

This opinion is now being more generally adopted, and is, in consequence of recent developments of Episcopacy, continually receiving fresh illustrations and proofs of its correctness.

There have been great rejoicings in England over the successful termination of the Abyssinian campaign.

In the House of Commons on the evening of the same day, Mr. Disraeli, in reply to a question by Mr. Layard, made some remarks on the subject of the Abyssinian War.

On Tuesday the London Times telegram states that King Theodoros made an attack on the British advance on the 10th of April.

Marriages.

At the Baptist Parsonage, North Sydney, C. B., on the 24th ult., by the Rev. T. H. Porter, Jr., Mr. William Ailan, to Miss Bridget Kell, both of North Bar.

Deaths.

At Weymouth, April 17th, 1868, David F., aged 20 years, youngest son of William Aymar, Esq., of Grand Jockin, Digby.

was a native of Cambridge, Township of Cornwallis, Nova Scotia. For some time he occupied the position of Teacher in the Model School at Truro.

Notices, &c.

Several Answers to the Puzzle "Something for the curious," besides the one published in our last were received, for which the writers will please accept our thanks.

Acadia Athenaeum.

The Rev. E. A. Crawley, D. D., will deliver the last lecture of the season before the Acadia Athenaeum, in the Vestry of the Baptist Chapel, Wolfville, on Friday evening, 15th inst., at 7 o'clock.

Letters Received.

S. F. Kendall, (2). A. Logan. H. C. Creed. J. C. Anderson, Esq., 62 1/2 cts. Rev. I. J. Skinner, 2 subs. Jos McVane, \$10. Rev. Dr. Tupper, (2). \$5. Rev. P. F. Murray, \$9. S. Wheelock—The \$2 credited correctly.

Shipping List.

PORT OF HALIFAX.

Arrived.

Tuesday, April 21.—Bridget Laura, Carmichael, New York; schrs J. B. Huey, Silver, do; Sherbrooke, Dickson, St Mary's; J. Cummings, Ternian, Trenton, Me; Bessie Gardner, Gardner, Liverpool, N. S.; Gertrude, (Am.) Good, Eastport; Alexander, McKay, Bridgetown; Mary Ann, Leahy, Sydney; Susan, McInnis, Louisburg; Antelope, Landers, Yarmouth; Alice M Hooper, McLeod, Gabarous, C. B.; Osprey, D'Entremont, Pubnico; Tyro, Smith, Liverpool, N. S.; Pioneer, Gillart, Cornwallis; Alex McLeod, Hayes, Cow Bay; Lady Sale, Richard, do; Leander, Lorrior, Arichat; May Queen, Gosby, Cape Canso.

Cleared.

Tuesday, April 18.—Steamer Carlotta, Maguere, Portland; schrs Me Cousin, Wentzell, Porto Rico; Harold, Brennan, Magdalen Islands; British Pearl, Hadley, Guysboro; Mary Kate, English, Pictou; Susie A Mullins, Tatamagouche and River John; Ida May, Bollong, New Glasgow; Zenobia, Hempton, Liverpool, N. S.

Cove; Pioneer, Nickerson, Cornwallis; Arthur Marvin, Townsend, Sydney; Prowess, Leonard, Cow Bay and Glace Bay; Leander, Connell, Barrington.

General Intelligence.

Province of Nova Scotia.

HALIFAX ITEMS.

Mr. A. Downs, whose grounds and collection of animals have long been one of our city "lions," has received an appointment from the Commissioners of the Central Park in New York, to take charge of the Zoological Gardens to be established there; it is said at a salary of \$3,000 per annum.

NARROW ESCAPE.—A woman from the country narrowly escaped death at the Richmond Depot on Saturday evening. She was a passenger in the train from Pictou, and having delayed in the car to collect a lot of parcels, was in the act of stepping off when the train started to back up to the baggage room.

FIRE was discovered on Friday last in the hold of H. M. S. Constance lying at the dock-yard. After several hours had been spent in endeavoring to extinguish it, water to the depth of ten feet was pumped into the ship which effectually quenched the flames.

BIGAMY.—The City papers have given some prominence to a case of this nature which has been before the courts during the past week. The following are we believe, the facts:

On Saturday Thos. A. James was brought before the Stipendiary Magistrate under a warrant charging him with bigamy. A witness was called who proved that about three months ago James told him that he had some disagreement with his wife, and intended to seek for a divorce on the ground that he had been previously married, and the first wife was alive.

On Wednesday Mr. Wetherbe brought the case before Judge Wilkins by Habeas Corpus, and an order was issued for the prisoner's discharge. The order was executed but when James left the jail he was again arrested on the charge under another count.

REAL ESTATE.—Several large sales of property in this city have been made during the week: J. M. Jones, Esq., of Dutch Village has sold 'Ashbourne' for \$10,600. Mr. Andrew Downs, his property at the head of the N. W. Arm to two gentlemen for \$10,000.

Messrs. Hoge, Armstrong & Co. have purchased the Jericho Warehouse in Water street for \$12,000.

Twenty building lots on the "Governor's Farm," at Richmond, were sold on Saturday by order of the Commissioner of Public Works. Mr. P. Ross purchased sixteen lots for \$1217; Mr. D. Ross two lots for \$200; and Mr. R. Ross two lots for \$130.

A number of building lots on the Clewly Road were sold on Monday 27th ult., realizing \$9000. The lots measured 40 by 80 feet and averaged, \$220 each.

A school teacher by the name of O'Leary was drowned at Prospect on Saturday last.

The Saw Mill at River Philip owned by R. F. Black, Esq., and J. W. Schurman, and about 40,000 feet of spruce deals, were destroyed by fire on the 25th ult. Loss \$2,000.

In the police court on Monday morning a policeman was fined \$15 for striking and abusing a sailor belonging to H. M. S. Sphynx.

BERWICK.—The Star says, we regret to learn that Mr. Benjamin Pierce had one of his legs broken yesterday, by the falling of an embankment in a Railway "Cut" near this village.

GOLD IN HANTS CO.—Gold has been discovered at Ardoise Hill, and a number of claims have been taken up. The prospects are said to be excellent.

Mourning Goods!

J. B. ELLIOTT & CO.

Reg to call attention to their new Stock of the above Goods just opened by recent arrivals, consisting of: Black French MERINOS, Alexandria CLOTH, IMPERIAL CORDS, BARATHEAS, PARAMETTAS, COBURGS, and ALPACCAS, in full and extra widths; ROLLED GRAPES, CRAPE LIESSE, Black French KID GLOVES, MOURNING VELS, CRAPE TRIMMINGS, &c., &c.

An inspection requested, and good value guaranteed.

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JOHN RUHLAND, HOUSE AND SHIP JOINER, 17 HOLLIS STREET, HALIFAX, N. S.

New Spring Goods, PER "ETNA."

VAUX BROTHERS

Have now ready for inspection:— FRENCH CAMBRICS, newest Styles, Fancy and Mourning PRINTS, Bismark and Black VELVETEENS, White, Tucked and Emb'd SKIRTS, Drab and White STRAW HATS, Plumes, Flowers and Straw Ornaments, Emb'd and Linen SETS, Coventry and Lace Edged FRILLINGS, New Washing Trimming BRAIDS, New Dress Trimmings & Satin Piping, Maltese and Cluny Laces and Insertions, Gossamer and Lace FALLS, Chignon Hair Pads, Elegant Hat and Bonnet WREATHS, New Dress Buttons, Bismark Dress Trimmings, &c.

GLASGOW HOUSE, 5 GRANVILLE STREET,

April 22.

TO BE SOLD BY

AUCTION.

IN front of the premises, on FRIDAY, the 1st day of May next, all that certain Freehold Property in the town of Digby, lately in the possession of the late Henry Stewart, consisting of the Northern half part of Lots Nos. 5, 6 and 7 in Block, Letter W., situate on WATER STREET, together with the

DWELLING HOUSE

and STORE, known as the Telegraph Office. Said half part of said three lots, measures about one hundred and eleven feet on Water Street. Also at the same time and place, the

Water Lot.

In front, belonging to the above described upland property, will be sold either with or separate from the upland property, to suit purchasers. For further information parties are referred to George Henderson, of Digby, or the subscribers at Halifax, Terms, a deposit of 10 per cent. at time of sale, balance on delivery of the deed.

R. S. BLACK, M. M. } Executors Estate of M. G. Black, M. G. BLACK, S. H. BLACK,

Halifax, Feb. 12th, 1868. Feb. 19. till 1st May.



GOVERNMENT HOUSE, OTTAWA, MONDAY, 6th April, 1868.

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR GENERAL IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS, by the 81st section of the Act 31 Vic. Cap. 6, entitled: "An Act respecting the Customs," it is enacted that— "Except in cases which by any regulation to be made by the Governor in Council, may be excepted from the operation of this section, all spirit (unless in bottle and imported from the United Kingdom, or in bond from a Bonded Warehouse in some British Possession) brought into Canada, in casks and packages of less size than to contain one hundred gallons, shall be forfeited."

And whereas Brandy and other Spirits are usually exported from Europe in casks or other packages, containing less than one hundred gallons, whereby such goods, when imported into Canada, would become liable to forfeiture as aforesaid, unless excepted from the operation of the Act referred to,—Therefore His Excellency in Council, on the recommendation of the Honorable the Minister of Customs, and under the authority given by the said Act, has been pleased to make the following "Regulation."

"All importations of spirits made direct to Canada from European Ports, shall be and they are hereby excepted from the operation of the 1st section of the Act 31 Vic. Cap 6, intitled, 'An Act respecting the Customs,'"

WM. H. LEE Clerk Privy Council

April 29.

January, 1868.

MOURNING GOODS.

R. N. Beckwith & Co.

Respectfully call attention to their stock of BLACK FRENCH MERINOS, Black French Paramattas, Black Saxony Cords, Black Barathea, BLACK COBURGS AND LUSTRES, Black Mantle VELVETS, Black Crape Collars and Veils, Black Illusion and Fig'd Nets, Black Bonnet Ribbons, all widths, Black Mantle Cloths, Black Astrican, WATERPROOF CLOAKINGS, The above goods will be offered,

FOR TWO WEEKS,

AT REDUCED PRICES,

Preparatory to taking stock.

Jan. 22

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Every Garden should have a bed of this delicious Fruit, which will amply repay the trouble of cultivation.

The subscriber has a fine lot of plants of the following varieties, which will produce fruit from three to five inches in circumference and have been fully tested, Viz:—

- WILSON'S ALBANY. TRIOMPHE de GAND. AGRICULTURIST. BROOKLYN SCARLET. SCOTT'S SEEDLING. BOSTON PINE. JENNY LIND.

The above will be sent to any address, by mail—postage paid—at 30 cents per dozen or 1,50 per hundred—not more than four varieties to be included in the hundred, or two varieties in the dozen.

Also, Fuller's "Strawberry Cultivator" price, postage paid, twenty-five cents. Gao. V. RAND. Wolfville, April 3rd, 1868. April 8.