

reported to this bureau within the past four months. Of these 89 were adult males, 35 adult females, 53 boys and 52 girls. The lost men are reported as generally young, and as having been engaged in business; the women were also for the most part young, but more old women than old men were missed. Of the boys the majority are set down as ranging in age from fourteen to nineteen, and the girls from fourteen to eighteen years. The latter, when found, have in almost every instance been discovered in disreputable houses.

West Indies.

News from Kingston, Jamaica, to the 24th inst states that purchasers of coffee, timber and real estate were arriving from England.

The iron dock at St. Thomas will probably be got afloat in April.

From St. Vincent the dates are to March 5th. The new constitution was not understood by the people, and of course it became unpopular. The police were likewise obnoxious.

From Trinidad the dates are to March 9th. Three hundred coolies had arrived. The weather was showery, but good for the crops. Under the privilege of free shipments tonnage was improving.

From St. Kitts advices are to the 13th inst. An earthquake was felt on the 28th ult., but it was not serious.

HAVANA.—A despatch from Havana to New York on Saturday last says that the Bishop of Havana being refused permission by the Captain General to go to Madrid, obtained that permission by telegraph from Home Government. The Bishop received the Clergy of Havana on Monday at the Cathedral, and delivered an address. After this with bells tolling, he proceeded on foot to the steamer, and sailed for Spain.

LATEST FROM EUROPE.

By Atlantic Telegraph.

ENGLAND.—London, April 1.—House of Commons (eve.) Mr. Ward Hunt asked leave to bring in a bill for purchase by Government of all the lines of telegraph in the Kingdom. He explained the bill provided for appointment of arbitrators to decide what prices be paid to telegraph companies for property and interests in lines.

Revenue returns of Great Britain last quarter year show a deficiency of 5,000,000 pounds sterling.

Despatches from Madrid give positive denial to reported prohibition of American newspapers by Government.

April 2.—Markets generally without quotable change. Consols 93 1-8.

The Spanish Government will grant Cuba an army organization similar to her own.

The negotiations between Prussia and Denmark in regard to the disputed territory in Schleswig-Holstein, still continue. It is reported that the Danish Commissioners recently asked the cession to Denmark of the Island of Alsens, in the Baltic, and Fortress of Duppel. The latest telegrams from the Continent which contain these rumors say, also, that Prussia has decidedly refused to accede to the request of Denmark.

The bill abolishing the flogging in the army has passed Commons.

Liverpool, April 4.—Advices from Manchester are favourable. The markets for goods and yarns are strong, the price having advancing tendency. Breadstuffs closed irregular, but generally dull. There has been a further decline in Corn, which closed at 10s. 6d. per quarter for new mixed Western, others unchanged. Provisions and produce unchanged.

FRANCE.—There is to be an International Maritime Exhibition at Havre in June next. The Exhibition embraces forty-three classes figuring in the programme in the five following groups: Navigation, Goods, Fishing, Agriculture, and Complementary classes. Sailing, rowing and steam regattas are also proposed.

The Exhibition Buildings form an immense square with a large garden in the centre. The galleries are about 1,300 yards in length, and the whole of the space devoted to the exhibition occupies a space of about twelve acres. The buildings are of brick, and without any sort of architectural pretensions, the object being to make them as simple possible in their exterior appearance. Succeeding so soon the magnificent exhibition of Paris, any rivalry in this respect would have been ridiculous. The organization of the exhibition is as simple as liberal. The exhibitors are free to arrange their products as best pleases them.

ITALY.—King Victor Emmanuel is confined to bed by serious illness.

PRUSSIA.—Berlin, April 2.—The Naturalization Treaty just concluded with the United States and North German Confederation, has been finally rectified by the Federal Parliament Count Bismark, in a speech, explained the provisions of it, and declared that it was unnecessary to make any defence of the Treaty, as it seemed to meet favor on all sides, and summed up his explanation by stating that the compact was clear on all points, and hereafter that no native of Germany naturalized in the United States would be molested on account of obligations to Parent State.

Marriages.

By Rev. D. W. C. Dimock, at Brookfield, on the 18th inst., Mr. David Wright, to Miss Mary Jane Marshall.

At Chester, on the 25th inst., by Rev. I. J. Skinner, Mr. William Pemberton, of Winsor, Hants County, to Miss Angelina Corkum, of Marriett's Cove, Chester, Lunenburg Co.

At Chester, on the 27th inst., by the same, Rev. Thomas C. DeLong, of Kempt, Queens Co., to Miss Mary Eliza Brome, of New Ross, in the County of Lunenburg.

On the 2nd inst., by the Rev. F. Botterell, Mr. Robert Hughins, of Pictou, to Almira E. Lockhart, of Horton.

At Melrose, St. Mary's, Sept. 26th, 1867, by Rev. Henry Eagles, Mr. Anthony McKeen, to Miss Mary Ann McKeen, both of St. Mary's.

At Melrose, St. Mary's, by the same, Feb. 5th, 1868, Mr. James McLellan, to Miss Mary Giffen, both of Isaac's Harbour.

At St. Mary's, by the same, Dec. 16th, 1867, Mr. Israel West, of Goldenville, to Miss Ellenor Dickson, of St. Mary's River.

At Melrose, by the same, March 10th, 1868, Mr. Walter Black, to Miss Sarah McKeen, both of St. Mary's.

The same day in Goshen, St. Mary's, by the same, Mr. William Edward Rohan, of Wine Harbour, to Miss Sophia Bezanon, of Goshen.

At the minister's residence, on the 29th of March, by Rev. W. H. Porter, Mr. Henry C. Bruce, of Mount Hanley, to Mrs. Lavinia Miberry, daughter of Mr. Allan Cropley, of Nictaux.

Deaths.

At Chester, on the 20th inst., Mary, eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Simeon Corkum, in the 13th year of her age.

On the 27th inst., James Edgar, and on the 20th June, 1867, Jesse Maria, children of Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Millet, of Marriett's Cove.

At Kingston, Aylesford, March 26th, of Paralysis, Ellen Adelia, in the 25th year of her age, fourth daughter of Jesse Bent.

At Pubnico, Yarmouth Co., on the 25th March, Isaac C., in the 19th year of his age, youngest son of John C. Anderson. His end was peace.

On the 2nd inst., Alexander McKay, a native of Tillitcouth, Scotland, aged 70 years.

On Friday, John Roache, son of Patrick Roache, aged 16 years.

At the Poor's Asylum, April 2nd, Edward Croke, aged 72 years. March 31st, Margaret Hackett, aged 69 years.

On the 31st inst., Mrs. Catherine Leahy, wife of Mr. Joseph Leahy, and fourth daughter of Mr. John Crowell, of Lawrencetown, N. S., aged 35 years.

On Thursday, 26th ult., at Birch Brook, Douglas, John Clark, in the 79th year of his age.

At Lawrencetown, March 31st, Edmund, second son of Rachel and Michael Hiltz, aged 31 years.

On the 1st inst., at the Campbell Road Settlement, Wm. Brown, Senr., aged 62 years.

On Hanley Mountain, at her father's residence, on the 19th March, after a lingering illness of consumption, the much beloved and deeply lamented, Mrs. Hettie, wife of Mr. Charles Reed, of Port George, and daughter of Mr. Francis Miller, aged 28 years.

"Yet who that saw her parting hour, Could wish her here again."

Funeral sermon preached by the Pastor, Rev. W. H. Porter, from Is. xxxiii. 17, assisted by Brethren W. G. Parker, and Barratt, (Wesleyan).

On Sunday, April 5th, aged thirty-one years, Maria Louisa, wife of C. E. Brown, and daughter of the late Jeremiah M. Connell, Esq., of Woodstock N. B.

On the 5th inst., Mr. Thmas Frazer, aged 77 years. At Arichat, on the 23rd March, in the 70th year of her age, Ann, relict of the late A. Madden, Esq.

At Provincial and City Hospital, April 4th, John Murphy, aged 62 years.

On Wednesday, Mr. James Anderson, aged 81 years.

On the 2nd inst., aged 62 years, Edward Kavanagh, of H. M. Excise Department.

On Sunday the 5th inst., Mr. Edward Walsh, in the 38th year of his age.

On Monday April 6th, Johanna, beloved wife of James D. Bell, second daughter of Edward and Elen Keefe, aged 34 years.

On Monday 6th inst., Elizabeth, eldest daughter of the late Wm. Johnston.

Shipping List.

PORT OF HALIFAX.

Arrived.

Tuesday, March 31.—Brigs Chebucto, Kennedy; Boston; Penguin, Hawes, Demerara; Marco Polo, Canning, New York; Arthur Ashwood, Cienfuegos; schrs Matilda Hopewell, Ormiston, Arichat; Charles Tupper, Ruderham, do; Victory, Vigneau, do; Catherine, Martell, do; J P Purney, Purney, Shelburne; Thos. Bagley, Ellis, Yarmouth; Elvina, McDonald, Cow Bay; Mischief, Hopewell, St John, N B; Seraph, Ley Mainadieu, C B.

Wednesday, April 1.—H M S Constance, Burgoyne, Bermuda; S S Carlotta, Magune, Portland.

Thursday, 2.—Brigt Wiley Smith, Clare, New York.

Friday, 3.—S S Thomas, James, London; schrs Grand Master, Seaboyer, Porto Rico; Messenger, Young, Lunenburg; Guide, McLean, Shelburne; Bonnetta, Dexter, Liverpool, N S.

Saturday, 5.—Schrs Foam, Rourke, Cienfuegos; Gazelle, Swaine, Barrington.

Sunday, 5.—No arrivals.

Monday, 6.—Steamer Carlotta, Magune, Portland; brig America, Dooey, Boston, (50 hours); brigs Mirella, Mundy, Cienfuegos, (had heavy weather and was dismantled); Ottawa, Ellis, New York; Florence, Davidson, Barbadoes; Topsail schr John Sanderson, Cienfuegos, bound to St Johns, Nfld.—(had heavy weather and split sails.) schr Village Belle, Doyle, Boston; bound to Newquandian.

Cleared.

Tuesday, March 31.—Steamer Acadia, Less, St John, N B; and Glasgow; brig Fawn, Doat, Barbadoes; schrs Young Scotland, Porter, Yarmouth; Lovrett, Clawson, Tangier.

Wednesday, April 1.—Schrs Sardonyx, Banks, B W Indies; F C Lawrence, Buckles, Jamaica; Vulture, Vigneau, St Pierre; brig Constance, Mason, Demerara.

Thursday, 2.—Schrs Princess Royal, Jean, Arichat; Rival, Smith, Liverpool, N S; Candour, Landry, Cow Bay; Volunteer, Lorman, Tangier; Stella Maria, Gautier, St Pierre, Miq.

Friday, 3.—Brig Lender, David, LaHave; brigs Mary Oleva, Gow, St Johns, Nfld; J Morton, Smith, B W Indies via Port Medway; John Givan, Mayo, Baltimore; Athalasca, Cochran, B W Indies; schrs Mischief, Hopewell, Porto Rico; Esk, Nickerson, F W Indies; Robert Noble, Cohoon, Port Medway; Eliza Catherine, Martell, Cow Bay; Rose, Grines, LaHave; J R Kenny, Kenny, Barrington; Ada, Whitman, Canso; P L G, Cruikshanks, Ship Harbor.

Saturday, 4.—S S Thames, James, Portland; brigs Italia, Hays, F. W. Indies; James Ratchford, Baltimore—(old 2nd); schrs Thomas Bagley, Sulis, Yarmouth; Messenger, Young, Lunenburg; Mary Elizabeth, King, Liverpool N. S.

Monday, 6.—Brigt Alert, Smith, Havana; schrs Pursue, McDonald, Cow Bay; John Northup, Lang, Little Glace Bay.

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"In addition to the

WAREHOUSING PORTS

mentioned in the Act passed during the present Session of the Parliament of Canada, entitled, "An Act respecting the Customs;" and also in addition to the Ports named in a list sanctioned by an Order of His Excellency the Governor General in Council, of the 24th December, 1867, passed under the authority of the said Act; the following Ports be included in the List of Warehousing Ports in the Dominion, viz:—

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