

future period, to issue a political or literary journal. Let the Churchman and Messenger look out, for if we mistake not, they are involved in the same condemnation with ourselves.

But as we are not mechanics, it seems, we are wrong in having mentioned to a few individuals, that any advertising favours would be kindly received, and inserted on the same terms as the other journals. We are not charged with having spoken disparagingly of the Recorder, nor with offering to advertise on lower terms, but our great crime is having solicited a share of advertising patronage. The object of advertising any notice is, as we understand it, to give a wide publicity to that notice—and as the two papers have a very different list of subscribers we are at a loss to know how we circumvent the Recorder by asking a friend for an advertisement. He talks of *beggary means*, but we have yet to learn that what is considered perfectly honourable among the first mercantile houses in the world, and is daily practised by their travelling agents, is disreputable in the printing line. But the Recorder assumes that he has an undoubted right to *all* the advertisements and we to none—let him prove his assumption and his complaining about *interference, circumvention, &c.* may be more musical in the ears of the community.

We have before stated to the public that our great object in issuing the Pearl was not pecuniary gain, and we now inform the Recorder that it is very far from our wish to injure the circulation of his paper—we do not desire a single advertisement to be taken from him to fill up our columns. We cannot, however, but express our regret, that the Recorder should adopt the most effectual means to hurt himself—a few more such exemplifications of the law of gentlemanly courtesy, as his editorial of last week contained, and the Recorder may prepare himself to record his own obituary—but has his paper already become so faint and languid, and does it so greatly need reviving, that he talks so pertly of turning doctor?—does he so ardently long for a *pearly* solution to clarify his intellect and render his ideas more vivid and brilliant, that he so bravely threatens our dissolution with his sharp acid? But as for the *ton de garnison* language of his opposition piece, let him be assured once for all, that we contemplate all that sort of thing with infinite composure.

You think yourself abused and put on,
Tis natural to make a fuss;
To see it and not care a button,
Is just as natural to us.

PROPRIETOR.

BAPTIST ASSOCIATION.—The Annual Meeting of Ministers and Messengers, composing the Associated Baptist Churches of Nova Scotia, was held here the past week. It commenced on Saturday, and terminated on Wednesday evening—and has created no ordinary degree of interest. The audiences were large and highly attentive. We understand there were 30 Ministers, and a number of Lay Messengers, besides the Rev. Mr. Crandall, Representative from the Baptists in New Brunswick, and the Rev. Mr. Wilson, from the State of Maine, Rev. C. Tupper, Moderator; Rev. Wm. Chipman, Clerk; J. W. Nutting, Esq. Assistant Clerk, together with the usual Committee.

The following, among other resolutions, were passed:—
Resolved, That this Association form itself into a Sunday School Union, and appoint a Committee to make all the needful arrangements for such Union, and report at the next Association.

Resolved, That the Churches of this Association do all they reasonably can to encourage and support Sunday Schools during the present year, and that they send to the next Association the Statistics of their Schools.

Resolved, That the Missionary Society adopt the Christian Messenger, and that the Churches throughout the Province use their influence to promote its circulation.

This was voted on condition that persons pledge themselves for a sum sufficiently large to secure the Missions against any loss. About 40 persons on the spot made themselves accountable for £5 each per year.

The circulation of this Paper is now 800 Copies, and the list is steadily increasing.—*Yarmouth Herald.*

LIVERPOOL, N. S. June 20.—Arrived, brig Dove, Collins, Demeraray, 26 days. The master reported to the Health Officer that he had the bodies of two of his seaman on board, who had died on the passage, a few days before he made the land. That they had not died

of the fever as he believed, and that they were in their coffins, buried in the sand ballast on board. On report of the Health Officer to the Board of Health, an order was immediately given to remove the vessel out of the river to a proper distance from the Town, till she should be fumigated, and every precaution taken in case it should be a contagious disease. The bodies were interred under the directions of the Board at a late hour of the night, and the ballast in which the coffins were buried, was thrown overboard before the vessel was allowed to return to the wharf.

NEW BRUNSWICK.—The first Tea Ship—On Saturday last, the brig Clifton, Captain Worsell, of London, arrived at this Port direct from Canton, in 123 days, with a full cargo of Teas, to Messrs. W. H. Street & Ranney. This is the first arrival of a vessel at our port from any part of the "Celestial Empire." Another Full Ship.—The Whale Ship James Stewart, owned by Charles C. Stewart, Esq. of this city, arrived at this port on Saturday from her second whaling cruise, with a full cargo. She has been absent 21 months, and in that time has completely circumnavigated the globe;—the distance from New Zealand to this port she performed in 90 days, which is very fast sailing. Her cargo consists of 2,200 barrels black Oil; 300 do. Sperm; 24,000 lbs. Bone,—independent of 540 brls. black oil, and 6,000 lbs. bone shipped to London in March, 1836. This voyage must prove highly encouraging to the enterprising owner and all concerned.

Among the *Novelties* brought home by the James Stewart, is a native of the Island of New Zealand, a fine athletic active looking fellow. He shipped voluntarily, has been on board about 13 months, and we learn is quite active and useful on board the ship, going aloft with the expertness of an old sailor. His colour is somewhat similar to the Indians of this country; the left side of his nose and his face is tattooed.—*St. John pap.*

Two ROGUES, calling themselves Hickson and True, came on here about a fortnight since to exhibit the powers of a Solar Microscope, and after cheating almost every body with whom they had any thing to do and passing off some bad paper, sailed for Portland on Sunday last.—*Novascotian.*

HORTICULTURAL SOCIETY.—The Committee beg to give notice that the premiums proposed to be awarded of \$16 and \$8 for the best and second best cultivated Gardens, will be open to any competitor at Dartmouth, as well as the Peninsula of Halifax.—*Id.*

MELANCHOLY ACCIDENT.—The House of Henry J. Boutiller's widow, situated in Margaret's Bay, was burned down on Monday last, and a child nearly two years old was burned to death.—*Id.*

Mr. Spike has issued the first number of the *Farmer and Mechanic*, a neat quarto sheet, filled with useful matter.

The Acadian exhibited a profusion of flags on Tuesday last, the Anniversary of American Independence, and Captain Lane entertained a large party on the occasion.—*Tel.*

LATEST.—The New Brunswick Observer of July 4, furnishes London dates to June 3.

Public business was in a state of vexatious postponement: the Budget had not been opened, for substantial reasons. Lord Melbourne proposed the elevation, to the peerage, of Sir C. Wrottesley, Sir Hanbury Tracy, Paul Methuen, and Viscount Lismore,—the King refused.—The Irish Tithe Bill had been postponed,—the Irish members required it is said, total abolition, and refused to support the *Administration on any other terms.*—The Bank of England had discontinued negotiations with the American houses,—extensive failures were expected to result.—Vessels had been chartered to carry 1000 of the distressed Highlanders to Van Dieman's Land.—Trade was dreadfully dull in Manchester,—the only hope was occasioned by the supposition that matters could not become worse: Kendall, Barnstable, Leicester, and parts of Scotland furnish accounts nearly similar.—The Duke of Orleans had been married to the Princess Helen. 400 Workmen were getting out Granite for the New houses of Parliament.—*Tel.*

It is rumoured that the Governor of New Brunswick has ordered the Militia to hold themselves in readiness on account of the Boundary excitement in Maine.—*Id.*

MARRIED.

At Dartmouth, on Monday morning, 26th ult. by the Rev. Mr. Geary, Mr. Joseph Willmet, to Miss Magdalene Teney.
On Sunday morning, by the Rev. Archdeacon Willis, Mr. Thos. Clifford Kinnear, merchant; to Sarah Ann, relict of the late Mr. J. W. Brown.
At Pictou, on the 28th June, by the Rev. J. McKinlay, Mr. W. Gordon, to Miss Amelia Miner, both of that place.
At Bridgetown, on the 25th ult. by the Rev. Mr. Robertson, John Michie, Esq. merchant, to Miss Bethiah D. daughter of Captain John Robertson, of the former place.
At Onslow, on Tuesday the 18th June, by the Rev. J. Baxter, Mr. Thos. Chisholm, of Pugwash—formerly of Pictou, to Isabella, eldest daughter of Mr. A. Chisholm, of Onslow. Same day, by the

same, Mr. Alex. Christie, of Onslow, to Margaret, only daughter of Mr. Joseph Laidlaw, lately from Scotland.

DIED.

On Tuesday evening, Abigail, wife of Mr. Michael McKenna, in the 32d year of her age; leaving a disconsolate Husband and three young children to bewail the loss of a fond wife and loving mother.

SHIPPING INTELLIGENCE.

ARRIVED.

Saturday, Schr. Concord, Canso; Britannia, Covill, Barrington; William Walker, Smith, St. Andrew's, 4 days.

Monday, Schr. Enterprise, LeBlong, Sydney, 5 days; schr. McGregor, Guysboro. The Messenger reports the ship ashore at Torbay Point, was from London, bound to Quebec, with a general cargo of Dry Goods, Cocoa, &c. most of the cargo saved, and part on the way here. Schr. Florida, Hoffman, St. George's Bay, N.F. 2 days. On Friday last, off Canso, saw a ship of War and a full rigged brig, with Troops on board for the Gut of Canso; Sloop of War brig Serpent, Com. Warren, Fort Royal, Jam. 21 days.

Tuesday, schr. Maria Esperance, Gerrior, Quebec, 30 days; schr. Swan, Leonard, Sydney.—Reports on Sunday last, saw a brigantine run alongside of a large sized schr, and immediately after the schr, was on fire, then hauled her wind for them; but bore away for two other schr. more to the Southward—wind north; schr. Lady, Babin, Quebec, 17 days, schr. Rising Sun, Landry, Quebec, 15 days; Alicia, Curry, Miramichi; Hazard, Crowell, Burin, N.F.; Lucy, Gerrior, Quebec, 3 days. Spoke ten miles below Quebec. schr. Mermaid, LaVache, hence for Montreal, saw within sixty miles of Quebec, brig Herald, Berwick, and schr. Emily, LeBlong, hence for Quebec. Am. brig Sparkler, Boyce, Providence, U.S. 3 days, bound to Pictou; schr. Meridian, Crowell, Carhouear, N.F. 13 days; schr. Deffiance, Nickerson, Pugwash, 6 days; brig Catharine, Smart, Hamburg, via Portsmouth, 44 days.

Wednesday, schr. Yarmouth Packet, Tooker, Yarmouth, 3 days; Eight Sons, Millard, Grenada, 18 days Left brig Red Breat, at Grenada, to sail in 12 days for Halifax.

Thursday, Schrs Van, Ragged Islands; Leander, Lunenburg; Maria Louisa, Sydney; Mary, Pope's Harbour, Gracious, Pictou; brig Sarah, Antigua, H.M. Ship, Rainl w, Capt. Bennett, West Indies.

Friday, Gov. schr. Victory; schr. Mayflower and Mary, Sydney; Mary Ann, Musquodoboit.

CLEARED.

Saturday, 1st July. Schr. Amaranth, Coffin, St. Andrews; Convivial, Hampton; St. Andrews; Neutrality, Elwell, Portland; Industry Long, Boston; Union, Shaw, W.I.; Reliance, Hancock, N. F.; George Henry, Desjard, Gaspé; Robert Noble, Smith, Falmouth, Jam. 5th, Schr. Lady, Bond, St. John, N.B.; Minerva, Caldwell, Bay Chaleur.

Sales at Auction.

BY DEBLOIS, MITCHELL, & CO.

Have for sale at their Room, by Auction, on Tuesday next, at twelve o'clock,

A VARIETY OF DRY GOODS,

among which are,

A Bale of Satinface, for summer wear; a few pieces Clothes and Cassimeres, a case of Hosiery and Comforters, Muslins, a variety of Quilling and Laces, Pins, Habit Gloves, Counterpanes, and other articles. The sale positively without reserve.

50 Reams Wrapping Paper.

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BY EDWARD LAWSON,

In front of his room, on Tuesday next, 12 o'clock,

23 boxes Egyptian Dates,
12 boxes, 3 casks best Zante Figs,
24 Cannisters Arrowroot,
10 bbls. Beef, 5 do. Pork,
2 puns. Hams,
Firkins Lard and Butter,
4 hhds Vinegar.
2 bbls. Blubber
5 boxes White Soap.

July 8.

MERCANTILE AND NAUTICAL ACADEMY.

THOMAS BURTON,

BEGS leave to notify to his friends and the public, that he has opened an Academy in

Brunswick-Street, opposite the New Methodist Chapel, where he intends instructing youth of both sexes, in the following branches of education, viz. Orthography, Reading, Writing, English Grammar, Arithmetic, and Mathematics, generally. Likewise, Maritime and Land Surveying, Geometry, Trigonometry, Navigation, and the Italian and modern methods of Book-keeping by double entry. The strictest attention will be paid to the morals and advancement of such pupils as may be committed to his care. July 8.

CARD.

DR. RUFUS S. BLACK, having completed his Studies at the Universities of Edinburgh and Paris, intends practising his profession in its various branches in Halifax and its vicinity.

Residence for the present, at Mr. M. G. Black's, Corner of George and Hollis Streets.

Advice to the Poor, gratis. Sw. July 8.

HALIFAX TEMPERANCE MEETING.

A MEETING of the Halifax Temperance Society will be held on Thursday evening next, [13th inst] at half past seven o'clock, in the Acadian School; for the purpose of appointing Officers to serve for the ensuing year. It is hoped the members will feel an interest in the cause and attend. July 7.