

General Intelligence.

DOMESTIC.

Alderman Ackhurst has been unanimously chosen Chairman of the Board of Firewards.

The number of Small pox cases in the Hospital was increased last week, 28 remaining on Saturday last.

Large quantities of Dry Goods, from the wreck of the Steamer United States in the Gulf of St. Lawrence, have been brought into Halifax during the past week.

We are glad to find, that the Corporation intend to put down the dust in the City, by employing water carts.

ORDERED OFF.—We learn from the Reporter of Thursday last that the schr Susan, Lang, master, hence, for Norfolk, Virginia, with a cargo of fish, returned, not being allowed by the blockading squadron to enter the port to which she was bound.

SALE OF STOCK.—At Messrs. S. & W. M. Grey's sale of stocks by Mr. Nash to-day, Bank of Nova Scotia shares sold for £80; Bank B. N. A., £74; Union Bank, £10; and Halifax Gas Co., £15.

PRINCE ALFRED was conveyed by special train to Windsor on Wednesday last, in one hour and twenty minutes.

WINDSOR.—The United States disturbances are seriously affecting Windsor and its neighbourhood; the export of plaster being entirely stopped.

RAILWAY ACCIDENT.—The down train from Windsor was thrown off the track on Monday, the 27th ult., by coming in contact with some cattle.

THE GOLD DIGGINGS.—Reports continue of valuable quartz at Tangier. A Mr. Taylor is said to have got a lump of quartz containing \$80 worth of gold.

H. M. Steamer Hydra with Admiral Milne and Earl Mulgrave left on Monday morning for Tangier, and are expected to remain there a few days.

THE CENSUS.—The Population of the Province is ascertained to be about 330,000. In 1851 it was 276,117—showing an increase of nearly 54,000.

EXPLOSION AND LOSS OF LIFE AT NEW GLASGOW.—We were informed, by a telegram to the Reporter, on Saturday last, that about eleven o'clock on Friday night an explosion occurred in the old Pits at Albion Mines, Pictou.

LATER.—Another explosion was apprehended.—The exploring party had been ordered up from the mines, as they were afraid of another explosion.

JAYNE'S EXPECTORANT.—We esteem it a pleasure to be able to recommend this medicine, as the best calculated for the purpose of curing Coughs, Colds, Sore Throat, Asthma, and all affections of the Lungs.

All of Jayne's Family Medicines are sold by BROWN, BROTHERS & Co., Ordnance Square, Halifax.

Table with 2 columns: Name and Votes. Includes King's County Election results for Moore (Opposition) and Marsters (Government).

AYLESFORD gave a majority of 24 to Moore. GASPÉREUX and DALHOUSIE not heard from.

We are gratified to learn that a Temperance Society has been organized at Elmsdale. Over sixty persons have become members of it.

ACADIA IRON WORKS.—These Iron works now owned by Messrs B. Brown & Co., of Bangor Me., are being fitted up with new machinery and all the appliances for conducting a large business.

New Brunswick.

ARRIVAL OF PRINCE ALFRED.—The steamer Emperor, having on board His Royal Highness and suite, arrived at St. John about 12 o'clock on Wednesday night last.

FISHING IN THE HARBOUR.—We regret to learn that several of the exporters of Fish, who purchase from the Fishermen, have given notice that they will require no more Gaspereaux at present.

THE ELECTION.—The election in Sunbury York County, on the 4th June. County of St. John, 5th June.

Canada. The Canadian parliament was prorogued on the 18th inst. It is said that it will be dissolved about the first week in July.

Dr. Ryerson is collecting materials for a work on the lives and adventures of the early settlers of Canada, Nova Scotia and New Brunswick.

THE PORT OF QUEBEC.—No less than 45 ships came in on yesterday morning's tide. They all round the point at about the same time as it were in a flock and the view, as they came in with all their canvas set, was one of the most beautiful of the kind ever witnessed even here.

Ayer's Compound extracts Sarsaparilla. No one remedy is more needed in this country than a reliable Alterative, but the sick have been so outrageously cheated by the worthless preparations of Sarsaparilla abroad, that they are disgusted even with the name.

AYER'S CATHARTIC PILLS, for the cure of Costiveness, Jaundice, Dyspepsia, Indigestion, Dysentery, Foul Stomach, Bile, Headache, Piles, Rheumatism, Heartburn, arising from Disordered Stomach, Pain, or Morbid Inaction of the Bowels, Flatulency, Loss of Appetite, Liver Complaint, Dropsy, Worms, Gout, Neuralgia, as a Dinner Pill, and for Purifying the Blood.

Prepared by DR. J. C. AYER & CO., Lowell, Mass. MORTON & CO., Agents, Halifax, May 15.

Letters Received. James Burgess, Esq., 30th, 20s. Joseph P. Freeman, 28th. Rev. A. W. Bars, 26th. Rev. D. M. Weiton, 31st. J. W. Bars, Esq., 30th. Rev. J. C. Morse, 28th. Rev. S. W. DeBlois, 30th. A. P. Beebe, 31st. Rev. Dr. Tupper, 30th, 10s.

NOTICES.

The Annual Meeting of the Associated Alumni of Acadia College, will be held at the College Hall, on Thursday the 6th inst. The chair to be taken at 7 1/2 o'clock.

The Executive Committee of the Associated Alumni, will meet for the transaction of business in the College Library, at 4 o'clock, on the afternoon of the same day.

By order. R. L. WETHERBE, Secretary.

CENTRAL ASSOCIATION.

SPECIAL NOTICE. We beg to remind the Delegates appointed to represent the Churches, that at the last meeting, held at Windsor, the Association adjourned to meet with 1st Horton Church at Wolfville, on the second Saturday in June, 1861, at ten o'clock, A. M.

A PUBLIC DINNER of the ASSOCIATED ALUMNI of ACADIA COLLEGE will be held at the Village House, Wolfville, on Friday, June 7th, at 4 past 3 o'clock.

The Baptist Anniversaries.

- The N. S. CENTRAL ASSOCIATION will meet at WOLFVILLE, on Saturday, June the 8th. The N. S. WESTERN ASSOCIATION will meet at BEAVER RIVER, Yarmouth Co., on Saturday, June the 15th.

Marriages.

In Windsor, April 25th, by Rev. D. M. Welton. Mr. George McIntosh to Miss Margaret Alcom, both of Windsor.

Deaths.

On Saturday 25th, Mr. John Wilson, in the 41st years of his age. At Annapolis Royal, on the 23rd of March, Richard Corbett, who was born on the 17th March, 1781.

SEEDS, RARE SEEDS.—Received ex Kedah from Liverpool—Mangel, Ruta, Buga, Kohl Rabi and other Farm Seeds; choice Flwers, including Double Balsams, Lupins, Carnation and Pincus, Antirrhinum German and other Stocks, Wallflower and Zinnia.

PERUVIAN SYRUP; or, Protected Solution of Iron. Cures all diseases arising from Disordered Digestion, Weakness, and bad state of the Blood.

A GEM OF ELEGANCE.—Blodgett's Persian Balm, for cleaning the teeth, shaving, beautifying the complexion and all toilet purposes.

Shipping List.

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Thursday, 30th.—R. M. steamship America, Moodie, Liverpool via Queenstown 11 1/2 days—114 passengers, 21 for Halifax; H. M. steamer Hydra, Com. Hamilton, Newfoundland—troops; schrs Favorite, (Am.) Provincetown 7 days—bound fishing; Sylvia, Young, Lunenburg; Susan, Lang, United States—with returned cargo fish. The S. was bound to Norfolk, but would not be allowed to enter that port.

Friday 31st.—R. M. Steamer Europa, Anderson, Boston 36 hours—61 passengers, 7 for Halifax; steamer Eastern State, (pkt.) Churchill, Boston and Yarmouth 2 days—25 passengers; schrs Tom Sayers Davidson, Cienfuegos 20 days—Salter and Twining; Linnett, Trinidad—James A. Moren; Native Lass, P. E. Island 5 days; Mary Ann, Chap, Sydney—bound to Boston; Harriet Newell, McLeod, Cape Breton 6 days; Red Jacket, Payson, Rockport, U.

S.; Atlantic, Roundy, Rockland, U. S.—bound fishing; brig Victoria Ursula, Lenoir, New York 4 days—Young & Hart; Portuguese brig Horodufunch, Demerara 27 days—G. & A. Mitchell & Co; schrs Agility, Pye, Fortune Bay, 6 days; Villager, Watt, Miramichi 10 days—Thomas S. Tobin; Promoter, hence for Norfolk, returned, not allowed up; Sir C. Campbell, hence for Richmond, returned, not allowed up.

Saturday, June 1st.—Brigts, Dasher, Murphy, Mayaguez 13 days—D. Cronan; schr Lady Dundas, P. E. Island—bound to United States.

Sunday, 2nd.—Brigts Mark, Land, Pictou; Ida, Vignean, Montreal, 8 days, to J. Cochran and Son; Schrs Pelican, Fort Medway; Inkerman, Canso; Triumph, Newfoundland, 5 days—to Daniel Cronan; Brilliant, Pictou.

Monday, 3rd.—Ship Jane Parker, Donnell, Liverpool, 36 days—to Thomson, Abbott & Co; Schrs Amazon, Canso; Atlantic, Bay Chaleur; Alexander Shelmut, Newfoundland; Nancy, Reynolds, Boston, 3 days; Rising Dawn, Magdalen Islands—to Daniel Cronan; Happy Return, Miramichi, 10 days—T. S. Tobin; Shunnon, Boudroit, Sydney, 5 days.

Cleared.

Monday, 27th Brothers, Hubert, Arichat, Tatamagouche and Pughwash; Ranger, Parr, Liverpool, G. B.; Mary Jane, Fogere, Port Hood and Mabou; Water Lily, Belle, P. E. Island; Stirling, Laundry, Cape Canso; Speculator, Henderson, Pictou; Sarah Ann, and Industry, Magdalen Isles; Clipper, Forrest, Canso; brig Queen of the West, McFarlane, B. W. Indies.

Tuesday, 28th.—schrs Hopewell, Kerr, Bay St. Lawrence; Cammore, Quebec; Cordelia, Ronkey, North Bay; Margaret Ann, Thomas, Port Mulgrave and Arichat; Baronet, Parks, Labrador; Three Brothers, Fenton, Philadelphia; Ospray, Hopkins, B. W. Indies; brig Raven, Johnston, St. John, N. B.; brig Acadia, Barlow, Liverpool, G. B.; Norwegian barks Stollefoot, Bernier, New York; Prussian bark Arneela, Silverscheidt, Buctouche.

Wednesday, 29th.—brigt Annie Geldert, Cochran, Sydney; brig Fawn, Jamaica Jost; schrs Sarah, Shultz, Labrador; Ploug Boy, Robertson, P. E. Island; Pioneer, McDonald, do; Flying Cloud, Pettipas, Wallace; Susan, Farrell, Mainadie; Elizabeth Ann, Scott, Cornwallis; Isabella, Hadley, Canso & Guysboro; Hopeful, Kerr, Bay St. Lawrence; Ann (Am.) Cole, Lingan.

Thursday, 30th.—R. M. steamers Merlin, Sampson, Bermuda and Saint Thomas; America, Moodie, Boston; Ospray, Gulliford, Sydney and St. John's N. F.; schrs Ocean Belle, Kempt, P. E. Island; Carrie, Gallagher, Cape Canso; Providence, Boutong Arichat; Arrow, Wilson, Barrington; Jasper, Munro, Port Medway and Liverpool; Fame, Kenny, Shelburne and Barrington; John Gilpin, Kenny, Sheet Harbor; Neptune, Smith, Labrador; Alliance, Wessel, do; Galaxy, Gardner, do; Ocean Breeze, Myers, Jeddore; Lady Sale, Duong, Little River; steamer Europa, Anderson, n. Live pool.

Friday, 31st.—R. M. steamer Delta, Hunter, Boston.

Memoranda.

The schooner Union, from Cienfuegos, of and for Halifax, went ashore on 6th ult., near the Isle of Pines, and became a total loss, together with a cargo of 112 puns, and 8 ties molasses. The captain and crew arrived at Philadelphia on 26th, in the bark Brothers.

The schr—, Ryan, master, from Halifax, for Port Medway, was cast away on the 27th ult., about 11 o'clock, p. m. Cargo valued at £1100. Vessel and cargo a total loss. She had 8 passengers on board. All hands saved.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

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For Summer wear, in all the Newest Materials and latest styles. A handsome assortment ROBE DESSIN!

Very Cheap Printed Muslins and Cambrics, Shawls, Mantles, Bonnets, Hats, Ribbons, Flowers, Hosiery, Gloves, Handkerchiefs, &c. &c.

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SILK AND CLOTH MANTLES. A few elegant MANTLES in newest London and Paris styles. A large variety CHEAP CLOTH MANTLES.

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