

One of our dry goods merchants, who came out from England in the Hibernia, went ashore at St. John's, Nfld., and was left behind.

A man named Matthew Kelly, a fireman on the W. & A. Railroad on Friday morning, at St. Croix siding got between two dead laden cars to slack off the brakes. The train moved, causing the two cars to close together. Kelly was jammed between the projecting dead ends, which crushed him badly. He died about three o'clock on Saturday afternoon.

It is currently reported that the Marquis of Lorne intends coming to this Province the first of October, to hunt moose. If he comes to the Eastern part of the Province he will be sure of good sport. The rumor that the Marquis is coming this way gives coloring to the report of his prospective appointment as Lord Dufferin's successor.—E. Chron.

A thunder storm of unusual severity passed over Pictou and the surrounding country between five and nine o'clock on Thursday evening. Seldom, if ever, have such brilliant and continued flashes of lightning been seen here. A barn belonging to Wm. Sutherland, Cariboo, was struck by lightning early in the evening before the rain began to fall, and with its contents including the whole of the season's crop burnt to ashes. A young horse which was in the barn at the time was also lost.

Thomas B. McMillan, of Lewis Head, Shelburne County, a seaman on board the scho. Ocean Bride, of Lockport, fell through the Acadia Coal Company's wharf on Tuesday night. Every effort was made to save him, but it was so dark and he made no noise after falling, that he was not found for about twenty minutes, when he was lying in about five feet of water, dead.

We are informed that Mr. Ellershausen intends to bring a supply of water from Taylor's lake for irrigation, fire and ornamental purposes, and will rebuild the paper mill at Ellershouse at a cost of \$100,000.

The University of Halifax Matriculation Examination held week before last there were three candidates present, one having withdrawn. The two successful candidates were 1, Henry Spurr Creighton, Dartmouth, and 2, Chas. W. Blanchard, Truro, both of whom passed a very good examination. The prizes presented by Vice-Chancellor Stairs and Hon. P. C. Hill, Provincial Secretary, were awarded as follows: 1st Prize, sixty dollars, H. S. Creighton; 2nd prize, forty dollars, C.W. Blanchard. Both candidates were educated at the public schools in their respective towns.

The "charitable object" to which the proceeds of Dr. Talmage's lecture were appropriated, was the Wesleyan Church at Westville!

The "Roseneath" has arrived.

GRAHAM'S PAIN ERADICATOR.—Mr. R. D. Judson merchant, Farmersville, Ont., says—"I got 12 dozen of your Pain Eradicator from Montreal about two weeks ago, and it is near half sold. I could send you some of the most satisfactory certificates from parties here that have been cured by it. While I was out of it another sold it readily at 30 cents a bottle, for the people must have it."

Leader Office, Toronto, June 7th, 1870.—I received a severe burn on the hand by accidental pouring hot lead on it. Mr. Graham was in the office at the time, and gave me a bottle of his Pain Eradicator to apply to it; after using it twice, the pain left, and my hand was quite well the next day.

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NOTE.—ELECTRIC—Selected and Electrized. July 11. cow. 2m.

Marriages.

On the 12th inst., by the Rev. E. R. Brunyate, Albert J. Aarestrap to Matilda, youngest daughter of Henry Conroy, Esq., both of this city.

On Wednesday, the 12th inst., at Newport, by the Rev. James Strothard, Robt. E. Chambers, B. A., of Truro, to Helen L., daughter of Hugh D. Chambers, of Newport.

Sept. 12, by Rev. G. O. Troop, Alexander Renner, third son of George and Barbara Renner, of this city, to Catherine, daughter of James and Sarah Dempsey, of Herring Cove.

At Cornwallis, Sept. 11th, by the Rev. R. Avery, Rector of Aylesford, Edward M. Beckwith, Esq., of Canning, to Miss Mary A., daughter of the late C. Starr, Esq., formerly of Pernambuco, South America.

At Wolfville, Sept. 7th, by the Rev. John Chase, George H. Corey, Esq., of Warrington, N. S., to Miss Gertrude Scoullar, of Windsor.

Deaths.

Departed this life, on the 7th Sept., inst., Georgina E. Dickson, aged 27 years. Our departed sister experienced religion about a year and a half ago, was baptized by Rev. J. E. Goucher, and united with the Baptist Church in Truro. A few months ago she removed to the United States, but failing health and a weak constitution induced her some three weeks ago to return to her home in Onslow, from which she did not remove until borne away by the hand of death. She bore an untarnished name, and maintained an unblemished Christian character. She met death with true Christian resignation, and although suffering severely in her last hours, calmly and peacefully rested in Jesus. Her demise was improved by a sermon from the Rev. S. March on the occasion of her funeral, founded on Rev. xiv. 13, "Write: Blessed are the dead who die in the Lord, from henceforth." A large number of relatives and other friends were in attendance, and shewed their interest for the bereaved widowed mother, and four surviving brothers and sisters, by their kind presence and sympathy. May God comfort and support them in this affliction. S. M.

At Nictaux Falls, on the 7th inst., Everett F., only child of William F. and Emeline Pickels, aged 10 months and 13 days. Mrs. Pickels was on a visit to the above named place when death came and took from her fond embrace her darling son. With a heavy heart she returned to her home at Mahone Bay, where, on the following Sabbath morning, a large number of friends gathered at her residence and bore the remains to the cemetery, where we buried it in sure and certain hope of a glorious resurrection. A sermon was preached on the occasion by Rev. John Williams, from Isa. xl. 6, "And a little child shall lead them."

On the 10th inst., at Parrsboro' Village, Roderick McPhadden, aged 61 years. Mr. McP. was born in Scotland, and removed to this country when a child. He was the father of two sons; one of whom, a young man of 24 years of age, was drowned several years since; the other, an earnest Christian man, had entered on a business career in San Francisco; but hearing of the dangerous illness of his father, came with haste to try and render his parent's closing life more comfortable by his presence and counsel. He arrived a day or two before his father's death, and to his great joy found that his earnest and long-continued prayers had been answered, and that his dear father had obtained a comfortable hope in Christ. To-day the remains were deposited in the tomb; and an address was delivered on the occasion by the writer, from Matt. xxv. 6. J. F. K.

September 14th, in the 54th year of his age, John Robertson.

On Friday morning, G. Robie Dimock, Secy. Union Marine Ins. Co., aged 48 years.

At the Poors' Asylum, on the 11th Sept., 1877, George Hawes, aged 60 years.

Also, on the 12th Sept., 1877, Michael Drew, aged 86 years.

On Friday morning, on Truro road, near Dartmouth, Patrick Kennedy, aged 63 years.

On the 12th inst., William Boller, in the 35th year of his age. At Weymouth, on 24th of August, inst., Mrs. Catherine, wife of Mr. James Mullen, aged 71 years, leaving six children, and a number of grandchildren, to mourn. Sister Mullen was a daughter of the late Dea. Benjamin Seabean, late of Weymouth. She had professed faith in Christ before the writer came to this place, which will be 45 years on the 14th day of December next, and was married to Mr. Mullen previous to my coming here. We hope she loved the Lord Jesus Christ in sincerity.—Yarmouth Herald please copy.

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Since you was at my house, Thomas Rice was taken very ill with a dreadful sore throat, bordering on diphtheria, we used your Acadian Liniment and Nerve Ointment freely from which he obtained great relief. Others in our neighborhood are using your medicines and the result is good. Wishing you great success. I remain yours, REV. H. ACHILLES, July 4.

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