

On Saturday morning the Session was occupied with various matters of interest and brought to close about two o'clock in the afternoon...

"Philology and Criticism."

Morning Chronicle, 23rd Aug.

How much wisdom, after all, is to be gained out of a Dictionary! What a novel piece of information is afforded by our neighbour of the Chronicle, that a Dissenter means "One who refuses the Communion of the English Church..."

In England, where the Law has established a dominant church, the meaning of Dissenter is well-defined and known, as Dissenters have often found to their heavy cost. It was long used by vast numbers of good churchmen, and still is, by not a few, as a term of inferiority, if not of reproach.

The Editor of the Chronicle must pardon our obtuseness in not being quite able to comprehend the wit of his closing paragraphs, and must pity or laugh at our dullness, as suits him best.

Try again Mr. M. C. and see if you cannot tell us a little more distinctly who you mean when you speak of "Dissenters" in Nova Scotia.

We cheerfully comply with the request of the Eastern Association and publish their Circular Letter on our fifth page. It is a very valuable document, and will be read with profit, we believe, by our brethren of the other Associations also.

News Summary.

It is asserted in many of the European papers, that the late insurrections and massacres in Syria are but the partial breaking out of a wide-spread conspiracy throughout the Mahomedan communities in Eastern countries to exterminate the numerous sects and bodies of Christians that are intermingled with and reside among them.

THE AMERICAN PRESS IN THE PROVINCES.—The representatives of The American Press have been excellently and hospitably treated throughout their travels in the Provinces, after the Prince. At Halifax the members of the Government invited us to their houses.

From the Press.

Mr. John Jackson, publisher of the Callis Advertiser, writes: I know it to be all its recommended; having used it in my family for six or seven years.

Every mother and housekeeper must often act as a family physician in the numerous illnesses and accidents that occur among children and servants. For many of these cases, Davis's Pain Killer, is an indispensable article.

PERRY DAVIS'S PAIN KILLER.—This medicine has become an article of commerce—a thing no medicine ever became before. Pain Killer is as much an item in every bale of goods sent to country merchants, as Tea, Coffee or Sugar.

DAVIS'S VEGETABLE PAIN KILLER.—Notwithstanding the many imitations of this article, and many other medicines in the market pretending to answer the same purpose, yet the sale of Perry Davis, Vegetable Pain Killer is more than the whole of them put together.

Agents in Halifax.—Geo. E. Morton & Co., Avery, Brown & Co., and Morton & Cogswell.

Rare Opportunity.

ISAAC HALE, Jr. & Co., Newburyport, Mass., will employ Males and Females to act as local or travelling agents. Those now in their employ average from \$30 to \$80 per month.

Ayer's Cathartic Pills.

Are now so well known, it is hardly necessary to recount their virtues. The reputation they have acquired in these provinces is but an example of that which they have now for themselves in almost every section of the Old as well as the New World.

MORTON & COGSWELL, Agents, 6m.

Commercial.

HALIFAX MARKETS.

Table listing market prices for various goods including Flour, Indian Corn, Bread, Butter, Coffee, Tea, Molasses, Beef, Pork, Codfish, Salmon, Mackerel, Herring, Alewives, Haddock, Leather, Bar Iron, Hoop, Nails, Lumber, Coal, and Fire Wood.

PRICES AT THE FARMER'S MARKET, AUG. 20.

Table listing prices for fresh beef, oatmeal, oats, apples, potatoes, veal, lamb, mutton, pork, bacon, butter, cheese, calf-skins, yarn, eggs, chickens, ducks, turkeys, geese, homespun cloth, and cotton wool.

Letters Received. Will be acknowledged next week.

NOTICES.

According to the resolution passed at the Western Association that the pastors and churches be requested to take up collections for the French Mission on the first Lords day in September, I hereby notify the brethren of the request.

HENRY ANGELL.

Sec of French Mission Board.

August 21st, 1860.

A Ten Meeting will be held on Wednesday the 3rd of October, at Lower Newport, to finish the Baptist Meeting house. A Refreshment Table will be furnished, to commence at 2 o'clock.

Tea-meeting at Kempt.

The ladies of the Kempt Baptist Church and congregation purpose holding a Tea-meeting and Sale of articles on the 27th of September, 1860, to aid in the building of our new House of Worship.

JOSEPH D. MARSTERS.

Kempt, Black Rock Neighbourhood, August 13th, 1860.

Tea-meeting &c. at New Germany.

The ladies of the Baptist Church and Congregation of New Germany purpose holding a Bazaar on Thursday, the 13th day of September. The proceeds of Sale will be appropriated towards finishing the new chapel, now in course of erection on Prince William St., New Germany.

Donations in favour of the above object will be thankfully received and faithfully appropriated by the Committee.

Mrs. Mary Nichols, Eliza Webber, Elizabeth Lantz, Mary A. Bars, Catherine Haley.

Managing Committee.

Tea-meeting at Greenfield.

The ladies of Greenfield purpose holding a Tea-meeting on the 5th of September, 1860, to raise funds for the completion of the Baptist Meeting-house now in course of erection, and furnishing the inside. They hope that the friends will give a good attendance on that occasion.

Tickets, two shillings and sixpence; to be obtained at the door. Those under sixteen, seven pence half-penny.

Ministering brethren and others are expected to address the meeting. Greenfield, August 9, 1860.

ACADEA COLLEGE.

The next Term will commence on Monday, Sept 3. The roll will be called in the Library at ten o'clock, A. M.

Candidates for matriculation are requested to present themselves for examination on Saturday, Sept. 1, at ten o'clock, A. M.

Persons desirous of entering for the English Course, or for any partial Course, are requested to be present at the same time. J. M. CRAMP, President. Acadia College, August 11, 1860.

Marriages.

At Shelburne, on the 15th inst., by the Rector, N. W. White, Esq., Barrister, to Mary, third daughter of Joshua Snow, Esq.

On Tuesday last, by the Rev. John Hunter, Mr. William Mason, of Scotland, to Isabella, third daughter of the late Charles Hill, Esq.

On Saturday, 18th inst., by the Rev. Joseph Forsythe, at Economy, Colchester, John Stubs, Esq., Barrister at Law, to Helen Grant, youngest daughter of Silas H. Crane, Esq.

On the 9th inst., by the Rev. Mr. Bullock, Captain William Doat, to Alice Ryder, only daughter of Mr. George Ryder, all of this city.

At Christ Church, Windsor, on the 16th inst., by the Rev. W. B. King, Rector of Parrsboro', assisted by the Rev. the Rector of the Parish and the Rev. J. I. Hill, Rector of Newport, Frederick Allison, Esq., son of the late Hon. Joseph Allison, of Halifax, to Sarah Blowers, third daughter of Harry King, Esq., D. C. L.

At Yarmouth June 24th, by Rev. Henry Angell, Mr. Jacob Lauders, to Miss Nancy Cain, both of Yarmouth.

August 2nd, Mr. James Robertson, to Miss Phebe J. Cossar, both of Yarmouth.

August 8th, Mr. Joseph R. Kinney, of Yarmouth, to Miss Adeline E. Ritchie, of Annapolis.

August 18th, Mr. James M. Davis, of Oswego state of New York, to Miss Catherine Bremner, of Yarmouth.

Deaths.

On the 21st inst., after a lingering illness, Charles Wm. Sport, aged 49 years.

At the residence of his brother, D. H. Clarke, Port William, Cornwallis, on the 17th inst., of consumption, Benjamin St. Clair, youngest son of the late James Stewart Clarke, Esq., aged 20 years.

At Dartmouth, on the 22nd instant, Elizabeth Ellis, daughter of Charles and Eliza Mott, aged 7 weeks.

At Tufts Cove, on Thursday evening, Alice Matilda, third daughter of Matilda and William Craig, Junr., aged 1 year and 8 months.

At Macan, Co. Cumberland, on the 8th inst., Emily, third daughter of William and Elizabeth Harrison, aged 21 years and 3 months.

At Charlottetown, P. E. Island, on Monday morning last, very suddenly, in the 20th year of her age, deeply regretted by a large circle of relatives and friends, Mary Isabella, eldest daughter of T. B. Tremain, Esq., of that city. The deceased young lady attended Church twice on Sunday last, and retired to bed in her usual health, and expired in bed in a few hours after. "In the midst of life we are in death."

At his residence, Still Water, St. Mary's, County of Guysborough, on Wednesday morning, 9th ult., Doctor Henry Elliot, a native of Kingsale, Ireland, in the 71st year of his age.

At the Boschetto, Malta, on the 5th July, aged 26, after a protracted illness, Sarah Elizabeth, the beloved wife of James Stephen, Esq., M. A., Naval Instructor, Royal Navy, and daughter of J. V. Allen, Esq., Royal Engineer Department.

Portraits of the Prince of Wales with Engravings of the Royal Family of England just received at the News Agency of G. E. Morton & Co.

WHAT THEY SAY IN ENGLAND.—The "News of the World" with an account of the voyage of the Prince of Wales in H. M. S. Hero and the Prince's progress in the Provinces, may be obtained, on arrival of the Mail Steamer at the News Agency of G. E. Morton & Co. Granville street where may also be had Portraits of the Prince—the Royal Family, &c.

Subscriptions taken for all London Periodicals.

A case Toilet Requisites.—Burnett's Cocaine for the Hair, Burnett's Oriental wash for the teeth, Burnett's Kallistoa for the complexion, Burnett's Florinol for the hand-kerchief, Also—Rowlands Ontario for the teeth, Rowlands Macassar Oil for the hair, Sander's Broom of Nino for the face, Glycerine Wash for chapped hands, Delusian's Restorative for the hair, Boddgett's Persian Balm for shaving, Rimmel's Benzoline for cleaning gloves, Sander's Fragrant Sachets for wardrobes, Hooper's Silver Pills to sweeten the breath, Mason's Alpine Balm and Hair Dresser, Herring's Magnetic Hair Brushes and Combs At the Medical Warehouse of G. E. Morton & Co. Observe the address—39 Granville Street.

Shipping List.

Arrived.

MONDAY, 20th.—H. M. Steam Gun-boat Jasper, Com. Pym, West Indies; bark Florence, Toy, Hull, 58 days—bound to Bridgeport, U.S.; brig Margaret Elizabeth, McDougall, Boston 3 day; schrs Luna, Wilson, St John, N B 5 days; Brothers, Gallop, Newfoundland; Isabella, Hadley, Guysboro 4 days; Princess Louisa, Labrador 12 days; Ruby, do 17 days; John, do 14 days; Good Intent, Bay Chaleur.

TUESDAY, 21st.—R. M. steamer Arabia, Stone, Liverpool via Queenstown 9 days—144 passengers; schrs Durham Chadsey, Ragged Islands—G Fraser & Co; Agile, Vogler, Labrador 8 days—do; brig Boston, O'Brien, Boston 3 days—J. M. Watson & Co. & others.

WEDNESDAY, 22nd.—Brig Rover, Morrison, St. John, P. R. 15 days—G. & A. Mitchell & Co; brig Annis Geldert, Cochran, New York 7 days; schrs G. J. Z., Hewitt, Labrador 14 days; Ida, McAlpine, Cape Breton; Lark, Newfoundland 15 days.

THURSDAY, 23rd.—Steamer Eastern State, Crosby, Boston via Yarmouth 2 days—32 passengers.

FRIDAY, 24th.—R. M. Steamer Europa, Little, Boston 40 hours—43 passengers, 9 for Halifax; brig Velocipede, Inagua 19 days; bark Joseph Dexter, Shaw, Baltimore—J. A. Moren, schrs Gem, Welton, St. Andrews 7 days; Julia, Simpson, St. John, N. B.

SATURDAY, 25th.—Schrs Lark, O'Brien, Bay Chaleur 15 days; J. Cochran & Son; Vived, Dickson, Labrador.

MONDAY, 27th.—Barque Stag, McKenzie, Demerara, 15 days, to Esson, Boak and Co.—left barque Alma, of Liverpool, N. S. to load for Cork; Schrs Panny Stuart, Lock, Annapolis, T. A. S. DeWolf; Magnet, Fye, Newfoundland, to S. F. Barrs; Laura, LeBlanc, Sydney.

Cleared.

MONDAY, 20th.—Rival Dunlop, Liverpool, N. S.; Allen, Kippens Newfoundland; brigts Jabez, Tuso, B. W. Indies; Margaret, Elizabeth, McDougall, Sydney.

TUESDAY, 11st.—R. M. steamer Arabia, Stone, Boston; bark Thames, Anthony, New Brunswick; ship Morning Star, McKenzie, Shediac; schrs George, Furney, Shelburne; Wave, Atwood, Newfoundland.

WEDNESDAY, 22nd.—Seraph, Cleaveland, Sheet Harbor; Messenger, McLean, do; Mary Jane, Quin, Newfoundland; Beverly, Blance, Fortune Bay, Nfld; Mazeppa, McDonald, Sydney; Wild Wave, Smith, Liverpool, N. S.; George O. Bigelow, Whittier, Porto Rico; John Tilton, Murphy, Newfoundland; Harriet Newall, Shaw, Cape Breton; Good Hope, Phillips, Philadelphia; brigts Africa, Lassen, Kingston, Jam; Dasher, Murphy, F. W. Indies.

THURSDAY, 23rd.—Jerome, Harding, B. W. Indies; Triumph, Sullivan, Port Medway; schrs Carrie, Gallagher, Canso and Guysboro; Nancy, Thomas, Boston; John and Amelia, Doyle, Newfoundland; R. M. steamers Europa, Little, Liverpool; Merlin, Gullford, Sydney and Newfoundland; Delta, Hunter, Bermuda and St. Thomas.

FRIDAY, 24th.—Sarah, Perry, Shelburne; Dove, Park, Port Medway; Chamois, Callan, Kingston, Ja; Margaret Ann, Thomas, Arichat; Amelia, Irish, McNair's Cove; Mechanic, Smith, Barrington; Flora, West Point, N. S.; Lima, William, Pictou, N. S.; John Smith, Smith, Liverpool G. B.

SATURDAY 25th.—Boston, Dickson, Boston; John Thomas, Lee, Lingan, C. B.; William and Mary, Philpot, Strait Canso; R. O'Brien, Hartigan, Boston; Lark, Frank, Nfld.

For Sale.

THE TWO STORY DWELLING HOUSE with outhouse, &c., attached, the property of the late James Reid.

The above property is pleasantly situated adjoining the Temperance Hall, and near the Baptist Chapel.

For Particulars apply to the Subscriber on the premises.

MARY A. REID.

Wolfville, July 9th, 1860.

Ayer's Cathartic Pills