

twelve peaches \$25, a melon at \$11, and three carriages at \$160.

The coolest place in Paris just now is in the Catacombs. These subterranean galleries, which extend under a great part of the city, have upwards of sixty entrances in different suburbs.

As the grand semi-circular colonnade of the Palace of the Trocadero is still adorned with its promised sculptures, and likely to remain so for an indefinite period, what an appropriate place that would be to place the skulls of the charitable hotel and restaurant keepers, arranged so as to face the Exposition buildings on the Champ de Mars so that the people of all nations could view the remains of this noble army of martyrs to conscience, and plainly discern in their phrenological formation how excessive was their benevolence.

For the Christian Messenger. Cash Received towards Fund for Re-building Acadia College.

Table listing names and amounts: Isaiiah Dodge, Middleton \$25 00; C. R. B. Dodge, " 25 00; N. F. Marshall, " 5 00; Walter Walton, " 5 00; Miss Augusta Dodge, " 10 00; Mrs. James Marten, " 4 00; Ingles Phinney, " 10 00; Wm. Cummings, Esq., Truro \$50 00; David Eaton, " 10 00; Miss Fannie King, " 5 00; Wm. Faulkner, " 15 00; Hon. Dr. Parker, Halifax 250 00; H. I. Leggo, " 0 30; Geo. E. Higgins, " 0 15; M. E. DeBlois, " 5 00; A Friend, " 0 10; Bessie E. Barss, " 0 10; E. Crowley, " 0 10; A Friend, " 5 00; Eddie Barss, " 0 10; Lydia R. Barss, " 0 25; R. N. Wakeham, " 0 10; A. DeBlois, " 0 10; Ella J. DeBlois, " 0 10; Caroline Grey, " 0 20; A Friend, " 0 10; F. R. Higgins, " 0 10; James Clements, " 0 50; Mary DeWolf, " 0 25; Ulysses E. Bigelow, " 0 20; A Friend, " 0 25; G. J. C. White, " 0 50; Chas. Fitch, Junr, " 0 20; A Friend, " 0 10.

Table listing names and amounts: A Friend, " 0 25; Walter V. Higgins, " 0 10; G. M. W. Carey, " 0 50; W. P. Everett, " 1 00; E. Hickson, " 1 00; J. L. Read, " 0 25; John, " 0 20; A. H., " 1 00; Edgar Higgins, " 0 15; May Caldwell, " 0 25; O. T. Daniels, " 0 10; A Friend, " 0 20; Hattie Moore, " 0 10; A Friend, " 0 10; Edgar Lewis, Cumberland Co., " \$2 00; Rev. John Clarke, Dartmouth, " 5 00; Joseph S. McNeil, Barton, " 2 00; Mrs. McNeil, " 3 00; Col. Parker, Wilmot, " 9 00; George Stevens, DeBert River, " \$3 00; E. K. Rogers, Weymouth, " 25 00; Mr. Isaac Corbett, Economy, " 3 00; Rev. A. E. Ingram, " 5 00; Dr. H. H. Read, Halifax, " 50 00; Miss Bessie Layton, Amherst, " 10 00; Deacon Thomas Lusby, " 9 00; Mrs. Ephraim Moser, " 4 00; James M. Layton, " 5 00; Rev. D. A. Steele, " 30 00; M. A. Logan, " 10 00; Robert Angus, " 1 00; Charles Borden, " 1 00; A Friend, " 1 00.

Table listing names and amounts: Thompson Kellor, " \$ 5 00; Rec'd. from Jas. DesBrisay, Esq., Charlottetown, P. E. I., viz.: Alex. Fraser, Endowment, " 6 00; Alexander Fraser, " 6 25; Robert Jones, " 10 00; Caleb Schurman & wife, " 6 00; St. Peter's Road Church current Expenses, " 7 00; John S. McDonald, Belfast do., " 2 00; Bedeque Church do., " 4 00; Uigg Church do., " 5 00; Tryon Church do., " 3 00; Charlottetown Church, " 10 00; James DesBrisay, Interest, " 6 00; James M. Layton, Interest, " 3 00; Thomas Crandall, Endowment, " 1 00; A. D. W. Barss, Treasurer, Wolfville, August, 1878.

For the Christian Messenger. The Temperance Jubilee at Yarmouth.

The 1st of Aug., 1878, was conspicuous in the history of the Temperance movement in Yarmouth. On the above date a large concourse of people assembled at the Rink to celebrate the great Temperance Jubilee. The Rink is the most capacious and convenient building for any great public occasion we have, I believe, in Nova Scotia.

Upper Economy, 6. S. 78.

ACADIA MINES.—Rev. G. F. Miles writes Aug. 12th.—"I had the pleasure of baptizing two believers yesterday. The little church here is very much encouraged. Its membership has more than doubled itself during the past year. They will try and do without aid from the Missionary Board this year.

witty application of them. His speech contained many suitable and weighty remarks, intermingled with sufficient pleasantry to render it very agreeable and interesting to the people. I doubt not a good impulse was given by his speech to the cause of temperance.

Our beloved friend Mr. Dutcher, the temperance advocate, arose, and with him rose the hearts of the people. His earnest, modest appearance wins your heart at once. His soul burns with intense feeling of love for the fallen.

Hebron, Aug. 2nd, 1878.

RELIGIOUS INTELLIGENCE.

FIVE ISLANDS AND LOWER ECONOMY.—Last Sabbath was a good day for this church. In the morning the pastor preached at Lower Economy to a large and attentive congregation from the Divine Commission, Mark xvi. 15, 16, shewing the scriptural subjects for, and mode of baptism.

We then went to the Town Hall, where an overflowing congregation assembled, and after devotional exercises an excellent sermon was preached by Bro. Freeman, showing our authority for practicing restricted communion.

It is hoped that having given our testimony to the truth, and scriptural reasons for our practices, we may be allowed to proceed on our way without being described as lacking moral courage, called bigots, narrow-minded, and other choice epithets of abuse by those who differ from us in regard to the subjects for and modes of baptism, and not as to subjects for communion.

A. E. INGRAM.

GASPEREAUX.—Bro. Wallace informs us that he baptized two heads of families at Black River, a prominent station of the 2nd Horton Church, yesterday, the 11th inst. One was a granddaughter of the late Dea. Theodore H. Read, of precious memory. He writes that prospects are assuming a hopeful aspect throughout his field.

DOMINION & FOREIGN NEWS.

DOMINION OF CANADA.—At Ottawa on Thursday a Mrs. Peregault was murdered in her bed by rowdies who broke into her house. Edward O'Connor, implicated in the affair, has been arrested.

NEW BRUNSWICK.—Duncan McGeuchy, while working in the barn of James A. Brown, Lower Woodstock, Carleton Co., on Thursday last, was coming down from off the scaffold when his foot slipped and he fell on the floor, receiving such a shock that he died the same evening.—Globe.

W. H. Britton, Bye-road Commissioner, while going from his place at Windsor to Carlisle, was attacked at 2 p. m. on the 5th inst., in a piece of woods, and robbed of \$120, and left there for dead by his assailants.

A little girl about five years of age, daughter of Mr. John Keath, a driver of the Intercolonial Express Co., was out with other children picking berries at Gilbert's Island, and by some means got on the railroad track. The Sussex train came along, and before it could be stopped or she could be got off, she was struck and killed.

The lightning on Wednesday last struck Jones's saw mill at Painsce, and burned it to the ground. At St. John on Thursday, George Connell tripped and fell from the roof of a building on which he was working, to the ground, a distance of 35 feet, sustaining, it is feared, serious internal injuries.

UNITED STATES.—At Washington on Monday afternoon the most terrific storm known for years occurred. Forty or fifty houses were unroofed and extensive damage done to many houses in course of erection.

Three women in Illinois, while running to shelter from the storm on Sunday evening, were instantly killed by the top of a large oak tree breaking off and being hurled on them.

Prospects for crops are excellent. It is estimated that the cotton crop will yield 112,000,000 pounds. A passenger train on the West Pan Handle road collided with a freight train on Wednesday morning near Steubenville. Ten persons were killed and twenty wounded.

The fast train on the Pittsburg, Cincinnati and St. Louis railroad, which left Pittsburg on Tuesday, met with a terrible accident one and half miles west of Minge Junction, Ohio. Eleven or twelve persons are reported killed and fifteen to twenty seriously wounded.

ENGLAND.—A despatch from Cyprus says fever is increasing at Nicosia, which place is unquestionably very unhealthy. Sir Garnet Wolseley and staff will go under canvas outside the town, because the Greek house-owners demand exorbitant rents.

The Sultan has telegraphed to Queen Victoria, asking British mediation to stay the advance of the Austrian army of occupation at Banjaluka. The British Government has declined to intervene.

In the House of Commons on Tuesday Stafford Northcote, Chancellor of the Exchequer, in moving the supplementary estimates, said the House must provide for a deficit of £4,300,000. He proposed to issue Exchequer bonds, extending through three years, of which £200,000 will be needed this year.

In the House of Commons on Saturday, the Sunday closing bill, which provides for closing public houses in Ireland on Sunday, passed a third reading, 63 to 22.

An exciting scene occurred in the Commons on Tuesday evening. During Colonel Stanley's speech in reference to the reserves Major O'Gorman repeatedly cheered derisively, and when called to order by the Speaker insisted upon his right to cheer at all times, and refused to apologize.

The London correspondent of the Guardian says the Radicals of South-west propose to nominate Miss Helen Taylor for Parliament at the next general election, and thus practically raise the question of women's rights.

The Queen was to hold a grand naval review yesterday, the fleet to comprise ten broadside ships, eight turret ships, six sloops of war and gunboats, and two torpedo boats, carrying a total of 218 guns, 6691 officers and men, aggregating 99,541 tons and 72,350 horse power.

The Paris Constitutional, Bonapartist organ, announces the marriage arranged between Prince Louis Napoleon, son of Emperor Napoleon III, and Princess Thyra, third daughter of the King of Denmark. The date of the marriage is not yet fixed.

was made to assassinate Bismarck on Wednesday night. The conference of the Ministers of Finance of the several German States, to devise means for increasing the revenues of the Empire, began at Heidelberg on Monday last.

TURKEY.—Suliman Pasha, with 1500 Asiatic troops is shut up in Trebinje. He will not allow the insurgents to enter the town, fearing a massacre of the Turkish authorities.

A Vienna special says 3000 Montenegrins joined the insurgents at Herzegovina. There are indications of an intention to proclaim a holy war in Bosnia.

Two delegates from the Rhodope insurgents sent a memorial to Minister Layard, signed by the chiefs of 200 villages, declaring that they will resist to the last man enforcement of the decisions of the Berlin Congress.

RUSSIA.—The Turks have abandoned the forts north of the Varna, and they have been occupied by the Russians. By the explosion of the Russian powder magazine at Pratesti, on Wednesday, 55 persons were killed and 31 injured.

Letters received from Her Majesty's steamship Swiftsure, in the Gulf of Saros, declare that the Russians are still busily engaged in fortifying the coast, and do not expect that peace will be permanent.

The London correspondent of the Edinburgh Scotsman learns that 47,000 Russians are sick in Bulgaria and that constant reinforcements are necessary to keep up an effective army.

AUSTRIA.—The revolutionary excitement throughout Bosnia and Herzegovina is rapidly increasing as the Austrians advance, and bands of the inhabitants are collecting.

The 7th Division of the Austrian army fought two battles with the insurgents, one on the fifth inst., at Varcavakuz and one on the seventh at Jaicz.

Accounts from Turkish sources place the Austrian loss in Bosnia thus far at 1000 killed and wounded.

A SIGHT COUGH that we are so apt to consider a mere annoyance and treat with corresponding neglect, too often proves to be the seed sown for an inevitable harvest—CONSUMPTION.

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On the 5th inst., at Chester, by Rev. I. J. Skinner, Mr. Silas Fader, of Halifax, and Miss Edith Cooney, of Chester.

On August 7th, 1878, by the Rev. John Abbott, Rector, John A. Stevens to Mary Louisa G., daughter of James Spike.

On the 2nd inst., on Western Shore, Chester, Mr. Christopher Mosher, in the 80th year of his age.

On the 30th ult., at Uxbridge, Hants Co., on the 30th ult., Mr. James G. White, aged 42 years.