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own conscience whether, having known your duty and done it not, remaineth any thing for you in the awful future, save a certain fearful looking for judgment and fiery indignation. O! while the voice of mercy is yet sounding in your ears, let your defiled spirit be cast believingly upon Christ, that ye may escape the terrible wo which must come upon the soul of the man that contends with God!

NEW BAPTIST CHURCH IN TORONTO.—A new chapel has just been completed and set apart to the worship of God, by the Baptist Church of Toronto. The building is plain, substantial, and commodious—reflecting credit, alike upon the good taste and persevering energy of the Baptists of Toronto. No ceremony of consecration was observed at the opening of the house; the brethren heartily deprecating such movements, as the pitiable mimicry of the operations of the heath and those who bear his image. The Rev. J. Pyper, of Pontiac, Michigan, being providentially present, preached in the morning and evening (Sunday 23rd ult.) and Rev. R. A. Fyfe, the Pastor, in the afternoon. It was a season of deep and peculiar interest to the church. After having passed the infancy of their existence in a small building, located amid dirt and turmoil, where the sacredness of the sabbath was often broken in upon by the thoughtless multitude who sought not after God—to find themselves in a neat house of worship; sufficiently large to contain the church and society; standing in a delightful part of the city; remote from the oppressive noise of surrounding thoroughfares, was all well calculated to induce profound gratitude to God. And we believe that amongst the emotions which crowded the hearts of those disciples, gratitude held a prominent place.

On the evening of the subsequent Tuesday, the Ladies had a "Tea-Meeting" in the basement of the chapel; the object of which was to aid in liquidating a remaining indebtedness on the house. It was well attended, and the rich repast, prepared on the occasion, the beauty, the elegance, the substantiality of the entertainment, regarded as a development of the refined taste and elevated generosity of the ladies belonging to the church and society, presents them as a host of whose co-operation any church might be proud, and in whose energy any church might rejoice.

To fairs and parties in the churches we have long been conscientiously opposed, as we have regarded them as a mere bringing down of the churches from their high and sacred position to a pitiable conformity to the world in its unscrupulous and crafty policy. But the meeting of which we speak, was conducted on different principles from any which we have heretofore heard of—it was decidedly a religious meeting. After craving the divine blessing, all sat down to supper, and nothing but the strictest decorum marked the interview. Supper ended, and the whole congregation returned to the body of the house, where they were addressed by the pastor, and four different ministers, on different subjects—the choir performing thrilling music, in an admirable manner, between the speeches. My the Saviour bless the church and lead them ever to contend earnestly for the faith once delivered to the saints.

CHINA. We give the following extract of a letter from the beloved missionary, Dean, as it appears in the last No. of the Christian Herald. Who can read it, and mark the throes of that noble mind in its agony of earnestness, as he pleads for the perishing millions of China, without being pierced with the conviction that the consecrations of Christian churches and people are more the creatures of circumscribed selfishness, than the products of love. Let me preach, the gospel to dying men says the young man of talent, as he enters the ministry; but not in a heathen land! Let our pastors do all the good they can, say our churches; but let them in their efforts remain within the limits of our own territory. So reason parents and others! Read the missionary challenge below, and see if it is not so. Mr. Dean says—

We want help, and must have it, and the Board must send it, and the churches must furnish the men and means. One after another is breaking down for want of help. Dr. Gardner of Bangkok has failed from our work, and is about to leave for Singapore. Dr. Jenks is here with his wife for health, and that station is destitute!

WOMEN MEN, WHO WILL COME? The old ones are wearing out—the work is begun—who will carry it on? Or is it to stop? Is the work too difficult? Is the self-denial too severe? Are the foes too strong? Is the end to be abandoned? Shall we yield the victory to the wicked, and acknowledge ourselves vanquished? Who is ready to give over the contest with superstition and sin? Who will say he has nothing more to do for his Master? Who dares to say that the ALMIGHTY has grown weak and weary of his work? Or that the Holy One has been foiled of his foes? Or who dares to turn traitor on the field of battle? Who dares to be branded as a deserter? Still is not that man worthy of the distinctive title who sees a man fall at his feet and makes no effort to supply the vacancy? There is surely cowardice somewhere. Men are courageous to expose their lives, their fortunes and their sacred honour in a bloody war with their fellow men, but when called upon to help and save the heathen their courage fails. Yes, we venture to challenge our friends to go to the heathen.—They dare not go. They dare not send their children nor their pastors, and they dare not give of their substance to send or feed any one else. They dare not identify themselves with the cause of the despised Gallaian. Were he now on the earth, he would not in truth say, "O ye of little faith!"—Where is your love for me?

From your affectionate brother,

Wm. Dean.

ORDINATION.—A Council of the regular Baptist church at Fredericksburgh, was convened in their meeting-house, June 10th, at ten o'clock, for the purpose of examining and (if deemed suitable) setting apart Brother Wm. McLellan to the work of the gospel ministry. The exercises were commenced with prayer, by Elder Fitch; and letters from the various churches having been read, the council was organized, by appointing Eld. S. McConnel chairman, and Eld. Fitch clerk. After Brother McLellan had related his Christian experience, and called to the ministry, his views of gospel doctrine, building up of the churches, the ordinance of church of Christ, &c. &c. and after due deliberation the council unanimously agreed that he was a proper candidate for the ministry, and proceeded to the solemn act of ordination

in the following order:—Brother A. Duncan, Charlotteville, licentiate, preached the sermon, founded on 1 Tim. iv. 1 and 15, 16; Eld. Elliott offered the opening prayer, with the imposition of hands; Eld. McConnel delivered the charge; Eld. Fitch presented the concluding prayer, and the last hymn and the benediction were pronounced by the candidate. The services were deeply interesting. May God bless our brother and make him a blessing in the church and to the world.

By order of the Council, E. S. McConnel, Chairman.

CANADA SUNDAY SCHOOL ADVOCATE.—This is the title of a new periodical which has just come to hand from Hamilton; to be published monthly, at the office of the Canada Advocate, and is "designed to please and profit Sabbath School Scholars." The paper is a small sheet, in quarto form, and looks remarkably neat, and is presented to us as a specimen of what it will be, we think it cannot fail to do good.

POSTAGE IN THE UNITED STATES.—The following new regulations in the post-office department of the United States prove a great boon to the publishers and readers of newspapers in a country where almost every county issues two or more weekly papers; and especially may it prove highly advantageous to those parts where daily papers are issued. The postage on a daily paper heretofore has exceeded three dollars per annum; quite an item in the price of a newspaper.

The New Postage Bill, for newspapers, which passed the House of Representatives on Monday, restores the right to publishers of papers to forward them free to subscribers residing in the country, or within thirty miles of where the paper is printed. Papers sent a hundred miles pay half cent, and over one hundred, one cent postage—if of no greater size than nineteen hundred square inches. Papers of greater size, with pamphlets, magazines, &c., will pay two cents an ounce, and one cent for each additional ounce over the first. Publishers of periodicals and pamphlets are allowed to exchange with each other free of postage, and newspapers not sent from the office of publication are to pay two cents postage.

STATEMENT SHOWING THE AMOUNT OF EXPORTS FROM THE PORT OF NEW YORK, FROM THE 1ST OF APRIL TO THE 17TH OF JUNE, 1848, INCLUSIVE, AND NUMBER OF VESSELS EMPLOYED TRANSPORTING THE SAME.

Table with 2 columns: Item, Amount. Includes Cotton, Sugar, Coffee, etc.

Number of vessels employed in transporting the above, 71, varying from 20 to 200 tons burthen.

ARRIVAL OF THE CAMBRIA! The Cambria arrived at New-York this morning, July 1st, at 10 o'clock.

FRANCE. Great alarm and excitement prevail. The hopes of the moderate party were likely to be defeated by the party of the Empire. Louis Napoleon had rekindled the old Bonaparte enthusiasm. As soon as the Government perceived the excitement, 10,000 troops were concentrated at Paris.

MEXICO. The steamer Palmetto arrived from Vera Cruz on the 15th inst. Our officers from that city are the 15th, her day of sailing. A formidable conspiracy has broken out in the city of Mexico, having for its object the overthrow of the government and the extension of the present party, or the party in favour of the late treaty. The work of assassination had already commenced, and the prominent advocates of peace, friends of the United States, having been murdered.

YUCATAN. The steamer Jones arrived yesterday from Tampico, whence she sailed on the 10th. Symptoms of dissatisfaction appeared among the Indians in that quarter; they had become troublesome to the authorities. Capt. Hunter was with a company that repelled an attack made upon Comanche by the Yucatan Indians. In the severe battle which was fought between the whites and the Indians at Bolonchén, the Indians lost 9000. Several small towns were destroyed or vacated.

EXECUTION AT GENEPI.—FERRAS, who was convicted at the late Wellington District Assizes, of the murder of Wilson, a constable, underwent the extreme penalty of the law on Monday last, at 9 o'clock, in the presence of a large attending assemblage.—Hamilton Gazette.

NEW BOOK AND STATIONERY STORE, On Dundas street, opposite to the Market.

JAMES GILLEAN, BEGGS to inform the inhabitants of London and its vicinity, that he has lately opened a Book and Stationery store in the Block on Dundas street, opposite the Market, and a few doors east of No. 24 West Beaver's Street, where he trusts, by strict attention to business and moderate prices, to receive a share of public patronage. He will keep on hand a stock comprising the most of the articles usually kept in such establishments, viz:—

BLANK ACCOUNT-BOOKS, WRITING PAPER, SCHOOL-BOOKS, Bibles, Prayer Books, Hymn Books, Pocket Books in English & French, Copy-Books, Ink, Indelible Pens, Gold Pens, &c. &c. &c.

THE subscriber has just received a Large Assortment of Bibles, Testaments, Psalm-Books; Watts' Psalm and Hymns; Wesley's Methodist Hymns, &c. &c.

NEW BOOK-BINDERY. NEW or old Books re-bound neatly and substantially. Libraries Repaired or Bound on the shortest notice, and at the most reasonable terms.

RELIGIOUS BOOKS, FOR SALE AT THOMAS CRAIG'S BOOKSTORE, 23, DUNDAS STREET.

VALUABLE FARM LOTS for Sale in the HERON TRACT, near the Village of Guelph, fronting Lake Huron, containing 28, 72, 671 and 264 acres respectively.

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TO BUILDERS. SEALED TENDERS will be received by the Trustees of Common Schools of this Town, for the immediate erection of a Brick School-House.

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