

19th verse.—"Dost thou art," &c. which was listened to by the large number present, with deep attention. The humble prayer of every sincere Christian ought indeed to be, that the solemn ceremony may induce all while yet time and opportunity are kindly granted them, to follow the whole-some advice of Solomon, "Whatsoever thy hand findeth to do, do it with thy might, for there is no work, nor knowledge, nor wisdom in the grave, whither thou goest,"—and may, with earnest sincerity, "prepare to meet their God," through Jesus Christ. I add the names of the four persons thus suddenly called into eternity. The first and eldest was, Jacob, son of Daniel Rafuse, aged 80 years—he has left a widow and two small children to lament the untimely loss of a husband and a father. The second was James, son of Frederick Rafuse, in his 22nd year. The third, Gabriel Anthony, aged 28 years. The fourth, George Frederick, son of Gabriel Anthony, and nephew of the above, aged 19 years.

A CORRESPONDENT.

Chester, Oct. 26th, 1852.

The Church Times.

HALIFAX, SATURDAY, OCT. 30, 1852.

EPISCOPAL SERVICES.

On Friday, the 22nd inst., the Lord Bishop, accompanied by the Archdeacon, the Rev. W. Bullock, and the Rev. J. C. Cochran, proceeded to Turn's (or Terrence) Bay, the next harbour east of Lower Prospect, where his Lordship consecrated a Burial Ground, which had been recently presented to the settlement by Mr. Charles Lordly of Chester, who has a large fishing establishment at the place, and who at the same time has been doing his best, for the spiritual interests of the inhabitants.

An interesting congregation is now regularly served from Halifax, every second Sunday, the various ordinances of the church are duly administered, and instruction is imparted to a large number of young persons hitherto running wild. The prayers were read on Friday, by Mr. Bullock, and the Lessons by the Archdeacon, who also read the Petition and sentence of Consecration, and the Bishop preached the Sermon. A tent was erected on the ground for the accommodation of the officiating Clergy. The whole scene was impressive. The old and the young were there—the barefooted and bareheaded, as well as the forms protected by road cloth and furs—the Roman Catholic and the Protestant surrounding the white-robed ministers of God. Around were the frowning rocks which line our rugged shores, and against which the rolling waves of the broad Atlantic were at the moment lashed in foam, mingling their angry roar with the solemn sounds of prayer and praise which ascended to Heaven from the spot then consecrated as the resting place of the dead.

May all who were there gathered be partakers of the resurrection of the just!

After enjoying the hospitalities of Mr. and Mrs. Lordly, the Bishop and party were conveyed three miles in a boat (for lack of a road) and thence returned by land to town, gratified that they had been able to minister to "those few sheep in the wilderness."

We understand that his Lordship has proceeded today to Three Fathom Harbour, to hold a Confirmation there to-morrow, that he will afterwards go on to the Mission of the Rev. Mr. Jamieson on the Eastern Shore, and thus complete, as we believe, the visitation of all the Churches in the Diocese, several of them having indeed been visited twice during his residence among us of 15 months.

THE BLIND.—A Concert of Vocal and Instrumental Music, in behalf of Miss Bolman, has been notified to come off on Friday next, the 5th of November, at the Temperance Hall, under the distinguished patronage of Lady LeMarchant, and with the kind co-operation of several ladies and gentlemen of musical taste and talent, aided gratuitously by the Band of the 97th Regt., the proceeds of which Concert are to be devoted to the prosecution of her studies at the Asylum for the Blind, in Boston. Six years ago Miss Bolman, (who is the daughter of the late Dr. Edward Bolman, of Lunenburg, and has the great misfortune of being blind), was placed at that excellent Institution, where she has been since supported by the generous contributions of a number of charitable persons in this city and elsewhere, who have repeatedly responded to the calls made on them by the writer, for that purpose. They can now have the satisfaction of seeing that their labour of love has not been thrown away. The object of it has been taught to read her Bible, and her mind has been stored with other useful knowledge, while particular attention has very properly been directed to the cultivation of her talent for music, vocal and instrumental, with a view to her future support.

Dr. Howe, the devoted and philanthropic head of the Institution for the Blind, having encouraged the hope that another year's tuition may qualify her to earn her own living, and all the funds hitherto raised for her being exhausted, the present attempt has been suggested by kind friends, as a probable method of attaining the necessary means, to sustain her while completing her education. It is to be hoped that substantial proof of sympathy may be given on the occasion. More particular notice as to time, place, &c. will of course be given.

The Grand Division of the Sons of Temperance in Nova Scotia, held its annual session in this city on Wednesday and Thursday last, when there was a respectable attendance from various parts of the Province.

The proceedings were interesting and harmonious. An address was presented to His Excellency the Lieut. Governor, who assured the G. Division of his approval of their object, and his best wishes for their success.

The "Maine Law," came up for discussion, and it was resolved to petition the Legislature for the adoption of a similar enactment in Nova Scotia.

NEWS OF THE WEEK.

The R. M. Steamship *Nagara* arrived on Wednesday last from Liverpool.

Important intelligence has been received from Capt. Belcher. The arctic expedition under his command, has proceeded up the Wellington channel. The information from thence makes it possible that Capt. Franklin is yet alive. See under the head of News Department.

Her Majesty, Prince Albert, and the junior branches of the Royal Family, left Balmoral for England on the 12th inst. proceeding via Warrington, Chester and Bangor. The reception at these places was most enthusiastic.

Louis Napoleon in his tour of the Provinces, has been received every where with applause, as the saviour of his country, and its future emperor. The grand event will only be delayed until the preparations are completed. We have copied the speech of the Prince President at Bordeaux, and further intelligence relative to the future destinies of France.

THE MEETING OF PARLIAMENT.—The general impression in official quarters is that Parliament will meet about the 5th or 6th of November, but that the Queen's Speech will not be delivered until about the 11th of that month.

NEW BRUNSWICK.—The New Brunswick Legislature met at Fredericton, Oct. 21. His Excellency in his opening Speech invited their immediate attention to the consideration of the propositions for securing the speedy and complete construction of the European and North American Railway. The addresses in both Houses, in answer to the Speech, were carried unanimously.

The Railway Bills in accordance with the above propositions, passed both branches on the 28th—in the Assembly 33 to 7, and in the Legislative Council 19 to 2. The Governor's assent would be given and the Legislature prorogued at 2 p. m. Oct. 29.

The Hon. Joseph Howe went passenger in the last steamer to England. Also Mr. Jackson, Railway Contractor and M. P. Both are, we presume, much interested in the Nova Scotia Railway. Previous to leaving Canada Mr. Jackson had completed and signed the several contracts entered into by him for the construction of Railroads in that Province.

The Hon. Daniel Webster, one of the greatest statesmen and most celebrated orators of the United States, died at Marshfield, New Hampshire, on Sunday, Oct. 24. Great preparations were making throughout the Union for the celebration of his obsequies. The burial was to take place at Marshfield, on Friday, 29th inst.

The Highland Society of Nova Scotia have voted twenty-five pounds in aid of our Industrial Exhibition, to be expended in prizes for articles of utility and taste, to Scotchmen, their wives and daughters, or their immediate descendants.

A school of mackerel passed up the harbour yesterday.

NOTICE OF ORDINATION.—The Lord Bishop proposes (D. V.) to hold his next Ordination at Halifax, on Sunday, December 19. Persons intending to offer themselves as candidates for Holy Orders upon that occasion, are desired to notify their intention to His Lordship without delay.

Our space being limited we respectfully request that all communications may be condensed as much as possible.

LETTERS RECEIVED.

From Rev. Mr. Dixon, Rev. W. Stewart, George Town, with remittances and subscribers, Rev. J. Robertson thanks for promised exertion.

TO CORRESPONDENTS.

"Modesty" is received, calling in question "Rustic's," criticism on the pronunciation of "Tabbani," but as that matter has been disposed of by a previous hand, we do not insert his communication.

We must defer "Juvenis," "A Churchman," and other favours, until our next. We are happy to see the pens of our friends at work, but our pleasure would be nothing less if each communication was accompanied by the names of some new subscribers. Has the repeated request been yet complied with in any one Parish, viz. Let each subscriber strive to add one name to the List. Many might do much more, but even this effort, if perseveringly made, would set the paper beyond the danger of extinction.

Married.

At Ship Harbour, Strait of Canso, on the 24th inst. by the Rev James A. Shaw, Rector of St. John's, Arichat, Mr. ANOUS GRANT, to Miss MANY ANN, youngest daughter of William Philpot, Esq., of that place.

On the 3rd inst., by the Rev. Jno. Dixon, PETER B. ANDERSON, to JANE JOHNSTON, both of Brookfield, near Truro, County of Colchester.

Died.

At his Residence, Mount Unlace, on Tuesday, 26th inst., in the 69th year of his age, CHRISTOPHER MACACRE, Esq., second son of the late Honorable Richard John Unlace.

On Thursday, THOMAS W. HUNT, Barrister at Law, after a long and painful illness, aged 32.

Shipping List.

ARRIVED.

Monday, Oct. 25.—Brig Brooklyn, Dolby, Malaga; schrs. Providence, Shiers, St. George's Bay, N. F.; Nautilus, Marshall, St. John's, N. F.; Telegraph, McDani'l, Burin, N. F., 11 days; Emily, McPhee, Burgeois, N. F., 11 days; Marie, Arsenau, Magdalen Islands; Zelle, Norrey, do.; John, Arsenau, do.; Mero de Famille, Burke, do.; Sophia, Granpe, do.; Marie Louisa, Cornier, do.

Tuesday, Oct. 26.—Steamer Sir John Harvey, Boston, 48 hours; barque Metora, Liverpool, G. B., 30 days; Jane Eliza, Placatin, 4 days; Ellen, Burin; Elizabeth, Burgeois, N. F.; Nelson, New York, 15 days.

Wednesday, Oct. 27.—R. M. S. Niagara, Stoue, Liverpool, G. B., 10 days; schr. John Thomas, Doyle, Placatin, 9 days.

Thursday, Oct. 28.—Ship Celestial, Shanghai, 146 days; brigs. Fano, Crooked Island; Kaloolab, Sheburne, 10 hours; General Washington, Boston, 5 days; Providence, Boston, 5 days.

CLEARED.

Oct. 23.—Schr. Sophronia, McFadyen, Charlottetown, P. E. I.; Providence, do.

Oct. 25.—Schr. Aurora, Cr. Tell, New York; Three Brothers, LeBreaux, Quebec; N. J. Mcintosh, Souris, P. E. I.; Eliza, LeCoste, Charlottetown, P. E. I.; brig. Emerald, F. W. Indles.

Oct. 26.—Steamship Sir John Harvey, Bascom, Boston; brig. Harriet Ann, Taylor, Jamaica; schrs. Pursuit, Burdock, Boston; James Fraser, McKenzie, Charlottetown, P. E. I.; John Esson, Curry, St. John's, N. F.; Only Son, Chambers, Burgeois, N. F.; Margaret, Vigneau, Magdaquin Isles.

Oct. 27.—Schr. St. Lawrence, Bonlett, Gaspe, Canada.

Passengers.

By Sir John Harvey, from Halifax, to Boston, Oct. 27th—Miss Archibald, Miss McKay, Miss Fogarty, Miss Godfrey; Mr. & Mrs. Gabriel, Mr. & Mrs. McDonald, Capt. Dousley; Messrs. Emery, Platt, Chas. McDonald, George Moir, M. Wallace, Miller, Morrison, C. M. Smith, John Williams, Aacney, Wm. Power, Jas. Sym, John Williams, G. Roy, Fisher and child, Hadley, J. C. Wilcox, Donovan, E. Keating, A. McDonald, Fliun, Lect. Warner, McAdam, Dodson, Burvers, A. Murray, G. Swain and W. Murray.

Per Steamship Niagara, from Liverpool, to Halifax, Oct. 26th.—Messrs. Ridley, Smith, Unlace, Robertson, Reid and Wier.

For Boston.—The Hon. Abbot Lawrence, late American Minister to the Court of St. James', Mrs. Lawrence, Miss Lawrence and Maid, Col. J. B. Lawrence, and 81 others.

From Halifax, to Boston.—Captain Woodhouse, Messrs. Smith, Nathan, Hill, Bennett, Dormes, and Belir.

By General Washington, from Boston, to Halifax.—Mrs. Rafter, Miss Connelly, Miss Crawley, Mr. Baitor, and John Doherty.

COUNTRY MARKET.

PRICES ON SATURDAY, OCTOBER 30.

Apples, per bush.	2s. 6d. a 3s.
Beef, fresh, per cwt.	20s. a 50s.
Butter, fresh, per lb.	11d. a 1s.
Catsup, per gallon.	none.
Cheese, per lb.	5d. a 6½d.
Chickens, per pair.	1s. 6d. a 2s.
Eggs, per doz.	8d. a 8½d.
Geese, each.	1s. 3d. a 1s. 9d.
Hams, green, per lb.	none.
Do. smoked, per lb.	none.
Homespun, cotton & wool, per yard	1s. 7d. a 1s. 9d.
Do. wool.	2s. 6d.
Mutton, per lb.	2½d. a 3½d.
Oatmeal, per cwt.	12s. 6d.
Pears, per bushel.	none.
Plumbs, per bushel.	none.
Pork, fresh, per lb.	4½d. a 4¾d.
Potatoes, per bushel.	2s. 6d.
Turkies, per lb.	5d. a 7½d.
Yarn, worsted, per lb.	2s. 6d.

AT THE WHARVES.

Coal, per chal.	26s.
Cord Wood,	15s. a 16s.

UNIVERSITY OF WINDSOR,

ENGLISH PRIZE ESSAY.

The subject for this Year is—"The advantages of a liberal education for all persons, whether intending to devote themselves to one of the learned professions or otherwise."

The Essays are to be sent in to the President on the day of Meeting of the College after the Easter Vacation, 1853, and the Prize is open to the competition of any Member of the University who has completed his 12th Term, and has not entered upon his 21st year at this date. October, 1852.