

would therefore reserve them to be argued in the ensuing December term, before the full bench of Judges.

The question being put to the cook if he had anything to say why sentence should not be pronounced upon him, answered "No."

His Lordship then proceeded to pass the following

SENTENCE OF DEATH.

HARRY DOWSEY.—You were indicted by the Grand Jury of this County for the murder of Colin C. Benson, the unfortunate master of the brigantine Zeno, along with John C. Douglas, the mate and William Lambruent, one of the seamen of that vessel. Lambruent was acquitted on the trial, and Douglas and you, after a long and patient investigation, were found guilty of the murder. In the case of Douglas I have reserved a question of law for the consideration of the Court, and the judgment as to him is for the present postponed. In your case, as in his, several objections of form as to the evidence have been argued and overruled; and now there remains to me, as the organ and minister of the law, the painful but imperative duty of passing upon you the sentence of death. I shall not touch on the revolting features of the tragedy in which you were the principal actor and which are too painfully familiar to us all. In the early dawn, when the captain, who had given you no offence and done you no wrong—a kind master, a quiet and humane man—was sleeping in the fancied security of his cabin, you, under circumstances of peculiar atrocity, either struck or consummated the fatal blow which deprived him of life, and then with cruel mockery, relishing his entreaties, and while he was breathing out his soul on the deck of his own vessel, you cast his body into the sea—all bloody as it was quivering in the agonies of death. For you, then, there can be no hope and no mercy in this world. You are now trembling on the verge of eternity, and about to meet a more awful doom before an infinitely more awful tribunal. In the few days that remain to you, I trust that your heart may yet be touched, and that your conscience may yet be awakened to a late but sincere repentance. And may your fate be a warning to others in a like position with you to whose humanity and fidelity so many valuable lives are of necessity entrusted.

The sentence of the Court is, that you be taken back to the place from whence you came, and thence be carried to such place within this County, and at such time as shall be appointed by His Excellency the Lieutenant Governor, and be specified in the warrant of execution, and that you then be hanged by the neck until you are dead, and may God have mercy upon your soul.

The two Germans were set at liberty, and we are informed they took passage to the Commerce on Thursday for Boston.

Various conflicting opinions are expressed respecting the amount of guilt of the mate.

The Unionist of Monday morning indicates that the cook had on Saturday last given a detailed statement of the murder, and suggests that his former statement that the mate gave the fatal first blow, was the truth.

The boy Stockwell, would appear, to have been a source of much trouble to his parents. The following is a copy of a letter received from his father:

Richmond, Va., Nov. 15, 1865.

Dear Frank,—Your letter of Sept. 28th has come to hand after so long a time. It seems strange to us that a little boy like you should feel at liberty to run away and not let us know where you are for months together and then write to us calling yourself our affectionate son. I am not at all surprised to hear that you have got into trouble.—Hope you will have repentance and return home a better boy. We have been here in Richmond since last April, and expect to remain. Here are hundreds of little Negro boys that behave much better than you and go to school and are trying to learn. We have the care of a great many colored people here and of schools for their children. We should be glad could you come home and be a good boy. But as you have got into trouble you may not have the chance. When you receive this write again and let us know how you are and what has been the decision in the trial of the crew of your vessel.

You must ask God to forgive you, and we will forgive you also. We are all quite well.

From your Father—G. S. Stockwell.

The statement made in one of the morning papers that "his parents express every confidence in his innocence," is hardly borne out by the letter. And further that he "declares he has never been to school in his life," is contrary to his account of himself in his evidence in court.

No time is named for carrying the execution into effect. Doubtless it will be at an early day to be named by the Government. Some dissatisfaction is expressed respecting the delay of sentence in the case of the mate. But as there is no direct evidence that he participated in the death of Capt. Benson, and the only testimony to that effect is from the condemned man, there is hope that something of an exculpatory character may yet transpire.

Lower-Stewiacke.—The Bazaar and Tea-Meeting recently held for building the Parsonage, realized the sum of \$172. In addition to this it afforded all parties concerned great satisfaction and pleasure.

Notices, &c.

I desire to acknowledge in behalf of the Am. Tract Society, the following donations received for postage in Nova Scotia. They have already been noticed in the "Am. Messenger"; but as this Periodical does not reach many of those who have given, it has occurred to me that contributions made in this Province, should be inserted in the religious Papers of this city.

The following have been received since March 1st, 1865. Contributions made before that date will be found in the last Annual Report of the New England Branch of the Society.

Table listing donations for postage in Nova Scotia, including Lunenburg, Bridgewater, Milton, Miss F., Halifax, A. friend, do, St. Matthew's S. School for Colportage, in Halifax Co., Economy, Five Islands, Acadian Iron Mines, Hantsport, Wolfville, New Minas, Kentville, Gaspereaux, Canard, Cornwallis.

ALEX. McBEAN.

Letters Received.

J. L. Tremain, Esq., \$8 for Home Mission Board. H. J. Gesner, \$10. Rev. A. Chipman. G. V. Raud, (2) 1 sub. J. W. Johnson, 1 sub. Rev. G. Armstrong, Nelson Miller, \$6.50. Rev. J. C. Morse, \$2. M. Kingsman, 1 sub. \$4. O. H. Cogswell, 1 sub. A. N. Whitman, Esq., \$3.50. G. E. Bishop.

Commercial.

Halifax Markets.

Table of market prices for various goods including Flour, American spines, Canada, Rye, Cornmeal, Butter, Coffee, Tea, Sugar, Molasses, Salmon, Codfish, Mackerel, Herring, Haddock, Hake, Coal, Wood.

Farmers' Market.

Table of market prices for agricultural products including Hay, Beef, Pork, Bacon, Mutton, Poultry, Ducks, Turkey, Geese, Butter, Cheese, Eggs, Oatmeal, Oats, Apples, Potatoes.

IN THE PRESS, AND WILL BE READY ABOUT THE 1st OF DECEMBER.

A CATECHISM OF CHRISTIAN BAPTISM.

By Rev. J. M. CHAMPE, D. D. Part I.—What Baptism is. Part II.—What Baptism is not. Part III.—The duty of Christians with regard to Baptism.

NOVEMBER, 1865.

Inland Route. St. John, Portland, Boston, &c.

The steamer EMPEROR will leave Windsor for St. John during the month of Oct., as follows: Wednesday, Nov. 1st, at 9 o'clock a.m.; Saturday, " 4th, " 11 o'clock a.m.; Wednesday, " 8th, " 2 o'clock p.m.; Saturday, " 11th, " 4 o'clock p.m.; Wednesday, " 15th, " 7 o'clock a.m.; Saturday, " 18th, " 10 o'clock a.m.; Wednesday, " 22nd, " 1 o'clock p.m.; Saturday, " 25th, " 4 o'clock p.m.; Wednesday, " 29th, " 7 o'clock a.m.

Connecting with the steamers New Brunswick and New York, which leave St. John every Monday and Thursday Morning, at 9 o'clock, for Eastport, Portland and Boston.

Table of fares for the Inland Route, including Halifax to St. John, St. John to Portland, Portland to Boston.

Connection also with the Grand Trunk Railway at Portland, for all parts of Canada and the West.

Table of fares for the Grand Trunk Railway, including Halifax to Quebec, Montreal, Toronto, London, Chicago.

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