ProvincialWesleyan institutions free as the air of heaven, institutions free as the air of beaven, with one solitary exception, which I pray God may cease before you die. We have no fear of Popery; and I believe that, if it were necessary, you would find a multitude of individuals ready to cross the Atlantic and join your standard, if your battle began All leave these two great even America, we require that Obitary, Revival, and other notices addressed to us from any ot the Circuits within the bounds of the Connexion, shall pass through the hands of the Superintendent Minister. All I say is this-mey these two great countries, for we are about thirty millions, ever live in peace ! remaining one and insepar able in their interests for Christianity and for the salvation of the world, now and for evermore, Amen.

Obituary Notices.

Died, in the vicinity of Nictaux, Annapo year of her age, JANE, the relict of the late Mr. JOSEPH FOSTER, who departed this it's Soutember 2014 1014 are JOSEFH FOSTER, who departed this are requested to pay special attention to the life September 17th, 1846, aged 79. Mr. time appointed for holding their several meet-and Mrs. Foster were joined in marriage Nov. 25th, 1795; at which time Method. Conference, to be held in Charlottetown, P. E. I ism in the County of Annapolis was in its infancy. Mr. and Mrs. Foster embraced on Friday morning, June 17th, at 9 o'clock. the doctrines taught by the Wesleyan Mis-The Stationing Committee on Friday evening sionaries; and for their religious connection made such as embraced those doctrines, and the religious institutions connected therewith, the people of their choice. For many years their house was open for the preaching of the Gospel, and for class-meetings and public meetings for the worship of God and prayer. As the writer was their class-leadfor many years, he acquired some knowledge of their attainments in religious experience. In unaffected sincerity they plainy evinced their steady purpose to make sure work for a happy eternity; so that those who were best acquainted with them have Chairmen of Districts and the Secretaries of the good reason to hope they both died in peace, different Funds are commended to very careful and are now " Far from a world of grief and sin,

With God eternally shu In the same place, ANN, the beloved wife

of Mr. Edward Martyn, departed this life November 17th, 1858, in the 51st year of her age. She was evidently one of the trophies of Redeeming grace ; and as she was Wednesdays. n her natural temperament of a meek disposition, saving grace in her appeared to rreat advantage. Her bereaved husband rival of the stage, and children have good reason to congratulate themselves on the pleasing considera- be present at the time appointed. tion that she who was during her natural life solicitous for their welfare is now a happy and glorified spirit, to be eternally con nenected with that throng who have washed their robes and made them white in the blood of the Lamb.

Died, at Cornwallis West, on May 12th ANNIE, aged 17 years, and on May 23rd, AGNES, aged 14 years, daughters of Mr. and Mrs. Abner Pearson. Very severe and painful have been the

bereavements sustained in this community during the past year. The spoiler has gone from circle to circle, walking in darkness and to-morrow the work of the Preparatory and wasting by noonday,---many a family, hitherto unbroken, has been visited; in Contingent Fund, whose interests we trust will many a home do they miss the presence of prove to have been well cared for through the loved ones, and in not a few cases graves year, will meet in the morning, and in the world, or if by any means it had been startevening will commence the not very enviable ed, would it not, like premature vegetation have been opened side by side for those of

Few bereavements, however, have been of a more painful kind or have excited a deeper sympathy, than that of Mr. Pearson and his excellent wife. Again and again had death entered their dwelling, until five children had been snatched away by the

The past week has been one of under and the sound of the facts which is spreement is the set of the facts is spreement is the set of the f from all parts of New England and from many the prospects are brightening. Africa is Hull the "arm of the Lord has been reof the other States flock to the city on this stretching out her hands for help, but not in vealed." Before the last Conference held

week-some to visit friends-some for busi- vain. The Siberia mission is prospering. in this town, we had our daily prayer meetweek-some to visit friends-some for busi-ness-some for pleasure, and some to attend There is a regular annual Conference there, ing in reference to the Conference and the ters, who constitute the Canada Conference, will daily growth of 5 inches. Gireen Pear werage ness—some for pleasure, and some to attend the meetings of the different Societies. The city is literally full of people. This year the number of strangers from abroad was unusu-ally large. This was owing in part to the very pleasant weather, and to the fact that a much larger number of science there. The South American Mission, including Nor-ally large. This was number of a constitute the fact that a much larger number of science there. The South American Mission, including Nor-ally large. This was nusu-pleasant weather, and to the fact that a much larger number of science there. The South American Mission is doing well. In the course of years this place has, in common with most of our chief towns and cities, greatly and do ur congregations have been greatly enlarg-now complaining of monetary scarcity and

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larger number of societies held their anni- wonders there. In Bulgaria, the work is ed, and our classes increased, and the work versary meetings than formerly. Until last year, the Methodists have never held any meetings of the kind during the anniversary for in this field. May they be sent soon ! is still happily spreading. We have just made our annual return and we have increas-ed in the Hull West Circuit 141 during the The Chairmen of the several districts, the Secretaries of the different Connexional funds, week. This year the following societies In Germany, the Lord is carrying on his year with 221 on trial for the present quar-held their meetings, viz. : "The "New work in a most glorious manner. We have ter. In the Hull East Circuit, 131 increase ings in the week preceding the approaching Conference, to be held in Charlottetown, P. E. I "The Sunday School Union of the M. E. boring most zealously and successfully. But Our District Meetings have mostly bee Our District Meetings have mostly been Church,"-" The New England Education here, as elsewhere, there is a great call for held during the present week; for the Dis-The Contingent Fund Committee will meet trict of Barton upon Humber, the religious

Society," and "The Missionary Society of the M. E. Church." These meetings were largely attended and were exceedingly inter-of the demand, but we expect they will be of the demand, but we expect they will be the M. E. Church." These meetings were largely attended and were exceedingly intergreatly increased the present year. The the Chairman of the District, the Ministers The New England Methodist Historical Missionary Spirit is increasing among the and friends received together the Saerament The New England Methodist Historical Missionary Spirit is increasing among the Society held its anniversary in the Bloom-field Street Church, on Tuesday evening. This society has been organized but a few ing funds for the cause. Never before was

This society has been organized but a lew ing induction the cause. After a define was ingented by the head of the first business is the months, but its prospects are most encour-our Missionary work at home and abroad, returns for the Hull District are 14,319 good deal of work. Their first business is the aging. The anniversary exercises were inin so prosperous a state. All the anniversaries during the week and four candidates for our Ministry. All

troduced by singing the hymn " Great God! beneath whose piercing eye The Earth's extended kingdoms lie."

remarks respecting the object of the So-ciety, and introduced the Rev. Dr. Haven, of Zion's Herald as the speaker of the eveour anniver: ary week. ning. The speaker said he did not intend to call the attention of the audience to the

history of any special epoch in the Church, SOCIETIES. week, are as follows : American Bible Society, American Tract Society, American Home Missionary Society, Foreign Missions (Presbyterian) American Board of Foreign Missions. Foreign Evangelical Society, world. The history of Methodism is yet Baptist Home Missionary Society, unwritten. The time has not come to write

Atlantic Anti-Slavery Society, Seamen's Friend Society, Colonization Society, \$1 555,841

The above does not include the benevo- themselves in battle array, and a collision, is son's Bay territory has been under consideration. lent societies connected with the Methodist, daily expected to take place, when it is like- British Columbia will appear as a new missionseveral of the Baptist, and Episcopal ly that thousands will fall in the battle field. churches. The entire charities of the Ame-The general expression of the country is for persevering ministers are already hard at work rican church will doubtless exceed the past peace, and thousands of prayers are daily on various important and promising fields of year \$3,000,000 besides the support of home offered that it may be preserved to us, but Christian enterprise. worship. THE BOOK TRADE

As we have before noticed, the book trade perpetuate the peace which we now enjoy. When shall "wars and fightings" cease.

large business. Meesrs Sheldon & Co. bave just issued, "Summer Pictures; from Co-penhagen to Venice." By Henry M. Field. When shall wars and ngnings cease. Oh that the Prince of peace may hasten His glorious reign, and subdue the hearts of men to the obedience of faith. thodism is the youngest, so it is also the most This is one of the most taking, instructive | I still dwell with pleasure upon the interbooks of travel, we have ever read. The course with yourself and Bro Pickard in the pictures" are most charming. The author town of Liverpool; it greatly refreshed my Conference doings, he will secure the services of takes you along with him, and you feel at spirit to hear from you of many of my Am- a suitable substitute .- Montreal Gazette. children had been snatched away by the faithful evangelical toils of those for whose sup-faithful evangelical toils of those for whose sup-religion? Barbarism is the result of col-every step that you see the things described every step that you see the things described

The same house have also just issued dom of Heaven!

Letter from the United States, shared largely in the out-pouring of the Atter the storm had expended itself we J. A. Duke, and myself, have had the hearty "The 'oldest inhabitant'-and he is Clief from the United Diales, From our own Correspondent. ANNIVERSARIES IN BOSTON. The past week has been one of unusual in-The past week has been one of unusual in-The past week has been one of unusual in-

District Meeting, is required now to meet at the

passed off finely, and will, no doubt, greatly the Districts of which I have heard are quite subserve the interests of the cause of God. encouraging, the London District increase

morning in different parts of the city, were largely attended, and were seasons of great trial 1,954; York, increase 311, on trial 848; which had over-grown itself, is to be divided, No tear.--Ib. interest. These seasons for prayer were Sheffield, increase 256, on trial 609; Bir- and, by a few changes in adjacent districts, a New Brunswick. among the most interesting meetings during mingbam, increase 968, on trial 1,260; Brad- new district formed, to be called the Whitby THE MAILS.-Those who love the Christian ford, 914 increase, 897 on trial; Maccles- District, embracing most of the Counties of Sabbath will be glad to learn that the arrange field, increase 536, on trial 995. These are North and South Ontario. The Committee has ments of the Post-master General for the abolition all the Districts that I have yet heard of, resolved on sending an additional missionary of Sabbath labour in connection with the Market and the sending an additional missionary of Sabbath labour in connection with the Market and the sending and additional missionary of Sabbath labour in connection with the sending and additional missionary of Sabbath labour in connection with the sending and additional missionary of Sabbath labour in connection with the sending and additional missionary of Sabbath labour in connection with the sending and additional missionary of Sabbath labour in connection with the sending and additional missionary of Sabbath labour in connection with the sending and additional missionary of Sabbath labour in connection with the sending and additional missionary of Sabbath labour in connection with the sending and additional missionary of Sabbath labour in connection with the sending and additional missionary of Sabbath labour in connection with the sending and additional missionary of Sabbath labour in connection with the sending and additional missionary of Sabbath labour in connection with the sending and additional missionary of Sabbath labour in connection with the sending and additional missionary of Sabbath labour in connection with the sending and additional missionary of Sabbath labour in connection with the sending and additional missionary of Sabbath labour in connection with the sending and additional missionary of Sabbath labour in connection with the sending and additional missionary of Sabbath labour in connection with the sending and additional missionary of Sabbath labour in connection with the sending and additional missionary of Sabbath labour in connection with the sending additional missionary of Sabbath labour in connection with the sending additional missionary of Sabbath labour in connection with the sendence additional missionary of Sabbath labour in connection with the sendence additional missionary of Sabbath labour in connection with the sendence additional missio

increase : should the other Districts be equal-borough, which it is known are rapidly filling up service in this Province has ceased. M ly prosperous we shall have an increase at with hardy and industrious settlers from almost nell deserves and will receive the thanks of the home this year we trust of fifteen thousand. We praise God and take courage. We be-lieve that the Wesleyan Ministers and peo-

lieve that the Wesleyan Ministers and peo-ble in this country were never more united Britain. Thus Methodism is true to its ancient of the Government. We are also glad to announce that the mails 383,158 than they are at the present time, and God policy of following the sound of the woodman's 175.971 is present purifying and multiplying the axe, in its efforts to benefit and evangelize the

population, wherever found, or wherever the 223 977 Churches. We have just passed through a general people push their conquests over the woods and election for members of Parliament, and al- forests of Canada. It has been found necessary 14 820 though the surface was somewhat ruffled for to reconstruct several circuits in the Western northern parts of the Province will be accommo-52.093 a short time, yet things are settling down Districts, with a view to greater efficiency or 35,967 much as before, and we do not forget to 25.230 pray that our rulers may receive from God I think the changes will prove beneficial and

armies of the continent of Europe are placing nada Conference on the Pacific and in the Hud

still the general opinion is that we ought to As to the Stations, there is but little progress be prepased for war, in order to secure and made in that part of our business. The President will next year take a circuit, and will likely be appointed to Toronto West. I am happy to

say that he is in good health, after a year of much travel and hard toil. If your present correspondent should for any cause be unable to give you early information of

cordially endorse his opinion One of the fac which leads to this spreement is this :- Mr. (

agus in his garden which broke ero (From a Special Correspondent.)

Saturday the 28th ult, and which being measure The Annual Meeting of the Weslevan Miniss ed on the 4th inst., (a period of one week) in Weymouth on the 18th ult., and we with most of our chief towns and cities, greatly (Annapolis), on the sixth inst. On t with most of our chief towns and cities, greatly expanded and improved. Most people are just now complaining of monetary scarcity and general depression, but I am happy to say that trees is fully and finely set, and little doubt the Conference will find open hearts and open remains but the fruit crop in this county will be he Conference will find open hearts and open homes, and a full share of Christian hospitality. The Stationing Committee, consisting of the given an impetus which no ordinary dr President, Co-Delegate, Superintendent of Mis- seriously affect. Potatoes, Wheat, Oats, Barley, ion, Secretary of Conference, Chairmen of &c., are doing admirably and every prospec-Districts, and one elected member from each exists of an unusually abundant harv approaching autumn.

District Meeting, is required now to meet at the seat of the Conference "at least three days" A sad accident occurred on the Eastern Rail-road, yesterday, three cars baving passed over before the general assembly. The President the both legs of a man employed on the line. called that Committee to meet here in the The poor fellow was brought down to the City vestry of the John Street Church on Friday, the for medical assistance. It is stated his tractured

The City Fathers have very properly decided members, 791 increase with 1,333 on trial, and four candidates for our Ministry. All tricts, where changes have been desired and the people of Halifax. Again we say, let those where the tricts are the second t subserve the interests of the cause of God. encouraging, the London District increase lings. Several changes have received the appro-agreement, viz. connect with New Brunswick,

and in every one of them there is a pleasing into the newly surveyed Townships of Peterfriends of the Sabbath, for his perseverance in bringing about this desirable reform, in spite of

for Halifax and intermediate places, are now despatched from St. John every evening, () this arrangement the Globe says :----

The English mails will come more regularly to St. John, the people residing in the eastern and dated several days in advance of the former time There is an arrangement by which the mails are 25.300 pray that our rulers may receive from God 57,624 the "wisdom which is profitable to direct." I think the changes will prove beneficial and the present is a most critical period. The present is a most critical period. The difference of the period of the call of the Hud be a means of giving the northern part of the Province their English correspondence at an early date as well as the people of this section pleased thus to notice that while his arrangements are such as to give increased facilities to the commercial emporium, other parts of the Prov-ince have not been neglected.

Of the expenses of this new arrangem

Globe says: The daily mail from St. John to Amherst costs £200 or thereabous more than the tri-weekly mail. According to the arrangement Emperor the mails to Digby and Annapolis twice a week, and the mails to Windso wice a week, cost the Province £500, in addition to which £25 is charged for lying over a tide. These £25 charges amount to a very large sum in the course of the year, and can now be dis-pensed with nearly altogether, at a saving of more than the £200 extra that the daily mail

Dr. Cahill on the War. As a sample of the views entertained, or rather will cost. Unless the English mail arrives to suit the Emperor's trip, it has now either to come by express or be detained in Nova Scotia for a Roman Catholic priesthood i two. The daily mail will

a view to economy of time, the following notice is appended: The Steamer leaves Shediac for the Island on He wished rather to call attention to the field which this Society was designated to cultivate. This Society holds to-day its first annual meeting. Its products at pres-ent are an enrolled list of membership, a Monday and Thursday afternoons after the arfew relics and one valuable address on the introduction of Methodism into Boston which is yet to be published as the first of a MATTHEW RICHEY. series, till the streams of our separate churches President. unite into the broad sea of a Christianised

t half-past seven. The Supernumerary Ministers' and Minister' Widows' Fund, on Saturday, June 18, at 9 a.m. The Book Committee on Monday, June 20,

THURSDAY, JUNE 16, 1859.

In consequence of the official relation which this

communications designed for this paper must be panied by the name of the writer in confidence.

Weslevan Conference of East-

ern British America.

We onot undertake to return rejected articles. We do not assume responsibility for the opinion

at 9 a.m. The Committee on Conference Property of the same day at 7 | p.m. The Board of Trustees of the Mount Allison cademy on Tuesday, June 21, at 9 a.m.

The Auxiliary Missionary Society Committ on the same day at 7k p.m. The standing orders in the Minutes respecting

consideration. Some alterations in the time of meeting some

of the above Committees having been made with

The Steamer leaves Pictou for the

It is earnestly hoped that all concerned

The Approaching Conference. Wesleyan Ministers are now on their way to

Prince Edward Island from every part of the territory designated in Methodist nomenclature, Eastern British America. It is somewhat diffi-

cult to realize that we have already reached the time for the fifth session of our affiliated Con-

ference. But so it is. This day will witness the gathering in Charlottetown of the delegates from the various Districts of the Connexion,

labours of the Stationing Committee. Satur- in winter, have soon disappeared? As Me-Few bereavements, however, have been day has been appropriated to the Committee of

ruthless hand of the stern visitor. Two daughters still remained—amiable, affec-upon Wesleyans the consideration of the claims upon Wesleyans the consideration of th tionate, intelligent,—respected and esteem-ed by their friends and acquaintances,—at as of those who do now labour among them in theme as of those who do now labour among them in the sector and the point and know-the point description of the claims and description of the point and know-the point description of the sector and the point and know-the point description of the sector and the point and know-the point description of the sector and the point and know-the point description of the sector and the sector and the point description of the sector and the point description of the sector and the point description of the sector and t -around them the work of the Lord. On Monday the Book gathered the proudest and most intense Steward will have an opportunity of exhibiting hopes and sympathies of parental love and affection. During a series of services held in the and soul invigorating literature. That progress, Valley chapel last winter, Brother Pearson took an active part. The earnestness with from the seat of Conference, to say, has been ters might at that time be converted to God, Conterence Property have been requested to rustic home, and while he pursues his civil- purpose of supplying the English and French which he spoke of his desire that his daugh- not only steady but rapid. The Committee on and the fervor with which he prayed that meet on the evening of the same day. On izing labours, the minister sows the seeds troops with the Bible. His Letters are most the Holy Spirit might influence their hearts, Tuesday, which appears to be the last day for and lead them to the Friend of sinners, will meetings of Preparatory Committees, two very long be remembered by those who were present at that time. Prayer was answer-ed, the Spirit of convincing and converting Academy will be engaged in the consideration power descended, contrite sinners came to of plans for carrying out in their fulness the the cross, believers interceded, angels re- designs of the founder of the noble Institution at Sackville, whose generous mind contemplated " Break the power of cancell'd sin, And set the sinner free." a wider and higher sphere of usefulness for Weslevan Education than it has yet been able to fill. Among those who presented themselves And who will deny that a consummation mos as penitential seekers of salvation were earnestly to be desired is the attainment by our educational authorities of those powers and the er to entrance, to impress and delight, which acquisition of those means, in regard to both pecuniary resource and professorial aid, which will was never surpassed by men. These pecu-Never shall we forget the deep feeling enable them to send forth into the world young men not only clothed with the honors, but tho. In the course of time, may be greatly modified, but still Methodism be pre-will be read with interest by many in manifested by their father on that occasion roughly enriched with the mental trophies, of a served. Some feelings are to mortals given With less of earth in them than heaven collegiate career. The approaching meeting of With less of earth in them than have. And if there be a human tear, From passion's dross r fined and clear; -A tear so limpid and so meek, It would not stain an angel's check, 'T's that which pious fathers shed Upon a duteous daughter's head." Board of Trustees will, we presume, disclose the should cease. Methodists from the beginopinions of some of our wisest man as to the practicability and prudence of entering at once upon the high functions we have indicated. Whe-During the short illness which preceeded ther they will persevere or whether they will the death of Annie, her suffering was ex- pause, we shall not now attempt to conjec. ture. One step we shall perhaps be parhistory. There is a noble field for this sopart of the time to render her insensible to doned it we say it seems almost imperative all around her. Shortly before her death to take. The age is one which demands ciety. ed with no vain gratulation, but with joyous she experienaed an alleviation of the intense the presence, in every Church of a ministry thanksgivings that our children may be pain, so that she could converse. She spoke thoroughly trained to defend, explain, and emphatically of her trust and confidence in exalt, in the face and to the discomfiture of God : and even triumphed in prospect of dis- the subtle foes of Christianity, the grand verities of the Gospel. Granted that to pass the ordeal enjoyed a "feast of fat things."

After prayer and singing another hymn, the Rev. L. R. Thayer made a few explanatory

RECEIPTS OF VARIOUS BENEVOLENT The receipts of the various benevolent ocieties, not connected with the Methodist Church, as reported during anniversary

\$397,759

its perfect history. The material is not yet gathered. A proper history of it would em-

brace a contemporaneous view of all the other branches of Christ's Church in this country and in England. But amid all

these separate yet blending powers, Methodism has a peculiar character. It is itself a a peculiar centre of growth, a positive entity,

calling for analysis and description. Me thodism, said the speaker, is young. Some of the questions that still await investigation

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joiced, and Jesus appeared to

Annie and Agnes, as Marys at the feet of Jesus, they choose the good part.

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tremely severe, so as during the greater solution, exclaiming of examination before a Wesleyan Conference,

and through Him lives, and ever shall live. those attainments must be made, under the pre- preached the doctrine of devils. This is a JOHN LATHERN.

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I. SUTCLIFFE. Charlottetown, May 30th.

TRUE PRAYER .- He who prays as he

" Joyfully, joyfully, onward I move. Bound to the land of bright spirits above." requires in the candidate for ministerial position Agnes, too, trusted in a living Redeemer, no slender attainments in theological lore, still

sent system, with great difficulty and in a des- magnificent Hall, accommodating some 3000 ultory way. Our hope is that the advantages persons. It was filled, some parts of it beof a Theological Institution may soon be offered ing crowded. The singing by some 200 to every Wesleyan youth who feels that the Holy children was admirable. Conference Appointments. Spirit has called him to the work of the ministry.

> which the Missionary Committee occupies as last upon the list, inasmuch as the end of all our ar-adapted to the occasion, and were listened arangements is the spread of scriptural boliness to most attentively by the large audience. through the world, and with this grand object the maintenance of missions is identical. This held its Anniversary in the evening, at the

The Preparatory Committees closing on Tues- Tho' young, having been in existence about day evening, the session of Conference will open two years, it has done much, but is destined on Wednesday morning. Let prayers ascend to do more, as the Church becomes more trom every Society, and from every family altar, interested in its object. The Secretary and from every heart, that on this assembly wisdom from on high may be copiously shed; that, the determinations of the legislative body of Me-Society. The Society has had 27 benefici-

world make in tensing then ther, and growing up at the

There is an obvious fitness in the position

the determinations of the new market of the same set in the set of the same set of the same set in the set of the same set of the same set in the set of the same set in the set of the same set in the set of the same set of the same set in the set of the same set of the same set in the set of the same set in the set of the same Our readers will of course be anxious to have Academy. Over \$1500 have been received as early and complete intelligence of the pro- the past year, and about \$700 is now in the

ceedings of Conference as can be furnished. It Treasury. The Society had just received a will be our solicitude to supply it. But our de- donation of about \$1000 from Mrs. Trafton, pendence must be upon the action of the Con. of Boston, which was not yet available ference itself, which we have every confidence The speakers were Rev. Mr. McKeown and will manifest its willingness to gratify the reason- Rev. Mr. Curtis, both of whom interested able inquisitiveness of the denomination by re- the audience by their able and appropriate questing one of its members to contribute intel- addresses. It was a season of great interest. ligence which will be so eagerly songht.

MUNIFICENT .- When General Williams vis-

o this poor , namely, that ... lat my time of

Union was held in the Music Hall, where

the notorious Theodore Parker formerly

were Rev B. K. Pearce, Rev. William R.

will not allow us to report the speeches, but

The New England Education Society

God to preach, to a suitable education.

aries; three have gone into the ministry;

The speakers

have existed in America. In the earliest and Letters of the Rev. C. N. Righter, D.D." Letter from Carbonear. history of our States, more potent than any by Rev. S. J. Prime. Mr. Righter was other of our modern engines of civilization, Agent of the American Bible Society in the is the omnipresent power of Christianity, Levant, and died in the discharge of his under date " Carbonear (Newfoundland) whose representatives are the pioneer itin- duties in that country. He was a remark- May 2, 1859. This esteemed minister has passed through deep waters of affliction, but

and hymn book, meeting the colonist in his fulness. He visited the Orimea for the Divine presence and blessing. The im-paired health of Mrs. Lockhart, and the has been enabled to rejoice in tokens of the deaths of two children and of a faithful ser- explosion. Since the year 1815, she has been of refinement in his heart. Another ques-tion presents itself—Is Methodism changing Sebastopol, Dec. 24, 1854," contains one of vant who accompanied the family from Nova encouraging the revolutionary spirit in Naples, Scotia-with the protracted illness of his in Rome, in Florence, and in all Italy. She has in its radical character? In answering this the most graphic descriptions of war ever question he noticed some of the character- written, and is worth twice the value of the surviving children have been severe trials of labored now nearly half a century, through her stics of the church. He also traced the book. It is a book of great interest, and no faith and patience. Mr. Lockhart thus re- ambassadors, her agents, her journals, her tour development of the different styles of preach. one can read it without being stirred to fers to the illness and death of his "darling ists, her writers, her preachers, her Biblicals, to ing, from the Apostles until the time of the greater efforts in the cause of Christ. It Wesleys and Whitefield, who threw away is a book for the times. and the centre of our fondest earthly hopes !" CECIL.

June 1, 1859. their manuscripts and trusted to their memories and to the Holy Spirit. There have been hundreds of Methodists who not only never wrote a sermon, but could not have written one, but still they were endowed with a pow-

Letter from England The following letter addressed to the Reverend Charles Churchill, and dated 17th of November he took a heavy cold, for irreligion ; and some of the most eminent states-

the removal of which the usual remedies men in France, Austria, Naples, have at once 11 Story Street, Hull, May 20th, 1859, this Province who hold in affectionate re-be well again. But in a few days fever set membrance the ministry of the Reverend in, and shortly after, ulcerated, sore throat, at some (stars day he involved in a few out) at some (stars day he involve

He entered bis protest against the demand of certain persons that this ditty singing should cease. Methodists from the begin-ning have been notorious for their simple, expressive, elequent song, and let it never be abandoned. He closed his elequent and stirring discourse by asserting the import-ance of a right appreciation of the value of bistory. There is a noble field for this son of certain persons that this ditty singing William Burt :-Let the records of the past be gather-Methodist family. It also frequently brings death, can fully realize. But oh ! how soon countries-namely, that a period of retribution is Methodist family. It also frequently brings death, can fully realize. But oh ! how soon countries—namely, that a period of retribution is street extension and the Breakwater present to did our joy give place to grief known only fast approaching when England will be punished the eye a "forest of masts" very much like the which I was familiar in early life. The list to a parent from whose fond embrace a child tor the persecution of her domestic laws, and for for it. After the concluding exercises, the of mortality, however, reminds me that a bas been suddenly torn by the relentless hand the malicious deceit of her foreign policy.lor it. After the concluding exercises, the great number of those with whom I was of death. About one o'clock in the day I Whether this policy shall ever be finally accomfamiliar have passed away to their eternal stepped out of his room, but returned again reward, and the circle will continue to narreward, and the circle will continue to nar-in less than seven minutes—but alas! to I introduced the popular vaticination to prove the The anniversary of the Sunday School

reward, and the circle will continue to nar-row, until I trust all shall meet again in a late to hear his last word, or receive his last look of recognition--a gasp or two, unac-The American part of the world is ex. companied by a single struggle, and his pre-

citing great attention at the present time, cious spirit was winging its way to Him who not only by the extent of its surface and during his sojourn upon the earth said, and countries. If she be drawn into a new Diocess to the Archiepiscopal See of Hahtax. the increase of its population, but also by "Suffer the little children to come unto me, quarrel in 1859 by the two powerful empires of The official documents were read from the pul-the amazing spread of scriptural Christiani. and forbid them not: for of such is the France and Russia, with all their auxiliary alli. ty, which seems to extend to the different kingdom of God." How much we have felt, ances, the old prophecy may soon be fulfilled." sections of the Christian Church, and espe- and still feel, the death of our dear children, Clark, and Rev. Wm. McDonald. Space sections of the Christian Church, and espe-the Lord alone knows. But He has merci-cially to the Wesleyan branch of it, both in suffice it to say, they were excellent-well the " United States " and the " Provinces," fully sustained us by his grace; many memtaking place. You have the hearty prayers greatly sympathized with us, and we have in the great revivals of religion which are bers of our church and congregation have of God's people in this country that the been greatly comforted by the prosperity of tracts in Pisa. The coming summer may de-work may still proceed, and that you may year it will be one theme of congratulation in the Conference that the mission to the Labrador has been fairly begun. From fairly begun. Hat work for whose interests we are separated the conference that the mission to the Labrador has been fairly begun. From fairly begun. From fairly begun. Hat work for whose interests we are separated the velope some favorable opportunities for Irish with the object of outpourings of the Holy Spirit of God. Construction of the from relatives and friends who will ever be liberties, when the military necessities of Eng-outpourings of the Holy Spirit of God. Construction of the from relatives and friends who will ever be liberties, when the military necessities of Eng-land may be compelled to relax her exclusive Our friends in Canada have also done well upon us like a flood in the month of De- persecution, and to grant to Ireland the just con £5 stg. No order to be issued for less than 1s, in entering upon the "British Columbian cember, began to be succeeded by showers Mission " at so early a period of that coun-of blessings in the month of January, which should break out, involving England in the follow:-25 cents for any sum under £2 stg., try's history. Many years since we used have continued to descend upon our church to promise the people, in our Missionary and congregations throughout the circuit, to speeches, that the time would come when the various Missionary Branches of our gracious out-pourings of the Holy Spirit are Church would come to the help of the Pa- most cheering. Once hardened sinners have rent society after its struggles and cares ; and repented and turned to God ; in some inhow delightfully is this the case at the pre-sent time in reference to Canada and Aus-those " compounds of beasts and devil," who

tending their Missious to the various parts health-consuming, life destroying and soulof the world, and we are bidding each other draining liquid, and from which too many are seen reeling .home to their heart-broken "God speed" in the name of the Lord.

country are looking abroad and receiving an bour in the prayer meeting has been sub-with joyfulness the good news from far coun-tries, that you the lovers of Old England, been much quickened and their numbers

Ireland, the following extract from a letter by and save the expenses of these expresses. Last Dr. Cahill in the Dublin Telegraph may be The Reverend C. Lockhart writes to us taken :--

year the expresses from Halitax and the extraspaid to the Emperor amounted to over £800, four times as much as the additional expense Whatever may be the result of the mighty of this daily mail. These expenses and extras will now be scarcely required; there will be a warlike preparations now being executed in the saving to the Province of £500 or £600; and Italian peninsula, the future historian will transthe business men will have daily communication with Halifax and intermediate places the whole.

year round.-Religious Intelligencer. The Railway to Hampton was formally opened vesterday. About 1500 persons took adv the low rate of charge, to visit that village. Trains left St. John and Hampton at 8, 12, 3

and 6 o'clock. A special train with the commissioners and a small number of passengers left at 5. A. M --Richard Edwin the eldest of our children, decry the constitutional policy, to lampoon the One of the cars of this train ran off the track religion, and to ridicule the Church authority but was after some delay righted. The time "For a month or two after we came here through every city and town and village and taken by the different trains was from  $1\frac{1}{2}$  to  $2\frac{1}{2}$ he appeared to enjoy his usual health, which bamlet in all Italy. Tens of thousands and hun station is about 26 miles. Not a little enthusiwas, upon the whole, good. But as the autumn advanced, an unfavourable change in his health became apparent. On the asm was displayed by the inhabitants of the lat-

We regret to hear that all operations on the St. Andrews Railroad, including the running of the removal of which the usual remedies men in France, Austria, Naples, have at once were used; and for a time he seemed a little better, and we thought he would soon be well again. But in a few days forme at present complications may not prove of a pernanent character, but may be speedily removed. -Col. Presbuterian.

> OUR HARBOR .- There are nearly one hundred equare rigged vessels now lying in this harbor, most of them being first class ships. Indeed, we never saw the harbor of St. John present such a commercial, business-like aspect. The new wharves at Reed's Point, also the Charlotte Liverpool Docks. There not being half wharves enough, a great many of these ships are anchored in the harbor, all the way down as far as the impediments standing in the way, as it were, at every turn - St. John News.

universal impression raised throughout Europe of On Sunday last the Catholics of St. John the political and religious perfidy practised by were sorry to hear the unwelcome news of the but also appointed him Administrator Apostolic The ambassadors and the agents of England of the Diocese of St. John .- St John Freeman. may very soon have something more to do than Canada.

ridiculing the Pope, belieing the King of Naples. STERLING MONEY ORDERS --- The Post preaching in Florence, and scattering infidel tracts in Pisa. The coming summer may de-the new system of sterling money orders on the order office in Great Britain and Ireland. orders may be drawn from the amount of 1s, to cessions of impartial laws. If a Continental war or more than £5 stg. The fees for orders are as quarrel; and if Ireland stand firm, united, and and 50 cents for any sum over £2 and under £5 stg. Thus, an order for £1 stg. would be made out in this way :— The pound, at the par of true to her national interests she may hope, by legal, peaceful, and strictly constitutional agita- Exchange (according to the printed instructions) tion, to wrest from the Parliament those measures is \$4.89-add 25 cents and we have \$5.14 for the order. £2 stg., at par \$9.78, at 25 cents, same as in last case, would be \$10 03, the rate being a little cheaper per cent. But for any raction over £2 stg., 50 cents are added for the order. The new system will be of great convenience to the public Post masters are to receive i per cent for their remuneration .-Montreal Gazette.

> The Montreal Gazette of June 3rd, says :--We regret to learn that the very high water in the river is impeding the work upon the remain-

parts of this broad continent of America, says ing piers of the Victoria Bridge. We fear that the Morning Journal, the intelligence is most this will delay the completion of the work until Rev. Mr. Curtis, both of whom interested the audience by their able and appropriate addresses. It was a season of great interest. The anniversary exercises of our Mis-isionary Society were held in the Hanover Street Church. The audience was large that be everyises interesting. The speakers interesting. The speakers interesting the every how the lovers of Old Linguand, are ever looking in this direction, and re-and attention to the Word of Life character-izes the major part of the members of our sionary Society were held in the Hanover Street Church. The audience was large that he everyises interesting. The speakers interest took place, but there was the strength mising appearance. The season is at least a ther reformed. fortnight earlier than that of the previous year. The PILOT'S GEOGRAPHY OF BRITISH

AMERICA.— The Cornwall Freeholder is quiz-zing our evening contemporary about making the Halifaz (Nova Scotis) elections take place

THE SEASON AND THE CROPS .- From all

We are fully aware that while we in this wives and starving and freezing children-



of justice so long withheld from this long oppress

## Colonial.

