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February 18th, 1873.

OUR FOREIGN MISSIONS.

To the Editor of the Christian Messenger.

DEAR BROTHER,—

I come to the columns of your widely circulated and esteemed *Messenger*, asking you to insert the following notices of monies received for our loved Foreign Missions. Thus:—

From the Baptist Church, Truro, N.S. per Wm. Faulkner, Esq. . . . $64 00
From Hammond Vale Sab. School, N. B., per Mr. Pickels. . . . 3 00
From Miss Rachael Downing, N. S. per S. Selden, Esq . . . 3.00
From Mr. R. D. Rice, Cow Bay, C. B. per do. 2 00
From S. Peters, do per do. . . 1.00
From Collection, Greenfield, N. S. per Rev. H. Achilles . . . 2.47
From Collection, at Middlefield, N S, do. 5.53
From S. Selden, Esq being the half years Interest on debentures in his hands. 58.40
The Collections above were handed to the Treasurer by S. Selden, Esq
From Collection Mangerville, Church N. B., by Mr. Moses Hall. . . 4 50

Total 143 90

Z. G. GABEL,
Treasurer F. M. B.

ACKNOWLEDGEMENTS.

DONATIONS AT BRIDGETOWN AND GRANVILLE CENTRE.—It affords me great pleasure to acknowledge the kindness and liberality of members of my church and congregation and other friends who met at the Parsonage, Bridgetown, on the evening of January the 14th, and gave tangible expression of their confidence, sympathy and good-will, in the form of a donation—which, with additions subsequently made, amounted to $116, of which $100 was in money.

It affords me equal pleasure also to acknowledge a similar expression of kindness and liberality by the brethren, sisters, and friends in Granville Centre, who met on the 10th inst, at the residence of Mrs. James Withers, entertained us most kindly and contributed $40 to encourage and help us; $34 of which was in money. Total donation $156 It is a matter for gratitude and thank-giving on my part that now after nineteen years' labor among this kind and considerate people, their regard for me and their confidence in me as a Minister of the Gospel, continues unabated. May the Lord grant us, people and minister, grace to labor faithfully to the end and give abundant increase in the salvation of sinners, and the sactification of saints!

GEORGE ARMSTRONG.

Bridgetown, Feb. 12, 1873.

CARD OF THANKS.

The Pastor of the North Baptist Church hereby tenders grateful acknowledgements to his people for their Annual Gift amounting to one hundred and eighty dollars ($180.00) The presentation was made on behalf of the Church and congregation in a handsome address by Judge McCully, on Monday evening, February 17th, at the close of our usual prayer meeting.

LETTERS RECEIVED.

W. E. West, $2 Chas McNeill, Esq, $13. W. Churchill, Esq. $8 50. Rev J. F. Kempton W. J Gates. A. M. Wills, $2. D P Saley, $2 Z. A. Hubley. Rev. Dr. Tupper. Rev J C Morse, $2. D. B. Dimock, $2 Rev. W L Parker. Rev. S. Boothby. John Sprague. J. M. Parker, Esq. 1 sub 50 cts. Rev. Geo. Armstrong. Rev. S. B. Kempton. G Freeman, 1 sub, $2. G. W. Freeman, $20. Rev. D. Freeman. Rev W. DeBlois Rev. W. G. Goucher, $2 20. Rev J. Murray. R. Musgrave, Esq. Jas. Grinton, $4. Chas Bill, Esq 2 subs., $2 Rev. W H Porter, $5. W Haley—with $40 for Church at Rome. Rev. Dr. Day.

News of the Week.

POLITICAL.—After going to press last week we learned that in addition the nomination of Capt Taylor there had been another for Halifax County. Mr Robt. Motton was nominated by Mr. C. Dart and seconded by Mr. Ezram Boutilier. The nominations being now made at the Sheriff's office in writing, they are comparatively private. There has of course been a good deal of personal feeling aroused between the friends of the rival candidates. Some scurrility and badgering has appeared on either side for the purpose of shewing that of the two candidates—Taylor or Motton, is the best man for the situation, or whether which is the worst of the two, and right not to be elected to represent the county of Halifax. Before our present issue will reach our readers the ballots will have been cast, and we presume the election decided, but not in time to enable us to give the information which of the two gentlemen is to occupy the honorable position of being our representative in the Local Assembly.

Daniel McDonald, Commissioner of Mines and Works, was re-elected for Antigonishe on Tuesday last week, without opposition.

ISAAC'S HARBOR, Feb. 12th, 1873.—*Disaster—Blown off to Sea.*—At Isaac's Harbor on the night of the 9th inst., the schr. *Eastern Star*, belonging to this Port, and owned by Capt James T Longley, James McMillan and Thomas Cook, was blown off the harbor and out to sea, by force of wind and ice. A boat was manned, and put out to rescue her if possible, but did not succeed on account of the night being so very stormy. She has eight barrels of herring on board. Foresail unbent and ashore. Mainsail and Jib bent, Gaftopsail and Staysail unbent, and on board. Hull painted black with a yellow streak. Fortunately there was no person on board. Her register-tonnage is forty-two tons. The owners will sustain quite a loss.—*Com.*

COAL. — The "Cape Breton Times" says:—"A fine seam of coal, five feet ten inches in thickness has, within a few days, been struck in the Gardner shaft, at a depth of 103 feet,—Further developments will no doubt identify this seam with the so called Lorway dirty seam, which will greatly enhance the value of Lorway stock."

TRURO —The *Sun* says there has been a lamentably large number of deaths in this locality this winter. One clergyman has officiated at sixteen funerals, within the past eighteen weeks. The same paper states that a considerable number of the residents of Truro are now seriously ill and but few families have escaped without one or more of their members being prostrated by sickness Physicians say that cases of *Cerebro Spinal Meningitis* have appeared among their patients, and that the disease is slightly epidemic.

On Thursday morning, in the neighborhood of Truro, a brakeman, named Michael Lyons, fell from a platform car, and being run over by the train was killed. The deceased was 22 years old, and belonged to North River, Colchester.

The Local Government offer a reward of $400, for the discovery of the persons who lately attempted to abduct a young woman from her residence in Dartmouth.

We learn from the *Express* that the Sisters of Charity, under the direction of His Grace the Archbishop, have established a branch Convent at Eel Brook, Yarmouth County. A fine building has been erected.

THE SNOW detained the trains on the Intercolonial Railway again last week. A number of ladies and gentlemen left Halifax on Thursday for Moncton to join in the Ball there that evening. They were stopped at Londonderry by the snow, and had to remain in the cars night and day, and for 24 hours it is said were without food. They returned to Halifax on Saturday morning about 3 o'clock.

The 5th Lecture of the Course before the Young Men's Christian Association will be delivered, D V., on Tuesday evening next, Feby, 25th, at Temperance Hall, by Rev George W. Hill. Subject: A continuation of Scotland; some of its chief cities and historic places. Chair to be taken at eight o'clock.

OUR HARBOR has had ice over a large part of its surface several days of the past week. The evaporation that has been going on during the severe cold of the previous part of the winter, together with the snow that has fallen on the surface, has brought the water nearly down to the freezing point, so that a cold night or two now makes considerable of ice. Several men and boys were out on the ice on Sunday, as far as a vessel lying in the stream, and nearly to George's Island. Quite a number have crossed from Richmond A wide path for the two Dartmouth steamers was kept open, so that the regular trips have been made without interruption Yesterday morning all the ice below the track made by the Dartmouth steamers, was carried out to sea, by a northerly breeze, leaving the ice firm above all across.

THE COAL TRADE —The following is a statement of the Coal Trade of Nova Scotia for 1872 compared with 1871:

Coal sold in 1872, round	716 329	tons.
" " slack	69 585	"
Consumed at the collieries	95,036	"
Total raised in 1872	880 950	tons.
" " 1871	673 242	"
Increase in 1872	207,708	tons.

The sales in 1872 exceeded those of 1871 by 189,459 tons.

No doubt the increase in 1873 will be very much greater, coal being now in Great Britain upwards of 40 shillings per ton! At this rate there will be but the least possible quantities shipped to American markets, and steamers will use our coal whenever they can procure it. A recent despatch puts the price of English coal at 53 shillings a ton! This is from four to five times the old rate.—*Witness*

Marriages.

At Freeport, on the 2nd inst., by the Rev. W. L. Parker, Capt. Geo. A. Thurber to Miss Emeline A. Nickerson, all of Freeport.

At New Minas, Feb. 12th, 1873, by Rev. Jas. Parker Mr. Watson Bishop of New Minas, to Miss Nancy, daughter of Mr. Jacob Stevens, of Alton.

At Canning, Feb. 12th, by Rev. D Freeman, Mr. Benjamin Corkum, of Lower Perreau, to Miss Caroline Macumber, of Canning.

At the Free Baptist Church, Port Medway, Queen's Co, Tuesday 11th inst., by Rev. T H. Crowell, assisted by Rev. E. Whitman, John W. Whitman, Esq., of the firm of Healey, Whitman & Co., of Halifax, and Miss Rosie A., eldest daughter of Eldred Cohoon, Esq., merchant of Port Medway.

At Halifax, on the 15th inst, by the Rev J. E. Goucher, Thomas Ward to Miss Christiana Kedy both of Chelsea Lunenburg Co.

At Sackville, Feb. 8th, by the Rev. J. S. Smith, Mr. William Eisenhaur of Hammond's Plains, to Clara Ann, daughter of Mr. Edward Fenerty, of the former place.

At Richmond, Halifax on the 13th inst., by the Rev. Jas. Frazer Campbell, John Neil Fraser of Nine Mile River, to Emily, fourth daughter of William Chow, Lower Stewiacke.

On the 7th inst., at Mahone Bay, by the Rev. W. H. Snyder, Rector, assisted by Revs. W. E Gelling, H. S. Wainwright, and A. C. McDonald Miss Maria Snyder, daughter of Rev W. H Snyder, to James McIvern, Esq., merchant, St. John, N B.

At the Parsonage, Nictaux, Feb. 12, by Rev. M P Freeman, Mr Burpee Marshall to Miss Sarah A. Jacques, daughter of Jos. Jacques, Esq., all of Wilmot.

On the 6 h inst., by the Rev. J. Murray, M. A., Mr. Silas A. Muchener, to Annie second daughter of Daniel Huntly, Esq, of Hantsport.

On the 10th, by the same, Capt. Thomas A. McDonald to Annie, daughter of Deacon George Pentz, of Mount Denson.

Deaths.

January 30th, 1873, of water on the brain, Harry Foot aged 5 years, only son of Isaac and Elizabeth Foot, of Cornwallis Mountain

Also, Mr. William McDade, of Hall's Harbor, on the 6th inst., after a long and painful illness caused by consumption. Sister McDade professed faith in Christ; and united with the Baptist Church about one year ago. She looked forward to death with calmness. She had taken Christ as her Saviour—and she believed He would sustain and save her. —*Com. by Rev. J F. K.*

On the 10th ult, at the residence of her son, Souris East, P. E. I, Mary Ann, the beloved wife of Franklin Sterns, Esq., in the 55 h year of her age.

At Freeport, Digby Co., Jan. 10th, of consumption Bynon L. Thurber, 25 years of age He was a member of the Freeport Church. His sickness was tedious, but he patiently bore all, entirely resigned to the will of God and calmly awaited his appointed time. He has left a wife and one child and a large circle of friends to mourn their loss.

At Liverpool, N. S., Jan. 18th, of disease of the brain, Annie E. second daughter of Rev. Joseph Jones, A B., aged 6 years and 4 months.

Weep not for her, for she has crossed the river,
We almost saw Him meet her on the shore,
And lead her through the golden gates, where never,
Sorrow or death can enter any more.

(*Christian Visitor* please copy)

At Centreville, Annapolis County, January 23 d, Minnie Sophia, daughter of William A. and Cynthia Piggott, aged 9 years.

"Yet again we hope to meet thee,
When the day of life is fled,
Then in Heaven to greet thee,
Where no farewell tear is shed."

Scots Bay Road Dec. 25th, 1872, Elizabeth Bennett, aged 86 years. She embraced the Saviour nearly 70 years ago, and subsequently joined the Baptist Church in Canard.

At the same place, Feb. 10th, 1873, William Henry Bennett, aged 20 years. His end was peace.

On Friday 14th inst, Bridget, wife of David L. George, aged 58.

At the Home for the aged, on the 13 h inst., Mary Ann Mann aged 85 years.

At Truro, on the 7th inst., Mabel Augusta, aged 2 years and 10 months, dearly beloved child of Israel and Mary G. Longworth.

At the residence of Mr. David Fraser, Truro, Miss Esther Gillard, Normal School Student, from Harbor Grace, Newfoundland.

On Friday, the 7th inst., at McLellans' Mountain, Ondrina Ross, aged 28 years.

At Great Village, Londonderry, on Tuesday 11 h inst. Eliza F, beloved wife of the Rev. A. L. Wyllie, aged 45 years.

At the Poor's Asylum on the 13th Feb., 1873, Charles McCarthy, aged 73.

At Stanley, Hants C., Jan. 31st., Sarah Jane, beloved wife of William Campbell, Senr., in the 51st year of her age.

On Tuesday 11th, Mary, daughter of James and Johanna Whelan, aged 30 years.

On the 10th inst., Louisa, the beloved wife of William Brisco, in the 25th year of her age.

On Saturday, Sarah, wife of Alexander Smith, in the 38th year of her age.

On the 14th inst., Maurice Cahalane, in the 27th year of his age

In Lower Aylesford, Feb. 9th, Charles F. eldest and tenderly beloved child of Charles C. and Susan Neily, aged 4 years.

On Monday, 17th inst., in the 75th year of her age, Mrs. Catherine Robertson, widow of the late Robert Robertson.

At Dartmouth, on Sunday, the 16th inst, Mr. Thomas Savage, in the 68th year of his age.

Shipping List.

PORT OF HALIFAX.

ARRIVED.

TUESDAY, Feb. 11th.—Steamer Peruvian, Smith, Baltimore; Tiger, Egan, St. John's, N. F; brigts. Kenneth, Stephens, Cienfuegos; Edna, Simpson, New York; schrs. Dauntless, McDonald Boston; Defiance, Corkum, Chester; Sea Queen, Hyson, Mahone Bay; Express Dauphiney, Hubbard's Cove; Trial, Bond, Chester; Lone Star, Croucher, Margaret's Bay; Darling, from Tancook; Mary Caroline, Johnson, Margaret's Bay; City Point, Bruhm, Mahone Bay.

WEDNESDAY, 12th.—Schrs. Baronet, Ernest, Mahone Bay; Alameda, Hammelman, La Have.

THURSDAY, 13th.—Schr. Brilliant Star, Smith, Port Medway.

FRIDAY, 14th.—Schrs. Annie Bell, Leslie, Spry Bay; Glad Tidings, Jackson, do.; Union, Glawson, Shoal Bay.

SATURDAY, 15th.—No arrivals.

SUNDAY, 16th.—Brigt. Lochiel, Ham, Porto Rico; schrs. Belle Bartlett, (Am.), McDonald, Western Banks; E. K. Brown, Payzant, Liverpool, N. S.

MONDAY, 17th —Am. stmr. Carlotta, Mulligan, Portland; schr. Jessen, Kelly, Boston.

CLEARED.

TUESDAY, Feb. 11th.—Steamers Merlin, Walsh, St. John's, N. F.; Carlotta, Am. Mulligan, Portland; brigts. Ben Nevis, Fader, Liverpool, G. B.; Comrade, Doane, Jamaica; Commodore, Zwicker, Mahone Bay; Annie, (Fr.) Gautier, St. Pierre, Miq.

WEDNESDAY, 12th.—R M. S Peruvian, Smith, Liverpool; schrs. Jennie Wood Crowell, Porto Rico; sumr. Chase, Mulligan, Portland; brigts. Mary, Forest Jamaica; E. McLeod, McLeod, Liverpool, N.S.; Brooklyn, Butler, do.

THURSDAY, 13th.—Steamer Vaderland Von Ryder, from Antwerp, Philadelphia; schrs. Edwin & Eva, Rood, Boston; Golden West, Seabroyer, LaHave; Defiance, Corkum, Chester.

FRIDAY, 14th.—Brs Halifax, Power B. W Indies Daisy, Essex, do.; Mary Alice, Smith, Sheet Harbor.

SATURDAY, 15th.—Brigts, Bessie, Wendell, B. W. Indies; Crescent, Nelson, New York; Kenneth, Walsh, B. W. Indies.

MONDAY, 17th.—Schr. Benjamin, Nunen, Liverpool N. S.

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SMITH BROS.

Feb. 19

$50 REWARD.

HALIFAX, Feb. 11th 1873.

THE above reward will be paid to any person giving information that will lead to the apprehension and conviction of the Parties who abducted my daughter Maud, from her home, in Dartmouth, on the night of the 7th instant.

JOHN K. MATTHEWS.

Feb. 19.

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Feb, 19.

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Feb 12.

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Wilmot, County of Annapolis,
January 22nd, 1874.
Jan. 29

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Nov. 20.

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Nov. 13.

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