

NOVA SCOTIA (86) ALMANACK.

7 to half past 9, and on Monday and Wednesday evening, from 7 to 8 o'clock.

MECHANICS' INSTITUTE.—Joseph Howe, President; G. R. Young 1st Vice President; W. Gossip, 2d Vice President; J. S. Thompson, Secretary; J. Foreman, Treasurer; J. Fairbanks, Curator. Committee, G. L. O'Brien, Mr. Milligan, M. Forrester, R. Downes, T. McKie, J. Naylor, J. McDonald, W. Johnston, and Henry Spike.

In Truro there are two small Libraries, one of which consists wholly of religious books, the other principally historical. In Pictou, besides that of the Academy, there is a circulating library, which contains a variety of valuable works.

ANTIGONISH SUBSCRIPTION LIBRARY.—Est in 1826. At present there are 25 members; amount of subscription, 10s each; librarian and treasurer, Rev Mr Trotter; secretary, A M'Dougal, Esq; committee, G A Forrestall, A Harrington, and J W Blanchard.

ANTIGONISH DEBATING CLUB.—Est March, 1833; meets weekly for the discussion of subjects connected with the interests of the district.

LIVERPOOL LIBRARY.—Est 1834. Committee, Rev J T T Moody, S P Fairbanks, S P Freeman, W Taylor, Esqrs. and Dr. Grieve and — Carten.

LUNENBURG LIBRARY.—W Lawson, Librarian.

SYDNEY MINES BOOK SOCIETY.—Est April 25, 1834; and consists of 33 members; the number is limited to 36. R Brown, Esq. president; H Poole, treasurer; Douglas G Rigby, librarian. Committee, J Baker, Isaiah Hartland, J Maddison, T Robinson, and James Bonner, with the president and treasurer. Entrance money 20s; annual subscription, 15s. The books are ordered from England.

Miscellaneous.

PLACES OF WORSHIP, SCHOOLS, &c.

EASTERN DIVISION.—*County of Halifax*—District of Halifax comprises the townships of Halifax, Dartmouth, Preston, and Lawrence Town. In this district there are about 25 places of worship, and 30 schools—*The District of Colchester* contains three townships, Truro, Onslow, and Londonderry, besides several settlements. It contains 13 places of worship: 2 established church of England, 10 Presbyterian, and 1 (at Onslow) for all denominations. Number of schools about 20.—*District of Pictou*, containing three townships, Pictou, Egerton and Mexwelton. There are 17 places of worship, nearly all Presbyterians, and about 25 schools.—*County of Cumberland*, contains 2 townships, Amherst and Wallace. Places of worship, 8: viz 1 church of England, 1 Baptist, and 6 Methodist.—*County of Sydney*, contains 7 townships; Arisaig, Dorchester, St. Andrew, Tracadie, Manchester, Guysborough and St. Mary. It is divided into two districts, Upper and Lower. In the Upper District there are 18 places of worship, viz. church of England 3, Roman Catholic 11; Presbyterian 3, Baptist 1. Number of Schools 20, 17 receive government aid; 3 are female. The people pay £252 3 0, government £97 10s. per half year. No. of scholars 429, and 42 poor scholars. Antigonish, in this district contains 109 dwelling houses, besides barns and work shops. Population 800. Master tradesmen, &c. 5 blacksmiths, 6 carpenters, 8 shoemakers, 4 tailors, 4 wheelwrights, 3 saddlers, 4 tanners, 5 coopers, 1 tinsmith, 3 masons, 2 dep. land surveyors; and 2 saw mills, 3 grist mills, 2 oat kilns, 2 carding mills, 6 taverns, and 15 shops.—*Lower District*, places of worship, 4 church of England, 3 Roman Catholic, and 3 of other denominations.

MIDDLE DIVISION.—*County of Hants.*—This county contains 6 townships, Windsor, Newport, Rawdon, Kempt, Douglas and Falmouth; places of worship, 23.—*King's County.* Four townships, Horton, Cornwallis, Parrsboro', and Aylesford. Places of worship 13; 4 church of England, 2 Presbyterian, 6 Methodist, 5 Baptist, 1 Congregational. There are small schools within a mile of each other throughout the county.—*Queen's County.* Contains 2 townships, Liverpool and Guysborough. Places of worship, 1 church of Eng-