

and Liverpool, N. S. Parks & Son of St. John, have a good display of cotton warps in various different colors in all stages of manufacture.

Ornamental earthenware manufactured by F. & T. A. White, of St. John, makes a good show. Agricultural tools of beautiful design and finish are exhibited by the A. S. Whitney Co., of Oshawa, Ont.

H. Flowers, sail-maker, of this city has a model, showing the patent mode of reefing sails invented by him, so as to work a ship with much fewer men and with less danger in a storm.

A very handsome collection of three or four hundred different kinds of biscuits and other cakes is shown by Christie Brown & Co., of Toronto.

The spacious galleries have all kinds of cloth and clothing, sewing machines, knitting machines, in operation, harness, boots and shoes pianofortes and organs, and furniture of the most superb make and finish. Patent medicines &c. fill the tower portion of the gallery. In the floor above are all kinds of ladies' work in lace, embroideries, macramé work, knitting, painting, carving, &c.; &c.

Machinery Hall is a moving scene of various manufacturing operations in rope, spools, nails, shingles, a printing press, screws of all sizes, &c. &c.

We must defer our further notice of the formal opening of the Exhibition, and of the fruit, grains, flowers, and other vegetable productions, till our next.

Rev. A. McArthur made a visit to Wolfville on Monday, and was delighted with its scenery and institutions.

The new President of the United States—Chester Allan Arthur—is the son of an English Baptist Minister, pastor of a church near Troy, N. Y. He is a native of Fairfield, Vermont, and is 50 years of age. After the usual course of study of the law he was admitted to the bar in 1850.

It is somewhat remarkable that the late President was also a Baptist.

The work of College Endowment goes on very successfully with our Methodist brethren. They have succeeded in securing subscriptions amounting to thirty-one thousand dollars for Mount Allison College towards the proposed fifty thousand. This is highly creditable.

Why have we not a like sum for Acadia? We believe there are friends prepared, if the proper appeals were made, to contribute towards this fund.

REV. W. H. PORTER of St. Catharines, Ont., formerly pastor of the Temple Church, Yarmouth, has recently suffered sad affliction in the loss of his eldest daughter Hattie D., on the 1st Inst. The Rochester N. Y. Democrat of Sept. 2nd, says she died in that city after a brief but severe illness, at the residence of Hobart G. Arnold, at the age of eighteen. Hattie was the eldest daughter of Rev. W. H. Porter, the late pastor of the East Avenue Baptist Church, she had made many very dear friends by her gentle words and winning ways. She experienced religion and joined the church at the age of eleven years, and has ever since been a willing witness for her Saviour. She was one of the faithful teachers in the Sabbath school. Her parents had lately moved to St. Catharines, Ontario, and she remained behind to visit with some of her friends. Her father was at once summoned to her bedside and all that could be done, but proved of no avail. Her remains were taken to St. Catharines, and thence to Brantford, to be laid beside those of her mother.

We can but feel deep sympathy with our brother in his affliction.

Some of the Baptist brethren in St. John are making an effort to resuscitate the New Brunswick Baptist Education Society for the purpose of reviving a Baptist Seminary, to be built in that city. Membership is placed at \$1.00 a year. Rev. J. E. Hopper states that a lady proposes to give \$1000 "as soon as work shall begin, involving an expenditure of \$9000 in some suitable place to be mutually agreed upon."

Our brethren in New Brunswick have a joint ownership in Horton Collegiate Academy as well as in Acadia College. It would seem undesirable to divide the interest and accumulate funds on a project, the result of which, judging from past experience, is at least problematical, especially if it should interfere with the Convention Scheme.

The Acadia Athenæum is to be much improved and the price raised to \$1.00.

REV. DR. CRAWFORD sends the following acknowledgment of moneys received in his recent visit to the Maritime Provinces, on behalf of Prairie College, Manitoba:

NOVA SCOTIA.  
Bear River.—H H Chute, \$8.

Lawrencetown.—Rev R D Porter, \$5; M C Beals, 1; A T Morse, 2; B B Daniels, 2; Collections and small sums, 1.05; James Wheelock, 3; A Friend 1.

Bridgetown.—Sol Chute, \$1; Rev W H Warren, 1; Wm Miller, 1; J B Reid, 1; Collection, 2.40; Small sums, 1.

Paradise.—Avaré Longley, M P, \$2; H H Morse, 3; S F Daniels, 1; E M Morse, 1; Joseph C Morse, 1; Joseph T Longley, 1; Joshua Ray, 1; S N Jackson, 1; Rev J T Eaton, 2; Small sums, 0.81.

Middleton.—S L Freeman, 1; Rev J H Robbins, 1;

Upper Wilmot.—S D Munro, 1; Rev W E Hall, 1;

Lower Wilmot.—E Reid, \$2; R Baker, 1; John Weelock, 1; H T Baker, 1; Rev F Beattie, 1; F Graves, 1.

Berwick.—C E Sandford, \$1; A T Baker, 1; J T Chipman, 2; Wm Chipman, 1; Rev D Armstrong, 2.

Wolfville.—J S Morse, \$4; J W Bars, 10; Rev W Welton, 5; Rev Dr Cramp, 5; X Y Chipman, 1; Miss M Cramp, 5; A Wellisher, 0.50; A Friend, 1; Prof Higgins, 2; Rev Dr Crawley, 3; Burpee Witter, 1; E Saunders, 1; W P Shaffner, 1; T C Johnson, 2.

Canard.—B Eaton, 4; Edward Eaton, 1; J W Margeason, 1; A A Pineo, 1; W North, 1; H A Eaton, 1; Rev S B Kempton, 4.

Windsor.—Mark Currie, 10; A P Shand, 10; E M K, 1; C W Knowles, 2; E D Shand, 8; G W Payzant, 5; E W Dimock, 5.

Halifax.—Rev J F Avery, \$1; John Crowe, 2; A Friend, 20; C E Gates, 1; Lewis P Payzant, 5; P McKerrow, 2; A L Wood, 2; John Nalder, 1; James Ross, 1; Arch Strahan, 2; Harlan Fulton, 2; Dr Delaney, 5; Norman McDonald, 2; James McDonald, 1; Norman S McDonald, 1; Geo McDonald, 0.50; Wm Mason, 1; Rev J W Manning, 2.

Truro.—Rev J Goucher, \$1; R Upham, 5; Wm Faulkner, 2; S Eaton, 4; D Handson, 1.50; F H Eaton, 2; Isaac Blair, 2; John King, 1; Mrs King, 1; Miss A King, 1; Miss F King, 1; Mrs Walker, 1; Mrs Linton, 1; Chas. T. Archibald, 1; H. M. Chambers, 5.

Amherst.—Wm. Freeman, \$1.50; Wn Reid, 2; B. W. Ralston, 1; M. D. Pride, 3; D. F. Quigley, 1; Rufus Hicks 1; James Moffat, 1; Dr. Tupper, 3; J E. Page, 1; Christy Brothers 5; John Logan, 1.50; James M. Leighton, 2; Nelson Forrest, 2; Ralph Q. Kieller, 1; B. L. Douglas, 5; Torry Bent 4; Mrs. George, 1; Miss Logan, 1; Mrs. Hardy, 2; Moses Lowe, 1; J. A. Christie, 1.

NEW BRUNSWICK.  
Sackville.—Dr. P. R. Moor, 4; Mrs. James Tingley, 1; Geo. Bowser, 2; Dr. N. Ayer, 1; Mrs. C. Harper, 2; Michael Grace, 5; Titus Hicks, 1; Mrs. Thom. Hicks, 1; J. J. Anderson, 2; John Ford, 3; Collection, 4.36; Fred. J. Tingley, 75.

Hopewell.—Collection, \$3.31; Do, 13.10; Rev. A. Chipman, & Mrs. Chipman, 2; Daniel Peck, 1; Mrs. Brewster, 0.50; W. C. Pipes, 1; Miss Pipes, 1.

Moncton.—D. A. Duffy, 4; J. Crandall, 1; A L McKay, 2; W. H. Sumner, 1; H. B. Crandell, 2.

Hillsborough.—R. E. Steeves, 1; David Wallace, 5; Mrs. Currie, 2; John Wallace 4; T. Q. Gross, 2; John Marshall, 1; Christian Steeves, 1; Mrs. J. Duffy, 2; Miss Cassie Duffy, 2; W. E. Stevens, 1; E. Tingley, 2; C. J. Osman, 5; Joel Steeves, 1; Daniel Steeves, 0.50; Abraham Steeves, 4; H. B. Steeves, 1; Dr. W. J. Lewis, 2; Mrs. C. T. Wood, 1; Rev. T. A. Blackadder, 1; Collection, 10.

P. E. ISLAND.  
Charlottetown.—George Davis, \$10; Collection, 2.50.

REV. J. E. CRACKNELL was well received in St. John. A musical sociable was held in Brussel Street Church on Monday evening of last week for the joint purpose of welcoming Mr. C. and taking leave of Mr. R. J. Burdette.

GERALDINE: a Souvenir of the St. Lawrence. James R. Osgood & Co., Boston, pp. 321.

A very pleasing story, in verse, is here sent forth to make an impression without any help from the name of the author, who chooses, at present, to be unknown. Although published in Boston, its scene is laid in the Dominion of Canada, and will be widely circulated here. The following is a favorable specimen of its character and style:

BUILDING AND BEING.  
The king would build, so a legend says,  
The finest of all fine palaces.

He sent for St. Thomas, a builder rare,  
And bade him to rear them a wonder fair.

The king's great treasure was placed at hand,  
And with it the sovereign's one command,—  
"Build well, O builder so good and great!  
And add to the glory of my estate.

"Build well, nor spare of my wealth to show  
A prouder palace than mortals know."

The king took leave of his kingdom then,  
And wandered far from the haunts of men.

St. Thomas the king's great treasure spent  
In worthier way than his master meant.

He clad the naked, the hungry fed,  
The oil of gladness around him shed.

He blessed them all with the ample store,  
As never a king's wealth blessed before.

The king came back from his journey long,  
But found no grace in the happy throng  
That greeted him now on his slow return,  
To teach him the lesson he ought to learn.

The king came back to his well-spent gold;  
But no new palace could he behold.

In terrible anger he swore, and said  
That the builder's folly should cost his head.

St. Thomas in dungeon dark was cast,  
Till the time for his punishment dire were passed.

Then it chanced, or the good God willed it so,  
That the king's own brother in death lay low.

When four days dead, as the legend reads,  
He rose to humanity's life and needs.

From sleep of the dust he strangely woke,  
And thus to his brother the king he spoke:  
"I have been to Paradise, O my king!  
And have heard the heavenly angels sing.

"And there I saw, by the gates of gold,  
A palace finer than tongue has told;  
"Its walls and towers were lifted high  
In beautiful grace to the bending sky;

"Its floors, there in that radiant place,  
Shone forth like a smile from the dear Lord's face.

"An angel said it was builded there  
By the good St. Thomas, with love and care  
"For our fellow-men, and that it should be  
Thy palace of peace through eternity.

The king this vision pondered well,  
Till he took St. Thomas from dungeon-cell,  
And said, "O builder! he most is wise  
Who buildeth ever for Paradise."

Rev. Calvin Goodspeed has, we learn, accepted the invitation to the pastorate of the First Baptist church of Yarmouth. We trust the union may be blessed to pastor and people.

\*The Rev. A. T. Dykeman we hear is expecting to remove to Harvey, N. B. Sorry to lose Bro. D. from this side the Bay.

Notices.

RECEIVED FROM WOMEN'S MISSION-AID SOCIETIES.

Weymouth.—Mrs. S. J. Randall...\$3 00  
M. R. SELDEN, Treasurer.  
Halifax, Sept. 27, 1881.

The fifteenth annual meeting of the Grand Lodge of Good Templars, meets in Stellarton, Pictou Co., on Tuesday, Oct. 4th.  
W. STEWART, Secy.

The Hants County Pastor's Meeting and Auxiliary Board will meet at Summerville, Tuesday, Oct. 4th, at 11 a. m., and 2 p. m.  
Secretary.

HALIFAX BAPTIST CHURCH DIRECTORY.

GRANVILLE STREET CHURCH.—Lord's Day Services at 11 A. M., and 7 P. M. Pastor, Rev. Alex. McArthur. Sabbath School in the New Vestry Spring Garden Road at 2.45 P. M. Prayer-meetings in the same place on Wednesday and Bible studies on Friday evenings at 7.30.

NORTH BAPTIST CHURCH, GOTTINGEN STREET.—Lord's Day Services at 11 A. M. and 7 P. M. Pastor, Rev. J. W. Manning. Sabbath School at 2.30 P. M. Prayer-meetings on Wednesday and Friday evenings at 7.30.

TABERNACLE, NORTH BRUNSWICK ST.—Lord's Day Services at 11 A. M. and 7 P. M. Pastor, Rev. J. F. Avery. Sabbath School at 2.30 P. M. Prayer-meetings on Tuesday and Friday evenings at 7.30.

DARTMOUTH BAPTIST CHURCH.—Lord's Day Services at 11 A. M. and 7 P. M. Sabbath School at 3 P. M. Prayer-meeting on Wednesday evening at 7.30. Pastor Rev. E. J. Grant.

AFRICAN BAPTIST CHURCH, CORNWALLIS STREET.—Lord's Day Services at 11 A. M., and 7 P. M. Sabbath School in the vestry at 3 P. M. Prayer-meetings on Wednesday and Friday evenings at 8 o'clock. Rev. H. H. Johnson, Pastor.

Acknowledgment.

SCOTCH VILLAGE, Sept. 24, 1881.

Dear Editor,—  
On the evening of the 12th inst. we were made the happy recipients of a handsome donation by the kind friends of Ashdale and vicinity. Ashdale is a beautiful hamlet situated on the road between Brooklynn and Rawdon, and is one of the stations of the Newport field.

After a sumptuous tea in the Ashdale Hall, the evening was taken up with music, vocal and instrumental, recitations, &c. About 9 o'clock, Bro. Thos. Dimock made a few well-timed remarks, after which we were presented with a large amount of glassware, groceries, dry goods, and several dollars in money. Quite a lengthy reply expressing thankfulness was then made by the donee.

"God Save the Queen" was sung, and we separated feeling thankful to Almighty

God for kind friends to sympathize with us and encourage us in our work for the Master.

May the Lord bless and abundantly reward the friends of Ashdale in the prayer of their well wisher,

A. T. DYKEMAN.

Moneys Received.

Alfred Robbins, \$1.

COQUETING WITH CONSUMPTION.—Some people troubled with coughs seem absolutely to coquet with consumption—now encouraging it by a total neglect of medicine, and again attempting to stave off with ill-chosen cough remedies. How much wiser to eradicate it at the outset by using Northrop & Lyman's Emulsion of Cod Liver Oil and Hypophosphites of Lime and Soda. Promptitude in the use of this medicine cannot be too strongly urged upon those consumptively inclined, in a climate so severe during the winter as our own. The public generally as well as the medical fraternity, is acquainted with the value, as a remedy for throat and lung troubles, of purified oil of the Cod's liver. United with it in this standard Emulsion are the finest tonics in existence, namely lime and soda hypophosphites, of which the chief component, phosphorus, is an incomparable nutrient of the blood and invigorant of the system. Nothing builds up a broken-down system and enables it to resist the inroads of pulmonary disease like this leading preparation. Coughs, colds, asthma, bronchitis, soreness and weakness of the chest are among the bodily troubles which it overcomes, and in scrofulous affections it has been used with great success as a remedy. Sold by all druggists, at 50 cents and \$1.00 a bottle. Prepared only by NORTHROP & LYMAN, Toronto, Canada.

Aug. 31. eow. 2m.

Marriages.

At Halifax, N. S., on the 26th inst., by Rev. A. MacArthur, Mr. Joseph E. Lloyd, of Lockeport, Shelburne Co., and Miss Eldora Arnold, of Lockeport, Shelburne Co.

At Halifax, Sept. 24th, by the Rev. J. W. Manning, A. B., Stanley Zwicker to Melissa Johnston, both of Indian Harbor, St. Margarets Bay.

At Nictaux, Sept. 15th, by Rev. W. J. Bleakney, Mr. Mayhew Munro, to Miss Kate Davis, both of Nictaux.

On Tuesday, 22nd inst., by Rev. Mr. Hill, Joseph Andrews, of Berwick, King's Co., N. S. to Ernestine Snyder, of Wolfville.

On the 22nd inst., at Truro, by Rev. S. B. Dunn, Mr. Robert Bell and Miss Emma Taylor, both of Musquodoboit.

On Wednesday, 21st inst., by the Rev. J. W. Manning, George H. Fielding, Barrister, to Lena Maud, daughter of W. G. Wiswell, Esq.

At the Baptist Church, Canard, Sept. 13th, by the Rev. S. B. Kempton, Charles A. Rand, youngest son of the late Thomas W. Rand, Esq., to Annie S., only daughter of Henry Lyons, Esq., of Canard, Cornwallis.

At the residence of the father of the bride, Sept. 21st, by the Rev. S. B. Kempton, Herbert Stairs, son of the Hon. J. W. Stairs, of the firm of Stairs, Son & Morrow, Halifax, to Bessie S., fourth daughter of Lemuel Eaton, Esq., of Canard, Cornwallis.

At Gasperaux, on the 23rd inst., by the Rev. John Williams, Mr. Benjamin V. Lantz, of Pembroke, Hant's County, to Miss Rebecca Gornley, of Gasperaux, King's County.

At Grafton, by Rev. J. C. Bleakney, on the 13th of Sept. William A. Kinsman, Esq., of Welsford, to Miss Ardelles A., only surviving daughter of the late Benj. and Eliza Pierce.

At South Berwick, by Rev. J. C. Bleakney, on the 21st Sept., Elwood Milberry, Esq., of Hampton, to Miss Jerusha Taylor.

At Berwick, by the Rev. W. J. Swaffield, of Billtown, on the 31st of Sept. Alfred Graves, Esq., of Aylsford, to Miss Alfredda Dorman of Weston.

On Thursday, Sept. 13th, at St. Paul's Church, by the Rev. Mr. Hill, Mark Hickey, of Toronto, to Miss Ida Ward, of Kentville.

Deaths.

At Torbrook, Sept. 1st, Mrs. Clorinda Bartheaux, widow of the late Robert Bartheaux, aged 60 years. She was baptized by the Rev. I. E. Bill, and maintained a good profession of Faith in Christ Jesus. She now rests from her labors.

At Torbrook, Sept. 2nd, Elizabeth A., wife of Reece Goucher, aged 43 years. She was a member of the Nictaux Church for a number of years. God has given her the victory through Jesus Christ her Lord. May God comfort the mourning husband, children and relations.

At Harberville, on Sunday, 11th inst., Francis Burns, aged 96 years.

At Wolfville, on Thursday, Sept. 8th, of diphtheria, Armanilla, daughter of Lewis and Linden Harvey, aged 8 years. On Saturday, Sept. 17th, Linden, wife of Lewis Harvey, aged 42 years. On Monday 19th inst., Flora, eldest daughter of Lewis Harvey, aged 18 years.

On Wednesday, Mary Walsh, wife of James Walsh, and daughter of the late John and Caroline Ferguson, aged 24 years.

At Gasperaux, on the 20th inst., after a lingering illness, in the 63rd year of his age, Mr. Gideon Schofield. His end was peace.

On 24th inst., Catherine, widow of the late John White, in the 68th year of her age.

On Sunday, the 25th inst., Elizabeth Lushy, beloved wife of Benjamin G. Page, M. D., in her 64th year.

At Wilmot, Spa springs, Sept. 3rd, Elizabeth Caroline, beloved wife of Walter Little.

At Truro, 18th Sept, Olivia B., beloved wife of Mr. George W. Reid, of Truro, aged 29 years.

At Port Mulgrave, on the 19th inst., Louisa B., youngest daughter of W. H. Wyld, Esq., in the 24th year of her age.

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Sept. 28.

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Resolution

Passed Unanimously by the Baptist Convention of the Maritime Provinces, at its last Annual Meeting, in Yarmouth, August 22nd, 1881.

"Whereas, A work on the history of the Baptist Denomination of the Maritime Provinces, by the Rev. I. E. Bill, D. D., referred to in a resolution passed by Convention last year, has been completed, and is now offered to the public for sale.

"Therefore Resolved, That we place upon record our conviction, that this work, replete with information concerning our various denominational operations, and prepared by a brother, who has been intimately associated with the persons and the events of which he writes, for a period of more than Fifty years, must prove exceedingly valuable to our ministers and churches; and we would repeat the recommendation that the members of the churches should aid in the circulation of the work."

In accordance with the above resolution, permit me, dear brethren of the ministry, and of the churches, to solicit your kindly co-operation in placing this HISTORY in every Baptist family of these Provinces.

It is for sale at the store of the Publishers, Barnes & Co.; at the Colonial Book store; at the Christian Visitor Book Room, St. John At Hall's Book Store, Fredericton. At the Christian Messenger Book Room, Halifax N. S.

The following agents are engaged in its sale, viz: Rev. H. J. Coy, Victoria, Carleton, York, Sunbury, and Queens Counties; Rev. A. Esterbrooks, in King's and Westmoreland Counties; Rev. W. E. Vickery, Charlotte County, and Amos T. Wilson, Albert County, N. B.

Our agents for Nova Scotia are, Mrs. L. M. Crosby, Yarmouth and Digby Counties; Dr. G. W. Gunter, M. D., Annapolis County; Deacon John G. Lantz, King's County; Dimock Archibald, Colporteur, Halifax County; N. S. Masters, Colporteur, Lunenburg, Queens and Shelburne Counties; Rev. T. B. Layton, Colchester County; Rev. D. W. Crandall, Cumberland County, and P. E. Island.

Respectfully,  
J. E. BILL.

St. John, Aug. 29, 1881. 4 ins.