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DOMINION.

—Duncan G. McBean, a prominent grain merchant, of Winnipeg, was burned to death during a fire in a hotel at Boiscevan on Sunday, the 15th.

—A gold lead, which promises to be a valuable one, was discovered at Pleasant Valley, Yarmouth, last week.

—J. T. Hawke, late of the Ottawa *Free Press* will assume editorial control of the Moncton *Transcript*. Mr. McConnell will, it is said, go to Ottawa to take charge of the *Free Press*.

—The strike among the Pictou county coal miners has come to an end, and the mines have resumed work. The trouble began early in the year.

—The Boston *Provincialist* says: Between Friday and Monday last, over 300,000 lobsters were landed in Boston from Yarmouth, Lockeport, and Barrington, Nova Scotia. Now, Brother Jonathan, you can't have retaliation and lobster salad both. Which will you have? Lettuce alone!

—A new company for the manufacture of woollens, with a capital of $2,000,000, was organized in Montreal, and a company with a capital of $5,000,000, was organized in Kingston by New York capitalists for the development of iron mines along the Kingston and Pembroke Railway, on the 16th.

—Mr. Kenny, member for Halifax, on Friday introduced in parliament a bill to incorporate Sir George Stephen, Sir Charles Tennant, Senator McInnes, of Hamilton, and Messrs. T. A. Paterson and George Gillespie, of Montreal, as the Londonderry iron company. The company are authorized to acquire the assets of the steel company of Canada for $300,000 of preferential shares. The capital stock of the new company is to be $1,800,000, and the head office will be in Montreal.—*Herald.*

—The Baptists of Amherst propose building a new vestry, and making addition to the seating capacity of their church.

—The freshet, by flooding and washouts, has injured Shaw Bros. tanneries on the Penobscot and St. Croix to the extent of $25,000.

—The managers of the Yarmouth Steamship Company, the Western Co.'s Railway and the W. & A. Railway have invited representatives of every paper in Nova Scotia to an excursion to Boston and return, via Yarmouth. They left Halifax and intermediate stations by the W. & A. train on Saturday morning. Members of the New England press have been invited to join them in Boston and take a trip to Nova Scotia.

—Thirteen hotel keepers, of St. Thomas, Ont., charged with violation of the Scott Act, after showing a disposition to fight the matter out, decided to plead guilty and pay their fines, thus saving costs. The fines will amount to $650.

—A survey of the Minudie Railway, from the Joggins Railway to Minudie, has been completed. A good line is reported, and a company has been organized to proceed at once with its construction. This line is found to strike a very valuable quarry of greystone.

—The annual meeting of the directors of the Canadian Pacific Railway was held in Montreal, on Thursday. The annual report shows: Gross earnings for the year, $10,681,803; working expenses, $6,378,317; net earnings, $3,703,486; deduct fixed charges accrued during the year, $3,703,041; surplus, $635,444.

—The assessors of the town of Moncton have finished the work of valuating. They report the total of taxable and personal estate and income to be $1,760,500, an increase of about $30,000 over last year, almost wholly in real estate. This valuation does not include church buildings valued at $100,000, government property valued at $1,600,000, nor the sugar refinery, gas and water property, lock factory, a flouring mill, with an investment of about $700,000, all exempted for ten years; so that one half the property in the town pays all the taxes.—*Sun.*

—George J. Bliss, clerk of the house of assembly, has determined to test in the the courts the validity of certain changes in the ritual of the Episcopal church recently made by the Rev. G. G. Roberts, rector of Fredericton, in conducting services in the parish church.—*Gleaner.*

—The New Glasgow, N. S., *Chronicle* says, the Egerton Gold Mining Company, are carrying on active operations on their property at Fifteen Mile Stream with a force of about fifteen men. They have just completed the sinking of a new shaft on the McGilligan lead which is showing very well. We are glad to learn that their prospects of good returns are cheering.

—Harvey G. Poole, of Arcadia, Yar. co., was drowned last week by the capsizing of his boat.

—The Dominion Parliament will probably be prorogued about June 17th.

—Crops are reported "looking splendidly" at Winnipeg.

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This seems to have been Shakespeare's rebuff to a life insurance agent. All wrong Mr. Shakespeare, and as agent of the D. S. F. Life Association would have "pricked the bubble." You could take the risk on your house, though, no doubt, you had that insured; but when you refused to insure your life, it was your wife and children, not yourself, who had to stand the hazard of you desperate cast.

—The Royal Jubilee exhibition at Liverpool opened last week, under the auspices of the Princess Louise and Marquis of Lorne. The Marquis of Lorne spoke of the great future of the Dominion and of the colonial empire.

UNITED STATES.

—The Boston *Herald* recently published the following from its Washington correspondent: The president has no present intention of executing the Canadian non-intercourse law. He is in constant receipt of memorials from Detroit, Chicago, Duluth and other border cities and towns, appealing to him not to interfere with their large and growing trade with Canada. He has no present intention of doing so. He realizes, like the Secretary of State, the magnitude of the interests afforded by the Canadian question, and proposes to exhaust the resources of peaceful negotiations before declaring non-intercourse with Canada, with all that implies.

—A child two months old was attacked by a rat in a Pennsylvania town the other day. It forced its head into the child's mouth, thus preventing it from crying, and ate away the flesh from the roof of the mouth and the lower jaw. The physicians have some hope of saving the child's life.

At Lawrence, Mass., on the 17th, the old Washington No. 1 mill, nine stories high, was burned, loss $75,000; insured.

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Marriages.

BELYEA–KNOX.—At Gordonsville, C. Co., on the 12th inst., by Rev. A. H. Hayward, Mr. Marvin E. Belyea, of Coldstream, and Miss Cordelia J. Knox, of Gordonsville.

COLBOURNE–SLACK.—At Middleboro, Cum., N. S., May 7th, by Rev. C. C. Burgess, Mr. Stephen E. Colbourne, of Oxford, and Mrs. Caroline Slack, of Spring Hill.

KILPATRICK–MALONEY.—At the residence of the bride, on the 15th inst., by the Rev. C. W. Williams, B. A., Capt. Joseph Kilpatrick to Mrs. Hortense F. Maloney, both of St. Andrews.

MELLICK–WALLACE.—On Wednesday morning, May 18, in the Baptist church, Granville Ferry, by Rev. Isaiah Wallace, assisted by Revs. F. O. Weeks and S. H. Cain, Rev. Henry G. Mellick, of Morden, Manitoba, and Frances Elizabeth, youngest daughter of the officiating clergyman.

TOWNSEND–CROFT.—On the 12th inst., by the Rev. B. N. Nobles, Mr. Allan Townsend, of West Head, and Miss Alma Croft, of Lockeport.

Deaths.

ANGEVINE.—At Wallace River, Cumberland County, March 20th, Mr. James Angevine, aged 56 years. He was an estimable man, and died in the triumph of faith.—Com.

STEWART.—At Pugwash River, March 2nd, Mrs. Stephen Stewart, aged 75 years. She was baptized by Rev. Mr. Hobbe thirty-seven years ago. Upon the day of her baptism the Wallace River church was organized. She took her place in that church and consistently maintained it till death.—Com.

ELGEE.—At Cumberland Point, Queens County, N. B., May 2nd, Mr. John Elgee, aged 87 years, leaving two sons and two daughters to mourn their loss.

HOWATT.—on the 12th inst., at Tryon, P. E. I., Harold, infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Webster Howatt. "Of such is the kingdom of God."

KEITH.—At Williamstown, N. S., May 1st, Caroline, relict of the late Charles Keith, aged 75 years.

ROBINSON.—At Roxbury, Mass., Hattie A., daughter of James Robinson, Bloomington, N. S., aged 33 years.

MARTIN.—At Gaspereaux, N. S., May 7th, Hattie V., daughter of Robert and Amanda Martin, aged 1 year and 7 months.

O'LEARY.—At White Rock, May 11th, Perley B., son of Rupert and Lavinia O'Leary, aged 4 months.

ELLS.—May 16th, at her home on Belcher street, Cornwallis, aged 73 years, Margaret A., daughter of the late Thomas Lyons, Esq., and beloved wife of Abraham Ells, Esq. Sister Ells was converted many years ago. She was baptized by Rev. A. S. Hunt into the fellowship of the First Baptist church, Cornwallis, of which she was an esteemed and worthy member at the time of her death. All through her life, during most of which she resided at Scott's Bay, she has been remarkable for her deeds of kindness and charity, and her love for Christ and His cause. The poor have lost a friend by her removal. At her house the servants of Christ, of every denomination, found always, from all the members of her family, a cordial welcome. Her hospitality, as many can testify, was unbounded. A great reader, she kept herself informed of all the movements of the day. She watched with deep interest the "News of the Churches" and read with avidity the religious papers. She enjoyed greatly the society of intelligent Christian people, and was herself an intelligent conversationalist. She will be much missed in a wide circle of attached friends. Her husband and children feel bereaved, but mourn not as those who have no hope.—Com.

SAUNDERS.—At his residence in Prince William, Rev. J. W. Saunders, in the 86th year of his age. On Sabbath evening, May 8th, Father Saunders peacefully fell asleep in Jesus. For some two years he has been mostly confined to his house, and for the last two months he was confined to his bed. His sufferings were not severe, but he was under a gradual waste of both mind and body, until the summons came. I find by the church records that he was ordained at Prince William in 1832, and therefore was an ordained minister for 55 years. For a number of years he was the pastor of the church in the place where he lived, and many of its present membership were gathered in under his talents; but of late years other brethren have had the oversight, but he always took part in the work of the Lord in this place, and was always pleased with the prosperity of the good work here and elsewhere. His funeral took place on the 10th. Owing to the state of the roads, none of the ministers of the county were present but myself. A goodly number of the church and congregation assembled at his residence, where very appropriate services were conducted by Rev. Mr. Ross, Presbyterian minister of this place, who was a very intimate friend of Brother Saunders. The procession then marched to the meeting house, where a sermon was preached by the writer to the assembled congregation from John xxi. 18, after which a just tribute was made to the memory of Father Saunders by Rev. Mr. Ross. His remains were then interred in the cemetery of this locality, where many of the fathers and mothers of equal age and memory have been placed before him. Father Saunders leaves a widow, two sons and one daughter, two grandsons and three granddaughters, with many others in the county who respect and honor his memory. I can safely say that ever since I became acquainted with our aged brother I always found him very kind in his own home, which was always a stopping place for ministers as well as others traveling through this section of country; and I am sure many will join in paying a just tribute of respect to his memory. B. N. H.

McNAYR.—At Forkland Ridge, Springfield, April 6th, Harvey S. McNayr, aged 30 years. He was baptized by the late Willard Parker. Our brother died in Christ; his faith was strong; death had no sting, the grave no terror for him. He leaves a widow and two little children. May God comfort the sorrowing ones.
W. J. B.

ROOP.—At Forkland Ridge, Springfield, April 7th, Harvey E. Roop, aged 6 years and 2 months, and on the 9th, Daisy L. Roop, aged 2 years and 9 months, children of Brother Henry Roop. W. J. B.

BENT.—At Lake Pleasant, Springfield, Willoughby, infant son of James and Mary Bent, aged 11 months. W. J. B.

CUMINGS.—At Lower Granville, Annapolis County, N. S., on May 15th, of consumption, Mr. Duncan Cumings, aged 54 years.

FARRINGTON.—On the 14th of April, at her residence, West Head, Isnor, wife of Mr. J. W. Farrington. Many relatives and friends mourn the departed; but are comforted because of her testimony to faith in our Lord.

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