

A contemporary says that when Mr. Cardwell is walking in the Eternal City the Roman matrons kneel before him, saying, "He looks a saint every inch."

Dr. Richardson states that Iodine placed in a small box with a perforated lid destroys organic poison in rooms. In cases of smallpox he has seen this method used with great benefit.

Kitty Vance, the old woman who walked from Penzance to London and back in the year of the first Exhibition, has just repeated the same feat, the object this time being to see her daughter. She is eighty-eight years old.

France and Russia have concluded a convention relative to the restoration of the chapels in the Church of the Holy Sepulchre at Jerusalem. The French and Russian representatives in Jerusalem demand that the houses built on the terraces of the church shall be pulled down.

Marriages.

At Digby Joggan, Dec. 1, 1866, by Rev. L. B. Gates, Mr. Edward Savauary, to Miss Eliza Savauary, of St. Mary's Bay.

At Weymouth on the 1st inst., by Rev. Chas. Randall, Mr. Sears Mullen, of New Tuskot, Clare, and Miss Eliza, third daughter of Mr. Charles McNeill, of North Range, Weymouth.

By Rev. Geo. Wethers, Dec. 19th Mr. Rodrick Rose, of New Glasgow, to Miss Margaret Dexter, of Kempt, Hants Co.

On 29th ult., by the Rev. W. B. Armstrong, David Davies, to Maria Jane Chanonhouse, both of Waverley.

On the 1st inst., by the Rev. Mr. Hill, Mr. William Cole, of Musquodoboit, to Caroline, youngest daughter of the late John Ariz.

On the 27th Dec., at New Antrim, Musquodoboit, by the Rev. John McMillan, Mr. Robinson Nelson, of Shubenacadie, to Miss Catherine McMullin, of New Antrim.

On Thursday evening, 3rd inst., by the Rev. J. E. Goucher, Mr. William Thomas, to Miss Priscilla Ma-on, both of Lunenburg.

On New Year's evening, by the Rev. A. Kent, Mr. John O'Donnell, to Miss Annie M., daughter of Mr. George Laurillard.

At Chester, on the 30 Dec., by the Rev. I. J. Skinner, Mr. Alexander M. Church, to Miss Sarah M. Evans, both of Chester.

At Little Bras d'Or, C. B., on New Year's day, by the Rev. T. H. Porter, Jr., Mr. Robert D. Rice, of Cow Bay, and Miss Estie P., eldest daughter of the Mr. George Nusgrave, of Little Bras d'Or.

By Rev. Geo. F. Miles, at the residence of the bride's mother, Thomas Silas Corbett, Esq., to Lydia Ann, eldest daughter of the late Thomas Roach Forrest, Esq., all of Amherst.

Deaths.

On the night of Saturday, 5th inst., Isaac Rigby, late Deputy Storekeeper, War Department, aged 68 years.

On 5th inst., Mary, the beloved wife of Sergt. John Hayes, 15th Brigade R. A., aged 27 years.

At Falmouth, 30 Dec., Lewis Woodell aged 10 months, youngest child of J. F. Burnham, of Halifax.

At St. Mary's Bay, on the 26th ult., Mr. John Lambertson, a much respected inhabitant of that place, aged 70 years, leaving a widow and five children.

At Digby, suddenly, on the 25th of December, wife of Capt. James Hughes.

In Harmony, Aylesford, on the 18th day of Dec., Francis Ward, son of James and Theresa Ward, aged 30 years. Bro. Ward had been an exemplary member of the Baptist Church of Lower Aylesford and Upper Wilmot for a number of years. His lingering illness, consumption, was borne with marked patience, and submission to the will of God: and he was sustained to the last by Divine grace.

Suddenly, on Tuesday evening, Charles Wm. Cunningham, in the 19th year of his age.

On the 1st January, Thomas Dec, aged 60 years.

On Tuesday, 1st inst., William Mitchell, aged 78 years.

On the 30th Dec., Sarah, the beloved wife of Joseph Wilton.

At Truro, on the 26th Dec., in the 14th year of her age, Ada Jane, daughter of Richard Christie.

Suddenly, on the 26th Dec., at Keufrew Digby, Mr. Michael Kelly, aged 49 years.

At the Poor's Asylum, Jan. 1st, Patrick Karney, aged 70 years. 31st Dec., James Dick, aged 78 years. Jan 1st, Wm Sturmy, aged 57 years. Mary Morgan, aged 83 years. Jan 3rd, John Weston, aged 50 years.

Shipping List.

PORT OF HALIFAX.

Arrived.

Tuesday, Jan. 1.—R. M. S. China, Capt. Hockly. Wednesday 2.—Brit. Athos, Godfrey, Cow Bay; schrs William Taylor, Martin, Sheet Harbor; Louisa, Bateon, Sheet Harbor; Vincent, P. E. I.; Annie Leahy, Tremain, Bay of Islands; Vision, Bay of Islands.

Thursday, 3.—Brig Wave, Harbor Grace; R. M. S. Java, Moodie, Boston.

Friday, 4.—Schrs. Excel, Murphy, Sydney; Galle, Swain, Boston; Meda, Gerroir, Newfoundland; Annie Jane, Melrose, Boston.

Sunday, 6.—Brig. Clifford, Jenkins, Nassau; schrs Atlanta, Lasan, St. Domingo; Margaret, Road, St. John, N. B.; Gladiato, Westover, Lunenburg; Vulture, Arichu.

Monday, 7.—Schr. Excelsior, Hall, Sheet Harbor.

Cleared.

Tuesday, Jan. 1.—No clearances to-day.

Wednesday 2.—R. M. S. China, Hockley, Boston; brigque Liverpool, Greenough, Liverpool, G. B.; brig. Catharine, LeBlanc, Cow Bay; schr. Wild Wave, Kenny, Barrington.

Thursday, 3.—Java, Moodie, Liverpool, G. B.; Alpha, Hunter, Bermuda; brig. La Cayenne, Doherty, Aux Cayes; schr. Messenger, Young Lunenburg.

Friday, 4.—Schr. Gipsy Lass, Blackford, W. Indies.

Monday, 7.—Steamer Equator, Clarke, Portland; by g. Rainbow, Raynes, Keynes, Kingston, Ja; Arthur, Titus, B. W. Indies; Violetta (P.), Chasou, St. Pierre; schrs Volant, Bonnell, LaFolle, N. F.; Advance, Parr, Cornwallis.

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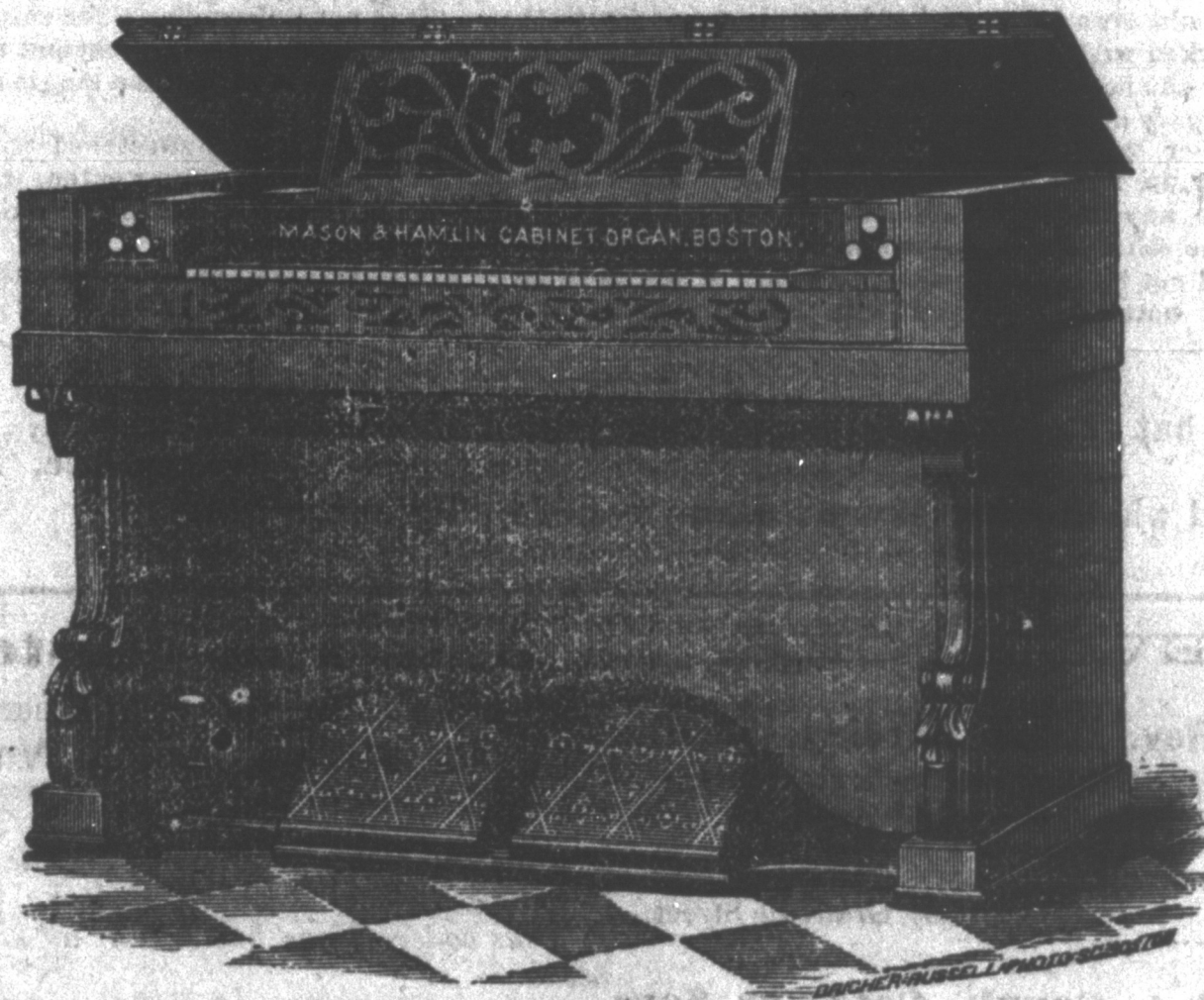
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Jan. 9.



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Nov. 7.



Office of Board of Works, Halifax, Dec. 1, 1866.

Notice to Mariners.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that the Light-house no in course of erection on Iron Bound Island, entrance to Mahone Bay, on the South East Coast of this Province, will be lighted on or about the 24th inst.

FRED. BROWN, Chairman.

Dec. 28.

Office of Board of Works, Halifax, Nov. 20, 1866.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that the Light House, on Amet Island, of Tatamagouche Harbour, Straits of Northumberland, in Lat 45, 49, 3' North, Long. 66° 9' West, will be lighted on the 21st inst., and will exhibit a fixed WHITE LIGHT. The Lantern is placed on the top of the keeper's Dwelling, which is painted WHITE.

FRED. BROWN, Chairman.

Dec. 28.

Boarding House.

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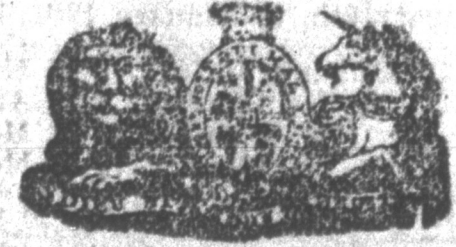
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OFFICE OF BOARD OF WORKS, HALIFAX, Jan. 1, 1867.

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In Latitude 44deg. 26min. 15sec. North, Longitude 64deg. 4min. 10sec. West, exhibiting two fixed WHITE LIGHTS, apart from each other 25 feet horizontally, is now and will be in operation from this date. The Light is visible from sea from W. S. W. to N. E. and is 50 feet above the level of the sea at high water. FRED. BROWN, Chairman. Jan. 9. 3m.

NOTICE TO MARINERS.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the BEACON LIGHT at the entrance of the Harbor of ST. JOHN, New Brunswick, was destroyed by fire on Monday, the 7th January, instant, and that no light can be exhibited there for some time.

H. B. PAULIN.

Comptroller of Customs. Custom House, Halifax, Jan. 7th, 1867. Jan. 9. 2m.

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