

The Festival was also graced with the presence of Lady Head, and an assemblage of ladies from the first families of the Province.

The Convocation having been duly opened, the Oration in praise of the Founders and Objects of the College was delivered by Professor Robb. The excellence of this animated and encouraging Oration was warmly acknowledged by the President, who farther expressed his hope that it might be printed for general perusal.

Two Essays on the Peculiar Value and Claims of Agriculture, for each of which a Douglas Gold Medal had been awarded, were read by the respective authors:—

William P. Dole,
Hurd Peters.

The merits of these Essays had been considered equally high, although they were remarkably dissimilar in style, method, and a large amount of the matter.

The following Students, having kept the requisite Terms, and passed the Examinations, were presented by Professors Robb and Jack, and Mr. Edwin Jacob, and admitted to their Degrees:—

Masters of Arts:

Charles Coster, A. B., Master in the Collegiate School, late Student in Divinity.

Charles F. Bliss, A. B., Curate of Fredericton, late Student in Divinity.

William Q. Ketchum, Curate of Fredericton, Chaplain to the House of Assembly, and Secretary of the Church Society, late Student in Divinity, and Scholar on the University Foundation.

Bachelors of Arts:

William P. Dole, Student of Law, late Scholar on the University Foundation.

Hurd Peters, Student of Law,
Beverley Robinson, Student of Law.

Edward DuVernet, Student of Divinity.

Joseph R. Hea, Tutor in the Sackville Academy.

Donald M. Bliss, Student of Divinity.

In delivering the prizes to the several Students the President addressed them with appropriate commendation and encouragement, and the solemnity concluded by His Lordship proposing, in the name of His Honor the Chancellor, for the subject of the Douglas Gold Medal of the ensuing year:—

ANCIENT AND MODERN COLONIZATION COMPARED.

Michaelmas Term begins on Thursday, September 6, when the Scholars elected at the different Grammar Schools are requested to present themselves for Matriculation, at 10 A. M.; and all Students intending to keep the Term will attend Divine Service in the Chapel, at 11 A. M.

E. JACOB, *Principal.*

PRIVATE BOARDING HOUSE.

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Fredericton, 4th July, 1849.

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By Order of the Committee.

C. SPURDEN, Secretary.

Married,

On Thursday, 28th ult., at the Union Street Congregational Church, Saint John, by Rev. Charles M^cKay, Edward Sancton, to Mary Elizabeth, youngest daughter of the late William Durant, Esquire.

Died,

At Kingsclear, on the 22d ultimo, Mrs. Clive Camber, wife of Mr. William Camber, in the 72d year of her age, deeply lamented by a numerous circle of relatives and friends.

On the 23d ultimo, Hephzibah, aged 39 years, wife of A. T. Coburn, Esquire, of this City, and daughter of Thomas Pickard, Esquire. The deceased has left a husband and four daughters to mourn their loss. After labouring untiringly to fulfil the duties of a Christian wife and mother, she died in full confidence of a joyful resurrection to eternal life. For more than twenty years she had been a consistent member of the Wesleyan Church in this City.

On the 26th ultimo, at the residence of Thomas Pickard, Esquire, Louisa, aged — years, daughter of Mr. James Pickard, of Douglas, and adopted daughter of the late Mrs. Coburn.

At Saint John, on the 29th ultimo, after a short illness, Jane Partelow, wife of Mr. Robert Nisbet, and youngest daughter of the late Captain Joseph Hamm, in the 24th year of her age.

At the Keswick Ridge, on the 22d ultimo, Mrs. Elizabeth Perley, in the 89th year of her age. She came to this Province from Rowly, Mass., upwards of 80 years ago, with her parents, Moses and Jane Pickard.

NOTICE.

In consequence of an Order having been made in Council, requiring the recommendations contained in the Report of the Committee of the House of Assembly, dated 23d March last, on the subject of Public Printing, to be carried into effect from the first Monday of the present Month, the Queen's Printer hereby gives notice, that in future the Gazette will be furnished officially only in accordance with said Report.

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