

There is another important fact that goes to establish the point that there was no discrimination made in the resurrection...

In 1 Cor. xv. Christ is said to have risen ek nekron—'out of, from, the dead,' nekron, the Greek word for dead...

See also Luke xx. 35. All the force of our blessed Lord's statement is lost unless the passage is correctly rendered and understood...

Let the candid reader, examine carefully 1 Cor. xv. and see if there is any thing there that looks like a resurrection of the wicked, and their awful doom...

But what about Matt. xxv. 31-40? The answer is easy. That scene grand, impressive and awful, as it is, is not in my opinion, the scene described in Rev. xx.

The reader may be somewhat startled at the statement that Mat. xxv. is to be the fulfillment of Joel iii. and he may have forgotten how often he has heard the statement that Christ is to judge the quick...

thing. If the first resurrection is spiritual then so is the second, which I suppose none will be hardy enough to maintain...

Dear reader, study carefully your Bible. The words of the prophets are your own heritage—and so is the Book of Revelation...

For the Christian Messenger. IN MEMORIAM.

MRS. ELIZABETH RAYMOND, relict of the late Dca. Jonathan Raymond, and daughter of the late Joseph Robbins...

Her conversion she dated at her twelfth year. The means used by the Holy Spirit was the late venerable T. H. Chipman...

This she found to her great joy. In this she rejoiced to the end of her pilgrimage. When her heart and her flesh failed...

Nearly a half century's discussion of this question has failed to produce a more perfect pledge, or to give an additional reason for its existence...

The prospects in Wolfville are encouraging, especially in connection with our institutions of learning. In this Valley we are enjoying a gracious revival...

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Religious Intelligence.

ST. MARGARET'S BAY.—God is blessing our feeble efforts here and I begin to feel that my coming here was of Him...

Yesterday we had the pleasure of visiting the baptismal waters and nine were buried with Christ in baptism unto death...

We have reason to hope that what we have seen is only the beginning of good days. All around these shores we find anxious ones desiring the way of life...

WOLFVILLE AND GASPEREAUX.—Rev. S. W. DeBlois, pastor of the Church at Wolfville baptized two believers...

LIVERPOOL, Feb. 3, 1874.—Dear Bro. Selden.—You will be pleased in learning that God's work is being revived in our midst...

A telegram on Monday informed us that Bro. Gates again administered the ordinance of baptism on Sunday last to six persons, and still the work is in progress.

GASPEREAUX.—Dear Bro. Selden.—Last Sabbath was a deeply interesting day for the 1st and 2nd Horton Churches. The coldness of the morning did not prevent the people from gathering in large numbers...

The writer had the privilege of baptizing ten rejoicing believers, five young men and five young women. In this good work the two churches are able to rejoice together.

The accessions of the young men to the Church is one of the pleasing features of this work, and greatly encourages the hearts of the more aged brethren who have been praying and waiting for the 'salvation of our God.'

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Rev. C. H. Spurgeon having departed for a few weeks, his place at the Metropolitan Tabernacle has been occupied by the Rev. J. P. Chown, of Bradford...

ONTARIO AND QUEBEC.—Chapel opening at Osgoode.—The new Baptist Chapel in the township of Osgoode was opened for the worship of God, on Sabbath, January 11th inst...

FENELON FALLS.—Bro. Tapscott, writes to the Canada Baptist: The Lord continues to favor us with the tokens of His approving smile...

TORONTO.—The Bond St. Baptist Church have selected the fine large lot, corner of Jarvis and Gerrard streets, as the site of their new church edifice.

On Sabbath evening last, the pastor of the College St. Church, had the privilege of baptizing several candidates.

ITALY.—It is said that there are already one hundred Protestant churches planted in Italy and all are enjoying more or less prosperity.

Dominion & Foreign News.

HALIFAX, N. S., FEBRUARY 11, 1874.

Five officers were reported killed at Hamilton, Ont., on the 31st inst. The results of the Elections give the Government a largely increased majority.

NEW BRUNSWICK.

On Monday the 2nd the dead body of James Gardiner was found on the ice near Ballishe Bay, King's County. He had been frozen to death.

The Fredericton Express states that on Friday last, while a house was being hauled from Ormocto to the main land, it broke through the ice, and sank to the bottom...

The Telegraph says there are upwards of 100 unemployed sailors at the different boarding houses in St. John.

On Thursday afternoon between one and two o'clock as the express train from St. John to Halifax was nearing Memramcook, the snow plough jumped the track followed by the engine and cars...

PRINCE EDWARD ISLAND.

The whole six Ministerialists have been returned in the Island. In Kings County the contest was close, Mr. McIntyre having only thirty-one over Mr. McDonald...

In Prince County Mr. Yeo and Mr. Perry were elected by large majorities.

THE NORTH WEST.

A St. Paul despatch states that twenty men engaged in chopping wood near Fort Rice, Dakota, were murdered by Sioux Indians early in last week.

UNITED STATES.

Christopher Lehr's grocery, over which his family lived, in Evansville, Indiana, was burned and Lehr, his wife and four children perished.

Fifteen persons were seriously hurt by an accident to a train on the Northwestern Railroad, 50 miles north of Chicago.

Incendiary attempts were made to burn the Primitive Methodist, Wesleyan and Centenary Churches, but the fire went out without much damage.

Three persons were burned to death in Guilford, Maine. About a foot of snow fell in New York on Tuesday of last week.

A boiler explosion occurred in Norfolk, Virginia, on Friday, killing three persons and badly scalding four others.

A broken rail just beyond Warren on the Boston and Albany railway, on Friday last, threw an entire express train off the track.

A fire on Broadway on Monday morning nearly destroyed the large marble building occupied by dry goods and auction rooms of J. C. B. Ruse and Friedman & Co.

New York, Feb. 9, P. M.—Gold 111, Sterling Exchange \$4.84 to \$4.874. Money 4 per cent.

LATEST FROM EUROPE.

The telegrams of the past week from England have referred almost wholly to the progress of the elections. Up to Monday last there had been 509 members of the new Parliament elected.

Disraeli in addressing a meeting at Newport Pagnell, on Wednesday, said that Gladstone's Irish policy had utterly failed. Instead of being conciliated, Ireland was in a more disturbed state than ever.

The Marquis of Lorne is returned from Argyleshire. A serious disaster occurred at a Liberal meeting in Lancashire. The floor of the hall gave way and caused the death of six persons besides injuring others.

The following highly important despatch from Sir Garnet Wolseley, commanding the Ashantee expedition, was received on Thursday.

All the white prisoners held by the Ashantees have been delivered up to me. The King accepts my terms for cessation of hostilities which he asked for, and agreed to pay an indemnity of £200,000.

The famine in India is reported to be increasing and has extended to Nepal. Rothschild has been defeated in London.

It is reported that Gladstone has sent in his resignation to the Queen. It is not likely to be true, or that he will do so till after the elections.

A special from Berlin says alarming report current there concerning relations between Germany and France. The police arrested Archbishop Le Donchowitzke, and he has been committed to prison in Frankfurt.

The German Reichstag was opened on Thursday last with a speech from the Throne.

The French candidates for the German Reichstag from Alsace have been elected by an overwhelming majority.

There is a sensation at Versailles in consequence of articles in the North German 'Gazette,' urging restrictions on the freedom of the Church in the Ultramontane press in France and Belgium.

M. Buffet has been elected the Presidency of the Assembly. The Carlists threatened to open the bombardment of Bilbao on Wednesday last.

The city has two months' provisions. Gen. Moriones is receiving reinforcements, and will advance to its relief.

A telegram from Madrid reports a terrible engagement, near L'rida, between the Republicans and Carlists. The latter were defeated with heavy loss in killed and wounded.

Spain has provisionally recalled her diplomatic representatives from Berlin, Vienna, and several other European capitals.

Cuba.—Havana advices of 29th ult. report a mutiny among Spanish troops, owing to receiving no pay for six months.

The iron clad 'Arspies' is reported to have arrived at Havana. Advices from Cuba are to effect that the Captain General has issued several proclamations in which he proclaims the whole Island in a state of siege.

Orders that a draft be made for soldiers, and that slaves be put to work upon the fortifications.

News of the Week.

ENTERPRISE.—A movement is made to increase the facilities of the commercial relations of Halifax with Cape Breton and the eastern ports. A company has been formed to purchase a substantial steamer for this purpose costing some \$30,000.

The Election in... Halifax, Digby, Yarmouth, Kings, Hants, Annapolis, Cumberland, Cape Breton, Pictou, Colchester, Shelburne, Victoria, Antigonish, Queens, Lunenburg, Guysborough, Richmond, Inverness.

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