

Obituary Notice.

It will be admitted by all who have happily become the subjects of experimental medicine...

And to the names of the sainted dead whose obituary reads the literature of the Church...

Through the life of Mr. Whitehead exhibits no very extraordinary occurrences, but was that of a devoted Christian, unostentatiously but faithfully discharging the duties of that sphere...

His piety was eminently of an evangelical nature. He had been spiritually educated in the school of Christ...

The depth and genuineness of our departed Brother's piety was signally displayed in his unassuming integrity which adorned his conduct...

His religious sentiments were characterized by pure catholicity, and he rejoiced in the success of every evangelical institution...

For upwards of thirty years he sustained the responsible situation of cashier in the Bank of New Brunswick...

In connection with his integrity, disinterested benevolence may be mentioned as another important fruit of his piety.

Other prominent traits which distinguished the character of our lamented friend were his systematic and unswerving zeal and activity.

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As a class leader, a position which he occupied for nearly twenty years, he was most zealous and exemplary.

He was Circuit Steward of the St. John South Circuit and sustained that relation with so much tact and efficiency...

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In his demise this city has to mourn the loss of one of its brightest ornaments...

During the affliction which terminated his earthly career he was subjected to intense suffering, but amid it all manifested the most patient and confident resignation to the will of God.

On Saturday morning, Nov. 6th, a few hours before his death, he was in great agony, during which his daughter said, Father God is good and merciful, he promptly replied, Yes my child God is very good and merciful to me.

St. John, N. B., Nov. 18th, 1858.

Provincial Wesleyan

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 25, 1858.

The Evangelical Alliance.

Under the auspices of the Evangelical Alliance a Conference has recently been held at Liverpool, England, of Christians recognizing the necessity and beauty of that unity of purpose and action...

It has been the habit of some portions of the British Press to ridicule the meetings and management of the Evangelical Alliance...

tion of their relation to each other as agreed on the fundamental doctrines of our holy religion, though differing on dogmas of secondary concern.

The meeting which this year convened at Liverpool appears to us the most important which has yet been held since the inauguration of the Alliance.

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Death of Charles F. Allison, Esquire.

The painful duty has not unfrequently devolved upon us, within the past few years, of recording the decease of dear and valued friends.

He was a benefactor to his race, a blessing to his country, an ornament to the age in which he lived.

We are thankful, and all Methodists will be thankful, to the trustees of the Mount Allison Wesleyan Academy...

ed ere the stroke of sickness came upon him. Our only information as yet regarding the decease of our lamented friend is derived from a telegram received on Saturday last...

Mount Allison Academy, Sackville, N. B.

CLOSE OF THE TERM—EXAMINATIONS, &c. With the deep shadow thrown upon the mind of the Founder of the above Institution...

After spending a profitable and delightful Sabbath in the Sanctuary—where for many successive days the labors of the ministers in conjunction with Dr. and Mrs. Palmer...

The forenoon was selected to be spent among the classes of the Female Branch—and very gratifying indeed was the progress which had been made under the excellent Principal and his devoted lady.

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The first class examination was in Greek, under Mr. Reid—very elaborate examination; and an elementary class in French under Mr. T. Pickard's care...

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We should like just one column to give our readers a slight sketch of the "pabulum" afforded to us in this literary treat.

The next day, Tuesday, was the grand field day of which the preceding day's exercises were but the prelude...

The exercises commenced at 8 1/2 A. M., in Lingley Hall. The Students of both branches of the Institution were present...

First of course, the examination of the young ladies took place. A class in English Grammar by Miss Allison, very creditable; the next in Mental Philosophy, under Mrs. Allison...

Then a class in Chemistry under Mr. Thos. Fickard, and lastly one in Geometry and Differ-

ential Calculus. All were examined closely and at length, and out of all routine, each class occupying three quarters of an hour...

The friends of the Institution it must have been gratifying to witness the proficiency of the Students—almost all one's best friend was absent for the first time...

At 4 P. M. an interesting exhibition of the Junior Female Students took place, for recitation and for reading essays in prose and verse.

C. S. Speakers of the Fine Arts, in Oil Painting, Drawing, and Wax Flowers, were on exhibition during the day in the Ladies' Reception Hall...

Letter from England.

From our own Correspondent.

News is as scarce as gold—may scarce, for gold can be got just now with comparative facility...

One thing however, all journalists have to be thankful for—and that is, just that at this season some of the most influential of the political, social, and religious meetings of the provinces are held...

It really is very beautiful to see how the most eminent noblemen of this country are identifying themselves with the people...

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complete as to meet the case of our celestial visitor. He has left us, without making a sign, or bequeathing an autobiography, and his precise character is a mystery as great as that of the man in the Iron Mask...

The Emperor of Russia is winning golden opinions from all lovers of humanity and freedom. His colossal scheme for emancipating the serfs of his Empire, has hardly its parallel in the political measures of this country.

It would seem that the promoters of the Atlantic Telegraph scheme would have done better if they had observed the old adage, and not whittled until they were out of the wood. The cable, it appears, clasps the continents in a most cordial and complete fashion...

Our English trade is looking up most encouragingly. The very face of the nation is smiling. The despondent visage of the last winter is disappearing, day by day.

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cheering to meet with Ministers on their various deputations. All are full of hope and hopeful tidings. It is as though we heard the voice of coming rain.

Our new schemes are promising well. Dr. Bale's work among the soldiers is beginning to fall far and wide. It is now under the auspices of the Conference of the Evangelical Alliance...

Mr. Priest, the worthy Secretary of our Home Mission movement has recovered from the dangerous illness under which he laboured at the Conference of the Evangelical Alliance...

The Leeds Missionary Anniversary has now become almost an institution of Methodism. It causes more excitement and interest even than then the grand Convocation Anniversary in London in the month of May.

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