

reserving to itself the power to confirm or not, as it should see fit, any special arrangements...

That is what has been done. We could not have done more at the time. Being in earnest in the matter, we could not have done less.

Should we be successful in our aims, future generations will rise up and call us blessed. What is one of the proudest boasts of Britain and Germany?

Their Universities,—comprehensive, wealthy, venerable, national. What is one of the greatest defects in the social and educational life of Nova Scotia?

Our Colleges, Universities falsely so called, ill-equipped, half-starved, narrow, petty and sectarian. The basis on which we propose to act can injure no existing interests...

Whilst we have no desire to place obstructions in the way of progress being made in our educational arrangements we should most certainly protest against any resuscitation of Dalhousie on the same foundation as formerly...

We think the writer of the above article might have saved himself the pains of characterizing the collegiate institutions of Nova Scotia as "ill-equipped, half-starved, narrow, petty, and sectarian."

The Alumni of existing Colleges in Nova Scotia, notwithstanding all these "greatest defects in the social and educational life of Nova Scotia," have been able to take respectable positions in various countries...

We do not believe that it is necessary to depreciate the past and present labors of those who have done so much for education in Nova Scotia, to prove the necessity for a resuscitation of Dalhousie.

As regards "representation in the governing court of the College," being given to "any religious body that might endow a chair (a matter involving the funding of \$3000 or \$4000, or some such trifle)" we think this difficulty might have been overcome...

The reasons for the present action of the two Presbyterian bodies, in reference to this matter, are in fact, somewhat similar, although presented in different forms.

Whatever arrangements may be made by the Government, or the Governors of the College, or the Presbyterian Synods to render the funds available for one, two, or more denominations, the ultimate success will depend on the circumstance whether students can be induced to partake of the intellectual food provided for them.

"The best laid plans of mice and men, Will oftentimes gang aglee."

It has been hitherto maintained, by certain parties, that Halifax is a most unsuitable place for a college, in a moral point of view.

The difficulties to be overcome in providing for the religious supervision of a general college is perhaps one of the most formidable, and has been the cause in many instances of their destruction.

Notwithstanding all these difficulties which would either have to be met, or would eventually be the cause of failure, in whatever arrangement might be made, we nevertheless cannot avoid the conclusion that there are many intellectual advantages which might be secured in the metropolis, which could not be had in the rural districts.

Consolidate the loyal North, and treason is at an end. Obliterate the past, and let men approach this crisis in utter forgetfulness of what they once strove for, at the caucus and the hustings, and all-absorbed in the convictions and policy that are demanded by this exigency extraordinary...

The same paper also gives the following expression, which does not look much like a speedy peace:—

PLAIN TALK, AND TO THE PURPOSE.—Rose-water patriots, and conditional Union men will do well to try the ring of the following words from Governor Dennison, of Ohio, which occur in a speech made at a war-meeting in Cleveland, on the 24th inst.:

The question has been asked, Why not compromise? What! compromise with treason and rebellion? God forbid! When a man compromises with wrong he becomes a wrong doer.

This is the plain English of the matter, and it saves time and helps the work to say it. For what have we embarked in this war? Certainly not to give it up, until the great principle is fully established, and we know whether we have a country or not.

We copy the following from one of our New York exchanges. Our Northern friends were very angry a short time ago with Britain for calling the rebels belligerents, but when they become conquerors, it seems that treating them as belligerents will give great satisfaction everywhere.

EXCHANGING PRISONERS.—General Dix and General Hugar, acting respectively for the Government and the rebels, are officially stated to have arranged a general exchange of prisoners.

Mrs. Inglis.—Amongst the deaths noticed in another page, will be found that of the above lady, the wife of the late Bishop of Nova Scotia and mother of Sir John Inglis now Commander-in-chief of the Ionian Islands.

absolutely electioneering for their respective favorite Generals. You are expected to be posted in the controversy, and to take sides—to pronounce McClellan a blockhead or a second Napoleon—to regard Fremont with enthusiasm or contempt.

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WATERVILLE.—Mr. Isaac Hume, under date of the 3rd inst., gives us an account of an interesting visit to this locality on the road between Chester and Windsor, where he had preached several times.

Notices, &c.

There will be a meeting of the Board of Governors of Acadia College at the Baptist Chapel, Moncton N. B. on Saturday the 23rd inst, at 7 o'clock P. M.

Bazaar at Wolfville.

The ladies of the Baptist Church and Congregation at Wolfville intend holding a Bazaar on Wednesday, September 3rd, for purposes connected with their house of worship.

Bazaar at Falmouth.

The ladies connected with the Bazaar at Falmouth, beg leave to announce, that it will take place according to a previous notice on Thursday, 11th September, near Windsor Bridge.

Acadia College.

The next Term will commence on Monday, Sept. 1. The roll will be called at three o'clock, P. M., at which time all the Students are expected to be present.

Candidates for matriculation will present themselves for examination the same day at ten o'clock, A. M.

Persons desirous of entering for Partial Courses, in Theology or other branches of study, will apply to the undersigned.

THE BAPTIST CONVENTION of Nova Scotia, New Brunswick and P. E. Island will hold its Annual Session at Moncton, N. B., commencing on Saturday, August 23rd, at 2 o'clock P. M.

Letters Received. Rev. S. W. DeBlois, 4th. Nelson Miller, 2nd, 1 sub. \$5. S. L. Chipman, Esq., 2nd, 1 sub.—Hance Mills, 1st. Rev. N. Baker, 24th. Rev. H. Eagles, 31st. W. F. Cutten, Esq., 4th. M. P. Freeman, 30th. Wm. Eaton, 5th.—Sent once but could not get it. Will try again.—Isaac Hume, 5th. W. Churehill, 3rd, 1 sub.—Should be glad to do so but have not sufficient supply. T. H. Rand, 9th. Rev. C. H. Corey, 7th, 1 sub. Rev. Dr. Tupper, 5th. Rev. J. Chase, 11th.

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