

Baptist paper in Boston. In visiting the several missionary departments I saw the Society's large missionary map, and noticed several specially interesting Baptist missionary books.

What I wish to plead for, though, in this letter, is the wider dissemination and reading of good literature, church papers, books, and magazines, but especially missionary periodicals.

DOMINION & FOREIGN NEWS.

DOMINION OF CANADA.—The Duke of Argyle, who has been suffering severely of late, from gout, is much worse, and fears are entertained about his recovery.

A little granddaughter of Mrs. Chamberlain, of Ottawa, has come into the possession of an historical gem. It is the gold token which Mary Queen of Scots gave to Sir Andrew Melville as she ascended the scaffold.

At the Cambridge Observatory it is estimated that the comet is moving away from the earth at the rate of 300,000 miles a day.

UNITED STATES.—A million young shad, obtained from the United States Fish Commission by Senator Hawley, were placed in the Connecticut River at Warehouse Point on Saturday.

ATTEMPTED ASSASSINATION OF PRESIDENT GARFIELD.—The city was startled on Saturday by the news that President Garfield had been shot, immediately after purchasing his ticket at the Baltimore and Potomac Depot, Washington.

Safe, Certain, Prompt, Economic.—These few adjectives apply with peculiar force to Dr. Thomas's Electric Oil—a standard external and internal remedy, adapted to the relief and cure of coughs, sore throat, hoarseness and all affections of the breathing organs, kidney troubles, excoriations, sores, lameness and physical pain.

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News.

THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL'S MOVEMENTS.—His Excellency the Governor General arrived by special train on Saturday afternoon at five o'clock. He was received at the North Street Depot by a guard of honor, and driven direct to Government House, where he will be the guest of His Honor the Lieutenant-Governor during his stay here.

This week promises to be a gay one for Halifax, though overshadowed by the sad uncertainty respecting the state of President Garfield.

was a grand review and sham-fight on the Common. This afternoon there will be a torpedo attack by boats and launches of the war ships now in the harbour.

THE GRAND REVIEW AT SUSSEX.—Every thing passed off most satisfactorily. The weather was pleasant. The two regiments from Halifax, the 63rd and 66th, are favourably spoken of.

Teachers are requested not to forget the Provincial Educational Association, which is to meet in Truro on the 13th and 14th inst. See advertisement in this issue of our paper.

HON. W. C. WHITMAN, M. L. C., died at his residence, Lawrencetown, Annapolis Co., on Saturday night, about 9 o'clock.

Rev. Dr. McGregor of Edinburgh, one of the foremost preachers in Scotland, is a guest of Lord Lorne.

The gardens and orchards in Windsor and vicinity are alive with caterpillars. Fruit trees and even willows have been stripped of their foliage and appear as if they had been burned.

A friend writes from Lockeport on the 30th inst: "A sad accident occurred here on Wednesday afternoon last. A boy of six summers, Ralph, son of A. H. Fiske, our Sabbath School Superintendent, while playing on Allan's wharf fell through into the water.

A BIG FIND.—Rev. Mr. Hickson, of Carleton, with his brother of Bathurst, and another gentleman have formed a company to open up a silver and lead mine in the vicinity of Bathurst. An assay has been taken of the ore, and it has been found to contain one-third lead of the entire bulk and thirty-one ounces of silver to the ton of lead.

A despatch from Bett's Cove, Nfld., states that the schooner E. I. Hart, from St. John's to Labrador, with fishing supplies, and a large number of people of both sexes, was crushed by ice, 22 miles east southeast of St. John's.

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N. McRae, Wyebridge, writes:—I have sold large quantities of Dr. Thomas's Electric Oil; it is used for colds, sore throat, croup, &c., and in fact for any affection of the throat it works like magic.

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THE HIGHEST AWARD.—That Patten's Emulsion stands to-day higher and far ahead of any other compound of the kind, and is acknowledged by the profession to be the most reliable in the treatment of Wasting, Scrofulous, and Children's Diseases, and diseases of the Nervous System, where the brain is overworked, and the general system run down for the want of Phosphorus, which is the only Nerve Tonic.

It is said ease of mind assist longevity. A man who carries a policy of life insurance, in such a company as the UNION MUTUAL, certainly should have ease of mind, and therefore this must help to prolong his life.

ST. NICHOLAS FOR JULY.—Of the short stories in the number, the one entitled "Captain Sarah Bates," written by Charles Barnard, and strikingly illustrated, gives an account of the heroic conduct of a little girl, who safely guided through the dangerous mazes of New York harbour, a steamboat towing a disabled bark.

Mr. Daniel Beard tells in an interesting way, with the aid of many pictures, "How to stock and keep a Fresh-water Aquarium."

Fine Illustrations by Winslow Homer, Alfred Brønner, Addie Ledyard, and Jessie McDermott sustain the artistic quality of the number, and the pages are enlivened by humorous verses, jingles, and comical pictures.

THE CENTURY CO.—The title of Scribner's Monthly will become The Century, with the next volume. St. Nicholas is slightly changed as to its sub-title, being now St. Nicholas, an Illustrated Magazine for Young Folks.

Notices.

Baptist Anniversaries 1881. EASTERN, meets at 10 a. m., on Saturday, July 9th, at North Sydney, C. B. Sermon by Rev. D. A. Steele, or Rev. J. E. Goucher; Circular Letter by J. J. Armstrong.

EASTERN, meets at 2 p. m., on Tuesday, July 12th, at Harvey. Sermon by Rev. J. H. Hughes, or Rev. H. Foslay; Circular Letter by Rev. G. O. Gates.

BAPTIST CONVENTION OF THE MARITIME PROVINCES meets at 10 a. m., on Saturday, August 20, at Yarmouth, N. S. Sermon by Rev. J. E. Hopper or Rev. W. A. Corey.

N. S. EASTERN BAPTIST ASSOCIATION. All persons who purpose attending the Eastern Association, to convene, at North Sydney, C. B., July 9th, are requested to forward their names to the undersigned immediately; in order that suitable arrangements may be made for their accommodation while here.

THE EASTERN ASSOCIATION. Delegates going to the Eastern Association by the Intercolonial will be returned from New Glasgow free, on complying with the usual conditions imposed. I hoped to have ascertained ere this, whether the Eastern Extension Railway would grant a similar favor, but have received, as yet, no word.

ACADIA COLLEGE. After the first day of September, A.D. 1881, no privilege shall be granted on account of scholarships in Acadia College, unless the principal and whatever interest may be due on the same, shall have been paid, and a proper certificate of the same, shall have been furnished by the Treasurer in accordance with the Act of 1853.

By order of the Board of Governors of Acadia College. STEPHEN W. DEBLOIS, Sec'y. Wolfville, June 18, 1881.

P. S.—The above was passed in November last, and ordered to be published in the Messenger and Visitor. S. W. DEB.

RECEIVED FROM WOMEN'S MISSION AID SOCIETIES. Bridgetown—Miss Jessie Chipman \$5 00 Per Mrs. J. Bancroft, Walton, as follows:— Mrs. J. Bancroft.....\$1 00 Mrs. Fulmore..... 1 00 Mrs. Knox..... 0 20 Miss Smith..... 0 20 Miss Whitten..... 0 20 Mrs. D. Wheeden..... 0 25 Mrs. B. J. Moxon..... 0 25 Mrs. E. Shaw..... 0 50 Mrs. L. Smith..... 0 40 4 00 Weston, Cormellis—Miss Sophia Skinner..... 5 00 Berwick—Mrs. A. F. Chipman.... 10 00 Mrs. M. C. Dailey, Brookfield.... 1 00 N. E. Margaree, C. B.—Lydia M. Burton..... 19 00 M. R. SELDEN, Treasurer. Halifax, July 5, 1881.

THE BAPTIST M. AND M. CONFERENCE OF ANnapolis COUNTY, N. S., will hold a quarterly session with the Wilmot Church, Paradise, on Tuesday, July 12th, at 10 o'clock, a. m. Preacher of the evening, Rev. R. D. Porter, A. M. J. T. EATON.

CASH RECEIVED FOR ACADIA COLLEGE. Western Association.....\$150 98 Central Association (\$71.15).... 71 15 "A Friend in Halifax"..... 500 00 A. D. W. BARSS, Treas. Wolfville, July 2, 1881.

Subscriptions for the current expenses of Acadia College, given at Wolfville: Rev. D. M. Welton.....\$500 00 Prof. J. F. Tufts..... 500 00 Wm. A. DeWolfe..... 250 00 J. W. Bigelow..... 250 00 John D. Kiddy..... 100 00 Jas. S. McDonald, M. P. P..... 100 00 Jas. S. Morse..... 100 00 C. H. Sleep & Son..... 125 00 G. R. Brown..... 100 00 F. C. Johnson..... 100 00 G. H. Wallace..... 100 00 S. P. Benjamin..... 20 00 E. R. Bishop..... 70 00 Burpe Witter..... 40 00 W. C. Wallace..... 50 00 C. W. Fitch..... 25 00 G. V. Rand..... 25 00 Jos. Weston..... 25 00 A Friend..... 75 00 C. W. Roscoe..... 25 00 Total.....\$2,580 00

Further subscriptions may be expected to the above sum from friends in Wolfville who have not as yet had the opportunity to give to this object. E. M. SAUNDERS. Halifax, July 1st, 1881.

Moneys Received. Geo. Newsom, per Dr. Tremaine, \$2; N. R. Westcott, Esq., \$2; A. J. Lead better, Esq., \$2; Jas. Desbrisay, Esq., \$2; E. M. Chesley, \$2; A. Martell, \$2; J. R. Suth-rland, \$2.25; D. D. Mills, \$2.50.

THE MEDICAL FACULTY were among the first to recognize the value of Northrop & Lyman's Emulsion of Cod Liver Oil and Hypophosphites of Lime and Soda as a remedy for throat and lung affections, premature decline and general debility. Physicians not only recommend it for incipient consumption, bronchitis, asthma, and minor pulmonary and bronchial troubles, but speak in the highest terms of it as a means of enriching the blood and counteracting a hereditary tendency to consumption.

United States it has attained a popularity as wide-spread as it is deserved, and the evidence attesting its efficacy is voluminous and convincing. The Cod Liver Oil, which is its pulmonic constituent, is absolutely pure, and does not nauseate the stomach; while the Hypophosphites, superadded to, and chemically blended with this ingredient, possesses invigorating properties which render it most desirable in diseases involving such a tremendous waste of tissue and loss of bodily substance as incipient consumption, which it checks with a promptitude truly marvellous. In addition to its pulmonic effects, it imparts tone to the whole system, and being a fine blood depurant counteracts a tendency to scrofula. Moreover, it is sold at a reasonable price, the cost of the smaller bottles (the contents of one often sufficing to break up a bad cold) being 50 cents, and of the larger, \$1.00. Prepared by NORTHERN & LYMAN, Toronto, Ont. June 22. eow. 2m.

Marriages.

At Yarmouth, at the residence of the bride's brother, June 15th, by Rev. G. E. Day, Rev. P. S. McGregor, to Miss Bessie M. Hatfield, of Tusket, Yarmouth Co. At the residence of the bride's father, on the 27th ult. by Rev. John Williams, Mr. Theodore H. Davidson, to Miss Ida H. Lyman, all of Lower Horton. At Preston, June 28th, by Rev. George Neale, Mr. John Bundy, Junr., to Miss Louisa Cain.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.



GATES' VEGETABLE PLASTER CURES LAME BACK.

Messrs. C. GATES & Co., Dear Sirs.—About a year ago I had a lame back—so bad that I could neither sit, lie or stand, free from cramping pains, when, by a kind Providence, I obtained your Plaster, and by using that only, was relieved, and I may say cured, for I have not been lame since, for the space of a year. I believe your medicines are excellent for a family medicine. My wife, 1871, was so sick that she could not get out of bed without assistance, and I had a doctor attending her, from whom she seemed to get no benefit; but I obtained your Bitters and Syrup, which helped her immediately; and after taking 4 bottles of Bitters and two of Syrup she was restored to quite good health, so that she was well all the summer following. I also had a little girl very sick; your Syrup restored her to health; and to-day she is as well as any father need wish. I have written this certificate feeling a desire to benefit my fellow creatures; for I believe your medicines are all they are represented to be, if not more. You are at liberty to publish this if you think proper. JOHN MAILING, Westfield. Sworn to, before me, this 24th day of September, 1872. Jas. F. Moore, J. P. Sold everywhere. July 6.

FOR ONE DOLLAR

TWELVE of the Finest Plants known, sent, carriage paid, to any address in the country for one dollar. 1 Marchal Neil Rose. 1 Fuchsia, (Lucy Finnis) finest out. 1 Musk (Nvy.) 1 Double Ivy Geranium, King Albert. 1 Sweet Scented Verbena. 3 Finest Single Geraniums. 2 Double Geraniums. 2 Finest Basket Plants. NOVA SCOTIA NURSERY, Opposite I. C. Railway Station. July 6.

PROVINCIAL EDUCATIONAL ASSOCIATION.

The Second Annual meeting of the PROVINCIAL EDUCATIONAL ASSOCIATION will be held in the Normal School, Truro, on the 13th and 14th of July. The opening session will be held at 9 a. m. on Wednesday, the 13th.

The prepared Programme of Exercises embraces: An address on the Present Educational Status of the Province, by Dr. Allison, Superintendent of Education; and papers by professor Hall, and Eaton, of the Normal School; A. Cameron Esq., Principal of the Central High School, Yarmouth, and C. F. Hall, Esq., Principal of the County Academy, Amherst.

Numerous lessons illustrating improved method of teaching will be given. An important feature of the Association will be the consideration of the course of study to be submitted by the committee appointed last year. Many of the leading Educationists of the Province outside of the sphere of Public School work, are expected to be present and assist in making the sessions profitable. Free Return Tickets, good until the 15th to all points on the Intercolonial Railway, can be obtained at Truro, by members, on presentation of required certificate. Return tickets, at one-third of first class fare, can be obtained at Windsor or the Windsor and Annapolis, good until the 15th July. Arrangements for reduction are being made with other railways and steamboat lines. The members of the committee on the "Course of Study" are requested to meet at the Normal School on the evening of Tuesday, July 12th, at 7 p. m. By order of the Executive Committee. ALEX. MCKAY, Sec. Prov. Ed. Association. Dartmouth, June 14, 1881. July 6! 2 ins.

1881 THOMAS & CO. 1881 HAT, CAP AND FUR STORE.

Just Received 50 Cases English and American Hats in Satin, Felt, Merino and Tweed. Clergymen's and College Caps especially, Water-proof and Rubber Coats in all qualities. Silk and Alpaca Umbrellas, Gents' and Ladies' Travelling Trunks, Valises, Portmanteaus, and Satchels, Railway, Wraps and Carriage Rugs. Here will the buyer be regaled with a fine Hat or Cap, which being advantageously imported from the best English and American Houses, that are governed by the caprice of fashion, for constant change in such articles. Good taste and much discrimination are indispensable qualifications for the accommodation of the customer. Prices as low as any other house in the trade, and to clergymen 10% allowed on all purchases made. Orders from the country solicited. 44 & 46 BARRINGTON STREET. May 25.

NOTICE.—The Subscriber wishes

to inform the public and especially Druggists and Merchants, everywhere in the Dominion of Canada, that he has sold out all his right, title and interest in MINARD'S LINIMENT, NELSON'S CHEROKEE VERMIFUGE, MINARD'S PILLS, MINARD'S HONEY BALM, MINARD'S CATHOLICON, MINARD'S EYE WATER, MINARD'S VERMIFUGE and MINARD'S HAIR BEAUTIFIER, to W. J. NELSON, who is now the sole proprietor of the above mentioned medicines, and the only authorized person to collect all debts due for any and all of the above preparations either on Sale, Note of Hand or Due Bills. Brooklyn, Hants Co., May 16th, 1881. All Business will be carried on in future by the proprietors. All orders to be sent to W. J. NELSON & CO., Bridgewater, N. S., who always have a full line of the above medicines, in stock. W. J. NELSON & CO. P. S.—One of the Proprietors or their Agent will call on all our Customers in Canada during the present year. Orders solicited by W. J. N. & CO. June 1. 1m.

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IT IS WELL WORTHY OF NOTICE THAT

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