

interest, who bought the gall-bladder? and seemed surprised to learn that it was sold for the small sum of seven cents, (\$4 20), saying that it was a very valuable medicine for various diseases, among others, to be taken internally to set broken bones, and stop hemorrhage, and rejuvenate old men.

Work of the churches in Siam.—The pastor from Blanplasi, being here on a visit, went for us to break bread on the church there last Sabbath, while one of the Lengkiachu members is supplying temporarily at Blanplasi. The churches here all need more care, and the members more working.

Religious Intelligence.

The following was written for the "Monthly Record of the Church of Scotland in Nova Scotia," but the person to whom it was sent thought it more suitable for the columns of the Christian Messenger, in which opinion we were quite willing to acquiesce.

CHRISTIAN WORK.

A NOVA SCOTIAN ABROAD.

Six years ago last September, Mr. Alex. McDonald, a member of St. Andrew's Church, Pictou, left home and friends for the purpose of visiting relatives in Boston.

It pleased the Lord to bless the labors of the young missionary with immediate fruit. On the very first day a young man was found to be under conviction, and in a few days he gave satisfactory evidence of having passed from death unto life.

On the arrival of the evening quite a large number gathered for prayer; and weekly meetings, thus commenced, were continued from that time in Mr. McDonald's house for nearly two years.

Upwards of twelve-months had elapsed however before sinners began to enquire the way of life, but soon after that time some ten or twelve gave evidence of having been born again.

Mr. McDonald then presented a history of the movement to some of the churches of the city. At length the Friendship Street Baptist Church assumed the charge placing it under the care and superintendence of Rev. M. H. Bixby, a member of that church.

A PROVIDENCE MAN.

Dominion & Foreign News.

Hon. Mr. Dunkin, Minister of Agriculture, has been appointed to the vacant seat on the Quebec Bench.

Hon. Mr. Hope has been sworn in as Minister of Agriculture, vacated by Hon. Mr. Dunkin.

The Manitoba expedition left Collingwood on Saturday, and is expected to reach Fort Garry on the 5th of November. It consists of 300 men.

The Patent Office reports 556 patents issued last year against 263 in 1866. Canadian inventions are attracting great attention.

The Ottawa City Council, on Tuesday night, voted \$3,000 in aid of Chicago.

The Manitoba of Oct. 7th, contains a full account of the Fenian Raid and its collapse. O'Donoghue justly gets the blame of the raid. The response of the people to the Governor's call was magnificent.

The clergy took the lead in stirring up the loyal people. In one day every man in Winnipeg, with the exception of 10 or 12 enrolled himself as a volunteer. The rising in the out parishes was splendid.

Gold has been discovered at Lake Shebandowan on the route between Lake Superior and Fort Garry. This will hasten immensely the opening up of the country.

It is said that Sir Hugh Allan and a number of other Canadian Capitalists are about to offer their services to the Dominion to build the Canada Pacific Railway.

NEW BRUNSWICK.

Governor Wilmot has proclaimed Thursday, November 9th, as a day of Thanksgiving.

An unknown peddler, his left arm off at the elbow, fell over a precipice in the neighbourhood of Fredericton, N. B., a few days ago, and was killed. It was ascertained by the papers found in his wallet he has been doing business in Halifax. He had with him about \$36 in money.

UNITED STATES.

The President has appointed William M. Evarts and Benjamin R. Curtis counsel before the Tribunal of Arbitration at Geneva, in addition to Caleb Cushing.

"Boss" Tweed was arrested on Friday, The charge against him is defrauding the City Treasury.

His arrest caused much local excitement. His bail was fixed at two millions which he gave. The citizens committee of investigation report that the embezzlements of Tweed and others amount to nearly twenty millions.

Charles O'Connor states that it can be clearly shown that Tweed and associates fraudulently obtained from the Broadway Bank, without any color of right, some five millions of dollars; and its recovery can be obtained against Tweed, unless interfered with by corrupt legislation, within ninety days.

Great fires are raging in the woods of Northern New York and Canada. Wisconsin fires have rekindled, and there are fresh reports from New York, Michigan and Pennsylvania.

There are sensational reports of an organized band of communist incendiaries to burn the principal cities of the United States.

The result of a fight in Los Angeles, California, was, two Americans shot, and 15 Chinamen banded.

The old Vigilance Committee has been revived in California to protect the Chinese.

The sentence of Hawkins, a leading Mormon, to three years imprisonment, and five hundred dollars fine for polygamy, is causing great excitement at Salt Lake city.

Brigham Young has fled. The Mayor and other prominent Mormons are under arrest for murder.

Extraordinary activity in re-building Chicago is manifested, and thousands of mechanics are wanted.

New York, Oct. 30.—Gold 117; exchange active; sight 93.

MEXICO.—An insurrection in Mexico has been put down with loss of several hundreds killed and wounded.

BRAZIL.—The Brazilian Parliament has passed the Bill for the emancipation of the slaves.

LATEST FROM EUROPE.

ENGLAND.

A frightful colliery explosion took place on Thursday last in the Graham Mine, near Newcastle. There were thirty-three men in the pit, of whom thirty were killed.

Queen Victoria contributed £500 for Chicago.

The Brig "Golden Light" of St. John put into Queenstown leaky on Friday last. Miss Rye takes 145 children in the "Nestorian" for Quebec.

In the Manchester Chamber of Commerce resolutions were unanimously adopted condemning the proposed protectionist modification in the commercial treaty.

The London "Times" suggests the appointment of an impartial commission to settle any difficulty which may grow out of the cutting out of the schooner "E. A. Horton." The "Times" believes that the occupations could be thus compromised promptly and on equitable basis.

The Morning Post pronounced the rumor regarding the establishment of a regency in consequence of prolonged illness of the Queen entirely devoid of foundation.

Mr. Gladstone made a speech at Greenwich on Saturday last in which he eulogized the Queen. In complimenting his colleagues, he pointed with pride to the vitality of the Liberal party. He declared Ireland is now more contented, and he promised that the troops in the Colonies should be reduced, with various other military reforms.

The Bullion in the Bank of England increased £135,000 during the week ending on the 26th.

The trial of Kelly for the murder of Head Constable Talbot, commenced on Monday in Dublin.

FRANCE.—There is a great scarcity of money in Paris, and the crisis is daily increasing in intensity.

The Bank of France has commenced an issue of \$35,000,000 of francs in currency of small denominations.

It is reported that the French National Assembly and Government will return to Paris before December.

The French Government yet owes the Swiss Confederation for the maintenance of Bourbak's army.

A despatch from Ajaccio reports a stormy session of the Council General of Corsica. The partisans of Prince Napoleon protest that the election was not fairly conducted.

The Duked' Anmale has been elected President of the General Council of the department of Oise.

ITALY.—Cardinal Antonelli is seriously indisposed and grave apprehensions are entertained.

The Workingmen's Societies of Rome and Naples refused to participate in the Congress of working men which is shortly to be held in Rome, on the ground that the assembly would be a mere republican demonstration and unfriendly to Italy.

GERMANY.—A fire in Darmstadt, has destroyed the Court Theatre, and the Arsenal is in danger. The garrison has evacuated, as the fire is rapidly spreading with the high winds.

RUSSIA.—The Czar has issued an edict granting full political amnesty, with permission to return to the country, to such Polish exiles as are not seriously implicated in the conspiracies alleged to exist.

SPAIN.—In the Cortes on Friday a memorial from the Government was read, announcing that in future the Colonial Budget would be submitted to the Cortes. It is also said that the cost of the war in Cuba during the past year has been three hundred and fourteen and a half millions of piastres, about \$62,000,000, and that the Colonial deficit for the year amounts to about \$11,000,000.

A conspiracy was discovered among the troops at Barcelona, and twenty men arrested.—Chron.

PORTUGAL.—The Governor of the Portuguese colony of Goa, West of India, telegraphs that a revolt is threatened, and asks for assistance.

Registration of Births and Deaths. Every Birth should be registered within 60 days after it has taken place. PENALTY for neglect, Two Dollars.

Marriages.

By the Rev. J. Melbourne Parker, Oct. 17th, Mr. Jno. Hardwick, to Miss Elizabeth Wentzel, all of Mill Village, Queen's Co.

By the same, at the same time, Mr. William Wentzel, to Miss Roxanna Biggans, all of Mill Village, Queen's Co.

By the same, Oct. 19th, at the residence of the bride's father, Mr. Amos Hunt, of Lynn Mass., to Miss Eliza M. daughter of Enoch Steadman, Esq., of Mill Village, Queen's Co.—Christian Visitor please copy.

Oct. 24th, at Richmond, Halifax, by the Rev. R. E. Crane, Mr. Thos. Laine, to Miss Emma Bell, eldest daughter of Mr. M. Dimock.

At Pictou, on Thursday, Oct. 12th, by the Rev. W. T. Wilkins, Mr. Samuel Gunn, to Bessie, only daughter of Alex. McKay, Esq.

On the 21st inst., at Dartmouth, by the Rev. A. S. Hunt, Mr. Branton A. McCabe, of Sackville, to Agnes, youngest daughter of the late John Barstead, of Dartmouth.

On the 19th inst., at Weymouth, by the Rev. P. I. Filicou, A. B., Rector, Mr. Henry E. Oakes, to Maria, only daughter of the late Mr. John Martin.

At Canada, Annapolis Co., by the Rev. M. P. Freeman, Oct. 25th, Mr. Jacob W. Meadows, craft of Dalhousie West, to Miss Mary E. Smith, of Canada.

By the same, Oct. 25th, at Aylesford, Mr. George A. Parker, of N. Caux, to Miss Adela B. DeWilde, of Aylesford.

On the 12th inst., at Yarmouth, by the Rev. Dr. Day, William F. Cutten, Esq., of Amherst, to Abbie A., only daughter of Captain George K. Frey, of Yarmouth.

Deaths.

In Boston, after a short illness, Oct. 15th, 1871, Miss Emeline Robinson, daughter of Mr. John Robinson, of Wilmot, N. S., aged 24 years. Her remains were brought home, and deposited in the burying ground in Tremont, Aylesford, near those of her mother and other relatives.

On the 25th inst., William Grant, late color sergeant of the 2nd-Batt. Rifle Brigade, aged 67 years.

At No. 6, Hastings Place, South St., on Tuesday night, the 23rd inst., after a severe illness, Eleanor Blissie, beloved wife of Fitzgerald, Cochrane, Barrister-at-Law; and only surviving daughter of George and Elizabeth A. Fraser, aged 24 years.

On the 26th inst., of congestion of the brain, Annie W. G., wife of Thomas Brown, in the 30th year of her age.

At St. Croix, Hants Co., on the 23rd inst., Lucy, wife of Mr. William Fish, and daughter of the late Ichabod Dimock, Esq., aged 67 years.

On Sept. 27th, Betsy, the wife of William H. Frost, of Belmont, Mass., and daughter of Alexander Ross, of Nova Scotia. Her end was peace.

On Thursday, Robert J. Kelley, eldest son of the late Robert Kelley, aged 30 years.

At Halifax, on Sunday, 29th inst., Deborah, aged 24 years, youngest daughter of the late Captain George Kelley, of Yarmouth, and wife of Captain Charles Hilton, of life same place, now master of brig, "Cleo," lying in this port.

Oct. 18th, at Souris, P. E. Island, after a lingering illness of over two years, Edwidge Gerry Fuller, of Ware, Massachusetts, aged 55 years, leaving a wife and five children to mourn his departure. He died in Jesus.

At Lower A. Leford, Oct. 25th, only 15 days after the death of her brother, Charles Barpe, whose funeral she attended.—Clara B. daughter of Austin and Sarah Jane Wood, erry, aged 15 years.

At Chester, on Tuesday, Oct. 24th, Mary Florence, only surviving child of Rev. J. J. Skinner. The same disease—scarlet fever— took from our brother and sister their only son but a few days previously. We deeply sympathize with our afflicted friends in the loss of their loved ones. May they have grace given to say "Blessed be the name of the Lord."

On the 30th inst., Miss Mary Adison, aged 56 years.

At Willow Farm, Falmouth, on the 29th inst., Mrs. E. W. Wilcox, aged 82 years.

Shipping List.

PORT OF HALIFAX.

ARRIVED.

TUESDAY, October 24th.—R. M. S. Peruvian, Smith, Montreal; Brig. Express, Brennan, Inagua; Schrs. Frank Newton, Wilkie, Lathave; Debel, Westhaver, Mahone Bay.

WEDNESDAY, 25th.—H. M. S. Danae, from the Gulf; U. S. man-of-war Franklin, from Faval; Dominion Cutter, sweepstakes, Tory, Gussoro; Briggs, Ariel, Danae, Domerara; Cleo, Hopkins, London; Bessie, (new) Wentzel, Sheet Harbor; Schrs. Paragon, Gosbee, Canso; Harriet, Newell, Port Hawkesbury; Mary, Sullivan, Isaac's Harbor; Will-m & Mary, Phillips, Hawksbury; Margaret, D. J. Orlin, P. E. Island; Malinda, Hopewell, Orlin; Gaboras; Harmony, Barnall, do; Arab, Foster, Isaac's Harbor; Mic Mac's, Crook-Ferry's Cove; Reward, Hill, Sydney, bound to Boston; Lily Dale, Shankle, North Bay; Robert Cook, Sampson, La Ardoise; Harriet Amelia, McPherson, Port Hawkesbury; Barbara, Blompy, Pictou; Traveller, Lamouise, Cow Bay; J. M. Maguire, Boudrot, do; Swallow, LaBeece, Chatecamp; Eureka, LeBlanc, North Sydney; Havelock, Dickson, Louisbourg; William Kandic, Matheson, La Ardoise, C. B.; Maria, Orlin, Fouchi, C. B.; Lydia, Delory, Port M'Guire; Conservative, McFarlane, Margaree Island; Chippie, Forrest, P. E. I.; Laura, McFarlane, Bay St. George, N. F.; Decora, (Am) Merchants, North Bay; P. E. I.

THURSDAY, 26th.—Steamer Alpha, Hunter, St. Thomas and Bermuda; Dominion Cutter, Ella G. McLean, Cook, Whitehead; Briggs, Alfaratta, (Am) Wallace, Port and; General Pellesier, Port North Sydney; Schrs. Morning Star, Boudrot, River Bourgeois; Samuel Jones, Delan v, Margaree; Dominion, Burke, River Bourgeois; Good Intent, Gansee, Pictou; Mary Hart, Townsend, North Sydney; Eliza Catherine, Martell, Sydney; I. M. Moyle, R. Tcey, Pictou; Mary Jane, Jones, Quebec; Stella, from Labrador; Edw. Jones, Iron Magdalen Islands; Flying Robin, Drim-saux, Labrador; John Bull, Boudrot, Cow Bay; Comrade, Crowell, Pictou; Challenge,

Pertus, North Sydney; Maggie B. Palmer, Victoria Mines; Dian'tris, from Labrador; J. H. Hiltz, Hiltz, Bay Chaleur; Arctic, from Tru Bay; Burbeck, Hurst, Labrador; Aro se, Baug, Bay St. George, N. F.; Henrietta, Shaw, do; Golden West, Zwicker, North Bay; Pre-ident, Buffitt, Channel, N. F.; Mary Alice, Dick, do; Lark, Eastman, N. F.; Maud, Linton, Penz, North Bay; Leon Porter, Kenney, P. E. Island; Nine Brothers, Laidwell, Gode-town, P. E. I.; Mary Kate, Gillis, do; Bonny, Gallant, Rustico, P. E. I.; Magenta, Boudrot, Crapaud, P. E. I.; Break of Day, Ross, do; Merit, Spindler, P. E. I.; Margaret Ann, Lee, North Sydney; Victor, Vigneau, do; Jane Amelia, Leslie, Magdalen Islands; Lark, Sheppard, Cow Bay; Heald, Kennedy, do; Examine, Barron, L'Ardoise; Challenge, LeBlanc, Pictou; Ocean Brld., Marks, Ship Harbor; Returned—Barque Augustina, hence for Quebec.

FRIDAY, 27th.—H. M. Troopship, Orontes, from Plymouth; Briggs, Chiefain, Ruch, Malaga; Malcol Bolton, Bailly, Portmouth, U. S.; E. Lion H. Dyer, Hillsboro; Schrs. Hannah, Brown, P. E. Island; Margaret Jane, Steel, N. F.; Emma, Gu rie, Quebec; Rose, Grimes, Sydney; Active, Leary, Ship Harbor; Alcye, Rood, N. F.; Lizzie Bell, (Am) Portmoy, N. S.; Addie Osborne, (Am) North Bay; Harry Bluff, (Am) do; Union, Campbell, P. E. Island; Martha, Brown, Bay St. George; Cutter, Comesa, Magdalen Island.

SATURDAY, 28th.—Stmr. Commerce, Doane, Charlottetown, P. E. I.; via Port Hawkesbury; Schrs. Newshy, Messervey, Bay St. George; N. F.; Annie, Cook, Newcastle, N. B.; Marie Louise, Corrier, Magdalen Islands; Grand Master, Seaboyer, Stoney; Bradorian, LeBlanc, Little Bras d'Or; Barrington, Burke, Mainadieu; Fran, Deros, Mag aien Islands; Queen of the East, Burke, Mainadieu; Vivid, Tibbo, Beaver Harbor.

SUNDAY, 29th.—Stmr. M. A. Starr, Doane, Yarmouth; Brig. Florence, Davidson, Bridgewater, LaHav; Suer, Freeman, (Am) McKay, Provincetown, Mass.; Hound, Williams, Bermuda; E. A. Wilson, Crowell, Sidney.

MONDAY, 30th.—Steamers Carlotta, Colby, Portland; Albambra, Wright, Boston; Concordia, Hodges, New Orleans; Briggs, Elbe, Crosby, Antigua; Thalia, Langenberg, Inagua; Elsie, Condy, Porto Rico; English, Ballagh, Howard, Boston; Schrs. M. E. P. U. Stephens, Mayaguez, P. R.; Apt, Leheney, North Bay via LaHav; Coerity, Richard, do; Amanda, Zinc, do; Syntax, Forrest, Aitch; Garibaldi, McKay, Annapolis; Hope, Leteily, do; Curlew, Nickerson, Liverpool, N. S.; Alexander Fraser, Birnie, Lunenburg.

CLEARED.

TUESDAY, October 24th.—R. M. S. Peruvian, Smith, Liverpool, G. B.; Steamers Carlotta, Colby, Portland; Delta, Shaw, Sydney; M. A. Starr, Doane, Yarmouth; Barque Augustin, Cote, Quebec; Brig. Premier, Wilson, Sheet Harbor; Schrs. Amateur, Ledwell, (from Georgetown, P. E. I.) Boston; Malinda, Publicover, Port Hood; Bevia of Rome Boudrot, Glace Bay; Kapiti, LeBlanc, St. Peter's and River Bourgeois; Hazel Dell, Dickey, Canso; Gazette, Mullins, Antigonish via Canso; Olivia, Buckles, Tatamagouche; Wave, Wilson, Barrington; Dolphin, Snow, Port La-Tour; Durham, McKenney, Lockeport.

WEDNESDAY, 25th.—Brig. Chief, Munroe, Bridgewater; Schrs. Dat, Venit, P. E. I.; Swan, Jamieson, Cape Canso; Active, Landers, St. Pierre; Glenwood, Gavin, Charlottetown; Mary, Boutin, Picon; Rantz, Stoddard, Sheet Harbor; Frank Newton, Wilkie, LaHav; Debel, Westhaver, Mahone Bay; Alfred, Watt, Campbellton, N. B.; Dove, Boudrot, Yarmouth; Z Phyr, Pettis, Sydney; Sea Nymph, Murdeck, Sherbrooke; B. Mabel, Rhysard, P. E. I.; Janna, Gilliam, Port au Basque.

THURSDAY, 26th.—Brigs. H. M. Morris, Patterson, Jamaica; Emily Jane, Hopkins, Sheet Harbor; Ruth, Collin, Sydney; Schrs. Thetis, Duggan, Bay of Islands, N. F.; Vivid, Stewart, Campbellton, N. B.; Muening Light, Fraser, St. Peter's; Villager, Kucey, Little Glace Bay; John Laughlin, Livingston, Baddeck; J. de Louisa, Phillips, Canso; John Giffin, Kenney, Sheet Harbor; Six Brothers, Cook, do; Majestic, Myers, Ship Harbor; Golden West, Zwicker, LaHav; Lily Dale, Shankle, do; Minnow, Drew, Port Riviere; Victoria, Smith, Sheet Harbor; Sea Flower, Boudrot, Pictou.

FRIDAY, 27th.—Brig. Sailor's Bride, Manthorn Charlottetown, P. E. I.; Schrs. Emily, Mick, P. E. I.; Ada, Whitman, Canso; Aggie, Canso, P. E. Island; Delytimes, Anderson, Lunenburg; Gapper, Dodd, Sydney; Olivia, Buckles, Tatamagouche; Leon Porter, Kenney, Liverpool, N. S.

SATURDAY, 28th.—Stmr. Commerce, Doane, Boston; Brig. Alert, Dupewell, Porto Rico; Schrs. Sadyox, Bunks, Baltimore; Hydra, Twin, Boston; Victory, Vigneau, Charlottetown, P. E. I.; British Pearl, Hadley, Cysborough.

MONDAY, 30th.—Stmr. Albambra, Wright, Charlottetown, P. E. I.; Barque Breanish, Smith, Little Glace Bay; Brig. Lonsie, Hayes, St. J go; Schrs. Seriole, Doane, Porto Rico; Addie Osborne, (Am) Matheson, Bay of Islands, N. F.; Barbara, Blomped, Aitchat; Robert Cook, Sampson, St. Peter's; J. M. Maguire, Boudrot, Sydney; Nuth of June, Boudrot, do; Morning Star, Boudrot, River Bourgeois via L'Ardoise; Morven, Joyce, St. Peter's via Aitchat; Paragon, Gosbee, Cape Canso; Freeman, (Am) McKay, Bay of Island, N. F.

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