

A letter from D. C. Haynes, the Secretary of the American and Foreign Bible Society, New York, informs us, that Dr. Mason of the Young Mission in Burmah, writes dated June 26, 1860, concerning the want of Bibles and says:—

"I have reason to believe that I am much better off for Bibles than any of my brethren, and yet I have not enough to supply each Christian village with a single copy. Two Karens came in the other day, and laid down the money for two, and I wanted very much to supply them; but I found I had only about a dozen left. The schools for teachers are insufficiently supplied, and no prospect of more for years. Under these circumstances I had to send them sorrowing away.

"Observe, that Dr. Mason is reduced to the last dozen copies of Scriptures. He not only has not Bibles for each family, but not enough to furnish each Christian village with one, and none for even the schools for teachers, and he must send the poor Karens empty away. Shall this state of things continue?

"Please send your favors to U. D. WARD, Assistant Treasurer, 115 & 117 Nassau Street, New York. We shall acknowledge sums given for his purpose, separately, in the Bible Advocate and send a copy to all contributors to it, be the sums large or small."

We have received a Prospectus of The Colonial Empire, a new weekly, semi-weekly, and tri-weekly newspaper, to be started in St. John, N. B., on the 1st of January, by Mr. THOMAS MCHENRY.

The Temperance Telegraph is henceforth to be under the management and proprietorship of Mr. THOMAS MCHENRY, Dr. Alward having retired from the Editorship.

The Christian Visitor is to come out at the beginning of the year under the title of "The New Brunswick Baptist," under the management of Mr. THOMAS MCHENRY.

One of our highly valued Agents writes: "Dear Sir,—I have to inform you of the death of one of your subscribers. I have tried repeatedly to collect something, but always got put off with promises. The poor fellow was drowned a few days ago. You will please discontinue his paper, and send one instead to—"

HUMBUG.—One of the Professors of Amherst College, who was enthusiastically devoted to the science of natural history, was called upon by a couple of students to decide upon a new species of insect which they produced. They had gathered all the bugs they could find, and had taken the leg of one, the wing of another, the head of a third, and the tail of a fourth, and so on till they had constructed an insect altogether unique in appearance. The old professor eyed this strange insect somewhat quizzically with his glass for a while, and then raising his eyes very gravely, remarked, "I think, young gentlemen, it belongs to the species called 'Humbug.'"

The next Lecture before the Young Men's Christian Association will be delivered in Temperance Hall on Tuesday evening, the 18th inst., by W. A. D. MORSE, Esq., Barrister at Law. Subject:—"The influence of the Crusades upon the Civilization of Europe."

News Summary.

Our stock of political intelligence this week is very meagre. Nothing of consequence by late arrivals from Europe has been received by Telegraph. Our English Mail, now hourly expected, may probably bring us an account of the consummation of the Neapolitan Revolution, in the surrender of Gaeta, or the departure of the late king to a retirement where he will be out of the way of mischief. His reign, of less, we believe, than a year, will constitute one of the many striking lessons which recent history has read to despo-

The United States Congress assembled on the 3rd inst. Their task will be no easy one. The seeds of discord between North and South would appear to have been of so long standing and to have taken so deep a root, and the conflicting interests would appear so irreconcilable, that it is very difficult to form any conjecture upon what grounds of concession or compromise matters can be so adjusted as to restore unity and good feeling between the parties. In the words of Mr. Lincoln, the President elect, it would seem, under any probable circumstances, that so long as Slavery exists, and so long as the (nominal) Union remains, to be an Irrepressible Conflict, so long as free speech, free laws and free labour form the character of the North, and arbitrary enactments, Slave labour and fettered speech and Press, that of the South, so long must the seeds of discord last. Can two walk together unless they be agreed? The time seems not far distant, when the North shall be as anxious as the South for a separation by mutual consent.

For General Intelligence, &c., see 6th and 7th pages.

It is my intention, if the Lord will, to visit Cape Breton next on my Agency for Acadia College, and to fill the following appointments, and on the evenings of week days to deliver Educational discourses. Sunday, Dec. 9th, Antigonishe. Monday evening, Dec. 10th, Antigonishe Harbor. Sunday, Dec. 16th, Port Hood in the morning and Mabou in the evening. Friday evening, Dec. 21st, Margaree, also on the following Sunday. Wednesday evening, Dec. 26th, Upper Baddeck. Friday evening, Dec. 28th, Boulardrie Island, near Donald McLean's. Sabbath Dec. 30th, North Sydney in the morning and Bras d'or in the afternoon. Sabbath, Jan. 6th, South Sydney. Tuesday evening, Jan. 8, Mira new Meeting-house. Thursday evening, Jan. 10, Mira, near Elder McQuillan's. Sunday, Jan. 13th, Upper Mira. Will the friends in the different localities circulate the notice, and make the necessary arrangements? Other appointments may be made as the localities are visited.

Yours in the work, D. FREEMAN.

Wolfville, Nov. 30, 1860.

QUARTERLY MEETING IN ANNAPOLIS CO.

The next Quarterly Meeting for Annapolis Co. will be held in the Baptist Meeting House in Clarence, on Tuesday the 18th of December, at 6 1/2 o'clock, P. M. Rev. Dr. Tupper is appointed to preach the opening sermon, and Rev. W. G. Parker to be his alternate. Ministering and other brethren and friends are invited to attend. The Ministerial Conference will meet in the same locality on Wednesday the 19th, at 10 o'clock, A. M. Brethren of the Conference are hereby notified that at the last meeting it was decided that each member be requested to present at the next meeting an ESSAY on some subject selected by himself, or furnish an EXEGESIS of some passage of Scripture.

GEO. ARMSTRONG, Secretary.

Read the following from the well known Captain of the Steamer Fulton: NEW ORLEANS, 3rd Oct., 8169.

DR. J. C. AYER, Lowell.—Sir: I am urged by my wife to report to you a cure your Sarsaparilla has made in our family, and as it is the only way in which we can make you any acknowledgement of our gratification, I will proceed to state. My little son eleven years old, has had Scrofula sores on his ears neck and arms for five years. They were much of the time very distressing, and we feared they would kill him. At first a swelling would appear, then it would break and make a running sore, which would not heal. They became very loathsome and often painful: they stopped his growth and seemed to undermine his health, so that he became feeble and sickly. We tried Physicians and Medicines, but they did no good. A clergyman in our neighbourhood, who had seen some remarkable cures by your Cherry Pectoral, advised us to try your Sarsaparilla, and we did. The smallest sores showed symptoms of healing, in about two weeks; in two more they had healed, and in two months the child was as well as any body. He now enjoys perfect health, with no remnant of the disorder about him that we can discover. If you, sir, are a parent, you may well believe that we shall not soon forget you.

Very truly, your humble servant, JNO. W. BATES.

Prepared by DR. J. C. AYER & CO., Lowell, Mass. MORTON & COGSWELL, Agents, Oct. 3

Commercial.

HALIFAX MARKETS.

Table with market prices for various goods like Flour, Cornmeal, Beef, Pork, etc.

PRICES AT THE FAIRMEN'S MARKET, NOV. 28.

Table with prices for fresh beef, oatmeal, oats, apples, potatoes, etc.

Letters Received.

W. F. Cullen, Esq., 26th. Rev. S. McLeod, 24th 5s.—Sent by mail.—Collect what you can. Rev. J. Shaw, 14th. Robt. Robinson, 19th. Asaph Marshall, Esq., 24th, 36s. 3d. per A. Longley, Esq.—M. has not the missing Nos.—Will send six months from No. 143.—Also 5th, sent as directed with E.M. Morse's.—If better in your parcel say so in next letter. John King, Esq., 27th, 5s. E. M. Morse, 27th, 10s. Rev. P. F. Murray, 24th, 20s. Asaph Whitman, 24th, 25s. Rev. James L. Read, 15th. H. P. Guilford, 27th. J. C. Anderson, Esq., 15th. H. E. Payson, Esq., 20th. W. H. Richan, 22nd. Rev. James Reid, 26th.—Books sent.—All right. Alex. Meldrum. Rev. E. Angell. Israel Harding, Esq., 26th, 5s. for books to Rev. A. Shields.—Sent. L. Morse, 30th. D. C. Landers, Esq., 20th. M. L. W. Reuben Chase, Esq., 25th. R. H. Crowell, 1st, 4s. 6d.—All right.—The work you name is not yet published. Rev. A. McKay, 4th. R. G. Freeman, 5th, 1 sub. Abraham Spinney, 3rd. Alex. Thomas, 1st. Rev. D. W. C. Dimock, 3rd, 20s.—Yes. Thomas, 1st. Rev. Henry Hall, 26th.—Much obliged for information concerning irregularities of your papers.—We now send yours and your son's in the parcel to Rev. W. Chipman.—Shall be glad to find them more regular, and to send the others for Long Point same way if desired. W. H. DeWolfe, 31st, 2 subs. Rev. J. C. Hurd, 28th, 10s.—Plenty of room still. J. W. Bars, Esq., 30th, £3 12s. 6d., 1 sub. J. Gourley & Co., 4th. Evangelist Jones, 4th. Stearns Dimock, 5th.—You have the letter. Rev. W. Chipman, 6th, 1 sub, 20s. W. Armstrong, Esq., 4th, 15s.—Capt. B. all right.—Yours to Feb. 1, 1860. D. O. Parker, 7th. J. Dimock, 5th, 1 sub.

NOTICES.

ACADIA COLLEGE.

The Quarterly Examination of the Classes will take place on Thursday and Friday, the 20th and 21st inst., commencing each day at nine o'clock, A. M.

There will be a Rhetorical Exhibition on Friday Evening, the 21st inst., when Orations will be delivered by members of the Junior and Sophomore Classes. To commence at seven o'clock. J. M. CRAMP, President.

Acadia College, Dec. 5, 1860.

HORTON ACADEMY.

The half yearly examination of the Classes in Horton Academy will take place on Friday, the 21st inst. There will be two Sessions from 9 1/2 till 12, and from 1 1/2 till 4. The afternoon Session will be given chiefly to the English branches and Declamation. The friends of Education are cordially invited to be present.

A. S. HUNT, Secretary.

The next Quarterly meeting in Kings County will be held with the Church at Upper Aylesford, to commence on Thursday, 27th of December.

Ministerial Conference at 3 o'clock, and a public Missionary meeting at 7 P. M.

E. O. READ, Secretary.

Gasperaux, Dec. 3rd, 1860.

ERRATUM.—IN "EXEGESIS," C.M. Nov. 21st, p. 372, col. 2nd, paragraph 3rd, a line of the MS. was omitted. The sentence should read thus:—As the phrase 'kingdom of heaven,' or 'kingdom of God,' which is identical (Matth. xi. 2, Luke vii. 28) is frequently used to denote the kingdom of glory, (Matth. v. 10, vii. 21, Mar. ix. 47, 1 Cor. xi. 50) there is no decisive objection against this view.

ERRATUM.—In the list of names from Gasperaux in the report of the Home Missionary Society. I see the omission of a subscriber, viz: Sherman D. Bayer, \$1.

F. O. READ.

Marriages.

On the 4th inst., by the Rev. Thomas Jardine, Mr. John Woodman, to Miss Emma Jane Forbes, both of Halifax.

In Salem Chapel, on the 29th ult., by the Rev. J. C. Cochran, Corporal Robert Thompson, R. A., to Miss Ellen Weston, of this city.

At Truro, on the 6th inst., by the Rev. Joseph Forsyth, assisted by the Rev. J. W. Forsyth; W. S. Tremain, Esq., M. D., of Halifax, to Sarah Gardner, eldest daughter of the late John Johnson, Esq., of Truro.

At Windsor, on the 22nd of Nov., by the Rev. Thomas Maynard, Rector, Jedediah Shaw, Esq., Emma, daughter of Bennet Smith, Esq., Windsor.

At Pownal, P. E. Island, on the 28th ult., by the Rev. Roland Morton, Mr. John Robert Moore, of that place, to Mary Jane, second daughter of Mr. John Ward, of Chelsea, Lunenburg County, N. S.

At Billtown, on the 3rd inst., by the Rev. A. McKay, Mr. John Webster Half, of Berwick, to Miss Clara Amelia Rockwell, of Billtown.

At Greenfield, Nov. 1st 1860, by the Rev. J. F. McKenne, Mr. Joseph M. Freeman, of Pleasant River, to Miss Abigail Freeman of Greenfield.

Sept. 16th, by the Rev. J. B. Clark, at the residence of the bride's Sisters, Mr. Horace Norton, of Swanscott Mts., to Lavinia L. Porter, of Paradise, County of Annapolis, N. S.

At the house of the bride's father, at Hammonds Plains, on the 1st Dec., by the Rev. T. H. Porter, Mr. Jacob Haverstock, to Naomi A. Thomson.

Also, at the Baptist Chapel, 2nd Hammonds Plains. By the same, Dec. 2nd., Mr. William Allison, to Miss Hannah Allison, all of the above place.

Deaths.

On Saturday, Sarah, wife of Mr. George Maxwell, aged 55 years.

On Tuesday evening, after a short illness, Mr. Wells Boardwell, in the 48th year of his age.

On Wednesday, 5th inst., of consumption, Miss Ellen Tully, aged 27 years.

On Wednesday last, aged 81 years, Mrs. Mary Brown, widow of the late Wm. Brown.

On the 2nd December, after a lingering illness, Robert Dalruple, in the 39th year of his age.

On Thursday night, Catherine Cecelia, youngest child of Dr. Benjamin G., and Elizabeth Page, aged one year.

On Monday 3rd, Mary Lodge, aged 22 years. At Dartmouth, on the 7th inst., of consumption, Annie, third daughter of the late Benjamin Elliott, aged 23 years. At Maitland, North Hants, on the 28th ult., Harriet Smith, daughter of Isiah and Martin Smith; and on the 29th, of sore throat, a fine promising child of the same parents, aged 5 years and 3 months. At Berwick, 4th inst., Frances, relict of the late A. G. Fraser, Esq., and daughter of W. N. Silver, Esq. At Duntulm House, Baddeck, on the 23rd Nov., of scarletina, Alfred Colin, fifth son of C. J. Campbell, Esq., aged 3 years and 9 months. On the 13th ult., Gay's River, William Towell Penny, aged 35 years. At Shubenacadie, on the 13th ult., Henry Havelock, youngest son of Charles and Margaret Drysdale, aged one year and six months.



Affections of the Throat. From the Rev. S. J. P. Anderson, Pastor of the Central Church, St. Louis. "I have been in the habit of using Brown's Bronchial Troches, or Lozenges, when compelled to speak though suffering from cold. They are very beneficial in clearing the throat, having no injurious tendencies of any kind. I can confidently recommend them to public speakers generally. "I heartily unite in the above commendation."—Rev. M. Schuyler, Rector of Christ Church, St. Louis (Agents, G. E. Morton & Co., Halifax.

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Shipping List.

Arrived.

MONDAY, 3rd.—Schrs Shooting Star, Ritcey, Lahave—G Fraser & Co; Magnet, Day, Boston 4 ds; Planet, Kenney, do via Shelburne—P Power & Co; Avon, Wilson, Barrington. TUESDAY, 4th.—Bark Halifax, O'Brien, Boston 33 hours; J M Watson & Co, and others—25 passenger; brig Latina, Mann, Antigua 15 days; schrs Morning Light, Leg, Boston 4 days; Thomas Bagley, McConnell, Philadelphia 7 days—J A Moore. WEDNESDAY, 5th.—R M Steamer Delta, Hunter, St. Thomas via Bermuda 4 days; brig Volant, Lorrway, Sydney; schrs Volunteer, Herman, Philadelphia; Shooting Star, Lahave; Vigilant, do; James McNab, Walsh, Newfoundland—Thomas S. Tobin; Ocean Wave, Bay of Islands Nfld 7 days; Zebra, Newfoundland—bound to Boston; Spey, Campbell, Newfoundland—bound to Boston; John Bell, do; General Washington, Canso; Dolphin, Delong, Pictou, bound to Boston; brig John Duffus, Forrest, do; do; three masted schr Lady Margaret, Marmad, Sydney—bound to Boston; J C Miller, Lunenburg; (Am.) schr Flying Cloud, Diggins, Bay of Islands, Nfld, bound to Eastport, Maine; put in for a harbor, having experienced very heavy weather. THURSDAY, 6th.—Schrs Mulgrave, Ryan, Mayaguez via Turks Island; Celery, Lunenburg; Brilliant Star, Port Medway. SATURDAY, 8th.—Schrs Virgin, and Pursue, Sydney; brig Loanna, New York, 7 days, S. A. White & Co. SUNDAY, 9th.—Brigs Onward, Gammon, Mayaguez, 18 days—to G H Starr & Co; Linnet, Sydney; Ann, Brennan, Sydney; Henry Boudroit, Sydney; C W Wright, St Mary's—with cargo of schrs Mary, hence for Bay Chaleur; Clara, Ozone, Bay St George to W Lawson; Hero of Kings, McPhee, Nfld—to T S Tobin; Harriet Newall, Shaw, Cape Breton; 4 days; Margaret, Odell, Sydney, 4 days; Norman Hall, Littlewood, P. E. Island, 5 days—to W. J. Coleman. MONDAY, 10th.—Steamer Merlin, Sampson, St John's, Nfld via Sydney—reports stormy weather on the passage; Brig Mary Ann, Balcom, Sydney, 5 days; Ospray, Balzeley, Nfld, 9 days; Perseverance, McDaniels, P E Island, 5 days.

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