

The truth is, Brethren, a latitudinarian indifference and an infidel rationalism are the great errors with which the Church will have to contend for the next half century.—My Brethren of the Clergy, let me exhort you to arm yourselves for this contest. Let your minds be well imbued with the evidences in support of Divine revelation, and the truths of the Christian system, and let its peculiar doctrines constitute the great theme and substance of all your teachings."

VOCAL MUSIC SOCIETY.

The first concert of this year was given by this Society last evening in the St. Lawrence Hall to a very large audience. The Concert was in commemoration of Moore and from his works the pieces were entirely selected. The singular good taste which prompted this movement at the present moment, when all the world appear to be similarly employed in doing homage to a bard whose fame is not national but cosmical, appeared to be duly appreciated by our citizens. The selections were of course made peculiarly with reference to the ability of the several performers and therefore we shall not say much on this point, further than that we should have preferred some of the other melodies. But this may be after all a mere matter of taste. The execution of the music was good and showed a decided improvement. Much as the public have hitherto neglected the efforts of this Society—the attendance last night appeared to give an earnest of future support; no one who was present could have failed to appreciate the great good which has been effected by the voluntary and sedulous exertions of those who so signally display their love of music as a social art, and the care bestowed upon its cultivation by these devotees. Mr. Clarke's praiseworthy pains in tuition will not pass unrecompensed by that highest reward which can attend the labours of a master—the success of his pupils.

The pleasures of the evening were much enhanced by the singing of Mr. and Miss Paige. Of these it is unnecessary that we should repeat what we had the gratification to say when speaking of them in our notice of their recent concert. We thought Miss Paige in better voice than when last we heard her, and she certainly threw into the expression of the "Last Rose of Summer" all that feeling and good taste, which render that song when thus sung, one of the greatest favorites among the strains of the Irish Lyre.

Should health be granted to this young lady we predict for her an illustrious career.

DEATH OF F. S. JARVIS, ESQ.

With deep regret do we chronicle the sudden decease of Frederick Starr Jarvis, Esq., Usher of the Black Rod to the Legislative Council.

Mr. Jarvis was leaving this city on Monday afternoon, in the Hamilton steamer, for his residence at Oakville, when he fell down upon the deck of the vessel and immediately expired.

The lamented deceased was a native of St. Johns New Brunswick, and came to Canada previous to the war of 1812. For many years he filled the office of Usher of the Black Rod to the Legislative Council, and was justly esteemed by men of all shades of political opinion for the manner in which he conducted himself in that situation.

A pious Churchman, an affectionate husband and father, and a warm hearted steady friend. The removal of Mr. Jarvis from this earthly scene will be deeply regretted by the numerous circle who enjoyed the pleasure of his acquaintance.

DIGEST OF COLONIAL NEWS.

Hon. R. Hodgson, late Attorney General, has been appointed Chief Justice of Prince Edward Island, in the room of the deceased Chief Justice Jarvis.—The debt of the City of Toronto has now reached £102,420 5s 10d.—A person has been seriously injured at Brockville by being struck by a fender of the Niagara as she came up to the dock.—The harbour of Picton is being dredged out.—John Maguire has been appointed superintendent of Police for Quebec, in the room of W. R. McCord, Esq.—From 30 to 40 houses and buildings in the Parish of St. Jerome, Lower Canada have been destroyed by fire.—A competition lately took place at Brockville between a Canadian and a United States ploughman, in which the former was victorious.—Some Yankee sergeants have been attempting to enlist boys in Niagara for the United States army. The inducement here held out was that they should go to California.—Catharine Hayes gave a concert last week in Hamilton with eminent success.—Last Wednesday, a young man named Thomas Maguire, in Toronto, snapped a pistol in play at a companion called Michael Judge.—Unfortunately the weapon proved to be loaded, and Judge received a dangerous wound in the stomach.—A fire broke out on Thursday morning in the cellar of Mr. Bettridge's drug store, Yonge street. As the cellar contained a large quantity of phosphorus, much alarm was created, but by the firemen the flames were extinguished without doing much damage.—In Toronto the next assessment for schools during the present year will be £2055 13s 9d. A number of new school houses are to be immediately erected.—The construction of a Railroad between St. Catharines and Port Dalhousie is in contemplation.—The last Prince Edward Island Gazette contains a proclamation authorising the free admission of goods from Canada and Nova Scotia, in return for the admission of the produce of the Island into those provinces duty free.—Archibald Hall, late mate of the steamer Comet, on Lake Ontario, was drowned from the steamer Amazon between New Orleans and Louisville on 23d December last.—Three sub-post offices are to be established in Toronto: one

on King street East, one on Queen street West, and a third on Yonge street North.—The Colonist recommends a no-quarter crusade against the telen dogs infesting the streets of Toronto: The war should be extended to the country which is groaning under the dangerous and intolerable nuisance.—Three convicts have recently been removed from the Penitentiary to the Asylum in a state of insanity. Surely the discipline of the former institution requires amendment.—With one exception, the wholesale dry goods merchants of Toronto have agreed to close their respective stores at 6 o'clock, p. m.—Bishop Charbonnell is about establishing a College in Toronto, for the education of persons intended for the Priesthood of the Romish Church. It is to be presided over by Pere Tellier, a learned Jesuit, presently in New York.—Mr. Lawson Lawless, first Clerk of the Toronto Post Office, has been appointed Postmaster of London, in room of Mr. Goodhue, resigned.—Thirty-three vessels passed through the Welland Canal on the 15th inst.

—On Sunday, the 6th inst., a young man named Hugh Monaghan, was drowned about two miles above Lindsay whilst crossing the Scugog river in a boat. . . . Two children of Mr. G. Smith, of St. Catharines, have been bitten by a mad dog.—The conduct of Mr. Morris in contracting with Yankees for mail bags, is exciting universal indignation throughout the Province.—Last year the Welland Canal realized £52,000 and this year the revenue bids fair to reach £60,000 or £70,000.—The large brick tavern about five miles east of Woodstock, on the Hamilton Road, kept by Mr. George Frank, and known as East Oxford Hotel, has been destroyed by fire. Though the house was insured the furniture was not. This is the third time Mr. Frank has been burned out within a few years.—

On the 15th a young man named William Oates, about twenty years of age, was drowned in the Thames near London. He had been bathing.—A man of colour, named Davis, confined in the London jail for assault recently committed suicide by thrusting a small piece of can down his throat.—A new Conservative paper entitled the *British Standard* has made its appearance at Perth; it is neatly printed, well arranged, and edited with marked ability.—Mr. Hincks has published an explanation of his connection with Dougald C. MacNab, and the *Colonist* of to-day contains an article entirely exculpating Mr. Vansittart from any culpable connection with MacNab.—On Tuesday a child of Hugh Carlin, carter, was killed in Toronto by a cart passing over it.—Browne's wharf was much injured last night in consequence of the Ontario coming in contact with it.—The Grand Orange Lodge of British North America held its annual meeting in the Town of Port Hope on Tuesday and Wednesday the 15th instant. The Right Worshipful the Grand Master, George Benjamin, Esq., occupied the chair; The following gentlemen were elected office bearers; George Benjamin, Esq., Grand Master; Angus Bethune, Esq., Deputy Grand Master; Rev. R. J. MacGeorge, Grand Chaplain; Rev. Mr. Mayerhoffer, Deputy Grand Chaplain; the Grand Treasurer and Grand Secretary were re-elected; Richard Dempsey, Esq., Junior Deputy Grand Master; C. G. Levisconte, Esq., Deputy Grand Secretary; John Flanagan, Esq., President Grand Committee.

ENGLISH SUMMARY.

The Niagara is telegraphed as having arrived, but her news is delayed by some peculiar arrangement of the parties immediately concerned in its transmission. We have therefore very little to give under this head to-day. A few of the more interesting paragraphs cut from various sources will afford all that there is of novelty.

The London correspondent of the *Tablets* says—"We regret to say that Father Faber is still confined to his room from illness. Let us hope and pray that our dear Lady will grant him a perfect restoration to health."

Albani 'the greatest of singers,' was to sail from Southampton for New York on the 26th instant.

It is a curious fact, that of the clergymen of the Established Church at present officiating in Ireland, sixty-four have been either Roman Catholic priests or aymen.

Among the many objects of interest taken on board the Aactis ships, under the command of Sir Edward Belcher, were two mail bags, addressed to the missing ships Erebus and Terror. May they reach their destination.

The Killmoon estate, late the property of Colonel Stewart, has, it is said, been purchased within the last few days by the eminent firm of Fox, Henderson, and Co., for 20,000 guineas.

The most extensive and important sales of property that have yet taken place in any one day in the Encumbered Estates Court were those which were effected on Tuesday week, the gross amount of the purchase-money for the single day being no less a sum than £166,040.

There are said to have been only four Bank of England notes for one million sterling, and that after these four were engraved the plate was destroyed. Of these impressions the Rothschilds have one, the late Mr. Coutts had another, the Bank of England the third, and Mr. Samuel Rogers, the poet and banker, now decorates his parlour with the fourth, suspended in a gold frame.

BLACK RAIN.—On Friday morning (says the *Kilkeny Moderator*) between six and seven o'clock, a heavy shower, which lasted for upwards of twenty minutes, fell over our city and a considerable district adjoining. This rain proved, upon examination, to have been of almost an inky blackness, and had all the appearance of being impregnated with soot or charcoal. In the last year of the cholera we were visited by a similar shower, and in the popular superstitions the appearance of that dreadful disease was largely attributed to this circumstance.

The shores of England and Ireland are now connected by Electric Telegraph. The connection was completed on the 3d inst. We learn from the *London Times* of the 4th inst., that immediately after the wire was laid down, it was applied to a loaded cannon at Holyhead, the operator there immediately fired off the gun by an electric spark. This wonderful feat was enthusiastically cheered by the thousands present.—The line on the 4th inst. was in regular working order, and in a few days there will be an uninterrupted communication between London and Dublin.

The controversy respecting the guano Island of Lajos, claimed by Peru, is creating much sensation in England. It is presumed that public opinion will compel the British Government to force Peru to relinquish her impudent claim to that Island.

On the 4th inst., there was no later news in England from Australia. The emigration, however, to that country was very great.

Communication.

To the Editor of the Church.

REV. SIR,—Can you inform me what is the cause that I do not receive more than half of my letters and papers from Toronto, and that the few which are sent to me are so much delayed by being mislaid that they are almost useless? In consequence of my Church Papers' being lost I did not, till it was too late, know any thing of the last collection in aid of the Church Society. I am Local Superintendent of Common Schools for four townships; therefore it is necessary for me to have frequent communication from the Education Office. Some of these are very important. But many of them have been mislaid and much delayed; and I fear that some of them are lost. At least I cannot have any confidence that I am receiving all the letters addressed to me by the Chief Superintendent. The case is still worse with the papers from your office and the letters from the Secretary of the Church Society. I request that you and others who may send me papers or letters from Toronto will address them to Richmond, near Bytown.

Yours, &c., &c.,
JOHN FLOOD.

Richmond, June 17th, 1852.

TO OUR SUBSCRIBERS.

The proprietor of this journal intends reducing the price thereof to FIVE SHILLINGS per annum, payable strictly in advance, or SEVEN SHILLINGS AND SIXPENCE credit.

This reduction of terms will take effect at the commencement of the Sixteenth volume, being the first week in August next.

A desire to extend the already large circulation of the "Church," and consequently to increase its influence as an exponent of sound ecclesiastical principles, is the reason which has induced the proprietor to determine upon the above change.

In order to second and carry out his views, he confidently trusts that the Clergy and Laity of the Diocese, and members of the Church elsewhere, will use their best endeavours to procure accessions to the subscription list.

It is hardly necessary to state, that the size of the paper will fall to be somewhat diminished, in consequence of the reduction of price. By a careful condensation of intelligence, however, and a judicious arrangement of matter, it is believed that the amount of substantial information at present presented by the sheet will suffer no abatement. As heretofore, faithful chronicles will be given of the progress and struggles of our branch of Christ's Holy Catholic Church, both in the Mother Country and the Colonies; and the affairs of the Diocese will meet with an attention at least equal to what they have hitherto received.

After due deliberation, and in accordance with the suggestions of several friends, the "Young Churchman" will in time to come be incorporated with this journal. A portion of each number will be specially devoted to the "lambs of the fold," and to matter bearing upon Sunday-schools and home education. Parties who have paid in advance for the current volume of the "Young Churchman" will, in lieu thereof, receive the *Church* till the expiry of their term of subscription.

New subscribers are requested to transmit their names and addresses to the publisher, without delay, in order that the extent of the impression may be regulated accordingly.

Midland District Branch of the Church Society.

The next quarterly committee meeting of the above Association will be held on Tuesday the 6th July, in St. George's School House, Kingston, at 3 o'clock P.M.

HENRY BRENT, Secretary.

BIRTHS.

On the 17th inst., at Toronto, the wife of the Rev. W. A. Johnson, officiating Minister Scarborough, of a son.

At Streetsville, on the 18th inst., the wife of the Rev. R. J. MacGeorge, incumbent of Trinity Church Streetsville, of a daughter.

At Orillia, on the 16th June, the wife of the Rev. G. Bourn, of a son, still-born.

At Port Maitland, Lake Erie, on the 18th inst., the lady W. J. Hickes, Esq., of a daughter.

DIED.

Suddenly, of apoplexy, on Sunday morning, the 20th instant, in the 49th year of her age, Frances Ann, the beloved wife of Ogle R. Gowan, Esq.

In this city, on Monday last, Mr. H. F. Norris.

At Orillia, on the 16th June, Louisa Frederica, wife of the Rev. George Bourn.

In this City, on Saturday, the 19th inst., Mr. John Cunningham, aged 31 years. The deceased was a native of Brackey, County Tyrone, Ireland.

At Detroit, State of Michigan, on the 2nd inst., aged seven years and five months, Mary Ellen, youngest daughter of Mr. Edward Alton, late of Hamilton.

New Advertisements.

Trinity College.

COBOURG CHURCH GRAMMAR SCHOOL.

AN ASSISTANT MASTER will be required for this Collegiate School, on or before the 15th of September next.

Also, a LADY of middle age, who has had considerable experience in the management of Children, to take charge of the domestic economy of the Boarding House attached to the Institution.

Free education allowed in case of children. Application to be made to the Rev. THE PRINCIPAL, Cobourg.

HENRY BATE JESSOPP, M. A.,
Principal.
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Toronto, June 23d, 1852.

ST. LAWRENCE HALL.

GRAND MUSICAL ATTRACTION!!!

THE GERMANIA MUSICAL SOCIETY

RESPECTFULLY beg leave to announce that they will give

TWO GRAND CONCERTS

At the above-named Hall, to take place

On Friday and Saturday Evenings,

THE 25th and 26th JUNE,

Assisted by the eminent Artist

ALFRED JAEEL,

THE GREAT PIANIST.

Admission Cards, 3s. 9d., to be obtained at the Music Store of Messrs. A. & S. Nordheimer; at the Book Store of Mr. Scobie: also at the door.

Doors open at half-past Seven; Concert commences at Eight o'clock.

Toronto, 22nd June, 1852.

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Trinity College, Toronto.

LAW SCHOLARSHIP.

THERE will be an Examination for a Law Scholarship at this College, on Monday, 27th September, and the following days.

This Scholarship is intended for persons who propose, after finishing their Academical course, to pursue the study of the Law.

The Scholarship is £30 per annum, tenable for three years, on the condition of residence in the College, and regular observance of Terms and Lectures. Any breach of these conditions will forfeit the Scholarship.

Candidates must be not under 15, nor more than 19 years of age. They must send in their names to the Provost, at least 15 days before the Examination, enclosing certificates of their age, with testimonials of good conduct.

The subjects for examination are:—

Greek Testament—St. Luke's Gospel.

Classics—Virgil, *Æn.*, I, II, VI.

Xenophon, *Anabasis*, I, II, III.

Mathematics—Euclid, I—VI, and XI, I—22.

Algebra and Trigonometry.

History—Hallam's Constitutional History of England.

Composition—Latin Prose and Verse, and English Essay.

Trinity College,

Toronto, 9th June, 1852.

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CHURCH OF ENGLAND PROPRIETARY SCHOOL FOR YOUNG LADIES, TORONTO.

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THE REV. STEPHEN LETT, LL.D., Honorary Sec.

FOR many years Parents and Guardians throughout the Province have felt the want of an Institution where they could obtain for their daughters the advantages of a sound and accomplished Education, at a reasonable rate. To meet this want several attempts have been made by private effort, and, so far as the education has been concerned, these attempts have been successful, but experience shows that they have signally failed when the attendant expenses are considered. From a careful examination of the terms published by proprietors of Ladies' Schools in different parts of the Province, which have obtained a high reputation, it appears that for every advantage proposed to be given in this Institution to Day pupils for £15 a-year, the average is £52, while similar advantages can be obtained for a Son at the first scholastic establishment in Upper Canada for £10 per annum.

Thus, then, it appears that these two objects, viz., a good education and reasonable charges, have not been, and it is believed cannot be afforded by individual exertion; and therefore several gentlemen, having daughters to educate, have proposed—under the auspices of the Bishop—to found a Proprietary School, and they invite the co-operation of others similarly circumstanced.

A Council, holding office till the month of September, 1853, have been appointed, who have with great care entered into the estimates and matters of detail, and they find that the following scheme will enable them to carry out their views on the most liberal scale.

1st. The present stock of the Society to consist of 1,250l., in One Hundred Shares of 12l. 10s. each, of which 3l. 2s. 6d. to be paid forthwith; 3l. 2s. 6d. at the opening of the Establishment in September next, and the remainder when called for by the Council.

2nd. Each Shareholder to have the privilege of nominating one young Lady to the scholastic advantages of the Institution, comprising instruction in English, Writing, Arithmetic and the Use of the Globes, French, German, Italian, Piano Forte (together with the use of Instrument), Singing, Drawing, Callisthenics, &c. Plain and Ornamental Needle work; also, as opportunity may occur, arrangements will be made for Lectures, illustrated by Apparatus, on subjects of General Information.—The Parent or Guardian of the young Lady so nominated to be liable to the Council the sum of £15 per annum, payable quarterly in advance.

In order to meet the cases of the casual residents in the City, who may not wish to become Shareholders, the Council will make arrangements under which the benefits of the Institution may be secured by such residents for their children or wards.

Connected with the Institution and forming a prominent part of it, will be the Boarding Establishment. This will be under the care and management of a Lady Resident, whose special duties will be to form the manners and habits of the pupils, to promote their comfort and happiness, and to watch over their health with maternal care.

The charge for Boarding will be thirty-one pounds per annum. There will be no extras whatever.

The Council have much pleasure in expressing a strong hope that they will be able to secure a Building situate in healthy and well enclosed grounds.

The Educational Department will be conducted by qualified Teachers, chosen by the Council, and no efforts will be spared to obtain the best and most efficient Instructors; and as each Teacher will instruct only in a limited number of branches, that variety of style and system, so pleasing and advantageous to youth, will be secured; and the whole of the daily tuition will be under the supervision of the First Teacher, and subject to the inspection and control of the Council. And as of every well regulated system of Education Religion forms the basis, so in this Establishment will particular attention be paid to training up the pupils as Christian Gentlewomen. The Worship of the Almighty will be a part of each day's employment; Scripture lessons will occupy the opening hours, and the Chaplain will attend to impart religious instruction.

(Approved.)

Toronto, June, 1st, 1852.

Issued by order of the Council,

JOHN TORONTO.

STEPHEN LETT, Hon. Sec.

Any further information that may be desired will be furnished on application to the Rev. Secretary, St. George's Square, Toronto.

All Communications to be post-paid.

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