

With a view of bringing this matter fully before the church, the Board prepared and published, in the *Record* of April last, a short statement, in the form of an appeal to the church. In that appeal it is said, "Our educational enterprise is one of considerable magnitude. The expenditure stands thus:

Salaries of two Professors in Dalhousie College.....	£600 0 0
Salaries of three Professors in Theological Hall.....	610 0 0
Incidental expenses on Hall, say.....	50 0 0

Towards meeting this there is an estimated income from investments of..... £893 0 0

Thus leaving a balance of..... £287 to be provided by the church."

Your Board would earnestly recommend to the Synod to devise measures to remove in some regular way, this annual deficiency; for if this sum is not made up, they have no alternative but to draw upon the capital fund, a course manifestly suicidal."

It will here be seen that we are, at least, no worse off than our neighbours, in having to make up the deficiency, until the Endowment Fund is brought up so as to yield a sufficiency. Were it not for the \$400 per annum given by one individual, the deficiency would be much larger. If the matter were taken in hand by the pastors in time, there would be but little difficulty in raising the required amount.

To Baptist Ministers.

In our suggestions respecting the enlargement of our list of Subscribers, we have perhaps not been sufficiently explicit; and have done ourselves injustice by not naming our Ministering brethren, and asking their aid and advocacy in this work and labor of love. In the instructions they afford their congregations we know that there are many who do not neglect to bring before them the claims of the *Christian Messenger*.

Least there should be any who have not hitherto given this matter sufficient consideration, we beg to remind them that a few words, either privately, or, *in public*, to their hearers, in reference to the reading for their families, would probably induce many, who have not yet had its weekly visits, to give their names to be placed on our list of Subscribers.

1. If brethren you have not made any effort thus to carry out the recommendation of our Associations, will you have the goodness to attend to it without delay.

2. Ascertain the families in your congregation and neighbourhood who do not see the *Messenger*, and either call on them yourself or suggest to some friend to do so.

3. In some cases the young people would value it more than the older ones. If you find such assist them to devise means of getting it, in case their parents suppose they are unable to pay for it.

4. A word to the wise is sufficient. Do NOT FORGET THE MESSENGER.

Lord Palmerston is dead!

Late Telegraphic accounts from England give advice of the unexpected decease of the Premier, Lord Viscount PALMERSTON. He died on the 18th ult. He was born on the 20th Oct., 1784, and was consequently within two days of completing his 81st year. With the exception of occasional pretty violent attacks of gout, which confined him for short periods, his health of body and vigour of mind continued until his last illness, and we may safely say that no man now in existence exercised a greater, if so great, an influence over the world at large as the departed Premier. The guiding minister of the most powerful Empire on earth, possessing a character made up of quick discernment, great judgment, and admirable tact and prudence in the government of men, aided by great command of temper, and sound, persuasive eloquence, his qualifications for the station he so long and so ably filled, were universally acknowledged and respected, and few men in English history will leave a deeper or more enduring mark on their age than Lord Palmerston.

It is very uncertain who will fill the place of the departed statesman. Earl Russell (formerly Lord John Russell) the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, is spoken of as being the man whom the Queen will probably select. Although a man of high talent and long experience in State matters, he is now 73 years of age, and would hardly, at his advanced years, wish to undertake the laborious and responsible office of First Minister. The person next mentioned as most likely to succeed to the vacant Premiership is Earl Granville, a man of about fifty, of acknowledged diplomatic talent, and who for some years past, as Ambassador in France and now President of Council, has held a leading position in the Government of the country. The man to whom, no doubt, the thoughts many will turn, is Mr. Gladstone, the

Chancellor of the Exchequer. As an orator and a Financier, he stands unrivalled, but it is believed that he would, in any case for the present, prefer the office he now holds, and the place which he will certainly occupy, while his party are in power, to leader of the Government in the House of Commons.

It requires no ordinary hand to rule the destinies of an Empire of such vast dimensions, and such varied and conflicting interests and relations as that of Britain—to guide with safety the Ship of State through the breakers and quicksands that so often encompass it on every side, let us hope and trust that a gracious and ever-watching Providence will direct and strengthen whoever may be called to fulfil so arduous a task.

As we go to press we are expecting hourly the arrival of the *Cuba* with His EXCELLENCY GENERAL WILLIAMS on board. Grand celebrations await his landing as the Lieutenant Governor of this, his native province.

Notices, &c.

The Cape Breton Quarterly Ministerial Conference

Will meet (D. V.) at the Baptist Chapel in Miramichi, on the 25th of Nov. next, at 2 o'clock, P. M. A full attendance of the ministering and other brethren is solicited. Let each one come earnestly praying for God's presence in our midst. All the ministering brethren are requested to meet at the house of the missionary—J. F. Kempton—at 10 o'clock, A. M.

There will, also, be a Sabbath School Concert, held in the chapel, on Friday evening the 24th, at 7 o'clock. We hope our brethren will be present; and some of them address the school.

J. F. KEMPTON.

Letters Received.

W. H. Whitman, 1 sub. G. Troop.—All right. H. Healy, 1 sub. S. Smith, \$2.50 Rev. D. A. Steele. Rev. J. Shaw, \$9. D. W. Elder. Rev. Dr. Tupper. David Webster. A. Nisbet, \$4.

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Spelling Book Superseded.

CHAMBERS' SERIES:

Algebra,
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At a Very Great Reduction in Price during the present Month.

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A lot of Dresses in FANCY CHECKS, in 12 yards lengths at 6s. 9d., 8s. 9d., 9s. 9d., 11s. 9d. and 13s. 9d. the Full Dress.

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Sept. 26.

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SOOTHING SYRUP,

For Children Teething.

which greatly facilitates the process of teething, by softening the gums, reducing all inflammation—will allay ALL PAIN and spasmodic action, and is

SURE TO REGULATE THE BOWELS,

Depend upon it, mothers, it will give rest to yourselves, and

RELIEF & HEALTH TO YOUR INFANTS.

We have put up and sold this article for over thirty years, and CAN SAY, IN CONFIDENCE AND TRUTH of it, what we have never been able to say of any other medicine—NEVER HAS IT FAILED, IN A SINGLE INSTANCE, TO EFFECT A CURE, when timely used. Never did we know an instance of dissatisfaction by any one who used it. On the contrary, all are delighted with its operations, and speak in terms of highest commendation of its magical effects and medical virtues. We speak in this matter "WHAT WE DO KNOW," after thirty years' experience, and PLEDGE OUR REPUTATION FOR THE FULFILLMENT OF WHAT WE HERE DECLARE. In almost every instance where the infant is suffering from pain and exhaustion, relief will be found in fifteen or twenty minutes after the syrup is administered.

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GRIPING IN THE BOWELS, AND

and overcome convulsions, which, if not speedily remedied, end in death. We believe it the BEST AND SUREST REMEDY IN THE WORLD, in all cases of DYSENTERY AND DIARRHOEA IN CHILDREN, whether it arises from teething, or from any other cause. We would say to every mother who has a child suffering from any of the foregoing complaints—DO NOT LET YOUR PREJUDICES, NOR THE PREJUDICES OF OTHERS, stand between your suffering child and the relief that will be SURE—yes, ABSOLUTELY SURE—to follow the use of this medicine, if timely used. Full directions for using will accompany each bottle. None genuine unless the fac-simile of CURTIS & PERKINS, New York, is on the outside wrapper.

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READ WHAT
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Are Doing for the Afflicted.

CERTIFICATES.
Maitland, N. S., August 17, 1865.

Messrs. ROGERS & Co.
Gentlemen,—Your Medicines have cured my Wife of a Cancer of the Breast. It had existed about nine months before she began with your medicines, grew rapidly, accompanied by daring pains. No doubt it would soon have gone beyond cure; but by a few months faithful application of your medicine she has got entirely well. Your preparations are invaluable, and without hesitation I recommend them to the afflicted.

Yours truly,
ALEXANDER GILLIS.

From the Halifax "Citizen."

A VALUABLE REMEDY.—As a general rule we do not endorse editorially any of the numerous notices of popular medicines that from time to time appear in the advertising columns of our paper; but we depart from our usual custom to-day to direct attention to the advertisement of Rogers & Co.'s Medicines, because we believe the facts disclosed in the advertisement are such as to justify if not call for, such special attention. The facts of the case detailed in the advertisement are placed beyond dispute by the certificate of the High Sheriff of Cumberland, and ten of the most respectable and well known citizens of Amherst, so that there is nothing of mere puffing about it, but a truthful statement that ought to be laid before sufferers afflicted as young Copeland was. The character and social position of Mr. Rogers, who is well known over a great part of Nova Scotia, is sufficient to show that this is no mere quack nostrum, made only to sell and put money in the pockets of speculators at the expense of the credulous and unfortunate.

AMHERST, N. S. 7th August 1865.

Messrs. ROGERS & Co.

Gentlemen,—Permit me to add my testimony to the great value of your preparation; and any person reading the following account of a cure effected by it upon my son will not dispute my right to do so.

He first fell upon a fork handle in the barn, and hurt his leg a little below the knee; he subsequently took cold, when it began to swell and pain him very much. It soon ulcerated near where it was hurt, and continued to discharge freely, until the calf of his leg seemed to be one mass of corruption. His foot and knee swelled very much, and when we commenced with your medicine was very much inflamed and was evidently upon the eve of mortification. The pain and suffering he endured no pen can describe. He grew weaker daily. Nothing that medical skill and faithful attendance could accomplish was effected; still he gradually sank, until there seemed but little hope of saving either his life or limb. As a last effort the doctors decided to amputate the leg. This was to have been done the next day, but just at this critical point a kind friend advised me to try your medicine. I concluded to do so, and the leg at once began to improve, and is now well. He goes to school daily.

This is certainly the most extraordinary cure ever made in this country. No person could fully appreciate the sad and suffering condition he was in without seeing for themselves; to all human appearance he could not have lived a week; there did not seem to be a ray of hope left. Doubtless there are thousands dying whose lives might be spared if they had this extraordinary medicine.

Hoping that God may prosper you in your work of humanity.

I am, Gentlemen,

Yours very affectionately,
ALLISON COPELAND.

The mother of a young man whose life is thus spared, who for many weary months dressed and handled that leg, and who shed many, many tears and spent many sleepless nights over it, says to mothers or others similarly afflicted, get this medicine by all means.

KAREN COPELAND.

We the undersigned, inhabitants of Amherst, and vicinity—some of us having been eye witnesses to the above distressing case, and all being quite familiar with the facts from common report in this community—have no hesitation in endorsing the above statements of Mr. Copeland.

R. McLEAN, High Sheriff.

THOS. LOGAN, J. P., late M. P. P.

R. B. HUESTIS, Clerk of Peace.

J. T. SMITH, Barrister-at-law.

W. F. CUTTEN, J. P.

FRED. W. BENT, Barrister-at-law.

T. DUNLAP & Co., Merchants.

ROBERT KEILOR, Farmer.

ALEX. ROBB, Jr., dealer in Stoves.

We have taken the liberty of adding their official and business position to the above names.

Some of our agents write us that members of the Medical Faculty are among the largest purchasers of our medicines. We are glad they appreciate their healing qualities, and have used them successfully in treating their patients.

ROGERS & Co.
Amherst, N. S.

Perhaps the most remarkable case of all we have to relate is that of a son of W. B. Weldon, Esq., of Kouchibougué, N. B. It is very similar to that of Mr. Copeland above related, but was of much longer standing. He was reduced to a mere skeleton and suffered so much pain that he could not bear the least jar in his room, and was so weak that he could not lift a cup to his mouth to take a drink. He has been taking our medicine about eight months, and can now walk on crutches and is daily improving. Mr. Weldon, is father, in numerous letters to us speaks in the best terms of our medicine and gives us credit for saving the life of his son.

The Widow Bird, of Maccan Mountain, was afflicted with a complication of internal disease incident to women, and lay for months at the point of death. The doctors could do no more for her. When she began with our medicine she could not raise her hand to her head, her friends did not expect her to live from day to day. She is now up about the house and improving daily; she commenced with our medicine in February last.

H. H. Read, M. D., Esq., of Windsor, N. S., writes as follows:—

Messrs. ROGERS & Co.

"I have used your Medicine in one or two cases of Scrofulous Sores, and think it excellent, and it is the best thing I know of for removing the stiffening which remains after inflammation of Joints."

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Sept. 27.