

PROVINCIAL SECRETARY'S OFFICE, Halifax Nov. 13th, 1858.

APPOINTMENTS. To be the Registrar of Deeds for the District of Cumberland—James E. Purdy. To be additional Justices of the Peace: In the County of Digby—Patrick Macgair, Felix Deveau, Junior. In the County of Guysborough—Alexander Sinclair. In the County of Cumberland—Enoch Embree. In the County of Halifax—Donald McLearn. To be a Member of the Board of Commissioners of Schools in the District of Barrington—the Rev. Robert Duncan, in place of the Rev. Mr. Lockart, who has removed from thence. To be a Member of the Board of Commissioners of Schools in the District of Shelburne—the Rev. Robert Tweedy, in place of the Rev. Mr. Avery, who has removed from thence. To be the Registrar of Shipping for the Port and District of Shelburne, which is hereby constituted to be a Port of Registry for Shipping—James Muir, Collector of Colonial Duties. To be an Officer for the protection of the Revenue at the entrance and West of Shelburne Harbour—James F. Demings. To be Collector of Light Duties at the entrance and west of Shelburne Harbour—James F. Demings. His Excellency the Lieutenant-Governor by the advice of the Executive Council, has been pleased to approve of John Crerar, elected to be one of the Trustees of the Pictou Academy, in the place of Hugh H. Ross, deceased. The NEW ENGINE HOUSE is to be erected on the site of the old Pound in Spring Garden road. Messrs. Davison and Graham have the contract for the sum of £453. We understand the building is to be quite an ornamental affair, and will accommodate Engines No. 5 and 6. NEW BUILDING.—Messrs. Doull and Miller purpose erecting a handsome free-stone building, four stories in height, on the site of the old St. Matthew's Church. Mr. Robert Malcolm has taken the contract for the sum of £4,040. RAILWAY PROGRESS.—A locomotive passed through to Truro on Friday last. It is expected that the road will be opened for traffic before Christmas. We learn from a friend residing in Chester, that four vessels had arrived at port, from a fishing voyage, during the early part of last week; their catch averaging between 5 and 600 barrels of Mackerel. We wish we could Journalize thousands instead of hundreds.—Journal. BUGLARIES.—The store of Messrs. Fairbanks and Greenwood, in Water Street, was entered on Friday last and £7 carried off. An attempt was made on Saturday night to enter the clothing store of Mr. James Leddy near the market wharf. The thief was disturbed in his proceedings, and afterwards taken, hiding under the Parade steps. It was the same person, Kayeraft, who was charged with breaking into the store of Mr. Joseph Bennett a short time since. FATAL ACCIDENT.—A sad accident, resulting in the death of a fine boy, about 14 years of age, eldest son of Mr. Daniel Stiles, Scotch Hill, occurred on Monday, evening last (Nov. 1.) On that evening, a number of boys were assembled together, enjoying themselves in the manner customary on "Hallow e'en." The deceased was attempting to discharge a pistol which he had made from a gas pipe, and fastened on a piece of board as a substitute for "stock." The fastening being insecure the barrel broke loose with the discharge, and recoiling struck the deceased in the stomach, causing almost instant death. An inquest was held on Tuesday by W. H. Harris, Esq., one of the Coroners for the County, when a verdict was given by the Jury in accordance with the above facts.—Eastern Chronicle. We are glad to learn that McCulloch, who was felled to the ground with an axe by his insane neighbour, McDonald, at Musquodoboit, is considered by his medical attendant, Dr. Denison, in a fair way of recovery. We regret that delay occurred in transmitting the letter giving us an account of the unfortunate circumstance, and inquest. Such items should be sent immediately on their occurrence, or they lose their interest. We had a short paragraph upon it week before last. BARN BURN.—On the evening of the 12th inst. a barn owned by Mr. Leason Baker, of Melvern Square, Wilnot, was consumed by fire. The disaster was occasioned by the taking in of a lighted candle, which came into contact with some hay. It was a new building, and contained about 12 tons of hay, 40 bushels of buckwheat, 48 stooks of rye, 20 stooks of wheat, a considerable quantity of beans, a sleigh, and nearly a whole set of harness, &c. The flames spread with such rapidity that the cattle only could be saved, and that with difficulty. Mr. Baker, who is a very industrious man, had recently, by great diligence and economy, built a new house, as well as this barn. The loss at this season of the year, especially as hay is very scarce and dear, falls heavily on him and his family. He is a valued member of the Baptist church, and deservedly held in general esteem, as one "ready to every good work." It affords me pleasure to add, that sympathy is evinced by numbers in a tangible shape. It may be reasonably hoped that a considerable part of his loss will be made up by benevolent contributions. The rendering of assistance—which will be gratefully received—in such a case is highly commendable. It will not be detrimental to the interests of beneficent donors in any respect.—Communicated by Rev. C. Tupper. Aylesford, Nov. 17, 1858.

HORTICULTURAL.—The Sackville Borderer says, grapes grown this year in the garden of C. E. Ratchford, Esq., Amherst, are large, plump and ripe, some of the clusters containing 25 to 30 hanging on one bunch.

YARMOUTH MUNICIPAL INCORPORATION ACT.—On Tuesday last the Municipal election took place, and resulted in a majority of 99 for the repeal of the Municipal Incorporation Act. Whole No. votes polled in the six districts, 1139

For the Repeal of the Act, 619 Against Repeal, 520 Majority in favor of Repeal, 99

FIRE AT BRIDGETOWN.—On Friday night last at about 12 o'clock the inhabitants of this town were alarmed by the cry of fire. A few minutes elapsed before a large number of people were present at the scene of conflagration. The smithy and carpenter's shop of Mr. Charles Crabe junr., was the building consumed, and from the alleged fact that no fire was lighted in either department during the day, it has been strongly suspected to have been the work of an incendiary. These shops were situated in the midst of the village and were surrounded on all sides by wooden buildings, and it is with great pleasure we report that through the unremitting exertions of the Fire Company and the inhabitants generally the destructive element was confined to them. Two investigations have already been made by the Magistrates, but without eliciting any facts to fix the atrocious act upon any party. A reward of £25 has also been offered for the apprehension of the perpetrators.—News.

We would caution all who buy Pain Killer, to be careful and call for Perry Davis' Pain Killer, and to take none not put up in square bottles, with Perry Davis & Son's note of hand on one side of the bottle, and "Davis' Vegetable Pain Killer" blown in the glass. All others are spurious.

P. K. PHILADELPHIA, June 13, 1857.

Messrs. Perry Davis & Son.—Gents:—For more than a year I was afflicted with a troublesome cough, attended with a yellowish frothy expectoration, and great emaciation followed. Whether it was a liver or lung cough I knew not, but there was an incessant tickling sensation in my chest.—Calling one day at the office of the United States Journal, of this city, one of the proprietors strongly recommended me to try your Pain Killer. I sent and got the article, and was helped immediately, and am now well. This was last March. I withhold my address, as my family and myself are averse to notoriety. That what I have written is solemn truth, is well known to the proprietors of the Journal. I write under the influence of grateful feeling. Yours truly, AMICUS.

Sold at Wholesale by GEORGE E. MORTON & Co., AVERT, BROWN & Co., and by Druggists generally.

Commercial.

HALIFAX MARKETS.

CORRECTED FOR THE WEEK ENDING NOV. 23.

Table listing market prices for various goods such as Flour, Rye, Coffee, Tea, Sugar, Molasses, Beef, Pork, Codfish, Salmon, Mackerel, Herring, Alewives, Haddock, Bar Iron, Hoop, Sheet, Nails, Leather, Lumber, Shipping Pine, Spruce, Hemlock, Coal, and Fire Wood.

PRICES AT THE FARMER'S MARKET, NOV. 23.

Table listing prices for fresh beef, oatmeal, potatoes, apples, pork, veal, lamb, bacon, butter, cheese, calf skins, yarn, eggs, poultry, ducks, geese, turkeys, and homespun cloth.

WILLIAM NEWCOMB, Clerk of Market.

Letters Received.

Rev. D. Freeman, 12th. Dr. Dennison, 16th. Rev. Dr. Tupper, 10th, 20s., and 19th, £2. T. H. Randall, 8th. Rev. E. N. Harris, 12th. Rev. D. W. C. Dimock, 16th,—all right. Rev. Malcolm Ross, 13th. Seth E. Marshall, 4th.—Directions attended to. Rev. Robert Walker, 11th. Rev. T. W. Crawley, 15th. Geo. Bigelow, 18th, 20s. Rev. W. Chipman, 19th, 20s. Jephtha Elderkin, 15th, 5s.

TO OUR SUBSCRIBERS.—Our contemporaries both at home and abroad we perceive are speaking out with more or less urgency, and some even with threatenings, for the amount due from their delinquent subscribers. Our wants are not less than any, indeed, our large circulation itself makes demands which but few if any of our neighbours experience. On the eighth page of our present number we have inserted our list of Agents, and shall be much obliged if the friends there named will favour us by endeavouring to obtain and remit any arrears due in their localities.

To our advance Subscribers and those friends who send their payments promptly, we tender our sincere thanks, whilst we have a request to make of them—that they will endeavour to induce as many as they can to imitate their good example.

We are desirous of avoiding unnecessary expense, but when it cannot be helped, rather than that we and our subscribers, who are subscribers, and our creditors too, should be put to inconvenience and loss, we shall be reluctantly compelled to demand, whereas we now only say, as politely as we can, PLEASE PAY US AS SOON AS POSSIBLE.

NOTICE.

The Members of the Foreign Missionary Board are respectfully requested to meet in the Bethel, Tremont, Aylesford, on Tuesday, the 30th inst., at 2 o'clock, P.M. S. TUPPER, Secretary.

Aylesford, Nov. 10th, 1858. I will gladly take charge of any donations that may be made toward building a house for Rev. A. R. K. Crawley, and have them forwarded for that object. C. T.

Married.

On Wednesday, the 14th instant, by the Rev. John Martin, Mr. Wm. Henry, Engineer, to Susan R. Gray. At Weymouth, on the 10th of Sept., by the Rev. Chas. Randall, Mr. Joseph Benjamin Marshall to Miss Esther Smith, both of the South Range, Digby. At the residence of the bride's father, on the 15th inst., by the same, Mr. Asaph Moore, of Long Island Westport, to Mary, second daughter of Mr. John Mullen, of Clare, Co. Digby.

At Kentville, Sept. 29th by the Rev. T. H. Crawley, Mr. Theodore Harding Fitch to Irene, eldest daughter of the late Rev. John E. Cogswell. At Canaan, on the 11th ult., by the same, Mr. Edw. D. Bishop, of Greenwich, to Miss Anna P. Witter.

Died.

At her residence, Woodbine Cottage, Ore, England, October 16th, Sarah, wife of Mr. Richard Selden, senr., (formerly and for many years of High street, Hastings), in the 71st year of her age.

On Sunday, the 14th instant, Ella Elizabeth, infant daughter of J. C. West, aged 1 year. On the 17th inst., of consumption, Mary Ann, wife of Mr. Thomas Isles, in the 27th year of her age.

On the 18th inst., E. B. Boyd aged 33 years. Suddenly, on the 18th instant Joseph, second son of Patrick and Catherine Ronan, aged 3 years and seven months.

On the 19th inst., after a short but painful illness, Emma Augusta, third daughter of S. S. B. Smith, Esq., aged 20 years.

On the 19th inst., Mr. William Coleman, in the 59th year of his age. On Monday morning, the 22nd instant, after a protracted illness, Capt. George A. Corbin, aged 51 years, formerly of Stickleland, England, well-known and highly esteemed for many years as Commander of the Royal Mail Steamer between this port and Newfoundland.

At Dartmouth, on the 16th instant, Charles Robson, second and only surviving son of Alex. James, Esq., aged 10 years.

At Dartmouth, on the 21st instant, Anne, eldest daughter of Alex. James, Esq., aged 8 years. At the Three-Mile House, on the 18th inst., Phoebe, only daughter of John and Maria Haverstock, of Hammond's Plains, and grand-daughter of the late John Hays, of this city.

At Margaretville, Wilnot, on the 13th inst., Charles Edward, second son of Matthew and Elizabeth Drew, aged 5 years and three months.

At St. Mary's Bay, on the 10th inst., Sanford Vorus, only son of Mr. William John, of that place, in the 13th year of his age.

At Guysboro', on the 5th inst. Mrs. Donald McGrigor, aged 52 years. She was for many years a worthy member of the Baptist Church, and leaves behind a large circle of friends to mourn their loss.

At Sand Point, Co. Guysboro', on the 9th inst. after a short illness, of putrid sore throat, Mary, daughter of Edward and Margaret Mundell, aged 13 years.

At Milton, on the 27th ult., elder David O. Gaskill, aged 34 years. On the 6th inst., of putrid sore throat, Harriet, daughter of William Allen Kempton, Esq., aged 15 years. On the 17th inst., of putrid sore throat, Elzora, daughter of Mr. Isaac Freeman, aged 15 years.

At New Minas, July 11th, Elias, only daughter of David and Abigail Pines, aged 9 years. After a painful struggle with her last enemy, she ascended in the triumphs of her Saviour. Brenton, son of Caleb Forsyth, aged 9 years. Sept. 27th, Samuel Fitch, in the 70th year of his age. Faithful unto the end. On the 9th ult., Susan, eldest daughter of W. J. Higgins, aged 11 years. This patient little sufferer laid her head down and smiled in sweet repose in Jesus.

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.

For all those of sedentary habits it is the safest and best remedy. Agents in Halifax, G. E. Morton & Co. New developments are being made daily in favor of Durno's Catarrh Snuff. The deaf hear; those suffering from inflammation of the eyes are restored; and sore throat cured. Physicians rarely take medicine; Lawyers seldom go to law; but all enjoy the luxury of Durno's Snuff.

The largest revenues of the estates on the borders of the Mediterranean are those derived from the sale of the Orange Flowers. The house of Faguer, perfumer of Paris, says, it is said, to the proprietors a yearly sum of 30,000 francs for a supply of Orange Blossoms. This enormous consumption is not surprising when it is known that the BALM OF ORANGE FLOWERS gives a delicate perfume to the Breath, thoroughly cleanses the Teeth, eradicates Tan, Pimples, and Freckles, and imparts a rosy bloom to the Complexion, makes a soft and beautiful lather for shaving, removes Dandruff, and gives a fine gloss to the Hair. A bottle costs only 50 cents.

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

CURE YOUR COUGH!

Gottingen Street, Halifax, Nov. 4, 1866. Mr. R. P. GERRY, Rochester,—Sir,—I wish to inform you of the benefits I have derived from using your PECTORAL TABLETS. Having for two years been troubled by a bad cough, with great oppression of the chest, arising from cold, and accompanied by severe hoarseness, and seeing the Pectoral Tablets advertised here by your agents, Messrs. G. E. Morton & Co., I purchased a box at their Medical Warehouse, which relieved me; and before I had used three 25 cent boxes, I was quite well, and attribute my speedy cure entirely to your remedy, as all other cough medicine previously tried had failed to relieve me. LAVINIA LAMBE.

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Shipping List.

Arrived.

TUESDAY, November 16th.—Schr Sylvia, Young, Lunenburg, 7 hours; R M Steamer Merlin, Gulliford, St. John's Nfld., via Sydney, 4 days—15 pass.; schr Mary Ann, Glawson, Philadelphia—Eason, Bank & Co.

WEDNESDAY, 17th.—Bright Harriet, Condon, Baltimore, 10 das—R W Fraser & Co; schrs Tartar, Fraser, New York, 6 das—P Power & Co; Lunenburg Packet, Westhaver, Lunenburg, 6 hours—J M Watson; R M Steamer Canada, Lang Liverpool, G. B., 11 days—93 pass., 15 for Halifax; Am schrs Laughing Water and Rosanna, North Bay, Nfld.—bound to United States.

THURSDAY, 18th.—R M Steamer America, Miller, Boston, 33 hours—65 passengers, 23 for Halifax. FRIDAY, 19th.—Schr's Uncle Tom, Harpell N York, 4 das—W L Evans & Co; Ark, Strum, Baltimore 8 ds—J & M Tobin; Live Yankee, Nelson, North Bay, Nfld.—bound to Boston; brig Ann, Gurney, P E Island—do.

SATURDAY, 20th.—French brig Elair, Vista, St. Pierre, 8 days—G H Starr & Co; brig Magnet, Doat, Inagua, 17 days—T Bolton. SUNDAY, 21st.—Bright John Roop, Sanders, St. Martins, 20 days—T Bolton.

MONDAY, 22nd.—Brigs Cordelia, Mara, Mayaguez, 19 days—Dasher sailed in company; George, Boudrot, from P E Island and Halifax, bound to Boston, returned—has been driven to the eastward by late S W winds; schrs Isabella, Hadley, Guysboro and Canso; Hebe, Newfoundland, 9 days—J & M Tobin; Persia, Smith, Baltimore, 8 days; Nancy, Leblanc, Arichat—J G A Creighton & Co; John, Bay Chaleur—do; Lady, Le-Vash, Georgetown P E I—Black, Bros. & Co; Seaflower, Arichat; Ann Maria, Muggah, Sydney; Enterprise, McPhee, P E Island—E. Albro & Co; Charlotte, Leblanc, P E Island; Lydia, Burke, Newfoundland.

Cleared.

MONDAY, November 15th.—Brigs Hound, Anderson, Jamaica; Florida, Weeks, do; brigs Spanish Main, Gange, F W Indies; Urcin, Walsh, Bedeque; Ben Nevis, Forest, Pictou and Arichat; schrs Frank, McLeod, Fortune Bay, Nfld.; Emerald, Gay, P E Island; Experiment, Bollow, do.

TUESDAY 16th.—Schr's Emma, Hobbs, P E Island; Hope, Roberts, do; Onward, Riggs, St Pierre; Magnet, Pye, Fortune Bay; Rambler, Chadsey, Ragged Isles; Ocean Wave, Holland, Newfoundland; Bloomer, Flock, Canso; Virgin, Martell, Arichat; barque Halifax, McCulloch, Boston; brig Mary Morton, Davidson, Hantsport; Cygnet, Smith, Windsor.

WEDNESDAY, 17th.—Schr's Mary Ann, Arsenneau, Magdalen Isles; Rapid, McPherson, Casumpec, P E Island; Hope, Fowler, Digby and Annapolis; Topsy, Reddy, Canso and Guysboro; Ne Plus Ultra, Malcom, Gut of Canso; Ann, Grimes Arichat; Emily, Leblanc, do; R M Steamship Canada, Lang, Boston.

THURSDAY, 18th.—Brig Cordelia, Mackay, Sydney; brigs Rose of the West, Rood, Pefro Rico; Don, Morgan, Jamaica; schrs Sea Slipper, Boyle, New York; Margaret, Gallant, P E Island; Elizabeth, Cunningham, Barrington; Propeller, Crowell, do; Loyal, Murphy, Pubnico; Rife, Balcum, Sheet Harbour; R M Steamships America, Miller, Liverpool, G. B.; Delta, Hunter, Bermuda and St Thomas; Ospray, Gulliford, Sydney and Newfoundland.

FRIDAY, 19th.—Brig Fawn, Boyle, Jamaica; schrs Liberty, Curtis, Sydney; Rose, Graham, do; Alma, P E Island; Ellen, Pertz, Canso; Morning Light, Westhaver, United States; Zebra, Peres, Liverpool; Esquimaux, Rood, P E Island; Barbara, Leblanc, Arichat; Am schr Meroy Taylor, Nickerson, New York.

SATURDAY, 20th.—Steamer Merlin, Sampson, Sydney; Billow, Foster Liverpool, NS; Isabella Maria, Phillips, Porto Rico; Ariel, Moore, P E Island; Mary, Collet, P. E. Island; Maxwellton, Fort, Pictou; Jeboque, Redding, Yarmouth; Shannon, D'Entremont Pubnico; Spy, Crowell, Barrington; Father Mathew, Boudrot, Sydney; Catherine, Larkin, Pubnico.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

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Have received as above:

Black Coburgs & Alpaccas,

PATENT CRAPES,

STELLA CHECKED ROBES,

Cloth Long Shawls,

Chantilly Veils, Wrought Muslins,

Black Silk Velvets,

Hood Tassels, Silk Bonnet Rouches,

— ALSO —

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Nov. 24. LONDON HOUSE.

Silk Bonnet Rouches

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In every variety and colour,

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