

posed to erect a house, twenty by twenty four feet, on each lot, one story in height, and one chimney, one floor, two glass windows with twelve glass lights in each, one door and a bark roof, the same as usually put up by back-wood settlers.

These lots, with a house, would be leased for a term, of ten years, at a rental of £3 per annum, with liberty to purchase the freehold at any time within that term for £25 sterling. The abundance of birch, maple, and beech, would furnish employment for a family during the severity of the weather, in cutting and hauling it out to the shore, where it could always be sold for ready money, at remunerating prices, there being great demand for the United States market.

It would be advisable for emigrants to form small associations, to take passage together, and settle near each other, as they would, in such a case, effect a considerable saving in expense, and become settled much more readily and comfortably. They would embark at any port in Scotland, and be landed in Dark harbour in 35 days or less, under favourable circumstances. Ships in proper season for the voyage, will be provided, at £3 sterling passage and provisions included, for each adult; two children under fourteen years of age being reckoned as one adult; and children under one year go free.

A Plan of the Island, showing the locality and the Allotments for Settlers, can be seen. A guarantee will be given, that the Houses, as above described, shall be ready on any portion selected, for the reception of the Emigrants instantly on their arrival, without the slightest expense, after leaving the Ship, two months' notice being given.

It may be mentioned, that Grand Manan, from its singular position and proximity to the Atlantic, has not so severe a winter as the mainland, and that sheep may feed upon it nearly the whole year.

Noblemen and large landed proprietors in Scotland, having too numerous tenantry on their estates are strongly recommended to avail themselves of this opportunity, whereby, at a very small cost, a system of Colonization may be commenced which cannot fail to become popular, and will naturally lead to very extensive voluntary emigrations.

A grant of the entire property (about 8,000 acres,) would be made, if desired, either for the value in money, or a rent for the whole would be taken. A contract would be entered into for carrying out Settlers, in parties not less than twenty families, of five each, on the average, and the Houses built for their reception, at the cost stated.

Applications for farther information may be made to the proprietor, John Wilson, Esq., Saint Andrews, New Brunswick; M. H. Perley, Esq., Government Emigration agent, Saint John, New Brunswick, John DeWolfe, Esq., or James Douglas, Esq. Liverpool or to William Pemberton & Co., Alderman's Walk; Charles Walton, ship broker, Newman's court, Cornhill; Messrs. Macdonald & Newall, parliamentary solicitors, 41, parliament street.

**AFFAIRS AT THE QUARANTINE STATION.**—We understand that 21 deaths have occurred on Middle Island during the past week. The Mate of the Looshtauk is very ill, and but little hopes are entertained of his recovery. Capt. Thain, of the same vessel, was reported sick on board on Friday, attended by Dr. Key. He was removed to the island yesterday.

The passengers are not in such a forward state of health as could be wished. A building, forty feet long, is now in course of erection, which will enable the Health Officer to separate the convalescent from the sick.

The Looshtauk will be discharged this day; the Boliver, probably in the course of the week.

We regret to have it to state, that Dr. Vondy has caught the infection, and has been incapacitated from attending to his duties since Friday. He is doing well. Dr. Thomson takes his place, and will visit the island once a day to inspect the passengers there, and administer to the wants of the sick.

We understand that during a special session held on Friday, relative to the sick passengers of the ship Looshtauk, now on Middle Island, an offer was made by Captain Thain, to pay a portion of the expense incurred, with a view of relieving the ship from Quarantine. After several adjournments of the sessions, an arrangement was entered into, to the effect that all on board the ship were to be landed on Middle Island, the ship properly fumigated under the direction of the health officer, and discharged from Quarantine, and that such of the passengers as wished after their recovery, were to be forwarded to Quebec.

**WESLEYAN ACADEMY, SACKVILLE.** A correspondent has furnished us with the following account of the 4th Annual Examination of this deservedly popular, and highly useful seminary of learning:

The annual examination of this Institution commenced on Monday the 21st inst., and was continued during the two following days.

The examination began at 8 o'clock on Monday morning, with the classes in Arithmetic, of which there were four, comprising some 70 to 80 pupils. These were succeeded by 2 classes in English Grammar, 2 in Geography, 1 in History, and 4 in Penmanship, which completed the work of the forenoon. The Arithmetical classes were so arranged as to exhibit, during the examination, a complete system of Arithmetic as taught in the Institution, commencing with the elementary rules, and closing with its application to the most intricate calculations. The training of the classes was evidently practical, and they appeared taught to consider every step they took as a preparation for the every day business of life. Particular attention was given to mental Arithmetic, in which many excelled.

The examination of the classes in Geography afforded the highest gratification to those who were present. A number of maps of from five to six feet square were drawn in chalk on a large black-board, on which the students pointed out, with the greatest readiness and accuracy, the geographical divisions &c of each county, giving at the same time oral descriptions of the productions, governments, remarkable localities &c. &c., and exhibiting an almost perfect acquaintance with their text book. The descriptions were well interspersed with historical notices of the various countries, sometimes elicited by the teachers, or other gentlemen present, and sometimes volunteered by the students, who were allowed, when their attention was called to a particular country, to go on and say in their own way and in their own language all they knew about it, after which any question that suggested themselves were put to the classes, and answered with the greatest promptitude and correctness. This mode of examination showed that the students, old and young, were allowed and taught to think for themselves; and this is thought to be a prominent feature and excellency in the system of instruction in the Institution generally. The classes were provided with a complete set of the Messrs Chambers's large school room maps, as well as with several other maps, and a fine terrestrial globe. With all of these maps the students were perfectly familiar, and appeared quite at home, to whatever country their attention was directed.

The classes in English Grammar were also well prepared both in the memoriter parts, and in the higher and more advanced exercises in parsing and analysis of the language. After an intermission of an hour the exercises were resumed by the examination of 2 classes in Algebra, 2 in Plane Geometry, 1 in Practical Geometry, including mensuration of surfaces and solids, calculations of Artificer's work, &c. &c., 1 in Land Surveying and Navigation, and 1 in Natural Philosophy. The lower classes in Algebra had gone through simple equations, and the higher through the entire course comprehended in the ordinary treatises on the subject. The second class in Geometry was examined in the first three books of Legendre's work, and the first class, in the whole of Chambers's edition of Euclid.

The examination in Natural Philosophy, was a very interesting one. The class consisted of from 15 to 20 young men, who did themselves much credit by their proficiency in the study. A number of very elegant articles of Philosophical apparatus were in the room, the construction and use of which were described in an independent and manly style by members of the class; and the apparatus was used by the class themselves in illustrating the different principles referred to in the course of their examination. In fact the exercises in this class were more like a number of brief lectures on the different parts of Natural Philosophy, accompanied by illustrations and experiments by the students, than like the mere question and answer style often adopted in examination.

On Tuesday, the classes in Latin, Greek, and French were examined. Those in Latin, consisted of 1 in Latin lessons, 1 in Latin Reader, 1 in Caesar, 1 in Virgil's Æneid, 1 in Cicero's orations, and 1 in Livy; those in Greek, of one in Greek Lessons, 1 in Greek Reader, and 1 in Demosthenes; and the French classes, of 2 in French Grammar and Reader, 1 in Charles 12th, and 1 in Merlet's Tableau Littéraire. Persons capable of judging expressed themselves highly gratified with the state of these classes, and especially with the correctness of the higher classes in Latin, in the matter of pronunciation, quantity, scanning, &c.

On Tuesday evening the classes in Logic and Astronomy were examined. The text-book in the former was Whately's Elements, which the class had gone through, and with which they manifested a thorough acquaintance. The class in Astronomy was a large one, and was furnished with 16 or 18 large schoolroom maps, by which the whole course of study was admirably illustrated, and the principles of the science brought distinctly before the mind of the student. There was also in the room a fine celestial globe, on which the members of the classes solved several problems in the course of the examination.

During the Term a periodical called "The Mount Allison Students' Repository" has been got up, the object of which is to afford an opportunity for the display of talent in composition, and to aid in the cultivation of a refined

literary taste among the students generally. Two persons are chosen, by ballot, from the senior class in English composition, to act as editors, and remain in office for four weeks. It is the duty of the senior editor to receive communications, decide upon their merits, correct or comment upon their faults &c., and prepare articles for the Editorial Department; and of the junior editor to prepare ornamental headings, &c., and copy all the communications neatly into the Repository. It consists of two large sheets closely written in double columns, and is published weekly by being read by the editor, in presence of all the students and officers of the Institution, in the Lecture room of the Academy, on Saturday morning. The last number for the term was published in the presence of a large audience, at the close of the examination in Astronomy on Tuesday evening, and evinced a very high degree of literary ability and taste, especially in the Editorial Department, which would have done credit to many periodicals of much higher pretensions than "The Mount Allison Students' Repository."

On Wednesday the usual "Exhibiton" was held, in the course of which 22 young gentlemen took part in declamation in English and French; after which original essays were delivered by six of the elder students in the following order:

1st, Latin Oration, (Roman Oratory); William Evans; 2nd, "Improvement," Amos Purdy; 3rd, "Waste of Mind," C. F. Wilson; 4th, "Greek Oration," (the Grecian Historians), W. H. Tuck; 5th, "What is Life?" J. A. Wheelock; 6th, "Hostility to Truth," with Valedictory Addresses, by David Burpee.

The Latin and Greek orations were delivered in a dignified and manly style. The English essays were characterised by originality and energy of thought, and propriety in delivery; and at least one was remarkable for beauty, and true sublimity of conception, evincing talent of the highest order. The subjects were good practical ones, and the speakers did themselves credit by their way of treating them.

At the close of these exercises an address was delivered to the students by Mr. Joseph L. Moore, of St. John, formerly a student, and afterwards a teacher in the Institution. His subject, a very appropriate one for the occasion, was "Youth."

The spacious Lecture Room of the Academy was beautifully decorated with evergreens, garlands of flowers, &c., in the midst of which a large crown in ever-green, with an appropriate motto, was placed opposite the entrance and immediately over the platform where the students declaimed. A large audience consisting of from five to six hundred persons from various parts of this and the adjoining province, crowded the lecture-room on the occasion, and the whole presented a very pleasing and imposing appearance. During the exhibition the choir belonging to the Academy performed several pieces of Music, and at the close "certificates" of moral character, attention to study, and success in literary pursuits, were given to several individuals who had completed their course of study, and were about to leave the institute. The number of students in attendance during the term was 113.

June 22, Thomas Harding, Shippigan; W. Stevens, Bathurst; Rev. R. Chesley, do.; L. F. Payson, from do. 24th, Misses M' Rae, Black River. 25th, Wm. Wilson, South West. 26th, Isabella M'Donald, Bay du Vin; John M' Rae, do. 28th, Alex M'Donald, Sen., do.; Hon John W. Weldon, Richibucto; Hugh M'Donald, Bay du Vin; John Stewart, Northesk. 29th, Mr H. Bergin, and Mrs. Bergin, South West.

**Marriages.**

At Newcastle, on the 16th instant, by the Rev. Samuel Bacon, CHARLES SIMONDS, Esq., of Dalhousie, County of Restigouche, to MARGARET, second daughter of Mr Thomas Maltby, of Newcastle.

At the same place, on the 17th instant, by the Rev. Michael Egan, Mr JOHN BURKE, of Chatham, to Miss ELLEN RYAN, of Newcastle.

**Deaths.**

At Pambroke, on the Ottawa, on the 21st May, in the 59th year of his age, JAMES JARDINE, Esq.—Mr. J. was a native of Dumfriesshire, Scotland, which, with his family, he left about thirty years ago for this country. He resided for a number of years at Miramichi, New Brunswick, and where, with many others, he lost his all, in the calamitous fire which, in 1825 devastated that settlement.

**Shipping Intelligence.**

**PORT OF MIRAMICHI.**

ENTERED, June 21—schr Irish Lass, Hay, P. E. Island; Herald, McLeod, do.; Defiance, Liss, Newfoundland; Siberia, Watt, Halifax. 25—Elizabeth, Harding, Pictou, Martha, McAdams, P. E. Island. 26th—Elizabeth, McKay, do.; Relief McNeil, Richibucto.

CLEARED.—, June 21—Ship Seraphine, Affleck, Liverpool; brig Emerald, Kerswell, Exter; Schr Catherine, McLeod, P. E. Island. 22nd—Siberia, Watt, Halifax; Brig John Hawkes Richards, Limerick.

23rd—Schr Armada, McQuarrie, P. E. Island. 24th—George, Cantly, Pictou; Irish Lass, Cahill, P. E. Island. 25th—Bark Berberie, Mock, Liverpool; Jenny Lind, Parsons, Liverpool; schr Defiance, Liss, Newfoundland; Brig Viatic, Goodwin, London; schr Caroline, McLeod, New London. 25th—schr Miscou, Coulson, Quebec. 26th—Bark Intrinsic, McPherson, Liverpool.

**PORT OF DALHOUSIE, RESTIGOUCHE.**

ENTERED, June 12—schr Mary, Bontillier, Caraque, 2 days, ballast—A. Ritchie & Co; schr Experiment, Murphy; P. E. Island, 5 days, ballast—Wm. Hamilton; barque Euphemia, Jones, Newfoundland, 27 days, ballast—A. Ritchie & Co.

16th—brig Francis, Laing, Plymouth, 43 days, ballast—A. Ritchie & Co.

18th—schr Indus, Siteman, Magdalen Islands, 5 days, ballast—Wm. Hamilton.

21st—brig Emma, Parsons, Newfoundland, 11 days, P. & D. Stewart.

24th—schr Primrose, Duquait, Miramichi, 4 days, ballast; brig Hero, Harrison, Newfoundland, 15 days, ballast—A. Ritchie & Co.

CLEARED, June 12—schr Mystery, Lowden, Labrador Fishery—master; schr Freedom, Thomson, P. E. Island, British Goods—Wm. Hamilton.

16th—schr Experiment, Murphy, Halifax, shingles—Wm. Hamilton.

17th—schr Mary, Bontillier, Shippegan, salt—A. Ritchie & Co.

18th—barque Eliza, Brown, Troon, timber—A. Ritchie & Co.; brigs Jane, Tickle, Maryport, timber—do.; Ant, McMin, Water of Orr, timber and deals—Wm. Hamilton.

19th—schr Indus, Siteman, Halifax, shingles—Wm. Hamilton; schr Elizabeth Ann, Allain, do., do—do.; ship Superb, Mitchell, Greenock, timber—do.

24th—barque Sarah Ann, Fortune, Lancaster, timber and deals—A. Ritchie & Co.

**Clock and Watch Making.**

The subscriber begs respectfully to inform the Inhabitants of Northumberland that he has commenced business at Mr. Wyse's Hotel, Douglastown, where he will attend to repairing Clocks, Watches, &c.

Gold Rings, Pins, Broaches, &c., neatly repaired, and immediately expected, a large variety of Jewelry, of all descriptions, which will be sold at low prices.

Persons having work to be done at their residences in the above line, will be attended to on the shortest intimation.

O. A. SHARP.

Douglastown, 29th June, 1847.

**TOTAL ABSTINENCE.**

Such persons as have signed the Total Abstinence Pledge, and others who are desirous of doing so, are requested to meet at the Hall of the Mechanics' Institute, on the evening of THURSDAY NEXT, the 1st July, for the purpose of organizing a Society, and appointing Office Bearers. Time of meeting—eight o'clock. Chatham, June 23, 1847.

**WOOL, WOOL.**

The subscriber begs respectfully to inform his friends and the public, that he has the set of

**Carding Machinery**

already advertised, in full operation in Nelson, near the Grist Mill of John Leslie, Esq., and has employed a man of long experience to conduct the business for the season. He now hopes, by assiduity, care and attention, to secure a share of public patronage.

Wool, well picked and oiled, and left at the machine, will be carded for four pence per pound; if otherwise, an extra charge of one penny per pound will be made for oiling.

Wool left in Chatham, with Messrs Johnson & Mackie; Mr W. Park, Douglastown; Mr John Dixon, Moorfield Ferry, and Mr Sargeant, Newcastle, will be taken and returned once a week free of expense.

WM. WILSON.

Nelson, 22nd June, 1847.

NOTICE.—All persons having just demands against the Estate of DAVID GREW, AR, late of Chatham, in the County of Northumberland, Carpenter, deceased, are requested to render the same duly attested, within three months from this date, at the office of GEORGE KERR, one of the Executors; and all persons indebted to the said Estate, are requested to make immediate payment to Mr. Kerr.

WILLIAM MACFARLANE, } EXECUTORS.  
GEORGE KERR. }  
Chatham, 29th June, 1847.