

not a town in the Province where the Sabbath is better observed. Should we have occasion hereafter to change our views on this subject, we shall at once join issue with "Senex," in applying corrective measures.

Launched on Thursday the 9th inst. from the Ship Yard of the Messrs. CAMPBELL, of 'Fatungouche, the fine ship "Colchester," of about 600 tons register. The superior manner in which this Ship is fastened and finished, together with a fine model and excellent materials cannot fail to make her creditable to the builder, and advantageous to the owners.

Same day, was Launched from the Ship Yard of GEORGE SMITH, Esq. River John, a fine new Ship, called the "Tweed," about 460 tons measurement.—*Com.*

We have not seen either of these Ships, but by those who have seen them, they are said to be first class, both in model and workmanship. The Tweed was built by Mr. T. Rutter.

TEMPERANCE CONVENTION.—On Thursday last, according to previous intimation, a Meeting of Delegates from various Temperance Societies throughout the Eastern Division of the Province, and P. E. Island, was held in the first Presbyterian Church of this place, at which the following Societies were represented.

Pictou,	by	Rev. Mr. McKinlay,
		Rev. Mr. Robson,
		A. D. Gordon,
		James Dawson.
Antigonish,		Chas. F. Harrington.
		W. Matheson, Esq.,
		Geo. McDonald,
West River, Pictou,		Donald McLeod,
		John McLenn,
		William Graham.
Truro,		James Archibald,
		James Reid.
Onslow,		Rev. J. Baxter.
East River, U. Settlement		Robert Grant.
Mount Tom,		John Brown,
		William McLeod.
West River, U. Settlement		Alex. Campbell.
New Glasgow,		John Campbell,
Charlottetown, P. E. I.		E. Ward.
Bedeque		Rev. S. Patterson.
Lot No. 49		Rev. B. Scott.

The Rev. John McKinlay having been called to the Chair, the following Resolutions were moved, seconded, and unanimously adopted.

Resolved—

1. That the principles, and object, alone recognised by Temperance Societies, are, the extinction of intemperance and crime, and the promotion of moral reform, and that these societies denounce all interference with the religious tenets of any denomination.

2. That it is recommended to Societies, to leave out from their Pledge the recognition of the use of ardent spirits, for medical purposes, as leading to the conclusion that they possess properties beneficial to the constitution, which the testimony of medical men generally assure us they do not possess.

3. That a Committee be appointed in every harbour where a temperance society exists, and to which shipping resort, for the purpose of visiting seamen on board; to ascertain their moral standing in regard to temperance, and distribute Tracts among them.

4. That the habitual use of ale, porter, wine, and cordials, being calculated to prolong the prevalence of intemperate habits among mankind, it be recommended to members of temperance societies, to abstain from the habitual use of such intoxicating liquors, either by pledge, or the gradual operation of moral suasion.

5. That a Committee be appointed to examine the present Licence Laws, and draw up a report on such amendments as to them may seem necessary, for the information of the friends of temperance generally,—to enable them more effectually to combine their operations in procuring such alterations as may be desirable, at the next meeting of the Legislature. Committee, J. Blanchard, Esq., Dr. Anderson, and J. Dawson.

6. That the influence of females being recognised as extending itself to persons of every age, rank, and condition: the aid of that portion of every community is respectfully solicited, in the dissemination of temperance principles, and in the promotion of a cause so congenial to the benevolence of their natures, and which is calculated to ensure their domestic comfort and enjoyment.

7. That the Convention, viewing with unfeigned commiseration, the rapidly approaching extinction of the original inhabitants of this country, by the vice of intemperance, introduced among them by civilized men—deplore that any person claiming connexion with a christian community, should be so lost to every precept moral and Divine, as still to persist in administering to their acquired and depraved appetites, the poison that has so fearfully thinned their numbers, and sunk them so low in the scale of moral and rational existence.

8. That this convention recommend to the different Societies in this section of the Province, the appointment of Committees to enquire into any breaches of the Licence Laws, which may take place within their several bounds, and particularly to that law lately passed, in order to prevent the sale of ardent spirits to Indians.

9. That this Convention deplores the loss which the temperance cause has sustained, in the death of the late Rev. DUNCAN ROSS, and would cherish the fond remembrance of his name, as the first individual in this Province who publicly, and fearlessly, denounced the habitual use of ardent spirits, and the steady friend and patron of temperance societies.

10. That a Convention of Delegates be held in 1836, in Antigonish, on the second Wednesday of July, and another at Charlottetown on the third Wednesday of the same month.

Recommended, that a County Convention be formed in Pictou, and that its first Meeting shall take place on the last Wednesday of December next, at the West River, Lower Settlement.

The Chairman having left the chair, it was then unanimously resolved, that the thanks of this meeting be given to the Rev. J. McKinlay, for the able and disinterested manner in which he has conducted the business of the Convention.

The business of the Meeting was conducted with the greatest harmony;—but it is a subject of serious regret that so few of the inhabitants attend, or take any interest in those meetings; if the friends of temperance had any object in view in holding these meetings, apart from the promotion of the best interests of their fellow men, then such apathy might in some degree be excusable; as it is, they are by such conduct doing much to retard the progress of the Reformation, and treating most unhandsofly those benevolent gentlemen, who have left their homes at considerable pecuniary expense and loss of time, for the purpose of promoting as far as possible the cause of temperance and good order.

The meeting was opened and concluded by prayer.

TRAVELLERS' MEMORANDA.

Arrivals during the week,

Mr. Harper's—A. McDougald, J. McDonald, J. I. Starr and Wm. Young, Esqrs.; and Messrs McGee, McDougald, McGilvery, and McKernon.
Mrs. Davison's—Messrs Coonage, McGee, and Muncy.
Mr. Lorrain's—Capt. Phry, Lieut. Outburn, Rev. Mr. Knight, and Messrs Blake and Haguo.

DIED,

At New Glasgow, on Wednesday last, after a short and painful illness, David, youngest son of Mr. Colm-M-Kay, aged 16 years and a few months. By his death his parents have been deprived of a hopeful son, and the rest of the family of a very affectionate brother. Let all his young associates be warned by this event to prepare for death:
"The number'd hour is on the wing
"That lays thee with the dead."
On Saturday, at Scotch Hill, Pictou, infant son of Mr. John Grant.
On Monday last, Mr. Wm. Moore, aged 82.

SHIP NEWS.

ARRIVED.

- July 8. Jane, Bishop, P. E. Island—oats & oatmeal to J. Smith; Lively, McKenzie, Charlottetown,—Mail & passengers.
- 9. Steamer Pocahontas, Davison, Miramichi; sloop Sarah, Mullins, Wallace—bal. to master; schr. Elizabeth, Simpson, Merigonish—bal. to master.
- 10. Schr. Eliza, Munro, Crow Harbour—bal. to master; shal. Albion, Landry, from Arichat, and bound to Bay Verte with flour.
- 11. Schr. Emily Le Blanc, Margaree—bal. to master. Brig Vigilant, Spence, R. John—timber to G. Smith, Sir William Wallace, Johnston, Point Breuly—timber to H. Hatton; shal. Fortitude, Cummings, R. John—bal. to master; steamer Pocahontas, Charlottetown—passengers and one Comp'y 83rd Regiment; schr. Brothers, McDonald, Halifax—general cargo to G. M. A.; schr. True Friend, Dawson, N. B.—lumber to master.
- 13. Schr. Bee, Graham, Miramichi—six passengers; Brig Nereus, Pitman, Boston—bal. to G. M. A.'s'n; Schr. Margaret, Houdroit, Mag. Island—seal oil & skins to John Joyce; Isabella, Goodwin, Pugwash—plank to G. Smith; schr. Esperance, Pettipas, Mag. Islands—seal oil & skins to master.
- 14. Brig New Columbia, Ingraham, Watren—ballast to G. M. A.; schr. Mary Ann, Fraser, Richibucto—dry goods and hardware to G. Smith and James Carmichael &c.

CLEARED.

- July 8. Shallop Gracious, O'Brien, Miramichi—corn meal by G. Smith; brig Waltham, Sheldon, Providence—coal by G. M. A. and passengers.
- 9. — Albion, Boston—coal by G. M. Association.
- 10. ship Atticus, Burr, Fall River—coal by G. M. A.;
- 11. Brig Two Sisters, Bartlett, N. York—coal by G. M. A.; Penacola, Butler, Boston—coal by do.; brig-gantine Hope, Burke, New York—coal by Ross and Primrose; George, Peckner, do.—coal by G. M. A.; brig Vigilant, Spence, Hull, timber &c. by G. Smith.
- 13. Schr. Pictou, Graham, Boston—coal by Ross and Primrose; schr. Lively, McKenzie, P. E. Island—Rifles; Fanny, Le Blanc, Bay Chaleur,—Flour by G. Smith; Elizabeth, Simpson, on a fishing voyage by the master; sloop Sarah, Mullins, Wallace—provisions and dry goods by J. Malcolm; Bear, Boudroit, Crow Harbour—salt and fishing stores by do.

The Brig Persian, Stratford, of Sunderland, was run foul of by a Ship (name unknown) on the 20th inst. off Cape Ray—and sustained so much damage in her stern, that she had to put into Sydney, C. B. for repairs.

NOTICE.

ALL persons having any just demands against the Estate of the late DONALD M'INTOSH, of the Fox Brook, East River, deceased, are hereby requested to render the same, duly attested, within eighteen calendar months from the date hereof; and all persons indebted to said estate, are hereby notified to make immediate payment to CHARLES M'INTOSH, Fox Brook, who is authorised to settle all accounts.
THOMAS MUNRO, } Ex'rs.
RODERICK MCKAY, }
East River, 16th April, 1835. b-w

WANTED, as an APPRENTICE to the Printing Business, a BOY about 15 years old, who has received a good English education. Apply at this office. July 8.