

Wilmot was not aware of that. The lands were sold at auction in 100 acre lots, in order to bring the transaction under the instalment system.

Canada.

The Hon. C. S. Rodier has been reelected to the Mayoralty of Montreal. Considerable rioting took place at the election. Mr. R. had 700 majority.

The Canadian Parliament will open on the 16th inst.

QUEBEC.—Many sudden deaths have occurred at Quebec, within a short time past, under circumstances very similar. A fortnight since, an aged citizen fell dead at Charlesbourg, amidst the rejoicings of a wedding.

United States.

The papers by the Canada bring news to the 6th inst.

The inauguration passed off without disturbance on the 4th. Soldiers were stationed on the tops of the houses along the line of procession at Washington, to act as sharpshooters in case of riotous proceedings.

The South appear to consider Lincoln's Inaugural Address as almost a declaration of war. His determination to perpetuate the Union and protect the public property seems to portend conflict.

The following are the names of the gentlemen composing the Cabinet:—William H. Seward of New York, Secretary of State.

Salmon P. Chase, of Ohio, Secretary of the Treasury.

Simon Cameron of Pa., Secretary of War.

Gideon Welles of Conn., Secretary of the Navy.

Caleb B. Smith of Indiana, Secretary of the Interior.

Montgomery Blair of Md., Postmaster-General.

Edward Bates of Mo., Attorney General.

The Galveston News of the 23d ult. gives an account of the surrender of Gen. Twiggs. The Federal property seized by the Texan troops at San Antonio amounted to \$55,000 in specie, 35,000 stand of arms, 26 pieces of mounted artillery, 44 pieces of dismounted artillery, and quantity of ammunition and other munitions of war, and a large collection of horses, mules, wagons, forage, &c.

A Savannah dispatch of 2d says: "It has been decided here that all goods shipped via this port for Tennessee must pay duties here, as Tennessee is not one of the Southern Confederacy, unless the goods were purchased before February 28, and loaded in the vessel before March 14.

The New Orleans True Delta says: "Our merchants are loud and bitter in their complaints against the ordinances passed by the Montgomery Congress. Even our journals are strongly opposed to the new tariff which is soon to be inaugurated in the seceding States."

A late letter from New Orleans says that the True Delta, which is still decidedly against secession, represents a large proportion of the people, who will be prepared for decisive action when the time comes.

MONTGOMERY, Ala., March 4: Congress adopted a new flag for the Confederacy to-day, and it was hoisted over the Capitol this afternoon.

NEW YORK, March 5.—Ponce (P. R.) dates of Feb. 21, states the British brig Quenard had arrived there with a clearance from the Republic of South Carolina, which was entered under a protest.

A PERFECT CHARM.—MRS. WINSLOW'S SOOTHING SYRUP certainly does, as the name implies, "soothe" the little sufferer into a quiet, natural sleep, from which it awakes invigorated and refreshed.

We have always been, and still are, opposed to the practice of drugging infants. THIS ARTICLE HAS NO DELETERIOUS EFFECTS WHATSOEVER, and from our own experience (we speak advisedly) we have every confidence in it, and can heartily recommend it to all mothers. Take our advice—use it—and you will as strongly recommend it to others as we have to you.

LETTERS RECEIVED will be acknowledged next week.

To CORRESPONDENTS.—We have an interesting letter from Rev. Dr. Hobbs, at Sydney, N. S. W., by last mail.

Also a letter from Rev. Dr. Tupper, on the Exegesis in controversy between him and the Rev. G. Armstrong.

Also some interesting Communications respecting Missions from the Home Missionary Board.

These have all come to hand since our space has been appropriated. We are obliged, therefore, to defer them till next week.

We have also been obliged to defer till next week the extracts in conclusion of "Roger Williams and the Baptists."

"A Visitor" might be admissible with his proper name. His satire is evident, and perhaps it is well deserved, but we are not willing to bear the responsibility. Bubbles float on the surface, and last but not least, if agitated they multiply.

Rev. I. J. Skinner desires to inform his friends that his address, until further notice, will be Chester, Lunenburg Co.

Mr. James E. Masters, of St. John, N. B., will accept our thanks for various papers,—the Provincial Secretary's Report on the Finances of New Brunswick, the Report of the Railway Commissioners, &c., &c. The latter is a respectable pamphlet of 54 pages, and well got up.

NOTICES.

ACADIA COLLEGE.

An adjourned meeting of the Board of Governors will be held in the Library of the College on Wednesday, April 3, at ten o'clock, A. M. A full attendance is requested.

S. W. DEBLOIS, Secretary.

March 9, 1861.

A General Meeting of the Scholarship holders and other friends of the College will be held in the Baptist Meeting-house, Wolfville, on Wednesday, April 3, at three o'clock, P. M., to take into consideration the means of collecting the Endowment Fund, and making provision for the permanent support of the College.

S. W. DEBLOIS, Secretary.

March 9, 1861.

College Agency.

Dear Editor,—If the Lord will, the Agent of Acadia College intends to fill the following appointments in the western part of the Province.

On Friday evening, March 15th, Brookfield.

Sunday, March 17th, Kempt.

Wednesday evening, March 20th, Milton.

Thursday evening, March 21st, Liverpool.

Sunday, March 24th, Sable River in the forenoon and Lewis Head in the evening.

Tuesday evening, March 26th, Locke's Island.

Thursday evening, March 28th, Jordan River Mills.

Sunday, March 31st, Barrington.

Tuesday evening, April 2nd, Pubnico.

Wednesday evening, April 3rd, Argyle.

Thursday evening, April 4th, Tusket River.

Sunday, April 7th, Chebogue.

Tuesday evening, April 9th, Yarmouth.

Sunday, April 14th, Chegojin in the forenoon and Hebron afternoon or evening.

Tuesday evening, April 16th, Ohio.

Sunday, April 21st, Beaver River.

Wednesday evening, April 24th, Weymouth.

Friday evening, April 26th, St. Mary's Bay.

Sunday, April 28th, Digby.—Town in the forenoon, Joggins in the afternoon or evening.

Wednesday evening, May 1st, Hillsborough.

Sunday, May 5th, Clements.

Tuesday evening, May 7th, Annapolis Ferry.

Wednesday, May 8th, Ronnd Hill.

Thursday evening, May 9th, Messenger Settlement.

Friday evening, May 10th, Bridgetown.

Sunday, May 12th, Wilmot.

Tuesday evening, May 14th, Salem Meeting-house, Nictaux.

The object of these meetings will be Educational Discourses, and we hope that all will come to hear. The design is to promote the Manning Fund, and more especially to supply the present wants of the College, by explaining the necessity of collections in the churches for the salary of the Theological Professor. The salary in question is now £200 in arrears. If the Churches in Nova Scotia would take such collections, as would average one pound a-piece, this amount could easily be paid. If they do not, the College will be under liabilities at the end of the year which cannot be met. The Agent will probably not be able to visit the churches in Kings County. But as these churches are within sight of the college they would doubtless take interest enough in it to carry this plan into effect. And, besides whenever they choose to appoint meetings for that purpose the President of the college will doubtless be ready to explain his policy in person. Will the friends make arrangements for the meetings here notified?

Also will subscribers and local agents endeavor to be ready with such payments as may be due to the college?

Yours, &c., D. FREEMAN.

Wolfville, March 1st, 1861.

Read the following, from the well know Captain of the Steame Fulton: NEW ORLEANS, 3rd Oct., 8159.

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. MONROE & COGSWELL, Agents, Oct. 3 6m.

Marriages.

In the Baptist Meeting-house, Ohio, Yarmouth, Feb. 17th, by the Rev. Joseph H. Saunders, Mr. Norman Crosby, to Miss Mati da Crosby.

At Yarmouth, Dec. 25th, by Rev. Henry Angell, Mr. John Phillips, of Beaver River, to Mary Emily, fourth daughter of Deacon Comfort Haley, of Yarmouth.

Also, Jan. 1st, by the same, Mr. James D. Potter, of Clements, to Miss Elizabeth A. Potter, of Yarmouth.

On Tanecook, December 1st, by the Rev. N. Baker, Mr. Stephen Cross, of Dartmouth, to Miss Mary Baker, of Tanecook.

By the same, Dec. 28th, Mr. Samuel Wellhoff, to Miss Mary Jane Baker, of St. Margaret's Bay.

Also by the same, Jan. 2nd, Mr. Charles Cross to Miss Ann Cleaveland, of Blandford.

At Lakeville, on the 6th inst., by the Rev. James Parker, Mr. Robert J. Griffin, of Horton, to Miss Eunice, daughter of Samuel Sweet, Esq.

January 10th, by the Rev. P. F. Murray, Mr. John E. Farnsworth, to Miss Phebe R. Brooks, both of Greenville.

By the Rev. C. Randall, Jan. 19, Mr. Edward P. Specht, to Miss Betsy Jane, only daughter of Mr. James Adams, all of St. Mary's Bay.

By the same, Feb. 14th, Mr. William Weaver, to Miss Sarah Ann, eldest daughter of Mr. James McAlpine, all of New Tusket, Clare.

Deaths.

On Monday, 4th, in the 70th year of his age, Mr. Thomas Parkin.

On Monday, 4th, Miss Elizabeth Tufts, in the 40th year of her age.

On Tuesday, 5th, Mrs. Mary Kelly, aged 56 years.

On Thursday, 7th, Eliza Justina, youngest daughter of the late George Henry L'Epouse, merchant of this city.

On Friday, 8th inst., Anastasia, the beloved wife of Mr. Lawrence Finn, in the 42nd year of her age.

On Saturday, Feb. 24, Lydia Ann, daughter of Joseph and Rebecca Dimock, in the 6th year of her age. On Sunday, the 24th, the occasion was inaugurated by Rev. Edwin Clay, from 2 Samuel, xii. 23: "I shall go to him but he shall not return to me."

The great Jehovah, full of love, An angel bright did send, Who took our little harmless dove To joys that never end.

At Ragged Islands, on the 19th ult., of Diphtheria, Edgar, son of Mr. Stephen Belcher, aged 16 years. His end was peace.

Also on the 25th ult., Winslow, son of Mr. Etherington, aged 4 years.

This fearful disease is now in several families here, and the measles are also prevailing amongst us. May God prepare the dying for death, and the living to glorify Him on earth.

At Lower Steviacke, March 5th, only son of Michael and Mary J. Sibley, aged 25 years. The second child God has taken from them to His rest.

At Digby, on the 27th ult., at the residence of Dr. Bent, after a painful illness, which she bore with patience and christian fortitude, Maria, only daughter of the late Wm. Forrest, Esq., aged 21 years.

At New York, on the 26th February, Mr. Joseph Harrison, formerly of Lunenburg, in the 38th year of his age.

New British Publications.

- All round the World—monthly. B ection's Christmas Annual and Key. Cassell's Illustrated Bible and History. Doctor Scoresby's Greenland. Entertaining Things—monthly parts. Family Herald—weekly and monthly. Great Sermons of Great Preachers. Hudson's Bay, or Wilds of North America. Illustrated London News Almanac, 1861. Kane's Arctic Explorations. Ladies Magazine of Fashions—monthly. MacMillan's Cambridge Magazine. News of the World—illustrated. Once a Week. Punch in half-yearly volumes. Queechy and Wide Wide World, by E. Wetherall. Round the World—a Book for Boys. Scenery on the Route to India and China. Temple Bar Magazine—monthly. Uncle Tom's Cabin, by Mrs. Stowe. Views in Europe and America—Nelson's. Weldon's Register of Facts in Science, &c. Young Woman's Companion. Zimmerman on Solitude, 32 mo. 50 c. With all the British Magazines, &c., at the News Agency of G. E. Morton & Co., opposite the Province Building, Halifax.

Shipping List.

PORT OF HALIFAX.

Arrived.

Monday, March 4th.—Brigt Northern Light, Esdale, New York, 7 days—Thompson, Abbot & Co. and others.

Tuesday, 5th.—Brigts Queen of the West, McFarlane, Cienfuegos, 15 days; Golden Rule, Patterson, Porto Rico, 15 days; schrs Eleanor, Wall, do., 15 days; Sylvia, Young, Lunenburg—Lordly & Stimpson.

Wednesday, 6th.—Schrs Sw n, Shelnut, Ponce, 15 days; George McKean, Adams, do; Latour, Laucher, do, 16 days; John Tilton, Murphy, Newfoundland, 6 days—John Tobin & Co; Wm. Stairs, Maxwell, Cienfuegos, 15 days—Salter & Twining.

Thursday, 7th.—Brigs Express, Eriih, Cienfuegos, 16 days; Fawn, Jost, Mayaguez, 13 days—G. & A. Mitchell & Co; brig Jessie, Murray, do, 13 days—D. Cronan.

Friday, 8th.—R. M. Steamer America, McCauley, Boston, 48 hours—44 passengers, 20 for Halifax.

Saturday, 9th.—Bark Halifax, O'Brien, Bos on, 2 days, 20 passengers—J. M. Watson & Co. and others; schrs Morning Light, Westover, do, 5 days; James McNab, Hewson, Newfoundland, 8 days—T. S. Tobin; R. M. Steamer Niagara, Moodie, Liverpool, via Queenstown, 13 days, 61 passengers, 21 for Halifax.

Cleared.

Saturday, March 2nd.—Brigt Stanley, Davidson, Porto Rico.

Wednesday, 6th.—Schrs Ocean Wave, Silver, Boston; Ospray, Hopkins, Demerara.

Thursday, 7th.—R. M. Steamer Delta, Hunter, Bermuda and Saint Thomas; America, McCauley, Liverpool; brig Onward, Gammon, B. W. Indies; schrs Dart, Conrod, F. W. Indies; Alma, Lohnes, Philadelphia.

Friday, 8th.—Tom Sayers, Davidson, B. W. Indies; Paradise, Ritchie, B. W. Indies.

Saturday, 9th.—Sultan, Dickson, New York; Golden Rule, Peterson, Porto Rico; R. M. S. Merlin, Sampson, St. John's, Nfld.

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March 6. 3 ins.

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