

The Editor of the St. John N. B. Religious Intelligencer recently paid a visit to Nova Scotia. His remarks on Halifax are quite complimentary. He says:—

On Tuesday we availed ourselves of the opportunity of visiting Halifax. Leaving Windsor by train at seven A. M., in company with an agreeable travelling companion, we reached the city about ten, and after spending six or seven hours in visiting the city and suburbs, and making ourselves acquainted with things and places, we returned by train in the evening. Of Halifax we shall only say, that its beauty and extent exceeded our expectations; in appearance, we think, it far surpasses St. John, while its beautiful and capacious harbour, including Bedford Basin, exceeds any thing we were led to anticipate. Confederation of British America, with an Intercolonial Railroad, must make Halifax one of the first cities on the American Continent. Its geographical position, with its magnificent harbour, can admit of no successful rivalry.

Much obliged Brother McLeod. We are glad you had so agreeable a companion, and saw Halifax under so favorable an aspect.

THE PROPER PLACE FOR A CHOIR.—Rev. Dr. Hague, in a description of a Sunday spent in Montreal, says.—We found our way, by the help of a friend, to the Baptist church, a neat and attractive stone edifice, in the Gothic style of architecture, with windows artistically decorated, exhibiting appropriate emblems and Scripture scenes. In this church there is behind the pulpit a small organ, with a small choir, designed to lead the people in song. There is no pretence of music, and we heard no symphonies.

NEWS SUMMARY.

OUR European news by Atlantic Telegraph for some days past has been wholly without interest, except that it continues to afford the welcome intelligence that pacific relations among the late belligerents, are to all appearance daily becoming more settled and satisfactory.

One of the most important matters now under public discussion, is the future of the temporal power of the Papacy. That such power will very shortly be brought to a conclusion there can be little doubt. The great crisis will, in all probability, occur on the withdrawal of the French troops from Rome, which is very shortly to take place. It is conjectured, however, that the Pope, when disencumbered of his small temporal dominions, will still make Rome his fixed residence, and exercise his spiritual dominion over the great Roman Catholic community in various parts of the world.

The weather in England and most parts of Western Europe has been wet and uncertain, and in some places great injury to the crops has been the consequence. On our own side of the Atlantic very serious injury has resulted from the frequent and heavy rains. The British Provinces, including our own, have borne their full share of the evil.

As far as we can fairly judge, Mexican affairs are approaching a crisis which will probably terminate the brief and dubious reign of the Emperor Maximilian. What will be the next phase of political change in that rich but ill-fated country, it is not easy to divine. The dark cloud of internal strife and confusion which has so long hovered over the land, is not likely to be soon dispelled.

The telegram from New York on Saturday conveys intelligence of a movement of the Fenians in that direction. Whether there be any truth in the statement remains to be seen. It may be a mere diversion of the chiefs to cover their failure in Canada.

Notices, &c.

REV. WILLARD G. PARKER has returned to Nicotauz, and wishes correspondence and papers for him to be sent there.

Rev. J. R. Kane wishes us to say that the Bazaar and Launch at Oak Point, are to take place on the 11th of October, instead of the 8th as formerly notified.

Letters Received.

Rev. Dr. Tupper, 2 subs. Rev. W. G. Parker. Rev. P. F. Murray, \$2.50. W. F. Cullen—the amount of order \$44 was received. Thanks. J. W. Bares. Rev. D. O. Parker, 1 sub. Rev. E. C. Cady. Rev. G. M. W. Carey.

General Intelligence.

Domestic.

THE ANNUAL SCHOOL MEETINGS.—As the third Monday in October is the 15th, School Trustees should issue their notices for said meetings on or before Tuesday next the 9th Inst. They should be posted "in three public localities within the Section five days previously."

CIVIC.—The Municipal elections on Monday resulted as follows:

- M. H. RICHBY, Esq., for Mayor, unopposed. For Aldermen: Ward 1.—THOMAS GRAHAM, having 98 votes against 88 for James Tobin. 2.—Alderman RICHARDSON, unopposed. 3.—Alderman J. D. NASH, unopposed. 4.—Alderman MURPHY, unopposed. 5.—EDWARD LEAHY, having 255 votes against 91 for T. Roche. 6.—Alderman JENNINGS, having 55 votes against 26 for C. H. Belcher.

There are therefore but two new names amongst the newly elected. There was but little interference with the usual quiet of the city by the elections.

SONS OF TEMPERANCE.—The Eighteenth Annual Session of the Grand Division of Nova Scotia will be held on Tuesday evening the 30th of October and following days. The committee appointed to obtain facilities of travel for the Delegates announce that they have succeeded in doing this with T. S. Lindsay's line of coaches from Sydney; H. Hyde's from Pictou and West River; and J. K. Blair's from Wallace.

NEW TEMPERANCE HALLS.—The Divisions at Sambro, Elmsdale, Ingraham River, and we believe Indian Harbor also, are erecting Temperance Halls for their own accommodation, as well as for the use of public meetings. We believe that Recub Division, South Rawdon, will soon make an effort to replace their Hall which was destroyed by fire. The Division at the Gore are likely to secure as their own property the Hall in which they now meet.—The Divisions at Wallace, Gay's River, and Bridgewater have erected new halls during the present year.—Abstainer.

FATAL ACCIDENT.—A sad accident occurred at the Albion Mines on Wednesday. A portion of the roof of Dalhousie Pit fell in, instantly killing Peter Mahoney, and so severely injuring Alex. McLean that he is not expected to recover. Both men have large families.

Major-General Doyle took his departure on Saturday last, by the special train for Windsor, thence to New Brunswick, to assume the Governorship of that province. The Halifax Volunteer Rifles formed the Guard of Honor, a salute of thirteen guns was fired on his leaving. Addresses were presented on Friday, all breathing a spirit of the greatest respect and esteem, and regret at the General's departure. The replies were reciprocal of similar feelings, especially that to the citizens of Halifax.

BEWARE OF DOGS!—A young woman was seriously injured by a cow running against her near St. Luke's church last week. It arose from a dog worrying the cow.

A colored man named Franklyn, was arrested at Dartmouth on Friday morning, charged with stealing a half barrel of Salmon from a vessel lying at the Steamboat slip. It subsequently transpired that he has been engaged in this sort of business for some time, as on searching his residence, a quantity of stolen goods was discovered. The prisoner was taken before Justice Russell, and sentenced to pay \$20, or 30 days in the County Jail. On his way to the city, in the custody of the constable, he jumped overboard, and was with difficulty rescued from being drowned.

THE PICTOU RAILWAY.—A despatch from Pictou announces that the first train passed over the section of the Pictou railway between New Glasgow and Fisher's Grant on Saturday last.

THE PARIS EXHIBITION COMMISSION met in the Legislative Library on Saturday last. The Column of Coal, promised by the Hon. T. D. Archibald, has been received. Mr. W. Symonds has engaged to construct a Working Model of a Gold Quartz Crushing Machine, in order that our Gold Mining industry may be effectively illustrated, and that our department in the Working Machinery class may not be unoccupied.

The offer of Mr. Day, Artist, to emblazon the Provincial Coat of Arms on a banner of blue silk for the purpose of decoration, was also accepted.

DEAF AND DUMB ASYLUM.—Mr. Hutton has just returned from a tour with several of the pupils of the above Institution, through the counties of Hants and Colechester. Meetings have been held in quite a number of places. Upwards of \$300 were received on behalf of the Institution from the friends in the several localities visited.

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