

afternoon of the day to examine the candidate in regard to his Christian experience, doctrinal views, and general fitness for the position.

A large audience assembled in the church at half-past seven to witness and take part in the public services of ordination.

Rev. D. C. Cheney, D. D., of East Boston, preached the sermon, which was a clear and forcible presentation of the leading truths of the New Testament and was listened to with close and earnest attention by the audience.

At the close of the address the ordaining prayer was offered by Rev. Hemon Lincoln, D. D. of the Newton theological seminary while the clergymen present placed their hands upon the head of the candidate who was kneeling before the pulpit.

The hand of fellowship was extended by Rev. H. K. Pervear of the city. Mr. Pervear addressed the candidate briefly in behalf of the council, and welcomed him cordially to his new field of labor.

Stokes the murderer of Fisk, is very ill; he had a renewed attack of bronchial complaint last week, and two physicians were in attendance.

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UNITED STATES.

The New York Herald denies imputations of frauds cast upon Stanley, and gives evidence of former correspondents of Livingston, who testify to the belief that the letters are in Livingston's own handwriting.

The steamer Metis, of the Providence and New York steamship line, collided with a sailing vessel on Friday morning in Long Island Sound and sunk. It is believed that there were 159 persons on board.

A later despatch states that twenty-one bodies had been recovered from the wreck. Among the persons saved are John McNeil, a native of Nova Scotia, and William Sheridan, the actor.

Alabama cotton crop has been greatly destroyed by worms.

A terrible tornado passed over Jacksonville Ill., and vicinity last week. Damage to buildings and crops very great.

The President received intelligence from Geneva, from which the hopeful prospect is drawn that the Arbitrators will probably conclude their labors by the middle of September, satisfactory to this Government.

The U. S. Government is to join with others in an appeal to various Governments of South America, to light and buoy the coast in a more liberal manner.

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LATEST FROM EUROPE.

Letters from Dr. Livingstone addressed to several of the leading nobility are now appearing in the London papers. A telegram on Saturday last states that Earl Granville had forwarded to Mr. Stanley, the Dr. Livingstone discoverer, a letter from the Queen, conveying her thanks for the services rendered the British nation in finding Dr. Livingstone.

A London despatch says that Dawson the Geographer and traveller who has returned from Yanziibar, reports having been in communication with Dr. Livingstone.

There were some threatening demonstrations at Belfast, Ireland, on Thursday, on account of the discharge of a City Solicitor, who was reported to have been concerned in the recent riot, but no violence was resorted to.

More London diamond merchants testify that Americans have made mysterious purchases of rough diamonds from them.

There is a rumor in London that an agent of the Cuban insurgents has arrived there to negotiate the loan of £2,000,000, which is to be tendered to Spain for the independence of Cuba.

The Steamship "James Stephenson" was burned off Lisbon, while on a voyage from Calcutta to London. Passengers and crew were saved.

Several Lancashire operators have failed in consequence of speculations in cotton afloat.

The Ex-Empress Carlotta is fast sinking, and there are no hopes of her recovery.

The weather in England has been very unfavorable for the crops.

Tranquillity continues in Belfast. The public houses have opened again.

There is every reason to believe that the Arbitrators at Geneva have settled in principle the question of indemnity, and have fixed approximately the amount to be

awarded for vessels destroyed by Confederate cruisers.

It is probable that the amount of damages awarded the United States will be between three and four millions sterling.

No dependence is to be placed on reports which represent amounts as above or below these extremes.

Some further claims remain to be settled. Despatch from Oporto states that the Steamship Perseverance went ashore at the entrance to the Harbor, and became a total loss. Thirty persons were drowned.

Austrian Minister, Baron Lederer, and Signor Maro, the singer, have sailed from Liverpool for the United States.

India advices report that the cholera is raging throughout the empire. The number of deaths is appalling, and the greatest alarm prevails. In Lahore the disease is most malignant, and thousands have been carried off.

The recent failures have had an effect to flatten consols, and cause a general feeling of insecurity in financial circles.

FRANCE.—The French Government will begin paying another instalment of the German war indemnity this week.

It is stated that the French Government have prohibited all demonstration on the 4th of Sept., the anniversary of the overthrow of the Empire, and establishment of the Republic.

Reports of the condition of cereals in France are favorable.

It is stated that the evidence at Marshal Bazaine's trial, now progressing at Paris, show traitorous correspondence existed between Bazaine and the Germans prior to the surrender of Metz.

GERMANY.—Emperor of Russia will arrive in Berlin on Thursday, and will "hob-nob" with Emperor Wilhelm for five days. Great fetes are to be held at the New Imperial Palace at Potsdam, in which the Emperor of Austria will also participate.

The people of Berlin are making extraordinary preparations for the meeting of the Emperors of Austria and Russia, with the Emperor William in their city. A grand military parade and State banquet are already on the programme.

The engine makers of Berlin are on a strike.

SPAIN.—A band of Carlists attacked and robbed a station in the province of Gerona, and cut the telegraph. Troops were despatched to the place, but there had been no encounter with the insurgents.

The Government seems to have completely triumphed at the recent Spanish Elections.

News of the Week.

THE MARKETS.

The following despatch was received at the Halifax Chamber of Commerce on Saturday last:

Flour, Liverpool, 28s. 6d. to 28s. 9d.

Red Wheat 11s. 10d. to 12s. 1d.

New York Flour Market 5 to 10c. better, good to choice. Extra State and Western, 6. 90 to \$7. 50.

New York Pork Market firm, at \$14 to \$14. 50 for new.

Grain freights, from New York to Liverpool, 9c to 9 1/2.

Montreal Flour Market, firm, shade better. Western State and Welland Canal Mill Flour at Montreal, \$6. 15 to \$6. 20.

Boquets from the public garden are acknowledged by several of our favoured contemporaries.

TELEGRAPHIC.—We learn from the Yarmouth Herald that no fewer than 86 insulators have been wilfully broken on the telegraph line between Yarmouth and Digby. R. T. Clinch, Esq., Superintendent of the Western Union Telegraph Co. for the district, offers a reward of \$25 for information that will lead to the arrest and conviction of the offenders.

THE RIFLE COMPETITION AT BEDFORD during last week, brought together a large number of the best marksmen from the different parts of the province. The list of prizes and of names who are entitled to them would fill up too much of our space. Efforts are made to interest the ladies in the competition. The ladies cup and \$30 was won by Gunner Shand. Besides this there were other ladies prizes to be competed for by members nominated by contributions to this fund. No competitor could represent more than one lady. Range 500 yards. 5 rounds. \$6 entries at \$1 each. The amount was divided into six prizes, and taken by—

- 1st prize, Capt. G. A. Layton, 78th, 19
2nd, Pte. C. H. McLeod, 78th, 19
3rd, Ensign Numford, 63rd Halifax, 19
4th, Sergt. J. G. Corbin, do 19
5th, Sergt. P. Taple, do 18
6th, Sergt. J. McKenzie, 78th, 18

The prizes were distributed to the winners on Friday evening in the Drill Shed, by His Honor the Chief Justice, in presence of a number of ladies and members of the Provincial Rifle Association. Prefaced with an appropriate speech, highly complimentary to the winners.

THE CHASES CHASING A FORTUNE.—A meeting of heirs of the Chase family in Nova Scotia took place at the residence of Nathan Ellis, Esq., Cornwallis, on Saturday the 24th Aug. On motion the Rev. John Chase, of Wolfville, was elected Chairman, and D. Henry Starr, Esq., of Halifax was appointed Secretary. From documents and letters read, it was ascertained beyond doubt that the heirs in this Province are descendants of Thomas Chase, who came from England to America in the year 1629. A meeting of the heirs in the United States was held a few weeks ago, and a committee was appointed to collect information, and to report at a convention to be held next September; it was therefore resolved; "that this meeting appoint a delegation to meet with that Convention" and that the Secretary and Joshua Chase, Esq., be the delegates appointed for that purpose.—Witness.

Mr. Fishwick's steamer, M.A. Starr, has taken the place of the Commerce, on the route between Yarmouth and St. John. Mr. F. contemplates getting another steamer to put on the route between Halifax and St. John, calling at Yarmouth, and proposes to run the M. A. Starr between Halifax and Yarmouth, as heretofore.

"La Minerve" says Sir Hugh Allen has purchased property in Halifax for half a million, with the view of making it a wharf for his lines of steamers calling at that place.

Mr. M. B. DesBrisay, M. P. P. Government Immigration Agent, left on Tuesday in the "Nestorian," for England, on business connected with the office. Rev. Mr. Edghill, Garrison Chaplain, was also a passenger by the "Nestorian."

ACCIDENTS.—On the 19th ult., Mr. Alex. McKay, Inspector of masonry on the Intercolonial Railway, was seriously injured by falling from a bridge at Debert River.

On the same day a little daughter of Mr. Daniel Miller, of Salmon River, Col. C6., fell from a wagon and broke one of her arms.

A young man named Hunter of St. Croix Hants County, was drowned in the Avon last week.

Recently a man named John Cochran, formerly of Cornwallis, was drowned in a small mill pond near Parrsboro.

A few days ago, a boy, son of Mr. Duncan McKay, of Rogers Hill, Pictou, had one of his legs severely cut, by getting in contact with a mowing machine.

Mr. J. F. Tutten while firing an old musket, at Londonderry, Col. Co., had a thumb and a finger blown off by the explosion of the gun.

The steamer "Miramichi" ran into a small boat when coming out of Shediac harbor on Saturday morning last. There were three persons in the boat, a boy and two men. The boy was drowned, and but for the efforts of some of the passengers the men would have perished also. Pictou Standard.

APPOINTED.—Pro. Secy's Office, Halifax, 27th August, 1872. His Honor the Lieutenant Governor, by the advice of the Executive Council has been pleased to make the following appointment:—The Hon. Sir Wm. Young, Chief Justice, to be Judge ordinary of the Court for Divorce and Matrimonial Causes, in absence of the Hon. J. W. Johnson.

NEW WAY OFFICES.—Way Post Offices were established on the 1st inst., at Cambridge Station, Condon Settlement, Harmony, Jackson Road and Lake George, all in King's County.

The new Scottish Education Act is almost all that could be desired by the friends of popular Education. It separates the Parish Schools from Church control, and places them under the control of the ratepayers. It will secure the universal diffusion of elementary education in Scotland.—Witness.

NEW IRON WORKS.—The St. John Telegraph is informed that Francis Giles, Esq., of England, has purchased an extensive bed of iron ore in Pictou County, and near to the Pictou coal field, where it is intended to erect smelting works for reducing the ore, and rolling mills for the preparing of iron scantling suitable for shipbuilding, railways and other general purposes. The ore to be operated on is of first class quality, showing, on analysis, a percentage of metallic iron of about 55 per cent.

SMUGGLING.—It is reported that the Dominion steamer "Lady Head" is looking for a yacht which is suspected of having been engaged in smuggling on the Western shore.

GRAHAM'S PAIN ERADICATOR.—Chatham, P. Q., Nov. 11, 1869. I had been troubled with pain between my shoulders for more than a year, and also with loss of appetite and general weakness, so that I was scarce able to do any work, and was continually growing worse until I used Graham's Pain Eradicator, and have been cured by less than two bottles.

WE have often wondered whether there is a person in all New England who does not know and appreciate the value of "Johnson's Anodyne Liniment" as a family medicine? It is adapted to most all purposes, and is the best pain killer that can be used.

Farmers and stock raisers have frequently told us that they have seen very good results from giving "Sheridan's Cavalry Condition Powders" to cows and swine before and after they drop their young. The Powders put them in good condition, and give them strength to care and provide for the sucklings.

Joyful news for the Afflicted.

GATES' LIFE OF MAN BITTERS, Wilmot, Port George, March 20th 1871 Messrs. C. GATES & Co.

Gentlemen.—I have much pleasure in sending you this testimony for the encouragement of yourselves and for the benefit of suffering humanity.

In April of 1868 my wife was most distressingly afflicted with a severe pain through her chest, side, and both shoulders. We endeavored to obtain medicine to give ease but were never able to get any that gave relief until I got some of your Life of Man Bitters and No 1 Syrup which not only gave relief but effected a perfect cure. During the time my wife was taking your medicine we took a little child whose mother had just died with consumption. When the little one was left motherless it was 12 months old and weighed only 15 lbs., being but little short of a living skeleton. We gave it 1 bottle of your Bitters and 2 bottles of your No. 1 Syrup which acted like a charm, quieting its nerves and giving health and vigor to its whole system. We consider it now a healthy child, and has been so with but one exception. When it was taken with cholera apparently in its worst form passing little else than blood, we got one half bottle of your Certain Check which made a complete cure, and the child is now healthy. Also my daughter was very much afflicted with sick headache and female weakness, which had she not got relief must have terminated in consumption. A few bottles of your No. 2 Bitters and No. 1 Syrup effected a complete cure.

WILLIAM H. BROWN, Sworn to before me this 5th. day of April, 1871. G. B. REED, J. P.

CALEB GATES: DEAR SIR—I had for ten years been afflicted with liver complaint and general debility. I had advice and medicine from four of our most eminent physicians. They gave me very little medicine, but told me to take good care of myself. Three of the four told me that my chest as well as my stomach, for I had such a complication of diseases that to cure one would only irritate another, and medicine would only shorten my days.

I gradually grew weaker, could scarcely walk across the floor without assistance. In July o. sixty-eight I procured your Life of Man Bitters No. 2. and Syrup No. 1 and 2. After taking twenty-six bottles I found myself enjoying very good health.

I thank God that it has been the means of saving my life, and I hope all the suffering will procure your invaluable and unrivaled medicine for I believe it to be the best in our land. Yours respectfully, AMY K. HARVEY.

Sworn before me. WILLIAM HARVEY, J. P., Falmouth March 19th 1872.

PRICE: Bitters \$1 per quart; Syrup 50 cents per pint bottle; Liniment 30 cents per bottle and the ointment 30 cents per box.

Address CALEB GATES & CO., Farmington, Wilmot, Annapolis Co.

A large number of certificates, similar to the above, have been received and will be published at times for the information of the afflicted and the people generally.

AGENTS.—George V. Rand, Wolfville. John Webb, Windsor. J. E. Newcomb, Hanseport. J. L. Cogswell, Kentville. Sheffield & Wickwire, Canning.

GENERAL AGENT, JOHN K. BENT, 124 Granville Street, Halifax. Sept. 4.

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THE COTTON WARP, Manufactured at the NEW BRUNSWICK COTTON MILLS, Has the names of the mill and our name on a printed label on the end of the bundle. WHITE, RED and ORANGE YARN is put up in BLUE paper; BLUE YARN is put up in BLUE paper. All Yarn made by us is warranted of best quality, full weight, and correctly numbered.

WM. PARKS & SON, N. B.—Cotton Mills, St. John, N. B., Aug. 1871. Jan 3, 17.

"CHURCH—OPPOSITION"

Mr. Editor,—

The "Anti" papers claim, and Government organs grant, that Mr. Church is an Opposition-man. But, victory to the victorious.

In his nomination-speech, Mr. Church pledged himself to support Sir John A's Government whenever he could honestly call its measures good; and C. E. Church is a man whose words and actions agree. Lunenburg County decided for "Church and State," electing, not a MacDonald-Government man, not an opposition-man—but a good-government man,—than whom no "Dominion Member" can, well and wisely, be a stronger adherent of either Government or Opposition. Let neither party claim an honest "Independent."

N. B.—Mr. Owen "protested." Yours truly, JUDSON.

Lunenburg, Aug. 30, 1872.

Dominion & Foreign News.

HALIFAX, N. S., SEPT. 4, 1872.

ORILLA, ONT.—A large fire broke out here on Tuesday last and destroyed the principal part of the town. Loss estimated at over \$300,000.