There is good news from the United States North West. The grasshoppers that threatened to eat up every green thing in a portion of that region, and to leave a large progeny behind them to repeat the performance, have taken wing south-westward without having left a deposit of eggs behind them. This may be bad for some south-western sections, but is very good for Minnesota, Dacotah, and our own Manitoba.

MARRIED.

At Paradise Row, Portland St. Johns, on the 4th instant. by the Rev. S. P. Teed, Mr. W. J. Souther to Miss Margaret A. Miller, all of the town of Portland.

At Truro, on the 1st inst,, by Rev. J. A Rogers, Mr. Stephen S. Grant, to Rachael Cavanau, both of Halifax.

August 2nd, at Methodist Parsonage, Shubenacadie, by Rev. Eben E. England, Elizabeth H. Thomas, daughter of the late Robert Thomas, of the Gore, to Matthew H. Evans, of the Gore.

On July 26th, at Mill Village, by the Rev. John S. Addy, Mr. Elisha Parker Christopher, of Brookfield, to Mrs. Bessie Walsh, of Mill Village.

On the 27th ult., at the residence of the bride's mother, Kouchibouguac, Kent County, N. B., by the Rev. James Law, A.M., John B. Wright, Esq., of Richibucto, to Annie, only daughter of the late Hon. William S. Caie.

On July 26th, at the residence of the bride's father, by the Rev. J. G. Harvey, Mr. Samuel A. Couillard, of Harvey, York County, N.B., formerly of St. John, N.B., to Miss Addie Angenia, only daughter of Mr. W. E. Palmer, of Middle Simonds, Carleton County.

At the Manse, Bathurst, on the 2nd inst., by the Rev. S. Houstin, Mr. John McEwan, to Elizabeth Smith, both of Middle River.

At Annapolis Royal, on the 28th ult., at the residence of the bride's mother, by Rev. J. J. Ritchie, J. A. Carnagy de-Balinhard, of Digby, to Emma J., eldest daughter of the late Francis Crozier.

At Harvey, on the 31st ult., by the Rev. W. T. Corey, Captain Alden J. West, of the barque "Josephine," to Orpat A., daughter of W. J. Reid, Esq., Collector of Customs, all of Harvey, A. C.

At Portland, Maine, July 10th, by Rev. J. W. Johnson, Methodist Minister, J. W. Carlyle of Truro, to Lydia A. Stevens, of Londonderry N. S.

At Cook's Cove, Guysboro, July 26th by the Rev. R. Borden, Esther E. daughter of Mr. Charles Tayler of Cook's Cove, to Samuel H. Ryle, Merchant of Manchester.

At Guysboro, August 1st by the same, Mr. Joseph Cameron, Merchant of Gloucester Mass. to Annie Atkins, daughter of the late James Atkins of Manchester.

At Baddeck, on the 20th July, by the Rev. James Fraser Campbell, assisted by the Rev. R. McKenzie Lauchlin George Campbell, son of Hon. C. J. Campbell, to Maggie S., daughter of Capt, D. Carmichael, Scotland.

DIED.

On the 6th inst., Florence May, youngest daughter of Michael and Louisa Goulding, aged 2 years and 6 months.

At Halifax, on Friday the 4th inst., of diptheria Christian, wife of Arthur McK, Edwards of Liverpool, G.B., aged 29 years.

At Hopewell Corner, N.B., on the 18th ult., after a lingering illness, which she bore with Christian resignation, Mary, wife of John Ritchie, in the 70th year af her age.

At Musquash, N.B., on the 30th ult., Mrs. Amelia Heavey, in the 75th year of her age, a native of Halifax, and for the last 52 years a resident of Musquash, and universally esteemed by all her friends and acquaintancee.

At Lawford Place, Manning Tree, Essex, England, on the 3rd of August, of gastric fever, the Hon. John Robertson, late of St. John, N. B., in the 78th year of his age.

At Port Mulgrave, July 29th. after a short illness, Alice, wife of Francis C. Cook, aged 39 years.

At Amherst, on 31st ult., after a brief illness, Christina Jane, beloved wife of Wm. Fowler, Esq., and second daughter of the late Geo. Bayley.

At Port Hood, C. B., 1st inst., in her 67th year, Eliza, widow of the late J. D. Tremain.

At Truro, Mrs. Jane W. Publicover, aged 44 years.

At Mauritius, 1st June, Charles, son of the late Hon. Wm. Lawson, aged 67 years.

At Kingston, Kent Co., N.B., on the 25th ult., after four days of severe suffering, John A. L., eldest son of Daniel and Elizabeth Young, aged 27 years. He was educated at the deaf mute institution, Halifax.

At Lake Porter, on August 1st., of hemorage of the lungs, Charles S. Ormond, in the 27th year of his age, youngest son of the late Thos. W. Ormond, of said place.

MARKET PRICES.

Reported weekly by J. W. Potts, Commission Merchant, St. John, N.B., and G. W. Stuart, Halifax, N.S.

Market on Saturday, August 12th, 1876.

	Halifax.	St. John
Butter, Firkins	.17 to .25	.17 to .19
Do. Rolls	.20 to .24	.22 to .24
Mutton, per lb.	— —	.07 to .09
Lamb, pr lb. by quarter	.06 to .08	.08 to .10
Hams, smoked, per lb	.13 to .14	.10 to .10
Hides, per lb	.05 —	.5½ to .00
Calfskins, each	.25 to .75	.07 to .18
Pork, per lb	— —	.10 to .17
Veal, per lb	.03 .06	.05 to .08
Tallow, per lb	— —	.08 tc .02
" rough, per lb	.04½ —	.4½ to .06
Beef, per lb	.05 to .00	.08 to .15
Eggs, per doz	.15 —	.11 to .12
Lard, per lb	.17 —	.15 to .10
Oats, per bush	.50 to .55	.45 to .40
Potatoes per bush	.35 to .45	.55 to .73
Cheese, factory, per lb	.10 to .12	.08 to .10
Chickens, pr pair	— —	.50 to .69
Turkey, per lb	— —	.18 to .20
Geese, each	— —	— —
Ducks, per pair	— —	— —
Beans, green, per bush	— —	1.00 to 1.20
Parsnips, pr bush	·50 to ·60	1.50 to 1.40
Carrots, pr bush	35 to .40	— —
Yarn, per lb	.50 to .60	.50 to .60
Partridges, per pair	— —	— —
Apples, per bbl	3.50 4.50	— —
Lamb pelts	.20 to .35	— —
Rabbits, per pair	— —	— —
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Hay, per ton	$13.00 14.00	9.50 to 11.0

The Professorship of Music in the University of Pennsylvania was conferred on H. [illegible] KE, Esq., author of Clarke's [illegible] the Piano Forte, a work [illegible] ughout the abilities of [illegible] book is being used with [illegible] Sent by mail, price $3.75 [illegible] Philadelphia.

St. JOHN DISTRICT.

The Financial Meeting for the Saint John District will be held in the large Class Room of the Methodist Church, Portland, St. John, beginning Wednesday August 16th, at 9 o'clock, A. M.

Attendance of the Lay representatives earnestly requested.

By order of the Chairman

S. F. TEED,
Financial Secretary.

Portland, St. john, Aug' 7th, 1876.

LIVERPOOL DISTRICT.

The Financial Meeting of the Liverpool District, will be held at Mill Village, beginning Wednesday, August 30th, at 9 a. m. By order of the Chairman,

J. SHENTON,
Financial Sec'y.

SACKVILLE DISTRICT.

The Financial District Meeting will be held at Point de Bute on the 23rd inst., at 3.30, p. m. A full attendance of Ministers and Laymen is requested.

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Sackville, July 5th, 1876.
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GUYSBORO' & CAPE BRETON DISTRICT.

The financial Committee of the G. & C. B. District will meet *(D.V.)* in the Bethel Church, Port Hawkesbury, on Wednesday August 16th at 9 a.m. The presence of the lay representatives from the several Circuits is especially requested.

N.B.—The District Sabbath School Convention will meet in the same place on Thursday, 17th August, at 9 a.m. For Constitution see Discipline p. 99. The attendance of Sunday School Workers is respectfully requested.

JOS. G. ANGWIN,
Chairman.

Sydney, July 28, 1876.—2

HALIFAX DISTRICT.

The Financial Meeting for the Halifax District will be held in the School Room of Grafton Street Church, Halifax, beginning Tuesday, August 29th, at 3 o'clock p.m.

A. W. NICOLSON,
Chairman.

N. B. AND P. E. I. CONFERENCE MINUTES.

To the ministers of the N. B. and P. E. I. Conference:—The Minutes of the N. B. and P. E. I. Conference will, it is expected, be ready for distribution before this note appears. The publisher will send by mail to every minister a parcel sufficiently large to supply the missionary subscribers in his circuit with a copy each, and give him a few for his own use. If in any case the number should be found insufficient, a limited number may be obtained on application to me.

HOWARD SPRAGUE,
Secretary N. B. and P. E. I. Conference.

St. John, N. B., July 31, 1876. 3 ins.

Receipts for "WESLEYAN," for week ending July 30th, 1876.

INSTRUCTIONS AS TO REMITTING MONEYS:—

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11 a.m. Kaye St. 7 p.m.
Rev. R. Brecken, A.M. Rev. E. B. Brunyate.

11 a.m. Charles St. 7 p.m.
Rev. W. H. Heartz. Rev, D. W. Johnson, B.A.

BEECH STREET, 3.30 p.m. Rev. E. R. Brunyate

11a.m. Cobourg St. 7 p.m.
Rev. E. R. Brunyate. Rev. W. Purvis.

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Rev. W. Purvis. Rev. G. Shore

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By order,

F. BRAUN,
Secretary

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BIBLICAL LITERATURE.

Smith's Bible Dictionary, Farrar's Dictionary, Theological and Ecclesiastical Literature, Stanley's Sinai and Palestine, Thompson's Land and Book, *Coneybeare & Howson's Life and Epistles of Paul, Wimer's New Testament Grammar*, Trench's Synonyms of New Testament, Lange on Genesis, Alexander on Isaiah, Stuart on Proverbs, Delitzsh on Job, Lange on New Testament, Tholuck on the Sermon on the Mount, Trench on the Parables, Trench on the Miracles.

THEOLOGY.

Pope's Theology, Watson's Institutes Fernley Lectures, Treffry's Sonship of Christ, Butler's Analogy, Chalmer's Natural Theology, *Fairbairn's Typology of the Scriptures*, McCosh on the Method of the Divine Government, Rawlinson's Historical Evidences, *Liddon's Bampton Lectures on the Divinity of Christ*, Farrar's History of Free Thought, Bushnell's Nature and Supernatural, Young's Christ of History, R. Payne Smith's Prophecy a Preparation for Christ, Ecce Deus.

MENTAL AND MORAL PHILOSOPHY.

Noah Porter's Human Intellect, Hamilton's Metaphysics, McCosh's Defense of Fundamental Truth, Wayland's Elements of Moral Philosophy.

CHURCH HISTORY.

Neander's History of the Church, *Shaff's History of the Apostolic Church*, Schaff's History, *Smith's Table of Church History*, Milman's History of Latin Christianity, *Stanley's Lectures on History of Jewish Church, Shedd's History of Christian Doctrine*, Steven's History of Methodism, Missions and D'Aubigne's Reformation, Moister on Missions, Dr. Smith's Old and New Testament History, Stanley's History of Early Christianity.

HOMILETICS & PASTORAL THEOLOGY.

Farrar's Life of Christ, Robert Hall's Sermons, Thomas Arnold's Sermons, Wesley's Sermons, Robertson's Sermons, Bushnell's Sermons, *Fish's Masterpieces of Pulpit Eloquence*, Spencer's Pastors' Sketches.

SECULAR HISTORY.

Cox's History of Greece, Gibbon's Decline and fall of Roman Empire, Merivales General History of Rome, Hallam's Middle Ages, Howe's England, Macaulays England, Robertson's Charles the Fifth, Motley's Dutch Republic, Motley's United Netherlands, Bancroft's United States, Prescott's Mexico.

BIOGRAPHY.

Augustin's Confessions, Tyerman's Life of Wesley, Stanley's Life and Letters of Thomas Arnold, Brooke's Life and Letters of F. W. Robertson, Memoir of Francis Wayland, Southey's Cowper, Boswell's Life of Johnson, Arthur's Gideon Ousely, Thomas Jackson's Life and Times, Coley's Life of Collins.

NATURAL SCIENCE.

Hugh Miller's Footprints of the Creator, Guyot's Earth and Man, Marsh's Man and Nature, Cook's Religion of Chemistry, Sketches of Creation by Winchell, Argyle's Reign of Law, Correlation and Conservation of Forces by Yoreman, Peck's Ganot

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