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CANADIAN ITEMS.

Baptist Union of Canada.

The first of a series of sessions to be held in connection with the Baptist Union of Canada was opened in the Jarvis Street Baptist Church, Toronto, on Wednesday last. This new association, or Union, as it is called, is formed by the first assembly, which is formed by an alliance of the different Conventions of the Baptist Church in Ontario and Quebec. The Union is arranged as to secure as fully as possible a representation of the whole Baptist body in these Provinces, and its object is the better promotion of missions, education, and the various church funds and enterprises. The question of the formation of this Union was discussed at each of the Conventions held in the year, and the result was the appointment of a committee to draft a constitution, which was obtained at its last meeting, and a charter was obtained at its last meeting, and a charter was obtained at its last meeting.

The Union takes charge of all the work that was hitherto done by the Conventions for the Province of Ontario respectively, also the Missionary Work at the Educational Work at Woodstock, Foreign Missions, Superintended Ministers Fund, and the Church Education Society. The two Conventions will henceforth cease to exist except as Boards on the Baptist Union of Canada.

At the afternoon meeting the Committee on Nomination presented a report recommending the following names as officers of the Union for the year: President, Hon. Wm. Mc- Master; Vice President, John A. Boyd, M. A., Q. C.; and A. A. Ayer, Secretary, Rev. A. H. Munro; Treasurer, H. E. Buckley, M. D. The report was accepted by the Assembly with applause. The Committees were then adjourned. The annual report of the Canadian Literary Institute was presented and read by Rev. J. D. Jackson, Secretary of the Board, which was very satisfactory. The trustees of the Institute received \$6,000 towards endowment, and the existing debt about provided for by subscriptions from members of the college. The Theological Department reported nine students in attendance and 20 in the course. The ministry in the ministry in view. The Union was visited by a delegation from the Ministerial Association of Toronto, consisting of Rev. G. M. Milligan, President, and Rev. Dr. Poole, Vice President, who conveyed fraternal greetings of that to the Union in session assembled. In the evening the meeting was held in the interests of denominational education, at which speeches were delivered by several gentlemen.

CANADIAN ITEMS.

Mr. Mansen, the Conservator of Canadas has been elected to the House of Commons for Bronte, Quebec.

George Hawkins, tailor, Belmont, was found dead near that village on the 19th. It is supposed he died in a fit.

Belle-ville's population has decreased by 6% since last year's census. I scarcely fear of Belleville thus to go back on the 1st P.

It is said Mr. McKibbin, of Wingham, has entered an action for abduction against his Quigley who ran off with his daughter. The girl was only 17 years old.

A RARE CHANCE.—Any one having a good horse, spavin, staggers or double set of hams, to exchange in trade, or, perh., for a new first-class Cabinet Organ or Piano, or a second hand Organ, should send their address at once to J. J. Simpson, Owen Sound.—t129.

At the Barrie Assizes a man recovered \$100 damages for injuries received by the plaintiff in consequence of the knuckles of a thumping rod of a threshing machine being long to the defendants not having been covered as is required by an Ontario statute.

An epidemic of murder appears to be prevalent in Nova Scotia just now. A school master was recently sentenced to death at Amherst and Tatamagouche, the alleged murderer of the Hill girl awaits his trial there. At Lunenburg another prisoner was found guilty of murder on the 15th inst.

The Gulf weather prophet expects sufficient snow in November in some parts of Western Ontario to make sleighing, and rather thinks the will be snow enough before the end of October for a few sleighs to run. November is likely to be a cold month, and farmers should use care days for taking up their turnips.

Summer Complaints, or Cholera infantum, which is carrying off thousands of children by the thousand at this season of year, can always easily be checked and cured by Dr. Fowler's Extract of Wild Strawberry. It has never failed to give immediate relief in the most severe cases. It is a balm within the reach of every reader. Do not fail to give it a trial; you will be pleased with its charming effects. For sale by all dealers.—T. MULRAN & CO., TORONTO.—b139.

The third of his series of meetings was held at Walton on Tuesday evening by Sir Richard Cartwright among his constituents in Centre Huron, and especially those of the townships of Grey and Middlesex. The meeting was held in Birnie's new hall which was filled to suffocation by the intelligent ratepayers and residents of those portions of the wealthy constituency of Centre Huron.

I have no hesitancy in recommending Dr. Fowler's Extract of Wild Strawberry.—G. W. Scott, St. Catharines. "I would advise any one suffering from summer complaints to try Dr. Fowler's Extract of Wild Strawberry. An extract of Wild Strawberry gives perfect satisfaction."—Thomas Douglas, Cambray. "Can recommend Dr. Fowler's Extract of Wild Strawberry with confidence."—Judge S. S. Peck, Minden. "My customers bear high testimony to the virtues of Dr. Fowler's Extract of Wild Strawberry."—T. Stevenson, Orangefield.—b139.

General Clarke's relieving force has defeated the Basutos, and relieved Mafeteng, South Africa.

Five men were instantly killed and nine injured, two fatally, and others seriously, by a boiler explosion at a distillery at Terre Haute, Ind., on Wednesday.

Highest Market price paid for

BIRTHS.

In Proton on the 22nd inst., the wife of Mr. Henry Fowler of a daughter

Fowler.—Eugene. On the 24th inst., the wife of Mr. John Ferris of a son

E. L. T. —In Chatsworth on the 26th inst., the wife of Mr. J. W. Elliott, Postmaster, of a son

Robert Elliott, on the 16th inst., the wife of Mr. Elliott Rodgers, of a son.

MARRIED.

HATCH.—At Holden on the 14th inst., by the Rev. P. Strath, James Hatch, of Arthur, H. H. McLean, Miss Jessie A. McLean, both of Armstrong.

LAWRENCE.—On the 14th inst., at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. N. A. McLean, Mr. and Mrs. A. McLean, of Armstrong, by Rev. Mr. J. Miller, daughter of Mr. George Miller, of Armstrong.

STEELE-MITCHELL.—At Chatsworth on the 14th inst., by the Rev. James Cameron, Mr. Michael Steele, Miss Jessie Williams, to Miss Jessie Steele Mitchell, of Chatsworth, to Miss Jessie Steele.

NEWTON-SAVAGE.—At Clifford on the 15th inst., Mrs. E. H. Newman of a son, the youngest daughter of the Rev. J. Savage, M. D.

DEATHS.

SIMMONS.—In Owen Sound, on Oct. 26th, Mrs. Eliza Simmon's wife of Mr. Alex. Simmon in the 67th year of her age.

STEWART.—On the 26th inst., Catherine wife of Mr. Robert Stewart aged 23 years and 2 months.

WATSON.—In Armstrong on the 15th inst., Mary Wright, daughter of Bartholomew Wright, aged 7 years, 1 month.

MCLEOD.—In Dundalk on the 11th inst., John McLeod, aged 8 years, 2 months and 22 days.

DEAN.—In Marquette on the 15th inst., Lemuel Dean, aged 19 years.

MCNAUL.—In Marquette on the 15th inst., Anne McNaul, widow of John McNaul, aged 4 years and 3 months.

GEORGE NIXON.

Dundalk, Oct. 26, 1880.

Several more Persian villages have been destroyed by the insurgent Kurds, who have again commenced their ravages.

The epizootic now prevalent throughout the western States, and in some parts of New England; but it appears to be of a mild type, and very few deaths are reported.

On Wednesday a steady factory in Cincinnati caught fire, where the escape of six persons was made. One jumped from a window and broke his leg. The other five were burned to death. The statement is made that they might have escaped, but that they stayed to change their clothes.

A Stubbs Part.

Dr. Fowler's Extract of Wild Strawberry, the most reliable remedy in existence, for diarrhoea, dysentery, cholera morbus, sour stomach, scurvy, &c. Many complaints, however, are like a charm. Its effects are marvelous instantaneously, cure speedy. It should be kept in every home at this season for use in cases of emergency.—For sale by all dealers.—b139

DURHAM MARKETS.

DURHAM, Oct. 28th, 1880.

Flour per 100 lbs. \$2 50 to \$2 75

Flour No. 2. 2 25 to 2 50

Corn Meal 2 50 to 2 50

Shorts. 1 00 to 1 00

Bran. 0 50 to 0 50

Oatmeal 2 50 to 2 50

Fall Wheat, per bush. 0 90 to 0 90

Spring Wheat, 1 lb. Claff. 0 90 to 1 25

Glasgow. 0 95 to 1 00

Oats, per bushel. 0 75 to 1 00

Barley. 0 50 to 0 75

Pearl Barley. 0 50 to 0 75

Peas. 0 50 to 0 55

Hay, per ton. 6 00 to 7 00

Potatoes, per bag. 0 40 to 0 40

Pork, per 100 lbs. 5 50 to 6 00

Beef. 4 50 to 5 00

Hides. 7 00 to 7 50

Sheepskins, each. 0 75 to 1 00

Eggs, per dozen. 0 20 to 0 20

Wood, dry, per cord. 1 20 to 1 25

Apples, per bag. 0 50 to 0 50

DUNDALK ARKETS.

DUNDALK, Oct. 26th 1880.

Fall Wheat, per bush. No. 1 \$0 85 to \$1 00

Spring Wheat. 1 05 to 1 00

Barley. 0 35 to 0 55

Oats. 0 25 to 0 50

Peas. 0 25 to 0 27

Dressed Hogs per 100 lbs. 5 50 to 6 00

Butter, rolls, per lb. 18 to 20

" large rolls per lb. 00 to 00

" tub dairy. 00 to 00

Eggs, fresh. 12 to 15

Sheepskins each. 50 to 1 00

Potatoes, per bag. 0 30 to 0 40

Wool per lb. 0 25 to 0 30

Sheep skin. 0 75 to 1 00

Linen Sacks. 0 75 to 1 00

Hides per cwt. 6 00 to 7 50

Hay, per ton. 5 50 to 6 00

WALKERTON MARKETS.

WALKERTON, Oct. 22, 1880.

Flour per barrel. \$6 00 to \$6 00

Oatmeal per barrel. 4 50 to 5 50

Fall Wheat. 5 00 to 5 00

Treadwell Wheat. 0 95 to 1 00

Spring Wheat. 0 95 to 1 00

Barley. 0 50 to 0 55

Oats. 0 25 to 0 30

Peas. 0 55 to 0 57

Potatoes per bag. 0 30 to 0 35

Butter. 0 18 to 0 20

Eggs. 0 11 to 0 12

Wool per lb. 0 25 to 0 30

Sheep skin. 0 75 to 1 00

Linen Sacks. 0 75 to 1 00

Hides per cwt. 6 00 to 7 50

Hay, per ton. 5 50 to 12 00

TORONTO MARKETS.

TORONTO, Oct. 28, 1880.

Fall Wheat, per bush. \$1 00 to \$1 07

Spring Wheat. 1 00 to 1 07

Barley. 0 95 to 1 00

Oats. 0 40 to 0 45

Peas. 0 25 to 0 26

Dressed Hogs, per 100 lbs. 6 50 to 7 00

Butter, rolls, per lb. 21 to 24

" tub dairy. 20 to 24

Eggs, per dozen. 18 to 20

Potatoes, per bag. 50 to 55

Turnips, per bush. 25 to 28

Hay, per ton. 9 50 to 12 00

Box Stoves,

Parlor Stoves,

Coal Stoves,

Stove Pipes,

ELBOWS & TIN WARE

For the Fall.

All at Lowest rates.

A VERY LARGE STOCK OF

Boots & Shoes