

eight years of age are bound for eight years: from eight to twelve for five years, and some are taken for three years. This, however, is only in case they have first learned to read. She also, sometimes, takes pupils for two years only but these are exceptional cases. The amount required for the yearly support of a single pupil is about \$25. Some are supported by Sunday Schools. It is her aim to make her school self-supporting and a step has been taken towards it, for she has three or four paying pupils now. This is quite a wonderful thing among the Burmans, and it is a significant fact that these are the children of christian parents. From the heathen she is glad to get them without a price. I feel that hers is a noble work: When shall we be able to begin our own mission is still a question, but each day brings the answer nearer. You will probably have heard before you receive this that Messrs. Revs. Sanford and Armstrong have started for Siam. By this time they have crossed the border, I suppose, and before very long, the great query of location must be decided. I believe that they will be guided by the Covenant-keeping God. I am sure that we all wish to see them.

I have not seen Mrs. Armstrong and Mrs. Sanford for a few days, but heard yesterday that they are quite well. They are living on the other side of the hill about two miles from here. I long to hear from you and to know of the continued interest of the Societies. I would like so much to hear directly from them, but suppose that would be expecting too much, and I could not even try to reply for I've so much writing now that I am quite behind hand with my letters. Good bye, with much love, dear friend, from your friend and sister, M. E. ARMSTRONG.

The Secretary of the Nova Scotia Central Board has received a letter of later date than the above, from Miss Armstrong, dated Maulman, Feb. 10th. We must reserve it for our next. One or two items however will be read with special interest, and we make room for them in advance. Miss A. says:— "There is very little news to give in connected with our mission. Mrs. Armstrong and Mrs. Sanford received letters from their husbands on Saturday last. They were then at Myah Mah, and about four days journey from Rahaing where they hoped to meet Revs. Messrs. Churchill and Boggs. Mrs. Armstrong has a nice little girl just five days old. Both mother and daughter are doing well."

Notices.

RECEIVED FOR WOMEN'S MISSION AID SOCIETY. Indian Harbour.—Mrs. C. Allan, \$ 5 00 Milton.—Mrs. E. G. Freeman, . . . 10 00 M. R. SELDEN, Sec'y. Halifax, N. S. April 14, 1875.

The next meeting of the Kings and Hants Conference, will be held (D. V.) at Berwick, on the 20th and 21st of April. There will be a public meeting on the 20th at 7 o'clock. The Conference to meet on the 21st, at 10 o'clock. Visiting brethren will be cordially welcomed to a seat. S. B. KEMPTON, Sec.

LETTERS RECEIVED.

A. Cooke, \$7. A. Martell, \$2. C. W. Bant, \$2. Miller Bros. N. Miller, Eq., \$10 50. Jas. E. Potter, Eq., \$25 45. Rev. J. B. McQuillan, J. Mosher, \$2. B. L. Teifer, \$6 50. J. W. Johnson, X. A. Chipman, \$7 50. D. Archibald, \$14. C. W. Roscoe, \$2. P. Paint, Junr., \$2. Rev. Jas Parker, 1 sub. W. C. Bill, Esq., \$5. Joseph D. Halfyard, Esq., \$16. J. E. Miner.

Local News.

POINT PLEASANT PARK has now six miles of roads for driving, besides some miles of walks for pedestrians, and bridle paths. A number of seats are to be furnished. An avenue to the Park by the extension of South Park Street is asked. Report says that Sir William Young has offered a pair of handsome gates for the Tower Road entrance.

AN ACCIDENT occurred at the Railway Depot on Tuesday last by which two cars were badly damaged, and one man was severely injured. The shunters were employed breaking up a train, when a mistake made a pointman send a couple of carriages down the wrong track, and caused a collision. A second class car was forced against a first class carriage, and both were badly smashed. There were several business failures last week in Halifax.

THE FORGER LULING has not yet been captured. A case of mistaken identity occurred last week. A Mr. Baker telegraphed to the City Marshal: "Am very positive Luling is on this train; take steps for his arrest." But it was a mistake.

A NEW TUG BOAT, named the Annie Stewart, was launched from Mr. Moseley's ship yard on Tuesday.

Rev. C. B. Pitblado's Bible Class have presented him with a copy of the latest edition of Smith's Bible Dictionary, in six volumes and Bonar's "Light and Truth," complete.

A SERIOUS ACCIDENT occurred on Friday to Mr. Kavanagh, who has a contract for removing a house from Water Street to Kompt Road, by way of North Street. Mr. Kavanagh was sitting on the frame of a crab-winch, which was being worked by a horse, engaged taking in the slack rope, when the fastening which held the winch to the ground gave way, throwing him, with the winch, about 10 or 12 feet in the air. His head struck the ground in falling, and he became senseless. His skull was slightly fractured.

Chas. McIntosh, a carpenter, was very severely injured by a fall from a scaffold on which he was working in Dartmouth on Tuesday afternoon.

ICE ON THE SHORE.—The schooner Swan, which arrived on Saturday morning from Cape Canso, reported all the coasts frozen up, and the Gut jammed with ice. Fifty men were actively engaged for more than ten days in cutting the Swan and two other vessels out of the ice, which was 4 feet thick around the vessels.

BEAR RIVER has become quite lively in shipbuilding. There are at present being built a brig of 300 tons by Messrs. Rice & Clarke, a barque of 1400 tons for Z. Goudy of Yarmouth, one brig of 700 tons for Capt. W. F. Marshall, and three others in course of preparation of 700, 300, and 250 tons.

CUMBERLAND OXEN.—The finest oxen we know of in this county are a pair owned by Mr. W. L. Pipes, Nappan. They are six years old, very finely formed and evenly mated, gilt eight feet, and weighed, at the middle of March, 3030 lbs.—the larger one 2040 lbs.—Gazette.

CAPE BRETON is having its full share of the cold weather we have had to bear this winter. A telegram dated the 10th inst., says "Thermometer yesterday morning at zero, thawing to day."

The North Sydney Herald says:—"The ice on the harbor is apparently as strong now as it was two months ago; equal appearances of winter prevail on every side. There is a loud and universal cry throughout the Island on account of the scarcity of provender for cattle, and what is worse, the usual concomitant, the scarcity of human food becoming seriously threatening. There is scarcely a barrel of flour to be had in any of the towns of Cape Breton County."

NOVA SCOTIA FIRST.—The N. Y. Witness affirms that since the death of Sir Charles Lyell, Principal Dawson of McGill College, Montreal, stands foremost in the science of geology. Principal Dawson is a Nova Scotian.

Miss Maggie C. Chesley, of Bridgetown, has completed three quilts containing 13,650 pieces. The first contains 5,407 pieces, the second 5,555, the third 2,629 pieces.

Dr. Bingay, of Annapolis, has an ingenious invention for starting early plants in the shape of a hot-water hotbed, water being substituted for fermenting manure to give the required warmth and moisture.

A child supposed to answer the description of Charles Ross, who was kidnapped from Philadelphia, has been discovered at Aylesford, in company with a travelling woman. The father, it is said, came on, but found it was not his boy.

Our Windsor readers, and all those who go to Windsor, are requested to observe C. L. WEEK'S advertisement. He wishes to preserve his patrons' understanding—above and below.

BEARS.—Since Messrs. Perry Davis & Son commenced the manufacture of Bearine, the Canada trapper has found a lucrative business in capturing old Brain. Messrs. Davis & Son pay a good price for the grease, and the skins are always sought after. Messrs. Davis & Son have a mode of refining the grease, perfuming it, &c., making it superior to any others we have ever seen.

Marriages.

At Cross Roads, St. Mary's, Guysboro Co., by Rev. Robert Cummings, on the 4th of March, Mr. Cyrus Husley, to Catherine Agnes, eldest daughter of Mr. John Fisher. At Willow Cottage, New Minas March 31, by Rev. James Paker, Mr. Andrew J. Byles, to Miss Mary E., daughter of Isaac Tupper, Esq., all of Cornwallis. At the same time and place, by the same, Mr. Otis Bishop, to Miss Clara, daughter of George Ward, Esq., all of A.S.

Deaths.

On Tuesday, the 6th inst., Mr. Geo. Little, aged 84 years. On Tuesday, April 6th, Matthew Lounds, in the 75th year of his age. On Thursday, in the 70th year of her age, Eliza Milliken, relict of the late Wm. Milliken, Esq., Assistant Commissary General.

At Barronsfield, on Saturday, the 20th March, Nancy, daughter of the late Charles Baker, Esq., a maiden lady, aged 70. Death entered last two weeks previously, and removed the youngest brother of a group of unmarried brothers and sisters, remarkable for their mutual attachments and sympathy. The grandfather of the family, Chas. Baker, Esq., was an influential leading member of the community in Cumberland County in the early part of the century, and held several important offices. The family connections are now large and widely extended.

On Tuesday, April 6th, John D., only son of David Shepherd, in the 29th year of his age. At Mabou, C. B., on the 19th ult., William Hawley, in the 81st year of his age.

On the 6th inst., Mrs. Elizabeth Robertson, widow of the late Mr. Alexander Robertson of Her Majesty's Service, aged 92 years. Mrs. Robertson was baptized many years since in this city, and united with the North Baptist Church shortly after its formation. She lived consistently with her profession. While her bodily strength permitted, she attended the meetings of the church regularly, took a lively interest in its prosperity, and was always ready to contribute to its funds, and to other kindred objects. Mrs. Robertson was noted for a peaceable and quiet deportment. For a number of years her health has been feeble and occasionally her affliction has been severe. Her last illness lasted several weeks; and her affliction was borne with patience and resignation to the Divine will. She knew her end was near, and was favoured with perfect peace and was enabled to cherish with decision a well grounded hope. She was familiar with the Scriptures and experienced much of the consolation and support they are fitted to give. Mrs. Robertson has left several children, and quite a number of grandchildren and great grandchildren.—Com. by Rev. John Miller.

At Broad Cove, Marsh, Inverness Co., on the 1st inst., Archibald McDonald, Esq., (Angus' Son), in the 41st year of his age.

At Port Felix, Guysboro Co., on the 29th of March, John Cashen, aged 44 years. On the 6th inst., at Mabou Bridge, in the County of Inverness, Sarah, the beloved wife of Peter Smyth, Esq., Jr.

On the 10th inst., in the 25th year of her age, Jessie Elizabeth McPhee.

On Saturday, Emma Alice, youngest daughter of James and Mary Fitzgerald, aged two years and six months.

On Saturday, Edward M. Moseley, in the 60th year of his age.

On Sunday, in the 79th year of her age, Sarah Lawson, wife of James G. A. Creighton, and daughter of the late George Grassie, Esq.

On Sunday, Annie Maria, only daughter of David and Maria Keltie, in the 24th year of her age.

Suddenly, at Barrington, on the 2nd ult., Margaret, widow of the late David Powell, Esq., aged 75 years.

On 4th inst., George Thomson, Esq., aged 55 years, leaving a widow and two sons with a large circle of relatives and friends to mourn their loss. Funeral from the residence of his Brother David Thomson, 59 Göttington St.

Shipping List.

ARRIVED.

TUESDAY, April 6th.—Bark Grev Manderstrom, (Nor) Anderson, Liverpool, G. H.; brig, Chieftain, Roche, Cienfuegos; Edith, Miller, do.; Evangelina, Stephens, do.; schrs. Gertrude E. Foster, (Am.) Morris, Grand Banks; Bonita, Buchanan, Liverpool, N. S.; Alma, Lohme, LaHave; Escort, Moser, do.; Ella, Westhaver, Bahone Bay; Rosalie, Fader, St. Margaret's Bay; Highland Jane, Hartling, Jeddore.

WEDNESDAY, 7th.—Schrs. Manzanillo, Hardy, Lockport; Curlew, Gardne, Liverpool; Laura Belle, Green, Mahone Bay; Sea Queen, Heyson, do.; Annie Alice, Coram, Chester.

THURSDAY, 8th.—Stmr. India, Harris, London; brig, Montrose, Flavin, Cienfuegos; schrs. Blink Bonnie, (of Miramichi), Swaine, Boston; Electa, (of Miramichi), Hewit, St. John, N. B.; Leon Porter, Kinsey, Barrington; Angus Grant, Thibault, Lockport; Wm. Nickerson, Clyde River; Rival Harwich, Liverpool, N. S.; Cherub, Hutt, Port Medway; J. S. Ritcer, Kissar, Get-on's Cove; Dolphin, Ronkey, West Dublin; Harvest Home, Zink, Lunenburg; Clear, Burgoyne, Mahone Bay; Ellen, Shellout, Shoal Bay.

FRIDAY, 9th.—Stmrs. Acadia, Cabot, Portland; M. A. Starr, Doane, Yarmouth, &c.; brig, Thomas Albert, Jackson, Cienfuegos; Mary, Forrest, Bermuda; schrs. Victoria, Keyser, Indian Harbor; Charles Valentine, Criniston, Sydney; Ida May, Hebb, Mahone Bay; Stronza, Martell, Cow Bay; Eurus, Spencer, Louisburg; Frank Newton, Burns, LaHave; Trial, Harpell, Jeddore; Vanguard, Wolfe, LaHave; Mata, Young, Pettipewick.

SATURDAY, 10th.—Brigt. Delta, Hopkins, Cienfuegos; Am. schrs. Josephine, from Beverly, Mass., bound to the Banks; S. G. Glover, from Prospect, bound to the Banks; Notice, Markinson, Grand Banks; Swan, Jarvison, Cape Canso; schrs. Repeat, Glasgow, Shoal Bay; Royal Arch, Downie, Lockport, bound to Western Banks; Alliance, Greaser, Liverpool, N. S.; Life Boat, Foster, Port Medway; Young Womp, Fall, Petite Riviere; May Lily, Conrod, Lunenburg; Albertina, Friday, Chester.

SUNDAY, 11th.—Stmrs. Alpha, Warden, St. Thomas & Bermuda; Newfoundland, Mylius, St. John's, Nfld.; Am. schrs. Frank Butler, Thompson, Grand Banks; C. B. Putnam, McCormick, do.; schrs. P. Walsh, Cann, Louisburg; W. M. Vogler, Vogler, Port Medway; Velocipede, Hutt, Lunenburg; Beila Barry, Richardson, Chester, bound to the Western Banks.

MONDAY, 12th.—Stmrs. Alhambra, Doane, Boston; Cha. e. Bennett, Portland; schrs. William B., McDonald, do.; Ida, Fibak, Archer; Havoclock, Dickson, Cow Bay; Mary Elliott, Purdy, Lunenburg; P. R.; Kate Cook, Lockport; Morning Light, Smith, Pettipewick; brig, Texada, (now) McBurnie, Cano.

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Instead of devoting a column to the merits of this strange and wonderful plant, we remain silent and let it speak for itself through other lips than ours, believing that those who have suffered most can better tell the story. We will here quote word for word from letters recently received, simply adding our testimony to the rest in saying, that when this plant is properly prepared, we know that it positively cures consumption, and will break up a fresh cold in twenty-four hours. St. MARY'S CHURCH, Alleghany City, Pa., Nov. 10, 1874. The East India Hemp has been taken by Rev. Matthias Binber, O. S. B., and Rev. Sebastian Arnold, O. S. B., both assistant pastors of this church, and so far has given relief to both. They suffered from affection of the lungs and bronchial organs. We have recommended, charily sufferers, to the Cannabis India to different persons, and continue the same in good conscience, knowing the effects by experience. Please find enclosed check for twelve bottles of syrup, pills and ointment. We shall inform you in due time what further success the medicine shall meet with. Yours truly, REV. FERDINAND WOLF, O. S. B., 87 Washington Street. CHINA GROVE, HOWARD CO., N. C. Oct. 21, 1874. Send one dozen Ointment and one of Cannabis India. When Mr. J. W. Fisher brought his wife to me for examination, I found her in the incipient stage of tuberculous consumption. Then it was I concluded to make a fair trial of Indian Hemp, and now there is a general demand for these remedies. The Ointment excels everything and anything of its kind I ever saw or tried, in many cases it acted like a charm. Fraternally yours, P. A. SIFFORD, M. D. RIDGEVILLE, Caswell, N. C. Sept 12, 1874. Inclosed is \$10 for more of the Indian Hemp. I can truly say that the medicine has done me more good than all the doctors, and I had several of the best in the country. My cough is a great deal better, and my spirits and night sweats are gone. You may look for several orders soon, as many have seen the effect of this medicine on me. W. A. FULLER. COLUMBUS, O., Oct. 30, 1874. Your treatment for consumption has so improved my condition, that the inquiry comes every day from my friends. What are you taking? Several are talking of sending for some of your medicine, and James Huff desires me to order for him \$3 worth of the Hemp. Wm. HUNT, North High Street. P. S.—It is my opinion that an agent at this place would sell considerable for you. W. H. DECHERD, Franklin, Tenn. Sept 12, 1875. Send three more bottles of your consumption and bronchitis cure. My son began taking the Hemp last night three weeks ago, and he is improving rapidly. The last ten days have made him look and act like another person. I have great hopes. J. M. BRATTON. DEEP RIVER, POWDSWICK, Iowa, Jan. 3, 1874. I have just seen your advertisement in my paper. I know all about the Cannabis India. Fifteen years ago it cured my daughter of the Asthma. She had it very bad for several years, but was perfectly cured. JACOB TROUT. N. B.—This Remedy speaks for itself. A single bottle will satisfy the most skeptical \$2.50 per bottle, or three bottles for \$6.50. Pills and Ointment \$1.25 each. Sent at our risk. Address CRADDOCK & Co., 1032 Race Street, Philadelphia. Dec. 23. 13ccow.

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