

Food are greatly advanced, both in the United States and the British Provinces...

Notices, &c.

French Missionary Board.

Notice is hereby given that the French Mission Board will meet on Tuesday the 31st of October...

Acadia Co. Ministerial Conference

Will meet at Bridgetown, (D.V.) on the second Tuesday in November, at 9 o'clock.

Acadia College.

There will be a meeting of the Board of Governors of Acadia College in the College Library...

Acadia College.

Rev. T. C. Delong wishes to inform his friends that he is now residing at Keumpe, Queens...

Acadia College.

The first of a series of Lectures before the above society, will be delivered by the Rev. J. J. Joplin...

Acadia College.

To CORRESPONDENTS.—E. B. They must have their own signature.

Letters Received.

Rev. A. Shields, J. H. N. Higgins, H. J. Geaner, Rev. Dr. Tupper, (2) \$4.—That will be right. T. Gouay, \$5. Rev. W. H. Porter, Rev. Geo. Weathers, Rev. O. Chute, Jas. B. McNutt, Esq., \$2. Alex. Fraser, \$2.

General Intelligence.

Domestic.

TRIFLING WITH CRIME.—Strong expressions of disapprobation are made by many parties at one of the latest acts of Sir R. G. McDonnell. One Julia Dunavan convicted of keeping a house of ill-fame in one of our "upper streets," and selling liquors without license, was sentenced to six months in prison at Rockhead with hard labor.

JUDGE JOHNSTON.—A highly complimentary address was presented by the Grand Jury, Magistrates and Members of the Bar, at Clare Digby County, to the Hon. Judge Johnston on his recent visit as the presiding judge.

Regarding it as one of the most gratifying features of our society that people of all races, creeds and classes in Nova Scotia are animated by a common pride in the free institutions under which we live, but more especially in the fairness and impartiality with which our wise and wholesome laws are administered to our diversified population.

Judge Johnston replied, in his own felicitous and appropriate style. We copy a paragraph as follows:

"While in this interesting section of the Province, my mind is incessantly recalled to the past; and I cannot forget that I am comparatively but a few steps from the abode of one who, through a long life, here labored usefully and assiduously for the benefit of this community, and who was beloved by those who best knew him, and was respected and honored universally—the Abbe Sigoigne, with whom I had the honor to be acquainted when myself a young man; nor can it fail that my thoughts should for a moment dwell upon the early and romantic history of this Province—surrounded as I am by those whose forefathers first introduced into it the arts of civilization, while it was yet under the dominion of the uncultured savage; and whose domestic virtues and sufferings have been the theme of poets and historians, and have touched every heart capable of generous emotion."

The visitors to Canada, we are informed, have all returned. They were received in several places with much courtesy and attention.

NOVA SCOTIA.—Hon. Wm. Ritchie, Sol General, (2 ladies); L. Hill, M.P.P., and lady; Mr. Pilsbury, editor; Mr. DeWolf; John T. Compton, editor; R. T. Muir, John L. Cragg, J. G. Tobin, Clerk House of Assembly; Peter Lynch and daughter; Mr. McNeill and daughter; Hon. Alex. McFarlane, M.P.P. (2 ladies); Hon. S. L. Shannon, M.P.P.; Hon. W. C. Whitman, Leg. Coun.; Mr. Parker, M.P.P.; W. A. Johnson, Mr. Knight; Mr. Crookill, editor; Jas. H. Thorne, Dr. Hamilton and lady; J. W. Johnston, A. W. McLellan, and lady; E. L. Brown and lady.

NEW BRUNSWICK.—W. Grieves, S. Donaldson, President B. of T., J. L. Inches and lady, C. H. B. Fisher, Sheriff Temple and lady, A. C. Desbrisay, M.P.P., James Spurr and lady, Hon. Mr. Ryan, John Ferris, Samuel Watts, editor, W. Lindsay, M.P.P., Hon. R. D. Wilmot and lady, W. Southon, Edward Willis, press; J. A. Beckwith and lady; Rev. J. Bernet, John Boyd, A. Daniel; J. Glasier and lady, G. W. Day.

PRINCE EDWARD ISLAND.—Hon. Edward Whelan, editor; Andrew Mitchell, M.P.P., editor; Hon. Mr. Pope, Hon. T. H. Haviland and three ladies. NAMES FOR PROVINCES NOT ASCERTAINED.—J. P. Taylor, W. H. Smith, W. W. Wilkinson and lady, Rev. G. Sutherland, H. Blackader, T. Parks and lady, J. Lewis, S. Peters, J. McGrath and lady, J. R. Jones, J. Corbin, J. D. W. Spurr and lady, Hon. B. Wieg and lady, R. W. Fraser and lady, Rev. J. Murray, H. Friger and lady, W. H. Harrison, D. Laird, J. B. Cooper, D. H. Hall and lady, G. Hall, F. Brown and lady.

The latter we believe were principally from P. E. Island.

Professor Lawson recommends the following wholesome treatment as a preservative against garden robberies:

"Whilst the Government, public Societies, and private growers are making great exertions, and expending large sums of money, in bringing valuable fruit trees into the Province, and developing an important branch of industry, there is a band at work sufficient to neutralize all their efforts. In Pictou as in Halifax, the owners of the gardens say, what is the use of planting trees when they are so constantly broken down and the fruit stolen by the City Arabs? These city rogues and rascals merit the serious attention and prompt action of the City Fathers. In Edinburgh, garden-pilfering was for a hundred years a great nuisance, and many long terms of imprisonment were given to juvenile thieves, which served very well to confirm them in their evil ways, and train them to higher crimes. But the expedient was hit upon, of doing away with imprisonment, and publicly whipping the Arabs in the Market Square, before a crowd of their fellows. The practice proved a most salutary one. It saved at once much fruit and many young boys."

POTATO DISEASE.—Mr. H. B. Mitchell of Chester writes to the Journal of Agriculture on this subject:

"Potatoes on the coast are badly affected with the blight. The chief remedy here is to plant early, and then pull or mow off the stalks as soon as affected, and this saves the tubers and secures a crop of sound ones as far as matured. I have often noticed that where surrounded by tall weeds or grass, the blight does not injure the stalk; and I have an idea that at time of planting, or after early hoeing, to plant oats or grain between the rows will give a sound crop, free of taint, the overtopping grain warding off the blight, keeping the air pure, or in some way shielding the potato from the evil influence."

THE CROPS IN CUMBERLAND COUNTY.—The following is communicated to the Journal of Agriculture, (October) by W. F. Gatten, Esq.:

Hay.—Hay has been an article of export from this part of the country for some years, the crop is above an average, and there will be quite an overplus to export.

Wheat.—A very small breadth is sown and the yield usually small; this year is about an average one.

Oats.—A large quantity of oats is raised, more than consumed here; the crop is not more than an average, perhaps not quite up to it.

Buckwheat.—Buckwheat is an important crop with us. Last year it was much injured by the frost; this season it has not sustained so much injury, and is above the average yield.

Potatoes.—Potatoes are small and have been injured by the blight, and much less than an average crop. There will not be any to export.

Very little Fruit raised. Less this year than usual. Vegetables good. Barley not much raised, about as usual.

THE AGRICULTURAL EXHIBITION at Wolfville commences this day. There will doubtless be a large gathering. Many will be there from Halifax, and will we doubt not be well repaid by the charming scenery and the show of the products of nature and art.

FATAL ACCIDENT AT HANTSFOOT.—A Mr. F. Damon from Chester in the act of drinking from a measure on Friday last at Capt. Lockhart's store, fell backward down an open hatchway, and broke his neck. He leaves a wife and five small children.

FIRE.—We have had several alarms of fire during the past week, one on Friday night proved to be a most disastrous one in Alderman Murphey's stables, where fourteen horses were burned to death. But little damage was done to the building. The entrance being through a long narrow passage, it was impossible to rescue them. Some difficulty was found in awaking the men who slept near the stable, and melancholy to relate, one man Maurice Egan was smothered before he could be rescued. It is believed to have been the work of some evil disposed person.

THE TREASURERSHIP.—The death of Lawrence Hartshorn, Esq., leaves two offices vacant, the treasurership of the city and of the county. There are, we learn, a number of applicants for both, John Naylor, Esq., will doubtless be the Treasurer of the County.

TEMPERANCE MATTERS.—The Grand Division of Nova Scotia, will hold its Seventeenth Annual Session in Halifax, on Tuesday the 28th inst., and following days, commencing at 8 o'clock, p. m., on that evening.

The Grand Lodge of the British American Order of Good Templars were to hold a meeting yesterday in Halifax, when we were informed the question of a Supreme Lodge would be taken into consideration. We have not yet learned whether the meeting was held.

TEMPERANCE is making progress East and West. The two Agents are doing a good work for the cause and for the people of this province. Two Divisions of the Sons have been instituted, and one re-organized, in Yarmouth County. One of these, Tusket Division, has the following list of officers:—Israel Harding, W. P.; Joseph Jeffery, W. A.; Arthur W. Eakins, R. S.; George K. Hatfield, A. R. S.; Smith Harding, F. S.; Jacob Cavanagh, T.; Rev. E. Sullivan, Chap.; Samuel Hatfield, C.; Wm. H. Spates, A. C.; Evelyn Robbins, I. S.; Samuel Brookings, O. S.

The Divisions in the City are holding on their way, but we fear there is but little done for the saving of the host of young men, who help to sustain the army of rum-sellers in Halifax.

The temperance party gathered thirty thousand persons at the annual festival of the League, at the Crystal Palace, on Tuesday (Aug. 29). People came from all parts of the country; one excursion train having been brought from Penzance, a distance of 314 miles away, while another party of excursionists left Lincoln at half-past three in the morning, reaching London at half past nine.—Bristol Mercury.

THE BINGHAMTON INEBRIATE ASYLUM, in the State of New York, it appears is now in operation, according to the statement of Rev. J. C. Holbrook, D. D., of Homer, N. Y., who says that "among the patients are men of the first standing as merchants and in the various professions, even including some clergymen. Patients are received for not less than one year, and may be admitted by the courts, or voluntarily commit themselves, signing a contract to be governed by the rules."

DIGBY.—It is proposed to open a slate quarry here shortly.

Parties are also to commence boring for coal in the same locality.

The stage driver between Digby and Yarmouth was thrown from his seat last week, and his leg badly fractured.

The Saloons and Houses of Entertainment along the line of Railway east and west, including those at Bedford, have been summarily removed by order of the Chairman of Railways.—Unionist.

A raid was made by the Police on three houses of ill-fame, and fifteen abandoned women were arrested on Saturday night. They were all sent to Rockhead for 30 days.

Seven men deserted last week from the 16th Reg't. Two were captured near Chester on Saturday.

The members of Chebucto Division, Sons of Temperance, presented their W. P., J. S. D. Thompson with a valuable Barister's gown on Thursday last. It was an interesting occasion.

Mr. John R. Willis has been appointed Secretary of the Board of School Commissioners. A very good appointment.

The Steamer Empress made her first trip from Windsor to St. John on Saturday last, and will take the place of the Emperor on this route for the remainder of the season. She is a fine vessel, is very commodious, and is about 35 feet longer than the Emperor.

THE CREW OF THE "ZERO."—The remaining three of the men belonging to the brigantine Zero arrived in town by the Liverpool packet on Saturday morning last, in charge of Constable Hutt. It appears that on the voyage from Liverpool they charged the murder upon the mate and cabin boy. Their examination commenced in private on Monday before the Stipendiary Magistrate, Mr. Justice Shields. No further particulars can be given until the court is open to the public.

BAZAAR AT SOUTH RAWDON.—Our Baptist friends in South Rawdon had a good time at the Bazaar held on Thursday last, 5th inst. The amount realized, after paying all expenses, is somewhat over \$400. The tables were well supplied, the fancy tables with useful and ornamental articles, thanks to the kind-hearted ladies, whose ready hands have been employed for many months, the refreshment tables were bountifully supplied with every thing necessary to satisfy the keener appetite, and although crowded from morn till eve, there was enough left for as many more. The proceeds are to be appropriated to the repairs of the meeting house and mission premises.

NEWFOUNDLAND.—The Steamer "Delia" from St. John's Newfoundland, and Sydney, C. B., on Sunday last, had upwards of 50 passengers.

At the approaching elections in Newfoundland, the great question to be decided at the polls is Confederation or non Confederation.

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WE have just received per S. S. Cuba and Aleppo, part of our FALL STOCK, which comprises all the latest novelties of the season as well as the staple articles of the trade.

Ladies' Furs.

Which we shall sell as low as at any establishment in the city.

OUR STOCK OF WINTER CAPS.

Is larger this year than ever before, and as we manufacture them all on the premises, buyers will find them CHEAPER and of BETTER STYLE and FINISH than any imported.

WE have on hand a good stock of UMBRELLAS, TRUNKS, VALISES, and LEATHER HAT CASES, at moderate prices.

SILK HATS made to order by CONFORMABLE MEASURE and a PERFECT FIT warranted.

We think both Wholesale and Retail Buyers will find it to their advantage to give us a call.

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N. B.—Balance of FALL STOCK will arrive in next Mail Steamer.

Farm for Sale.

TO be sold at private sale, a FARM with a HOUSE and BARN, and other OUT-HOUSES, FIFTEEN ACRES more or less of good cultivated up-land. And ONE HUNDRED ACRES of Wood and Pasture Land, and about fifteen acres of Beach land, six of which are under good cultivation. The remainder is meadow land, and is a good stand for obtaining sea manure at all times. Also twenty-five acres of Dyke Marsh. There is a convenient place for fishing, fresh fish may be caught winter and summer, the whole season round. Parties can take their produce off either by land or by water.

For further particulars apply to JOHN LLOYD, at Lawrence Town, fourteen miles east of Halifax. May 24. 3 mts.

Farm for Sale.

THE SUBSCRIBER will sell at private sale a FARM, inherited by him as Heir of the late Asher Black, of Amherst, deceased, situated about one mile from the main road leading through Amherst, and adjoining Mr. John Black's Farm, it contains about ONE HUNDRED ACRES, ten to twelve acres of which is under cultivation, the remainder is pasture and woodland, there are on the premises a comfortable DWELLING HOUSE AND BARN.

TERMS moderate; one half of the purchase money can remain on mortgage if required.

For further particulars enquire of Rupert Black, Amherst; Stephen Fulton, Wallace; or the subscriber.

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The Great Family Medicine of the Age, Davis' Vegetable Pain Killer.

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WE have opened a portion of this season's stock per Tipoli, St. Lawrence, and Mail Steamers; and on the arrival of the Roseneath, our stock will be COMPLETE. A look through our establishment will disclose a large and well selected stock of

Staple and Fancy Dry Goods.

White, Grey and Printed COTTONS; Sheetings, Tickings, Drills, Denims; Fine and Coarse LINENS; Table Damasks, Towellings, Curtain Damasks, Cotton Warp, Batting, &c. &c.

DRESS GOODS—French Merinoes, Coburgs, Plain Poppins, Fancy and Plain Wines, Gait Plaids, and all the newest styles in Dress Material.

MANTLES and MANTLE CLOTHS in Astracans, Wintney, Satara and Plain Cloths.

SHAWLS in Paisley, Bordered Cashmere, Saxony, Wool, &c.

BLANKETS—Lancashire, Welsh and Saxony Flannels, Kerseys, Bluses, &c.

CLOTHS in Doekings, Tweeds, Chevots, Silk mixed, Coatings, Pilots, Wintneys, Benavars, &c.

READY MADE CLOTHING, &c. A very large stock of Over and Under Coats, Pants, Vests, Under Clothing, Dress and Flannel Shirts, Braces, Collars, Ties, Handkerchiefs, &c.

Fancy Goods. Flowers, Feathers, Hats, Bonnet and Belt Ribbons, Bonnet and Mantle Velvets, Dress Caps, Laces, Trimmings, Worked Muslins, Linen Sets, &c. A complete assortment of SMALL WARES, and a number of JOB LOTS for Wholesale Customers. SHAW & MURPHY. Sept. 30. 3m.