great obstacle in the way of Christianity. The influence of Europeans is also in general very bad. The natives here as elsewhere are much more ready to adopt the vices than the virtues of Europeans.

"From what I have seen and heard since I came here I should think the climate is one of the best in the East. During April and May it is very hot; but the rest of the year it is cool and comfortable. There is a strong breeze blowing nearly all the time from the South-West, during the South-West Monsoon. We get some rain during this season, but the rainy season is in October and November. The rainy season is not nearly so long, nor the fall of rain as heavy as on the Eastern side of the Bay of Bengal. Altogether, I think we shall be pretty well pleased with our new field of labour."

Mr. Boggs says—"Mr. McLaurin speaks of making a tour to the North, to look over the field, as far as Vizigapatam and Vizianagram, in a few weeks. Mr. Churchill and I may go with him, as we could keep up our studies with advantage during such a trip.

The passage of Messrs. Boggs and Churchill from Bangkok to Coconada cost $624.68.

Yours,
J. M. C.

Notices.

RECEIVED FOR FOREIGN MISSIONS.

Aug. 28th—Per B. Douglas, Esq., Amherst Baptist Sunday School. $20.90
Aug. 30th—Rev. Dr. G. E. Day, from Western Association, Nova Scotia. $515 87
Com'n for transmission. . 1.16
——$514.71
Rev. P. F. Murray. 6.00
Sept. 1st—Per Rev. W. P. Everett, Digby Church, N. S. 6.23
Per Rev. W. P. Everett, Goshen Baptist Church, N. S. 4.00
Per Mr. G. Flick: G. Flick, 50 cts., Samuel G. Flick, 25 cts., Mrs. J. Flick, 25 cts., Collection from Sabbath School, Holland's Harbor, 25 cts., Sophia Allen 25 cts., Mrs. D. Reed, 25 cts., Mrs. M. Hodgeson, 5 cts., Richard Sutles, $1.00, Thomas E. Lynds, 50 cts., John Kennedy, 25 cts., Allen Kennedy, 25 cts., Mrs. W. McConnel, 25 cts., James Hewitt, 25 cts., Mrs. J. Hewitt, 25 cts., George Mills, 15 cts., James S. Hewitt, 25 cts., Miss Elizabeth Hurst, 25 cts., Mrs. Peter McConnel, 20 cts., Mrs. John Drake, 20 cts., Mrs. Jacob Rood, 20 cts., Mrs. Freeman Rood, 20 cts., Mrs. Allen Rood, 20 cts., Mrs. James Rood, 25 cts., Mrs. Martha Rood, 25 cts., Mrs. Isaac Hurst, 25 cts., Miss Annie Furlong, 50 cts., Collection from Indian Harbour Sabbath School. . . . 0 78
$8.08
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THOMAS P. DAVIES,
Treasurer Foreign Missionary Board.

SABBATH SCHOOL CONVENTION AT AMHERST.

The annual session of the Colchester County Baptist Sabbath School Convention will be held in the Baptist Meeting House at Amherst, Cumberland County, commencing on Wednesday 29th inst., at half past two P. M., with a view of uniting the friends of Sabbath Schools in the Counties of Colchester and Cumberland in one Convention.

It is desirable that every Baptist Sabbath School in these Counties should send, at least, one delegate, they are entitled to send five.

Any letters sent to the Secretary after the 22nd inst., should be directed to Amherst.

"Are Sabbath School Conventions desirable?" will be discussed at the afternoon meeting.

Rev. J. E. Goucher will read a paper on the "Elements of successful teaching" at the opening of the evening session.

A. J. WALKER,
Secretary.

Truro, Sept. 4th, 1875.

LETTERS RECEIVED.

Rev. P. F. Murray. Mrs. B. Lynds. J. C. Cook. W. A. Morse, Esq., 1 sub. Rev. E. Hickson, $1. Rev. N. C. Saunders.

BLOOMFIELD, Carleton, N. B; May 1868. —One of my children took a *severe pain and swelling of her knee*; the joint became so contracted and painful that she could not put her foot to the ground; it gathered and broke in several places until there were five sores discharging at one time, some would heal and others break out, which continued for some months.

Finding medical treatments and other remedies insufficient, we tried Graham's Pain Eradicator; it completely cured her, and she remained well since using this medicine, about fourteen months ago.

GEORGE BEAKIN.

Local News.

PROHIBITION CONVENTION.—A convention, composed of temperance men from all parts of the Dominion, is to be held at Montreal on the fifteenth of the present month, to discuss the prohibition question in all its phases. The convention is called by the Premier, to ascertain the sentiments of the country on this important question. The meeting is likely to be a large one. All the "grand" bodies of the Dominion will be represented for a certainty, and most of the "subordinate" bodies are moving in the matter. The Grand Scribe (J. F. L. Parsons) will represent the N. S. Grand Division of Sons; Mr. J. B. Woodland (late editor of the Amherst "Sentinal") goes for the Grand Lodge I. O. G. T., and Mr. D. C. Fraser for the Grand Lodge of British Templars. On Saturday evening last, representatives of the city Divisions met to consider the question of sending delegates. The G. W. P. presided. It was unanimously decided that a delegate should be sent, and Alderman H. A. Taylor was elected to fill that position, with Alderman Wm. Murray as alternate in case the first named could not attend. Another general meeting of the Sons will be held in the Division Room to-morrow Thursday evening when questions to be discussed at Montreal will be talked over, that the Sons' delegate may understand the sentiments of those who send them.

KILLED BY A LUNATIC.—On Tuesday morning, as the patients at Mount Hope Hospital for the Insane were taking their usual morning exercise on the grounds, one of them, named John Cashman, came quietly up to another, named Donald Matheson, and without the slightest warning or provocation struck him a terrible blow on the head with a billet of wood, killing him instantly. Cashman did not seem to understand that he had committed any very great crime. He belongs to Queen's County. Matheson, his unfortunate victim, was a native of Richmond County, C. B.

EXPORT OF LOBSTERS.—The brigt. "John D. Tupper," which cleared at the Custom House last week, has on board for London 6,763 cases lobsters, valued at $42,000, besides a large quanity of seal oil, and othe rcargo.

FOUND DEAD.—An old man named George Reynolds who lived by himself on Coburg Road had been missing since Wednesday last. On Monday afternoon his body was found on the N. W. Arm shore.

THE CIVIC ELECTIONS to take place on the 1st of October are now a subject of much interest. There will be at least three candidates for the mayorality: Ex-mayor Matthew H. Richey, Alderman Joseph Coombes, and Alderman Seeton.

Several names of candidates for Aldermanic honors are mentioned. We give them as fully as we are informed:

Ward 1—Duncan Grant
Ward 2—Ex-Mayor Dunbar.
W. D. Harrington.
Ward 3—Alderman Forsyth.
C. McDonald.
C. C. Blackadar.
Ward 4—Alderman Power.
Ward 5—Alderman Graham.
Ward 6—Alderman McPherson.
Ex-Alderman Sullivan.

SUPREME COURT.—It is likely the Fall Circuits will be presided over as follows:

Shore—Judge Wilkins.
Western—Judge DesBarres.
Midland—Judge McCully.
Eastern—Judge McDonald.
Cape Breton—Judge Smith.

PIC-NICS have been in order during the past week. The Third Baptist Sabbath School held theirs at Bedford on Friday last. With the exception of a little girl being knocked down by a swing, and a boy falling into the water, it was a very successful affair, and was patronized by a large company.

The Fort Massey Church Sunday School had their pic-nic at McNab's Island on Saturday, and the Chalmers Church on Monday.

THE CONGREGATIONAL UNION of Nova Scotia and New Brunswick will meet this year at Brooklyn, Queens County, N. S., on Friday, September 10th. Several celebrated American ministers will be present to take part in the meetings.

AN ACCIDENT.—An elderly lady, residing on Spring Garden Road, met with a very painful accident on Saturday afternoon. She was in the yard caressing a large dog, when he playfully jumped against her and knocked her down, breaking one of her legs below the knee and splitting the knee cap.

OLDHAM.—A "pocket" of gold is said to have been lately extracted by some prospectors from a lead on the extreme western limits of the Oldham district, which is variously estimated at from $1000 to $2000 in value. This is the largest find that has yet been made in Nova Scotia.

AMHERST is now enjoying the luxury of a night watch.

A CENTENARIAN.—Mrs. Patterson, who lives with her nephew, Mr. Robert Harrington, (near Kentville) celebrated her One Hundred and First Birthday, on the 17th of August last.—*Kentville Chronicle.*

PARRSBORO' RAILWAY.—About seventeen miles have been graded. 180 laborers from St. John have been taken on the work. —*Sackville Post.*

PUGWASH.—One of the spans of Palmerston Bridge settled so much on Wednesday night as to render it unsafe for crossing. A. J. Hill, has already completed the survey of a line for a railway from Pugwash to Thomson, a distance of 15½ miles. We learn that he finds this a route through which a line could be constructed under very great engineering advantages.

ANTIGONISH.—John Ronayne, a travelling agent for the Truro Boot and Shoe Factory, while packing his trunks at Cunningham's Hotel on Thurrday last fell and immediately expired. The Coronor's verdict was "Died by the visitation of God."

CAPE BRETON.—A barn owned by Mrs. Dougald McInnis, Grand Lake, was destroyed by fire. No insurance.

On the night of Thursday last, a mare belonging to Alex. McDonald, Esq., of East Bay was taken from his barn to the woods and stabbed to death. The owner of the animal is on the track of the perpetrator.

PICTOU COUNTY.—A terrific thunderstorm passed over the Eastern part of this county on Monday night. The lightning was intensely vivid, lighting up the whole country, flash succeeding flash in quick succession, accompanied by heavy thunder and rain.

ARISAIG.—On Saturday of last week while the frame of the new chapel was being erected at Arisaig, three men fell from the upper part of it to the ground, a distance of twenty-eight feet. They all received very serious injuries.

SUCCESSFUL—At the annual meeting of the Oxford Woodenware Company, held on the 24th ult., the Directors reported a dividend of 15 per cent., for the past year.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

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The proceeds thereof to be employed in building a Vestry.

Dinner will be served at 12 o'clock. Tea can be obtained at any time during the afternoon and evening, also Confectionary and Refreshments.

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THE first session of the Collegiate year 1875–6 will open on the 2nd of September. The Supplementary Examination for Matriculation will begin at 9, A. M., Wednesday, Sept. 1st. Students who have not yet obtained rooms should make early application. Those who have rooms in the College can obtain board during the first quarter at the Village House. It is expected that the new boarding house will be opened some time during the Autumn.

Young men who may not find it convenient to take the full course, will be permitted to select such studies as they may wish provided they shall be qualified to work with classes regularly pursuing the studies selected.

Classes in the Theological Department, also, will be formed at the opening of the session. Special provision will be made for licentiates who find it impossible to pursue a long course of study. All who intend to join these classes, should be present at the opening of the session, or send their names.

A. W. SAWYER, *President.*
Wolfville, Aug. 2, 1875.
Aug. 4. 4 ins.

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GRENADA, Miss., June 30.—SETH S. HANCE.—Dear Sir: You will find enclosed five dollars, which I send you for two boxes of your Epileptic Pills. I was the first person who tried your Pills in this part of the country. My son was badly afflicted with fits for two years. I wrote for and received two boxes of your Pills, which he took according to directions. He has never had a fit since. It was by my persuasion that Mr. Lyon tried your Pills. His case was a very bad one; he had fits nearly all his life. Persons have written to me from Alabama and Tennessee on the subject, for the purpose of ascertaining my opinion in regard to your Pills. I have always recommended them, and in no instance where I have had a chance of hearing from their effect have they failed to cure. Yours, etc., C. H. GUY,
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ANOTHER REMARKABLE
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MONTGOMERY, Texas, June 20th, 1867.
TO SETH S. HANCE:—A person in my employ had been afflicted with Fits, or Epilepsy, for thirteen years; he had these attacks at intervals of two to four weeks, and oftentimes several in quick succession, sometimes continuing for two or three days. On several occasions they lasted until his mind appeared totally deranged, in which state he would continue for a day or two after the fits ceased. I tried several remedies prescribed by our resident physicians, but without success. Having seen your advertisement I concluded to try your remedy. I obtained two boxes of your Pills, gave them according to directions, and they effected a permanent cure. The person is now a stout, healthy man, about 30 years of age, and has not had a fit since he commenced taking your medicine, ten years since. He was my principal wagoner, and has, since that time, been exposed to the severest of weather. I have great confidence in your remedy, and would like every one who has fits to give it a trial.
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Prince William Street, Aug. 13th, 1875.
Aug. 18.

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