me no negro shall enter itc wells a zakasice or mercesors for Separate "et it perish first," was Horace Mann's Schools, remarking: rely, and if equal heroism, not to say good sise, had actuated the governors or their pent, in the matter of a tenant for the Isement, the Judas sop from the liquor affic would never have defiled the treasury Dalhousie. Some may think this is a rifling question. Well, this is but natural specially to those residing in the city, where nearly everybody is a liquor dealer, related to one, dependent on one, or controlled by one, but the 106 young men attending this institution think differently, most of whom express their contempt of the set in no measured terms. That any of the names on the catalogue have been marked by the asterisk of death, and owe their untimely end to the use of wine, I do not know; but in a city like Halifax, where three hundred licenses are granted by that broad-cloth mob, the City Council, it was just a little too much for Dalhousie to virtues of its pupils. Acadia College or Mount Allison would just as soon allow bar rooms opened in their basements as brewerics, and let us hope that at the end of the present lease, the voice of the turtle will no longer be heard in the " basement."

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not be so characterized, however he mediately. may feel towards them.

THE PUBLIC SCHOOL QUES-TION.

By the requisition of upwards of seventy of the leading ministers, merchants, and other geutleman of Halitax, His Worship the Mayor has called a public meeting in Temperance Hall to be held on Friday evening next, to take into consideration the rights of the citizens in the matter of electing the members of the School Board for the City, the same as the other School Sections elect their own Trustees throughout the Province. Among the names of the requisitionists are 19 or denominations.

meeting we cannot of course anticipate. This we do know that there has been for some time past wide spread dissatisfa :tion with the City Schools-believing to continue from the opening to the close that the non-sectarian Schools have not been properly cared for, some of their best teachers have left the work of teaching, and thus the schools have seriously deteriorated in conse-

One cause of this dissatisfaction is that whilst the law supposes only Pablic Schools, we have already in Halifax to all'intents and purposes Roman Catholic Separate Schools, not only so, but whilst the Roman Catholic Schools have none but Roman Catholic Teachers, the non-Catholic Schools also have had a number of Roman Catholic Teachers in them.

or not we cannot positively affirm but we do think that the election of School Trustees by the parents and supporters of the Schools is a very proper and wholesome work for the cause of Education. The public interest in the schools in England the fact that the people themselves have had to choose the School Boards. From A. Sime, Eq, per Rev. Dr. The Morning Chronicle thinks some

of the gentlemen, indeed many of them "know not what they ask" and suggests that:

"There is an impression abroad that the meeting, though called for the nominal purpose of considering the propriety of making a change in the constitution of the Halifax School Board, has a wider purpose-that it is intended as the inauguration of a movement against the granting of Separate Schools to the Ronan Catholic Bishops having created a widespread belief that a Separate School agitation has been resolved on."

The same article proceeds further to

say: "If this is the purpose of the meeting, we think the step a needless one. That the Roman Catholics of Nova Scotia, desire Separate Schools, every body knows, but that they expect to get them, or that they intend agitating for them we do not believe. The Pastoral was, we think intended for New Brunswick. Its official publication here was a mistake, and one that can do no

The Chronicle then declares its in-

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"However it is possible that we are wrong in our opinion of the intentions of the Catholics of Nova Scotia, and that an egitation for Separate Schools is to be carried on. If this proves to be the fact, we, as advocates of free non-sectarian education will be prepared to give whatever influence we may have to the maintenance of our present school laws. Separate Schools cannot be granted to the Roman Catholics of Nova Scotia."

to avoid a renewal of a discussion of the Separate School question, but the Roman Catholic Bishops of Halifax, Arichat, St. John, Charlottetown, Chatham, and Titopolis! with the + before each of their names have initiated will be enough and to spare. the question afresh, and by advertising throw its influence against the faltering their "Pastoral" in the Nova Scotia papers have intimated that the battle was to be again fought here. The said Pastoral may have been intended specially for New Brunswick, but it was "Given at St. Marys" in Hali-"Grant me to see, and Ajax asks no fax, and we have pretty significant inmore," was the prayer the great poet put | timations that whilst the Chronicle may into the lips of his hero in the darkness regard the issue of "the Bishop's Pastotal," here, as "a mistake," yet the Bishops intended it for Nova Scotia and Prince Edward Island no less than

The death is announced of Mr. W We must take exception to the term E. Nightingale, of Embley Manor, employed by this "Student" with near Romsey, the father of Miss Fforreference to the City Council. In the eace Nightingale. As he was coming Gazette by a typographical error, it was ing downstairs, he was suddenly seized "mat" but the word intended was with pain. He was conducted to an "mob." Our civic authorities should a ljoining room, but died almost in-

> A brief note from Dr. Dy came after we had gone to press last week in which he says :- " A note from brother Wallace informs me that he baptized 22 at Kempt, Queen's Co., last Sunday. Brother J. M. Weeks says 10 have professed conversion in his field.

More recent intelligence from Dr. Day says that during the past three weeks Bro. W. baptized forty-five persons at Kempt and probably more last Lord's Day.

Notices.

TEA-MEETING AT LAWRENCETOWN.-The Ladies of the Baptist Sewing Circle, Law-20 ministers of the various religious rencetown, Annapolis, intend having a sale of Fancy Articles, &c., and a Tea-What may be the action of said meeting on the 25th inst, in the basement of the New Meeting House.

There will be a refreshment table, oysters, &c. A free concert will be given in the evening. Tea at 6 o'clock. Sale

It is the intention, if the regular Trains do not run to suit, to have if possible an extra on that day to accommodate those wishing to attend. The object is to raise funds for finishing the outside of the House. Should the weather be particularly unfavourable, to come off the next fine day. Doors open at 12 o'clock (noon), close at 9 o'clock in the evening. Admission fee 10 cents. Tea 30 cents.

PRINCE EDWARD ISLAND QUARTERLY

The next Quarterly Meeting will be held with the Baptist church at Three Rivers commencing Friday the 20th of March, 1874. Preaching at 7 o'clock, P. M. As there is a certain subject under consideration Now whether the dissatisfaction and is to be discussed there and then, it is in other respects be well founded desirable that all our ministering brethren on the Island and delegates from our churches should be there.

Ministers and delegates are cordially invited to come and are expected to attend. JOHN SHAW. Three Rivers, Feb 2nd, 1874.

Dear Editor,-Please acknowledge in has been very materially increased by the Messenger the receipt of the following sums for the French Mission:

Day. \$10.00 From Lake George Church, per

W. R. Doty, Eq. 384 Total \$13 84 Yours truly,

SAMUEL BROWN, Treas Yarmouth, Feb. 7th, 1874.

ACKNOWLEDGMENTS.

A donation for the pastor, on the 2nd Catholies, the recent Pastoral of the inst., at the residence of Bro. T. B. Woodland, Oxford, was a pleasant and profitable gathering. The expressions and presence of brother Bool, brother Corey, Dr Howard and others added much to the enjoyment of the occasion. The hearty manner in which cur brother and his wife opened their house for our reception, and the generesity of the people made us feel that our labors were being appreciated.

At Bay De Vert, N. B., where I go (as a self-appointed missionary) occasionally to supply a lack of baptist preaching, I rec ived a donation from friends there, Jan. 26th, at the residence of John Read, Esq., \$50. A noble gift from a generous people. GEO. F. MILES.

Amherst, Feb. 11, 1874.

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RECTIVED FROM WOMAN'S MISSION AID SOCIETIES.

Beaver River, - Miss Gertie Ray-Maitland, Yarmouth Co., Sabbath School. 0.48 Bertie Sanders. 0.45 M R. SELDEN, Sec'y. Halifax, N. S., Feb 18 1874.

SHELBURNE C)., MINISTERIAL CONFERENCE. The Baptist Ministerial Conference, of Shelburne County, lately organized at It may be the desire of the Chronicle | Lockeport, will hold its first regular session

with the Sable River church, and will meet at 10 o'clock, A. M, on Tuesday Feb. 24th. Baptist ministers from other counties are cordially invited to share with us. The blessing promised to the gathering of "two or three" is ample There

By order of the brethren, EDWARD WHITMAN. Lockeport, Feb. 8th. 1874.

ERRATUM. - In the C. M. Feb. 4th, in my communication concerning baptising converts, instead of seventy-seven read twenty-seven.

Yours truly, G. BALLENTINE. Brookfield, Queens Co., Feb. 13, 1874.

LETTERS RECEIVED.

W. M. McVean, \$4. H E. Payson, \$6. Rev. G. E. Dav, 1 sub., \$2 J P. Nowlan. C. W. Roscoe, \$2. Rev. Dr. Tupper, R. Delap, \$2. Rev. P. F. Murray, \$2. Rev. J. B. McQuillin. Rev. D. McDonald. Job Seaman, Esq, \$4, all correct. Jas. Grinton, \$4. J. Soley. W. Cunningham. \$2 S Smith, \$5, U.S A. P. Shand, \$24. D. B. Dimock, \$2 Rev. G F. Miles. J. Ham. Rev. H. Eagles John Lantz Rev. C. F. Myers. Have not got them. M. Kinsman, \$3. J. Hunter. W. H. Chipman, Esq., \$8. J. Killam, Senr. J. J. Parker. A. Myers,

News of the Week.

SOMEWHAT STATIONARY .- A remarkably monotonous life closed on Tuesday last the 10th inst. Mrs. Agnes Hamilton, daughter of Edward and Catherine Hogg, died in Bedford Row, Halifax. She was born in the same house in which she died, and had lived there all her days up to her 78th year, and then died, leaving, as we are informed, died only a few weeks since.

BUSHING THE ICE.—The North Sydney Herald of Feb. 6th, said :- " Our harbor is frozen over as far as the Light House, and the communication between Sydney and the Bar on the ice is complete and perfectly safe. The ice has not yet been bushed and this should re attended to at once."

This may seem a strange term to the uninitiated, but it will be perceived that when the ice is used as a road it is necessary to place some marks to distinguish the way, and show where it is safe and proper to go, this is done by placing bushes at intervals along on the ice.

DEATHS IN THE CITY OF HALIFAX IN 1873. -Seven hundred and seventy-eight deaths were registered in this city as having taken place in 1873, 404 being males and 374 females. Eight of these deaths, however, took place outside the city limits; 22 in the City Hospital: 62 in the Poor's Asylum, and 32 were soldiers or their child en, not forming a part of the civilian population The actual number of deaths belonging to the city proper was 655, or 21 to each 1,000 of the population; or, if the mortality of the public institutions is included, 24 to each 1,000. In 1872, the deaths in Halifax were a fraction over 1,000 or about 30 to each 1,000 of the population. As is always the case in cities, the infant mortality is high, 289, or 37 out, of each 100, who died being children under five years of age. 93 persons died above seventy; 25 above 80; and 6 above 90. The greatest age rendered was 99 years. The mortality for zymotic diseases, with the exception of those of a diarrhoel nature, was much below the average. There were 7 deaths from small-pox; and 29 from cerebrospinal meningitis, a disease till lately but little known here. The disease of the tubercular class maintain their usual John K. Bent. position, causing nearly a fifth of the whole death rate. The health of the city in 1873 was; on the whole, satisfactory.

JOHN COSTLEY, Sec y. of Statistics.

HANTS COUNTY is to be Mest with another election, Mr. McDougall having resigned his seat in the Local Legislature. Let us hope none of the electors will be permitted to drink until they are drunken, and then sleep their last sleep in this world, by that means turning the blessing into a curse. The use of the electoral privelege is one of our most sacred rights. and should be guarded against such wicked

We are informed that there is a charge of bribery lodged against the return of Mr. M. H. Goudge and that the Dominion Government have appointed the following barristers a court to try the case : Messrs. O. Weeks, J. W. Johnston, and R. L. Wetherbe.

The Local Legislature is summoned to meet for the depatch of business on Thursday March 12th.

A fire occurred on Friday evening in Water Street at which several persons received serious injury.

The Managers of the Institution for the Blind of Halifax gratefully acknowledge Weymouth, -Mrs. S J. Randall. \$10,00 the main south volumes, establing the whole Bible in raised characters, intended for the use of the Blind, donated to them by the American Bible Society, New York, through their agent Joseph Holdick, Esq.

THE WEATHER .- Perhaps there has rarely, if ever, been known a winter in which such great and sudden changes of weatherhave been experienced. Last week we had cold, and snow, and storms galore, and on Friday night it rained in torrents carrying away the snow more rapidly than it came. Sunday was a charming day, dry and pleasant. Monday, again, snow, rain, sleet, hail and thawing and freezing in rapid succession.

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LEWIS CARVELL, General Supermtendent. Railway Offi e Moncton, ¿ Feb. 18. 7th Feb., 1874

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Believe me, yours truly, DAVID FREEMAN. Swern to at Kempt, October 3rd, 1872, before me,

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