

General Intelligence.

Foreign and Domestic.

THE CITY ELECTION, on Thursday last, resulted in the return of Henry Pryor, Esq., for Mayor, by 349 votes against 243 for Mr. Scott...

FOR ALDERMEN. FOR ASSESSORS. No. 1.—Edward Pryor, D. Calder and W. Kendrick. 2.—Matthew Lownds, G. Henderson and T. Abbott.

But little interest was manifested in the election. Only 592 votes were polled, whereas last year there were 1559 ballots deposited.

The City Council met on Friday. Of the recently elected Aldermen, were present, Messrs M. Lownds, P. Forristal, and James Thompson, barrister.

THE MONTHLY FIRE IN HALIFAX.—The first of the month was again the signal for another fire in the City; not, however, of a very serious nature in this instance, but enough to bring out the engines and firemen, and call forth the enquiry among the citizens, especially the victims of the first of January fire, as to who would be the probable sufferers this time.

It is certainly a very remarkable circumstance that we have had no fire of any consequence, or scarcely an alarm of one, through the year, except at the commencement of each month.

Fortunately the present fire only resulted in a slight injury to the residence of Mr. S. Barss, in Poplar Grove, a spark having fallen from the chimney and ignited the roof.

COUNTY COURT.—A complaint was made before the justices of the peace for the county of Halifax by some of the passengers on board the steamship Antelope, against the captain for insufficiency of provisions.

The Supreme Court was to commence its sittings at Annapolis yesterday. We understand a large number of cases are on the docket for trial.

PROGRESS.—A company of the stockholders of the Inland Navigation Company made an excursion in the steamer "Avery," on the lakes from Marshall's, seven miles from Halifax, through the locks, and lakes Williams, Thomas, Fletcher's, and Grand Lake, into the Shubenacadie River and returned to town from Nelson's.

It is confidently reported that navigation will be opened between Maitland and Dartmouth during the present month.

STEAM ON COMMON ROADS IN NEW YORK.—A common road locomotive, has for several days been running in Grand street, Broadway, and other thoroughfares of the city of New York, and has made a trip to Harlem and back.

The Sun indulges in the anticipation of the time when inkpepers will turn their stables into sheds for these inanimate travellers, and advertize wood, coal and water, instead of hay and stabling, but thinks it will be necessary to enact a prohibitory law before they come into common use.

We remember seeing, about twenty-five years ago, a vehicle of this description, which had come from London about sixty miles to the place of our nativity.

We remember the appearance of the party of scientific gentlemen on that occasion, on their arrival. Their sooty faces and general collier-like exterior, were such as would not encourage many to choose that mode of travel.

FATAL AFFRAY.—The Eastern Chronicle gives an account of a case of homicide which occurred on board the American brig Monica, in the harbor of Picton, on Saturday last, the 26th Sept.

Deservedly Popular.—We do our friends a real service in calling attention to a medicine of such acknowledged merit as Wistar's Balsam. We are all liable to coughs and colds, which cease to be dangerous when recourse is had to the Wild Cherry.

Asthma.—This distressing and most unrelenting disorder may be alleviated by the use of Jonas Whitcomb's Remedy.

Dyspepsia Cured. A fair trial of the Oxygenated Bitters will convince the most skeptical sufferer, that this medicine has no equal in the world for the cure of this disease.

Letters Received.

Rev. Dr. Tupper, 26th, £7, 3 subs. Asaph Marshall, 16th.—per Mr. Balcom, £2 18s. 9d. E. A. Woodland, 20th. James Woodland, 17th. Jas. Crossby, 28th. W. H. Rogers, 30th.—Will reply shortly. J. B. Worthyake, 30th.—G. B. Rev. W. Chipman, per Rev. D. Freeman, 25th. M. P. Freeman, 1st.

NOTICES.

A QUARTERLY MEETING will be held in the Baptist Chapel, Lower Maccan, commencing at half past six o'clock, p. m., on Monday, 26th of October. It is hoped that the brethren associated for the purpose of sustaining this meeting, and as many others as can, will attend on the occasion.

There will be a meeting of the Board of Governors of Acadia College in the College Library, on Thursday October 8th, at 11 o'clock A. M. Business of special importance.

Commercial.

HALIFAX MARKETS.

Table with columns for goods and prices. Includes items like Bread, Navy, per cwt., Pilot, per mbl., Beef, Prime, Ca., etc.

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INTERESTING TO THOSE SUFFERING FROM HEADACHE.

A CERTAIN REMEDY FOUND IN DR. McLANE'S CELEBRATED LIVER PILLS.

The following is a sample of certificates received daily from our own citizens:

New York, August 1, 1852. This is to certify that I have been subject at times to severe headache; sometimes the pain would be so severe I could rest neither day or night.

Purchasers will be careful to ask for DR. McLANE'S CELEBRATED LIVER PILLS, manufactured by FLEMING BROS., of PITTSBURGH, PA.

A CURE FOR WHOOPING COUGH. ST. HYACINTHE, CANADA E., Aug. 21, 1856.

Several months since a little daughter of mine, ten years of age, was taken with Whooping Cough in a very aggravated form, and nothing we could do for her seemed in any way to relieve her suffering.

You are at liberty to make any use of the above you think proper. If it shall induce any body to use your Balsam I shall be glad, for I have great confidence in it.

Proprietor of the Courier de St. Hyacinthe. Buy none without the signature of I. BUTTS.

JOHN NAYLOR and MORTON & COGSWELL, Agents, Halifax.

Bite of a Rattlesnake cured in five minutes.

Messrs. PERRY DAVIS & SON—GENTS:—A merchant of Lincoln, in this State, informs me that recently one of his sons was severely bitten on the leg by a rattlesnake, from the effects of which he suffered most dreadfully.

Yours respectfully, H. BLAKSLEY, St. Louis, Mo.

Sold by Druggists, Grocers and Medicine Dealers everywhere. Agents in Halifax, G. E. MORRIS & Co.

Married.

At Cornwallis, July 14th, by the Rev. W. Chipman, Benjamin Margeon, to Merigim White.

At Berwick, Cornwallis, on Sunday, Sept. 27th, by the same, Rev. David Freeman, A.M., Minister of the Granville Street Baptist Church, to Ann Eliza, second daughter of Abel Parker, Esq.

At Moss side, Dartmouth, on the 1st inst., by the Rev. Alex. McKnight, Mr. John G. McKie, to Isabella, daughter of the late James McNab.

At Onslow, on the 28th ult., by the Rev. Henry Charlton, Mr. Edmund W. Hamilton, to Miss Harriet N., youngest daughter of Mr. Simeon H. Elair, both of Onslow.

At St. Mary's Cathedral, on the 29th ult., by the Rev. Mr. Higginbottom, Mr. John Munday, of Scotland, to Miss Ann Tobin, second daughter of Mr. Thomas Tobin, of this city.

Died.

On Saturday, the 26th ult., after a lingering illness, Robert Rice, aged 37 years.

On the 27th ult., after a lingering illness, Charles Kelly, aged 28 years.

On the 29th ult., John, infant son of Walter and Isabella Patterson, aged 1 year and ten months.

At Truro, on the 1st inst., of whooping cough, Frank W. D., son of John Burnyeat, Esq., aged 4 years and five months.

At Jacksonville, East Florida, on the 24th August, aged 45 years, Ellen, the beloved wife of Wm. Goodale, Esq., of Florida, eldest daughter of Mrs. Elizabeth Clay, of Halifax.



Alpine Hair Balm.

RESTORING GRAY HAIR TO ITS ORIGINAL COLOR. Warranted to cure Baldness, Scurf, Dandruff, Itching and all diseases of the skin.

Abbott's Bitters act most beneficially on the liver, the stomach, and bowels, and in constipation, connected with long continued derangement of the biliary organs, termed bilious dyspepsia, will be found a most wonderful medicine.

Agents in Halifax, G. E. MORRIS & Co.

I am constrained to add my testimony of Dyer's Healing Embrocation, a medicine indeed, "of great value." Early last month I was attacked with cholera morbus, which soon prostrated me.

J. C. SCOTT.

Shipping List.

Arrived.

TUESDAY, Sept. 29th.—H. M. Ship Brilliant, Capt. Paynter, from West Indies;—brigt Boston, O'Brien, Boston, 3 days—Young & Hart—20 passengers; brig America, Meagher, do—B. Wier & Co—do; brig General Washington, Longard, Prospect.

WEDNESDAY, 30th.—Brigts A. Smithers, Johnston, New York, 4 ds.—R. B. Seaton & Co; Kaloolah, Hays, Pernambuco, 24 ds.—Salter & Twining; Onward, Lassen, New Haven, 2 ds.—G. H. Starr & Co; schrs Ransom, Kenny, New York, 7 days—S. A. White & Co; Ocean Bird, Lockhart, do, 3 ds.—Bauld, Gibson & Co; Spray, Durrie, Jordan River, 2 ds.—Fraser, Lyle & Co; Planet, Swaine, Cape Negro, 2 ds.—do; Sarah, Perry, do—do.

THURSDAY, October 1st.—Brigts Don, Morgan, Fortune Island, 11 ds.—Esson, Boak & Co; Sarah, Hopkins, Salt Island, 15 ds.—Fraser, Lyle & Co; schrs J. D. Lonas, Lonas, Bay Chaleur—do; President, Hewett, Labrador—J. H. McNab & Co; Lima, O'Brien, Sydney; Alma, do; ship Mic-Mac, McNutt, Glasgow, 28 ds.—W. Stairs, Son & Morrow—3 passengers.

FRIDAY, 2nd.—H. M. Steamer Basilisk, Commande. Phayre, St. John, N. B., 30 hours; steamer Easter, State, Killam, Boston, via Yarmouth, 2 ds.—T. Bolton—39 passengers; Govt. schr Daring, Daly, Sable Island; schrs Rising Sun, Messervy, Newfoundland, 4 ds.—W. Lawson; Matchless, Gedson, Labrador, 8 days.—W. B. Hamilton & Co; C. W. Wright, Dickson, do 7 ds.—J. H. McNab & Co; Sylvia, Young, Lunenburg 10 hours; brig George, Leblanc, Sydney; H. M. Cutter Netley, from a cruise.

SATURDAY, 3rd.—Schr Gold Hunter, Labrador; LeMartine, do; Jane, S. S. Lewis, Orozombo, J. D. Libby, and Essex, all from North Bay, with mackerel report that fish had left the Bay.

SUNDAY, 4th.—Steamer Ospray, Sampson, St. John's Nfld., via Sydney.

MONDAY, 5th.—Schr Christiana, Wilson, Nfld., do—W. Pryor & Sons; Gold Coiner, Harris, do, 12 ds.—J. Hackett; Beverly, Blanch, do—R. McLearn & C. Virgin, Charlottetown—McLean, Campbell & Co.

Cleared.

TUESDAY, Sept. 29th.—John, Ozong, Bay St George, Nfld.; brig Ranger, Paynter, B. W. Indies; barques Halifax, Laybold, Boston; Scotia, Curry, Miramichi.

THURSDAY, 1st.—Bark Kingston, Sule, Shediac; schrs Harriet, Ham, Havana; Martha, Smith, Newfoundland.

FRIDAY, 2nd.—Brig America, Meagher, Boston.

SATURDAY, 3rd.—America, Edwards, Matanzas; Seaman's Pride, Heman, N. York; Achiever, Banks, Labrador; Sultan, Day, Bathurst; Falcon, Wilson, Trinidad; Rover, Lawrence, F. W. Indies; Kaloolah, Hays, do; Don, Morgan, Cuba.

MONDAY, 5th.—Onward, Lassen, Cuba; Lady Seymour, Mann, Porto Rico.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

Teachers' Institute.

THE REV. DR. FORRESTOR, Superintendent of Education, will hold a Teachers' Institute in the LECTURE ROOM, DALHOUSIE COLLEGE, on Wednesday, the 21st instant, commencing at 9 o'clock, A.M. All Teachers of Schools are invited to attend.

A Public Meeting

Will be held in the same place, commencing at 7 1/2 o'clock in the evening of the same day. Dr. Forrestor will deliver an address on "The present condition of the Common School Education of the City of Halifax, with suggestions for its improvement."

The attendance of the public generally, and of the friends of education in particular, is respectfully requested. October 7. morning papers 2 ins. e. w.

NOTICE!

STRAYED from the Subscriber, about the first of August, a MARE and COIT, both black. The Mare low, and girting about six feet; marked by a small white spot above her eyes; her off fore foot is white. When she left, wore a poke. Any person having seen such a beast, and taking care of her, and forwarding her or intelligence of her to me, will be rewarded for their trouble. HIRAM MILLS. Ragged Reef, South Joggins, Sept. 22, '57.