

were received on that day. We are informed that one of our principal importers of liquors paid duties to the extent of £1,600 on Tuesday last—a good stock, therefore, appears to be laid in against the operation of the Wine Law.—*St. John Courier*, March 3.

PROVINCIAL LUNATIC ASYLUM.—We would direct public attention to the clear and concise "Reports of the Board of Commissioners, and of the Superintendent of the Provincial Lunatic Asylum," just issued from our press in pamphlet form, and published for general information.

It appears there is a progressive increase of patients suffering under mental diseases, and admitted into the institution; and that every County in the Province contributes to the general number of this class of sufferers.

The net expenditure for the year 1854 is £3,851 2s. 8d., an excess of £472 7s. 7d. over 1853, principally caused by the increased cost of Food during the year. The number of Patients admitted during the same period, 108; the greatest number of inmates at one period being 143.

As a proof of the gradual increase of patients, it is shown that on the 1st. Jan. 1852, the numbers in the Asylum were 92, and on the 1st. Jan'y last, 131.

It is remarkable, that the inmates one and all escaped the visitation of Cholera last autumn. Great credit is certainly due to the worthy Superintendent for the precautionary measures he adopted, and his unwearied exertions to prevent the entrance of the epidemic within his establishment.

The Commissioners conclude their Report by "certifying their continued confidence in Doctor Waddell, and his management and care of the Institution;" they also make a due acknowledgment for the gratuitous services of the Rev. W. Scovil, A. M. the Chaplain.

The estimate of expenses for the year 1855, are—Maintenance, £1000; Furniture for the new wards, £500; Contractors, £1,250; Apparatus for warming and ventilating the new Building, £3000. To the latter item the Superintendent earnestly calls the attention of the authorities, and we, in common with the Public generally, hope the Government will do every thing within their power to render the Institution perfect in all its details, no matter however heavy the pull may be upon the public chest.—*Ibid.*

SERVICES DURING LENT.

ST. PAUL'S.—In the morning, Wednesdays and Fridays, at 11 o'clock. Evening service, with lecture, on Wednesdays.

ST. LUKE'S.—On the afternoons of Tuesdays and Thursdays, at half past 4.

ST. GEORGE'S.—Morning service on Wednesdays and Fridays.

CHRIST CHURCH, DARTMOUTH.—Wednesdays at 3 p. m., with a Lecture; Fridays at 3 p. m. Candidates for Confirmation instructed after the service.

LETTERS RECEIVED.

From Colonel Butler—directions attended to. From Rev. J. Ambrose—directions attended to. From D. Owen, Esq.—no money inclosed—have replied. From Rev. H. L. Owen—the parcel was sent on Friday morning by stage.

Holloway's Pills, a certain remedy for Indigestion and Liver Complaints—Maria Armstrong, of Three Rivers, Canada, suffered more than most people from indigestion, accompanied by liver complaint, several very clever medical men told her she was in a consumption, and her friends despaired of her ever recovering, as she had tried every thing they thought likely to benefit her, without success. At last she tried Holloway's Pills, which quickly assimilated with the blood, removed the obnoxious matter, and thoroughly cleaned and renovated the system. The result is, that she was perfectly cured, and now enjoys the best of health. These Pills are also a certain cure for all diseases of the stomach and bowels.

Married.

At Sherbrooke, on the 6th of Feb., by the Rev. T. D. Ruddle, A. B., Mr. WILLIAM ADAMS, to Miss MARY HARRIS, both of Sherbrooke.

At Craux-town, on the 3rd inst., by the Rev. J. Ambrose, B. A., Mr. JOSEPH FAXON, of Conquerail, to Miss MARY ANN VOLKENHEIM, of Le Havre.

At Liscomb, on 26th Decr. last, by Revd. J. Alexander, Mr. HUGH SPEARS of Sheet Harbour, to MARGARET daughter of Aaron McKinlay, of Spanish Bay, County of Guysboro'.

At Malbone Bay, on the 4th inst. at the residence of John Kejr, Esq., by the Revd. John Duff, Mr. JAMES DECHMAN, to Miss ANN IRVINE, both of this City.

Died.

On Thursday morning, ROBERT HILL, in the 53rd year of his age, second son of the late Robert Hill, Esq.

On Thursday, very suddenly, Capt. HUGH McPHAIL, a native of Greenock, aged 50 years.

At Dartmouth, on Sunday, the 4th inst., in the 21st year of his age, JAMES TORNER, third son of Mr. Walker.

At Dartmouth, on Wednesday morning last, in the 23d year of his age, FREDERICK, third son of Mr. Benjamin Elliot.

At Sherbrooke, on Monday, Feb. 26th, much lamented, in the 70th year of her age, MARY ROSSER, a native of Toxmay, relict of the late Thomas Russel, formerly of the artillery, a native of Warwickshire, England. During her last painful illness, she was sustained by an humble but firm confidence in the merits of her Divine Redeemer. Of 12 children, 8 survive to mourn her loss, together with 69 grandchildren, and 12 great grandchildren.

At Sherbrooke East, on the 6th Jan'y last, after a short illness, Mr. JAMES E. McINTOSH—leaving a large family and discolorate widow to lament his loss.

At Greytown, N. B., aged 61 years, the Hon. THOMAS GILBERT, Member of the Legislative Council of that Province.

At New York, on the 12th February, Mr. WM. MILLER, in the 70th year of his age, formerly of Halifax.

Shipping List.

ARRIVED.

Monday, March 5th—Brigs. Deacon, Roach, Boston, 4 days; Lucetta, Foster, Matanzas, 29 days; schr. Le-Marchant, Eganhar, Baltimore, 10 days.

Wednesday, March 7th—Brig Arctic, Doane, Porto Rico, 31 days; schr. Effort, Cairy, New York, 5 days; schr. Cinara, Roy, Cienfuegos, 23 days.

Thursday, March 8th—Brigs. Eliza, Boyle, Cienfuegos, 24 days; schr. Triumph, Dowley, Matanzas, 29 days; W. A. Henry, Cameron, Philadelphia, 9 days; Charlesita, McPherson, P. F. Island.

CLEARED.

Saturday, March 3rd—Brig Billow, Rathburn, Kingston, Ja.; Velocity, Howson, ditto.

Monday, March 5th—Mary, Bond, Nfld.; CHORD, O'Brien, Philadelphia; Belle, Sphrom, Kingston, Ja.; Magnor, Griffin, Fortune Bay, Nfld.

Tuesday, March 6th—Brigs Plover, Gosbee, B. W. Indies; brig. Lucy Ann, Simpcox, St. John, N. B. schr. Dart, Drain, B. W. Indies.

Wednesday, March 7th—Fawn, Pugh, Jamaica, Kailolah, Jenkins, Br. W. Indies; Ambassador, Knowls, Porto Rico; Rival, Blalock, Westpool; Camelia, Reser, Baltimore.

Thursday, March 8th—Schr. Ann, Burke, West Indies; Friday, March 9th—Sultan, Jay, Boston; Kate, Misservey, Newfoundland; Boston Packet, Roche, Boston.

MEMORANDA.

Packet brig. Africa, hence, arrived at Boston on Wednesday evening.

Schr. Harriet Newall, from Halifax, to Richmond out into Norfolk, 14th ult., with broken foremast, loss of jib-boom, sails split, and leaky.

Ship David Brown, Vaughan, master, from Jamaica, for Mobile, is on shore at North Breakers, near Mobile. Vessel insured for £5000.

The wreck of the "Witch of the Wind" was fallen in with off St. George's Banks, on the 7th ult., by fishing schr. E. F. Pringle, of Gloucester, which took from the wreck, a lot of rigging.

Br. schr. Adonis, at Baltimore, 23th ult., from St. Croix, experienced heavy weather, carried away mainmast, lost sails, &c.

Brig Florence, Jones, previously reported at New Orleans, arrived on the 8th ult.—reports having experienced heavy weather in the Gulf, which compelled her to throw overboard about 20 barrels of her cargo, which consisted of mackerel.

Brig Masonic, of St. John, N. B., has been lost at Bon Vista Bay, Newfoundland.

COUNTRY MARKET.

PRICES ON SATURDAY, MARCH 10.

Apples, per bush. primo	3s a 6s.
Bacon, per lb.	7½d
Beef, fresh, per owt.	30s a 45s. 6d.
Lamb, per lb.	31 a 4d.
Butter, fresh, per lb.	1s 3d.
Cheese, per lb.	6d. a 7½d.
Chickens, per pair.	2s. a 2s. 6d.
Eggs, per doz	1s. a 1s. 3d.
Geese, each.	2s.
Hams, green, per lb.	7d. 6d.
Do. smoked, per lb.	7d.
Hay, per ton.	£6 10s.
Home-spun, cotton & wool, per yard	1s. 7d. a 1s. 9d
Do. all wool,	2s. 6d.
Oatmeal, per cwt.	25s.
Oats, per bus.	3s. 9d.
Pork, fresh, per lb.	4d½. a 5d.
Potatoes, per bushel,	5s.
Socks, per doz.	11s
Turkies, per lb.	7½d. a 8d.
Yarn, worsted per lb.	2s. 6d.
Canada Flour S. F.	62s. 6d.
Am.	53s. 9d.
Rye	40s.
Corn Meal	27s. 6d.

LUMBER.

Hemlock, per M.	42s. 6d.
Spruce, per M.	52s. 6d.
Pine per M.	80s.

AT THE WHARVES.

Wood, per cord.	27s. 6d.
Coal, per chaldron.	40s.

D. C. S.

THE Sub-Com. of D. C. S., to whom was intrusted the subject of provision for Widows and Orphans of the Clergy, having determined to proceed immediately to make collections in Halifax for that object, the Clergymen in the Country are requested to make their collections and forward their returns before the first of May next.

EDWIN GILPIN, Jr.

Secy D. C. S.

Subscription papers were distributed about this time last year more will be sent if needed. March 10.

JUST RECEIVED,

Per R. M. Steamship Canada, from England. 3 CASES of STATIONERY—Comprising, Folt, Foolscap, and Letter Papers; Note Paper; and a large variety of ENVELOPES Also—some Extra Satin, extra Thick Envelopes. Also—Powder Inkstands, new pattern. Metallic Memos.—Manuscript Drawing Books, &c. &c. Extra Superfine SEALING WAX.

W. GOSSIP.

March 10. 24 Granville-street.

WANTED.

A SUITABLE person, to be employed as a Missionary in this City. The Missionary would require to possess intelligence, energy and devoted piety. A more particular statement of the duties of the office and the amount of Salary will be made known on application to the Secretary.

By order of the Executive Committee

ROBERT MURRAY.

Halifax, Feb. 1, 1855. Secy of the City Mission.

THE SUBSCRIBERS

Keep constantly on hand, and offer for sale at lowest market rates, at their Stores, Head of Commercial Wharf.

HALIFAX, N. S.—

CORDAGE—Best Gourcock and English from 2 yam spun yarn, to 8½ inch Shroudling. Hawser, 8½ inch and downwards, Bolt Rope, Point Rope, Manila, Hambroline, Houselline, Marline, &c.

SAIL } Best Gourcock Canvas No. 1 to 7
CLOTH } Navy ditto 1 to 7
 } American Cotton Duck No 2 to 10

ANCHORS—1 Cwt. and upwards,
CHAIN CABLES—1 inch to 1½ inch.
Ditto Toppail Sheets all sizes.

OAKUM—Best English and Halifax.
CASTINGS—Patent Windlasses, Do. Winches, Hawser Pipes, Warming Chocks, Sheaves.

TWINES—Cod lines, Nets, Fishing Twines, Sail Twines—Hemp and Cotton.
And everything else that is necessary for the full and complete outfit of ships.

—ALSO—

SHIP STORES.

PORK—Am and Nova Scotia Mess and Prime BEEF ditto. **BREAD**—Navy and Pilot; **FLOUR**—Majestic, Sugar, Paints, Oil, Raw Tar, Coal Tar, Pitch, Rosin, Turpentine, Fluid, Varnishes, Small Stores, &c. &c.

BARRS & HARRIS

Feb. 17, 1855.

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LANGLEY'S ANTIBILIOUS APERIENT PILLS. The great popularity acquired by these Pills during the seven years they have been offered for sale in this Province is a convincing proof of their value, as no undue means of increasing their sale have been resorted to by pulling advertisements—no certificate published respecting them.

These Pills are confidently recommended for Pains, Complaints or morbid action of the Liver, Dyspepsia, Constiveness, Headache, want of Appetite, Giddiness, and the numerous symptoms indicative of derangement of the Digestive organs. Also, as a general Family Aperiient. They do not contain Calomel or any mineral preparation, and are so gentle (yet effectual) in their operation that they may be taken by persons of both sexes, at any time with perfect safety. Prepared and sold Wholesale and Retail at **LANGLEY'S DRUG STORE**, Hollis Street, Halifax. Nov. 29, 1851.

DEPOSITORY D. C. S.

24 Granville Street.

JUST Received per R. M. Steamship America a large and varied Assortment of BIBLES, PRAYER BOOKS, &c. &c. &c.

All orders from the Country can now be supplied. Dec. 30, 1851. W. M. GOSSIP, Depository.

AROMATIC PRESERVATIVE TOOTH POWDER.

THIS Powder cleanses, whitens, and preserves the TEETH—gives firmness to the GUMS, and sweetness to the BREATH, is quite free from Acids, (so destructive to the Enamel,) and all the ingredients employed in its composition, are those recommended by the most eminent Dentists. Sold in bottles at 1s. 9d. each, at **LANGLEY'S** Hollis Street. Jan 21.

PRINTERS WANTED.

A **JOURNEYMAN** PRINTER who can make himself worthy of confidence, and generally useful at the Business, will find constant Employment and good wages, at the Church Times Office.

Wanted also—Two Boys of good Education as apprentices, who will have an opportunity, if attentive, to become good Printers.

WM. GOSSIP.

KING'S COLLEGE ENDOWMENT.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that all Interest due to the Governor of King's College, by Benefactors to the above Fund, will be remitted, provided the Principal shall be paid up, on or before the 31st DAY OF MARCH next.

Halifax, Feb. 16, 1855.

By order of the Board.

JAS. C. COCHRAN, Secretary.

LANGLEY'S

EFFERVESCING APERIENT POWDER.

—SUPERIOR TO SEIDLITZ—

THIS POWDER forms an agreeable, refreshing, and salutary Draught, removing Headache, Vertigo, Acidity in the Stomach, want of appetite and other symptoms of Dyspepsia. Sold only at **Langley's** Drug Store, Hollis Street. July 1, 1854.

JUST PUBLISHED,

And for Sale at W. Gossip's Book Store, 24 Granville-street.

A **CHARGE** Delivered to the CLERGY of the Diocese of Nova Scotia, at the VISITATION held in the Cathedral Church of St. Paul, at Halifax, on the 14th Day of October, 1854. By HENRY, Lord Bishop of Nova Scotia. December, 1854.

NOTICE.

MISS WILLIAMSON finding it reported in Halifax, that she is going to give up her School in May, begs to state that she has no such intention. Miss W. will not receive Boarders after that period, but will continue her Day School, to which she will devote all her attention. In thanking her friends for past favors, Miss W. would also solicit a continuance of that trust which up to the present time has been reposed in her system of Education.
Morris Street, Halifax. 21

BILLS of LADING and EXCHANGE for sale at **W. M. GOSSIP'S** Book and Stationery Store, 24 Granville Street.