

tion. Fisheries,—and Provincial Penitentiary, Orphan House, and House of Industry.

The business hitherto transacted in the House of Assembly can be very briefly detailed.

On Dec. 30, various Committees were appointed. Jan. 1, no business was transacted. Jan. 2. The answer to His Excellency's Speech was passed. The Grand Jury Bill was forwarded, and a Committee was appointed to enquire into the causes of the Neglect of the law of 1828. Jan. 3. Some routine business was attended to. Bills introduced, petitions presented, and Chairmen of Committees of the whole House appointed. Jan. 4. The Jury Bill passed through a Committee of the whole. Copies of Despatches were laid before the House; correspondence connected with them. These were read, and ordered to be printed. Jan. 5. Sunday. Jan. 6. The report of the Assembly's Delegate was read, and the thanks of the House were voted, without division, to the Delegates. Jan. 7. The House met and adjourned. Jan. 8. A resolution in favor of Assessment for purposes of Education, introduced a conversation, in which opinions seemed generally in favor of the mode. Notice of Bills was given, and some Petitions presented. The House has been chiefly occupied in routine business; Committees are making progress in matters before them; some days generally elapse at the commencement of Sessions, before the main subjects are taken up.—*Pearl*.

MARRIAGES.

On Sunday, Dec. 22nd, by the Rev. Mr. Uniacke, Mr. John Harris, to Miss Elizabeth Vincove, both of this place.

At Hammond Plains, on Thursday evening, by the Rev. Mr. Gray, Mr. James Melvin, to Miss Susan L. Johnson, both of that place.

At Rawdon, on the 24th December, by the Rev. George W. Morris, Mr. Thomas Moxon, junr. to Miss Lucy L. second daughter of Benjamin Smith, Esq.

On Wednesday evening, January 1st, by the Rev. Mr. Cogswell, Mr. William Pobute, of Windsor, to Miss Cecilia, M. Bowil, of Halifax.

On Tuesday evening, by the Rev. Mr. Loughlan, Mr. Andrew Murphy, to Margaret Ann, only daughter of the late Lieutenant Ridgway, R. N.

On November 22nd, by the Rev. M. Baxter, Mr. Alexander Currie of Tatamagouche, to Sarah, eldest daughter of Mr. Solomon Bude, of Onslow.—December 19th, by the same, Mr. Daniel McCallum, to Miss Margaret Irving, both of Onslow.—December 31st, by the same, Mr. Alexander McNutt, Merchant, of Onslow, to Esther, eldest daughter of Mr. James Barnhill, of same place.

On Tuesday evening, by the Rev. John Martin, Mr. William Scott, to Susan, second daughter, of the late Mr. Matthew Mitchell of this town.

At the Parish of Sussex, New Brunswick, 5th Dec. last, by the Rev. Nelson Armstrong, Mr. Alexander Teacles, to Mary, eldest daughter of Mr. Thomas McLalan.

DEATHS.

At Dartmouth, on Friday evening last, in the 80th year of her age, Mrs. Mary Hatfield.

At New Orleans, of yellow fever on the 20th of August, Mr. Henry A. Campbell, a native of Halifax.

On Wednesday, January 1st, after a long and painful illness, which she bore with fortitude and resignation to the divine will, aged 60 years, Mrs. Mary Kennedy a native of the County of Waterford, Ireland. She has left a numerous family to lament the loss of a kind and indulgent parent.

INFORMATION WANTED,

CONCERNING THOMAS HENRY ROACH MILLER, a native of Jersey, who went to sea from Quebec, in 1830, and has not since been heard of. Any information concerning him, addressed to the office of this paper will be thankfully received by his anxious mother,

MARY ANN GILBERT.

Halifax, Dec. 30, 1839.

N. B. Other papers are requested to copy the above.

To our Readers.

TAKE NOTICE.

In our last we inserted an address to our friends on the subject of closing this periodical. Since that time, we have received so many positive proofs of the kind reception it meets with, and the unwillingness with which many will witness the publication of its last No., that we have been induced to try if something could not be done for its continuance. We are now entering into arrangements to secure the services of a lay Editor, and we shall be able to announce determinately in our next what success attends our efforts. Meanwhile we beg our friends to use their endeavours to obtain new subscribers, which circumstance itself, will be a material inducement to the publisher of the Wesleyan.

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