## Chitnarn Rotice.

Our brother CHARLES GASKIN and fellow labourer in the Gospel, departed this life on Sabbath morning the 10th of March, 1861, at his was visited by his brother ministers Jas. Buck- others. lev. T. Hart, and myself, to whom and to others mercy of God and in the merits of Christ."

Being asked respecting his hope in Christ, he Will at all, and seemingly enjoying all that a soul in relieving necessitous cases. God, not without hope. We write these few seem invidious. Yet the figures are exhibited

"In peaceful homes and halls of mirth Death leaves its solomn warning; Yet o'er the darkest night of earth

# Provincial Edeslevan.

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# The Home Mission and Contin-

generally exhausted in defraying the ordinary ter encouraged the goldsmith, and he that from without could be obtained, discomfort on the anvil." the one hand, and dissatisfaction on the other At the next Conference the Home Mission

who are changed at Conference (see Min. of this Fund, so large a provision has been made The annoyance to which British subjects are ex-Conf. for 1856, p. 11); to defray the stationery, in the constitution of this Committee—will be posed when travelling in Prussia would have and provision thus made for his maintenance. cases of Ministerial affliction; and to assist in effectual in the highest degree. And if our bestow on king or subject. In the matter of grandeur to the reign of the second Alexander Missionary Society in Great Britain, nowards easily accomplished.

Many mouths will water for the honour.

The Iriah Courts have during the last fortable been non increase of stablishing the Labrador Mission, and where here given to understand that even in the purpose of establishing the Labrador Mission, and where here purpose of establishing the present allowance may be mith drawn as no present allowance may be mith drawn as no distant day. The fractionary of the Labrador Mission, please almost here was a freed in the bound in the honour has been designated is not yet known. The conditions of the last fortable was intensed to it by the Conference will be said and sound reading?

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The Iriah Courts have during the last fortable was intensed to it by the Conference will be said and succession of boisterous weather, outstripping the stormiest memories of our bound and sound reading?

The constituence of the wind inlant to the intelligent Christian, and where here present allowance may be withdrawn at no distant day. The fractionary in the last day. The fractionary in the first of the last of the la

storm of applause burst out in earnest. Mr. our cause in Eastern British America will then Rarey, on being called before the curtain, thank- devolve entirely upon ourselves, and this Fund ed the public for the generous patronage be-stowed upon him since his first appearance, and tained than it is at present. How far beneath ed that his last appearance in New York the necessities of the case our own efforts are, would be at the Academy of Music, on next may be easily made to appear. The amount Saturday afternoon. Half the proceeds of this raised for the Contingent Fund during the past year was £312 14s. 9d. But the appropriations for removals alone for this year are £296 .-Should no more be obtained throughout the The notorious "Peacock" will appear, and it Connexion during the present year than last, the balance accruing from our own receipts, to meet the other items above enumerated, will not exceed seventeen pounds, a sum not sufficient for the incidental expenses of the Conference, leaving all cases of affliction and Circuit deficiency wholly unprovided for.

Nor must it be supposed that the grant from the Missionary Society is a sufficient supplement to our own exertions. The anticipated deficiense, at Coverdale, County of Albert, cies of dependent Circuits-always rated at the N. B., aged 33 years. He died of that disease lowest possible figure—are to be met the presso fatal to thousands, consumption, to which he ent year at the rate of eight shillings and siz was constitutionally disposed, and of which others pence in the pound. That is, in every Circuit of the family have died. Brother Gaskin was not self-supporting, where nothing more is done converted to God, some nine or ten years ago, for the sustentation of the Ministry than last and entered our Ministry in 1853. During the year, not one half of the estimated defalcation few years of his ministerial life, he laboured on will be supplied from this Fund, and the loss of the St. David's, Musquodoboit, Ship Harbour, the remainder must be borne by the Minister and Bathurst Circuits. He married Miss A. L. himself, whose allowances, even when fully real-Chapman, daughter of Nelson Chapman, Esq., ized are barely sufficient for his support. And of Coverdale, and with his pious and excellent should the year's expenditure exceed that of wife he went to Ship Harbour. There he found last year, or the Circuit receipts be less, the his strength inadequate for the required labour, whole of the additional loss, besides that above and returned home for a year to recruit his mentioned, must fall upon the same party. strength. In 1859 he entered upon the Bath- Were this Fund better sustained, a surplus urst Circuit, but the work was too great a tax might be in hand to meet extreme cases, but as mined to fulfil his year, and succeeded, but it its sympathy with those who, at the close of the proved his last. He felt anxious to meet his brepelled to return home. Gradually he failed un- sorry to say, form the rule rather than the extil he was confined to his room, for three months ception. We have sat at the Financial Disnever sitting up more than an hour at a time, and trict Meeting where it was discovered that unvery seldom that. He was a great but a patient less the dependent Circuits raised their income, sufferer. "I don't know" he said, "why it is that each brother labouring upon them would suffer I suffer so, but He who knows all things knows a clear loss, at the year's end, of twenty-eight

The methods appointed for raising this Fund he gave satisfactory answers of his hope of are three: 'An annual collection shall be made Heaven. He said a few weeks before he died in all our congregations in the month of August; to his wife, "This is the Sabbath; I suffer very the yearly collection shall be made in all the am a sinner saved by grace—trusting in the aid of the object.' (see Min. of Conf. for 1856,

Will it be credited that from all these sources replied, "I know in whom I have believed, and the amount hitherto obtained does not average he called his faithful wife to his bed-side, and which raised the sum total above what any subsaid to her, "I am dying, surely I am dying." sequent year has produced. But in 1858 the plied, "I don't feel just as I would like to feel, per cent less. Since that, the amount has been sor Castle. A steamer has been ready night and will be tried by Court-Martial for conduct unber but I shall be at peace." He spoke but little all gradually increasing, though when viewed in the morning until about ten o'clock, when he reference to the increase of our membership, it shores if any casuality should occur. This may opened his eyes, and looking up to heaven, was actually less last year than in 1858, when be heroism in the eyes of an Irish orator, but it the great failure in the leather-trade. The ofhe exclaimed, "Glory to God! glory! glory! the smallest amount for any one year was re- was not thus that the kings of old fought for fenders escape with a very lenient sentence. The glory." After a short pause he repeated ported. Had the same average been maintain-Glory! glory!" and a few more words, but so ed which was realized the first year, we should indistinctly, as not to be understood. He con- have had at least £70 additional last Confer-

> Fund; while even in our large towns and cities -Halifax and St. John's, Newfoundland, exceptthe receipt of a shilling a member.

astains to the Conference of Eastern British, we require that Obituary, Revival, and other should be taken in hand by the officers of every with the nation's money. Circuit, with energy and resolution. Every The case of Mr. Turnbull who was appointed Culien, Romish Archbishop of Dublin, is to remember is concerned in the success of this institu tion, and chiefly those who belong to the pooter or weaker Circuits. By helping forward stir. It appears that this gentleman is a Roman-Napoleon the third is quarreling with If they do their duty, the more prosperous parts from time to time, essays and papers of an of the Connexion will also do theirs. But the task of explaining the nature and enforcing he has acted the part of apologist for the policy the claims of this Fund, should not be allowed of Queen Mary, of bloody memory. His ap-

would speedily ensue. And while such feelings and Contingent Fund Committee is to devise

Letter from England. From our own Correspondent.

ettlement of the American "difficulty."

mate, and has been as free from peril as though day with her steam up, to convey him to other coming an officer and a gentleman.

There has been a long and interesting debate tinued a few moments, apparently suffering not ence, and this sum would have gone a good way last there seems to be some hope of rectifying on the question of Naval administration, and at could enjoy upon earth; and then, without a We cannot bring ourselves to think that our struggle or a groan, his spirit returned to God Churches and congregations have done their Admirality. Sir Baldwin Walker, who has held post. Many parts of our Indian Empire are the post of Surveyor General of the Navy for suffering grievously from the failure in the crops. thers and sisters, are left to mourn, but, thank the different Circuits, or even Districts, might since, and accepted the command of a foreign are dying at the rate of four or 500 a day. The lines, that those among whom he laboured in in the Minutes, and facts are inflexible. There highest importance to the Committee of Inquiry their best to meet the case. The gentleman station. His evidence would have been of the wealthier classes and the government are doing the ministry, may know that the latter end of their brother and minister was peace—the which nought but the blessed Jesus whom he to three half-pence per member. Others in have done the country more real service than by the Fiji Islands has reached Sydney on his rehim obtain that peace; and being faithful unto death enter with him into that rest which rethree pence to four pence per member to this having got rid of him on purpose to prevent his

Since the fall of appearance before the Committee. The House has not made much progress. The ex-king is at went so far as to demand his recall, and the Se- Rome. "selling off" a few of his valuables, preed—we cannot congratulate the Connexion upon cretary of the Admirality gave orders that a vious to his retirement from business. It is not steamer should start in pursuit of the gallant stated whether his crown and regalia are among It is our solemn conviction that, without Admiral. But of course the steamer chosen was the effects to be disposed of. Rumour assert. abridging the means of domestic comfort, or the slowest vessel in the Navy, and returned a that he intends to remain in Rome, as long as And if we might, we certainly ought to do so. affair altogether. However, we are to hear the out for the fallen monarch, but cannot long cling Nor for this end do we require any new arrange- Committee, and we may hope that the Naval to a broken cause. The temporal power of the

ENGLAND, March 9th, 1861.

The unsettled state of the American question regiment, and the young land, came down the other day with a crash,—

Should not allow it a place on their tables, nor depth of Snow in a cutting caused the dy became a sister of mercy, and joined Miss settling in its fall like a ship foundering at sea. prolific of signal disquiet and disaster on this Nightingale's Staff of nurses at Balaclava. Apropos of Cathedrals, the new Bishop of Dur- of thankfulness, that such publications do not North all the Countries of the Countries side of the Atlantic. Trade is decidedly bad, Here she met the Major again who formed the ham has fallen into a hornet's nest. He had circulate among the masses of the people, and there seems to be but little confidence for the future. Manufacturers very naturally shrink such is the extraordinary term which he employs.

In the future of the fut from anticipating the future by keeping their The evidence of the young lady is very different parish scarcely numbering as many souls. Many ley and Fletcher, have more influence with the the evidence of the young lady is very different parish scarcely numbering as many scale about the head, but it was impossible last night to large class of our country's poupulation, called the head, but it was impossible last night to large class of our country's poupulation, called learn the precise nature of his injuries. merchants have no confidence in giving orders in the that it would be impossible for him to marry the face of great uncertainty, and the result is her, because of the opposition of his friends.—

In the diocese-looked forward to this common people, than any other human writings. Ward had his ankle seriously jammed, and the result is her, because of the opposition of his friends.—

In the diocese-looked forward to this class—(they have more received other bruises. Mr. Ham also jumped to this class—(they have more received other bruises.) that our artisans and factory hands are being According to his statement, she consented to be clining years. But Bishop Villiers happens to heart than intellect) be rightly directed, and we off thrown out of work, and a gloomy prospect looms his mistress, but having some few scruples of have a clerical son-in-law, of three years' standbefore us in the distance. The Bank of Eng- conscience, made conditions with him that they ing in the Church, and rejoicing in the sugges- sidious attacks, and vain attempts of modern land has paralyzed all speculation by raising the should pass through some sort of religious ser- tive name of Cheese. The bishop, being but infidelity, to overthrow the religion of the bible. rate of discount to the unparalleled figure of 8 vice! This was done both in Ireland and Scot- mortal, presented this most desirable living to As ministers, it devolves upon us, as far as per cent. Money is scarce as it well can be, and, land, by a Romish Priest. In course of time the his expectant son. Up rose the clergy of the possible to direct the reading of those commurere it only for our own sake, we should hail the Major paid his addresses to the widow of Pro- diocese, and solemnly protested,—as did divers nities in which we reside. The subject may with Our Home politics do not exhibit any very tions, and fifty thousand pounds. He was acpecial character. The proceedings of the Houses cepted; and having intimated his intentions to looks upon himself as a very much injured man. us denounce injurious publications. Should we was made, it was found impossible Parliament have not as yet advanced beyond his former love, and told her that she had bet. It is rather too bad that a bishop who has just not also, to some extent, act as colporteurs, and the fire. It happened, fortunately, that the su the usual line of routine. A great many "ques- ter go to New Zealand, he was married to Mrs. tions" have been asked by honourable members, Forbes. Hence the suit in the Irish Court. and there has been some clever sparring, but lit- Mr. Whiteside, the eminest Counsel of the Irish tle has been done. We have had a Church Bar, was retained for the so-called Mrs. Yel- upon that Evangelical party in the Church, of cheaply as elsewhere, in our Book rooms. If rate debate, resulting in some little advantage to verton, whose fascinating manners, beautiful per- which he has been regarded as a most prominent poverty forbids the purchase of many books; the anti-Rate party. Mr. Moneton Milnes has son, and forlorn position won the ardent symbrought in his annual bill for legalizing marriage pathies of the warm-hearted sons of Erin. The with a deceased wife's sister, but has gained nofigure cut by the Major in the Court was most clergymen of the Established Church are exciting wisely expended, in a family. Bound books costwith a deceased wife's sister, but has gained nothing to his side of the question. A committee has been appointed to enquire into the case of professional men in their relation to the Income Tax.

In this side of the question. A committee disreputable, and he was hissed and hooted in open Court for the unblushing depravity of his evidence. Mr. Whiteside made one of the fessional men in their relation to the Income Tax.

In the Academy the Major in the Court was most disreputable, and he was hissed and hooted in open Court for the unblushing depravity of his evidence. Mr. Whiteside made one of the child, evidence. Mr. Whiteside made one of the court was most ciergymen of the Established Upsend down to keep himself warm, but becoming drowsy from the excessive cold, laid on top of the child, will be furnished weekly, with a large sheet, of another the case of professional men in their relation to the Income Tax. It was shown very ably by the member who most eloquent appeals ever listened to in a pudiating the dogmas advanced, and warning all interesting matter, news, &c. for a year.

Court of law, and a verdict was found against Christian people not to accept them as the teachdifference between men who trade with capital the defendant on the three Counts that there ings of the Anglican church. The Bishops of upon his failing constitution, yet he was deterit is, the Committee can do no more than express and those who trade with brains, and that as was one a valid marriage in Scotland; that there the failure of the health of a professional man was one in Ireland, and that at the time of marcauses the immediate destruction of his capital, riage he was a Roman Catholic. Nothing could thren once more in Conference; but he was commore, out of pocket. And such cases, we are
the rate of taxation should be adjudged with exceed the excitement which followed the delivsome reference to his peculiar position. The sor- ery of the verdict. Mrs. Yelverton was in a letters, pro and con. The publishers must be intellectual powers—but to affect the heart,—to rows of the Ex-King of Naples have found some sympathisers in the House. One or two Roman deafening cheers which greeted the jury, and directed. "Knowledge is power," but is power burg, was crossing LaHave River on foot, carry-Catholic members have burned with indignation, which were taken up by the crowd outside. and have been carried away into eloquent depre- When her Counsel entered the room, she rushed cation of the injustice which has been done to into his arms, and covered his hands with kisses. what is best, I suppose it is all necessary." He pounds. And our District was no worse than that eminent and royal saint. His patience, his The enthusiastic people unharnessed the horses gentleness, his paternal care for his people, his heroic exposure of himself to danger for the defence of his throne have all gone to swell the ant, with the purpose of ducking the gallant chorus of Irish declamation. Mr. Gladstone met gentleman in the Liffey. He had to be conveythe charge of this new order of Franciscans in ed from the Court as privately as possible. The much, but the contrast will be greater between classes in the March Quarter; and private subto shot and shell in the seige, but in his eyes whole question is most complicated, and will not sphere of bazaars, prayer-meetings, revival meetthere was greater daring by far in the conduct probably be settled for years; the lawyers in the ings, lectures, conversaziones, and other gatherof honourable gentlemen who had the courage to meanwhile picking up a very nice sum. The ings, for five weeks, -at the expiration of which am persuaded that he is able to keep that I have five pence a member? The statistics of the last policy of one of the most tyrannical despots that unjust, and that the Irish and Scotch marriages stand up in the British Senate, and defend the general opinion in England is that the verdict is time it is supposed that enough money will have committed to him against that day. He would five years are curious. In 1856 the Fund was had ever disgraced a throne. It is a matter of were illegal. Nor does the so-called Mrs. Yeloften, when suffering, long for the time when established. The year following a small ingrave doubt whether the Ex-King has exhibited verton obtain much sympathy here; for it is much bravery during the operations at Gaeta. evident that she was trying to dupe the Major into an unexpected marriage. The popular ver-She said, "You will soon be at rest." He rereceipts from ordinary sources were nearly ten
he had been the guest of her Majesty at Windlike to feel
he had been the guest of her Majesty at Windhe had been the guest of her Majesty at Wind-

> Judgement has just been given in the case of new Bankruptcy Bill, if it should become law will meet such cases, and deal with them very

trenching upon the resources devoted to local day or two since without having sighted the Adobligations, or world-wide charities, we might miral's ship. Sir Baldwin Walker did certainly therefore be short. Every wall in the city of raise for this Fund throughout the Conference a sum equal to a quarter dollar per member. See Baldwin Walker did extractly therefore be short. Every wall in the city of Rome is chalked with the inscription, "Victor feet hurricane of wind, and it is a very suspicious Emmanuel, King of Italy." Messina still holds In consequence of the official relation which this ments. All that is necessary is that the matter Board will no longer play at "ducks and drakes" Pope dwindles away daily, and the crisis must soon come. A letter from Rome says that Paul

Napoleon the third is quarreling with his clerthis scheme, they will be helping themselves.— ist of very extreme views. He has published, gy, and they are hurling or rather hinting ana has been translated into more languages, has a themas against him, not in the politest terms. larger number of copies, and is read more than extraordinarily intolerant character. Indeed he has acted the part of apologist for the policy washing his hands, and declaring himself ingent Fund.

It has often been said that the end of Methodism is to spread scriptural Loliness throughout the land. To be true to itself, therefore, Methodism must be eggrersive. And to be aggrersive. And to be aggrersive. And to be aggrersive. And to be aggrersive. And to be aggrersive and pious sive, uniformly and wteadily, it must needs be an expectation of the control of their people, than speak to them about the Connevional. In officer words, the strong must be aggrersive. And to be aggrersive and pious service. Sensitive and pious and the sense and the sense and the sense and the top of the first to be against the source of ornaments to the mind. And yet these Proprietors would besitate, to sell even at a large Connexional. In of her words, the strong must help the weak, systematically, constantly. This will prove their importance. Take, for example, the one whose name appears above. It contemplates miscellaneous expenses, for which no particular circuit can be responsible, hence it is particular circuit can be responsible, hence it is particular circuit can be responsible, hence it is contemplated by the former of the dence of forcelose the minds of the people of the fishery convention. The first of the fishery convention in cannon, the Emplates miscellaneous expenses, for the most unjustly entertained, has a wonderful tendence of the resignation. The first of the fishery convention in cannon, the Emplates and the fisher of the fishery convention. The first of the fishery convention in cannon, the Emplate of the fishery content of the fishery convention. The first of the fishery convention in cannon, the Emplate of the fishery convention. The first of the fishery convention in cannon, the Emplate of the fishery convention. The first of the fishery convention in cannon, the Emplate of the fishery convention. The first of the fishery convention in cannon, the Emplate of the fishery convention. The first of the fishery convention in cannon, the Emplate of the fishery convention. The first of the fishery convention in cannon, the Emplate of the fishery convention. The first of the fishery convention in cannon, the Emplate of the fishery convention. The first of the fishery convention in cannon, the Emplate of the fishery convention in cannon, the Emplate of the fisher of the fisher of the fishery convention. The first of the fisher of the fishery convention in cannon, the Emplate of the fisher of the fish weak Circuits in supporting the ministry of God's word, and if possible to maintain additional against the most cogent reasoning, and the most powerful appeals. The Leaders and Stewagency in spiritually destitute portions of the against the most cogent reasoning, and the stormy. But in vain; and thus the question came peror has countermanded the order for building before the House, and there dropped. The new iron ships of war like la Gloire. If this beginning to our Exphancement of the English records in the people against the most cogent reasoning, and the most powerful appeals. The Leaders and Stewagency in spiritually destitute portions of the stormy. But in vain; and thus the question came peror has countermanded the order for building the minister's provide the stormy. The stormy is the last new invention in cannon, the Embedding the most powerful appeals. The Leaders and Stewagency in spiritually destitute portions of the stormy is a stormy. But in vain; and thus the question came peror has countermanded the order for building the minister's provide the most cogent reasoning, and the most powerful appeals. The Leaders and Stewagency in spiritually destitute portions of the stormy is a stormy. The stormy is a stormy in the minister's provide the most cogent reasoning, and the most powerful appeals. The Leaders and Stewagency is spiritually destitute portions of the stormy is a stormy in the stormy in the stormy is a stormy in the stormy in the stormy is a stormy in the stormy in the stormy in the stormy in the stormy is a stormy in the stormy in the stormy in the stormy is a stormy in the storm

The new King of Prussia has just been invest- lic funeral, witnessed by nearly two hundred printing, and other special expenses connected numerously and widely represented, so that the been a good reason for withholding for a time This one deed almost atones for the crimes of few works of late years, are well stored with Domestic with the Conference itself; to afford relief in deliberations of the meeting may be wise and the highest honour that England's Queen can generations of Russian despots, and will give a ideas clothed in a most fascinating style. making up the deficiencies of dependent Circuits. people will but comply with the suggestions Bishoprics and Garters Lord Palmerston is one which the sovereignty of Russia never possess- discriminate novel reading. How many of the

met her by accident on board of a Bologne Chimney pots and tiles have gone scudding thro' plausible and beautifully written articles ima-Steamer, and they were mutually smitten. the air like flights of birds. The noble spire of ginable? It is high time the "Westminster When the Crimean war broke out the Major was Chichester Cathedral, one of the loftiest in Eng. Review," was discarded. Believers in the Bible When four miles beyond Bedford the Major paid his addresses to the widow of Professor Forbes, a lady with many personal attracfessor Forbes, a lady with many personal bishop waives their reproaches and doubtless from the pulpit. Here as well as elsewhere let been translated to a see with an income more endeavour to scatter in every direction the wholethan double that of the see which he has left some literature of Methodism. In every branch should by this act of selfishness bring reproach of useful reading we may obtain a supply, as

Oxford, Exeter, and St. David's came out very good in my family as a quarter's schooling." strongly,-but the Bishop of London, who is the personal friend of one of the Essavists, took a less decided stand. The daily papers are full of circulating four thousand copies. Such is the profit of heterodoxy. If the essays had been as Better remain ignorant, than have knowledge bad. They had proceeded about half way, Mr. lever as they are, without the spice of the heterodox, they would not have struggled through one Mr. Spurgeon's Tabernacle is now completed

at a cost of thirty thousand pounds. It is to be opened with special services extending over period of five weeks, nightly! Mr. Spurgeon himself will not condescend to preach in it until been raised to warrant Mr. Spurgeon in ascending the pulpit, and favouring his church with a The Adam Clarke memorial Committee has

now done its work. A granite obelisk, and a School-chapel have been raised at Portrush, at a cost of five hundred pounds. A statue of the Doctor, in Portland stone, has been modelled at a cost of two hundred pounds. A School-chapel has been erected at Port Stewart, at an outlay of twelve hundred pounds-leaving a small balance due to the Treasurer. The movement thus happily completed owes much of its success to the exertions of the Rev. Mr. Cather, who has worked for it with great enthusiasm. It is to be hop ed that the debt will be speedily cleared off.

The on dits of Methodist circles are very fer and unimportant. The Rev. John Lomas has been nominated by the Theological Institution committee as the successor of the Rev. Thomas College. A more suitable appointment could not be made. The chaste and elegant mind, the classic lore, the logical acumen, and exactness, the profound thought, and the genial piety of Mr. Lomas would render him the ne plus ultra of Mr. Lomas would render him the n

The return of Dr. Johson from his Australian our is looked for about the end of April. He will probably be the star of the Missionary anniversary of this year. The question of the Presidency is exciting more than usual interest. Against the very general desire to give the chair to one who so gracefully filled it some years ago there rises an equally general objection to the ly, for there are plenty of able and likely men ready for the office. On the other hand some have discharged the duty so well that we would fain see them in office again.

### For the Provincial Weslevan. Books.

agency in spiritually destitute portions of the country, hence it is The Home Mission Fundation. Every year a number of ministers change Circuits. They and their families are liable to affliction, and death may also invade their dwellings. Consequently there arises expenditure for which no provision is made in a Minister's ellowances.' The resources of the Circuit are generally exhausted in defraying the ordinary generally exhausted in defraying the ordinary of the master o treme Romanist, cannot be free from temptation. nation has enough work of its own to do, that Most persons are content to let others think for claims of the work. If, therefore, no assistance smoothed with the hammer, him that smote and the coif of the judge does not always confer Poland must for the present prove abortive.— blended. But this is rarely the case, hence the The victims of the insurrection have had a pub- superficiality of the age. In general the best reading in our religious papers consists of exexisted there could be little hope of spiritual if possible some general plan for the systematic ed with the insignia of the Order of the Garter, thousand spectators. The grandest decree that extension of our work in all portions of the by the hands of the Marquis of Breadalbane, her ever emanated from the Russian throne will be old. I have now before me a large religious The responsibilities of the 'Home Mission country embraced within the limits of the Con- Majesty's deputy. It is rather a premature step, promulgated in a few days. On the first day of book, written and printed in London, upwards and Contingent Fund' at present are—to pro- ference. It is most earnestly to be desired that and might have been deferred until we have Lent, in the Russian calendar, every serf in the of 200 years ago, containing more interesting vide the removal expenses of those Ministers the lay element—for which, in connexion with some idea of the policy of the new Government. dominions of the Czar will be a free man. A thoughts than I can find in a dozen volumes of

There are indeed some happy exceptions. A

Our youth are especially in danger, from in is made above, we may assure them that the orof the luckiest of Ministers. By the death of the statement of the luckiest of Ministers. By the death of the daughters of the luckiest of Ministers. By the daughters of the luckiest of Ministers and Continued all that day and night, and the followaccomplished by our own contributions. These dinary work of the Committee will be delightconstitute but a small proportion of the greater part of the bulke of Sutherland another blue ribbon has constituted in a dignity surpassing that of the original inby far the greater part of the greater part of the greater part of the bulke of Sutherland another blue ribbon has constituted in the day and night, and the following day until about noon, when it abated somefully performed, and the unusually important the streets are in some places are in some places are in some places. The day and night, and the following day until about noon, when it abated somefully performed, and the unusually important the streets are in some places are in some places. When the day and night, and the following day until about noon, when it abated somefully performed, and the unusually important the streets are in some places are in some places. When the day and night, and the following day until about noon, when it abated somefully performed, and the unusually important the streets are in some places are in some places. When the day and night, and the following day until about noon, when it abated somefully performed, and the constitute of the daughters
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wisdom and economy will say, take the "Proto a distant part of our village with a child, our results of the notorious "Essays and Reviews" by vincial Wesleyan." Two Dollars cannot be more his way in a wood. After becoming tired of his way in a wood. Very few families but might take a religious

paper-The Wesleyan, said one to me, " is as Let us continually endeavour to impress the minds of our people with the design of reading. -Not merely to gain knowledge-to expand the without right moral feelings. Goodness is power Graves leading, when the ice gave way and the -Character is power, to obtain these we must —Character is power, to obtain these we must look higher than human nature. This is the tendency of all good books.—Truth elevates. tendency of all good books,-Truth elevates,

The large book of nature should not be neglected in our reading. This is best understood this and Heaven." At another time he said, "I scriptions shall be solicited from our friends in admire the bravery of a king, exposing himself for bigamy pending in a Scottish Court. The the whole is paid for. It is therefore to be a Divine revelation. The Bible, not the material see why this inconvenient route should be follow and most admired, when read in the light of creation, is " a lamp unto our feet, and a light ed when there is a line of road which could be creation, is "a lamp unto our feet, and a light unto our path." One gives us lofty ideas of the Great Creator. The other makes us wise to salvoiding this dangerous river altogether, and shortening the distance to Halifax about one fifth. We do not suppose, however, that this to the great day, remembering that one of the alteration will be made most solemn acts then to take place, will be the until a member of the House of Assembly gets opening of the Books," which will be read and a cold bath in crossing .- Transcript

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House of Assembly. TUESDAY .-- Mr. Howe addressed the hou three hours with his accustomed vigor and elo-quence. Among other things he announced that the new Representation Bill will only be that the new Representation Bill will only be laid on the table this year—submitted to the House and the country that there may be ample time to discuss and amend it. He ridiculed the

weech had to be concluded on Thursday.

Weenesday — Mr. Howe being absent on guilty party or parties in the present case. The

galleries were speedily crowded and the house throughout was well filled, to listen to Mr. Howe's which nought but the blessed Jesus whom he preached can give. May all who have heard him obtain that peace; and being faithful unto death enter with him into that rest which remains for the people of God.

Mr. Lomas would render him the ne plus ultra of three half-pence per member. Others in the doubt in the advisableness of accepting the sovereignty of the advisableness of accepting the sovereignty of the disaphent of time when he might by a few hours of evidence the advisableness of accepting the sovereignty of the advisableness of accepting the sovereignty of the disaphent of time when he might by a few hours of evidence the advisableness of accepting the sovereignty of the disaphent of time when he might by a few hours of evidence the advisableness of accepting the sovereignty of the disaphent of time when he might by a few hours of evidence the advisableness of accepting the sovereignty of the disaphent of time when he might by a few hours of evidence the advisableness of accepting the sovereignty of the disaphent of time when he might by a few hours of evidence the advisableness of accepting the sovereignty of the advisableness of accepting the sovereignty of the disaphent of time when he might by a few hours of evidence the advisableness of accepting the sovereignty of the disaphent of the advisableness of accepting the sovereignty of the double the advisableness of accepting the sovereignty of the disaphent of the advisableness of accepting the sovereignty of the disaphent of the advisableness of accepting the sovereignty of the double the advisableness of accepting the sovereignty of the disaphent of the advisableness of accepting the sovereignty of the double the advisableness of accepting the sovereignty of the double the advisableness of accepting the sovereignty of the double the advisableness of accepting the sovereignty of the double the advisableness of accepting the sovereignty of the double the advisableness of accepting the sovereignty of the double the advisableness of accepting the sovereig voters under his thumb whom he compelled James Foot, and two still remain on hand to be always to vote as he chose. This was in effect played for next season.—The snow storm comgiving 100 votes to one man. He told Mr. S. that if any constitutional means could be adopted to put an end to such a "nuisance" he would half a mile from town, and were all the such as apply them. This was the amount of his "threats," and he would repeat them now before the whole Province. There were more ladies ber. in the Speaker's Gallery than we ever saw there before. Mr. Howe was heard with marked atention throughout.

After a few words from Mr. Shaw the hot

FRIDAY.—Speeches were made by Messrs.
Wade, James McDonald and A Campbell, and others. The first was twaddling and involved as usual. The second was voluable and coarse. The third was brief, logical to the point.—

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Called 'The Woodworth Road; after organising the meeting it was Resolved, unanimously, that the settlement extending from the west line of Cornwallis township, westward to the Ormsby Road, shall henceforth be called Farmerville; and that the secretary of the meeting

SATURDAY.—The House continued in Mr. Johnston's resolutions, or ions, on the constitution-

al question, were defeated by a vote of 25 to 29.

—Journal. MONDAY, March 25.

MORNING SESSION.

Hon. Fin. Sec. introduced a bill to authorize

ping act.
Mr. Blanchard reported the report of the maon the same subject.
Some discussion ensued, when the House adjourned till 3 o'clock next day.

### General Intelligence. Colonial.

nesday we were visited with the greatest snow he was Governor of New Brunswick, and his storm we have experienced for several years. It

over him and was severely bruised. Mr. For ham, was also injured, so far as we could learn, not seriously. Messrs Johnson, Marshall, and several others received slight cuts and brain

There was a fire at Dartmouth Friday morn.

MELANCHOLY ACCIDENT. - A COTTE of the Yarmouth Herald coumunicates the follow ing account of a distressing accident which ured at Weymouth on the 9th Feburary

to a distant part of our village with a ch walking about, and failing to discover his way out took off his overcoat, in which he walked up and terribly frozen. He now is under the care of our talented Physician, Dr. Ruggles, from whose and is rapidly recovering, but will be obliged t go for the remainder of his days on " stumps, the Doctor having most skilfully amputated both

14.—Yesterday morning, Mr. Albert Graves, mail\_contractor between this place and Lunenenabled him to keep afloat and of solid ice he scrambled out. of numerous instances which might be quoted showing the impossibility of the mail being carried across the LaHave river at any time, be

We have to note a repetition of the disgrace ful work of maliciously cutting the wires of the Telegraph Company in this Island. There being an interruption of current on the line between Plaister Cove and St. Peter's on Wednesday evening last, a repairer was despatched the following morning from the latter place, who, at a distance of about 17 miles this side of Plaister Cove, discovered the line cut, and the wire from between two posts carried away. This depreda-tion is the first which has been committed since the rigid invitigation prosecuted by the Superin-tendent, Mr. Hoyt, last autumn—which similar transgressions had provoked; and the hope was entertained that the future vigilance then threatened would deter the evil disposed from idea of dissolving the house on account of the soon again indulging their criminal propensities. THURSDAY. The house met at 3 o'clock. Both treat, to be placed at the tribunal of justice, where he will receive the sentence of punishment of .- C. B. News.

> PICTOU ITEMS.-From the Pictou Chronicle was won by James Ives, the second by Captain half a mile from town, and was obliged to return.

FARMERVILLE, AYLESFORD, March 23rd, 1861.—At a meeting of the inhabitants of this settlement, held this day, for the purpose of giving a name to the district, heretofore sometimes called 'The Woodworth Road;' after organizing merville; and that the secretary of the meeting e requested to communicate the same to the ger, for publication.

JOHN PARKER, Chairman,

New Brunswick. NEW BRUNSWICK UNIVERSITY .- Several of

the Students at this Institution have preferred charges against Dr. Hea, its Principal, and twen-

Mr. Blanchard reported the report of the majority of the committee appointed to investigate the charges made in the Guysboro' petition.

Mr. McFarlane brought in a minority report country feels at liberty to congratulate itself at the end of the year."

FROM CANADA TO CEYLON. - R. T. Pennefis ther, Esq., the Governor General's Secretary, has been appointed Auditor General of Ceylon. The office is a very lucrative, honorable and important one, entitling its holder to a seat in the Council and the Legislative Assembly, and giving him rank after the Chief Justice, who is the th GREAT SNOW STORM.—On Tuesday and Wed-esday we were visited with the greatest with the control of father has been Secretary to Sir Edmund since long services, industriously performed, justify

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