and an estimable member of the community. He was for several years a consistent member of the Wallace Baptist Church. His end was peace.

In Lower Aylesford, on the 5th ult., Ruby Elizabeth, daughter of Stephen and Catherine Griffin, aged 4 years.

At the residence of her son-in-law, Mr. John Robinson, Kingston Village—Aylesford, on the 23rd ult., Mrs. Jerusha Ann, widow of the late Mr. George Jackson, in the 75th year of her age. Mrs. J. who was a kind and beloved mother, was the last survivor of the children of the late Deacon Benjamin Kinsman. She was a member of the 1st Baptist Church of Cornwallis; and was resigned and cheerful in the prospect of exchanging worlds. The text chosen by her, from which her funeral sermon was preached was, Pa. xxxi. 5, "Into thy hand I commit my spirit: thou hast redeemed me, O Lord God of truth."

In Greenville, Wallace River, on the 10th of October, 1856, Rufus Griffin, son of Joseph Griffin, in the 17th year of his age. His end was peace.

Also, in same place, on the 1st inst., Charlotte Mires, wife of Joseph Griffin. She had been for many years a member of the Baptist Church, and died trusting in her Saviour.

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Shipping List.

Arrived.

TUESDAY, June 2nd.—R.M.S. America, Lang, Liverpool, 10 ds—113 passengers, 13 for Halifax; Prussian ship Marianne, Wiebe, Liverpool, G.B., 34 ds—Oxley & Co; schr Flirt, Burke, Magdalen Islands, 7 ds—B. Wier & Co.

WEDNESDAY, 3rd.—Govt. schr Daring, Daly, Sable Island—wrecked materials from the Alma P.; brig Camalo, Caldwell, Bay Chaleur, 8 ds—Allison & Co; ship Portland, Ogg, Liverpool, G.B., 33 ds—B. O'Neil & Co; brig T. Crosby, Harding, Matanzas, 17 ds—Salter & Twining; Golden Eagle, Moore, New York, 8 ds—J. Northup & Son, and W. L. Evans; schrs James McNab, Adams, Cienfuegos, 19 ds—G. H. Starr & Co; Hero of Kars, Fraser, Bathurst, N.B., 6 ds—Allison & Co; Caledonia, Landry, Bay Chaleur—Jas. Cochran; Mary, Balcom, do—do; Stewart, Allen, Calais, Me., 3 ds—T.A.S. DeWolf; Ozene, Rubard, Magdalen Islands D. Cronan; Crimea, Tobin, Burin, N.F., 7 ds—J. & M. Tobin; brig Harriet Ann, Crowell, Cienfuegos, 20 ds—Esson, Boak & Co.

THURSDAY, 4th.—Brigt Martha, Hopkins, Dalhousie; R. Cobden, West Barbados, 18 ds—Salter & Twining; schrs Mary Martha, Bay Chaleur—J. Cochran; Clara, Boudroit, Quebec, 17 ds; R. M. S. Niagara, Wickman, Boston, 33 hours—166 passengers, 33 for Halifax.

FRIDAY, 5th.—Schr Julia, Simpson, St. John, N.B., 3 ds—T. A. S. DeWolf; brig Alma, Newfoundland, 15 days.

SATURDAY, 6th.—Schr Aurora, Crowell, Boston via Barrington, 8 days; Oasis, Decker, Fishing Banks.

Cleared.

TUESDAY, 2nd.—R. M. S. America, Lang, Boston; schrs British Eagle, Romkey, Labrador; Three Brothers, Cann, do; Arrow, Mann, do; Princess Augusta, Cormier, Magdalen Islands.

WEDNESDAY, 3rd.—Steamer Eastern State, Killam, Yarmouth and Boston; W. R. Burnham, Logan, Labrador; Catherine, Robbin, do; Henrietta, Walsh, do; Emily, McDonald, P. E. Island; brig Onca, Fenton, Kingston, Ja.; Belle, Hewson, Porto Rico.

THURSDAY, 4th.—R. M. S. Steamers Niagara, Wickman, Liverpool; Merlin, Corbin, Sydney and Newfoundland; Delta, Hunter, Bermuda and St. Thomas; schrs Atlanta, Goodman, Bay Chaleur; Merlin, Vogle, Labrador; Alma, Gayton, do; Mary Eliza, do; Pioneer, Monahan, Newfoundland; Reindeer, McKenna, Fishing.

FRIDAY, 5th.—Hazard, Croft, Labrador; Strangers, Nickerson, do; Salem, Coombs, do; Petit Reviere, Fault, do; Providence, Minard, do; Jane, Malone, do; Brothers, Frederick, do; Napier, Oxner, do; Promoter, Nickerson, do; Alder Bauer, Crinelo, do; Cherokee, Himes, do; Belinda, Caldwell, Dalhousie; Cherub, Bears, P. E. Island; brig Maude, Davidson, Jamaica; brig Arab, Mason, Ouba.

SATURDAY, 6th.—Rambler, Smith, fishing voyage; Tradesman, Lunette, Labrador; Cordelia, Romkey, do; Electric, Morrison, B. W. Indies; Doves, Landry, P. E. Island; Emily, Atwood, Magdalen Islands; St. Agnes, Campbell, New Brunswick; Ocean Wave, Lines, North Bay; Superb, Swains, Newfoundland; Patience, Collins, do; Planet, Foster; Volant, Newall, Boston; Lady Paget, Smith, Bay Chaleur; Ocean Lady, Jones, do; Investigation, Conrad, do; Bonita, Conrad, do; Zenobia, Romkey, fishing voyage.

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