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PARLIAMENTARY PROCEEDINGS. HOUSE OF ASSEMBLY.

Since our last issue nothing of great interest to our readers has taken place in the Legislature. A number of petitions have been presented and referred to suitable Committees. The Common School Bill, with amendments, has been completed in committee. No person engaged in trade or commerce will be allowed to be clerk to the Commissioners of S-Schools.

It creates a permanent Board of registration and statistics to be formed of three members of the Executive—one of the three to be the Financial Secretary; it also provides these services and particulars—one of the clerks of the Department is to be secretary, to be paid for his extra labours, if the government should apply and the house be prepared to grant it.

There are also annual returns provided for by coroners of all inquests and verdicts of the jury;—by the Prothonotaries and Clerks of the Peace of all fines and penalties;—how collected and distributed;—of all convictions before parties—the sessions or supreme court.

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A Bill has been introduced for the division of the County of Cape Breton, and the regulation of the representation thereof—also a Bill to allow each county to assess for the payment of expenses of vaccinating the paupers of each county.

DOMESTIC.

Provincial Secretary's Office. February 18, 1850. His Excellency the Lieutenant Governor has been pleased to make the following appointments: George Hawkins and John Crooks to be Commissioners of Sewers in the Township of Lawrence Town.

Andrew Shields, Esq. to be a member of the Central Board of Agriculture, in place of James Irons, resigned. Andrew Madden, Esq. to be custos of the County of Richmond, in place of John Jean, Esq. deceased.

Thomas H. Fuller, Esq. to be Registrar of Probate for the County of Richmond, in place of Wentworth Fleighter, Esq. removed from the Province. Benjamin H. Ruggles to be a Notary and Tabellion Public for the County of Digby.

MISCELLANEOUS.

Jannin does to the 4th inst., have been received at New York. The House of Assembly has been prorogued by Gov. Gray on the 1st inst., till Tuesday, the 12th day of March next.

There are twenty-four vessels being built in and about Quebec, the aggregate average tonnage of which is computed at 20,225 tons. Sir Henry Vere Huntley, is about trying his fortune in California. The ship "John Calver," 450 tons, under his command, is advertised in London papers to sail on the 29th with the Anglo-California Gold Mining and Digging Company.

Counterfeit British Shillings are circulating in St. John, N. B. They are said to be a bad imitation. The St. John Suspension Bridge, is likely to be built at last. £12,000 of Stock has been subscribed, and aid is sought from the Legislature.

Colonel Webb's nomination as Minister to Austria, has been rejected by the Senate. Washington's farewell address—the original MS copy—was sold at Philadelphia, on the 12th, for \$2300. It was purchased for a gentleman at a distance.

Moses H. Grinnall, merchant of New York, has offered to put out at his own expense two suitable vessels to proceed in search of Sir John Franklin, provided the American Government will suitably officer the expedition.

Dr. Webster has been arraigned and pleaded "Not Guilty." His appearance in Court attracted an immense crowd. His walk was firm, and his demeanour dignified as he proceeded to the prisoners' box. His trial is set down for March 14th.

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Missing Steamer. We are highly gratified to state that the R. M. Steamer FAUCON, concerning whose safety fears had been entertained, arrived at this port on Wednesday last. The detention was occasioned by her having broken her shaft on her passage to Newfoundland, and by having to remain for its repair.

ESSAY.

We acknowledge the receipt of a copy of an Essay, styled "The Building and its Objects," which was read January 19, 1850, at the first public meeting of the Sons of Temperance in the New Temperance Hall, Poplar Grove, by John S. Thompson, Esq. It is composed in the Author's usually chaste style, and we hope will be serviceable to those who are advocates.

"OF INTEREST TO ALL."

Thousands have met a premature death for the neglect of attention to a common cold. Rev. Dr. Burton's new's Expectant Pink Syrup will most probably give relief and save you from that most awful disease, Pulmonary Consumption, which usually sweeps into the grave thousands of the young, the old, the lovely and the gay.

MARRIAGES.

On Friday, 5th inst. by the Rev. Alex. Ross, A. M., Corporal Jeremiah Jackson, 7th Royal Fusiliers, to Miss Elizabeth Cars of this city. At Guysford on the 29th ult. by the Rev. James Buckley, Mr. Charles Taylor, son of Wentworth Taylor, Esq. (Gt. St.) to Miss Mary Jemison, daughter of Mr. John Jemison, of the Bay-shore.

DEATHS.

Of Cholera morbus on Tuesday evening, 20th Nov. at Lower Cape, in the Bay part and Malindang County, the late Mr. John Henry, aged 60 years, who had resided in this city for 20 years, which she sustained with Christian resignation to the divine will. She departed this life on the 12th inst. at 12 o'clock, and was buried in the cemetery of the Wesleyan Church at 1 o'clock, and among them she found the blessing of adoption and peace through the believing in the Gospel of Christ, which she steadfastly retained to the end of her life.

At the Light House establishment, Seal Island, on the 9th January last, in the 29th year of her age, Sarah, the beloved wife of Richard Hiches, junr leaving a kind husband and four children to lament her loss. She left this vale of tears under a consciousness of the Divine favour, and in full assurance of a blissful immortality.

SHIPPING NEWS.

ARRIVALS. Sunday—Droit Halifax, Lythol, Boston, 24 days to B. Ward & Co. (Capt. Mary Dunscombe, Circus). Monday—Packet brig Vixen, Meagher, Boston, 65 days to Satter & Twining and others—12 passengers—reported having been becalmed 12 hours off Cape Sable.

MEMORANDA. Brig Juno, Prvor, arrived at St. John's N. F. on the 15th and brig Champion on the 21st ult from Halifax.

Schr J. H. Braine, Robbin, arrived at St. John's N. F. on the 15th ult from Matanzas;—was loading for Halifax. Brig Eagle Helliers, arrived at St. Domingo on the 10th inst in 3 days from St. Thomas. Brig Loyalist Pugh, arrived at Havana on the 3rd inst in 17 days from Halifax.

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POETRY.

Voice of the twilight hour, I listen to thy heaven-breathed tones In the tender sigh of the closing flow And the soft wind's dying moan.

Thou speak'st of the hopes that smile In the bright spring time of youth In the mother's kiss, and in language A lesson, though simple, she taught 'Twas a lesson of artless truth.

Voice of the twilight hour! How sweet is thy sound to me, For my soul is entranced by thy note And my sorrows are lost in thee.

Thou art heard in the trembling strings Of the harp which the breeze wafts In the bird as her farewell notes she sends To the golden hue which the sunset On the breast of the silver lake.

Thou speak'st of a brighter land, Of a far-off region fair, And thy whispers are soft of a shade And I know that the loved are there.

of the twilight hour! Ere thy heaven-breathed tones do Oh! speak in the sigh of the closing Or the wind that die in the green— Once more to my anxious heart.

Can these we have cherished here Their love on earth forgot? Though their home is a holier, hap Oh! say, do they guard us yet?

Oh the twilight answered not, Replied, as I stood on that lonely spot "The friends thou hast cherished, and For thy love, and they guard thee."

'Twas the voice of the dewy night, And the earth and the ocean sleep And the silent stars, with their meek O'er nature their vigils kept.

And I thought it were bliss to die, To fade with the tints of even, For gladly then would the spirit fly On its angel-wings to worlds on high And meet with the loved in heav

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where shall my wondering soul How shall I fall to Heaven's aspect A slave redeemed from death A bond-slaved from Eternity How shall I equal triumphs rat or sing my great deliverer's praise

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