

our predilections and opinions in order that the vital principle, which acknowledges the necessity for such an institution, might be preserved, and the interest of the higher branches of education continue to be represented within the Province."

"It would be out of place in me, on the present occasion, to examine in detail the various provisions of the Bill. The advantages likely to be derived from some of these, might be questioned;—while of the measure as a whole, all circumstances considered, a favorable opinion may be entertained as calculated to be productive of good. At all events, it seems to contain the germs of such a measure as ought to be generally acceptable, and as most likely to secure for the College that fair and impartial hearing, which has long been denied it, and the want of which has stood so much in the way of its popularity and usefulness.

"I am aware that the scheme has been objected to in certain quarters, as having the effect of turning the College into what has been denominated a Godless Institution. The originators of the Bill, however, declare that religious instruction is indispensable to a collegiate course of study, and that no youth can be well-educated who is not instructed in religion as well as in Science and Literature. They quote with approbation, and emphatically endorse the sentiment of Professor Sedgwick, when he says:—'A Philosopher may be cold hearted and irreligious; a Moralist may be without benevolence, and a Theologian may be wanting in the common charities of life. All this shows that knowledge is not enough, unless feelings and habits go along with it, to give it meaning, and to carry it into practical effect. Religion reaches the fountain head of all these evils, and she alone gives us an antagonist principle whereby we may effectually resist them.' It is, therefore, not only conceded by the framers of the Bill that man is a spiritual and accountable being, but also that all education is good, only so far as it proceeds upon this supposition; and they lay down the doctrine that the Government, if not representing the collective sentiments of all religious persuasions, yet as being at least the guardian of their equal rights, should require that the evidences, the truths, and the morals of christianity should lie at the foundation of all public Collegiate instruction, and the spirit of christianity pervade its whole administration. As to the teaching of what is peculiar to each religious persuasion, this clearly appertains to such religious persuasion and not to the Government."

"The objections which I have been considering, would probably be deprived of any weight which it may still have in the minds of some religious and conscientious persons, if every christian denomination—and be it observed that all are respectively recognized in the Bill—were allowed the option of connecting with this University a School of Divinity for the purpose of teaching its own peculiar religious tenets;—each of these schools to enjoy all the advantages and privileges conferred by such connection, but to be supported by the denomination which it represents. It might also be allowable for the Professor, or Professors, in each of these schools, to have a voice in conferring degrees in Divinity, on distinguished members of their own persuasion. Moreover, such an arrangement as that just mentioned, has something like a precedent to recommend it to favour. In the Scotch Universities, although the Established Church is alone admitted into immediate union, yet there the Faculty of Arts is wholly untrammelled by that of Theology, and its course of study is altogether independent, since it not only works apart, but owes its maintenance to funds drawn from entirely separate sources. Now, to the general, literary, and scientific curriculum, students of all religious persuasions are freely admissible, and the scheme and mode of instruction therein pursued would continue equally unaffected by having in legalised connection ten Schools of Theology belonging to as many different christian denominations, as by having one. It is true that in these Universities the Professors in even the Faculty of Arts are required to subscribe some religious test more or less stringent; and ever in this land of latitudinarian principles it may still be permitted to doubt whether it would not be better that the Professors should, before instalment in office, be obliged to declare their belief in, at least, the inspiration and authenticity of the Holy Scriptures.

"Whatever changes may be at any time effected, let us hope that the necessity for maintaining in New Brunswick an institution for affording its youth such instruction in the higher branches of learning as is commensurate with the demands of the civilization of the ages will never be overlooked; and let us who are in any way connected with this University, Students as well as Professors, each in his place and to the best of his ability, strive to make it a worthy and lasting monument of the enlightened policy of its Founders."

RIVALS FOR THE ALDERNEY BREED OF COWS.—The King of Portugal has just sent over to this country a present of cattle of a very peculiar breed to Her Majesty Queen Victoria, consisting of a bull, two heifers, and a bull calf. The animals, which are of most perfect symmetry, and very diminutive, standing scarcely 40 inches high, are of a dun colour, and in fine condition. The cows are very docile, but the bull, on being driven from the station to Prince Albert's model farm, Frogmore, where they are now installed, exhibited a disposition rather the reverse of that of his companions, by tossing an unfortunate donkey, about his own size, which happened to come in his way. These Lilliputian animals very much resemble the Alderney or Jersey breed, but appear to be scarcely half the size.—London paper.

HOW TO GET A FINE WHITE HOUSE OUT OF AN EMPTY BARREL.—Put the barrel in a secure place, near a spring of good water, on the road to the grog shop—go as far as the spring, drop the money through the bung-hole, take a good drink of water and return home. Repeat this operation till the barrel is full, knock out the head, and you have the price of a splendid brick building. Fact.

Hoe your potatoes well. Hoe them twice if you can and want to help the earth give you a good crop

HURRICANE IN RUSSIA. A severe hurricane has occurred at Archangel, doing much damage to vessels from the interior. Loss in goods estimated at 100,000 silver roubles. No particulars have been received.

HONORARY DISTINCTIONS ABROAD.—At the late commencement of the Genesee Wesleyan College, Lima, N. Y., the degree of B. A. was conferred on the Rev. John Allison, and also on Mrs. Martha L. Allison, his wife. The one is the Principal, and the other chief Preceptress of the Female Institution at Mount Allison, Sackville, N. B. After passing a regular course of study, they leave the above Institution with the most flattering testimonials to enter upon their new duties in these Provinces with every prospect of success. The honorary degree of A. M. was conferred at the same time upon Rev. Charles Churchill of this City, who leaves, we understand in the steamer on Thursday next, as one of the Representatives to the British Conference from the late Conference of Eastern British America.—Halifax Morning Chronicle.

Mrs. Stowe's Son Drowned.—The Boston Journal states that Henry E. B. Stowe, a son of Mrs. Harriet Beecher Stowe, and a member of the Freshman class of Dartmouth College, was drowned in the Connecticut river, at Hanover, New Hampshire, on Thursday afternoon last. He was 19 years of age and a youth of much promise. Mrs. Stowe, who had just returned from Europe, received the sad intelligence at Brooklyn, N. Y., and immediately started for home.

FACETIE.

A waggish fellow, somewhat troubled with an impediment in his speech, while one day sitting at a public table, had occasion to use a pepper box. After shaking it with all due vehemence, and turning it in various ways, he found that the pepper-corns were in no way inclined to come forth.—"T-t-this p-pe-pepper box is so-mething li-like myself," he exclaimed, with a facetious grin.

"Why so?" interrogated a neighbor. "P-p-poor delivery," was the reply.

"Ah!" said Seraphine Angelica, speaking on some subject in which her feelings were warmly enlisted, "how gladly would I embrace an opportunity!" "Would I were an opportunity!" interrupted her bashful lover.

A gentleman of Alabama was lying in bed one morning, when a friend stepping in, said: "P—, breakfast is coming on." "Let it come," exclaimed P—, with a look of defiance, "I am not afraid of it."

Dr. Adam Clark had a perfect abhorrence of both pork and tobacco. He is reported to have said: "If I were to offer sacrifice to the devil, it would be a roasted pig stuffed with tobacco."

A story is going the rounds, of a party of young ladies who were caught in a shower, and had the color washed from their cheeks. A lady at our elbow thinks the color in some of the gentlemen's cheeks will not be washed out with water just at present."

Special Notices.

Letter from a Postmaster in favor of **JONAS WHITCOMB'S REMEDY FOR ASTHMA.**—Monrovia, Ind., April 29, 1856.—Mr. JOSEPH BURNETT: Dear Sir,—I am now nearly out of Whitcomb's Remedy for Asthma. I let a friend of mine have half of the last dozen I sent for. I would not be without the medicine for any consideration. Before I commenced taking the medicine, I was totally unfit for business two thirds of the time; but now I can attend to business all the time. When I have symptoms of Asthma, or even an attack, a few doses subdues it at once.

Please send me one dozen more, as low as you can afford it. Send to Belleville on Terre Haut and B. Railroad, by express. I can remit by letter if you prefer it.

Very respectfully, JOHN McLELLAN. Prepared by JOSEPH BURNETT & CO., Boston. For sale by all Druggists, at \$1 per bottle.

A CURE FOR DYSPEPSIA. (From the Hon. Solomon Peete, from Vermont.) WASHINGTON, D. C., June 1.

DR. GEO. B. GREEN: Dear Sir,—In your note of this morning, you ask for "an expression of my opinion in regard to your medicine called Oxygenated Bitters." It affords me pleasure to state that, from the experience I have had, in curing a severe attack of Dyspepsia in my own family, and from the wonderful effects which it has produced in other and more severe cases, arising in families of Members of Congress with whom I am acquainted, I think it an invaluable medicine, and hope that such circulation will be given to it as will bring it within the reach of all who are afflicted with that distressing malady.

Respectfully yours, S. FOOTE. SETH W. FOWLE & Co., 133 Washington-street, Boston, Proprietors. Sold by their agents everywhere. W. T. BAIRD, Agent for Woodstock. Sold by dealers generally.

PERRY DAVIS: Sir,—The benefits I have received from the use of your invaluable remedy, the Pain Killer, induces me to pen a word of praise for it. Experience has convinced me that, for Headache, Indigestion, Pain in the Stomach or any other part of the system, Severe Chills, Weariness, Common Colds, Hoarseness, CHOLERA, CHOLERA MORBUS, Diarrhea, Dysentery, Toothache, &c., there is nothing better than the Pain Killer. I have this hour recovered from a severe attack of the Sick Headache, by using two teaspoonfuls, taken at thirty minutes interval, in a wine-glass full of hot water. I am confident that, through the blessing of God, it saved me from the Cholera during the summer of 1849. Travelling, amid heat, dust, toil, change of diet and constant exposure to an infected atmosphere, my system was daily predisposed to dysentery attacks, accompanied with pain, for which the Pain Killer was a sovereign remedy, one teaspoonful curing the worst case in an hour, or, at most, half a day! I have heard many cases, the country over, of Dysentery being cured by its use. Put in the teeth, it would stop the toothache. Gratitude, and a desire for its general use, has drawn from me this unsolicited testimonial in its favor. D. T. TAYLOR, Jr., Minister of the Gospel.

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Sold by W. B. MOFFAT, M.D., 335 Broadway, New York, and by his Agents, W. T. BAIRD, Agent for the County of Carleton. A. P. HAYWOOD, Agent for Houlton.

The sale is increasing here, and now supersedes every vermifuge we have. Upon their efficacy depend their sales. S. F. GROSVENOR, Bel River, N. B. Send another lot of your Worm Lozenges; all I had are gone, and they are much wanted, as they give universal satisfaction. S. C. CHARTRAS, Memramcook. Fellows' Worm Lozenges are sold by all Apothecaries.

FLOUR, &c. The subscribers have on hand, and are constantly receiving, State Super. Flour, State Extra Flour, Alexandria Flour, Rye Flour, Corn Meal, Corn, Mess Pork, Teas, Molasses, &c. An extensive stock always in store to select from. Prices low. Orders promptly executed. HALL & FAIRWEATHER, Brick Building, South Market Wharf, ST. JOHN, N. B.

WHAT, OR WHICH IS THE BEST, VERMIFUGE OR WORM DESTROYER? is a question daily and hourly asked by parents anxious for the health of their children. All who are at all acquainted with the article will immediately answer, DR. McLANE'S CELEBRATED VERMIFUGE, PREPARED BY FLEMING BROS., PITTSBURGH, PA.

It has never been known to fail, and is one of the safest remedies that can be used. A friend of ours lately handed us the following statement in reference to this Vermifuge: New York, September 25, 1852.

GENTLEMEN: A young lady of my acquaintance had been for a long time very much troubled with worms. I advised her to try Dr. McLANE'S Celebrated Vermifuge, prepared by Fleming Bros., of Pittsburgh, Pa. She accordingly purchased and took one vial, which caused her to discharge an unusual large quantity of worms. She was immediately relieved of all the dreadful symptoms accompanying this disease, and rapidly recovered her usual health. The young lady does not wish her name mentioned; her residence, however, is 320 Fifth street, and she refers to Mrs. Hardie, No. 3 Manhattan place.

Purchasers will be careful to ask for Dr. McLANE'S Celebrated Vermifuge, manufactured by FLEMING BROS. of Pittsburgh, Pa. All other Vermifuges, in comparison, are worthless. Dr. McLANE'S genuine Vermifuge, also his Celebrated Liver Pills, can now be had at all respectable Drug stores. None genuine without the signature of FLEMING Bros.

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COUGHS AND COLDS.—At this season of the year, when coughs and colds are so prevalent, a reliable remedy in such cases is important to all the afflicted. Of Dr. Stone's medicine, which will be found advertised in our paper, the Montreal Pilot says: "The astonishing demand for G. W. Stone's Cough Medicine, and its complete success in curing affections of the throat and lungs, fully prove that we were justified in recommending it to our readers on its introduction to the public; and we can safely assert that no remedy has ever become so deservedly popular in the same space of time."—Lowell News.

Business Cards.

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A CARD. DR. S. SMITH HAS removed his Office to the Shop lately occupied by W. L. FERGUSON, Esq. Residence in the same house. Woodstock, March 9.