

NEW-BRUNSWICK DISTRICT MEETING.—The Wesleyan Ministers, members of the New-Brunswick District Committee, met at Bridge-Town on Thursday 31st May, according to their annual usage, when the various important business in relation to their section of the Christian Church was brought under examination, and such action taken as, in prayerful consideration, was apprehended to be most useful. Twenty-five out of the twenty-six brethren who comprise the Committee, were present, and by them it was felt to be cause of devout thankfulness, that by a gracious Providence they were "spared another year," and after its toils and dangers and, in many cases, afflictions, were brought again together in peace.

The year has been, as most will suppose, a year of considerable anxiety. Depression, bearing upon our whole provincial population, has been felt no less painfully by our Church. The results of the year, as it respects finance, have not been more painful than our apprehensions suggested as probable; and though some hundreds of our members have been compelled to seek in other parts a subsistence denied them in these, the decrease of our members is only 23.

The spiritual state of our Societies is reported on as improved and improving, especially where our peculiar means of grace are conscientiously attended.

Two young men, Robert Alder Temple, and William Tweedy, taken last year upon the President's list of reserve, are recommended to the Conference to be taken out this year—i. e. at the ensuing Conference.

We believe that the amount of subscriptions to the District Auxiliary Missionary Society were much the same as last year.

Accompanying is the list of appointments for the current year, viz:—

St. John, South.—Richard Knight, Chairman of the District; Robert Conney, Secretary of District Missionary Society.

St. John, North.—Sampson Busby.
St. John, West, &c.—Henry Daniel, James Taylor.
FREDERICTON.—William Temple, Secretary.
NASHUA.—Robert A. Temple.
SHEFFIELD.—William Smith.
ST. STEPHEN'S, &c.—George M. Barratt.
MILL-TOWN.—Hugham Sutcliffe.
ST. ANDREW'S.—George Miller.
SACKVILLE.—James G. Hennigar.
POINT-DE-BUTE.—William Smithson.
PEDIQUONDIAC.—Robert A. Chesley.
HOPEWELL.—William Allen.
SUSSEX VALE.—Joseph F. Bent.
ANNAPOLIS.—Michael Pickles.
BRIDGE-TOWN.—Arthur McNutt.
AYLESFORD.—Richard Shepherd.
WOODSTOCK & ANDOVER.—John Allison, W. Tweedy.
MIRAMICHI.—George Johnson.
RICHIBUCTO.—John Prince.
BATHURST.—Christopher Lockhart.
WESLEYAN ACADEMY, Mount Allison, Westmorland.—Humphrey Pickard, A. M., (Financial Secretary.) Principal; Albert Desbrisay, Chaplain.—[Communicated to the Halifax Wesleyan.]

The Rev. Mr. Knight, Chairman of the New-Brunswick District, who has resided here for the last two years, took his departure for his new appointment, that of Saint John, yesterday morning. The Rev. gentleman bears with him the good wishes not only of his own Church members, but we believe of every individual in this community. The Rev. Mr. Temple, who succeeds him on this Circuit, arrived on Tuesday evening.—*Fredericton Reporter.*

MELANCHOLY ACCIDENT.—Last Thursday afternoon, a lad of about 14 years of age, son of Mr. Joseph Robinson, carpenter, was unfortunately drowned in the Marsh Creek, having been persuaded by another boy to venture into the water beyond his depth.

CHILD RUN OVER.—On Friday morning a child of Mr. Donahue, Lower Cove, 17 months old, was run over and instantly killed by a cart, driven by a son of Mr. John Hamilton, of the Marsh. The accident happened near the Ordnance gate, and we are informed that it was the result of no carelessness on the part of the driver.—*New-Brun.*

COMMISSARIAT DEPARTMENT.—Alexander Edwards, Esquire, Deputy Assistant Commissary General, who has had charge of the Department in this City for several years past, went passenger in the Steamer *Commodore*, for Windsor, on Monday evening 2d inst, en route to Halifax, to which station he has been transferred. He is succeeded in the charge of the Department in this Garrison by Assistant Commissary General J. W. Wybault, who arrived recently from England with his lady and family.—*Cour.*

The next and succeeding English Mails are to be brought by express from Halifax, by the Messrs. King, who have taken the Contract for their conveyance to this Province.

Great famine prevails in Gaspé. Two persons it is stated have already died of starvation, and many others are in a most enfeebled state, and not expected to live.

The Mail Steamer *Canada* arrived at Boston on Wednesday evening, at about nine o'clock, without any warning of her approach—the people being all engaged in celebrating Independence day. The telegraph wires not being in working order, there was no intimation of her arrival at Halifax.

A street fight lately occurred in St. Louis between funeral trains, in which all joined, men, women and children.

NOTICE.

A QUARTERLY MEETING will be held with the Baptist Church at Macan, beginning on Thursday, the 19th July, at 2 o'clock, P. M. Ministering brethren and others are respectfully invited to attend.

JAMES ATKESON,

Macan, N. S. June 13th, 1849.

At a Court of Common Council, holden at the City Hall of the City of St. John, on Tuesday the third day of July, A. D. 1849.

It is moved by Alderman VanHorne, that a Committee be appointed to prepare the Draft of a Petition to the Queen, praying Her Majesty to disallow the Act, passed at the last Session of the Legislature of the Province, entitled "An Act in further amendment of the Charter of the City of Saint John," and the Motion being seconded by Assistant Alderman Beateay, the question is put thereon, and the Board divides as follows, viz:

YEAS.—Aldermen VanHorne, Harding, and Wetmore, and Assistant Aldermen Beateay, Hagarty, and Littlehale.

NAYS.—Aldermen Needham and Smith, and Assistant Alderman Keans;

It is therefore decided in the affirmative: and Aldermen VanHorne and Harding, and Assistant Alderman Beateay, are appointed a Committee for that purpose.

On Motion of Alderman Needham, seconded by Assistant Alderman Keans, that a Committee be appointed to prepare the Draft of a Petition to Her Majesty to sanction the Act passed at the last Session of the Legislature, entitled "An Act in further amendment of the Charter of the City of Saint John," the question being put, the following division takes place, viz:

YEAS.—Aldermen Needham and Smith, and Assistant Alderman Keans.

NAYS.—Aldermen VanHorne, Harding, and Wetmore, and Assistant Aldermen Beateay, Hagarty, and Littlehale; It is therefore decided in the negative.

Moved by Alderman Needham, seconded by Assistant Alderman Keans, and thereupon Ordered that the foregoing decisions be immediately published in all the City Newspapers.

Extract from the Minutes.

J. WILLIAM BOYD,
Common Clerk.

MARRIED.

On Thursday evening, by the Rev. Samuel Robison, Mr. Aaron Clark, to Miss Martha Elizabeth, eldest daughter of Mr. Nelson Bogart, all of this City.

In Portland, on Sunday last, by the Rev. S. Jones Hanford, Missionary at Andover, Mr. James N. Stevens, to Elizabeth Kirkpatrick, both of Portland.

At Ricker's Point, County of Albert, on the 17th ult., by the Rev. James Wallace, Mr. Noah Steeves, to Miss Lucia, third daughter of Mr. Simon Outhouse, all of that place.

At the same place, on the 26th ult., by the same, Mr. John Whoor, to Miss Zemy, second daughter of Mr. Simon Outhouse, all of the above place.

At Coverdale, on the 20th ult., by the Rev. William Allen, James Ryan, Esq., to Miss Elizabeth, third daughter of Jacob Trites, Esq., all of that Parish.

At Hillsborough, on the 20th ult., by the same, Charles Trites, Esq., to Miss Ann, second daughter of Geo. Steeves, Esq., of that place.

At Fredericton, on the 3d inst., by the Rev. John M. Brooke, Mr. David Reid, Hospital Sergeant, Royal Regiment, to Miss Ann Atkin, of that city.

DIED.

On Thursday, Isaac, son of Mr. Joseph Robinson, in the 12th year of his age.

On Friday morning, Mr. Patrick McCallen, aged 29 years, a native of the County Tyrone, Ireland.

Suddenly, yesterday, Mr. James Burrill, aged 50 years.—Funeral to-morrow, (Wednesday,) at 4 o'clock.

On Sunday morning last, Samuel, son of Mr. J. M. Robertson, aged 9 months.

At Fredericton, on the 11th ult., Mr. Jacob Segee, aged 62 years.

At Douglas, County of York, on the 16th ult., after a short but severe illness, Benjamin Reed, Esquire, aged 72 years.

At Kingsclear, on the 22d ult., Mrs. Olivia Camber, wife of Mr. William Camber, in the 72d year of her age, deeply lamented by a numerous circle of relatives.

OBITUARY.

Died, on Wednesday the 11th instant, of bilious fever, after a severe illness of a few days, Mrs. Rebecca Troop, relict of the late Valentine C. Troop, of this city, in the 65th year of her age. The deceased was a member of the First Baptist Church in this city, and united with the same soon after its organization, and continued (with the exception of a few years residence in Nova-Scotia) a devoted and respectable member, for the last 35 years.—Mrs. T. has ever entertained the most lively feelings towards God's ministers, and the Church of which she was a member, especially when in its infant state, and has done all in her power to promote and advance the interest of the denomination by a steady adherence to the cause she had espoused. She left the world peaceful and glorious, obtaining the victory over death through our Lord Jesus Christ. She leaves a large circle of mourning relatives and Christian friends to lament their sudden bereavement.—Funeral to take place this-day, Friday, at 4 o'clock.

PORT OF SAINT JOHN.

ARRIVED.

Friday—Ship Perthshire, Tait, Liverpool, 46—John Robertson, general cargo.

Brigt. Juvena, Reed, New York, 12—T. McCarthy, flour, wheat, &c.

Barque Pearl, Morris, Savannah, 13—S. Wiggins & Son, pitch pine timber.

Steamer Admiral, Hutchins, Boston, 27 hours—Thomas Parks, passengers and merchandise.

Saturday—Barque Ann Hall, Fern, Liverpool, 35—James Kirk, salt and coals.

Ship Arab, Lewis, Liverpool, 33—James Smith, general cargo.

Brigt. Iris, Mann, New York, 7—H. Gilbert, wheat.

Haatsport, Holms, Philadelphia, 9—J. M. Hamilton, flour, meal, &c.

Sunday—Brigt. Integrity, Stephenson, New York, 5—S. Wiggins & Son, ballast.

Scar. Kate, McMullin, New York, 7—J. V. Troop, flour, pork, &c.

Olive Branch, Thomson, Providence, 4—master, ballast.

Rising Sun, Bissett, Hallowell, 4—G. Eaton, flour, &c.

Wm. Allen, Bennett, Westmorland, for England.
Franklin Adams, Felker, Boston, 4—order, ballast.
Deborah, Power, Boston, 3—C. McLaughlan, do.
Schr. Hero, Eaton, Boston, 3—order, do.
Tuesday—Brigt. L. R. Palmer, Park, Boston,—master, do.

CLEARED.

July 4th—Barque Nova Scotian, Corning, London, deals—Joseph Fairweather; William Carson, Vaughan, Bristol, deals—Wm. Carvill.

5th—Ship Java, Duffy, Grimsby, deals—James Kirk; brigt. Velocity, Cook, Glasgow, deals and boards—Joseph Fairweather; schr. Joseph Howe, Lockner, New York, timber, laths, &c.; Pandora, Whelpley, Boston, boards.

6th—Brigt. Margaret, Hill, Gloucester, (U. S.), salt—G. Thomas; schr. John Nelson, Brayley, Cork, deals; Brunswick Lion, Craft, Lubec, cordwood.

7th—Barque John, Hutchins, Plymouth, timber and deals—Lunt & Pickup; brigt. Margery, Boag, Newcastle, timber and deals—R. Rankin & Co.

7th—Ship Token, Nourse, London, deals and ballings; Sir Chas. Napier, Humble, London, deals; Barque Portland, Stalker, Liverpool, deals and sleepers; John, Hutchins, Plymouth, timber and deals; Brigt. Margery, Boag, Newcastle, do.; Schr. Monclova, Freuch, Boston, lumber; Hero, Flewelling, Rockport, salt.

9th—Brigt. Gazelle, Stewart, Liverpool, deals.

10th—Ship Consul, Smith, Liverpool, deals and sleepers—Eaton & Ray; Brigt. Fashion, Douglas, Barbadoes, lumber—R. Rankin & Co.

ARRIVALS FROM ST. JOHN.—June 14th, Sovereign and Avon, at Hull; Joanna, at Grangemouth; 15th, British Queen, at Londonderry; 16th, Exporter, at Leith; 17th, Admiral, at Liverpool; 18th, Corinthian, at Deal; Pageant, at Liverpool; 19th, Charlotte, in the Clyde; Marys, at Lancaster; 20th, Lisbon, at Gravesend; 22d, Columbus, at Liverpool.

VESSELS SAILED FOR ST. JOHN.—June 15th, Ocean, from Castletown; Eulas, do.; 21st, Frederick, from Deal. Loading at Liverpool, June 23d, ships Admiral and Zetland, for St. John.

Sailed from Liverpool, June 15th, ship Bombay, Morton, Staten Island; 17th, William Vail, Wishart, Quebec; Sea, Lawson, Portsmouth and Sydney, N. S. W.; 18th, Boadicea, Leavitt, Staten Island; Montezuma, Leavitt, Quebec; 20th, John Fielden, Strang, Staten Island; from Glasgow, 18th, Charlotte, Vasey, Quebec.—From Londonderry, 20th, Ormoco, Kenny, Emden.—From Londonderry, 20th, Delta, Gover, Philadelphia.

At Kingstown, 19th, ship California, Lawson, to take in passengers for Quebec.

Off Dover, June 21st, brigt. Elizabeth Hastings, Gault, 90 days from Buenos Ayres, for London, all well.

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JAMES HUNTER,
JOHN CHALONER

May 23d, 1849.

The Undersigned has commenced business on his own account and will continue the APOTHECARY and DRUG BUSINESS, as successor to HUNTER & CHALONER, at the old stand, No. 16, King Street. He will endeavour by personal superintendence of all matters entrusted to his charge, to merit a continuance of the very liberal patronage bestowed upon the late Firm. He has received a supply of Garden SEEDS and DRUGS per Lisbon, which he will be happy to dispose of on very reasonable terms.

JOHN CHALONER.

May 25th, 1849.

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ISRAEL MERRITT,

May 22.

Agent.

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GENT'S furnishing Goods, &c. &c. consisting in part of—

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Chairman of Committee.

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May 29.