THE DISPENSARY is an indispensable institution and should have a decent respectable building instead of the poor accommodation it now enjoys. The Morning business, but more moderately than former-Herald of Saturday last had a good article ly. Business is assuming a more healthy on the subject and offers the following aspect, and the stagnation which followed suggestions: We would suggest to the the heavy failures of 1872 and 1873 is Directors two ways of raising the needed amount, after they have decided on a site and the plans. Here is the old way. Let them head a subscription list and take it round. If well-headed, success is certain; but if they dislike that way, we make them a present of a second. Let them or- tice. ganise a Dispensary Sunday, after the model of the Hospital Sunday, which pours tens of thousands of pounds annually into the treasuries of the hospitals of the large cities of England. On a given Sunday let there be a collection for a Dispensary in every building in Halifax.

A NEW CHURCH.—The congregation of St. Luke's Cathedral have determined to build a small wooden church on the lot at the West end of Spring Garden Road, presented to them by the late Judge Bliss as a Cathedral site. The church, which will cost about \$5,000, is intended for the accommodation of the parishioners residing in that end of the city. Messrs. Mackintosh & McInnes are the contractors.

PEOPLE'S SINGING ASSOCIATION .- The first practice of this Society was held on Friday evening in Association Hall, and, notwithstanding the unfavorable weather, there was a good attendance. The next evening, Friday, 29th inst. A fee of 25 cents only is required to secure a member's ticket. Mr. Doane will be assisted by Mr. Horace A. Fleming, as secretary, and Mr. James Shannon as accompanist.

WINTER with its iron bands has reigned supreme since the coming in cf 1875. The continuance of the thermometer within about 10 or 12 degree of zero, sometimes above and sometimes below, for so long a time is amongst the things almost unheard of here. Notwithstanding the extreme cold. Halifax harbor has been as yet free from ice.

At Truro, on the 20th, the thermometer stood at 31 below zero. Sydney, C. B., reported 21 below. Sussex, N. B., 34. St. John, N. B, reports several deaths from freezing.

THE WRECK OF THE " AGNES RAYMOND." -All the bodies, but one, of the crew of the ill fated Agnes Raymond, have been recovered. They all belonged to Weymouth and Meteghan, and their names are Joseph H. Randall, Master, (son of Rev. Charles Randall, of Weymouth); Joseph Melanson 1st Mate, Luis Melanson, 2nd do; C. Comeau, Chas. Aymar, and Norman Gray, seamen, and-Morrisey, the steward The body which has not yet been recovered, is that of Daniel Davey, a seaman. Captain Melanson and Mr. Thos. Randall, brother of the captain, left Halifax on Wednesday morning last with the coffined bodies taking the bodies home for burial. This is a most distressing calamity. Capt. Melanson who came for the bodies of his sons had sailed in the Agnes Raymond as Master until the last voyage.

A letter just received from Bridgewater, from which place the Agnes Raymond took in her outward cargo, in speaking of the sad loss of her crew, says: " we found Capt. Randall not only a gentleman in business transactions, but a practical christian."

FATAL ACCIDENT .- On Saturday before last a little boy named Reyno, was fatally scalded at Herring Cove, by falling into a pot of boiling lye. He died on Monday.

Cow BAY, C. B .- J. W. Peppett's store, stock and furniture were totally destroyed by fire Sunday before last. Insured in the North British and Mercantile Insurance Company for nine thousand six hundred and fifty dollars.

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LONGEVITY IN PICTOU COUNTY .- The Pictou Standard gives the following list of aged persons who live at Baillie's Brook. -Angus McDonald, 95 years, John Mc-Donald, 101 years, Ronald McDonald, 84 years, Lauchlin McDonald, 101 years, years, Donald McDonald, 96 years, Roderick McDonald, 102 years. Total 579

KINGS' COLLEGE. - The Windsor Mail says alteratious have recently been made in the College buildings, so as to enable the authorities to close the College at night. at 9.30 P. M., thus more effectually providing for the maintenance of discipline.

Spring Hill Minks -A block of coal weighing a quarter of a ton was sent from the Spring Hill and Parrsboro' Coal and Railway Company's mines, which had been taken from a new seam, between forty and fifty feet below the surface. The coal is a fine specimen, not a particle of dirt being

DISTRESSING OCCURRENCE AT CHESTER Basin.—On Sunday last the 17th inst. while Mr. and Mrs. James Hennigar were from home, and the girl was at the barn milking, their two little daughters being left alone in the house, the youngest, Cinda May, aged two years, by some means or other, unknown, came in contact with the fire, burning her clothes entirely from her body, and leaving her burned in a most frightful manner. She lingered about three hours in the most excruciating agony, when death came to her release. May God comtort and sustain the sorrow-stricken parents. This sad event is a solemn warning to parents to keep a vigilant watch over children of tender age where there is danger of their coming in contact with fire.

Parassoro protests against the stuffing of the ballot box, and offers a reward of \$200 for information that will lead to the conviction of the guilty party or parties. Killeugh, aged 88 years.

BRIDGEWATER-We learn that lumbermen are engaged in the woods above Bridgewater preparing for the Spring and Summer being overcome. Some parties have of late sought to bring intoxicating drinks | aged 68 years. into this hitherto Temperance community. The indefatigable Clerk of License, Mr. Thomas Waterman, true to his name, has got on their trail and is bringing them to jus-

The Catalogues of SEEDS AND PLANTS for 1875, of PETER HENDERSON & Co., 35 CORTLANDT ST., NEW YORK, are just received-they number about 180 pages, are finely illustrated, and in addition contain 5 beautiful colored plates of the following:

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As an effect of the labors of Messrs Moody and Sankey, organs are multiplying at en extraordinary rate in the churches of Scotlind. Even the meetings of Synod are made lively by organ playing. At the meeting of the Synod of Angus, the moderator, who adheres the old ways, requested that the organ should not accompany the singing. He was however, overuled by the Synod. This could only be done at the opening session, for after that the moderator dispensed with singing altogether.

Marriages.

At the residence of the bride's father. Yarmouth, on the 16th inst, by the Rev. W. H. Warren, Mr. John W. Hersey, to Miss Annie. Cosman, both of Yarmouth.

Mr. Robert Wile, of Lapland, to Miss Mary L. Keating, of Bridgewater. At Hebron, on the 16th inst., by the Rev. J. Rowe, Mr. William Sanders, of Hebron,

At Central Onslow, by the Rev. S. March,

and Miss Rebecca Hilton, of Ohio. At Bridgewater, by Rev. A. J. Corswell John T. Connor, of N. B., to Sarah Roden-

izer, of Summerside, LaHeve, N.S. At Lawrencetown, by Rev. W. G. Parker, January 7th, Mr. Aliston McPherson, of Nictaux, to Miss Isabella M. Gill. of Wilmot.

Weaths.

At Beston, Jan. 18th, Miss Nancy McCully, daughter of James McCally, DeBert River, in the 22nd year of her age, leaving the assurance with her friends that she trusted in Jesus. Just before her death she sang a hymn, commencing,

Come ye that love the Lordwith the Chorus,

" I'm glad salvation's free." At Bridgewater, January 19th, Mabel Lavinia, daughter of James N. and Doucilla F. Benjamin, of Pagwash, aged 16 months.

At Canard, Cornwallis, Dec. 28th, Tabithas wife of Ezra Reid, aged 48 years. In early life sister Reid gave her heart to Jesus. When about 14 year, old she united with the First Cornwallis Church. Most of her married life was spent in Horton, and in connection with the Second Church there. But there as well as among us in Cornwallis, her interest in the Cause of Christ wade made manifest. She has left a sorrowing tamily behind her, truhom her death is a severe affliction. A sermon was preached at her funeral from

Her end was peace. She of a truth died the further charge will be made on delivery in the death of the righteous and her last end was ike theirs. Our si ter has left an aged husband and several children to mourn their loss. May God sustain them by his grace.

At Woodstock, N. B., on Thursday, Dec. 17th, after a short illness, Heary K. Gough, in the 20th year of his age. His end was peace. At Kempt, Queens Co., Dec. 28th, Ada A., daughter of John C. DeLong, aged 23 years. Her end was peace, and her heaven we trust is bright, for "there shall be no night there." and after the date named, to any new postage rates. These regulations do not change of closed parcels, patterns or samples. On the 22nd inst., Mr. James Keefe, a native

of Halifax, in the 72nd year of his age. On Saturday evening, Jan. 23rd, Jas Ward, Esq., J. P., in the both year of his age, a native of Newport, Hants County, and for many years a resident of Sackville.

On Sunday, 14th inst., in the 87th year of his age, Edward Selion, Esq., for many years chief cierk in the Quarter Master General's Department. On Sunday, Bridget, the beloved wife of

Walter Dunn, aged 75 years. Isnor, aged 35 years. At Canard, Cornwallis, on Friday, January

15th, Jonathan Borden, M D., in the 65th

year of his age. At Mount Hope, Dartmouth, on the 18th inst., of pulmonary consumption, Jas. Reiley, of Westmoreland, N. B., aged 32; for several years Attendant at the N.S. Hospital for In-

Suddenly, at Upper Stewiacke, Colchester, Co., on the 18th inst., David Kennedy, in the 74th year of his age. At Gray's River, on the 16th inst., William

On the 23rd 10st., Elizabeth, youngest daught r of John McLuckie, aged 16 years. At Preston, on the 11th inst. John Col'ins, aged 93 years, a native of the United States. Suddenly, at Port Hood Island, on Dec. 27th, 1874, Cornelius Saith, second son of Thomas and Phoebe Smith, aged 20 years.

At Upper Musquodoboit, on the 15th ult., after a brief illness, Matthew Burris, Esq.,

Shipping Tisk.

ARRIVED.

TUESDAY, January 19th .- No arrivals WEDNESDAY, 20th .- Schrs. Job Johnston, McLeod, Gloncester, Mass., via Grand Banks; Electa, Hewitt, Boone Bay, N. F.

THURSDAY, 21st.-Steamer M. A. Starr, Smith, Western Ports-was unable to get to Yarmouth on account of the heavy ice.

FRIDAY, 22nd.—Steamer Caledonia, Sidey, Gibraltar; brigt. D. F. Brown, Prattle, New York; schrs. Ubaldina, Morine, Liverpool, N. S.; Job Johnson, (Am.) returned from

SATURDAY, 23rd.—French schr. Albertine Annie, Bechet, Harbor Breton, Nfid.; Am. schrs. Ontacio, Nate, Fortune Bay, Nfid.; Hereward, Stapleton, do. SUNDAY, 24th. - Steamers Nova Scotia

Richardson, Baltimore; Alhambra, (Am.), Donne, Boston. Monday, 25th .- Am. steamer Chase, Bennett, Portland ; Am. schr. Aaron Burnham ;

CLEARED.

Norris, Grand Banks.

TUESDAY, January 19th .- Stmrs. Alhambra, Donne, Buston; Chase, Bennett, Portland. WEDNESDAY, 20th.—Schrs. Beau Basin, Selig, Port Medway; Kate, Cook, Liverpool, Lily Dale, Drayton, Grand Banks.

THURSDAY, 21st. - Schr. Two Brothers, Ross, Ship Harbor. FRIDAY, 22nd.-Steamer Caledonia Sidey

SATURDAY, 23rd. - Schrs. Ocean Lily, Reidy, Jamaica; Ida May, Hebb, Mahone

MONDAY, 25th .- Schrs. George D. Fullerton, Brown, Barbadoes; Swan, Hopewell, Ber-

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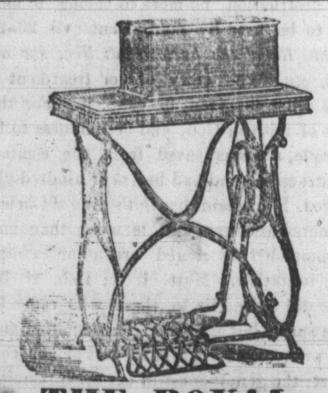
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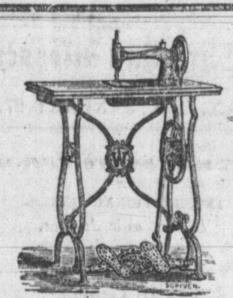
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Time Tables. LEWIS CARVELL, General Superintendent. RAILWAY OFFICE.

Moncton, Dec. 10th, 1874.