WOLFVILLE.—Four young ladies from Acadia Seminary were received for baptism at the Conference Meeting on Saturday last. On Sunday evening, at the monthly missionary meeting, which has been observed for so many years, Prof. Jones read a very instructive paper on Boodhism.

LOWER GRANVILLE.—Rev. Isaiah Wallace writes: "It was my privilege to baptize six more converts on the 27th ult., making fifteen baptized into the fellowship of the Lower Granville Baptist Church since my return. Twelve of these are heads of families. And still the prospect brightens."

In Memoriam.

MRS. ROBERT DELAP.

It becomes my painful duty to inform your readers of our great loss in the death of our highly esteemed sister, Mrs. Robert Delap, who fell asleep in Jesus on Monday, the 20th Feb., 1882, at her residence at Granville Ferry. Her death seems more trying and sorrowful to her family and friends from its wonderful suddenness. Fifteen minutes from the time she first complained she was a corpse. Her death is supposed to have been caused by paralysis of the brain. She was 57 years of age, and had spent about forty of those years in fellowship with the Baptist Church in Lower Granville. She was indeed a mother in Israel, and a sister greatly beloved. Twenty years ago the writer on his first settlement in Granville, received from her a most cordial reception, and ever since, during his pastorate of ten years, and subsequently, he has found in her a true, sympathizing friend. Although her death has occasioned great sorrow in the community, and has overwhelmed her own dear family in heavy grief, there is an aspect in which her removal from us may be regarded that must excite in the hearts of her friends much thankfulness. She passed away without suffering, and was greatly relieved of the pangs of death. One moment she was cheerfully moving around in her pleasant home, attending to her household duties,—the next she had crossed the dark river, and was not, for the Lord had taken her.

She has left to mourn her departure a husband and four children, three daughters, all lovers and followers of their mother's Saviour, and one son, Captain Albert Delap, of the ship "John W. Parker," who will receive the sad tidings of his fond mother's death on his arrival in South America. She was the only surviving sister of our esteemed brother, W. M. Weatherspoon, Esq., who also feels deeply the bereavement. May the consolations of the religion of Jesus greatly sustain and comfort them, and may all hear the voice of God in this startling providence, saying, "Be ye also ready." Mrs. Delap's funeral, in consequence of a severe storm, was postponed until the 25th, and was largely attended, and was conducted by her pastor, assisted by Rev. Mr. Strothard, Wesleyan minister.—COM. BY REV. I. WALLACE.

News of the World.

Another dastardly attempt has been made on the life of Queen Victoria, with the same effect as the four previous ones, some years ago. It took place on Thursday last, as she was returning to Windsor Castle from the railway station. A large crowd had been awaiting the arrival of Her Majesty. She had walked across the platform, and had just entered her carriage with the Princess Beatrice. John Brown, her trusty servant, had taken his seat behind the carriage, and the carriage was moving away, when a man standing at the entrance of the station yard with a number of spectators, pointed a pistol at the carriage and fired, being about thirty paces from it. It was supposed that this was not known to the Queen before reaching Windsor Castle, but it was subsequently found that the Princess and John Brown saw the man point the pistol at the carriage. The pistol was knocked from the assassin's hand; he seemed preparing and intending to fire again. He was immediately captured by one of the crowd and handed to the police. The man was violently seized by the Superintendent of the Windsor police and the crowd, and was only rescued from the people by three or four other policemen coming to the assistance of the Superintendent.

The man gave his name as Roderick Maclean, 27 years of age. He was taken to the police station, and there was charged with shooting at the Queen with intent to do grievous bodily harm. He asked whether anyone was hurt, but the police refused to give him any information. After searching the yard at the railway station for an hour next morning the police found a small bullet inbedded in the ground. It bore marks of having first struck some other object. It was right in the direction of the spot over which the Queen's carriage was passing, having probably passed over the horses heads. Maclean states that he is a grocer's assistant. The doctors pronounce him to be sane. The revolver is a six-chambered Colt's American make. Two chambers were found to be loaded and two recently discharged. Fourteen ball cartridges were found on the prisoner. Maclean says hunger actuated him to the crime. He had walked from Portsmouth to London. Upon his person was found a purse containing a penny and three farthings, and a pocket-book containing the following entries: "Fourth Path, a novel by Maclean," and "Reynolds' newspaper gives as correct an idea of the wide difference that divides the people of England as any newspaper, and are the outspoken principles of an unbiased thinker. He was hooted at by a crowd of people while on his way to the town hall.

Two letters written by the prisoner were read. In the first, which was written before the shooting, he said he was compelled to commit a crime against the "bloated aristocracy," because of the insufficiency of relief offered him.

Maclean's antecedents show that he is eccentric and addicted to drink.

An eye witness of the shooting states that Maclean was observed fumbling in his pocket while the Queen was being helped into the carriage, but the pressure of the crowd prevented him from raising his arm while the carriage was in motion. The same cause made him aim very wide. The bullet found in the station yard weighs about one-thirteenth of an ounce. It has been compared with others found on Maclean and corresponds with them exactly. Before the revolver was seized the prisoner had brought another loaded chamber opposite the hammer.

It appears that he roughly endeavored to force his way through the Eton College scholars, who were at the station, to a good position, to await the passage of the Queen, and the consequent hustling prevented his having an opportunity to fire when he might have done so, with a worse result. There are various accounts as to whether his arm was struck while firing or after he had fired.

On the arrival of the Queen at Windsor Castle, she sent the following despatch to the Prince of Wales at Marlborough House: "In case exaggerated reports should reach you, I telegraph to say that as I drove from the station here a man shot at the carriage, but fortunately hurt no one. He was instantly seized. I am none the worse."

The Queen also ordered an equerry to proceed to the depot to inquire if any one had been hurt. The Eaton scholars were prominent in an attempt to lynch Maclean. The Right Hon. Sir Henry F. Ponsonby, Queen's secretary, proceeded to the police station, and after obtaining all information possible telegraphed to Mr. Gladstone the facts of the assault. It is understood that the Queen had not sustained any shock, and held the usual dinner party at night.

It was the next morning officially announced that the Queen passed a good night, and was in no way affected by the attempt.

The Cabinet sent a despatch to Windsor expressing gratification at the the failure of the attempt at assassination.

Resolutions expressing horror at the attempt were passed at various meetings in London and the Provinces, including a meeting of Irishmen. The Czar, the the Empress of Austria, and Emperor William of Germany telegraphed messages of sympathy.

At the court theatre in the evening, the Prince of Wales and suite being present, Mr. Clayton, the Manager, read to the audience the news of the attack on the Queen and Her Majesty's safety. The National Anthem was then played amid loud demonstrations of approval.

At an adjourned meeting of representative Irishmen from all parts of the metropolis, which was held in London to arrange for a great national demonstration on St. Patrick's Day, a resolution was passed, repudiating and deploring the attempted assassination.

There is much excitement in Irish circles in London. The outrage is universally condemned in the most emphatic manner.

The police have ascertained that Maclean was formerly in the Wells Lunatic Asylum and was only discharged in September last. A solicitor has written to the Mayor of Windsor stating that he defended a man named Roderick Maclean at Maidstone in 1874 charged with attempting to upset a train.

The *News* says that it may be now pretty safely concluded that Maclean is insane. The London police have received information that he was incarcerated in a Dublin asylum for many months.

On Friday the United States minister, Mr. Lowell, tendered to the Queen the following; The President and people of the United States congratulate Her Majesty on having been providentially protected from the assassin. Remembering the sympathy of Her Majesty and the British people in our recent national bereavement, the feeling of indignation, and thankfulness for the Queen's safety is deep and universal. (Signed) FRELINGHUYSEN.

Telegrams have continued to reach Windsor, from all parts of the world expressive of thanksgiving at the failure of the attempt on the life of the Queen. His worship Mayor Fraser of Halifax sent a telegraph message on behalf of the citizens.

It is stated that Mr. Parnell has completed a week's solitary confinement in consequence of the warden charging him with trying to bribe him to smuggle a letter out of prison. Parnell denies the charge.

The Queen's monument to the late Lord Beaconsfield, just erected in Hughenden Church, bears the following inscription:—"This memorial is placed here by a grateful and affectionate sovereign and friend, Victoria, R.—Kings love him that speaketh right."

Ten Nihilist prisoners, including one woman, who have been on trial at St. Petersburg for some days past, on various charges, have been sentenced to death.

A Shanghai paper says China is steadily increasing her armament in view of an imminent war with Japan.

On Thursday, the Senate at Washington, confirmed the nomination of Conkling as Judge of the Supreme Court and ex-Senator Sargent as Minister to Germany.

Reports come from the Western States of fearful loss of life and cattle by the floods.

Fifteen people were drowned at Riverton Landing, by a flood, and a settlement of 150 people on Bogne Pholia, East of Riverton, surrounded by water and will probably be engulfed. The River now extends, a mean width of 250 miles.

At Helena, Ark., forty persons were drowned, and not less 30,000 heads of stock drowned, and a large number of those that escaped the flood are dying.

In Oultman County Miss., 1,500 cattle were drowned, and the loss will be far greater if the water remains high a great length of time. By the break of the levee of Riverton, Miss., the country will be flooded. Fully 30,000 people will be overflowed, and the probable loss cannot be estimated.

A Chicago despatch says two tramps were killed outright, and eight others fatally injured, by the ditching of a freight car on which they were stealing a ride, near Joliet, on Monday.

Two colored men, driven from home by the flood, were drowned in an old boat at Cairo, Ill., on Monday.

A telegram from Memphis on Wednesday, says from Cairo, Ill., to Vicksburg, Miss., there is scarcely anything to be seen but a watery waste, extending in many localities fifteen miles into the interior from either bank. The damage to farming interests cannot now be estimated. Thousands of cattle and other stock were drowned, and hundreds are daily dying of starvation. The inhabitants of the bottom lands have been driven from their homes, and are now existing as best they may on the ridges, where hastily built huts afford them shelter.

At Hampstead, Texas, a severe storm occurred on Wednesday last, by which trees were uprooted, buildings unroofed, the Baptist and Catholic churches badly injured, and the residence of Dr. Cochran lifted and carried ten yards. A number of other houses were partly destroyed.

A statement of the public debt of the United States, shows a decrease during February of $9,783,511 63.

At a magazine near Bolivar, N. Y., on Tuesday last, while unloading cans of nitroglycerine from a waggon, an explosion took place, killing John Grant and Wm. Orcutt. The wagon was torn to kindlings, and the two horses were killed. The front of the magazine, containing 1,000 pounds of glycerine, was torn off but the compound did not explode.

Home News.

Dominion of Canada.

On Wednesday the House of Commons suspended the rules of the House to pass the Bill providing that all Bill Stamps shall be redeemable up to June 30th next. The bill was read three times and passed.

Mr. Domvile in moving for papers respecting the Winter terminus of the I. C. R. said it was a matter of indifference to the people of St. John, where the terminus was, so long as it was some where in the Lower Provinces, but they did not want to be kept in suspense about the matter, for that could not but detrimentally affect their trade.

The reception of the news of the shooting at the Queen created intense excitement on Friday at Ottawa. Sir John made the announcement in the House of Commons; a congratulatory address to Her Majesty was introduced in the Senate and send to the Commons for concurrence. It was adopted and transmitted by cable to Her Majesty.

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