

Provincial Wesleyan

THURSDAY, MARCH 15, 1855.

Obituary Notices.

The subject of the following sketch, LETTIA, wife of the Rev. WILLIAM ALLEN of Woodstock, was a native of Nova Scotia...

At the instant meeting held in June last, Mr. Allen was unexpectedly appointed to the Woodstock Circuit...

Early in October last her disease assumed such a character as to cut off all hope of recovery; and when the opinion of her medical advisers as to the final issue of her disease was known to her, she recorded the deed of filial piety without an alarm...

At another time she said, stretching out her arm, wasted to a skeleton, there is not much left upon which the worms can feed. A few days before her death symptoms appeared which told that the hour of her departure was at hand...

WILLIAM TWEDDY. Woodstock, February 26, 1855.

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THE PHILOSOPHER AND THE CHILD.—A philosopher once asked a little girl if she had a soul. She looked up into his face with an air of astonishment and offended dignity and replied:—"What have you?"

Halifax Anniversaries of the Wesleyan Methodist Missionary Society.

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evangelical churches of Great Britain, where would be many of those glorified beings, who now surround the throne of God, but who through the instrumentality of Missionaries in far off heathen climes were taught and embraced the truth as it is in Jesus?

But being willing to lend our efforts and contribute our means to the cause of God, we should first make the enquiry—Where are these most needy? What are the objects which, though moral and religious in their tendency, might, without any absolute injury to the cause of God, be dispensed with. Had these monies been devoted to the proclamation of the Gospel to the benighted heathen, eternity would have revealed the joy, the peace, the happiness, the heaven they would have ensured to thousands of souls.

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dan in any previous year of its history would express its obligation to those Collectors and friends to whose zeal and liberality its gratifying results is to be attributed, and deems itself bound to do all in its power to present a diminution in the income of the present year.

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the Scriptures, we never heard him exalted by any minister. His voice was melodious, his manner simple and natural, his enunciation clear and distinct, his style pure and elegant; and while he had an earnestness and pathos that riveted the attention and affected the heart of the multitude who attended his ministry—his piety was fervent and his private life was above all reproach.

Liverpool Circuit. MR. EDITOR.—I am much pleased to be able to state, for the information of your readers, that the Anniversary Missionary Meetings for this Circuit have been all held, and that the results have been of the most cheering kind...

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denominations present, who seemed all intent upon the object of being happy themselves, and of making the inmates of the Mission House happy. After 236 persons had obtained refreshment at the tables, the Committee appointed to conduct the giving part of the business, presented me with a purse containing in a flowing pool and protected to the kindly hands of the Mission House, and I pray that the same may be the lot of all who are so happy to be able to contribute to the cause of the Redeemer's kingdom, and an increased attachment to the Society to which for so long a period they have contributed.

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Revival Intelligence. MY DEAR SIR.—Convinced that intelligence is a highly prized and eagerly read by many of your numerous readers as that connected with the revival of God's work, I feel great delight in communicating the information that God has been pleased graciously to pour forth His Holy Spirit upon our congregation worshipping in the Chapel at East Beach.

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Interesting from Newport.

MR. EDITOR.—As the readers of your excellent periodical are no doubt interested in the cause of benevolence, and in making the progress of philanthropy in this highly favored Province, I take up my pen to give you a sketch of an interesting meeting that has lately been held in Newport, declarative of the existence of enlightened sentiment and good feeling in this community towards objects of a philanthropic character.

THE LATE BISHOP CAPERS. The Methodist Episcopal Church, South, is mourning for one of its best beloved, and worthiest of her bishops, WILLIAM CAPERS who died on the 23rd of January last.

RELIGIOUS SERVICES IN CHINA.—The service in the Chinese temples consists of a low, monotonous, and rapid chant, the priests kneeling in prayer, and the other members of the congregation kneeling on either side of the priest, and striking a silver gong. At intervals, a young priest, whose position was almost alone, stalked up to the altar, bowed and went back again. The priest's dress is of a pale yellow color, and is generally plain. A young priest, whose position was almost alone, stalked up to the altar, bowed and went back again. The priest's dress is of a pale yellow color, and is generally plain.