

The Rev. McGuffie has presented to Acadia College Museum a number of articles brought from Annetum and other South Sea Islands.—They consist of several Spears, pointed with human bones; a War-Club; a number of poisoned arrows; three dresses for females, two formed of loose woody fibre to tie around the waist, and one of cloth made from the inner bark of a tree—a plain piece to hang down about three feet in front and behind, with simply a hole for the head to pass through; together with, some rude musical instruments and native ornaments.

In addition to these relics of their savage condition he has also presented several books, printed at the Mission Press at Annetum in their own language, by the natives, who eighteen years ago were in a condition of barbarism and even cannibalism, but are now Christian people, teachers and preachers. These books comprise a spelling book, a catechism, several psalms, and one small book of skeletons of sermons for native preachers; also a New Testament published in London in the Annetumese language. We shall forward these curiosities by the first opportunity that presents itself.

Our interviews with Mr. Goddie have afforded us much pleasure, and heightened our appreciation of one who was already highly esteemed for his works' sake.

Mr. Goddie has kindly consented to attend a meeting in the Granville Street Church this evening and deliver an Address on the condition of the Mission in which he has been engaged in the South Sea Islands. We doubt not it will be highly interesting. The remarkable success given to this mission shews what power the gospel of Christ has to raise men from the depths of degradation and depravity to a state of civilization, purity and happiness.

New Publications.

THE NOVA SCOTIA ARITHMETIC: by W. R. Mullholland. Published by A. & W. Mackinlay. New Edition; Revised and Enlarged.

This Arithmetic will supply Nova Scotia teachers and pupils with a book at least equal to any similar work published in Great Britain, and certainly better adapted to the necessities of our province. It contains all that is necessary in this department of school work, and may be received as a boon which teachers of a few years ago would have hailed with pleasure. The present improved school books afford great facilities for the instruction of the young. The book is well got up and highly creditable to the enterprising publishers.

THE PROVINCIAL ALMANAC for 1865 is laid on our table. It contains its usual amount of information concerning the public offices, societies and men, and various matters necessary to have always at hand.

BELCHERS' ALMANAC for 1865 is also out, and is by no means inferior to its predecessors of the past years.

We have received several books from N. P. Kemp, of the American Tract Society Boston, and as soon as we have examined them, shall notice their contents.

NEWS SUMMARY.

THE most important news of the week has been that of the re-election of Mr. Lincoln, as President of the United States, (as we suppose we must still call them,) for the next four years. The Election took place on Tuesday, the 8th inst. His renewed tenure of office does not begin until the 8th of March next. His success is generally understood to indicate a fixed resolve in the people of the North, to persevere in the war until it shall end in the thorough subjugation of the South, at whatever sacrifice such consummation may have to be effected. The war has now become so nearly approaching to one of extermination, and viewing the bitter animosity that animates almost the entire population on either side, a dark and tragical course of events for some time to come, may evidently be looked for. As matters at present stand Southern affairs certainly look gloomy, and the vastly preponderating power of Federal numbers, might almost seem to ensure final success. We have never thought, nor do we now believe that Slavery has ever had much to do, in the North, with the great questions at issue, except with a very moderate portion of the religious and intelligent part of the community, and except also as it has been lately brought in, to enlist the feelings of foreign powers against the South. That slavery must meet its death blow in whatever way the contest must end, we firmly believe. The motives of the North may be almost wholly attributed to the feelings which naturally spring from a sense of broken up and curtailed dominion, and fears of further disrup-

tion, while the South have been actuated by a long-cherished hatred of their fellow-citizens of the North, intensified by conflicting interests and a resolute purpose to maintain their "peculiar Institution."

The Election and the advanced season have combined to arrest all active movements of the opposing arms. Gold is still rising in New York, and bids fair soon to reach its former maximum, if not to surpass it.

Our last European mail brings dates to the 29th ult., but nothing of political importance. The German, Muller, the Railway murderer, had been convicted. His trial had created great public excitement.

Notices, &c.

Donation Visit.

The Baptist Church and congregation in Amherst, will make a donation visit to the Pastor on Tuesday 13th December next. All persons friendly to the cause are invited to attend at the Mission House, at 6 o'clock, P. M.

A. S. BLENKHORN, Clerk, pro tem.

Mr. HUTTON desires to acknowledge receipt of 50 cents, (less 5 cents postage,) collected by Miss Isabella McNaughton, Luchaber, in aid of the Deaf and Dumb Institution.

Annapolis Co. Ministerial Conference.

The next meeting of the Annapolis County Conference of Baptist Ministers, will be held D. V., at Hillsburg, (Bear River,) on Tuesday the 22nd of November next, at 9 o'clock, A. M. Preaching on the previous evening. A full attendance is particularly requested.

ISA. WALLACE, Secretary.

Lower Granville, 25th Oct., 1864.

Letters Received.

H. W. Crawley, Esq., 9th. Rev. Dr. Tupper, 10th. S. T. White, 9th. X. Z. Chipman, Esq., 9th. \$2.50.—Much obliged. J. L. Tremaine, Esq., 8th. Rev. W. Hall. Rev. J. Davis, 9th. Rev. Obed Parker, 10th. P. F. Murray, 8rd.

General Intelligence.

Domestic.

GOLD.—On Wednesday last 115 ounces of Gold were brought to the city obtained from the Rockland Mining Company's claims at Kentfrew.

WINDSON has been visited during the past week with horse-racing and attempts to set fire to some of its best buildings. Whether there was any connection between the two we have not learned, but it is not unlikely.

FIRES.—We have had several alarms of fire during the past few days. One early on Sunday morning resulted in destroying a barn in Albermarle Street in which two cows were smothered. It is said to have arisen from sparks dropt from a pipe. There were two other fires in the same neighbourhood on Sunday. Mr. Joyce's bakery was destroyed and a horse much injured.

FATAL ACCIDENT.—We learn from the Free Press that the inhabitants of Bridgetown were startled at the mournful tidings that Mrs. Jephtha Rice had been precipitated from the bridge across the river, and was drowned. Mrs. Rice had been in the town, shopping, and was returning homeward, crossing the bridge, when stepping upon a loose plank, as it is supposed, she was plunged into the stream below. A lad, who, at the time, was not far away, heard her fall, and gave the alarm. A boat was got out into the stream, and vain attempts were made to save her, but to this hour, her remains have not been found, although daily and diligent search has since been made.

DREADFUL ACCIDENT.—Last week a young man by the name of Baker McInnis, a native of Musquodoboit, met with a sudden death at Sheet Harbour. He got entangled in the machinery of Mr. Starr's Mills, which cut his body into three pieces. He was unmarried, and the principal support of aged parents.—Sun.

MILITIA DELINQUENTS.—Fourteen persons were fined, last week, \$19 for non-attendance at drill in the city, and several others smaller amounts for not completing their time.

THE KEEFE MURDER.—The impression produced by the trial of Mr. Woodill is that the death of Keefe arose from some of his companions—possibly mistaking the man when both were down struggling together. It is, however, shrouded in mystery. Woodill was pronounced "Not Guilty."

DROWNED.—On Sunday last, the body of a man named David McDougall, of Fisher's Grant, near Pictou, was found in the water. An inquest returned a verdict of "Accidental death by drowning."

The first SNOW of the season in Halifax, fell on Sunday evening. It soon disappeared, and in the morning no vestige of it was left.

THE DELEGATES to the INTERCOLONIAL CONFERENCE are now, we believe, all returned to their homes, and will probably open up the subject to the people, who will have to pay the bills, and develop what they have been talking about inside of their closed doors at Quebec, Montreal, &c.

FARINI, the self styled "hero of Niagara Falls," is now in Halifax, and proposes to exhibit himself on the wires in Temperance Hall. A piece of the Atlantic Cable now being manufactured, may be seen at the Merchants' Exchange Reading Room.

NOTICE TO WHOLESALE AND RETAIL BUYERS OF RUBBERS.

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THE particular attention of wholesale buyers is called to this stock. Remember that the articles on sale are as good as any in the market. This I can warrant; and further, I can sell them cheaper than any other house in the city. Call and judge for yourselves.

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A NEW SUNDAY SCHOOL STAND.

THE SUBSCRIBER has established a NEW SUNDAY SCHOOL STAND at No. 21 Cornhill, second floor, over Degen's Book Store, where he will keep on hand at all times thoroughly assorted Libraries from the newest and best books from all the publishing houses in Boston, New York and Philadelphia. Having been many years editor, and accustomed to the critical examination of books, he will give his personal attention to the literary and moral tone of every book, and warrant each one as suited to the Sabbath School Library. Sufficient variety is secured to furnish a hundred-dollar Library of new and standard books to any school. Having largely economized his expenses, he will sell them at very nearly the cost of publication, and much below the usual charges. Making it a large and important part of his business to furnish the best and cheapest books for Sunday School Libraries, the schools may rest assured that it will be for their interest to send him; and orders will be promptly filled, and the books warranted to suit.

He has also on hand a new edition of the VESTRY HARP, at forty cents a copy; and all the different Question Books suited to Baptist Sabbath Schools, which will be sold at VERY LOW PRICES.

Also, Music Books for Sabbath Schools. Also, a good assortment of BIBLES. W. B. JACOBS, No. 21 CORNHILL, BOSTON, Opposite Boston Tract Society. 2 mths. Oct. 26.

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