

QUARANTINE PRECAUTIONS.—The steamer Chase which arrived on Wednesday brought a passenger having small-pox. She was accordingly put in quarantine where she remained three days. After the sick person had been put into the hospital on Lawlor's Island and the crew had also been removed to the Quarantine station there, on Saturday last, she was brought to the Dominion wharf to discharge her cargo, after which and when ready to sail, her crew would again be put on board.

THE BANK OF ENGLAND FORGERY.—Sir Hastings Doyle received a telegram from Sir Edward Thornton, Washington, a few days ago, requesting him to procure the arrest of one George McDonald, a passenger on board the steamer "Thuringia," if that vessel should call here on her voyage from Hamburg to New York. The charge against him was in connection with the recent forgeries on the Bank of England. On Saturday Sir Edward telegraphed that the "Thuringia" had arrived at New York and that McDonald had been arrested.

LUMBERING has been very successfully carried on this winter in Lunenburg county. A larger number of logs have been put in during the present winter than in any former seasons.

THE CHURCH DIFFICULTY.—The difficulty between the Rector and Parishioners of St. George's Parish and the Bishop of Nova Scotia, is to be submitted to the test of law. A case has been prepared by the plaintiffs, and the counsel for the defence are now engaged in settling the points. It will probably be argued in July. Counsel for plaintiffs, James McDonald and J. N. Ritchie, Q. C.; for the defence, Hiram Blanchard, Q. C., O. S. Weeks and C. B. Bullock.—*Chronicle.*

DEAF AND DUMB.—The pupils of the Asylum were brought to the House of Assembly on Wednesday last, and examined by the Principal Mr. J. S. Hutton before the members. The mode and results of teaching these "children of silence" were highly satisfactory and gratifying.

Two men, whom it was alleged drugged a youth named Mitchell, of St. John, at Annapolis, a few days ago, were arrested in this city on Tuesday last.

On investigation there was found no evidence of such being the case and no motive appeared for any such act.

SEPARATE SCHOOLS IN N. B.—A despatch from Fredericton to Mr. Anglin, published in the *Nouvel Monde*, says: "It is useless to attempt to get separate schools; we can count only seven votes."

TRURO.—The *Sun* reports that the dwelling house of Mr. John Wynn, near what is known as Johnson's Crossing, was consumed by fire on Monday the 10th inst.

ANAPOLIS.—A few days ago a man named Louis, belonging to Digby, fell from the topsail yard of the brig "Sarah Harris" lying at Annapolis, and was very badly injured.

WILD CATS.—The Windsor "Mail" states that Thomas Woolaver Esq., of Walton, recently caught, in three weeks, three Wild Cats, in a trap. Before the capture it was not known that there were any in the vicinity. One of them was of very large size.

THE NEW AGRICULTURAL ACT.—Among the bills passed in the House of Assembly on Saturday was one introduced by the Government, for the better encouragement of Agriculture. It provides that hereafter the Board of Agriculture shall be composed of seven members, instead of twenty-one, as heretofore. With a view of keeping the Government informed of what the Board does and letting the Board know the intention of the Government in agricultural matters, it is provided that one of the seven members be a member of the Government. The other six are to be appointed by the Government from persons nominated by the agricultural societies—one member for each of the agricultural districts. The members of the Board are to receive no pay and the sum allowed each one for travelling expenses shall not exceed six cents per mile for each mile travelled going and coming. The Government is authorized to increase the grant for agriculture to as high as \$8,000 (the present limit is \$6,000.) No one Society shall receive more than \$650, and no one county more than \$400. The chief objection to the old system was that the Board of Agriculture was too large, and that its expenses absorbed too large a portion of the Government grant. The measure was favorably received on both sides of the House and passed unanimously.—*Chron.*

A DOWN-EAST INVENTION.—Angus Campbell, of Sydney, C. B., claims to have invented a new and valuable Machine which he speaks of as follows: "The subscriber has invented a machine that will discharge water through a pipe with the velocity of 5,000 or 10,000 feet per minute; will require neither bucket, plunger, or valves, while the cost will not be half the present mode. Will propel steamships at the rate of 20 or 30 miles an hour. The ship requires no rudder; she will run in a circuit of the diameter of her length. She will go ahead or back, go sideways or hold in one position. You can move to a Pier, with the wind blowing on and not touch it, as you can make her keep a taught strain on the mooring line. Will require no reversing gear as your engines run all one way. The engine may be kept in motion at the same time the ship can be kept in one position. With the same machine you can throw a continuous stream of musket balls with the velocity of 10,000 or more feet per minute.—*Reporter.*

Rev. G. M. Grant has been to Montreal attending to his forth-coming book. He is to lecture shortly in St. John, N. B.

DIGNY.—The Marine and Fisheries department have made arrangements for the erection of a temporary light-house at Digby Gut, in place of the one burned down.

Marriages.

At Newport, by Rev. G. A. Wethers, Jan. 1st, George Dill, to Miss Eliza Mahar, both of Newport.

By the same, Feb. 28th, James Lynch, of Newport, to Miss Sarah Sharp, of Windsor.—*Wesleyan & Chronicle* please copy.

On the 18th inst., by the Rev. Jas. Thomas, Mr. George H. Brown, to Miss Mary Jane Gibson.

On the same day, by the same, Mr. John Reid, of Harwar, to Miss Sarah Ellison, of Hammonds Plains.

By Rev. J. F. Kempton, at the Baptist Parsonage, Billtown, on the 19th inst., Mr. Chas. F. Rockwell, and Miss Maggie Corbitt, both of Lakeville, Cornwallis.

On Thursday, 20th inst., by the Rev. Mr. Uniceke, Rector of St. George's Parish, Chas. Donovan, to Miss Ellen Cunningham.

At Windsor, on 11th inst., by Rev. J. L. Murdoch, Lewis Lamell, formerly of River John, Pictou, to Amelia Turner, formerly of Farsboro.

On the 7th inst., by Rev. J. Murray, M. A., Mr. Edward Patten, to Annie, only child of Thomas Skinner, Esq., Hantsport.

On the 18th inst., by Rev. J. E. Goucher, Emmanuel Wallace, to Mrs. Annie McKenzie, both of this city.

By the same, on the 20th, Thomas Lauer, to Miss Elizabeth Carmichael, of this city.

Deaths.

At Cheverie, on the 20th of Feb., Mrs. Sarah Dexter, relict of Benjamin Dexter, in the 88th year of her age. Her death was that of an aged disciple of Christ, through whom she conquered, and died in peace. She was the mother of 15 children, the grandmother of 98, the great grandmother of 105, the great great grandmother of 5. May they all meet her in heaven.

At Clements, on the 13th inst., Araminta, wife of Daniel Sprowle, aged 28 years.

At the same place, on the 16th inst., C. H. Wesley, son of Samuel A. Wesley, aged 2 years and 4 months.

On the 18th inst., Mrs. Margaret Doyle, aged 62 years.

On Monday, 17th inst., Mrs. Hall, widow of the late W. H. Hall, in the 37th year of her age.

On Monday, the 17th inst., Susan, widow of the late Michael McGinn, in the 51st year of her age.

At Maitland, Hants, on the 7th inst., of consumption, Samuel Conkey, aged 51 years.

On the 18th inst., Stephen Walsh, aged 37 years.

On Wednesday, 19th inst., James Power, in the 46th year of his age.

On the 19th inst., James Alexander, in the 62nd year of his age.

On Thursday, the 20th inst., Annie Louisa Bauer, aged 29 years.

At Liverpool, N. S., on the 9th, Mr. Daniel Kelleher, aged 56 years.

On Saturday, 22nd inst., Mary Douglass McPherson Moir, beloved daughter of Alexander and Helen Moir, aged 22 years.

At Port Hastings, C. B., March 6th, 1873, Mary Fraser, the beloved wife of John McEachern, aged 38 years.

At Cheticamp, C. B., March 5, 1873 in the 23rd year of her age, Mary Annie, wife of George C. DeWolf, and daughter of the late Richard Paily.

At the Provincial and City Hospital, March 23rd, Matilda Acker, aged 37 years.

At the Poor's Asylum, on the 22nd March, Mary Condon, aged 73 years.

On the 26th of Jan., Mr. Alfred Pentz, son of Dea. Geo. Pentz, aged 35 years. His disease, consumption, was very rapid and painful, yet amid all his sufferings he looked unto Jesus, and was enabled to rejoice in God. He leaves a wife and three helpless children. May God sustain them.

At Scotch Village, Newport, N. S., on the 8th of Aug., 1872, Charles Nelson, son of Thomas Nelson, of Scotch Village, Newport, N. S., died at Ordrossan, County of Arr, Scotland, aged 24 years. He was steward of the ship Eliza Alice, of Halifax, W. E. Mason, master. While there it became necessary to have a tooth extracted which led to abscess of the cheek, and after eight days to Erysipelas of head and face which in five days more terminated his earthly career. Deceased was a well disposed youth, a young man generally esteemed, and although not a professor those best acquainted with him hope that he possessed the spirit of Grace, his father seems deeply wounded by this unexpected bereavement. May God sanctify the affliction. Mr. Nelson desires to express his thankfulness to Capt. Mason for his kindness to Charles and for the attention given to all concerned.—*Com. by Rev. J. Bancroft.*

At St. Margaret's Bay, March 19th, 1873, Louisa A., eldest daughter of Isaac and Elizabeth Hubley in the 23rd year of her age. Dearest sister thou hast left us, Here thy loss we deeply feel; But 'tis God that has bereft us, He can all our sorrows heal.

Shipping List.

PORT OF HALIFAX.

ARRIVED.

TUESDAY, March 18th.—Brigs: Teazer, Fale, Boston; Hound, Carrel, d.; schrs. Harvest Home, Jackson, Spry Harbor; Alliance, Harriet, Liverpool, N. S.; Kate Nickerson, d.; Vesper (of Windsor)—Morrison, New York; Commodore, Zwicker, Mahone Bay; John McKee, McKee, LaHave.

WEDNESDAY, 19th.—Steamer Chase, Bennett, Portland; bt. Louise, Hobbs; schrs. Jane Louis, McNeil, Canoe; Ninth of June, Boudrot, Cape Breton; Hector, Townsend, Gower Mines; Stella Maria, Mouton, St. Pierre; Wm. Kaudick, Hooper, Fouché, G.B.

THURSDAY, 20th.—No arrivals.

FRIDAY, 21st.—Brig: Alice Woods, (of St. John, N. B.) Smith, Dundas, via Fayal; schrs. Foam, Hearn, Cape Canoe.

SATURDAY, 22nd.—Barque Cella, Turner, Lisbon; brig Spanish Main, McCulloch, Demerara; schrs. Lone Star, Farrel, North Sydney; Grand Master, Seaboyer, LaHave; Celerity, Creaser, LaHave; Annie A Test, Ritcey, LaHave; Milo, (of St. John, N. B.), Boston, St. George's, N. B.

SUNDAY, 23rd.—Steamers North American, Miller, Liverpool, G. B. via Queenstown; Austrian, Richard-on, Baltimore; schrs. Bella Barry, Barry, Chester.

MONDAY, 24th.—Steamer Carlotta, Mulligan, Portland; Steam Tug Goliath, Jones, Mahone Bay; brig: Arabel, (of Windsor) Brady, New York.

CLEARED.

TUESDAY, March 18th.—Am stmr. Carlotta, Mulligan, Portland; brig: Queen of the West, Hammett, Demerara; schrs. Louisa, Chadsey, Lockport; Mary Edith, Thorborne, d.; Charles Tupper, Adams, Yarmouth; K. K. Brown, Payzant, Liverpool, N. S.; Tropic Bird, Young, Mahone Bay.

WEDNESDAY, 19th.—Schr. Maggie, Joyce, Portland; Ocean Lily, Munroe, Canoe; Manzanilla, Hardy, Lockeport.

THURSDAY, 20th.—Barque G. P. Payzant, Dewis, Philadelphia; schrs. F. N. Gibson, Spencer, Louisburg; Van, Morice, Port Medway.

FRIDAY, 21st.—Schr. Scotia, Cornell, Boston, via Musquodoboit; Bertha, Murray, Jamaica.

SATURDAY, 22nd.—Schr. Lothair, Collins, LaHave; Druid, Heisler, Lunenburg; Henry LeBlanc, Kelly, Yarmouth; Vesta, Hall, Cow Bay; G. W. Moore, Noel, d.; Alert, Hunter, LaHave.

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