THE COVENANT RENEWED.

calculated if performed in the right spirit, to produce truly salutary results. The reneware consecrated, is one of the most thrilling and impressive acts of worship participated we dwell. in by the Methodist Church. It is an observance extremely well adapted to turn to hours of the first day of the new year. The the most profitable account the thoughts solemn and tender associations of the watch and feelings naturally awakened in the and the echoes of our hymns of sounding minds of reflecting persons on the recur- praise yet fall upon the ear. It is a season rence of a new year.

Standing on the threshold of a new year, and striving in vain to peer into the secrets of the future, one cannot but be impressed with a humiliating and saddening sense of the past. The unknown future with all its his blindness, ignorance, incapacity and appointed work, its possibilities of joy or suffering, stretches before us. We cannot nothingness. One cannot foresee what a where or when the blow may fall upon or His guidance we fear not to go forward. we will be conferring a great and lasting strument in the School room.

member the years of the right hand of the Most High. That All-glorious Being inhis gaze. He knoweth the future as the dom, no force overcome His might.

And, O, joy to think of it, He is our of ransom, and by right of our past voluntary surrender to Him. Remembering all this, as, involved in uncertainty and wrapp
A circular was consequently addressed is that, as far as your to every family in the congregation asking their presence and co-operation at a meeting of the most fasting to every family in the congregation asking their presence and co-operation at a meeting influence extends, the whole school is pertiantly in its general appearance and fine is, the building strikingly resembles the new to every family in the congregation asking their presence and co-operation at a meeting influence extends, the whole school is pertiantly in its general appearance and fine is, the building strikingly resembles the new to every family in the congregation asking the first presence and co-operation at a meeting influence extends, the whole school is pertiantly in its general appearance and fine is, the building strikingly resembles the new to every family in the congregation asking the first presence and co-operation at a meeting influence extends, the whole school is pertiantly. It is general appearance and fine is, the building strikingly resembles the new to every family in the congregation asking the every family in the congregation asking the building strikingly resembles the new to every family in the congregation asking the evening of Directors.—Dr. Avery occupied the Chair. The building strikingly resembles the new to every family in the congregation asking the evening of Directors.—Dr. Avery occupied the Chair. The building strikingly resembles the new to every family in the congregation asking to every family in the congregation asking the evening of Directors.—Dr. Avery occupied the Chair. The building strikingly resembles the new to every family in the congregation asking to every family in the congregation asking to every family in the congregation asking to every family of Richard Research to every family in the congregation asking to every family in the congregation asking to every family in t feet, or to clasp the knees, or to cling to the arm, or take refuge in the bosom of the also press onward fearlessly, hopefully and the wide demand for trained Wesleyan from two dollars to ten cents per week safely by faith in the living God, who doeth Teachers. all things well. Our Heavenly Father in- There is quite a lull in political matters vites—nay commands us to exercise this for the promotion of Reforms and other pub faith, this trust in Him which cannot be betraved, and is never confounded. Conde- their suspension during alarming symptoms to Him too unstintingly. He has an inde- ly contested battle. The Licensing Ques our confidence to God that we give up our fears of that mysterious future of which we

It is to be hoped that the recent general God by our co-religionists throughout the most hopeful and encouraging. world was heartily, and earnestly and most prayerfully entered into. It is without question an exceedingly solemn act to enter into covenant engagements with the Almighty, an act that should ever be performed with the deepest humility, the greatest possible TO THE REV. DNNCAN MCCOLL, LATE OF sincerity and the most anxious entreaty for assisting grace. But thus performed, it must ever be a most profitable service. God's people have by rich experience found it to be so in every age. May the thousands and to the continual increase of their usefulness in the service of their common Lord.

ENGLISH CORRESPONDENCE.

J. R. N.

" Christmas celebrations - The coming in of the New Year-The Correspondent's

DEAR MR. EDITOR.—The great fear of the nation having been partially relieved, and favorable tidings of the condition of the Royal invalid being widely circulated, and everywhere received with tokens of great joy, the people set themselves to enjoy in good old fashioned style the great Christmas Festival. As the day fell on a Monday, ing until Tuesday night or Wednesday morning, for by a recent Act of Parliament the 26th of December is made a holiday at the Banks, and Government Offices, and it of rest. The weather has been most un- earth, and wherever He is, He is a fountain

drawbacks we have kept the joyous feast, and a lad hand poor have not been forgotten. The birth earnest for the redemption of his soul. Last Sunday week, in Europe, America, day of our Redeemer threw its rays of glad-Asia, Africa and Oceanica, very many hun-Asia, Africa and Oceanica, very many hun-the sorrow-stricken for a time forget their dreds of thousands of Methodists, as is their grief. In barracks and ships-of-war, and custom on the first Sabbath of a new year, wherever men were congregated, the symmany have been obliged to leave their own renewed their covenant with God. That bols of Christmas were displayed and the land and seek Bread elsewhere. I believe was a most solemn transaction, and well feast was kept. All ranks appeared to par- however that a time of Refreshing is not at take in one common joy; the services in a great distance. The Preachers abide Church and Chapel were, as might be expected, appropriate to the occasion, and set tle-our Foreign Missions are generally al of the covenant, coming, as it yearly forth the praise of Him, who "once in hudoes, as the fitting sequel of the annual man weakness shrined" now reigns the from us in spring. Please to give my best watch night services, to the celebration of glorified God-man in the heavens, and respects to your worthy Clergymen and bewhich the closing moments of each year whose name is sung by an ever increasing lieve me, number, and whose birth makes glad an ever-widening area of the earth on which

> This letter is written during the earlier night services yet linger around the heart, of quiet hallowed peace to the people of

God. The old year with its uncounted blessings, its numerous answers to prayer its providential unfoldings and clear guidings is gone and lies in the dim shadows of pierce the unseen, or lift the curtain which Let our New Year's prayer be "Let Thy benefit.

pose continuing these brief notes of passing In this state of feeling, how proper to re- events on behalf of the readers of the Pro- an income falling short each quarter of dism is being actively and bravely urged To meet that difficulty at the time brought habiteth eternity. Nothing is hidden from forward. Provision is being made for the official wallets to the fore; as they were perfectly. He knoweth the way that we is now being opened under the Principalship their base of operation. They very well of Rev. Mr. Olver. This will leave the knew as all must, upon a moment's reflectake. He fills immensity and every part whole of the Westminster College free for tion, that the distribution of the burden over of space lies within the sweep of his power- male students. The valedictory address to the whole congregation, by the application Father in Heaveu. His hand fashioned our years. It is distinguished for its adherence for the direct and present objects of the hundred feet from the ground, and the attenbodies, and from the depths of His being to the spirit of recent Legislation, and yet church, as well as create a revenue to contion of the observer is arrested by the symmetric church, as well as create a revenue to contion of the observer is arrested by the symmetric church, as well as create a revenue to continuous church church, as well as create a revenue to continuous church church, as well as create a revenue to continuous church chu

this, as, involved in uncertainty and wrapped in darkness, we vainly strain our vision to ed in darkness, we vainly strain our vision to discover what may be approaching us at the discover what may be approaching us at the commencement of another year, can there of future accountability. Your whole inbe any exercise more fitting our condition tercourse with your scholars is a present and position than to throw ourselves at the living for the future. Let them distinctly know that you seek to train them for an unending future." Such are the principles with which Mr. Olver is going to his post God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, at the head of the new Training Institution. who is also our Heavenly Father? Surely Both Colleges will be filled notwithstanding not. Walk by sight along our perilous path the fee which is now charged upon admiswe cannot. We may, if we will, stumble sion. There is not the slightest abatement of eagerness to obtain the advantages of our along blindly and fearfully. But we may course of training, nor on any decrease in

scending and pitiful as He is wise and of the Prince's illness, and the abandonment mighty, He woos our confidence and would of the people to the spirit of holiday making. have all our heart. We cannot yield that of approaching conflict are easily heard, and nectional collections. We also set aside confidence too fully, nor give up our hearts the coming session will have many a fiercefeasible right both to the one and the tion, the Ballet Bill, Education in Ireland, other, and it is by giving up our hearts and and some modification of the recent Act for England; and many other great movements

claim immediate attention. We hope for a good year in Methodism know nothing, but which under guidance -for the liquidation of the debt of the Misdivine we may bravely and joyfully con- sionary Society-for a solid and worthy establishment in Rome-and for numerical increase throughout the length and breadth

> ORIGINAL LETTER FROM DR. ADAM CLARKE.

> > Mill Brook, Prescott, Lancashire, Nov. 23rd, 1822.

STEPHEN'S, N. B

My DEAR BRO .- Your letter I received and read with great pleasure, and rejoice joicing. God has promised to his upright plan?" "How does it work?" tollowers all that they need to make them wise, holy, happy, and useful: and every promise is Yea in Him and Amen through Christ Jesus. We cannot please Him bet-Gospel of Peace.

The testimony of God is very powerful. Blessing. I am also getting old, and gregation present on each occasion. shall, if spared, soon be in the grand climacterical year of my life. I have travelled a good deal—I have seen the Church of ton writes 9th Jan., 1872: "The new er with a handsome Christmas present.—Pa-year. God in all its states; but I have never Church here is progressing nicely. I unknown one instance where the doctrine of derstand that Mr. Gibson anticipates hav-Justification by Faith, the witness of the ing it ready for dedication about the 1st of both deepened and extended. These are our way." our credentials, and we overcome by the

Blood of the Lamb and our testimony. You are in the wilderness; but God will ere long be accepted as a national day in all places: He fills the heaven and the propitious, and very unlike the traditional of ever flowing Benevolence to every part Christmas of the olden time. Instead of of His intelligent offspring. You can neither Christmas of the olden time. Instead of or this intengent outputs, when you come frost and snow we had rain, mist and fog, ask nor expect too much, when you come Tuesday and Thursday, we had prayer

My dear Bro.,

Yours affectionately. ADAM CLARKE

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NEW METHOD OF CIRCUIT FINANCE-SYSTE MATIC GIVING.

FREDERICTON CIRCUIT

DEAR EDITOR,-On the first Sabbath

columns to review the varied history of the June Quarterly Meeting, which is the hor-able as well chosen. The remarks made ministers of religion; but here in New Bruns-the toresee neither his perils nor his pains; neither his trials nor h What a sense of helplessness comes over the leading incidents of the passing time burdens. This state of things we believe his strong attachment to the children and inspector. What next?—N. B. Chris. Visitor. Corpses. The two remaining hands and the one when one realizes his own utter inabilione when one realizes his own utter inability so much as even to conjecture what may

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bodies, and from the depths of His being ours sprang. And we are His by right of creation, by right of maintenance, by right of recently held at the Asylum, and the spirit of recently held at the Asylum, to receive the real all your teaching said Mr. Olver, "teach all your teaching said Mr. Olver, "teach as create a revenue to consolidate and extend the various kindred objects which stand connected with our cause. Externally, in its general appearance and fingle in the Asylum, to receive the real all your teaching said Mr. Olver, "teach as create a revenue to consolidate and extend the various kindred objects which stand connected with our cause. Externally, in its general appearance and fingle in the Asylum, to receive the real as create a revenue to consolidate and extend the various kindred objects which stand connected with our cause. A circular was consequently addressed all your teaching said Mr. Olver, "teach as create a revenue to consolidate and extend the various kindred objects which stand connected with our cause. Externally, in its general appearance and fingle in the subscribers to the Blind Asylum.—The annual meeting of the subscribers to the Blind Asylum, to receive the real as create a revenue to consolidate and extend the various kindred objects which stand connected with our cause. Externally, in its general appearance and fingle in the subscribers to the Blind Asylum.—The annual meeting of the subscribers to the Blind Asylum was deposited by the symmetry and architectural proportions of the subscribers to the Blind Asylum.—The annual meeting of the subscribers to the Blind Asylum was deposited by the symmetry and architectural proportions of the subscribers to the Blind Asylum.—The annual meeting of the subscribers to the Blind Asylum was deposited by the symmetry and architectural proportions of the subscribers to the Blind Asylum.—The annual meeting of the subscribers to the Blind Asylum was deposited by the symmetry and architectural proportions of the subscribers to the Blind Asylum was

receive the names of pewholders or any other persons, with a statement of the amount which they were willing to contriordinary way. These envelopes are examined in due time, and their contents placed to the credit of the donor in a book preparall extra collections except the regular Conclass and ticket money for the present, and vet we have now the comfortable prospec-

in place of nine as in previous years. absolute originality it will readily be perceived that the pledged, voluntary gift of a certain amount each Sabbath, possesses decided advantages over the taxation system cided advantages over the taxation system in vogue in some of the American Conferences or the precarious and fluctuating method of giving just when we feel able or Conference, would sweep the list of depending. Let pastors and people take up the matter in the spirit of faith and Christian enterprise, and we shall quickly assume a moral and material prestige which the most sanguine of our fathers never dreamed of.

tive result of at least fifteen hundred dollars

for God will honor and prosper us. I am quite aware that this letter is se verely particular, but we only wish to anof our Israel find it to be so this year, to the in what God has wrought in you and by swer the questions which already come from great enrichment of their Christian graces you, and that your confidence in Him is unthose who have heard of the successful reshaken, and that you hold on your way re- form in our financial affairs. "What is your

Yours sincerely,

cial religious services, in our church in this place, which have been attended with the blessing of the great I AM. Monday,

er, Charlotte The Lord is mightily with us in England; to a private house, where we continued in

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WESLEYAN METHODIST SABBATH SCHOOL. FREDERICTON.

The annual Festival in connection with

Immortal Life." Mr. M'Pherson made a May they increase more and more. suitable reply.

more choice pieces were sung, the evening's entertainment was brought to a close by all present joining with the children in singing the National Anthem .- Reporter

NEW WESLEYAN CHURCH, BRIDGETOWN.-

ity and in which the congregation as a whole is The basement, which extends the extreme and three females. There are two teachers, position of the wounded man was taken. He concerned every individual should at least length of the building, is ten feet in the clear, Miss Reynolds, of this city, who acts as Suphave the opportunity of being enlightened on and furnishes besides two class-rooms, a fine erintendent; and a Miss Dwyer, who is blind, the subject, or expressing an opinion if they so desire. That circular was very general-signed for week evening services and Sabbath by the Superintendent of the Blind Asylum of Lafford was going to shoot him; but when about so desire. That circular was very general- signed for week evening services and Sabbath by the Superintendent of the Blind Asylum of ly responded to, and at the meeting after school. The main audience room is finished Philadelphia, at which institution she finished six yards from him Lafford cocked his gun and then ran away. some statements were made as to the re- and furnished in harmony with the progress her course. The domestic arrangements are quirement of the church, and the duty of systematic giving, a book was opened to desk and surroundings, reflects great credit principal support of the institution is the inter- approve of the match, so an elopement was ar upon the designer. The pews, all of which are in circular form and covered throughout Murdoch, and an annual grant from the Legisamount which they were willing to contri-bute each week. These sums with us vary are as comfortable and convenient as skilled lature of \$1000. The charge for pupils to those their marriage which was to take place next artizans can make them. The gallery on the who can afford to pay it, was fixed at \$120 per The Circuit Steward provides a number of north end of the building is nicely arranged to annum; but all, so far, are chiefly from the envelopes simply having the name of the meet the requirements of the singers. The contributor in which the amount for his fam- walls of the building are frescoed in imitation ily or pew is enclosed and handed in, in the of the different colors of stone, and the effect is pleasing. The chandeliers which must lave the friends of the Institution to increase its cost a handsome amount, are a present to the funds, by becoming subscribers, \$5 per an-Church, secured through the kindness of num giving non subscribers to the building ed for the purpose. We give up in this case Henry Farnass, Esq., of Boston. The building fund all the privileges of membership. which will cost about \$6,000, is a marvel of cheapness and a standing advertisement to the credit of John A. Dodge, Esq., of Halifax, be largely increased, and that the Instituwho is both the architect and builder. The tion will soon take its place with others simi-Rev. Mr. Heartz, formerly of St. John, is lar in our midst in bestowing great advantages Although we do not claim for the above the pastor of the Church, and we understand on a hitherto neglected class of our fellowabsolute originality it will readily be per-

inst .- St. John Telegraph. ANOTHER PRESENTATION.—A correspond and public renewal of their covenant with ning has been made, and the earnests are in a thankful and liberal mood. And we have no hesitation in saying that the meon recently had his "Christmas present" adoption of a similar plan throughout the supplemented by a "New Year's gift" from J. Moran, Esq., Mr. D. G. McKenzie and a few ent Circuits in one year, and greatly relieve more gentlemen of this city. The gift consistthe Home Mission Fund, and send it pion- ed of a finely finished silver mounted harness, tary. eering. Let our people look intelligently at bells, furs, whip and sleigh rug, amounting in this subject of systematic proportionate givto be one of the favored ones of the clergy, and these presentations certainly afford a good indication of the esteem in which he is held .-St. John News.

The Public Examination of the Wesleyan place yesterday. The primary classes were examined in the forenoon, and those more advanced in the evening at 7 o'clock. There was a goodly attendance of parents in the morning; but in the evening the spacious Hall on third than was at first supposed, that his spine is infloor was crowded to overflowing with a mixed jured, and the accident may probably result in lated, probably than any narrative can be, for audience. We have not space to-day to give BAI DE VERTE, N. B .- Bro, Scott writes any particulars; suffice it to say that the Institer than by putting Him to His word and 4th Jan., 1872: "Our Church was re- tution appears to be in a highly efficient state. ter than by putting Him to His word and asking the fulness of the Blessing of the Gospel of Peace.

The Venerable Archdeacon Read, D. D., and in the vicinity of Three Mile Plains. The Gospel of Peace.

The Venerable Archdeacon Read, D. D., and in the vicinity of Three Mile Plains. The first-class passenger car, which contained a property of the plains. afternoon, and Bro. Bond, Theological as Examiners of the Academy, and their report number of passengers was turned over on its intention—Educational work in Metho- Where His Truth is zealously preached there Student, in the evening. The sermons of the results, as read at the meeting last night dism—The coming session—Home pros- is His Presence, and there His especial were highly appreciated by the large contaught. To show the good feeling which the scholars have to their instructors, we may mention that nearly every class presented its teach- year have been re-appointed for the current

Spirit, and Redemption from all sin in this life, were faithfully and zealously specific that the many for dedication about the 1st of this life, were faithfully and zealously specific that the many for dedication about the 1st of the Market Hall, second vessel—the schooner Rival. of Albert the many for some time past a resident of this City. The Bazaar in aid of the Young Men's Christian Association, came off at the Market Hall, second vessel—the schooner Rival. of Albert the many for some time past a resident of this City. this life, were faithfully and zealously preached that the work of God was not preached that the work of God Festival. As the day tell on a Monday, the work of God was not the nation took holiday from Saturday even- preached that the work of God was not note; we are moving on in the even tenor of Hall was well fitted up for the occasion, and the occasion, and the nation took holiday from Saturday even- preached that the work of God was not note; we are moving on in the even tenor of Hall was well fitted up for the occasion, and t Hall was well fitted up for the occasion, and reflects great credit on all concerned. The Bridgetown. One dead body was found near accordingly replied. Word followed word, contributions to the Bazaar in shape of fancy, the wreck, frozen, and afterwards three others and while the parties were in hot altercation, and while the parties were in hot altercation, WILMOT.—Bro. J. E. Jubb writes from ornamental and useful articles were quite equal were found, one on the shore, and two on the Lawrencetown, Jan. 12, 1872, "During to anything we have before witnessed in this surf. the past week we have been holding special religious services in our church in this city; and the attendance particularly in the every longing in the ceiling and one in the wall. Of of the Institution, that in all of its departments of the Institution, that in all of its departments of the Institution, that in all of its departments of the Institution, that in all of its departments of the Institution, that in all of its departments of the Institution, that in all of its departments of the Institution, that in all of its departments of the Institution, that in all of its departments of the Institution is the ceiling and one in the wall. inings was very great, which contributed largely to the funds. There was every thing to be had that one could wish for, from a handsome piece of fancy or useful work or a heautiful to be the contributed a property of the schooner of the work of the year is advancing most satisfactorily.

The reports of the pistol gave the impression that some one had been shot, and all in the contributed a property of the school of the work of the year will begin in the ceiling and one in the wall. Or course, there was a general scene of containing most satisfactorily.

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The third term of the year will begin in the ceiling and one in the wall. Or the work of the year is advancing most satisfactorily. some of the darkest, dreariest days of the unto God by Christ Jesus. Place high meetings which were well attended, and piece of fancy or useful work, or a beautiful town N. S., announcing that on the 8th and winter, the roads tramped into slush and things before your people; excite their exwere found a means of grace by many. cake, richly ornamented, to a Sleigh or Cart

Toom became excited in an instant. Ladies fainted, and the men rushed to the spot where fainted, and the men rushed to the spot where the firing had taken place. Isaacs was secured, new students to enter. We are glad to know the firing had taken place.

DONATION VISIT.—The residence of the directed to a young lady, two memo. books, and other articles are now in possession of

the above School took place on Wednesday ters with the appointment of ministers as in- on children. Walman belonged to PointWolf. John that, under the new school system of spectors of schools. Will any body tell us why Albert County, where he has a wife and one evening last. In addition to the large num-ber of children, many members of the ministers of the gospel should be regarded in lived in the adjoining town of Portland. Church and Congregation were present, the eyes of the law as a proscribed class? This and as a matter of course, the School Room matter of inspectorship involves a question of this morning informs us that the body of Waltwas densely crowded. As usual, the reability and of moral character. Are not min-man was found a considerable distance from and were in abundance, which the isters of religion as a rule, as competent in the shore. He attempted to reach a neighboring emed to enjoy very much; but these respects as laymon? Are they to be withstand the fearfully cold weather, and dropone could observe, that while they were enjoying the treat, there were longing eyes must fill no office in connection with the eduvery sad affair.—St. John-Globe. placed at the front of the platform, whereon hung many a goodly gift intended for qualifies them for educational inspection and those among them who were known to be work? One is amazed that such an idea should of most regular in their attendance at School enter the brain of any man of ordinary underhis year, a new scheme of Circuit Finance and took care to know their lessons. On standing. Who have been the great moving Londonderry, Colchester Co., N. S., sailed was launched, which promises to be one of and around the platform were a number of spirits in educational work in all its depart- from St. John, on Saturday, 6th inst., for the the greatest pecuniary advantages to this little ones, whose duty it was furnish the ments all along the track of the centuries? old and honored portion of our Zion. I music, which they did in the most pleasing Christian ministers. Who above all other men storm of snow at d wind. She then capsized, shall state somewhat in detail the way our manner, and their sweet voices lent a charm has given to the upper Provinces of the Do- and the masts broke some ten feet above the present system of raising funds for Church to the evening's amusement. The singing minion their admirable system of free schools? deck. Some of the crew succeeded in cutting count of her contession: what enemy may haunt his footsteps, or at what point along his pathway the foe may the past year, is the adorable Lord of the what point along his pathway the foe may lie in wait for him. One cannot toretell lie in wait for him it is all known and under lie in the decoration of the School, and accompanied lie in the decoration of the School, and accompanied lie in the latter lie in the la Among the incidents of the evening was and has carried it forward to its present state the crew lashed themselves fast to the ring beside nim, whether ne will be stricted in heart or in head, in body or in soul, whether or in head, in body or in soul, whether heart or in head in heart or in head, in body or in soul, whether heart or in head, in body or in soul, whether heart or in head in heart or in head in heart or in head, in body or in soul, whether heart or in head in heart or in head in heart or in head in heart or in head, in body or in soul, whether heart or in head in heart or in head Fredericton has not been an exception, the presentation of a very beautiful photo- of efficiency and power. Who is the Chief Su-

betide him and his during the twelve months ties pertaining to my Circuit, but it is al- ed of it. At the first Quarterly Meeting of co-worker, S. D. M'Pherson, the worthy betide him and his during the twelve mounts ties pertaining to my Circuit, but it is althe current Conference year when the first
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HOLIDAY PRESENTATION.—The children of which the tree was loaded, and after p few the Portland Wesleyan Sabbath School recently Ellen is said to be owned by a Mr. Dill of showed their affection for their pastor and teacher, Rev. Howard Sprague, by presenting one. him with a purse containing a generous sum of money.

The building recently referred to by us is lo- Citizen has received information which it is has been found some ten or twelve rods from a cated in the centre of the town. It is 63 feet said, establishes the fact that the surveys will house. No particulars as to where she is from long and 33 feet wide. The lower part repre- disclose a line of country most favorable for the The vessel referred to by our correspondent is built of brick; the construction of the railway. The gradients is no doubt, the brigt. Phaebe Ellen, of London the lailway. The gradients is no doubt, the brigt. Phaebe Ellen, of London the lailway. the outgoing students has been derivered of the old apostone designed on the bright. Phebe Ellen, of Lon-this year by Mr. Olver. It is an excellent on the first day of the week a reasonable main structure is wood. It is a chaste and are lighter, the passes lower, and the distance donderry, Capt. Dill, which cleared at St. John addition to the many good addresses which proportion of that with which Providence beautiful Gothic building. On the northeast shorter than either the Central or Northern on the 4th inst., for Havana. She was built at addition to the many good addresses which have been heard there for many successive had blessed them, would secure abundance to have been heard there for many successive had blessed them, would secure abundance to have been heard there for many successive had blessed them, would secure abundance to have been heard there for many successive had blessed them, would secure abundance to have been heard there for many successive had blessed them, would secure abundance to have been heard there for many successive had blessed them, would secure abundance to have been heard there for many successive had blessed them, would secure abundance to have been heard there for many successive had blessed them, would secure abundance to have been heard there for many successive had blessed them, would secure abundance to have been heard there for many successive had blessed them.

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Neal, S. A. White, W. C. Silver, G. H. Starr, John Duffus, Stephen Tobin, Charles Murdoch, Charles Fletcher, Recording Secre-

General Intelligence.

nously. The following gentlemen were re-

elected managers for the ensuing year:

Dr. J. F. Avery, M.D., George P. Mitch-

The health of the the Prince of Wales British Sovereignty has been proclaimed over

SAD RESULT. - From the Truro Suu we learn that Mr. Levisconte, postal car clerk, who was & Co's ADVERTISEMENTS !- Always search for

from the track is in a much worse condition his being a cripple for life. RAILWAY ACCIDENT .- Two passengers two box cars, attached to the Windsor down train on Thursday morning, ran off the track larged plan and with increased space. As they in the vicinity of Three Mile Plains. The publish nearly a thousand different books, it

tive Catalogue of Music Books merely by send RE-APPOINTMENT.-The Sheriffs for the several Counties in Nova Scotia for the past

sleepers and broken chairs are said to be the

THE RECENT WRECKS .- The Bridgetown

mud and the sky almost incessantly weeping down its tears upon the well-sodden
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parel, a silver hunting watch, several letters News. Rev. Mr. Lockhart, Wesleyan Minister, at another actives a large from the friends of the Studholm, King's County, was visited by a deceased can apply for them. It is supposed author of a school Geography of immense cin number of his congregation and others, on the that the "Rival" went ashore about ball past evening of New Year's day; and in addition to eleven o'clock on Sunday night, and she is now great and acknowledged personal worth, died the contributions of other kinds, the Rev. gen-in charge of the Excise officer. Her sails are on the 23rd Dec. in the 78th year of his age. n bad condition, her rigging is much injured He was a son of Dr. Jedediah Morse, conspic

Ministers as School Inspectors,—Dissatisfaction has been expressed in certain quar
two anchors. The vessel is being discharged.

From inquiries made by our reporter this morning, he ascertained that Parkinson, the captain, has a wife living in this city. He has -An endeavor to so arrange matters in St. Wilson was an unmarried man, and

correspondent at Granville Ferry, (Annapolis). writing on the 9th inst, gives the following has been secured. The affair created a great melancholy intelligence :-

The brig Phabe Ellen, said to belong to West Indies, shook laden, but sprung aleak and filled the first night out, in the dreadful away the stays, which allowed her to right with oss of deck load house, &c. All hands were bolts forward, in which position the unfortunate the entrance of Digby Basin. The Captain then made an effort to get on shore, but was house, and thus escaped the more dreams one ferings of his comrades, and is the only one she assisted Geehan to convey his wife's corpse she assisted Geehan to convey his wife's corpse tions of the men in keeping up life

twelve miles further east from the above wreck. a schooner a total wreck; all hands lost. The CANADA PACIFIC RAILWAY.—The Ottawa body of a man, supposed to be one of the crew, or where bound to.

rt Dill, of Londonderry .-- ED. CIT. of William, approached him from behind with a fired without saying a word, then ran away. appears that Butler was engaged to be married anged, and that Butler had gone to the vicin ity of Lafford's house expecting to meet Mis Lafford, clandestinely, to make arrangement fo Tuesday, and that Young Lafford watched and shot him. He died 28 hours afterward. A post mortem examination was held on the body, country, and have not been able to pay as and it was found the shot or slugs used had much, and some will have to be taken, if not penetrated the lungs; Lafford has been arrested free, at a very small rate. It therefore behoves and lodged in jail; he is a young man about twenty years of age. The Coroner's Jury returned a verdict of wilful murder against hi

ABSTRACT OF THE SHIPPING OF YARMOUTH 424 tons, 2 Steamers, 99.883 " 54,365 92 Barks. 2.322 " 23 Brigantines. 3,380

257 Vessels measuring 95.182 " crease during the past year, ACCIDENT. - A serious accident betell hired man of Messrs. Tupper & Sons on Toes very satisfactory. Its adoption was moved by day evening. He was cutting down a tree which in falling, lodged against another tree He attempted to clear it, and it fell upon him crushing him badly; he is yet alive and suffer ing much.-Liverpool, N. S. Advertiser.

SAD ACCIDENT .- A daughter of Mr. Laur ell, M. H. Richey, J. S. Maclean, W. H. ence Whelan of the Hallowell Grant, aged 8 years, was killed on Friday night last b upsetting of a truck wagon on an icy embank-ment on the road from Tracadie to Port Mulgrave. The waggon in capsizing, threw the untortunate little girl against a tree, killing her instantly. The driver and three other passengers fell out, but escaped without much injury .- Antigonish Casket.

PUGWASH AND SPRING HILL RAILWAY .- In accordance with an order from the Local Gov-ernment, Mr. J. McG. Otty, C. E., commenced on Wednesday, the survey for the line railway from Spring Hill, down the valley of The Public Examination of the Wesleyan that portion of African territory recently anAcademy, prior to the Christmas holidays, took nexed to the colonial possessions of Great by Messrs. O. B. Davidson and G. F. Logan.— As GOOD AS A STORY! ANY ONE OF DITSON

> injured some time ago by the car being thrown them, and read attentively, for they contain concise but comprehensive descriptions of the best of music books and of music, better calcuthe entertainment of leisure hours. Our readers will notice that Oliver Ditson & Co. commence the year's advertising on an en only by reading a number of advertisements as they appear, that one gets an adequate idea of side, but no one was severely injured. Rotten their immense and valuable stock.

stand that any one may procure their Descrip

ing for it. It will be valuable for refe SHOOTING AFFRAY. -Shortly before seven o'clock last evening, a decided sensation was created in the dining room of the Waverly louse, the parties engaged in it being Messi Samuel Isaacs of Montreal, and James F. Whit der the impression that he had previously been

tleman was made the recipient of \$77.77 in the boat is broken and she has two chains and, ous as one of the founders of the American cash.—St. John Paper.

In bad condition, her rigging is much injured to ous as one of the founders of the American two anchors. The vessel is being discharged. Board of Andrew Theological Sanjinary and of Andrew Theological Sanjinary is not a few to be a sent of the founders of the American two anchors. New Brunswick, the children of Roman Catholics and Protestants could, with

A gentleman who arrived in the "Empress" istaction, attend the same schools, has failed owing to the objection of the school trustees to permit the retention of Christian Brother as the trustees interpret it, does not allow The well known Col. James Fisk, jun., was shot last Saturday week at the Grand

THE NEWFOUNDLAND MURDERS

(From the St. John's Chronicle, Dec. 18) Since the Jury have concluded their deliberaions, another version of the admissions made by Hamilton have been current. One of the Jurymen states the following as the correct a

Sears quarrelled at breakfast time. The latter Geehan shot him, and afterwards beat him to

her return she says she found Mrs- Geehan stiff mate, whose name is Thompson, were alive and cold in her bed, and the same evening she

On Wednesday, the 23rd, in the morning, back way. She did not say how Mrs. Geehan's feet seemed to have been new, the toes and body was concealed from Monday till Wednesheels are completely gone, through the excr- day, and gave her confession without any hope The C. B. of mercy or elemency.

In her preliminary statement on oath she de-

Londonderry, whose son the captain is said to nied any cognizance of the affair, and it is bes be. All the crew hail from the same place but lieved told a similar story to Geehan's.

The Jury returned their verdict at midnight,

There is also reported ashore some twelve and were unanimous in it, as they were during the miles further east from the above wreck. The long and painful investigation. Too much credit cannot be given them. They did their duty as good men and right-minded citizens. SCHOOL INSPECTORS IN NEW BRUNSWICK .-

The following are the School Inspectors for the several counties, under the new Common Albert-James Carnwath, Riverside, Hope

Carleton-James Edgar, Woodstock Charlotte, exclusive of the Parish of Clarendon-James Mitchell, St. Stephen. Gloucester-James Smith, Bathurst Kent-Thomas W. Wood, Richibucto. King's-David P. Wetmore, Clifton, Northumberland-James J. Pearce, Chat-

Queen s, inclusive of the Parish . Clarendon, in the County of Charlotte Rev. Benjamin Shaw, Cambridge. Restigouche-Rev. Thomas Nicholson, River

St. John-E. H. Duval, St. John. Victoria-Dr. Xavier Bernier. Little Falls. Westmorland-James Daiton, Bay Verte.

EDITORIAL NOTES, &c.

York-E. C. Freeze, Fredericton

1. IMPROVEMENTS AMONG OUR EXCHANGE PAPERS .- We are glad to see that several of our excellent exchange papers are so prospering that they are able to show very marked improvement in their appearance before the eye of the world. It is evident also that those who are responsible for the contents of these enlarged or better dressed papers are wisely striving to make them excel their formerselves in contents as well as in appearance. Among those which it is pleasant for the eye to look upon are THE HALIFAX DAILY REPORTER and THE SAINT JOHN MORNING NEWS-both of which are now printed from entirely new and very beautiful type. The eyes of their readers must be gladdened by the change.

The Montreal Weekly Witness commenced the year in enlarged form. Ot the class of weeklies made up principally from the contents of dailies published in the same offices-the Witness we regard as one of the best, if not the very best; and we, therefore, rejoice in its THE CHRISTIAN GUARDIAN, published in To-

ronto as the official organ of the Canada Conference of the Wesleyan Methodist Church, begins the year changed in form, greatly enlarged and beautified. It is now worthy of its relation to the by far largest annual Methodist Conference on this Continent. The circulation which it is claimed it ought to have, 10,000 would seem to us for such a paper and such a church only a moderate one; and if each one of its five hundred agents will only exert himself as he ought to do, surely whatever may be lacking of this number will be more than made up before the next Conference.

THE NORTH WESTERN CHRISTIAN ADVO CATE, which was burnt out and, so far as its office plant was concerned, burnt up in the great fire at Chicago, has started forth into life again not merely in unimpaired, but with greatly increased beauty. We rejoice to welome it back again to our table.

We have room this week only to say a word further about the enlargement and improvement of our favorite paper - The Christian Advocate of New York. We began to read this in our early youth-and but very few its 2367 weekly appearances have been unnoticed by us: and we rejoice to see that those who are responsible for its appearance and management are wisely resolved to keep it where in our judgment it has ever been and where it certainly ought ever to be, in the very front rank of the religious newspapers of

2. THE MOUNT ALLISON EDUCATIONAL IN-TITUTION .- The second Term of the current Academic Year is proving, as it was hoped at the close of the first that it would do, a very encouraging one. There are upwards of thirty students in the College, and just about seventyfive in each branch of the Academy, making a grand total of 180 now in attendance; and we are authorised, by the President of the College, Whitman. Fortunately none struck him, two to report for the gratification of all of the friends

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