

likeways. The publication in St. John of the Brussels Street Juvenile Missionary matter has been objected to by parties concerned in publishing here on the ground that it is a local affair and would not interest New Brunswick readers generally.

Henthada, British Burmah, January 27th, 1860.

Will you please accept my most hearty thanks, and convey the same to each and all of the Society who have thus strengthened my hands and put it in my power to kindle one more light to shine in one more of the dark places of heathen Burmah.

House, \$30.00
Annual support, 82.00
Do. traveling expenses about 18.00

Total, 130.00

Oh you can't think how it cheers the Missionary to know that there are those at home who remember him for his work's sake, and find pleasure in aiding and co-operating with him.

Believe me ever faithfully,
Your Christian brother,
A. R. R. CRAWLEY.

Here is a Society composed of children, carried on by children, the Offices filled by lads from 12 to 21 years of age. They meet on the first Tuesday in every month to transact their business, have their Collectors from among themselves, collect the Subscriptions every month, and the amount collected one year was nearly half that collected by the Western Baptist Home Missionary Society.

I like Brother "Progress's" remarks in the Messenger of the 9th inst. very much; though

I think there might be a slight improvement. Instead of annual county Conventions, let there be one Annual Provincial Sabbath School Convention and Quarterly County Conventions, with a Secretary in each County to gather the necessary statistics, and report to the Annual Meetings, and at these quarterly meetings the Officers, Teachers and friends of the Sabbath Schools can meet together and discuss all questions tending to the improvement of our Schools;

JAS. E. MASTERS.
St. John, N. B., May 25th, 1860.

For the Christian Messenger.

Obituary Notices.

GEORGE WOOLVER, ESQ.,

Died at Hantsport, on the 15th of February, 1860, aged 45. Mr. Woolver was born in Newport, Hants County. His unassuming manner, the purity of his character, the wisdom and prudence of his judgement gained for him the deserved esteem and confidence of all who knew him.

W. B.

CAPT. PELEG HOLMES,

Of Lockhartville, Lower Horton, died in Halifax, March 20th, aged 53 years. He had been many months from home, and was shipwrecked on one of the West India Islands, where he suffered many privations and hardships with the total loss of his vessel.

MRS. MARY ANN RICE.

Died of consumption at West Dalhousie, May the 6th. Mrs. Mary Ann, wife of Mr. Wm. Rice, aged 46. She was for many years and up to the time of her death, a member of the Baptist Church.

MISS EMILY WHITMAN,

Died at Rosette, Annapolis, April 21st., Miss Emily Whitman, daughter of the late Mr. John Whitman, in the 30th year of her age. She was a member of the Baptist Church here; her deportment as a Christian professor was uniformly consistent.

MR. ASAPH RICE,

Died near Bridgetown, May 11. Mr. Asaph Rice, aged 82. Bro. Rice was over 60 years a professor of religion and during that period, a member of the Baptist Church here. He was baptized by the late Thos. H. Chipman.

ners and gave God the glory of his salvation. As death approached our venerable brother had no terrors—death was welcome; he desired to depart and be with his Saviour. His end was peaceful and happy.

MR. HARRY HILL.

Died near Bridgetown, May the 15th, Mr. Harry Hill, aged 67. Bro. Hill was a worthy and consistent member of the Baptist Church in this place. He was attentive and faithful in the performance of religious duties.

Religious Intelligence.

For the Christian Messenger.

ST. MARGARET'S BAY.—Dear Editor.—The readers of your valuable paper are ever pleased to learn of the success attending efforts which are put forth for the advancement of the Redeemer's kingdom.

The letter from the Rev. Mr. Hurd, being all that has yet appeared, renders it desirable I think that something further should be forwarded for insertion in our denominational organ to show what has resulted from efforts made by the Church in connection with myself for the promotion of the cause of truth.

I passed the months of February and March in preaching and visiting from house to house, when it was evident that God was about to manifest his power.

It was cheering to witness the crowds that assembled to hear the story of Calvary, and to hear many resolve to seek salvation.

The Brethren generally were much revived, and in addition as many as twenty one were approved as candidates for Church membership.

I received from the Brethren and friends, by way of remuneration, substantial tokens of Christian regard for which I desire to render grateful acknowledgment.

Respectfully yours,
P. R. FOSTER.

Cornwallis, May 26th, 1860.

At the annual meeting of the Baptist Tract Society held in Russell-square, London, on April 26th, 1860, the Rev. Mr. Lehmann, of Berlin, said.—As the time allowed to each speaker is only fifteen minutes, I will confine my remarks to a simple testimony as a witness, as connected with my history and experience.

THE SOCIAL EVIL.—THANKSGIVING MEETING.—Last night a thanksgiving meeting, consequent on the success which has attended the midnight meeting movement, was held at the Freemasons' Hall London.

Colonial & Foreign News.

New Brunswick.

The Railway between St. John and Shediac it is said will be open for traffic in July.

The Trustees of the Sackville Academy are purposing to enlarge the building for the Female Department.

SMALL POX.—This disease has not yet been wholly conquered in St. John. It is prevailing severely along the straight shore.

A dead whale was found at Sackville, N. B. on the 25th ult., floating up and down the river, under the covered bridge at that place. It measured 45 feet long, 9 feet across the tail, and is expected to yield 20 barrels of oil.

The Free C. Baptist Meeting House at Coverdale, generally known as the "Five Point Meeting House," with all its contents, including Bibles, Hymn-books, Sabbath School Library, has been entirely consumed by fire.

FIRE AT PRESQUE ILE.—Twenty buildings burned. Loss twenty thousand dollars. Fires burning in the woods for some days came down on the village, (wind, N. W.) with irresistible force on Sunday. Six families turned out of doors. All the north part of the village in ashes.

WELLINGTON MINING COMPANY.—The News says in reference to the property of this Company:—The coal is bituminous and of a superior description—the vein is ten feet in thickness. We believe this is the first coal discovered in Albert County fit for burning purposes.

Canada.

The Governor General has directed two guns captured from the Russians to be sent to London C. W.

A bill has passed the Canadian Legislature compelling all Foreign Insurance Companies and Agencies to make deposits with the Government.

On Sunday, a son of the late Dr. Macklin, of Chippawa, and nephew of the Hon. Thomas C. Street, fell into the river and was carried over the Niagara Falls.

The first sod of the proposed Crystal Palace in Hamilton, was turned by Mr. McKinstry, Mayor, on Thursday with great ceremony. A champagne lunch followed.

Some scoundrels in Montreal, on Saturday, induced a little boy, whom they had taken from home, to drink a large quantity of whiskey, from the effects of which he died next day.

Mr. Zimmerman's house at Niagara Falls, now owned by the Bank of Upper Canada, is being renovated and prepared for the Prince's reception, who, with his suite, are expected to occupy it a week.

The night before last a man named Michael Burns, intoxicated at the time, fell into the canal basin, near Montreal, and was rescued with great difficulty by Chief Constable M'Laughlin, and some other persons.

The Fall Wheat in Puslinch and in the neighbourhood of Guelph looks fresh and healthy. It appears to have passed through the trying ordeal to which it has been subject during the past month without serious injury.—Guelph Advertiser

In the Canadian Parliament on the 15th inst., the project of severing the political connection of Upper and Lower Canada, was brought to a test vote, when it was rejected by a two majority. The Lower Canada members were unanimous against the measure, and were joined by two of the Upper Canada members.

AN ITEM FOR TEMPERANCE MEN.—The Quebec correspondent of the London Liberator says that Mr. Brown, during the delivery of his great speech last week, was repeatedly interrupted by the Attorney General East, who was intoxicated, and was obliged several times to appeal to the Speaker, to silence that gentleman. Canada ought to be proud of little "Vindsor."

There was probably never more building going on about Montreal than at present. Dwelling houses are going up in all directions, many of them of a very superior class. There is also a good deal of tree planting this spring in the streets and squares, but most of it is so ill-done, that the trees cannot be expected to live. We see more pains bestowed on the trees planting in Montreal Square.—Witness.

Mr. Nelles, the Principal of Victoria College, while driving out with his wife and child to Baltimore, on Sabbath day last, was upset by the breaking of the back strap of the buggy. Mrs. Nelles was severely injured in the shoulder, the child escaped unhurt. Mr. Nelles's leg caught in one of the wheels and was unfortunately fractured. He was dragged some distance along the road before he could extricate himself.

The citizens of Montreal are making extensive preparations for a grand reception to the Prince of Wales: They do it all by subscriptions, in the nature of contributions to a joint stock company, a certain sum being fixed upon for a share, the subscribers having votes for directors, according to their number of shares, and tickets for the festivities in return for their subscriptions. In this way a large amount of money has been raised.—Col.