

Marriages.

At Dartmouth, on the 21st April, by the Rev. Mr. Sterns, Mr. Charles Morton, to Miss Mary Ann Tufts, both of Dartmouth.

At the Baptist Parsonage, Windsor, April 23rd, by Rev. D. M. Welton, Mr. William C. West, to Miss Sophia Kiddy, both of Cornwallis.

At the residence of the bride's father, on the 22nd April, by the Rev. Jos. H. Saunders, Mr. R. Watson Woodworth, of Cornwallis, to Miss Lydia, daughter of Capt. Amos Scott, of Chebogue, Yarmouth.

On the 15th ult., by the Rev. James Thomas, Mr. John Davis, to Mrs. Isabella Thompson.

On the 1st inst., by the same, Mr. Henry Smith, to Miss Isabella Mahoney.

On Tuesday, April 26th, by the Rev. Dr. Pryor, John Fick, of St. Mary's, Guysboro Co., to Catharine Farquhar, of Dartmouth.

Deaths.

On Saturday, Mr. Joseph Skallish, in the 61st year of his age.

On the 23rd inst., Edward Meagher, aged 54 years.

On the 24th inst., at Musquodoboit Harbour, Alexander, third son of John Smith, in the 30th year of his age.

At Lake Porter, on the 29th of April, Mary, the beloved wife of William Colleymore, aged 48 years. [Boston papers please copy.]

On the 26th inst., in the 56th year of her age, Mary, relict of the late Patrick Bulger.

On the 27th inst., Sarah, wife of Alexander Sturart, in the 35th year of her age.

On Wednesday last, Richard Larricy, in the 77th year of his age.

On the 26th inst., Major Smith Stansbury, a native of Maryland, of the Artillery Corps of the Confederate States of America, at the age of 41 years.

On the 27th inst., Mr. John Purvis, aged 50 years.

On Friday morning, Arthur William, third son of George A. Crickett, Lieut. 2nd Batt. 17th Regt., aged 2 years and 11 months.

On Friday, after a lingering illness, Johanna White, aged 30 years.

On the 22nd inst., at Arichat, Daniel Donegan Donovan, youngest son of Simon Donovan, Esq., in the 17th year of his age.

On the 28th inst., Mr. Matthew Murphy, aged 22 years.

At New Minas, on the 17th of January, of Erysipelas, Dexter Merry, in the 16th year of his age. (P. Wesleyan please copy.)

Mrs. Allen's Hair Preparations, Masons Restorer and Hair Dresser—a further supply received and for sale at wholesale prices, by G. E. Morton & Co.

Hemp, Flax, Canary Seeds. A fresh supply of these seeds intended for cultivation has been received and may be had in small quantities of G. E. Morton & Co., Granville Street, Halifax.

New Magazines and other Periodicals, received by every Mail Steamer, supplied at the news agency of G. E. Morton & Co.

Books of every kind imported to order.

Shipping List.

PORT OF HALIFAX.

Arrived.

Tuesday, 26th.—Steamer A. D. Vance, (Confederate), Nassau 41 days—to the Master; brig Victoria, Morrell, Cienfuegos 26 days—T. C. Kinnear & Co.; schooner Topsy, Reddy, Canso 5 days—B. Wier & Co.

Wednesday, 28th.—Schr. Latour, Affleck, St. Jago Cuba, Boak & Taylor; Mary Elizabeth, King, Boston 3 days—D. Pitts and others; A. C. Major, Perry, Philadelphia 7 days—R. Noble & Sons; Adela, Knight, New York—J. Tobin & Co. and others; Maria Amanda, Garcha, Cuba 18 days—bound to Quebec; W. K. ndick, Hooper, Forchu, W. Kandick; Ocean Romp, (Am.) Westport, Me—bound fishing.

Thursday, 28th.—Schr. Dot, McKinnon, Yarmouth—T. Bolton.

Friday, 29th.—R. M. steamer Asia, Moodie, Boston 38 hours—S. Cunard & Co. 50 passengers, 14 for Halifax; bark Amy Ross, (Norwegian) Johnson, Cadiz—Young & Hart.

Saturday, 30th.—R. M. steamer Europa, Hockley, Liverpool via Queenstown 13 days—S. Cunard and Co. and others; schrs. Delancey, Balcum, Sheet Harbor—W. Chisholm; Mary, Walsh, Newfoundland 3 days—James Moren.

Cleared.

Tuesday, 26th.—Brigs Matilde, Peiper, Bermuda; schr. Sultan, Siteman, Boston.

Wednesday, 27th.—Ship Consul, Barclay, Liverpool, G. B.; brigs Annette, Curtis, F. W. Indies; Wild Hunter, Gange, Kingston, Jam; Maggie, (new) Vigas, Cuba via Sheet Harbour; schrs. Mary, Leary, LaFolie via St. Margaret's Bay; Lavinia Elizabeth, Hawes, St. Ann's; Petrel, Boudrot, Descosse; Greyhound, Snow, Barrington; Wild Wave, Hemen, Liverpool, N. S.; Brilliant Star, Smith, Canso.

Thursday, 28th.—R. M. steamers Alpha, Hunter, Bermuda and Saint Thomas; Merlin, Sampson, Newfoundland; brig Mary Alice, Robbins, Kingston, Jamaica; schrs. Nimble, Road, Labrador and Magdalen Isles; Lucy Ann, Boudrot, Mahone Bay; Petit Revere, Doulier, Port Medway.

Friday, 29th.—R. M. Steamer Asia, Moodie, Liverpool; brigs Kingston, Jamaica; Tyro, Holmes, West Indies; America, French, Boston; schrs. Rambler, Townsend, Sydney; Anna Maria, Landry, Magdalen Isles.

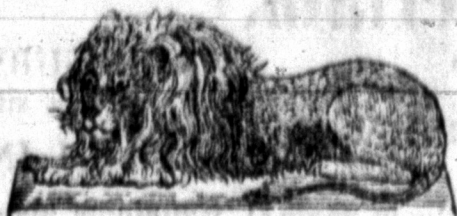
Saturday, 30th.—R. M. steamer Europa, Hockley, Boston.

Memoranda.

Boston, April 26th.—Arr. brig Conquest, Grand Turk; schr. Maria L. Davis, Aux Cayes; eld. W. S. Baker, Cha Jettetown, P. E. I.; Triumph, Horton; Pearl, Harborville, N. S.

New York, 20th.—Arr. brig Sea Bird, Hillsboro; Clie, Portland, Me; F. J. Cummings, Bucksport; H. Havelock, Caribgenia; Northern Light, Nassau; Akina, Nova Scotia; schr. Dundee, Porto Cabello; George Parker, Cornwallis; Magnolia, do; Wentworth, Windsor; Hope, do. 21st.—brig St. Anne, Rio Janeiro; Eldorado, Nova Scotia. 22nd.—Brigs Trackles, Port au Prince; Ella, Havana. 23rd.—John Butler, Matamoras. 24th.—Swan, Alicante; Highland Nancy, St. Jago; Mersey, Turks Islands; Ceylon, Windsor, is bound to Philadelphia, put in leaving, schrs. Lone Star, Halifax. 25th.—Olive Maids, Ponce; Enterprise, Cornwallis—store boat, bulwarks, &c.; brigs Crescent, Neauvitas; Kalama, Maracaibo; J. W. Johnston, Barbados.

LONDON HOUSE.



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We claim to give a better article than any other House in the trade, as we only buy slops in the lowest qualities, those wanting a better article can insure it with us at strictly economical prices.

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P. S.—Another lot of superior TEA, per Forest Queen. In daily expectation of balance of stock per Glen Tilt, Estella, and Pathfinder.

While tendering our best thanks for the very liberal and still increasing patronage extended to us since our retirement from the old concern, we take this occasion to express our hope that the public will be glad to hear that the London House has not 'moved out' of Granville Street, and we also hope they will not be sorry to hear that it has changed owners.

May 4.

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1 case Elegant Spring Shawls & Mantles, Ladies' Gents', and Children's Kid Gloves.

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April 20.

MASON & HAMLIN'S CABINET ORGANS, FOR

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Price, \$85, \$100, \$110, \$135, \$165, \$260, and upwards.

According to number of stops and style of case.

They are elegant as pieces of furniture, occupy little space, are not liable to get out of order and every one is warranted for five years.

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5. No instrument is less liable to get out of order.
6. It will remain in tune ten times as long as a Piano-forte.

It may be reasonably said that if these instruments have the great and obvious superiority thus claimed for them, they must have received very warm recommendations from professional musicians, who would naturally be most interested in the introduction of such instruments, and who are the best judges of their excellence. Such recommendations have already been given to them to an extent unparalleled. Among those who have proffered written testimony to their admirable qualities and great desirability, and that they regard them as unequaled by any other instruments of their class, are such well-known musicians as Lowell Mason, Thomas Hastings, William B. Bradbury, George F. Root, etc.; the most distinguished Organists in the country, as Cutler, of Trinity Church, N. Y.; Morgan, of Grace Church; Zundel, of Mr. Beecher's Church; Braun, Wels, Wilcox, Tuckerman, Zerrahn, etc.; such celebrated Pianists as Gottschalk, Wm. Mason, Mills, Sanderson, Strakosch, etc. In brief, more than two hundred musicians, including a large portion of the most eminent in the country, have testified to this effect. Each CABINET ORGAN is securely boxed, so that it can be sent safely to any distance.

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April 20.

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NOTICE.

HALIFAX, 26th April, 1864.

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JOHN DUFFUS,
W. CUNARD,
JOHN TOLIN,
GEORGE P. MITCHELL,
JEREMIAH NORTHRUP.

N. B.—Banking hours from 10 to 3. The Board will meet for discount daily, Saturdays excepted.

J. W. MERKEL, Pres.,
GEORGE MACLEAN, Cash.

April 27.

THE COLONIAL LIFE ASSURANCE CO.

Incorporated by Special Act of Parliament.

CAPITAL ONE MILLION, STERLING.

THIS IS THE BONUS YEAR.

Proposals should be lodged with the Agents on or before 25th May, 1864, when the Books close for the third investigation and Division of Profits. All persons who may effect Policies before that date will be entitled to share in the Division to be then made.

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The Hon. M. B. Almon, Banker.
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The Fund to be divided will be derived from the Profits which have arisen from those of the Company since 1859. Two investigation Periods have already passed, the results of which are most satisfactory, large additions having been made to Assurances on both occasions; and from the great success which has attended the Company's operations in all its branches, the results of the approaching investigation and Division of Profits are looked forward to by Directors with much confidence.

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No restriction as to travel or residence for persons whose pursuits, professions, or occupations do not necessarily call them abroad. Prospectuses may be had at any agencies of the Company.

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April 27.

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May 4. 2 mths.

1864. SPRING 1864.

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May 4.

1864. SPRING & SUMMER 1864. IMPORTATIONS.

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May 4.

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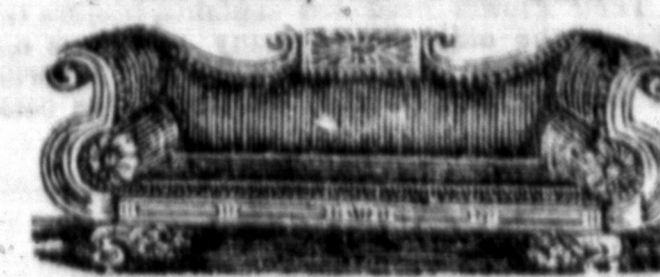
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April 30.

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