

Baptist Anniversaries.

The N. S. Eastern Association will meet at Upper Londonderry, on the 8th day of July, at 2 o'clock, P. M.

The Twenty-second Annual Session of the Baptist Convention of Nova Scotia, New Brunswick, and Prince Edward Island will be held with the Pine Grove Baptist Church, Wilmet, N. S., commencing on the 24th day of August, at 2 o'clock, in the afternoon.

Degrees Conferred.

At a Convocation held at Acadia College, on the 6th day of June last, James W. Manning, Jonathan L. Parsons, Wilbert D. Dimock and Wallace Graham having fulfilled the prescribed term of study and passed the usual examinations, were respectively admitted to the Degree of Bachelor in Arts.

Harris Harding Bligh, A. B., was admitted to the Degree of Master in Arts in course.

The honorary Degree of Master in Arts was conferred on Edward Young, Esq., of Washington, D. C., U. S.

STEPHEN W. DEBLOIS,
Secretary.

Mr. Rand acknowledges the receipt of one dollar fifty cents, sent from the Baptist Church at Margaret's Bay, for the Micmac Mission.

Our Eastern Association.

As many who will attend this Association are probably unacquainted with the locality, I will for their benefit give the following information. Persons coming from Cumberland can stop at Great Village until after dinner on Saturday, when they can drive immediately to the Meeting House in Upper Londonderry. Those who come from the Eastern Churches, can stop at Robert and Edward Higgins in Lower Onslow, or Jasper McKinlay's, and Saml. McQuill's at Masstown; thence proceed on Saturday afternoon to the place of meeting. Those who travel by coach can come to Great Village on Friday afternoon, whence they will be conveyed to the place of meeting; or, if they prefer it, can come to Truro on Saturday morning and get a private conveyance to the place of meeting. Any who may prefer going directly to the Meeting House, will find a Committee in waiting to receive them.

J. E. BALCOM.

Great Village, June 6th.

Letters Received.

Rev. F. F. Filmer, Rev. T. H. Porter, Junr., Alex. Meldrum, \$1. Jas. Rafter, \$5. Z. Phinney, \$12. Rev. M. R. Freeman, Jacob Neiley, S. B. Parker, \$2; 2 subs. Rev. J. F. Kempton, Chas. Sutherland, \$3. Yes 55 cents and 12 cts postage. J. P. Nowlan, \$1. D. B. Lamont, A. B. V. Buskirk, \$2. 25.

General Intelligence.**Domestic.**

Provincial Secretary's Office,
3rd June, 1867.

APPOINTMENTS:

Richmond Co.—To be a Coroner—David Grouchy. To be a Commissioner for taking affidavits &c.—David Grouchy. To be a Commissioner of Schools—James H. Hearn. To be Justices of the Peace—Max. Forrest, David McNamara, junr., Peter Grouchy, John Keele.

His Excellency, by the advice of the Council, has also been pleased to declare the ports of Saint Peters, in the County of Richmond, Saint Ann's, in the County of Victoria, Guysboro, in the County of Guysboro, and Sydney, in the County of Cape Breton—to be Warehousing Ports.

James G. McKen to be an Issuer of Fishing Licenses at Plaister Cove.

A fatal accident occurred at Gaspereaux, King's County, on Thursday last. A colored boy fell from the top of a loaded cart, and the wheel passing over his body, caused immediate death.

DROWNED.—Mr. Beriah Rice, a respectable man of about 24 years of age was drowned by the capsizing of a skiff in the Annapolis River about a mile and a half below Bridgetown, on Wednesday last.

William Barratt of Beaver Bank, was found drowned in one of the lakes in that vicinity on Wednesday last.

A young man named Peter Refuse was drowned in the LaHave River by the upsetting of a boat, one day last week.

The *Antigonish Casket* gives an account of yet another.

A young lad named John McDougall, aged 14 years, son of Mr. James McDougall, Marshy Hope, was accidentally drowned on Monday last while pushing some scantling into the river at his father's sawmill.

ANOTHER STILL.—A child was missing for several days, and was last seen near the opening of the tank on the parade. It being supposed he had fallen in, the tank was pumped out on Wednesday last, by the steam fire engines, and the lifeless body was discovered there.

An inquest was held on the body, by Coroner Jennings, and the following verdict was returned: "That the deceased came to his death by drowning in the waters of a tank on the Parade on Tuesday, the 11th June 1867. The Jury believe that he came to his death accidentally, but suggest that in future the hatches of all the tanks in the city be locked, or so arranged that water can only be removed from them for fire purposes. The Jury regret that the hatches were allowed to remain in a state of decay so long; had they been repaired in proper time, the death of the child would not have taken place."

SERIOUS ACCIDENT.—A serious accident occurred at West River station yesterday. A ballast train was passing the station platform, when a man attempted to jump on to one of the platform cars, and falling on the track, the train passed over him. His right leg was broken and otherwise fearfully mangled, and his right

arm completely severed from his body above the elbow. The broken limbs were amputated by Drs. Mitchell and McGillivray, and some hopes are entertained of his recovery. The man was named Geo. Cameron and belonged to Tatamagouche, Colchester County.—*Eastern Chron.* 12th.

MELANCHOLY ACCIDENT.—Yesterday afternoon while the boat-car heavily laden with timber, was coming down the inclined plane, on the Shubenacadie Canal, towards Dartmouth, a lad, 11 years of age, son of Mr. Bishop, blacksmith, of Dartmouth, who was sitting on the front part of the car, unfortunately slipped off, and the wheels passed over his head, crushing it in a frightful manner, and killing him instantly. The poor little fellow is spoken of as having been a very promising lad.—*Rec.*

About a fortnight since, Mr. James Frederick caught at Margaret's Bay a large codfish, in the maw of which he found a small photograph of a lady.—*Sun.*

OUR NATAL DAY.—A notice in the *Royal Gazette* announces that the public offices and warehouses will be closed on Friday, the 21st inst., the anniversary of the settlement of Halifax, and that the day will be observed as a public holiday.

There is to be an excursion up the N. W. Arm to Downs's Gardens, and a Concert in the Horticultural Gardens in the evening.

The City Council have placed \$400 in the hands of Aldermen Tobin, Ackhurst, Starr, Symons, Leahy, and Trenaman, for celebrating the day.

A YOUNG PICKPOCKET.—A boy named John Walsh was arrested on Saturday last, charged with taking from the pocket of a little boy named Tarpin, the sum of \$8.12. On Monday as no one appeared to prosecute, he was discharged.

PORPOISES.—On Saturday week, a school of porpoises numbering about 300 were seized at Dover, Margaret's Bay, by Mr. Charles Cleaveland and his associates. On Monday he had 150 out of the seine, trying out the oil, which will prove a highly profitable haul.

ST. PAUL'S INDUSTRIAL SCHOOL FOR GIRLS. The *Church Monitor* gives an account of this excellent establishment recently commenced at No. 14 Tower Road. It states that there are now six inmates, and others are applying for admission. The services of a matron have been secured, and a committee of ladies have divided among themselves the duties incident to the conducting of such an establishment. The inmates are to be gathered while very young, from the dens of vice, and trained up in the ways of religion and industry.

Our list of Deaths contains the names of two sisters—daughters of Mr. David McPherson—Miss Jane McPherson, aged 22 years; who died on Friday last; and Mrs. Devlin, aged 29 years; who died on Sunday, but a few hours before the funeral of her sister. We deeply sympathize with the afflicted family in their sad bereavement.

Staples' Office Pens, (Circular Point) are pronounced by the best Commercial Penmen, superior to all others; for sale at all the Book-stores.

STABBING AFFRAY.—A disturbance occurred on Saturday afternoon, in a tavern in Upper Water street, kept by a man named Samuel Gaines, during which a sailor named Patrick McMullin, belonging to the ship *Sabastopol*, drew a knife and stabbed the proprietor, inflicting a severe wound. The police were called in, and the sailor taken into custody. A man named Connolly, who was assisting the police, was also arrested. The wound of Mr. Gaines is very serious, and it is doubtful if he will live. His deposition was taken on Saturday night.

GOLD AT HILLSBURG, DIGBY COUNTY.—The recent discovery of gold at Hillsburg, in the adjoining County of Digby, appears to have created no little excitement in that thriving village. We have been shown a letter from that place, to a gentleman in this town, dated May 5th, from which we make the following extract:—

"There is great excitement about the gold discoveries here. The company met yesterday. Mr. [unclear] got an answer from his son in Halifax, per telegraph yesterday, stating that the quartz sent there for analysis yielded 1 oz. 5 dwts. to the ton, which is even richer than the celebrated Waverly mines. The company talk of procuring a crushing machine forthwith, and of inviting the aid of capitalists abroad."—*Yarmouth Tribune.*

KNITTED WOOL GOODS.

VAUX BROTHERS.

HAVE now open a beautiful assortment of Knitted Wool Goods, in Ladies' Breakfast shawls and Pelisses, Hoods and Wool Bonnets, Misses' and Ladies' Skating Mittens, Childrens and Ladies' Wool Scarves, Childrens Gaiters and Bootings, Sontags and Chest Protectors, &c., &c.

GLASGOW HOUSE,
152 GRANVILLE STREET.

R. N. Beckwith & Co.

89 GRANVILLE STREET.

HAVE received the greater portion of their Spring Importations, comprising their usual variety of Staple and Fancy Dry Goods, Ready-Made Clothing, Millinery Outfittings, &c. And which they now offer at a small advance for cash or approved credit.

P. S.—After the arrival of the Steamer this week, our stock will be completed.

R. N. B. & CO.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.**Nova Scotia Railway PUBLIC HOLIDAY.**

HALIFAX ANNIVERSARY
TO BE CELEBRATED
FRIDAY, 21st JUNE, 1867.

REDUCED FARES & EXTRA TRAINS.

TICKETS will be issued at Pictou, and all Stations on Pictou Line for all Stations by train leaving Pictou at 11.45 A.M. on 20th inst., available to return by any train till 22d, for

One First Class Fare.

And tickets will be issued on 21st, by morning trains at Halifax, Truro, Windsor, and all intermediate Stations, on both Lines, to all Stations, available to return on same or following day (22d), for

One First Class Fare.

A Special Train will leave Richmond for Grand Lake at 11.45 A.M., calling at intermediate Stations. Passengers will return by regular train, leaving Grand Lake at 5.30 P.M.

And a Special Train will leave Windsor Junction for Halifax at 5.00 P.M., calling at Rocky Lake at 5.10, Bedford at 5.20.

FARES:

Richmond to Bedford, Rocky Lake, Windsor Junction and back—25 Cents.

Richmond to Grand Lake and back—50 Cents.

AYARD LONGLEY,
Chief Commissioner.

Commissioner's Office,
Halifax, June 17th, 1867.

June 19.

HALIFAX INDUSTRIAL SCHOOL.

THE Committee of the Halifax Industrial School hereby give notice to the friends of the Institution, and the public generally, that the several trades of shoemaking, tailoring, and cabinet making are conducted at their establishment on Spring Garden Road. These branches of industry being under the management of competent instructors, the Committee urgently solicit orders for work in the respective departments, and beg to assure those who may favour them with their custom, that no pains will be spared to complete such orders to their satisfaction.

The attention of storekeepers and traders in the country is particularly called to the boot and shoe making shop of the Industrial School. Strong work suitable for

Farmers, Lumbermen and Fishermen, can be supplied at a moderate price. Orders for 25, 50 or 100 pairs of any specified sizes will be received and punctually attended to by Mr. John Garrison, Superintendent, Spring Garden Road.

The Committee have further to announce that on Thursday the 27th inst., and on each succeeding Thursday, from 2 P.M. to 6 P.M. if God permit, the Industrial School will be open throughout for the inspection of visitors.

June 19.

AYER'S CATHARTIC PILLS

ARE the most perfect purgative we are able to produce, and as we think, has never yet been made by any body. Their effects have abundantly shown to the community how much they excel the other medicines in use. They are safe and pleasant to take, but powerful to cure. Their penetrating properties stimulate the vital activities of the body, remove the obstructions of its organs, purify the blood, and expel disease. They purge out the foul humors which breed and grow distemper, stimulate sluggish or disordered organs into their natural action, and impart tone and strength to the whole system. (Not only do they cure the every day complaints of everybody, but formidable and dangerous diseases. While they produce powerful effects, they are at the same time, in diminished doses, the safest and best physic that can be employed for children. Being sugar-coated, they are pleasant to take; and, being purely vegetable, are entirely harmless. Cures have been made that would surpass belief, were they not substantiated by men of such exalted character, as to forbid the suspicion of untruth. Many eminent clergymen and physicians certify to the public the reliability of our remedies, while others have sent us the assurance of their conviction that our Preparations contribute immensely to the relief of our afflicted fellow-men.

The Agent below named is pleased to furnish gratis our American Almanac, containing directions for the use of these medicines and certificates of their cures of the following complaints:—

Costiveness, Bilious Complaints, Rheumatism, Dropsy, Heartburn, Headache arising from foul stomach, Nausea, Indigestion, Morbid Inaction of the Bowels and Pain arising therefrom, Flatulency, Loss of Appetite, all Diseases which require an evacuant medicine. They also, by purifying the blood and stimulating the system, cure many complaints which it would not be supposed they could reach, such as Deafness, Partial Blindness, Neuralgia and Nervous Irritability, Derangements of the Liver and Kidneys, Gout, and other kindred disorders arising from a low state of the body, or obstructions of its functions.

Do not be put off by unprincipled dealers with other preparations on which they make more profit. Demand Ayer's and take no others. The sick want the best aid there is for them, and they should have it.

Prepared by Dr. J. C. AYER & Co., Lowell, Mass., and sold by all Druggists and Dealers in medicine everywhere.

AVARY, Brown & Co., General Agents for Nova Scotia,
June 19.

Floor Oil Cloths!

New Patterns and good quality at 2s. 6d. per yard.

Super No. 1—4-4, 5-4, 6-4 and 8-4 wide.

AT THE
COMMERCE HOUSE,
No. 144 GRANVILLE STREET,
R. McMURRAY & CO.
June 19.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.**Cheap Cottons.**

HORROCKS Long Cloth Shirting, Family Medium and Cloth Shirting, White and Grey Sheetings, Printed Cottons, and a very superior quality

COTTON WARP,

AT THE COMMERCE HOUSE,
144 GRANVILLE STREET.

June 19.

FRENCH MUSLINS,

LIGHT SUMMER DRESS GOODS,
AT THE

COMMERCE HOUSE,
No. 144 GRANVILLE ST.

FRENCH Printed and Striped MUSLINS, Latest Styles and Fashionable Colours, 7/4d. to 1s. 4. per yard.

600 ps. LIGHT FANCY DRESS GOODS AND SHIRTINGS,
The largest assortment in the city, at Prices from 5s. to 21s.

R. McMURRAY & CO.

June 19.

L. VAN ESS PARKER, M. D.,

MEMBER OF THE

Royal College of Surgeons of England,

FELLOW OF THE

Obstetrical Society of London, &c.,

Has commenced the practice of his Profession in Halifax.

OFFICE 111 HOLLIS STREET.

June 19.

To the Electors of the County of Halifax.

GENTLEMEN,—A LARGE and influential meeting of the Electors of this County did me the honor to nominate me as one of the Candidates for the Local Legislature of this Province.

In consenting to serve as one of the Representatives of this County, I beg to say that if elected, I shall devote my best energies to the advancement of the interests, not only of this County, but of the Province at large.

The Royal assent having been given to the Act of Union of these Provinces, I shall use my best efforts to secure for our people the full benefits which that Act is calculated to confer upon them.

As a friend of Union, I now solicit your suffrages, assuring you that if elected I shall endeavor to discharge the important duties of your representative in such a manner as to ensure the harmonious working of the Local with the General Legislature, as well as to promote the interests of this County in particular.

I have the honor to be,

Your obedient servant,

GEORGE MOLEOD.

May 22.

REAL ESTATE FOR SALE.

THE FRENCH MISSION PREMISES in Tasket Village, in which is a well built House and Barn, all in good repair.

Terms very reasonable and easy. For particulars enquire of Rev. W. G. Goucher, or Jos. Shaw, Esq., of Yarmouth, B. B. Moses, Esq., at Hebron, or Rev. C. Randall, of Yarmouth.

By order,

JOB. H. SAUNDERS.

June 5.

To the Electors of the County of Halifax.

GENTLEMEN,—HAVING been nominated, at a large and influential meeting of my fellow-citizens, as a Candidate to represent you in the House of Commons of the Dominion of Canada, I now beg to tender myself for your suffrages at the ensuing Election.

To many of you I am well known, having represented the Western District of Halifax in the Provincial Parliament during the past eight years; and, while occupying that position, I have endeavored, to the best of my ability, to serve my constituents. With those of you who have heretofore constituted the electors of the Eastern Division of the County I am less acquainted.

The change which has occurred in consequence of the Act of Union has rendered it necessary that you should be represented in the House of Commons, to which body have now been transferred many of the most important interests of the country. The consideration of questions connected with the Tariff, the protection of our Fisheries, the Intercolonial Railway, and other matters of scarcely less value, will be within the sphere of that Assembly. To it will also be entrusted the mission of carrying out the scheme of Union in such a way as to effect those beneficial results which we anticipate will flow from it.

As a warm advocate of this great measure, and with the desire that it may be properly carried out, I offer myself to you as a Candidate for a seat in this important Assembly; and, should I be honored with your confidence, it shall be my constant aim, as in the past, so in the future, to watch over your interests, and promote the well-being of my native City and County, in which I feel so deeply interested.

I have the honor to be, Gentlemen,

Your obedient servant,

S. L. SHANNON.

Halifax, May 10, 1867.

To the Electors of the County of Guysborough.

GENTLEMEN,—HAVING been invited by requisition, signed by upwards of two hundred influential Electors of the County of Guysboro, to offer myself as a candidate to represent you in the Local Legislature, I now beg to tender myself for your suffrages at the ensuing Election. Being opposed to Confederation, and the manner in which that obnoxious scheme has been forced upon us, I shall consistently maintain my stand in defence of the constitutional rights and liberties of the people, and do hereby pledge myself, if elected, to exert my best energies to promote the welfare and prosperity of the inhabitants of this Province, and especially of this County.

I have the honor to be, Gentlemen,

Your obedient servant,

JOHN A. KIRK.

Glenside, St. Mary's, 23rd May, 1867.

June 5.