

THE RIOTS RENEWED AT BYTOWN.—*Montreal, Sept. 26.*—I hasten to inform you that news has just reached here that the riots at Bytown have been renewed. The two parties have met and a terrible conflict ensued. Numbers have been dreadfully wounded, and eight lives are already reported to be lost. The greatest excitement is breaking out in this city, and as we have not yet obtained details of the unfortunate collision, we fear that much worse results are yet to follow. I will send you a dispatch with fuller intelligence, as soon as it is obtained.—We fear the worst, but may God protect us from more bloodshed.—[N. Y. Sea.]

Late intelligence from Yucatan reports that England is about to intervene for the pacification of the Peninsula, by virtue of a contract with the President of the Republic, on condition that the fort of Bucalios and jurisdiction be ceded to England. Another report states that the Yucatan Government will reject the intervention on the proposed basis.

A civil war broke out at Nicaragua, producing a considerable panic, but the Government was expected to be able to suppress it.

Accounts from Jamaica state that the principal merchants of that place had requested the United States Consul to solicit our Government for establishment of regular mail communications between New York and Kingston.—*New Orleans paper.*

THE BRITISH COLONIES.—We do not undertake to say what will be the issue of the difficulties, as between colony and mother country, in which most of the principal British dependencies are involved; that is no part of our business and might seem invidious, whatever conclusion we should arrive at. But it is part of our business to watch the course of events, and from time to time report to our readers of occurrences and their probable bearing and result.

The subject largely occupies the attention of the London journals, but we are constrained to say that in general their discoursing upon it does not evince any large degree of accurate information or sound judgment. In the case of the two principal colonies, for instance—Canada and Jamaica—an extravagant and even absurd jealousy of our republic enters considerably into the discussions; as if the United States took any active part in the origination of the colonial discontents, while in truth their agency is almost wholly passive, though we are willing to admit that it is to a small extent efficacious. It consists in this—The British colonies cannot help contrasting their difficulties and troubles with the magnificent prosperity of the states comprised in our Union; and they cannot help drawing the conclusion, more or less determinately, that whereas the colonies, component parts of one great empire, are beset with embarrassments and distress, the States, also component parts of one great empire are marching on in an unequalled career of prosperity and power, there must be some defect in the system upon which the affairs of one empire are conducted, at least in those particulars which belong to the arrangement between the component parts and the aggregate whole.—*New York Commercial Advertiser.*

FOR CALIFORNIA.—The ship *Cordoba* sailed from Boston last week for San Francisco, with 100 passengers, and a cargo of lumber, bricks, ship's boats, &c. Six of the passengers take their wives with them, and one young widow, (Mrs. Bartlett, of Plymouth) with one child, who has a brother in the company, goes with him. There is one lawyer and two doctors in the company, also carpenters, coopers, blacksmiths, &c. The ship has on deck one of Fisher's new patent machines for making salt water fresh, a very useful article at sea.

LARGEST CHURCHES.—The Ninth Presbyterian Church of Philadelphia is the largest church in connection with the General Assembly. It reports 754 communicants; the next largest is under the pastoral care of Dr. Spring, New York city, reported 674 members. The next largest, is First Church, Elizabethtown, New Jersey, under the pastoral care of the Rev. Dr. Nicholas Murray, and consists of 656 communicants.

The largest Synod in the Presbyterian Church is that of Philadelphia, which has 8 Presbyteries, 179 ministers, 227 churches, and 27,300 communicants.

The admirers of the late Rev. Dr. Chalmers are contributing to the erection of a memorial to him at Anstruther, in Fife, the place of his birth. The memorial is to consist of a handsome free church, with a lofty tower.

Since the disruption in 1843, the Free Church of Scotland has, in its denominational capacity, collected one million eight hundred and sixty-six thousand pounds, for church purposes.

AGRICULTURAL.—We still continue to hear from all around us, gratifying accounts of the Crops.—Every year proves the capabilities of our soil to raise almost every necessary and many of the luxuries of life, which the croakers in olden times, without giving the climate and soil a chance, said it was impossible to cultivate 'so far north.' Large quantities of Indian Corn, of a very superior description, have been raised in this and the neighbouring counties of Kent, Gloucester and Restigouche; and one day last week we saw some Onions exposed for sale in Chatham which was raised in Kouchibouguac, of a quality as fine as any ever imported into this port. We put three of them into the scales, and they weighed a pound.—*Miramichi Gleaner.*

IMPORTANT DISCOVERY.

A surgeon of Gottingen has discovered a complete antidote to arsenic. It is peroxyde, or the red oxyde of iron, twelve parts of which neutralize one of oxyde of arsenic. Experiments with this antidote have been tried upon rabbits and other animals with complete success. One advantage of it is, that no injury

can be done by too large a dose. In cases where large quantities of arsenic have been taken, it has been found useful to encourage vomiting.

We have received from L. H. D'Veber, Esq., the 45th Annual Report of the British and Foreign Bible Society.

It is with the greatest satisfaction that a Christian must peruse the doings of this noble Institution. The Report appears full of the most encouraging incidents, indicating the strong and prevailing desire throughout Europe especially for the word of God; the following summary will be read with interest.

"The Issues of the year have amounted to ONE MILLION ONE HUNDRED AND SEVEN THOUSAND FIVE HUNDRED AND EIGHTEEN.

From the depot at home 802,133

From the depots abroad 395,385

The total Issues have now amounted to TWENTY-ONE MILLION NINE HUNDRED AND SEVENTY-THREE THOUSAND THREE HUNDRED AND FIFTY-FIVE COPIES.

Included in the GRANTS made, have been gratuitous supplies for Schools of 4338 Bibles and 7431 Testaments; and among the Schools it may be further stated, many copies have been confided to the managers of Ragged Schools.

For the use of EMIGRANTS from our own country there have been supplied the following:—1357 Bibles and 2172 Testaments.

Convicts have also been supplied as usual; and you will be glad to know that Dr. Brown has again proceeded as Surgeon Superintendent in the "Hasheiny," and has been supplied with 237 copies.

For FOREIGN SEAMEN visiting our ports 1865 volumes have been granted.

If the MERCHANT SEAMEN'S Auxiliary Bible Society does not enrich the Society by a return of Free Contributions; and if it sometimes requires the remission of a debt, as in the present year: it renders service by the diligently-pursued labours of its Agents.

A gentleman adverted to in former Reports has again been permitted to purchase 1400 Testaments, for distribution in Wesleyan Schools at half the cost price.

The LONDON JEWS' SOCIETY, the BRITISH JEWS' SOCIETY, the LONDON and other MISSIONARY Societies, with kindred Institutions, have been supplied to the extent of 5658 volumes. The STRANGERS' FRIEND SOCIETY has received 500 Bibles and Testaments; and the IRISH SOCIETY of London 350 Irish Bibles and Testaments.

The GLASGOW Auxiliary has remitted this year the sum of £400, and has made an application for 800 Gaelic Bibles and Testaments, which have been supplied.

To the ISLE OF MAN there have been sent 300 copies of the Manx Scriptures.

The HIBERNIAN BIBLE SOCIETY reports: "Our issues during the year were 99,464 copies of the Scriptures, and 16,134 copies were disseminated by Colportage: the total issued by the latter means amounts to 99,000; and the total from the commencement of the Society to 1,712,923.

The SUNDAY-SCHOOL SOCIETY for IRELAND has made its wonted application, which has been cheerfully attended to by grants of 27,500 copies. The Society has purchased 600 copies."

Our agents and subscribers must allow us a word; we fear they forget their good resolutions; we expected immediate remittances after the Association from many from whom we have nothing as yet. It is very irksome and trying to sit under the Editor's responsibility, and have so few willing to bear a share of the burden. We assure our friends we are very much in need of what is now due.

LETTERS RECEIVED.—Rev. W. D. Fitch; Rev. D. Crandal, with remittance; brother J. V. Tabor; brother J. Ferguson, with remittance; Mr D. Purinton; V. Graves, with remittance; J. Chipman; Rev. W. Hall. [The books had been sent immediately upon their receipt.] Rev. S. Elder, with remittance.

Monies received for American and Foreign Bible Society, Dr. Fitch, £6. For Mission amongst the French, T. McHenry, £1; Rev. A. McDonald, by J. P. Wells, 15s; Jared Smith, 10s

NOTICE.

Will you please give notice of our general meeting to commence at Bucktouce on Tuesday 16th of October at 2 P. M., also our Quarterly Meeting of the Missionary Board

to commence at Moncton on Tuesday the 23rd October at 2 P. M., we hope our brethren will be punctual to attend as things of importance will be on hand. D. CRANDAL.

MARRIED.

At Courtenay Bay, on the 25th ult., by the Rev. R. Irvine, Mr. Samuel Parks, of the firm of William Parks & Son, to Margaret, eldest daughter of James Smith, Esq.

On Saturday, 22d ult., by the Rev. Samuel Robinson, Mr. G. W. A. Thring, to Elizabeth, fourth daughter of Mr. Charles Mantle, all of this City.

On Tuesday evening, by the same, Captain Jacob Fritz, of the brig *Emily*, to Eliza Jane, second daughter of Capt. Caleb Slocumb, all of this City.

On Tuesday evening, by W. W. Eaton, Mr. Robert Lewis Hewitt, to Miss Julia Ann Rebecca Van Horne, both of this City.

On the 29th ult., by the Rev. S. Robinson, Mr. William Carpenter, of this City, to Miss Charlotte, third daughter of the late Mr. Joseph Gough, of Fredericton.

On the 27th ult., by the Rev. Robert Irvine, Mr. Wm. Burden, of Cornwallis, Nova-Scotia, to Ann, second daughter of Mr. Charles McAfee, of Portland.

At Carleton, on Sunday, 23d ult., by the Rev. Henry Daniel, Mr. Thomas Robertson, of the Parish of Portland, to Miss Susan Theal, of the former place.

At St. Patrick's Church, Providence, (R. I.) on the 22d ult., by the Rev. William Wylie, Mr. Arthur French, of this City, to Mary Frances, eldest daughter of Daniel Hourigan, Esq., of Limerick, Ireland.

At Christ Church, Montreal, on the 13th ult. by the Rev. W. A. Adamson, John Salisbury Davenport, Esq., Deputy Assistant Commissary General, son of S. r Salisbury Davenport, of Bramall Hall, Cheshire, to Anne Jane, eldest daughter of the Hon. Sir Allan Napier MacNab, of Dundurn Castle, Canada West.

DIED.

On the 13th ultimo, Charles, infant son of Mr John Weldon, aged 3 months.

On the 19th ultimo, Mrs Mary Weldon, wife of Mr John Weldon, aged 24 years.

On the 22d ult., Robert, infant son of Mr. John W. Craig, aged four months and seventeen days.

On Sunday morning, 23d ult., Louisa, aged 10 months and 27 days, daughter of Mr. John R. Hunter, of this City.

On Tuesday night last, after a tedious illness, Mr. Thos. Bell, aged 51 years.

In Portland, on Sunday night, 23d ult., after a tedious illness, Margaret, daughter of Mr. Thomas Spence, aged 15 years.

At Carleton, on Thursday evening, Mr. George McAuley, in the 55th year of his age, after a severe and lingering illness of three months, which he bore with pious resignation to the Divine will. He has left a wife and six children, and a large circle of relatives and friends to mourn their loss.

At West Lebanon, New Hampshire, U. S., on the 13th September, in the 37th year of her age, Janet, wife of Mr. Daniel Johnston, formerly of Fredericton. Mrs. Johnston was a native of Hamilton, Lunarkshire, Scotland, and came to this Province with her brother, then commanding the ship "Waterloo," in the year 1828. She was converted to God under the Ministry of the Wesleyan Methodists in the City of Saint John. In the early part of the following year, and has adorned her profession in prosperity, and in adversity, by an uniformly consistent life. She died in the full triumph of faith and hope, to a glorious resurrection, through the merits and mediation of Jesus Christ her Lord, leaving a husband and seven children to lament their irreparable loss.

PORT OF SAINT JOHN.

ARRIVED.

Friday—Schr. Francis, Carman, St. Thomas, 13—Thos. Hanford, molasses, sugar, and salt.

Somerville, Dodge, Boston, 3—Master, ballast.

Pandora, Whelpley, Boston, 2—Master, flour and cordage.

Steamer Maid of Erin, Leavitt, Easiport—Thomas Parks, passengers and merchandise.

Saturday—Schr. Mary, Malony, Portland, 3—Master, ball.

Sunday—Ship Unicorn, Irvine, Liverpool, 23—Jas. Smith, general cargo.

Monday—Barque May, Ritchey, Dublin, Chas. McLauchlan, ballast.

Schr. Eliza Jane, McLean, Hallowell, 3—Master, ballast.

CLEARED.

23th—Ship The Duke, Welch, Cork, timber and deals—R. Rankin & Co.; Schr. Belle of Indian Town, Graham, Eastport, Grand Lake coal—Berton Brothers.

29th—Brigt. Emily, Fritz, Alexandria, plaster and lumber—J. V. Troop; Schr. Lord David, Corriveau, Quebec, ballast—Master.

Oct. 1st—Ship Hercules, Newton, Cork, timber and deals; schr. Olive Branch, Francis, Boston, scantling and scrapiron.

2d—Ship Delta, Gover, Liverpool, timber and deals—S. Wiggins & Son; Barque Cornwall, Charles, Plymouth, timber and deals—S. Wiggins & Son; Heather Bell, Jenkins, Limerick, timber and deals—S. Wiggins & Son; Brigt. Mountaineer, Hall, New York, lumber and spars—Allison & Spurr.

SAILINGS FOR ST. JOHN.—Sept. 5th, Grace, Hodgson, from Maryport; 7th, Daring, Waterbury, from Glasgow; 8th, Douglas, Brown, from Deal.

Ship James Stewart, Kenny, from London, for St. John, passed the Downs on the 8th inst.—At Deal, 10th, ship Lesmahagow, Gaskin, from London, for St. John; off Spurr, 10th, Java, Duffy, from Grimsby, for do.

Sailed from Liverpool, Sept. 11th, ship Woodstock, Blair, New Orleans.—From Glasgow, 6th, brig Velocity, Cook, Boston; 10th, barque Ann, Scott, do.—From Dublin, 11th, barque Enterprise, Lyons, New York.

Arrived at Liverpool, Sept. 9th, ship Britannia, Coulthart, Quebec; 10th, Lord Wellington, Winsled, do.; Cynthia, Boultonhouse, Dorchester.—At Bristol, 11th, Oceola, Healy, Miramichi.

Glasgow, Sept. 13.—The Prince of Wales, Facey, which sailed for St. John on the 5th inst., got ashore on Rathlin Island, in a fog, and had to put back and discharge her cargo to undergo repairs. She is now nearly ready for sea again.

TO HOUSE-JOINERS.

TENDERS will be received until Tuesday 9th inst., at 3 o'clock, P. M., for the finishing of the out-side of the Baptist Chapel, Carleton, the work to be completed on or before the 15th of April, 1850.

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August 10.

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Quarters commence on the 1st of August, November, February, and May.

EDMUND HILLYER DUVAL

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