

PARADISE.—Rev. J. T. Eaton writes July 3rd, 1880:—"During the past month many of the families of this community have been visited by the death angel, and loved ones borne onward to the realms above, while lonely homes and sad hearts have remained. Among these, the home of Bro. Edward C. Bishop of Upper Clarence, has been darkened by the going out of two of its lights. On the 9th of June, ANNETTE W. BISHOP, a young lady possessing superior qualities of mind, beloved by all who knew her and much devoted to the interests of the family, passed onward, happily trusting in Jesus. And on the 21st, EVERETT E. BISHOP, a young man of promise, nearly 21 years of age, having left his school just two weeks previously, fell asleep, consumption though flattering yet surely caused them to fade as does the leaf. This young man entertained secretly a hope in Christ, but deeply regretted he had not avowed it and served the Lord with fervency of spirit. May his youthful companions and the children of his school, heed the warning and live for God, the parents be sustained by God's grace, and the ravages of disease stayed."

PARRSBORO.—Rev. J. F. Kempton writes in a P. S.:—"We still rejoice in seeing sinners come to Christ and the church. Had the privilege of giving the hand of fellowship to five last Lord's day. Two came by letter and three by baptism."

In Memoriam.

MRS. ELIZABETH GORDON,

Widow of Mr. Peter Gordon, late of Uigg, P. E. I., fell asleep in Jesus on the 14th inst., in the 60th year of her age. Mrs. Gordon was born on the Isle of Skye, Scotland, and came to this Island many years ago. During the gracious revival at Uigg, in the year 1863, Sister Gordon experienced converting grace and followed her Divine Lord in baptism, identifying herself with the Baptist Church at that place, (previously to this time she was of the Presbyterian faith.) Removing to Charlottetown she united with the church here by letter, on Jan. 7th, 1877, of which church she remained a consistent member until her work here was done, and the Master called her up higher. Her illness, which was severe, and of four months' duration, she bore with much more than ordinary patience and submission, exhibiting through it all the power of the gospel to comfort and sustain. She died at the residence of her son, Pastor J. A. Gordon, of East Point, where the last few months of her life were spent. She leaves one son and daughter, with many relatives, friends, and a large Christian brotherhood, to miss an affectionate mother, an obliging neighbor, a faithful Baptist and an exemplary Christian. Her faith in Christ was unshaken. Her end was perfect peace.—*Com. by D. G. McD.*

Charlottetown, June 23rd, 1880.

To the memory of our mother:

MRS. GEORGE S. BARRS,

of New Germany, was the daughter of the late Wm. Brown of Hanley Mountain. The story of her outer life may be briefly told. She was born Dec. 14, 1823, married Feb. 20, 1843, baptized and united with the Baptist Church of New Germany, in Sep. 1852. Her whole life was that of a truly devoted Christian, and the church to which she belonged has lost a good member. There was nothing connected with its welfare, but what was dear to her. For over twenty years she taught in the Sabbath School. In that way she won the hearts and left her impress on the lives of the many who were under her instruction. God's Word was her study and her guide, and she had a deep insight into its meaning which made her a teacher of no ordinary type. Her life was quiet and unassuming, but so consistent that even malice would have been mute before it. That "love which is without dissimulation," made her everybody's friend, and it was a sad day in the community when she was laid away to rest. Her domestic life was just what might be expected from such a wife, and mother: "Her children arise up and call her blessed; her husband also, and he praiseth her. Prov. xxxi. 28. Of her hidden life, I may not speak; even to touch it were a profaning of 'holy secrets.' It was 'hid with Christ in God,' and was manifest by a panting for holy fellowship, whose breathing was:—

"Speak low to me my Saviour, low and sweet,
From out the hallelujahs, sweet and low."

On Saturday the 12th of June, her Father called her to the endless rest, and she left without a struggle. Rev. S. March, of Bridgewater attended her funeral and preached from Ps. xxiii. 4.

MAGGIE B. HALL.

Melvern Square, July 1st, 1880.

DOMINION & FOREIGN NEWS.

DOMINION OF CANADA.—The receipts at the Montreal Customs House for the month of June, 1880, were \$573,363.86, against \$248,270.61 during the corresponding month of last year, an increase of \$225,163.25. The Internal Revenue receipts for June, 1880, are \$86,982.93 against \$36,147.97, during the corresponding month in 1879; an increase of \$50,834.96.

By the recent Convention the charge for sending money orders to the United States is greatly reduced, and will be, on and after the 1st July, as follows:—On money orders payable in the United States, not exceeding \$10, 10c; from \$10 and not exceeding \$20, 20c; from \$20 and not exceeding \$30, 30c; from \$30 and not exceeding \$40, 40c; from \$40 and not exceeding \$50, 50c. Fifty dollars is, in the meantime, the limit allowed by the postal authorities of the United States for a single money order, but probably within a short time this limit will be increased to \$100.

The official count of ballots on the Scott Act in Stanstead county, shows, for the Act, 760; against, 942. Majority against 181.

At Montreal on Tuesday last as the Bohemian was leaving her berth for Cornwall, instead of stopping her vessel, as usual, the officer in charge kept on at a considerable rate of speed to Black's Bridge Lock Gates, and the vessel ran into them, carrying away both gates, and setting free an immense volume of water held in check by them. Her bow was smashed to atoms, and the raging torrent freed from control swept the heavy gates away before it and carried back the luckless vessel as if it were a feather. The frightened passengers screamed with terror. Back she was forced through the gate, which she had passed and which had not been closed, smashing her stern to pieces, making it a fitting counterpart to her bow. A full head of steam was put on and the vessel succeeded in getting toward her berth. She ran into the stern of the St. Francis, breaking a hole through it. The Bohemian then began to sink, water pouring into her fore and aft, while her passengers, some of whom had, even before she reached her berth, managed to escape, left her in the greatest alarm. The cause of the accident is attributed to the carelessness of the mate. The damage done will take a week to repair, and navigation to the upper lakes will be stopped. In the meanwhile about fifty barges were lying in the basin.

At the Magdalen Islands the net mackerel fishery in Pleasant Bay, just ended, has been attended with poor success, and the schooners fitted for the off shore herring fishery have moved outside and are reported doing well. Codfish have struck in plentiful. Lobsters were never so abundant as this season.

NEW BRUNSWICK.—The Methodist Conference closed its session at St. John on Thursday last and is to meet next year at Moncton.

A despatch from Ottawa says a submarine cable is to be laid in August, and is to be put down between St. John, Eastport, Grand Manan and Campbell.

In the Church of England Synod in St. John on Wednesday last the Bishop referred at length to the bill introduced in Parliament to legalize marriage with a deceased wife's sister.

He recommended that petitions should be prepared against the proposed bill, and these might with propriety be signed by the women as well as men.

NEWFOUNDLAND.—The fishery reports are generally good.

UNITED STATES.—The public debt statement issued July 1st, shows a decrease for June of \$10,214,424.51, which includes \$8,375,934 of fractional currency, estimated to be lost or destroyed.

Counterfeiters were arrested on Wednesday by United States officials together with their materials and a quantity of bogus coin.

The careless match of some smoker caused the explosion of a keg of powder on Monday morning in the office of the Dilmar Cartridge Co., New York, the plate glass windows and those of No. 22 were blown to pieces.

A Quincy, Ill., special to the Chicago Times says: "Intense excitement prevails in that portion of the country inundated by the breaking of the levee. It broke at three o'clock in the morning just above Cincinnati Landing, fifteen miles below Hannibal. At noon the crevasse was five hundred feet wide and constantly increasing in size. This embankment protected an extent of country seventy miles long and from five to twelve miles wide. A third of this area is under water. The loss exceeds a million dollars.

Lightning struck a 25,000 barrel oil tank near the Acme Refinery, at Olead, N. Y., on Wednesday evening last. The oil burned furiously. A hundred men

were digging trenches for the protection of surrounding property.

Two hundred and twelve deaths occurred in New York, on Tuesday, seven-teen by the heat.

Gen. Garfield, on Saturday, participated in the ceremony of unveiling the monument to soldiers of Lake County, at Palisville, and at the close of his speech said:—"I hope the day is not far distant when, under the crossed swords and locked shields of Americans, North and South, our people shall sleep in peace, and rest in liberty, love and harmony, under the union of our flag of stars and stripes."

Sunday was observed much as the ordinary Fourth of July.

At St. Louis, some accidents occurred, two children, August Eckhart, 8 years old, and Michael Gallagher, 12 years, were shot, by stray bullets.

There have been quite a number of steamboat accidents of late, some of them with very serious results. One of these was that of the steamer Long Branch run into by a tug in the East River, on Tuesday morning. She was close to Catharine Street Slip, and safely landed 1800 excursionists, who were abroad for a trip to Long Branch. The excursionists comprised the Hanson Place Baptist Church and the Sabbath School.

Another, the Seawana, by which 23 persons were lost and 49 injured.

SOUTH AMERICA.—The Times says:—"There is no doubt that the strife at Buenos Ayres has ended, and that the Nationalists have triumphed."

ENGLAND.—A resolution introduced by Mr. Gladstone, in the House of Commons, allowing all elected members to make the usual affirmation in place of the oath, was agreed to without a division. Mr. Bradlaugh on Friday afternoon made affirmation and signed the roll amidst profound silence, and took his seat.

Mr. Gladstone, replying to Philip Callan, said that, in view of what was happening in some parts of Ireland, he did not consider the present a fitting time to allow Condon, Clarke, Luby, O'Donovan, Rossa, and other Fenian prisoners to return from exile.

A bailiff, who had been serving ejectments was fatally shot by ambushed assailants, near Balla, County Mayo.

Ex Empress Eugenie has embarked at Cape Town for England.

The Manchester Guardian's monthly trade report, July 1st says there has been some improvement during the month, and the aggregate business is larger. The prospects for autumn trade are brighter. There is some ground for hope in consequence of good harvest prospects.

FRANCE.—The Senate, on Saturday night, rejected the amnesty bill.

The semi-official note sent on Thursday last to journals announcing that the execution of the anti Jesuit decrees have not led to a disturbance in any part of France, concludes as follows:—"The Government knows its duty and will perform it with firmness."

Up to Monday last thirty-five magistrates had resigned sooner than execute the religious decrees. The Ministers of Justice filled their posts without delay. The decrees for the expulsion of the Jesuits from their establishments in Paris were enforced amid great excitement. Some of the Fathers locked themselves in their cells, which were broken open. Arrests were made of persons shouting "Down with the Republic."

Religious establishments were broken up on Thursday to the number of 39 with 475 members. About 30, being educational institutions, are allowed to exist until August 31st. At Chambéry two Italian orders, one of men and the other of women, received 48 hours' notice to quit France.

At Lyons, when the public prosecutors, recently appointed in the place of those who resigned as a protest against the Anti-Jesuit decrees entered the Court of Appeals to take the oath of office, all the members of the bar immediately quitted the Court in a body. A similar demonstration took place in another Court.

The closing of the Jesuits' Chapel in Rue Sevres, with the Sacrament left inside, is regarded as a great desecration by Catholics.

M. Constants, Minister of the Interior and Worship, received a letter threatening him with assassination in the name of the Sacred Heart.

Several disturbances in connection with the expulsion of the Jesuits are reported from the Provinces. The most serious was at Havre where soldiers charged the crowd.

RUSSIA.—The rinderpest is raging in forty-three districts on the shores of the Black Sea, and has appeared in the Zoological Gardens at St. Petersburg.

A treaty has been concluded between Russia and Japan for coal and other stores.

At Astrakhan, owing to want of hands the plague of locusts cannot be effectually eradicated. Many other insects are injuring crops. The wheat crop is regarded as lost. Complaints of ravages of insects is universal.

TURKEY.—It is believed in Constantinople that the Porte has determined to resist the decision of the Powers.

The foreign ambassadors, replying to a note of the Porte on the Montenegrin question, express regret that the Porte should ask time for the execution of the convention,

Invitations to revolt have been largely circulated in Syria and find great favor among Moslems.

REMARKABLE RESULTS FOLLOW.—Pain ceases, swelling subsides, fever abates, and a healthy state exists after using this great and wonderful preparation known as Thomas' Electric Oil. Thousands testify to the happiness resulting from the use of this preparation. Why not procure a bottle at once. The cost is trifling, and effect sure. One dose cures common sore throat. One bottle has cured Bronchitis. Fifty cents' worth has cured an old standing cough. It positively cures catarrh, asthma and croup. Fifty cents' worth has cured crick in the back, and the same quantity lame back of eight years' standing. The following are extracts from a few of the many letters received from different parts, which, we think, should be sufficient to satisfy the most skeptical:

Thomas Robinson, Farnham Centre, writes:—"I have been afflicted with Rheumatism for the last ten years, and have tried many remedies without any relief, until I tried 'Dr. THOMAS' ELECTRIC OIL.' For two years, and have had no attack. I would recommend it to all."

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A. H. Gregg, Manufacturer of Mowing Machinery, Truemanburg, N. Y., says:—"My thumb was caught in a machine and badly injured, being away from home for two days. We obliged to apply such remedies as I could get, but without relieving the pain. Immediately upon reaching home I applied the Electric Oil, with almost instant relief. I have a large number of men employed, and your Oil has established for itself such a reputation that nearly every one of them keeps it."

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NOTE.—ELECTRIC—Selected and Electricized. April and May. eow.

Marriages.

June 30th, by Rev. F. Beattie, Rev. Robert Dickey Porter, of Middleton, to Miss Sarah Mills, daughter of John Mills, Esq., of Granville Ferry.

On Tuesday, June 8th, by Rev. G. A. Cleaveland, Mr. William J. Rhine, to Alice M., daughter of James Spears, all of South Brookfield.

At Hillsburgh, on the 29th of June, by Rev. J. A. McLean, Mr. Horace P. Frost, of Berlin Falls, North Hampshire, U. S., to Miss Cassie R. Smith, of Blaine Arstook Co., Maine.

At Amherst, 23rd day of June, 1880, by the Rev. S. D. Yates, W. J. Logan, Esq., of Shubenacadie, to Miss Lou Ella Fletcher, of Folly Village, Londonderry, Colchester Co.

At Brooklyn, East River, June 22nd, by the Rev. Charles Dunn, James Johnson, Vale Colliery, to Isabella Finlayson, Middle River, C. B.

At Albion Mines, June 23rd, by the Rev. Charles Dunn, James E. Fraser, Vale Colliery, to Vinie A. Dunbar, Albion Mines.

On Tuesday, June 29th, by the Rev. Charles M. Tyler, Captain Hector Murchinson, of P. E. Island, to Florence Parker, daughter of Mr. Samuel Smedley.

At Boston Mass., June 20, by the Rev. Alexander Blaikie, Charles A. Pillsbury, Esq., of Belfast, Me., to Blanche Anne, youngest daughter of Wm. Sutherland, Esq., Q. C., of this city.

At the residence of the bride's mother, at Ottawa, on Thursday, July 1, by the Rev. E. A. Stafford, K. J. Matheson, of Halifax, to Jennie, daughter of the late Joseph Shaw, of Gaspe.

At Oromocto, on Tuesday the 29th inst., by the Rev. Wm. Greer, Mr. John W. Gilmor, of St. John, to Allie, eldest daughter of G. Clowes, Esq., of Elm Hill, Oromocto.

On June 30th, by the Rev. Mr. Winterbourne, Aristide Alphonso Towels to Mary A. Purvey.

At Milton, Yarmouth, June 26, by Rev. J. B. McQuillan, Mr. Wm. Powers, of Halifax, to Miss Harriet Whitehouse, of Brenton.

In Falmouth, July 1st, by the Rev. Jas. G. Hennigar, assisted by the Rev. A. D. Morton, M. A., Rev. Jonathan C. Ogden, Methodist Minister, to Mrs. Sarah Curry, of Falmouth.

On the 23rd ult., by the Rev. Joseph Murray, D. A. McDonald, Esq., of Bridge-water, to Ella, only daughter of Mr. Moses Shaw, of Waterville, Cornwallis.

At Syracuse, N. Y., June 10th, by Rev. C. E. Smith, Rev. M. A. Spinney, of North Scituate, Mass., to Miss Ella U. Bingham, of Syracuse.

Deaths.

At Caledonia, April 16th, Mr. Andrew Jane, aged 72 years. The deceased was for some 30 years a deacon of the Chelsea Baptist Church.

At Southville, Digby Co., May 10th, Isaac White, aged 80 years. Deceased was a native of Cornwallis, Kings Co., and was baptized by the Rev. Edward Manning in the 23rd year of his age. For half a century, he has been well known in this region, as an ardent worker in the cause of Christ. A wife and four children survive to mourn their loss. "There remaineth, therefore, a rest for the people of God."

At Berwick, June 23rd, by Rev. J. Cassidy, James A. Allen, Esq., of Grand Pre, to Mary E., daughter of Ira Woodworth, Esq., of Welsford, Kings Co.

At Trinity Church, St. Stephen, N. B., on the 30th June, by the Rev. W. M. Groton, T. A. DeWolf, of Liverpool, England, to Leila Maude, eldest daughter of the late Dr. Edward DeWolfe, of St. Stephen, N. B.

At Northfield, May 11th, Mr. Jacob Rawding, in the 35th year of his age. At the Poors' Asylum, June 30, 1880, Margaret Miller, aged 71 years, a native of Halifax.

At Granville, on the 15th inst., Catherine, relict of the late Mr. Abner Foster, aged 81 years.

At Port George, of lockjaw, June 17th, John L., aged 8 years and 10 months, third child of Onthet and Hettie Douglas.

Suddenly at Melvern Square, on the 29th ult., from the effects of temporary insanity, the result of severe injuries to the brain, received several months since, Mr. J. Miller, in the 63th year of his age.

At Windsor Plains, on 22nd June, after a lingering illness, Joseph Sivright, aged 71 years. The death of Mr. Sivright was closely followed by that of his wife Margaret, who died on July 1st, aged 64 years. Mrs. Sivright was ill only twelve days. She had been a consistent member of Windsor Baptist Church for several years and leaves many friends. Her influence has been excellent. Two children and many relatives and friends will mourn the loss of this aged couple who were practically buried in one grave.

July 2nd, Julia, the beloved wife of John O'Gard, and eldest daughter of Henry and Isabella White.

July 2nd, at Cole Harbor, Joseph Giles, Sr., aged 77.

At Dartmouth, on 3rd July, in the 53rd year of her age, Sarah Jane, the beloved wife of Joseph McLaughlin.

At Dartmouth, July 3rd, George Henry Boutlier, aged 46 years.

At Bridgetown, on the 23rd ult., after a short illness, Grace, beloved wife of Mr. James Messenger, in the 70th year of her age.

At Bridgetown, on the 27th ult., Morgan Connell, aged 62 years.

News.

Potatoes the first of the season were from Windsor last week.

The property of the Victoria Coal Mining Company in Cape Breton was sold under execution on Wednesday last at the suit of W. J. Lewis, and others, for \$1,100. Mr. Allison Smith was the purchaser.

The School Examinations are now being held. The Brunswick street School is spoken of very highly as in advance of the other city schools.

At Sydney on Wednesday Dr. Allison was present at the formation a Teacher's Association, and delivered a masterly lecture in the Temperance Hall, on education to a large audience. A large number of teachers from all parts of the Island were present.

STRAWBERRIES and other good things at the Tabernacle on Wednesday evening. Come and help us.

PATENT FIRE PROOF ROOFING.—We would direct the attention to the "Brokenshire" Fire proof roofing advertised in another column. Mr. Fraser, the Agent, informs us that already several roofs have been put on with this improved material in this city, to the entire satisfaction of all concerned. The materials, it will be seen can be sent in barrels to any part of the provinces, and applied under directions from the Agent. We have seen a sample of the roofing, and it certainly looks like a substantial and durable article for the purpose, when compared with other materials now in use, with which it also compares favorably as regards cost.

WOLFVILLE SABBATH SCHOOL.—The half yearly financial report of this school was given in on Sunday last, showing a contribution by the children of \$26.27. This will be duplicated by the Superintendent so that the school will by that means raise over \$100.00 for 1880, for Missionary work. Some of the churches of our Association content themselves with contributions of about one-fourth of that sum. One of the children in India educated by this school has become a Christian teacher.

An oriental traveller describes this busy scene, witnessed on historic shores: "Our steamer landed on a beach which was the port of Antioch, where the disciples were first called Christians. There was no town at the water's edge, no people, no wharf. The passengers and the merchandies were put ashore in lighters, which ran up into the sand. A troop of camels with their drivers, lay on the beach, ready to transfer the goods into the interior. Among the articles landed were boxes marked 'Dr. J. C. AYER & Co., LOWELL, MASS., U. S. A.' showing that they contained medicines and whence they came. These with other goods were hoisted on the backs of camels, for transportation to Antioch. Thus the skill of the West sends back its remedies to heal the maladies of populations that inhabit those Eastern shores whence our spiritual manna came."—*Windsor (Vt.) Chronicle.*

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