

ful revival was in progress. Letters are now before us, written at Onslow in "July, 1790," referring to the state of religion. One says, "It is a time amongst us of the outpouring of God's Holy Spirit—saints rejoicing, and sinners crying for mercy." Another, one of the ministers, writes thus:—"I have seen the going of our God in his sanctuary. The power of God falls in the assemblies, and many times I cannot but say, 'this is no less than the gate of heaven.' I have found in this place a number who were thirsting for the waters of life, who received me with joy, and could rejoice to see the thing which we see. Never was I more convinced of God's tending me to any place than here." In other letters, written at the same time there are urgent requests to Harris Harding and Joseph Dimock to repair to Onslow forthwith, that they might aid in carrying on the work. Now, all this was extremely opposed to Mr. Macgregor's views and wishes, especially as the converts associated together, and formed separate congregations. We can account for his "ejaculatory prayer," whatever judgment we may form respecting it.

Notwithstanding our objections to some of the statements contained in this volume, we recommended it to our readers, as a valuable accession to Nova Scotia literature.

We are requested to notify that the Rev. I. J. Skinner has accepted the invitation of the Home Missionary Board to become their Secretary and Agent, and will forthwith enter upon his labors. Communications connected with the Missionary Society many he addressed for the present: "Rev. I. J. Skinner, to the care of Rev. Richard McLearn, Halifax."

Brother Skinner will shortly visit the churches in Hants and Kings Counties, on behalf of the Society.

We are glad to find, what we expected, that many of our friends who have allowed their subscriptions to fall in arrears, have done so from forgetfulness, and have written to us to restore their names. The time passes away faster than they suppose. Having taken the *Messenger* so many years they had neglected to keep it paid up. We shall be happy to hear from others to the same effect, and receive from them the amounts due.

We beg to call attention to the Notice in another column respecting a Principal for the Horton Academy. This a most important and desirable position for a gentleman of the requisite qualifications; a field of usefulness for a Christian man but seldom offered. The flourishing condition of the Institution and the high character it holds, render it worthy the attention of men of the highest culture and attainments.

NEW PUBLICATIONS.

We acknowledge the receipt of a LECTURE on "the men for the age," by the Rev. Thomas Crisp.

A SERMON on the death of the Rev. Wm. Crocombe, by the Rev. Dr. Richey.

A CATALOGUE of the Mount Allison Ladies' Academy, 1859.

The Colonial Life Assurance Company's ALMANAC for 1860. It contains much statistical and other information. Matthew H. Richey, Esq., is the Agent for Nova Scotia.

We have received the two last numbers of the *Colonial Presbyterian*. The general appearance of this journal does credit to the New Brunswick press. We shall readily place it on our list of exchanges.

We have unintentionally omitted to notice the appearance of a new paper at Bridgetown, *The Weekly Register*. We doubt not the intelligent inhabitants of Annapolis and surrounding counties will give it extensive patronage and support. James H. Thorne, Esq., is the Editor and Proprietor. We hope his largest expectations may be exceeded!

The Canadian Baptist Register for 1860, contains the Calendar for the year, the Report of the Missionary Convention of Canada West, List of the Churches, Ministers, Societies, &c., &c., in the Province. We learn from it that Canada has Nine Baptist Associations with 13,715 members. They were baptized last year over 1400 persons.

"THE CANADIAN BAPTIST."—Our late namesake, *The Christian Messenger*, published at Toronto, C. W., came out, at the commencement of the present year, under the above new caption, "The Canadian Baptist." We do not apprehend that any change will be made in its character. It would be difficult for it to become more intensely Baptist than it was. The reason given for the change is, that there are so many "*Christian Messengers*," and that the title adopted will be more distinctive.

Remainder of Editorial and General Intelligence on 6th page.

By the "North Briton."

Sirs:—"I have used the medicine called *Perry Davis's Pain Killer*, and find it to be the best family medicine ever used. No family ought to be without it."

Yours, &c., E. JONES.
Snow Hill, Dudley, Eng.

Mr. FLETCHER.—Sir:—"Having suffered severely from rheumatic pains in the head and face, I was induced from what I heard you say of it, to try *Perry Davis's Pain Killer*, from which I soon found relief. It is indeed a valuable article."

I am yours, &c.,
W. M. EVANS, (Miner),
Willenhall, Eng.

DEAR SIR:—"I have suffered very much from a pain in my side, of twelve months standing. I tried a great many remedies but got no relief until I was induced to apply *Perry Davis's Pain Killer*, when I soon began to recover, and am now quite free from the pains."

I beg to remain yours truly,
ANN MURPHY,
(Kate Hill), Dudley, Eng.

Sir:—"I desire to bear willing testimony to the wonderful efficacy of that American remedy called *Perry Davis's Pain Killer*, which I believe has no equal in this country. I have been afflicted with heart disease and could find no relief till I got *Perry Davis's Vegetable Pain Killer*, which soon made a cure. I am quite willing to answer any inquiries about my case."

Yours, &c., FANNY SILVERS,
Dudley, (Worcestershire), Eng.

Agents in Halifax.—Geo. B. Morton & Co., Avery, Brown & Co., and Morton & Cogswell.
Jan. 18. 2w. i.

The following highly complimentary notice of the well-known firm of J. C. Ayer & Co. is from the pen of a distinguished American Journalist:—

HOW STARTLING ARE THE RAVAGES OF DISEASE!—How small a proportion of mankind live in perpetual health and die of old age! Disease, the insidious destroyer of our race, ever steals upon the anchorage of life, to cut it from its moorings. Ceaselessly it gnaws at the vitals of existence, like a worm in the bud, which, undisturbed, must bring it to decay. With these melancholy facts in view, can we overestimate the importance of such labors as look to the discomfiture of our common enemy? Knowing that we cannot, we feel warranted in extolling to our readers the enterprise of our distinguished fellow-citizens, Dr. J. C. Ayer & Co.

Few, if any, individual interests in the State are larger than this, and surely none compares with it in the vast extent of its operations and the immense importance of them to the well-being of multitudes of men. Their life-long labor has been to devise means of cure for the prevailing disorders of the American people, and their endeavors are known to have the co-operation of the best medical intelligence and skill this age affords. That they have done much for the cure of disease, no fair-minded man will deny; and that the laudable aim of their ambition is to accomplish still more in this work of philanthropy, is justly an object of pride to us, their fellow-townsmen, as well as of congratulation with the suffering sick all around us, and all over the world.

The preparations of J. C. Ayer & Co. (see adv. col's.) are sold by all Druggists and Merchants. The trade supplied by MORTON & COGSWELL, Agents, Halifax.
Sept. 21.—6m.

Commercial.

HALIFAX MARKETS.

CORRECTED FOR THE C. MESSENGER JAN. 25.

Flour, American spine, per bbl.,	32s. 6d.
Canada " "	32s. 6d.
Rye " "	21s. 3d. a 25s.
Cornmeal, " "	22s. 6d.
Indian Corn, per bushel,	5s.
Bread, Navy, per cwt.,	26s. 3d.
Pilot, per bbl.,	18s. 9d.
Butter, Canada, per lb.,	11d.
N. S. " "	10d.
Coffee, Laguayra, " "	9d. a 10d.
Jamaica, " "	8d. a 10d.
Tea, Congo, " "	2s. 3d.
Sugar, Bright P. R., per cwt.,	47s. 6d.
Cuba, " "	45s.
Molasses, Muscovado, per gal.,	1s. 6d.
Clayed, " "	1s. 3d.
Beef, Prime, per bbl.,	55s. a 60s.
Pork, " "	80s.
Mess, " "	90s.
Codfish, large, per qtl.,	18s.
small, " "	15s.
Salmon, No. 1, per bbl.,	80s.
No. 2, " "	70s.
No. 3, " "	60s.
Mackerel, No. 1, " "	80s.
No. 2, " "	70s.
No. 3, " "	45s.
Herring, No. 1, " "	12s. 6d.
Alewives, " "	17s.
Haddock, " "	12s.
Leather, sole, per lb.,	1s. 4d. a 1s. 6d.
Bar Iron, com., per cwt.,	13s. 6d.
Hoop " "	20s.
Sheet " "	22s. 6d.
Nails, cut, " "	34d. a 6d.
wrought, per lb.,	100s. a 140s.
Lumber, 1 inch Pine, per 1000,	60s. a 80s.
" (mer.) " "	55s.
Shipping Pine, " "	40s.
Spruce, " "	35s.
Hemlock, " "	30s.
Coal, Sydney, per chaldron,	30s.
Fire Wood, per cord,	18s.

PRICES AT THE FARMER'S MARKET, JAN. 25.

Fresh Beef, per cwt.,	25s. a 35s.
Oatmeal, " "	13s. a 13s. 6d.
Oats, per bushel,	2s.
Apples, per barrel,	none.
Potatoes, per bushel,	2s. 6d.
Veal, per lb.,	3d. a 4d.
Lamb, " "	3d. a 4d.
Mutton, " "	3d. a 4d.
Pork, Fresh, per lb.,	4d.
Bacon, " "	7d.
Butter, " "	11d. a 1s.
Cheese, " "	6d. a 7d.
Calf-skins, " "	7d.
Yarn, " "	2s. 6d.
Eggs, per dozen,	1s.
Poultry—Chickens, per pair,	2s. a 2s. 3d.
Ducks, " "	3s.
Turkeys, per lb.,	8d.
Geese, each, " "	2s. a 2s. 6d.
Homespun Cloth, (wool), per yard,	2s. 6d.
Do., (cotton and wool), " "	1s. 7d. a 1s. 9d.

WILLIAM NEWCOMB,
Clerk of Market.

Letters Received.

George V. Rand, 18th and 21st, £5. H. R. Cunningham, 14th, 1 sub., 20s. C. B. Whidden, 12th, £3.—Balance paid as desired. M. A. Bigelow, 9th, 1 sub., Ezekiel Eisenhaur 9th. John Bradshaw, 12th, 2 sub., 20s. R. G. Freeman, 11th, £3. B. L. Teller, 9th, 20s. Rev. I. J. Skinner, 12th, 1 sub., 10s. George J. Richardson, 14th. Rev. A. Cogswell, 6th. Rev. J. C. Morse, 10th, 20s, 14th, 20s, 16th, 41s 3d. C. Jost, Esq., 8th. Walter Wheelock, 9th. W. S. Irish, 12th.—Sent all right M. J. Bowden, 10th, 10s. 6d.—Almanac sent. Hance Mills, 9th, 1 sub., £2.—Yes. Lyman Stevens, 10th, £2 10s. Andrew Lockhart, 13th, 2 sub. W. Churchill, 10th, 1 sub., £2.—C. M.'s paper is mailed same time as your parcel,—and 16th, 2 sub., £2. Geo. Bowly, 12th. Rev. Dr. Tupper, 13th, 1 sub., £2. Bro. Jas. Spencer, 13th, 20s. James Desbrisay, 12th, £2. James Tipert, 12th, 25s. Jas. Higgins, 16th, £2. Robt. Chambers, Esq., 16th, 1 sub., £4. Rev. B. Taylor, 11th, 20s. Ward Eaton, Esq., 16th, 2 sub. Murdoch Matheson, 9th.—Book sent by mail, Jan. 9th. Edw. F. Freeman, 14th, 20s. Joseph Longille, 11th.—All paid to Dec. 31, 1860. Rev. W. H. Caldwell, 12th. Asaph Whitman, 14th, 20s.—Yes, it was an error in copying but was credited correctly. Dec. 31, £1 12s. 6d. Rev. W. Burton, 17th. Weston Hall, Esq., 16th, £5. Rev. D. Freeman, 19th. W. Johnson, Esq., 20th, £4. D. V. Dimock, 19th, 1 sub. 20s. Joseph D. Masters, 19th, 25s. Rev. S. W. DeBlois, 19th. Rev. B. Vaughn. Thos. Christopher, 10th, £2. Peleg F. Murray, 11th, £2 2s. 6d. Thos. Willett, 10th. W. J. Gates, 19th. Mrs. J. Boggs, 21st. E. F. Munro, Esq., 20th.—It was quite a mistake, thanks for calling attention to it. Rev. H. Eagles, 18th.—It must be some defect in the mails. Jas. S. Morse, 20th, 10s.

Received per Christopher Jost, Esq., and forwarded to the respective Treasurers:

From the Guysboro and Manchester Church, for the N. S. B. Home Missionary Society, £2 7 2 1/2
From Mrs. Atwater, for College Endowment, 6 5 0
Mr. Atwater, do. do. 6 5 0

For the French Mission:
From Rev. B. Taylor, New Germany, 0 5 0

Treasurer please charge to our account.
For the Bible Union:
From George Cornwall, Digby Neck, 6 10 0

NOTICES.

HORTON ACADEMY.

A PRINCIPAL WANTED.

The office of Principal of Horton Academy will be vacant after the 6th of June next. J. W. Hart, Esq., having resigned his connection with the Institution. The Executive Committee of the N. S. Baptist Education Society would obtain the service of some gentleman qualified for this important position, and will therefore enter into communication with persons desirous of the above named office. Any information will be promptly afforded by the undersigned.
A. S. HUNT, Secretary.
Canard St., Cornwallis, Jan. 20th, 1860.

Marriages.

On Monday, 23rd inst., at St. Luke's Church, by the Rev. W. Bullock, Rector, J. H. I. Alexander, Esq., R. N., to Isabella B. Hume, daughter of the late Thos. Cochrane Hume, Esq.

On Monday, by the Rev. Mr. Bullock, Mr. William Baker, to Miss Mary J. Renner, both of Ferguson's Cove.

At the Baptist Parsonage, Sackville, Jan. 11th, by the Rev. T. H. Porter, Mr. Benjamin Covey, to Miss Sophia Covey, both of Indian Harbor, St. Margarets Bay.

By Rev. James Spencer, at Parker's Cove, Oct. 24th Mr. George William Russell, to Elizabeth S. McAvary, November, at Litchfield, Granville, Mr. William Carry Woodworth, to Eunice Litch.

At Litchfield, Mr. Robert Halliday, to Miss Emma McKenzie.

At Parker's Cove, Mr. John Guest, to Miss Bertha Halliday.

December 29th, at Granville Ferry, James Shipley, Junr., Esq., of Bridgetown, Miss Hannah Jane, eldest daughter of John Mills, Esquire.

At Parker's Cove, Mr. John Oliver, to Miss Graham.

By the Rev. James A. Stubbart, at Deerfield, County of Yarmouth, on the 22nd ult., Mr. Edwin Crosby, to Miss Matilda J., eldest daughter of the officiating minister, all of the above named place.

At Greenville, on the 27th of December 1859, by the Rev. Wm. Dobson, Mr. James Crawford, of Wallace, to Miss Jane Griffin, Greenville.

December, at Sunny Side Cottage, by the Rev. Jas. L. Read, Mr. Lewis DeWolf, formerly of Horton, to Miss Louisa C., daughter of William Graves, Esq., of Aylesford.

By the same, in the same day, Mr. Job Randall, to Miss Lavina Goucher, both of Aylesford.

On the 10th of November 1859, by the Rev. Bennett, Taylor, Mr. George Spidel, to Miss Sarah Dauphney, both of New Cornwall.

Also by the same, December 10th 1859, Mr. Charles Burn, to Miss Abigail Rodenhouse, both of Labare.

By the Rev. B. Vaughn, Feb. 17th 1859, Mr. Ezekiel E. Masters, to Miss Sophia Smith, both of Kempt.

By the same, March 21st, Mr. Bruce McDonald, of Kempt, to Miss Rebecca Dimock, of Rawdon.

By the same, May 20th, Mr. Richard M. Ellis, of Windsor, to Miss Emma Cox, both of Kempt.

By the same, June 15th, Willam H. McKay, to Miss Emily L. Sandforth, both of Newport.

By the same, Oct. 15th, Mr. James H. Sanford, to Miss Martha Sanford, both of Newport.

By the same, Nov. 17th, Mr. Stephen Lake, to Mrs. Mary Eliza Spearing, both of Kempt.

By the same, Nov. 10th, Mr. Isaiah T. Malcolm, to Miss Martha Macumber, both of Kempt.

At Masquodibet Harbour, by the Rev. B. Jamison, on the 9th inst., Mr. John Kent, to Sarah A., only daughter of Mr. Thomas Thompson, all of that place.

By the same, at Jeddore, on 14th ult., Mr. Peter Mitchell, of Jeddore, to Margaret, fifth daughter of Mr. Fanning Stoddart, of Chm Harbour.

At Barrington, on 25th ult., by the Rev. Albert Smith, Capt. Israel Nickerson, of Barrington, to Miss Ann Kenny, of Sheet Harbour.

Deaths.

At Kempt Hants, Co., June 30th, Sarah Abigail Macumber, aged 10 years and 3 months. Mary Emily Macumber, July 12th, aged 12 years and 9 months children of Capt. Allan and Lydia Macumber, both of these children in the bloom of life expressed a willingness to die and go to Jesus.

July 19th, Thomas Benjamin Marsters, aged 3 years 10 months, son of James and Rebecca Marsters. Aug. 23rd, Adeline T. Marsters, aged 9 years and 8 months. John G. Marsters, and on the 7th of September, aged 5 years 10 months, children of Deacon Joseph and Mary Marsters.

Thomas Edgar Bradshaw, September 29th, aged 7 years, son of Irad and Abigail M. Bradshaw.

November 19th, Robert R. Chudleigh, second son of William and Sabina Chudleigh, aged 2 years and 7 months.

The above children all died of diphtheria. With the exception of the youngest two, they attended the Sabbath School. We have every reason to believe that the instruction imparted proved an incalculable blessing to them. Their dear parents and friends were much comforted in their death, especially so, in the cases of little Adeline, and Edgar. Adeline grieved the loss of her little school mates, expressed a wish to be with her Saviour among them. Shortly after this she obtained a clear evidence of a change of heart, and was happy in a Saviour's love, even on her death bed. Little Edgar, talked familiarly of death, expressed a hope in the Saviour, and a wish to die and go to heaven.—Com. by the Rev. B. Vaughn.

At Windsor, on the 21st Oct. last, Mrs. Adeline wife of Mr. William Harrison, and daughter of Capt. John and Mary Mosher, of Windsor.

At Lower Stewiacke, on Wednesday 18th Inst., in her 15th year, Mary, third daughter of the late Mr. Robert Beggs.

At Londonderry, on the 15th inst., after a short and severe illness, Revd. Maynard Parker, aged 64 years, [Christian Visitor, please copy.]

On Saturday last, Isabella, wife of Edward Lawson, aged 47 years.

At Dartmouth, on 18th inst., Mr. James Hogg, aged 74 years, a resident of Pictou, N. S.

At Lunenburg, on the 6th inst., Emily Haven, aged eight months, infant daughter of W. N. Zwicker, Esq.

At Tusket on the 10th inst., Robert Noble, son of the Rev. Mr. Martell, in the 5th year of his age.

At Maindieu, on the 31st December, Capt. John Martell, in the 70th year of his age, highly respected.

At Lower Horton, on the 16th inst., Rachel Gilmore, at the advanced age of 70 years, relict of the late George Gilmore.

At Nine Mile River, Jan. 7th, Miss Ann McPhee.

At Ketch Harbor, on the 16th inst., Mrs. Lucy Connors, aged 88 years.

At Five Islands, on the 7th inst., Margaret, the beloved wife of Capt. A. T. Bird, and 4th daughter of Mr. John Morrison, in the 25th year of her age.

At Hammonds Plains, on Saturday, 15th inst., Isabella, eldest daughter of James and Mary Haverstock, aged 16 years. The occasion was improved by Rev. A. H. Munro, of Halifax, with an impressive discourse founded on Psalm xiv. 32.

At Wolfville, on the 3rd inst., Mr. George J. Morse, in the 34th year of his age.

NEW BOOKS FOR THE HOLIDAYS.

Merry Evenings for Merry people; 1s 3d.

A Book for Boys, or Walks, Talks, Travels and Exploits—by the Rev. J. C. Atkinson, 5s sterling. With all the volumes comprised in the Cottage Library, and the Halifax Cheap Publications, as per catalogue, to be had at the News Agency of G. E. MORTON & CO.

Pulvermacher's Medico galvanic Chain Bands for the cure of Neuralgia, Rheumatism, Paralysis, and Nervous debility, may be had at proprietor's prices at the Agency of G. E. Morton and Co., Medical Warehouse, Halifax.

Shipping List.

Arrived.

TUESDAY, 17th.—Brigt Ornato, McFarlane, Cuba 18 days.

WEDNESDAY, 18th.—Bark Halifax, McCulloch, Boston via Shelburne 3 1/2 days—J. M. Watson & Co. and others—15 passengers; brig America, Ryan, do 43 hours—15 passengers.

THURSDAY, 19th.—Schr's Agility, Campbell, St. Jago de Cuba 14 days—H. Lyle & Co; Perseverance, Danl. Sydney, 10 days.

FRIDAY, 20th.—Brigt Rover's Bride, Galloway, Liverpool, N. S.; schooner Telegraph, McNab, New York 9 days; Am. schr Republic, Newfoundland—bound to Cape Ann; Am. schr Rattler, Layton, do 9 days—bound to Boston.

SUNDAY, 22nd.—Brigt Napoleon III, Bermuda, 7 days; Schr's John, McLeod, Sydney; Sultan, Day, Nfld; Ocean Wave, Anderson, Louisburg.

Cleared.

MONDAY, 16th.—schr Eleanor, Fanning, Porto Rico, Mary Balcum, Langenburg, Jamaica.

TUESDAY, 17th.—schr's Dart, Conrod, B. W. Indies.

WEDNESDAY, 18th.—James, Walsh, Placentia Bay, Nfld; Volunteer, Barrington; brig Dasher, Parr, Porto Rico.

THURSDAY, 19th.—schr Margaret, Strum, Porto Rico.

FRIDAY, 20th.—brigt Brisk, Niekersdth, British West Indies; brig Beauty, Oreginton, Brazil.

SATURDAY, 21st.—Echo, Spearwater, Newfoundland—P. A. Spearwater; Sea Gull, Stackhouse, Portland, Me. T. A. DeWolf and others; Magnet, Doat, Kingston, Ja.—Thos Bolton; Ornato, McFarlane, Br W Indies—W. P. West; America (pkt), Ryan, Boston—E. Albro & Co, Young & Hart, B. Wier & Co.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

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WALTER WHELOCK, Patentee.
Nictaux Falls, Annapolis Co., Jan. 3, 1860.
Jan. 25.