

the period of her pilgrimage, remaining perfectly steadfast in the word of the Lord even to the end ; the Lord be for ever praised. She very boldly and undisguisedly confessed her faith at the tribunal, before the magistrates and the multitude. They first asked her concerning baptism. She said, 'I acknowledge but one baptism, even that which was used by Christ and his disciples, and left to us.' 'What do you hold concerning infant baptism?' asked the sheriff. To which Lysken answered, 'nothing but a mere infant's baptism, and a human institution.' On this the bench stood up, and consulted together, while Lysken, in the mean time, confessed, and explained clearly to the people the ground of her belief. They then pronounced sentence upon her. Lysken spoke in the following manner to the bench : 'Ye are now judges ; but the time will come when ye will wish that ye had been keepers of sheep, for there is a judge and Lord who is above all ; he shall in his own time judge you. But we have not to wrestle against flesh and blood, but against the principalities, powers, and rulers of the darkness of this world.' The bench said 'Take her away from the tribunal.'

"The people then ran earnestly to see her, and Lysken spoke piously to them : 'Know that I do not suffer for robbery, or murder, or any kind of wickedness, but solely for the incorruptible word of God.'

Next morning she suffered. "On Saturday morning we rose early, some before day, some with the daylight, to see the nuptials which we thought would then be celebrated ; but the crafty murderers outran us. We had slept too long, for they had finished their murderous work between three and four o'clock. They had taken that sheep to the Scheldt, and had put her into a sack, and drowned her before the people arrived, so that few persons saw it. Some however saw it. She went courageously to death, and spoke bravely ; 'Father, into thy hands I commend my spirit.' Thus she was delivered up, and it came to pass to the honor of the Lord that, by the grace of God many were moved thereby."

## No. II.

### ACADIA COLLEGE ENDOWMENT.

At a meeting of the 'friends of Acadia College, held at Wolfville, March 25, 1852, the following resolutions were passed:—

- I. That while education is justly regarded as a great and necessary good, essential to human happiness, and closely inter-