

gible and commodious parsonage: Myself and family hope to move into the same before Christmas. Our people have done nobly in deciding to purchase now and where they have bought. A young brother of Sydney, now studying at McGill, and recently baptised at Montreal, very liberally donates towards our object a beautiful lot of land. And our Bazaar and Strawberry Festival of last summer furnish about \$336. Yet our debt incurred is large—not less than \$1000, and our church and congregation have their hands full in sustaining their Pastor. Should any friends whose eyes rest on this, have \$100, \$50 or \$20 in their purses, in danger of corroding, or lying idle there, please send us through Post Office a money order. Don't forget this, and be assured of a present and future divine reward. A. C.

It would be a great advantage in many other places for the churches to have a dwelling house for the minister; and it might be procured by them with no greater difficulty than in the above case. Let the project be started and friends will doubtless be found to help on the movement.

Notices, &c.

OUR FOREIGN MISSIONS.

To the Editor of the Christian Messenger.

DEAR BROTHER,—

Again I hasten to the columns of your loved Messenger, asking you to publish the following notices of monies received by me for our Foreign Mission, in its several phases, viz :

From Mrs. Maria R. Selden, Secretary and Treasurer of Central Board of Woman's Missionary Aid Societies, of N. S., and P. E. I., \$314.87
From a friend in Aylesford by Mrs. Tupper, for Miss DeWolf's school 38.04
From a friend in Horton for Miss DeWolf's school 5.00
From the Wolfville Sabbath School to be held in trust for Orphan Children 25.00

FROM NEW BRUNSWICK.

From Newcastle Church, Miramichi, per G. F. Curry, of Acadia College 2.58
From the North East, Miramichi, do by do. 9.25
From Little South West, do. do. by do. 4.00
From Long Reach Baptist Church, Sabbath School by Miss M. J. Starratt 2.81
From Miss Mary Jane Starratt, her donation 1.00

Total \$403.45

Z. G. GABEL,
Treasurer F. M. B.

RECEIVED FROM WOMAN'S MISSIONARY AID SOCIETIES.

Digby.—A Friend, for Miss Norris, \$ 3.00
Windsor.—Miss E. Harding, 13.75
M. R. SELDEN, Sec'y.

The next meeting of the Board of the Nova Scotia Baptist Home Missionary Union, will meet, (D. V.), at the vestry of the First Yarmouth Church, on Tuesday the 5th of Nov., at 2 o'clock, P. M.
W. H. PORTER,
Secretary of Board.

We have received a highly interesting letter from Rev. A. R. R. Crawley which we are obliged to reserve for our next. Editorial matter is also crowded out by communications per late mails.

LETTERS RECEIVED.

Rev. J. J. Skinner, 2 subs. \$4. C. Kennedy, \$1. Rev. M. P. Freeman, G. H. Dobson, Rev. W. E. Hall, 50 cts. For. Miss, 50 cts. Home Miss. forwarded letter on Friday. G. V. Rand, 2 subs. Rev. Dr. Tupper, \$6. Mrs. I. B. Hubley, \$2.50. Rev. H. Morrow, 1 sub. Jas. Desbriary, Esq., \$2. Rev. H. Eagles, 1 sub., \$2. Rev. E. F. Fohay, \$3. A. Coldwell, \$1. J. M. Parker, Esq. J. H. Haley, G. A. Parker.

News of the Week.

NORMAL SCHOOL.

To the Editor of the Christian Messenger.

Sir.—You will confer a favor by publishing this short communication, to correct a prevailing misapprehension with regard to new arrangements for the Normal School.

Whilst the change from two short sessions in the year to one long one has been made with a view to add to the efficiency of the Institution, and attendance for the whole session is necessary to secure the full benefit yet students will be admitted for whatever time their circumstances may enable them to remain, and such time of attendance will stand to their credit for any subsequent session, or, in case of old students, will be added to previous attendance.

Yours, &c.

J. B. CALEIN.

Normal School, Truro, Oct. 15th. 1872.

TELEGRAPHIC.—The Montreal and Western Union Telegraph Companies, are busily engaged in erecting their lines along the route of the Intercolonial Railway.

CIVIC.—At the meeting of the City Council on Tuesday last Alderman Sullivan's motion to reconsider the vote by which Mr. Keating was appointed City Engineer was put, and lost by a vote of 7 to 9, and the names having been called for, appeared as follows :—

For reconsidering—Ald. Thompson, Sullivan, M. J. Power, Richardson, L. G. Power, Barron, and Blackadar : against—Ackhurst, Taylor, Nisbet, Smith, Dodson, Forsyth, Fraser, McCulloch and Graham. The motion to reconsider was therefore lost, and the vote appointing Mr. Keating remains undisturbed.

Alderman Fraser presented a petition from the residents of Inglis Street, asking permission to plant shade trees.

The following Aldermen, one from each Ward, were chosen to constitute the

CITY BOARD OF WORKS, provided for by Act of the Local Legislature :

WARD 1.—Alderman McCulloch,
" 2. " Smith,
" 3. " Ackhurst,
" 4. " Blackadar,
" 5. " Taylor,
" 6. " Nisbet.

The following arrangement of the STANDING COMMITTEES

for the year was agreed to after some changes being made in the report of the nominating committee :

PUBLIC ACCOUNTS—Fraser, Dodson, Ackhurst, M. J. Power, Thompson and Vaux.
COMMON—McCulloch, Richardson, Ackhurst, Barron, Graham and Sullivan.

CEMETERY—Neal, Richardson, Forsyth, Blackadar, Graham and Vaux.

CITY PRISON—Neal, Richardson, L. G. Power, M. J. Power, Thompson and Sullivan.

LAW AND PRIVILEGES—Neal, Dodson, L. G. Power, Blackadar, Taylor and Nisbet.

POLICE—Neal, Richardson, L. G. Power, Barron, Graham and Vaux.

SANITARY—Fraser, Smith, Forsyth, M. J. Power, Thompson and Sullivan.

TENDERS—Fraser, Dodson, Forsyth, Barron, Thompson and Vaux.

HACKS AND TRUCKS—Fraser, Smith, L. G. Power, M. J. Power, Graham and Sullivan.

CITY HOSPITAL—Fraser, Dodson, Ackhurst, Blackadar, Thompson and Vaux.

RATES AND TAXES—Neal, Richardson, Forsyth, Blackadar, Graham and Sullivan.

LIBRARY—Fraser, Smith, Ackhurst, M. J. Power, Taylor and Vaux.

LICENCES—Neal, Dodson, L. G. Power, Barron, Graham and Sullivan.

OIL LAMPS—Neal, Smith, Thompson and Nisbet.

In the appointment of civic officers for the year, the present incumbents were mostly, re-elected.

The civic revenue from licenses of various character during the past year, amounted to \$18,514.

Colonel Laurie is gazetted Brigade Major of 1st Brigade Division, of Nova Scotia, and also D. A. G. of Military District No. 9., with headquarters at Halifax.

An Ottawa despatch says that Sanford Fleming, and Rev. George M. Grant, and Dr. Moren, of Halifax, were at Victoria, B. C., on Thursday, and were to sail for San Francisco in a few days. We learn they are expected to return by the Pacific Railroad, and will probably be home in a week or two.

We learn from the Express that a new "Mother House" for the Sisters of Charity, is to be erected on the shores of Bedford Basin, near the "Four Mile House."

PHILHARMONIC.—At the annual meeting of this Society, held on Tuesday night the following members were elected the Managing Committee for the ensuing year: President, W. B. Slayter, M. D.; Vice do., A. C. Edwards, Treasurer, M. G. Black; Secretary Wm. R. Foster; Librarian, J. Scott Mitchell; Conductor A. Doane; Messrs. S. Crawford, W. Hedley and R. C. Hamilton.

GOLDENVILLE.—On Sunday the 13th inst., the store belonging to Mr. Matthew B. Winsky, and the house and shop of Mr. Baker, were destroyed by fire.

LOUISBURG C. B. Mr. W. E. Gardner's store, containing considerable stock, was with most of its contents, destroyed by fire on the night of Monday the 14th inst.

Halifax is not now dependant on the United States as formerly for fall fruit. The W. & A. Railway brings from Annapolis and King's Counties some of the most choice and delicate varieties of apples. Quantities of grapes too are sent from Kings County.

We have received No. 1 of the "Cape Breton Times," published in Sydney, C. B., by the Cape Breton Publishing Company, Mr. M. A. Shaffer is the Manager. It is a well filled sheet and promises to be a power for good in our Eastern capital, and will more than fill the place of the "News." We wish it all success.

GOOD FOR THEM.—In the Police Court on Friday last, two lads, William Riley and John Galvin, were sentenced to pay a fine of \$1 each for throwing stones in the streets.

ANOTHER N. S. FOREIGN MISSIONARY.—The Board of Foreign Missions in connection with the Presbyterian Church of the Lower Provinces met in New Glasgow last week, and decided that Rev. Joseph Annand, designated Missionary to the South Seas, should sail from Halifax for his destination, via London and Melbourne on the 5th of November.

POLITICAL.—The Elections.—Returns from Yarmouth represent Mr. Ryerson elected by a majority of one over Mr. Flint. Mr. F. demanded "a count" and the Sheriff adjourned his court till Tuesday.

In Inverness Dr. Campbell was returned by a majority of 82. The votes were for Dr. Campbell 1384, for Mr. McDonald 1302.

In Pictou Mr. McKay's majority over Mr. Marshall was 723.

THE FRUIT EXHIBITION at Wolfville, last week was attended by a large concourse of people. The quantity of fruit on exhibition was not so large as on some previous occasions, but the quality was in many respects far superior to that of former years. The pears, were in advance of previous exhibitions. The grapes grown in the open air, were remarkably fine. There were, of course, monster beets, turnips, pumpkins and squashes.

The following is a partial list of prizes : SPECIAL PRIZES.

The Young Prize.—\$12 for the best 8 dozen of apples, 12 of each sort. By Chief Justice Young, Halifax. Awarded to John H. Shaw, Berwick.

The Ritchie Prize.—\$11 for the second best dozen. By Thos. A. Ritchie, Halifax. Awarded to E. E. Dickie, Cornwallis.

The Black Prize.—\$10 for the third best dozen. By M. P. Black, Halifax. Awarded to Dr. C. C. Hamilton, Canard.

The Scott Prize.—\$10 for the best 8 dozen, 12 of each sort, of any of the following varieties, grown in King's County, namely, Gravenstein, Yellow Bellefleur, Ribston Pippin, Baldwin, Nonpareil, Rhode Island Greening, King of Tompkins County, Blenheim Pippin, Northern Spy, Blue Pearmain, Emperor Alexander, Esopus Spitzenburg, Gloria Mundi, Calkins Pippin, Porter, Drap D'Or, Pomme Grise, Broadwell. By James Scott, Halifax. Awarded to Enoch Griffin, Cornwallis.

The Binney Prize.—\$10 for the same, grown in Hants County. By Edward Binney, Halifax. Awarded to Andrew H. Johnson, Falmouth.

The C. E. Brown Prize.—\$10 for 15 dozen best Autumn and Winter Apples, one dozen of each sort. By C. E. Brown, Halifax. Awarded to Andrew H. Johnson, Falmouth.

The Laurie Prize.—\$10 for the best 8 dozen Apples, twelve of each sort, grown in any county in the Province, outside of Hants, Kings and Annapolis. By Lieut. Col. J. W. Laurie, Halifax. Awarded to Charles Kempton, Caledonia, Queen's Co.

The Avery Prize.—\$5 for the best five dozens, twelve of each sort, of the following Apples, grown in Annapolis County : Gravenstein, Golden Russet, Yellow Bellefleur, with the privilege of substituting Pomme Grise, Gloria Mundi, Emperor Alexander, for any of the varieties named by Dr. Avery, Halifax. Awarded to Avar Longley, Paradise.

The West Prize.—\$5 for the best five dozens, 12 of each sort, of the following, grown in Annapolis County, namely Gravenstein, Ribston Pippin, Esopus Spitzenburg, Yellow Bellefleur, Nonpareil, with the privilege of substituting Rhode Island Greening, Golden Russet, King of Tompkins County. By W. P. West, Halifax. Awarded to DeLancy Harris, Granville.

The Black Prize.—\$5 for the best five dozens, twelve of each sort, of the following varieties, grown in King's County, namely, Gravenstein, Ribston Pippin, King of Tompkins County, Northern Spy, Emperor Alexander. Substitutes—Yellow Bellefleur, Calkins Pippin, Gloria Mundi. By Charles H. M. Black, Halifax. Awarded to Dr. C. C. Hamilton, Canard.

The Maclean Prize.—\$5 for the best five dozens, twelve of each sort, of the following varieties, grown in Kings County, namely, Gravenstein, Yellow Bellefleur, Porter, Blenheim Pippin, blue Pearmain, Substitutes—Pomme Grise, Chebucto Beauty, Early Bow. By John S. Maclean, Halifax. Awarded to Enoch Griffin, Cornwallis.

The Northup Prize.—\$5 for the best five dozens, twelve of each sort, of the following varieties, grown in Hants County, viz., Snow, Gravenstein, Ribston Pippin, Blue Pearmain, Blenheim, Substitutes—Emperor Alexander, Pomme Grise, Porter. By Joseph J. Northup, Halifax. Awarded to Andrew E. Johnson, Falmouth.

The Albion Prize.—\$5 for the best five dozens, twelve of each sort, of the following varieties, grown in Hants County, viz., Gravenstein, Snow, Yellow Bellefleur, Emperor Alexander, Drap d'Or. Substitutes—King of Tompkins County, Esopus Spitzenburg, Baldwin. By Edward Albion, Halifax. Awarded to Andrew H. Johnson, Falmouth.

The Starr Prize.—\$5 for the best five dozen Gravensteins, by Dr. Henry Starr, Halifax. Awarded to Dr. C. C. Hamilton, Canard.

A Friend's Prize.—\$5 for the best five dozen Table Apples, twelve of each sort, by a Friend. Awarded to Dr. C. C. Hamilton, Canard.

The Harris Prize.—\$5 for the best two dozen each, Gravensteins, Emperor Alexander, and Blenheim Pippins, and \$2 for the second best of the same: not required to be the exhibitor's own growth: open to all quality considered more than size. By Herbert Harris, Halifax, Awarded to John H. Shaw, Falmouth.

The Hamilton Prize.—Dr. C. C. Hamilton offered a prize of \$2 for one dozen Gravensteins, the best formed and highest colored. It was awarded to the Dr. himself. He offered \$3 for a collection of ten sorts, one dozen of each sort, of the smallest, most indifferent looking, ill shaped, worse flavored apples, grown in any county in the Province, not being Crab Apples and not necessarily grown by the exhibitor. It was awarded to Irad Benjamin Gaspareaux.

The Starr Prize.—\$3 for the largest and heaviest dozen of apples, not necessarily of one sort, but grown by the exhibitor. By Richard Starr, Cornwallis. Awarded to E. E. Dickie, Canard.

The Association also offered a prize of \$10 for the best collection of apples, not to exceed twenty-five sorts, three of each sort each collection to be accompanied by an affidavit that it was grown by the exhibitor: and the apples to be named and labeled. Awarded to Andrew H. Johnson, Falmouth. \$7 for the second best, awarded to J. Christopher Starr, Cornwallis. \$5 for the third best, awarded to Avar Longley, Paradise.

The Peakes Prize.—\$10 given by J. D. Peakes of Halifax for the best eight dozen apples from Annapolis, was not competed for.

GRAHAM'S PAIN ERADICATOR.—Nictaus, N. S., July 7, 1869. I had been for a long time troubled with Loss of Appetite, Weakness and Physical Deility, that made the least exertion painful to me; of the various means I tried, nothing seemed to afford relief, to stop the downward course of my disease; until I thought that a few months more must terminate my existence. I was at length persuaded, by my wife, to give Graham's Pain Eradicator a trial, which I did without any hopes of its benefitting me, but in a few days I found my health improve, and by the time I had had two bottles used, I was quite well; since that time, which was about five years ago, I have enjoyed good health.

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NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

Government House, Ottawa,

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HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR

GENERAL IN COUNCIL.

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Oct. 9.

BAZAAR AND TEA MEETING.

THE Ladies of the first Cornwallis Baptist Church Sewing Circle intend holding a Bazaar at the same time and place of the meeting of the Fruit Growers Association at Wolfville, on the 17th and 18th of October, at Blackadar's Hall.

Dinner will be provided each day and other necessary refreshments throughout the time. The funds to be appropriated in furnishing the New Church now in erection.

Arrangements will be made for return Tickets by the Cars.

September 28th, 1872.

Oct. 9.

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