

The Hardware merchants have agreed to adopt the Decimal currency and the ton of 2000 lbs.

MELANCHOLY SHIPWRECK.—A vessel arrived at Salem, reports that to N. N. E. of Bermuda, saw a steamer on fire; bore down to her—heard cries of the people on board but could not get near enough to save them; kept in the neighborhood for two days, but did not succeed in falling in with any of the crew or passengers. Passed boxes of remains of oranges, and puncheons apparently rum. The vessel was built of iron.—Reading Room Slate.

New Brunswick.

A man named Hogan was run over by the Woodstock Stage in Prince William and almost instantly killed.

The train of cars on the St. Andrews line ran off the track on Wednesday, last week. Two men were seriously injured and much property was destroyed.

Mr. Reynolds has asked permission on certain conditions to lay down a horse railroad in the streets of St. John. No answer has yet been given.

Two St. John ships were lately sold in Liverpool G. B. one for £9 7s. 6d. and the other for £8s 17 6d per ton.

The penalty of Death passed on Johnson Bean for rape has been commuted. The same sentence passed on Mumford for murder it is said will be carried into effect.

Letters Received.

Geo. DeChamp, 15th, 20s. Rev. H. P. Gufford, 17th, James E. Potter, Esq., 18th, 1 sub. W. Sabeau, 15th, 20s. Rev. P. F. Murray, 17th, 20s. Ward Eaton, Esq., 18th, 20s.—All the others are right. E. Eisenhaur, 14th, Abel Strong, 20th, 1 sub. C. T. McKee, 7th, M. Sibly, 19th, Nelson Strong, 10s. per R. N. Beckwith. Rev. Jas. Reid, 25th, 25s.—Mrs. C. half. Jas. Faulkner, 17th, 20s. Jeremiah Frost, 20th, £2.—All right. J. G. Morton, 24th, D. D. Nicholls, 18th, £2. D. O. Parker, 24th, I. McNayr, Esq., 17th, 35s. James Starratt, 21st, 20s. Rev. Dr. Tupper, 19th, 20s. Rev. H. Eagles, 23rd. Rev. A. S. Hunt. Asaph Marshall, 21st, 20s. Rev. D. B. Pineo. Rev. T. A. Higgins, 24th. Rev. M. Ross, £2 5s. P. E. I. Rev. W. G. Parker, 23rd, 1 sub. W. Churchill, 20th, £6. J. P. bal. £2 10s.; also 22nd. (Name omitted), Digby, 21st, 35s. Wellesley G. Gates, 20th, 1 sub. H. E. Payson, Esq., 22nd, £5. Thomas Delaney, 26th. Christopher Jost, Esq., £4. Dr. J. L. Chipman, 19th. Albert J. Hill, 18th, 5s. Rev. J. J. Skinner, 24th. David S. Hall, 26th. M. L. W., 26th. Rev. J. Chase, 25th, 10s. David Elbridge, 25th. Richard Clark, 25th, 20s. Rev. H. Angell, 26th, 20s. Rev. E. N. Harris, 27th. R. McLearn, per G. Creed, 30s. John Bradshaw, 28th, £3 1s. 3d. Rev. A. F. Porter, 25th, 1 sub. George Hubley, 25th, 20s. W. Faulkner, Esq., 29th. Prince W. Crowell, 26th. S. Fitch, Esq., 26th. Joseph D. Masters, 27th, £2. Capt. Joseph Rogers, 25th, 1 sub., £2. W. H. DeWolf, 15th, 1 sub., 25s.

Notice.—We have not had time during the past week to go through our account books for the purpose of marking those so far in arrears as to make it necessary to strike their names from our list. This will account for some such receiving their papers as usual. And of those who are taken off, and consequently do not receive their paper as usual, if they desire to resume, we shall be glad to replace their names and supply the missing numbers on payment of arrearages.

NOTICES.

The Foreign Missionary Board will meet, (D. V.) in the Bethel, Tremont, Aylesford, on Thursday, Jan. 8th, at 1 o'clock, P. M. Members will please attend.

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. 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.

P K

The call for Perry Davis' Pain Killer is increasing so very rapidly that I fear I shall soon be unable to keep pace with it. My object in writing now is to beg that on receipt of this you will kindly despatch another shipment, as ordered in my letter of June last.

Mr. Perry Davis—Sir: I have used, in my family, your medicine called "Pain Killer," for many purposes, and have found it a very useful and valuable article. I therefore very cheerfully recommend it to the public regards.

REV. HENRY CLARK.

Sometime in December last, my children were taken down with scarlet fever, or canker rash—my only medicine was Davis' Pain Killer and Oyster Oil, the Pain Killer operating to a charm in cutting the canker, and throwing out the rash, so that in about five weeks my family were entirely recovered.

CORNELIUS G. VANDENBURG, Saretoga prings. Having used Perry Davis' Vegetable Pain Killer in my family during the winter past, I would urge its generally use for the purposes for which the inventor has recommended it. I think it invaluable, and would not like to be deprived of its advantages.

E. G. POMEROY, S. Louis.

Agents in Halifax.—Geo. E. Morton & Co., Avery, Brown & Co., and Morton & Cogswell. Dec. 26. 2w in

Facts worth knowing.—Johnston's Liniment. Is the best known remedy for Rheumatism, Neuralgia, Contusions, Spasms, Bruises, Cuts, Wounds, Burns, Scalds, Chilblains, Chapped Hands, and Sore Lips. This is decidedly preferable to any other Liniment or Pain Killer as an external application. MORTON & COGSWELL, Hollis St, Halifax, and by all Druggists. Nov 11 Im

Read the following from the well-known Captain of the Steamer Fulton: NEW ORLEANS, 3rd Oct., 1859.

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, Ms. as MORTON & COGSWELL, Agents, Oct. 3 6m.

Marriages.

On Christmas evening, by the Rev. John Brewster Mr. George Hawkins, of Eastern Passage, to Miss Elizabeth Kooze, of Halifax. On the 20th inst., Capt. Edwin Fry, of St. John, N. B., to Miss Sarah L. D. Cahoon, of Port Medway. At Salem Chapel, 27th ult., by the Rev. J. C. Cochran, Mr. Henry Busch, of Chester, to Miss Mary Victoria, daughter of the late Capt. William Skinner, of Halifax. At Truro, on the 20th ult., at St. John's Church by the Rev. F. Forsythe, assisted by Rev. J. W. Forsythe, George Campbell, of Truro, Barrister, to Sarah, eldest daughter of the late John Ross, Esq., of Truro. At Truro, on the 22nd ult., by the Rev. T. H. Davies, Mr. Alexander James Sreete, of Ishganish, Colchester, to Miss Mary Ann Wilson, of Halifax. At Chester, on the 24th ult., by the Rev. Charles J. Shreve, Mr. George Garrett, to Miss Elizabeth Dominey, both of Chester. At the Baptist Parsonage, Sackville, Dec. 28th, by Rev. T. H. Porter, Mr. Charles H. Graves, to Miss Catharine Butler, both of St. Margarets Bay. At Salmon River, Dec. 26th by the Rev. A. F. Porter, Mr. Daniel Spanks, to Miss Susan Maria Dickey, third daughter of Mr. James Dickey. At Paradise, Annapolis Co., on the 20th ult., by the Rev. N. Vidito, Mr. William E. Starret, eldest son of Capt. Simon Starratt, to Miss Susan Freeman, third daughter of Capt. Thomas Freeman. At Cornwallis, on the 25th ult., by the Rev. A. S. Hunt, Daniel Sanford of Pereaax, to Cunderella widow of the late Daniel McDonald, of Douglas, Hants Co. On the 5th inst., by the same, William Lawrence, of Windsor, to Eliza E. youngest daughter of the late William Crow, of Horton. On the 9th inst., by the same, David Jess, of Scotts Bay, to Mary, eldest daughter, of the late Jesse Brown, of St. Martins N. B. On Dec. 12th, by Rev. James Reid, Richard James Mackavoy, to Miss Ann Crane Gray, both of Lower Economy.

Deaths.

Suddenly, on Thursday, the 27th ult., at 5 o'clock Ellen, the beloved wife of William Jenkins, in the 49th year of her age, leaving a husband and six children, to mourn the loss of a kind and affectionate wife and mother. On Wednesday 26th ult., aged 64 years, Olivia, relict of the late George S. Wilson. On Wednesday morning, Harriet Atkins, the beloved wife of Mr. James Cogswell, in the 67th year of her age. At his residence, Wood-side, Dartmouth, on the 27th ult., the Honorable John E. Fairbanks, member of the Legislative Council of Nova Scotia, aged 68 years. On Thursday morning, Mr. Edward Longard, Senr., in the 70th year of his age. On Monday evening, Mary, the beloved wife of James Neville, aged 59 years. On Monday evening, Mr. Jacob Myers, third son of the late Jacob Myers, in the 45th year of his age. On Sunday, Mr. William Oldfield, 23rd ult., aged 68 years. On Tuesday 25th ult., after a short but severe illness, Mr. George Sinclair, aged 51 years. On the 21st at Dartmouth, Mr. James Skerry, in the 81st year of his age. On Wednesday 26th inst., Mrs. Maria Oakes, daughter of the late Robert Dickson, Sheriff of Annapolis, in the 66th year of her age. At Hammond's Plains, on Thursday evening, Mr. John Grennen, aged 84 years. At South East Passage, on the 16th ult., Lewis Edward Hall, in the 29th year of his age. On board the ship Glyceria, when off the Cape of Good Hope, on 12th August, 1860, Robert A. Campbell, of Arichat, C. B., son of Mr. J. S. Campbell, in the 26th year of his age. On Tuesday evening, after a lingering illness, Archibald Montgomery, youngest son of W. Cunnabell, aged 8 years. Although the casket moulders 'neath the sod, That rises gently o'er you little grave, The precious jewel rests secure with God Who only took from earth the gem he gave. "Blessed are they that mourn," so spoke the Saviour; "Thrice blessed, for they comforted shall be." O! Father! in this hour of tribulation, Teach bereaved ones to look up to thee! At Londonderry, on the 14th inst, Anne, only daughter of Henry and Margaret Urquhart, in the 17th year of her age, beloved and respected by all her acquaintance, "Her end was peace." At the Poor's Asylum, 20th Dec., James Miller, aged 56 years, a native of Londonderry N. S. At Coddies Harbour, Nov. 23rd 1860, Mr. John Manthorne, formerly of Liverpool N. S., in the 57th year of his age. At Givan Harbour, Cornwallis, Nov. the 26th, of Diphtheria, Eliza Jane, only daughter, of Willard and Eunice Ann Milberry, aged 14 years. "Her end was peace."

Peruvian Syrup. TRY IT.

N. B.—Discriptive pamphlets may be had gratis. Agents G. E. Morton & Co., Halifax. GIFT FOR THE SEASON.—A beautiful and seasonable gift is Rimmel's Perfumed Almanack for 1861—so portable as to be readily enclosed in a letter. 6d. stg., or free by mail for three stamps.

G. E. Morton & Co. Agents, Halifax, who supply all the British Almanacks and Magazines at Publishers' prices. N. B.—Drawing-room Portrait Gallery, and other gift volumes, just received per Europa.

Dyer's Healing Embrocation destroys pain, external and internal. Reader, don't be without it. If you become cut or bruise, use it; if you suffer from pain, rheumatism, sprains, stiff joints, &c., try it, and it will truly effect a cure.

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

Shipping List. PORT OF HALIFAX.

Arrived. Tuesday, 25th.—R M steamer Canada, Anderson, Liverpool via Queenstown 10 days—60 passengers, 25 for Halifax; brig Express, Frith, Inagua; schr Julia, Parsons, Gloucester—bound to Newfoundland; French schr Prompt, St Pierre 9 days—George H Starr & Co; brig Ornate, McCulloch, Kingston, Jam. Wednesday, 26th.—Schr John Siver, Tibbo, Newfoundland 9 days—T S Tobin; Annie, P E Island 18 days—bound to Providence, R I; Union, P E Island Thursday, 27th.—Schooner Matilda Hopewell, Ormister, Gabarouse and Sydney—R Noble & Sons, packet schr Friend, Westlaver, Lunenburg 9 hour Sylvia, Young, do 9 hours. Friday, 28th.—R M steamer Europa, Moodie, Boston 40 hours; was detained by strong head wind schooners Eleanor, Wall, Porto Rico 22 days; Bloomer, Canso. Saturday, 29th.—Schr Uncle Tom, Duffett, Newfoundland 2 days—T S Tobin. Cleared. Monday, 24th.—schr Dolphin, M , Fort Medway. Wednesday, 26th.—brig Eclipse, Rudolph, Cuba; brig Onward, Gammon, Ponce; R. M. steamer Canada, Anderson, Boston; schr Magenta, Reynolds, Boston Hood; Mulgrave, Romkey, Boston; Eliza Catherine, Martell, Sydney; Pandora, O'Neill, Strait, of Canso; Speedwell, Kinnon, Port Hood and Mabou; Smith Elridge, Chasson, Arichat; Amelia, Gerrof, do. Friday, 27th.—schr Volant, McNab, Newfoundland; Fanner, Lutes, Charlottetown, P E Island; Good Intent, Dillon, Cape Breton; Alma, Dunn, Guysboro; ship Sutley, Wright, Liverpool, G B; R M steamers Merlin, Sampson, Sydney and Newfoundland; Europa, Moodie, Liverpool.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS. Horton Academy. WOLFVILLE.

THE first term commences January 7th and ends June 20th. Principal, Rev. Thos. A. Higgins, A. M. Assistant, Robert Vane Jones, A. B., and Mr. Eliakim Archibald. Teacher in French, Mr. Hebert Creed. Tuition fees vary from £2 to £5 per annum. Board and washing £5 per quarter. Bedding and towels to be provided by the pupils. Fuel for class rooms 2s. 6d. per term. Rooms rent varies from 6s. to 12s. 6d. per term according to the condition and situation of the room. Bill payable quarterly in advance. The whole expense per annum for Board, Tuition, Rent and fuel for class rooms from £25 to £30. It is of great advantage to students to be present at the commencement of the term. A. S. HUNT Secty. Jan. 2.

FOR SALE!

THOSE pleasantly situated premises, now in possession of the Subscriber, and within five minutes walk of the business part of Bridgetown, on which is a most comfortable and well-finished DWELLING HOUSE, Wood Coach, and other necessary Outhouses, also a commodious Barn, for the storing of Hay and Grain with a good threshing floor therein. Very near the House is a never-failing well of excellent water, and in the cellar a constant supply of soft water. Attached is a large Garden, enclosed by a hedge of Hawthorn, which is filled with the CHOICEST FRUIT TREES—embracing many varieties of APPLES, PEARS, PLUMS and CHERRIES, also, CURRANTS and GOOSE-BERRIES, in large variety, together with a quantity of HERBS and FLOWERS. Also adjoining these premises is a field containing nearly 10 acres of prime Land, and now in a state of high cultivation, which will be sold.—Also, on the east side of the James Road, and opposite the foregoing, a field of five acres, with a never-failing stream of water running through it. Possession can be given at any time. The whole of the purchase money may remain on approved security being given. THOMAS SPURR. 3 m. Bridgetown, Jan. 2, 1861.

Farm for Sale.

THE SUBSCRIBER offers for sale his farm, situated in CANAAN consisting of 262 Acres upland—of which more than 60 Acres are under good cultivation—about 80 Acres is well covered with hard wood. The remainder is valuable pasture. There is a large one-and-a-half story HOUSE TWO BARNs and other outhouses all in good repair. There is an inexhaustible supply of Black Mud within 60 rods of the Barns—and can be drawn at any time of year. There are also two small Orchards about half of which are grafted trees. For further information apply to the Subscriber on the premises. HENRY BISHOP. Canaan, Horton 15th Dec. 1860. Dec. 19. 3 mths.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS. VALUABLE FARM FOR SALE.

THE SUBSCRIBER will sell at Public Auction, on Thursday the 17th day of January next, at 2 o'clock, P. M.: That valuable Property known as the DELANCEY FARM, lying near Round Hill containing 1,500 ACRES OF LAND! more or less. It is well calculated for three good farms. A large quantity of very superior Dyked Marsh near the House. The whole is capable of keeping 60 head of Cattle; on it are two good dwelling Houses, a small Tenant do.; 4 Barns, a Carriage House and Horse Stable, a good Workshop and Wood-house and all other necessary outbuildings; three never-failing wells of water and a most valuable Spring near the Barns. The Orchard has 400 Grafted Apple Trees, in bearing, and Pear, Cherry, and Plum Trees of the choicest kinds, in abundance. This property will be divided in TWO FARMS, to suit purchasers, with a certain portion of Marsh attached to each. Possession given 1st May 1861. Terms of payment: One third of the purchase money on delivery of the deed; one quarter of the remainder to be paid the 1st day of May 1862, the balance may remain on approved security being given. DAVID S. HALL. Annapolis, Dec 22 1860. 2 ins.

IN THE PRESS. The Sabbath: A Moral and Positive Institution. BY REV. W. H. HUMPHREY. Published by Special Request. Dec. 19.

Removal. BROWN BROTHERS & CO. HAVE REMOVED TO THEIR New Drug Store.

In the Stand which they occupied previously to the Great Fire of September, 1859. "PENTAGON BUILDING." Ordnance Square, Foot of Northup's Hill. Where, as they buy altogether for CASH, they can sell THE BEST ARTICLES AT THE Lowest Prices. Dec. 19.

Christmas Fruits. JUST IN TIME! AT E. W. SUTCLIFFE'S.

14 KEGS GRAPES, 5 boxes ditto ORANGES, APPLES, LEMONS Fresh Citron, Orange and Lemon Peel RAISINS, CURRANTS and PEARS Prime Cheese for Christmas NEW FIGS, DATES and PRUNES Extra Flour, and all kinds of SPICES NEW HONEY, PICKLES and SAUCES Pears, Marmalade and Fruits, of all kinds, to Christmas. At SUTCLIFFE'S Tea, Coffee and Grocery Mart, Barrington Street. Dec. 24th. till 31st.

New Goods, PER STEAMER. Beckwith & Major

Have received as above, BROWN and Magenta Faced VELVETS, Black and Col'd Ribbon VELVETS, Balmoral Shirting, Chenille SCARFS, Black Crape, Black Grosdenape, Magenta, Rose, Pink and Sky Delaine, Tarlatan Muslins, Chenille Hair Nets, Mantle Cloths, Elastic Braces, Gold Braid, Cord and Buckles, Hair Rolls, Glass Buttons, Gents' Kid Mitts—lined, Ladies Gauntlet Gloves, Wool Sleeves, Polka Jackets, Childs' Long Wool Socks, Girls Striped HOSE—all sizes, 1 bale Dark Fancy Prints. ALSO,—From Boston, Ladies and Misses Spring Skirts & Rattans, The above Goods, with the balance of our Fall Stock, will be offered at REDUCED PRICES FOR CASH. Preparatory to our taking stock at the close of the year. Dec. 19. B. & M.

NEW TRUSS! NEW TRUSS!!

ALL persons wearing or requiring Trusses are invited to call and see an entirely new invention, which is proved to be a very great advance upon any thing hitherto invented, and to combine all the requisites of a Perfect Truss. Also, SUPPORTERS, embracing the same principle. Persons at a distance can receive a descriptive pamphlet, by sending a blue stamp. Also, constantly on hand a complete assortment of Elastic Hose for Varicose Veins, Swelled and Weak Legs. CODMAN'S SHURTLEFF, No. 13 Tremont St., Boston. Wholesale & Retail Dealers in Surgical and Dental Instruments. Sept. 26