
Obituary.

Died on the 22nd ult. Charles McKenzio Covernton, in the 21st year of his age, undergraduate of McGill and Harvard Universities, member of Boylston Society, Boston. The subject of this obituary was a young man of rare qualities and highly deserving of kind remembrance. He was gifted with more than ordinary intellectual and moral endowments, and with that simplicity of modesty which is the most lovely feature in youthful character. His heart was as warm and guileless as his head was clear and truth searching. He has been early called home from a field of labour in which he was destined to earn high honours, but none who knew him may regret, for he was not unprepared for the call. His later end was in perfect accord with the whole tenor of his life, which was that of an humble and devout follower of the great Master.

BOOKS AND PAMPHLETS RECEIVED.

THE SCIENTIFIC AMERICAN.—Published weekly by Munn & Co., New York. Price \$3 per annum.

THE CANADIAN ILLUSTRATED NEWS.—Published in Montreal, by G. E. Desbarats. Price \$4 per annum.

This is a new paper. The first number was published on Saturday, the 30th October, and will appear weekly. It is well got up, and reflects great credit upon the publishers.

THE PHOTOGRAPHIC REVIEW.—Published by Lippincott & Co., Philadelphia.

It is a bi monthly journal, each containing four photographic plates, with appropriate notes and remarks. This is an entirely new feature in journalism, novel and interesting. The first number contains a photographic plate of a case of meningococle, keloid tumor, horny tumors on the face, and hydatid tumors. Price \$6 per annum. The first number was published in October.

PETER'S MUSICAL MONTHLY.—Published in New York. 559, Broadway.

It contains some excellent pieces of music. Price \$3 per annum.