

ERRATUM.—In article, Donation at Bridge-town, page 44 C. M., "£17 10s. in cash" should have been "£17." This has since been raised to £18, making in all, £36 10s.

General Intelligence.

Foreign and Domestic.

PUBLIC MEETING.—His Worship the Mayor called a meeting at the Merchants' Exchange on Monday, at the request of some of the principal merchants in the city, for the purpose of allowing the Hon. Mr. Kent and Mr. Carter, the delegation from Newfoundland, to lay before the public the object of their visit to this province.

His Worship was called to the chair and C. W. Dickson, Esq. chosen Secretary. The Hon. Mr. Kent and Mr. Carter were listened to with deep interest. The Hon. E. M. Archibald, ex-Army General of Newfoundland also addressed the meeting.

Resolutions were unanimously passed expressive of surprise at the attempt to deprive the colonists of valuable rights, and the unwise and mistaken policy of making the concessions indicated by the Treaty.

The fourth resolution was, "That a Petition be prepared and presented to the Legislature soliciting their earnest and hearty co-operation with the people of Newfoundland, in averting the danger threatened by the proposed concessions."

But one feeling seemed to animate all parties, that of the most entire sympathy with the Delegation.

A fire broke out on Wednesday evening last, in the upper story of the store opposite Jerusalem Warehouse, formerly occupied by the late Mr. Charles B. Naylor. The active firemen were soon on the spot, and the fire was extinguished without doing any very serious damage to the building.

A house in Barrack Street, opposite the Town Clock, formerly owned by a Mr. Gardiner, was destroyed by fire on Friday night last.

Henceforth when the Dock-yard bell is required during the day as an alarm of fire, it is to ring and toll alternately, for a few minutes each, to avoid mistakes that have occurred from taking the alarm for the ordinary ringing for dinner hour, &c.

One of the firemen named Leslie, belonging to the R. M. S. *Delta*, lying alongside the Cunard wharf, met his death on Thursday night last, by falling through one of the hatches on to the machinery. The Coroner's Jury returned a verdict of *Accidental Death*.

DREADFUL ACCIDENT.—A Hotel in Harbor Grace, Newfoundland, was recently burnt to the ground, and terrible to relate seven men were burnt in it.

SUDDEN DEATH.—On Tuesday, March 10th, at Annapolis Royal, Dwight Tobias, Esq., aged 55 years.

He arose in the morning apparently as well as usual; went to the barn to see to his cattle, and returned to the house, made a fire and commenced smoking his pipe; shortly after he was discovered laying on his face, near the fire, and life extinct. A physician was immediately called but all attempts to resuscitate were unavailing.

Prince Edward's Island.

We have received from a friend in Prince Edward's Island No. 1 of "The Protector and Christian Witness" edited by a committee of Protestant Gentlemen. It is published by G. T. Hazard, and has its columns well filled with religious and other matter. Its editorial corps may be taken as an index of its objects. On the subject of Temperance it says "it heartily desires the suppression of drunkenness," and that "multitudes are still ignorant of the power of moral suasion."

It will doubtless do good service in the cause to which it is to be devoted. We hail its appearance, and wish it much success.

We find in its columns the speech of His Excellency the Lieutenant Governor, delivered on the opening of the Legislative Sessions, after treating on various local topics, His Excellency refers to the question of education, which has of late commanded so much attention, in the following terms:

"As those laws will shortly expire which have given to this Colony a well merited pre-eminence in securing to the rising generation the blessings of a Free Education, it will be for you to consider the expediency of continuing or re-enacting them."

I am fully sensible of the fact, that the educational establishment of this Island involves a very heavy charge upon its revenue, which is small in comparison to those of the sister Provinces; a charge which is larger than is incurred for a similar purpose in older, wealthier and more populous communities; and amounting in all to one-third of the public income. But keeping in view the great advantages that accrue from such an expenditure—advantages which are felt by the present generation, but which will be still more sensibly apparent to future ones—I strongly incline to the opinion, that the public money could not be better applied than in fostering that free system of public instruction which has hitherto given such general satisfaction to the people of this Colony, and which has been referred to in terms of commendation by our fellow subjects in other portions of Her Majesty's dominions.

Letters Received.

Rev. C. Tupper, 7th, 1 sub., £3. Rev. J. Parker, 28th. H. E. Payson, 10th.—Former letter came all right.—Mr. F. had not then received the papers.—Letter, &c., sent yesterday. G. Cogswell, 7th, 20s.—There has doubtless been some mistake respecting Mr. C.—We shall be perfectly satisfied with what he thinks right. Rev. N. Vidito. Rev. H. Angell. J. Sabean, 26th.—Letter, &c., sent Friday last. R. Wood-en, 28th, 10s. H. Starratt, 7th.—The £4 12s. 6d. was received and a receipt given to Mr. T. Rev. G. Armstrong, 7th, 20s.—10s. sent to Rev. N. Cyr.—Bro. F. says he sent the parcel to Wolfville, per Rev. J. Chase. N. T. Harris, 25th. Rev. P. F. Murray, 3rd. A. Marshall, 10th, 20s. D. F. Higgins, 5th, £2. Rev. I. J. Skinner, 9th. C. F. Allison, Esq., 7th, 20s. D. B. Lynde, 20s.—Oblige us by your address. S. H. Harrington, 10th. C. B. Whidden, 3rd, 10s. W. North, 6th, 30s. J. Hilton. B. B. Moses, 9th. Joseph Dimock, 10th, 1 sub., 20s. W. F. Cutten, Esq., 12th, £5. J. B. McNutt, 9th.—The 25s. came all right.—When a receipt is given we do not acknowledge it in C. M. J. Lantz, 3rd, 20s.—Will send the book as soon as new supply arrives. Rev. J. Stevens, 12th. G. V. Rand, 13th, 20s.—Will write shortly.

To Correspondents.—Writers of anonymous communications, who do not entrust us with their names, must not be surprised at the non-appearance of their articles.

Manuscript for the press should be written only on one side of the paper.

We have received a paper on Christian Missions, but it is rendered almost illegible by being written in a very fine hand, and the writing crossed. It is impossible to make use of such copy.

We regret that we are obliged to defer till next week our friend Harrington's letter from New York. It was written in New York on Tuesday the 10th, and was in our hands soon after 8 o'clock on Friday morning the 13th—less than three days. The rapidity of the travelling is somewhat striking, when considered in connection with the rate referred to, in the extract from the New England Farmer, on the fourth page.

MEDICAL TESTIMONY CANNOT BE CONTESTED.

One of the most startling cases is narrated of Dr. McLane's Vermifuge by Dr. John Butler, of Lowell, Trumbull Co., Ohio. The case was that of a young lady who had been very sick for eight years, and had consulted a number of physicians, who had treated it as one of Prolapsus Uteri. Dr. Butler was then called in, and for a time believed with his predecessors that it was a case of Prolapsus. He was, however, soon forced to the conclusion that his patient was suffering from worms, and after much persuasion prevailed upon her to take two doses of Dr. McLane's Vermifuge, prepared by Fleming Bros., of Pittsburgh. This medicine had the effect of removing from her a countless number of the largest size. After she passed them, her health immediately returned. She is since married, and continues to enjoy excellent health.

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

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Commercial.

HALIFAX MARKETS.

CORRECTED FOR WEEK ENDING MARCH 17.	
Bread, Navy, per cwt.	22s. 6d. a 30s.
" Pilot, per bbl.	22s. 6d.
Beef, Prime, Ca.	50s.
" " "	50s. a 55s.
Butter, Canada, per lb.	1s.
" N. S.	1s. 1d.
Coffee, Laguira, "	9d. a 10d.
" Jamaica, "	8 1/2 d. a 10d.
Tea, Congo, "	1s. 10d. a 2s.
Flour, Am. sp. per bbl.	37s. 6d. a 41s. 3d.
" Canada sp. "	38s. 9d.
" Rye, "	25s.
Cornmeal, "	19s. 6d.
Indian Corn, "	none.
Molasses, Mus. per gal.	2s. 4 1/2 d.
" Clayed, "	2s.
Pork, Prime, per bbl.	110s.
" Mess, "	130s.
Sugar, Bright P. R., per cwt.	57s. 6d.
Bar Iron, com. "	18s.
Hoop " "	25s.
Sheet " "	30s.
Codfish, large, per qtl.	19s. 6d.
" small, "	14s.
Salmon, No. 1, per bbl.	100s.
" " 2, "	90s.
" " 3, "	80s.
Mackerel, No. 1, "	100s.
" " 2, "	60s.
" " 3, "	30s.
Herrings, " 1, "	15s. a 20.
" Alewives, "	17s.
Haddock, "	12s.
Coal, Sydney, per chal.	30s. to 32s. 6d.
Fire Wood, per cord.	21s. 6d.

PRICES AT THE FARMER'S MARKET, MARCH 17.

Fresh Beef, per cwt.	40s. a 50s.
Oatmeal, "	17s.
Pork, Fresh, per lb.	6d.
Veal, "	4d. a 5 1/2 d.
Lamb, "	4 1/2 d. a 5 1/2 d.
Bacon, "	9d.
Butter, "	1s. 2d. a 1s. 3 1/2 d.
" Cheese, "	6d. a 7 1/2 d.
Eggs, per dozen.	1s. 4d.
Poultry—Chickens, "	3s.
" Geese, "	2s. 6d. a 2s. 9d.
" Ducks, "	3s.
Turkeys, per lb.	10d. a 11d.
Calf-skins, per lb.	6d.
Yarn, "	2s. 6d.
Potatoes, per bushel.	4s. 6d.
Apples, per barrel.	none.
Plums, " "	none.
Homespun Cloth, (wool.) per yard.	2s. 6d.
Do. (cotton and wool.)	1s. 7d. a 1s. 9d.

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NOTHING LIKE IT.

There is nothing equal in the proprietary medicine line to Dyer's Healing Embrocation. It has attained an enviable reputation among the standard medicines of the day. It works almost miraculously in the cure of disease, and no person should be without a constant supply.

For sale by G. E. MORTON & CO., and Druggists everywhere.

Married.

On the 25th Feb., by the Rev. James Parker, Mr. John Hutt, to Miss Rebecca, daughter of Mr. Nathan Skophel, all of Cornwallis.

Died.

On Thursday morning, Andrew King, aged 2 years infant son of Mr. James Thompson, of Halifax, formerly of Miramichi.

On Thursday last, Mary, relict of the late Mr. Bruce McDonald, aged 63 years.

At Preston, on Tuesday, 10th inst., after a long and severe illness, which he bore with Christian fortitude, Mr. Thomas Ready, in the 61st year of his age.

At Dartmouth, on the 10th inst., Constance Henrietta, aged 22 years, daughter of the late Charles R. Fairbanks, Esq.

At Cornwallis, on the 19th ultimo, Mr. Joseph Northup, aged 67 years, much and deservedly regretted. His end was peace.

In Lower Aylesford, on the 28th ult., Miss Ellen Dwyre, aged 22 years.

In Morristown, Aylesford, on the 4th inst., Mrs. Lucy, wife of Nathan Tupper, Esq., in the 60th year of her age.

At Port Medway, on the 5th inst., Mrs. Hannah Freeman, in the 90th year of her age.

Suddenly, at Horton, on the 2nd inst., Mary, wife of Mr. Ebenezer Caldwell, aged 46 years, leaving a husband, eight children, and a large circle of other relatives, to mourn their loss. Mrs. C. professed religion and united with the Baptist Church, in Horton, about 16 years ago, from which time until her death she uniformly exhibited the principles of true piety.

On the 15th ult., Mr. Andrew Blakney, whilst on his way from Newfoundland, on board the schooner *Resident*, bound for Halifax, fell overboard and was drowned. Brother Blakney was a consistent member of the Jeddore Church for several years, and has left a wife and seven small children to mourn their loss. May the Lord help the widow and the fatherless children to bear their loss with Christian fortitude. He will be much missed in the church here. May his sudden death teach us all to number our days, that we may apply our hearts unto wisdom.—Communicated by Deacon George Harpell.

THE POOR AS WELL AS THE RICH can have a sure cure for Coughs, Colds and Consumption, in its primary stages, owing to the cheapness of Mrs. Gardner's Balsam of Liverwort and Houndhound, a medicine which should be in every family, and always on hand. It is for sale at Morton's Warehouse.

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NORTH AND SOUTH, A CONTRAST.—At New Orleans a slave sells his cigar smoke in your face. In Boston a gentleman is fined five dollars for sucking a Havana. Theft is punished by fine in Boston, in Mississippi by hanging, and in the South they send ruffians to the Legislature. In Boston you can buy a box of Redding's Russia Salve for 24 cents, warranted to cure burns, sores, scalds, piles, &c.

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ASTHMA or phthisis, a spasmodic affection of the bronchial tubes, which are covered by a dry tenacious phlegm, frequently threatening suffocation, always disagreeable, and sometimes dangerous. Patients suffering for years, have been radically cured by the use of one box of Durno's Catarrh Snuff.

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LOSS OF APPETITE.

Lost Appetite will be restored by using

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WHITE AND SOFT HANDS all through the Winter.—Try the **FLOATING SOAP**, which by its continued use will produce the softest hand and whitest skin, even in the coldest weather; it is agreeably perfumed and soft in use.

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Shipping List.

Arrived.

TUESDAY, March 10.—R. M. Steamship *Merlin*, Corbin, St. John's Nfld. 4 ds.—10 passengers; brig *Vivid*, Holmes, Cienfuegos 22 ds.—Allison & Co; schr *Sylphide*, McNab, Nfld. 7 ds.—John McNab; brig *Queen of the West*, Riches, Kingston, Jan. 16 ds.—N. L. & J. T. West; 38 days absent.

WEDNESDAY, 11th.—Brig *Velocity*, Mann, Ponce, 20 ds; brig *Mary*, Dobie, Portland 3 ds.—E. C. Kinneer & Co.

THURSDAY, 12th.—R. M. Steamer *America*, Lang, Liverpool, 12 1/2 ds.—88 passengers, 21 for Halifax; schr *Rival*, Dunlop, Liverpool, N. S.

FRIDAY, 13th.—R. M. Steamer *Niagara*, Wickman, Boston, 39 hours—50 passengers, 13 for Halifax; bark *Halifax*, Laybold, do 2 1/2 days—Young & Hart.

SATURDAY, 14th.—Brig *Milo*, Anderson, Cienfuegos, 19 days—Bason, Boak & Co; schr *Miram*, Lory, Newfoundland; brig *Boston*, O'Brien, Boston, 40 hours—15 passengers—Young & Hart; brig *America*, Meagher, do 40 hours—B. Wier & Co; returned St. John Packet.

MONDAY, 16th.—Brigs *Maude*, Davison, Mayaguez, P. R.; 13 days—T. C. Kinneer & Co; Spanish Main, Decker, Ponce, P. R., 14 1/2 days—B. Wier & Co; *Aretic*, Nickerson, Porto Rico, 24 ds.—Young & Hart; *Ornate*, Fenton, Kingston, Jan., 24 days—N. L. & J. T. West; French Mail schr *Oronoko*, Gautier, St. Pierre, Miq., 24 ds.—G. H. Starr & Co.

Cleared.

TUESDAY, March 10th.—brig *Harriet Ann*, Crowell, Jamaica; *Orien*, Lovett, Havana; *Lucetia*, Foster, Demerara; schrs *President*, Hermann, United States; *Harriet*, Newall, Parsons, Port au Basque, Nfld.

WEDNESDAY, 11th.—Schr *Ransom*, King, Boston; *Julia*, Simpson, St. John, N. B.

THURSDAY, 12.—R. M. Steamships *America*, Lang, Boston; *Delta*, Hunter, Bermuda and St. Thomas.

FRIDAY, 13th.—*Niagara*, Wickman, Liverpool; brig *Advalorem*, Crowell, B. W. Indies.

SATURDAY, 14th.—James McNab, Adams, Br. West Indies; Lima, O'Brien, Boston; Olive Branch Wright, St. John, N. B.; Asia, O'Brien, Copenhagen; Florence, Johnston, Demerara; Orkney, Murphy, London; Sylphide, McNab, Boston; Village Belle, Wilkie, New York.

MONDAY, 16th.—Water Witch, Hunt, Philadelphia; Anne, Brear, Fortune Bay, N. F.; Kate, Messervey, Philadelphia; Mary, DeBourdein, United States; Mary, Glawson, Richmond, Va.; Eagle, Romkey, Baltimore.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

NOTICE.

ALL PERSONS having any just claims against the Estate of the late PETER HOLMES, Senr., of Horton, deceased, are requested to send in their Accounts, duly attested, within twelve months from this date, and all persons indebted to said Estate, are requested to make immediate payment to either of the subscribers.

JOHN W. HOLMES.

NATHAN T. HARRIS, } Exrs.

Hantsport, Feb. 25th, 1857.

Im.

To the Shipping Interests of Hants & Kings Counties.

THE Subscriber begs leave to acquaint the community of WINDSOR and the surrounding ports that he has just opened business in the **SAILMAKING LINE**, in the Loft on Mr. Bennett Smith's wharf, Windsor, where he hopes to meet a continuance of the public favor that he experienced while concerned in the late firm of DRILLIO & HARRISON.

Orders for any description of SAILS will be promptly attended to and finished in the best style, on reasonable terms.

WILLIAM T. HARRISON.

Windsor, March 14, 1857.

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AUNT ROSE AND HER LITTLE NIECES.—Price 4d. "Christian Messenger" Book Depository.

Dissolution of Co-partnership.

THE Co-partnership heretofore existing between the Subscribers, under the firm of HUGH LYLE & Co., is this day dissolved, by limitation, and the retirement of the Senior partner.

The business of the late firm will be settled by their successors, Fraser, Lyle & Co.

HUGH LYLE.

GEORGE FRASER.

Halifax, 28th Feb., 1857.

Co-partnership Notice.

THE Subscribers having this day formed a Co-partnership will continue the business of the late Firm of H. Lyle & Co. at their old stand, as heretofore, under the name and firm of

FRASER, LYLE & Co.

And would solicit a continuance of the patronage which has been so liberally bestowed on their predecessors.

GEORGE FRASER.

CHARLES W. LYLE.

JOHN C. DRUMMOND.

Halifax, 28th Feb., 1857.

NOTICE.

IN reference to the above, and in retiring from the business with which I have been connected for the past twenty-five years, I beg to acknowledge the patronage received during that period, and now respectfully solicit a continuance of the same to the new firm of Fraser, Lyle & Co.

HUGH LYLE.

Halifax, 28th Feb., 1857.

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25 cases COD OIL,

1000 hds. Turke Island SALT,

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Halifax, February 28th 1857.

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