## Ladies' Department.

[FOR THE PROVINCIAL WESLEYAN.]

Random Thoughts. My thoughts are far away to night.

Mid sienes of other days. As on the burning fire-coals With vacant eye, I gaze-And think on the bright happy group,

In other days have clustered here, Without a thought of gloom, A happy band of youthful friends Bound by affection's chain :-

But all within this dear old room, For Time in his unceasing round,

Hath made sad bavoc here,

And for the memory of some,

We wipe the falling tear.

The eldest born, -the darling child,-The father's joy, and pride,-Sleeps neath the ocean tide.

And she, who watch'd my infancy, And sooth'd my childish grief, And for my ev'ry little woe, Would kindly bring relief;

She too is gone, forever gone, And in a distant land. Sleeps now her last deep, quiet sleep, Amid a stranger band

With him, who was her chosen love, The idol of her heart. From whom no earthly human power, Not even Death, could part.

While here amid her childhood's triends, Whose love will never roam. Among the scenes of infancy. Her orphan finds a home.

And he the father of them all, He too, hath sunk to rest. And with the saints of other days, He's now forever blest.

Yet in his place there hath been rais'd, A child indeed of grace, Who in all things hath ever tried To fill his parent's place.

To soothe the dving sinner's hours, When naught can give relief, To point him to a Saviour slain, and strive to calm his grief.

To pour into the wounded hearts, Of weeping mourners here, The only balm of heav'nly peace,-And wipe away the tear.

To preach the gospel of the Lord,-And warn in time, the sinner now, To flee the coming wrath.

And oh, when death shall come, Will he not in his Saviour's arms, Then find a peaceful home

And thus, how kingly hath our God, Plac'd with a smile, a tear, He chasten'd them with fear.

And taught us to look unto Him,-To wean our hearts from earth, And leve him in our hours of grief As well as those of mirth.

And while we mourn the dearly lov'd. We know they are at home, In that bright world, above, where tears, Or sorrow never come.

And we think too, of those who still Remain with us below, And quaff the cup of happiness, Unmingled yet, with woe.

And there is one, the last of all. " The Baby" vet we name, Though to the age of manhood grown. We call him still the same.

And strange it seem'd when we were told, That by his fireside To share his ev'ry joy or woe. He'd placed a happy bride,

And we would pray in coming years, His life may happy prove, And unto him be ever spared The objects of his love.

Baltimore, Md., U. S.

## Doctors' Trials.

" Doctor, you will certainly call." "Yes, in an hour at least-depend upon me. I'll just get a mouthful of supper have hardly been able to take a meal to-

the rain, and hurries in to hear a string purpose very well for a girdle to bind the ese interesting cases consume anoever such a pull at the door bell before? Sent for again. An old lady is taken ty the malediction of heaven, and result in their suddenly ill, and will be come without fur- final overthrow.

coaxingly upon his arm.

His wife returns to the cheerless supperroom, sits down and sighs, as she rocks the drowsy babe in the cradle. She thinks how His cognizance of the official acts of the "powers been at work in China, and will be prepared to seldom he is with her-how few of her dar- that be." ling plans she can unfold, or how little of That individuals regardless of every considerhis sympathy receive; for ductor is always ation but of that which tends to their own selfin such a hurry. How little she dreamed aggrandizement, and who climb to the dizzy of this in the rosy days of courtship. Now, height of power only by the use of means conthere stands opposite his empty chair-at its fessedly culpable, may succeed and prosper for edge his slippers, with nothing in them -and a season, by no means militates against the over the back hangs his dressing gown-but principles previously avowed, and, we think, no man'y chest swells full and broad under fully established; for the end is not yet. Even its crimson lining-and no heart's voice individuals of this class have not infrequently

Well-dear, dear, it's very lonesome-the gilt clock on the maniel strikes seven, eight, pride of place and the pomp of circumstance, sired, so sleepy he is, that he cannot see rity. We, however, are far from asserting, that ungentle "hush !" because the baby starts individual of the merciless race of despots; and cries. So he retires, to be waked up some, for reasons unrevealed to us, may be an an hour, hurried off to the suburbs, and wisely permitted to escape to receive their just

laughs off her little nervous fears.

" As for us, we'll never hear the Dr. slandered."

Oh no! for gentle memories Awake when he is named, And for the sake of kindness past, We'll never hear him blamed. And of the cheering tone, That left a spell of healing Even when he was gone.

We mind us of the midnight call, So cheerfully obeyed, Unto the suffering ones of earth Affording kindly aid-We mind us of the thoughtful care. The soothing word and smile. That sought in sad and weary hours Our suffering to beguile.

We think of this, and with the thought

A blessing and a prayer All silently, known but to One Follow him everywhere. A blessed mission is his own. On which the angels smile, Seeking like One, the lowly One To do good all the while. Oh! may the Great Physician. Look kindly on His own,

Succeed each friendly effort And bless his hearth and home May those he loves be near to God. To him, and them be given, The sweet reward for all who lay Their treasure up in Heaven Halifax, Octr. 31, 1853.

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Thoughts on the Present State of the World.

who had redeemed them by His precious blood; faith as themselves, as their "brethren." when nations have run a course so thoroughly iniquitous, abasing and punishing virtue, sancis studded with monuments of divine wrath, exny to the reality of the Lord's " controversy with the nations"; some of whom, on account of their alone remaining to tell that they once were, and others of whom he ravaged with famine and pestilence, and cut off their inhabitants in multitudes by the sword. Thus incontrovertible historic facts may be cited in proof of an overruling Providence, which, either by the destruction, the depopulation, or the wasting of nations, has been teaching the dwellers on earth, that even nations may justly infer, that national recognition of the one true God, and of His authority and truth, as office; they have been waiting for you all well as the essential principles of justice and mercy, is necessary to national continuance and

The present is separated from the past only by "Doctor, you'll just take a mouthful of the finest line. The principles of the moral gov-

ent number are overthrown to induce those,

cabalistic words—say "good morning," and tion, that the former exist as such, that is, in occasion of China's exigency, which may become looked about me, and believe I was the only enquises respecting the state of her mind in tians the names ond varieties are very great. ise. So there are their capacity as nations or governments, only Britain's golden opportunity." jump again into his chaise. So there are their capacity as nations or governments, only in this world, and, if they sin in the manner those who dread the doctor, and those who is an orwin your thoughts away from "dark disease" assigned—they have no existence as nations in by cheerful converse, and happy shrewdness, a future. On the other hand, individuals are

we'll never hear the doctor slandered .- Olive with the principles of inflexible rectitude, and with the known principles of God's moral policy or expediency might dictate,

(To be continued.)

Origin of the Christian Element in the Chinese Insurrection— Duty of Christians. (Concluded.)

The practical point to which we wish to direct the attention of our readers on this subject | sideration. relates to the probable influence or bearing o the movement on the Missionary cause, and what is the duty of Missionaries and the friends of St. Andrews' Bazaar and Robins Missions in reference thereto. But here caution is necessary. A Missionary in China, at the very fountain-head of information, has recently reopinion on the whole case, which coming events may soon place in a very different light. But looking at its present aspect, there appears to be cause for both fear and hope. There is enough to awaken apprehension, whether the insurrection is considered as likely to succeed or other-There is a method in which God not unfrequently does interfere with nations, and that in accordance with the established principles of his then attempt to close the door against Missionary wise. Should it fail in attaining its object, and moral government. When they have pursued a enterprise, on the plea of its being dangerous to long career of wickedness, their public and official acts having been in open violation of divine their end and overthrow the present dynasty, commands; when cruelty and injustice and the establishment of such a mixed and imperfect grievous wrong have marked executive administration; when they have oppresed the poor and prove seriously detrimental to the cause of pure crushed the needy, and caused truth to fall in Christianity. But if there is cause for apprehe the street; when unrighteous exaction has been sion, there appears to be also ground for the hope the rule of procedure, so that the rich have been that, whatever be the errors or excesses to be despoiled of treasure which has come down to deplored, the cause of Christ may be ultimately them by legal inheritance, or has been ac promoted by a movement, in which tens of thouwrongs inflicted on property, the rights of con- a great extent, the national idolatry; to possess a reserve was at hand in ease of necessity. science have been ruthlessly invaded, and im- considerable amount of Gospel truth; who obmission to decrees which interposed between and moral strictness as has been hitherto untheir souls and God, -but who chose a martyr's known in a Chinese camp; and who have so redoom with a martyr's crown, rather than the markably thrown off their arrogant national ex- Rd. King, Esq., and others of the St. Andrews

While, however, we express ourselves with diffidence on the character and tendencies of the tioning and rewarding vice, the SUPREME movement, we can adopt a more decided tone on RULER has interposed in such instances in times | the subject of Christian duty. That it behoves past, and, by certain definite agencies, -some of the friends of Missions to watch the progress of to St. Andrews, at reduced fares, for our advanwhich he has provoked into operation, or the use cannot doubt; seeing that it is the duty of the Nequapet of Eastport, and the James Porter of which he has not restrained,—has visited them followers of Christ unceasingly to pray, "Thy of Calais, between this and those places. with national judgments and condign punishment. kingdom come," and to mark the "signs of the The history of the ante and post diluvian worlds times" indicative of its approach. The developement of a scene is rapidly taking place in ecuted on peoples and nations which, in their China unparalleled in modern history. A movepride and profanity, had cast off the authority ment is in swift progress, which threatens to and the fear of God. The records of the Old shake to its foundation, and invest with a new safety. Few of our visitors by the St. John boat Testament bear painful but convincing testimo character, a nation which has subsisted from rethe nations"; some of whom, on account of their wickedness, he uttertly overthrew, their names has hitherto shut itself up in its own mysterious on the ride at an expense of drenching. The Savigur's universal dominion over a holy and a to some other solitude, where they can grow that the Jews can make to it, is to the gle, invested as it is with some of the characteristics of true sublimity, it would be criminal in the friends of Missions to treat with coldness and in-propitious opportunity of sale. difference. Theirs is manifestly the duty of ferever with impunity. From these premises, we vent and persevering prayer that the great Head earlier times by which His cause has been promoted, may, in this instance also, so direct the course of events in China, as to educe the good. and overrule the evil, to the furtherance of His to national prosperity on a firm and permanent truth. In social prayer, and in the closet, China his wet coat, for he has been riding through basis; and likewise that, the want of such recognow especially claims to be remembered; and tion, the existence and practical operation of a all who love the Lord Jesus Christ appear to be symptoms that would have answered Puck's policy which excludes christian principle and providentially called upon earnestly to pray, that pensistently seeks to attain its ends by fraud, injustice, tyranny, oppression and persecution, will may prove but the preparation for the establish

sooner or later bring down on nations thus guil- ment of His own gracious kingdom. But prayer alone will not suffice. If God, answer to prayer, should throw open China in its length and breadth to Missionary effort,-should supper," pleads the wife, laying her hand ernment of the Supreme Sovereign, like himment—what then? Ought not the church to self, are immutable. Those principles must of be in readiness to co-operate with her great self, are immutable. Inose principles of in reasonable to nations at the present Head? Worse than vain will it be for the friends may be I'll be able to sip a little about ten day, and whether the generality of persons are of Missions to pray for this result, if they do not o'clock if I'm not called away before"—and disposed or not to recognize their operation, the gird themselves for the service which this result thoughful mind cannot shut out God from the will demand. Agencies of evil will be ready for government of the world He has made, nor deny mischief. Popery is on the alert. It has long pour in its emissaries in numbers sufficient to mprove any opportunity which may occur; and ready to put forth their energies on a scale com-

nensurate with the emergency which may arise Some additional Missionaries are already being sent to China, and appeals are made for more.-We cannot refrain from referring especially one. The Bishop of Victoria, (Hong-Kong,) been suddenly overtaken by calamity and re- in his recently-published letter to the Archoisbo verse of fortune, and been hurled from their of Canterbury, pleading for more Missionarie says :- " I offer them the facilities of St. Paul's gilt clock on the mantel strikes seven, eight, pride of place and their sceptre of usurped power shivered into College for their first reception and preparation anine, ten—there! the doctor's carriage at their sceptre of dashyrecked and ruined, their they might soon go northward. I would myself last. How pale he looks—a cup of tea re-evives hern; he sits down to that, but so memories consigned to the executions of poste-evives hern; he sits down to that, but so whither I am not willing to accompany and lead tired, so sleepy he is, that he cannot see rity. We, nowever, are lat from whither I am not willing to accompany and lead the cears on his wife's lashes, nor forbear an retributive justice seizes in this world on every them. We are ready to break asunder family and domestic ties. We, who have wives and children, are willing to be as those who have not. kept till daylight, before he can return and punishment in another world; whilst a sufficiand arrange our plans. But we must have men This is only one tithe of the labor endured who will, to recognize the interference of a here at once, and without delay, to study the

plenty of pleasure, just to pop into some the distinction we make between nations and individual men, will appear from the consideration to be church at home, on this and at the lower end was the preacher's stand. I waiting until her change should come. To some Turk predominate. Of the popminate Chris-

know not his worth. But let sickness come previously indicated, they must receive punishknow not his worth. But let sickness come previously indicated, they must receive punishnament to the Church to which he belongs, may sible for the conduct of all who belonged to his great composure, and requested to be buried bethe conduct of all who belonged to his great composure, and requested to be buried bethe conduct of all who belonged to his great composure, and requested to be buried bethe conduct of all who belonged to his great composure, and requested to be buried be--see then how you covet that quick tread, ment in that capacity, if it be right and just not be too sanguine as to the result of the present tent,—that there was a Committee of Order, side her brother. A few hours before her death their places of public worship. The American are Regular and Partition and the result of the present tent,—that there was a Committee of Order, side her brother. and look for hope in the eyes that scan your symptoms. And if your medical adviser be symptoms. And if your medical adviser be receive it in this world. for the reason before of zeal and self-sacrifice, which it breathes, so during the whole period of the Camp Meeting; ry! glory!" she added, "you do not know how influence and that of his interesting family worthy of imitation by Missionaries of every —that the bell was rung in the morning at six——near to heaven I have been," and thus, with are in every respect valuable in the place. believe us you will ever after prize his friend- to appear before another tribunal, in another believe us you will ever after prize his friend- to appear before another tribunal, in another evangelical Society; and also, on account of the at noon—and at five o'clock in the afternoon, to heaven full in view, she passed away from earth, and highly creditable to our country, I have ship as one of the few good gifts of life, and state, where the wrongs committed in this life practical suggestion which it contains, that consiship as one of the few good gifts of life, and state, where the wrongs committed in this life present to appreciate the value of the services will receive their full complement of punishlearn to appreciate the value of the services will receive their full complement of punishlearn to appreciate the value of the services. In the intervals of which will be the first time I shall have had that wear out the hardiest frames, and shortment, and where the majesty of violated law learn the language before they can enter with public service and meals, there were Prayer rents and family, as this is the second bereavethe pleasure to meet and hold public worship ens the lives of those who spend all their will assert its claims to adequate vindication. Whilst Meetings, Inquiry Meetings, &c. The males and ment they have been called to mourn within the with fellow Christians of my own country time for the benefit of others. As for us, That the punishment of national sins accords other bodies are thus preparing for increasing females sat at the public meetings in the old Me last few months. During the past summer, very since the Sabbath I spent at Civita Vecchia, exertion, the question for our own consideration is, Whether we, as a Society, can be blameless if was commenced until every person was seated them in the prime of life. I hope that these discertablishment here that is well endowed. government, we suppose none would deny, except those who presumptuously imagine, that Deity has retired within himself in the highest heaven and abandoned the earth and all its where the company of the affairs to the management of men, whose supreme rule of action might possibly be, to do right or wrong, to fine or imprison, to confiscate has made such a favourable beginning. What property or punish with death, to speak the proportion, however, does a Mission on so small ruth or deceive by lies, to defend or oppress the a scale bear to that share of the work to be done never witnessed greater decorum in the most deweak, to cultivate peace or devastate by unpro- in China, so far as the field there is already open, corous assemblies to which I have ministered at voked war, to acknowledge the sovereign laws which may be considered as fairly devolving upof God or deny his authority, to uphold and on our own Society? It is evident that we wards of forty years. maintain the christian religion as the perfection ought to be making preparations for greater efof divine dispensations to mankind, or to repuforts; but the Committee are not able to do this.

have not heard the precise number who profess
tended that imposture. Not only in America converts and others unacquainted with our diate it and foster and encourage idolatry or an The support of the existing Missions of the Soci- to have obtained religious benefit at the meetanti-christian ecclesiastical polity, as worldly ety, more than absorbs its annual income. Furing; but I think there were more than thirty. ther debt council be contracted for the extension I think that conducted with the known pruof the work. It remains then for the friends and dence and piety of my brethren in these districts supporters of the Society, to determine whether | Camp Meetings might be advantageously grafted the Society's income should be so augmented as on the stock of our provincial usages to enable the Committee to meet the present call. We place before them the case of China, together with the claims of our Missions; and, with the utmost earnestness, we commend the whole to their most thoughtful and prayerful con-

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Town Camp Meeting.

DEAR BROTHER,-Our Bazaar "came off" marked-" The whole movement comes before on 18th and 19th of August, and you would have strongly approve, or decidedly condemn, we the refreshment tables has been so very ill as to must know more;" and we feel it especially in- be rendered incapable of attending to business; cumbent upon us, at our distance from the thea- and since the rendering of his account, I have tre of action, to wait until we "know more," be- been confined to my room. However, this I fore we give utterance to any very confident have ascertained—that we shall clear full £100. Perhaps it will not be unacceptable to your

erected on the west side of this lot, booths and tables extending 130 feet—others employed themselves in erecting fresh spruce bushes on the other three sides of the square, and ornamenting the booths and ground, so that the effect was I my brother's keeper?" Mr. HARRINGTON I and the square and tersely delivered address spoke of the beauties of the gospel and its joyous effects upon the heathen mind. Mr. McKinnon laid out the broad foundation of right action, "Am I my brother's keeper?" Mr. HARRINGTON I my brother's keeper?" Mr.

more than one half, as they had to have recourse

prisonment or death has been visited on subjects serve the Sabbath; regularly celebrate Christian ble to the parties who got it up and elicited in and on strangers, who would not yield blind sub- worship; have established such a system of order all quarters expressions of admiration and plea-

> trips on the road so far as the rails were laid down. the proceeds of which were to be appropriated to our fund: the Messrs. Hatheway and Small, Steamboat Proprietors, put a boat on from Fredericton to St. John, and another from St. John

The 18th opened with projecting shadows om noon our Merchandize, &c., were compelled to be removed amid no small danger, the rain descending in torrents, to a place of comparative mankind. And all this is not the effect of a fo- our friends commenced business again about 2 reign invasion. The movement is strictly nation o'clock. Attendance was good, and sales regular al. Chinese : and, strangely enough, exhibits an till evening, when the services of James Boyd. impress of Christianity. This momentous strug- Esq., M. P. P., were gratuitously and efficiently rendered as Auctioneer. Some of the more valuable articles are still on hand awaiting a more

To the Lady at Halifax-to the Lady at St. the two at Woodstock; and to those at Bridgetown, who have so kindly assisted us, we offer our animated discussion. sincere acknowledgements-their favours were very acceptable.

The week following that on which we held our Bazaar, our American brethren held a Camp Meeting at Robins town. Notwithstanding the wee-bit" of feeling generated by what we know of human nature, and strengthened by reports of "Travellers in America." I went over so soon as I could conveniently get away. I shall not make you father confessor to all that I felt on my little journey to the Camp ground,-suffice it to say, I went under the influence of feelings which were the result, in some good measure, of perceptions and convictions of my moral being, responsibiliwent. I have lived long enough to know that at be found who, too idle to work for an honest livelibood, would, nevertheless, slave in the drains of vice, and exult in fun and frolic, though occasioning incalculable mischief, I, therefore, was on not a person was to be seen but the gentleman who was my guide. Crossing an extensive field, my eve was caught by another board lettered. from the forenoon service-thoughtfulness was

Ground, and, after a searching scrutiny, if rendered keen by any fears, yet controlled by the fear of God and an honourable regard for my brethren, I must and do ingeniously say that I

I am, my dear brother, your's,

St. Andrew, N. B., October 24, 1853. [POR THE PROVINCIAL WESLETAN ]

Sydney Circuit Missionary Meetings.

REV. AND DEAR SIR,-This Circuit has re ently been gladdened by a visit from our be-

Missionary spirit was strong on the platform ago, it is now acknowledged and defended. whence it spread and freely circulated among past, and, by certain definite agencies,—some of the friends of alissions to ward the progress of the which, he warm hearts below, and before separation present year of some thousand recruits, enlisted despair. our friends in that smoky region, by their spontaneous liberality, gave palpable evidence that lation in England, and it is considered probable real still continues. It is wonderful to see love to a perishing world flamed brightly on that their region, Utah, will become a sovereign the extent and power of it. One of the inous of its subsequent characters. Shortly after their hearts altars. The contributions here also State, with a constitution. But we apprehend most affecting sights I have witnessed dur-

were said to exceed last year's amount. one-third of the entire human family; and which a train for us, but few individuals would venture dawn when returning angels shall proclaim the influences associated with that power, or fly ter its precincts. The nearest approach enclosure, refusing intercourse with the rest of 19th was finer, and after much labor at refitting, happy world! With such a prospective, who unmolested, remains to be seen. When they and massive stones of the wall which Solodoes not joyfully say :-

" Haste happy day! Mine eyes so long to see,

When every son of Adam shall be free." I am happy to say that the Provincial Wes- agency of popular sentiment. They dwelt leyan is a very popular journal hereabouts, and alone, and meant for ever to maintain their the base of the rock on its four sides, and ou is working its way in all directions. It is a solitary reign; but their insulation was suddenwelcome guest to many a fireside, where the re- ly disturbed by great events, and life on this spective merits and literary rank of "Oria." Bessie Beranger." "Lillie Lee." "Edith men to entrench themselves in impenetrable Stephens—to the two Ladies at Fredericton, and Earle," "Flora Neale," "Reanoke," "Marion." &c. are not unfrequently the subject of tion of California, and the discovery of gold read their Scriptures in the Hebrew, and

A. McL. DESBRISAY. Sydney, C. B., Oct. 21, 1853.

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Obituary Notice.

DEAR SIR,-We have just returned after performing the last sad rite over the remains of NANCY JONES, of the Parish of Greenwich. County of Kings, who died on the 17th instant, in the twenty-second year of her age.

that consumption had marked her for its victim. From the first of her illness she seemed to be imties and mercies. I thank the good Lord that I pressed with the idea that her sickness would be unto death. This led her to think very seriously all extraordinary assemblages, individuals would upon her state as a sinner before God, and it has seldom been my lot to witness more evident sin- of letters from the Old World, to his friends cerity, and willingness to be taught those things in Detroit. The last we have seen says that concerned her soul's salvation. It was in- a contemporary, was written at Jerusalem. deed very interesting, as well as deeply affecting, We make from it the following extracts:the look out. It was Tuesday, at noon. I tra- to see her so earnestly engaged for her soul, velled about two miles, when my attention was while her pale cheek and sunken eye plainly inarrested by a board lettered "To THE CAMP dicated that her and was approaching. Her fer-GROUND," and, although in an open country, dicated that her and was approaching. Her lernot resist the desire, amid the employments
of each day, which have been sometimes her cries, -she was enabled to say, " having waited patiently for the Lord, He heard my cry, and delivered me from all my fears." Having ex- cified." "LEAVE YOUR CARRIAGES HERE." Two or pressed a desire to partake of the emblems of "I have walked about Zion, and gone three quiet lads were with some carriages there. Christ's broken body and shed blood, the Rev. round about her, so that I can tell the bend him, and burry him off to Pisa, and to dis-Leaving our vehicle, we entered the forest by Mr. KNIGHT being here, attending to his duty as towers thereof. I have marked well her what was very like an old wood road, and short- Superintendent of the Circuit, we made arrange- bulwarks and considered her palaces," that tice of this design, Dr. Newton, the English En ly met with small groups of persons retiring ments for having service in her father's house.— I may be able to relate the proofs of the indicated in the demeanour of all. In a quarter plicable to the occasion, and while he showed the Lord covered the daughter of Zion with he might send for the English preacher, and keep of a mile or less I came upon the Camp ground. progress of the work of God in the soul, as rethere was an area of some sixty or eighty feet presented in the parable of the seed which was square—the larger trees having been thinned out, the field, a deep seriousness rested upon the younger ones were left, here and there, by all present: but, as we bowed together at the the younger ones were left, here and there, by the rich foliage of their tops, to serve as an effectable of the Lord, many felt it good to be there; word that He had commanded in the days tual shade from the sun, while their tall, slender and if the redeemed in heaven have any know of old; he hath thrown down and hath not derland, then principal Secretary of State for stocks presented no inconvenience to the congre- ledge of earth's transactions, I have no doubt pitied!" gation. In this area were seats, separated by an there lingered over that company the spirit of isle of some four feet width, in which, at the one who had but recently passed through similar [ts population does not exceed twenty-two

thodist fashion, i. e. apart, and no public service many have been called away by death, most of The English church hold a missionary

WILLIAM TWEEDY. Long Reach, N. B., Oct. 20, 1853.

The Mormons at Home.

Book of Mormon," he could not have antici- were employed as the bread and wine was are the adherents of his doctrine increasing in language. The place of worship cost some numbers, but they are also becoming numerous £70,000 sterling. Schools for the instructhey have lately received an accession of strength others are established. A college is about to in several persons of middle-class station. An be organized, the buildings for which are in extensive departure of Mormon perverts took a state of preparation. place, a short time ago, for "the Salt Lake," The institutions of the establishment which is now the head quarters of fanaticism, comprise also a house of industry for the and many more, we hear, will leave their native reception of such Jews as may be cast out

land next spring for their fancied elysium .- by their parents and kindred for becoming Miracles, it is said, are now being performed Christians. Its object is to put them in a by the elders of the sect, all of which are faith- way of sustaining themselves by their own fully believed by their dupes; but as this is labor, and its aid is very opportune. For dangerous work, and detection not very diffi- the renunciation of Judaism and the embraccult, it will probably cease. The delights of ing of Christianity are here to be treated as polygamy, for the present, suffice to constitute unpardonable offences, and provoke the

Taking advantage of such a force of assistance, the doctrines which were afterwards declared by Jews, although the fruits as yet have been in a mixed character: before we either beard earlier about it but that our "Caterer" for we held our Annual Missionary Meetings during him to have been found engraved upon golden quite limited. The light, however, shines their stay, and I think no exaggeration is involplates at a spot to which he was directed by the on Mount Zion, now the site of that church, ved in saying that meetings of this nature, more miraculous visitation of an angel. The widow interesting and profitable have never taken of the poor deceased author of the romance queathed somewhere near \$400,000 toward on the evening of Sabbath, September the obtained too many followers and bit is a long to support of that mission. The Prussian obtained too many followers, and his influence Government also united with the English 18th, the Chairman preached a Missionary ser- had become too great for one poor woman's and contributed to its support. These mon before a large and attentive congregation, voice to be heard to his discredit; and so his contributions, as well as the fact that the readers to be put in possession of some particulars respecting our effort. We were favoured on the occasion with the gratuitous use of a lot of land, some 80 by 140 feet, in a very eligible D. B. McQueen, Esq., M.P.P., who effectively precisely the same result it has had in other position. Some of our friends also gratuitously discharged the duties of that office. At the cases—that of advancing the fortunes of what it from Jerusalem to Beyrout. close of the Secretary's report, Mr. J. McKAY was intended to destroy. Joe Smith was himtables extending 130 feet—others employed in a neat and tersely delivered address spoke of self killed in a riot which his persecutors got up friends of the Jews which commenced with concisely showed the already won triumphs of Ocean, they are erecting a spiritual despotism the cross and pointed to future conquests. Dr. which has already alarmed the American Gov-Seventy feet in length of the tables were ap- Evans treated largely upon the great evangelis- ernment, which they have the courage to beard, propriated to the exhibition of the Ladies' useful tic machinery—its resources and necessary ex- and at present their will is respected. They and ornamental work; but were not sufficient by penditure, gave some startling facts relative to send a delegate to Congress, who may particithe vast number of souls yet mantled by "gross pate in debate without the right to vote. The to lines on which to suspend the larger portion darkness" on the "coral strand" of India — President appoints their principal officers of their goods. Sixty feet of table was occupied within the lately fallen walls of Chiffa—riveting Governor, judges, marshals, postmasters, &c. duction and cultivation of the sweet potato, them by legal inheritance, or has been accumulated by personal toil; when, in addition to cumulated by personal toil; when, in addition to sands of Chinese are seen to have renounced, to by refreshments of the best quality, and a good by a rehearsal of reminiscences of Missionary to law to the law and constitution of the audience by a rehearsal of reminiscences of Missionary to law to the law and constitution of the sweet points, such as the law and constitution of the sweet points. life among the red men of Canada. It was a serious conflicts have already arisen between and their funds having passed out of their matter of regret that the lateness of the hour the Mormons and the Federal officers. The own hands and controll, they are awaiting prevented Brother Starr from addressing the laws and the authority of the Republic have in Jerusalem the counsel and instruction of assembly. The monetary results of the Meet- been openly set at defiance, and its agents the friends of the Jews, who benevolently ing were highly gratifying showing an advance driven from their posts; while the President contributed to aid them in the experiment yielded so far for the time as to recall his offi- they proposed to make for the benefit of Is-The next day, a delightful drive over a fine cial delegates, and intrusted Mormons with the racl. infidel alternative,—life with a denial of Him clusiveness, as to welcome foreigners, of the same and Quebec Railroad Contractors, two or three road beautified with interesting scenery brought execution of those laws which they had defied. us to "the Mines," and the Meeting here al- This is the present posture of affairs. The and I fear may operate unfavourably to the though second in order was by no means second chief attractive feature of the Mormon doctrine cause of such efforts for the benefit of the in interest or effect to the former. We had is the plurality of wives, once, we believe, disa- Jewish people. "The time to favour Zion, great pleasure in seeing our friend Mr. ARM- vowed; but we perceive by a report before us even the set time," does not seem to have

> continent is everywhere too active to permit solitudes. The war with Mexico, the acquisiat present full of confidence and resolution. reading parts of their liturgy in Hebrew. The brotherhood are too much pleased with the

> > Jerusalem.

Although I forwarded, on my arrival here last Saturday, two communications, one from very wearying to the flesh, to add another from this city, "where our Lord was cru-

The subject of his discourse was peculiarly ap- faithfulness and wrath of God. "How hath Court, but could not obtain no answer than that

Jerusalem that now is, is but a small town, diately returned the following directions:-

England, for the benefit of the English population, for the benefit of Prussians in the German language, and for the beneat of the Jews the prayers translated into Hebrew are read daily shortly after service. I witnessed the celebration and participated there in the Lord's Supper last Sabbath, When Joe Smith, the printer, invented the The Arabic, German and English languages this country; and in South Wales, it is said, tion of the children of Jewish parents and

the attractions of Mormonism.

Joe Smith found a deserted manuscript rowealth of the mission gives ascendant influmost bitter and unrelenting batred. The loved Chairman, the Rev. Dr. Evans, accom-panied by Rev. Messrs. Starr and McKinnon. mance in his employer's printing-office, which he appropriated to himself, and therefrom drew Episcopal church for the conversion of the

Not long since, a lady of England be-Jerusalem, justified, if they did not induce, the retirement of our American missionaries

culties and disappointment. however, has not been wholly abortive .-bours of Dr. Barclay, also, are making an impression. They succeeded in the intro-TRONG in the chair. The genuine Methodistic of a Conference held in their city a short time yet arrived. Whatever has been accomalished is but "the day of small things," The Mormons expect the arrival during the which, however, we are admonished not to

that those persons who think Mormonism will ing my travels was encountered yesterday tamely yield up its peculiarities for the sake of P. M. I repaired to the appointed spot to mined advancement characterize all the movements of evangelism, during this and other sucpointed. Fanaticism and imposture are made shake to its foundation, and invest with a new character, a nation which has subsisted from remotest antiquity; which embraces in its bosom motest antiquity in attendence, personally to run motest antiquity settled where they are, "they regarded their mon built from the bottom of the narrow position as safe from all intrusion, and one valley or ravine, called the Tyropson, for which would shield them from the ameliorating the purpose of sustaining and forming the terrace or arches, which were built out from which the temple on Mount Moriah was

originally constructed. I saw thirty-five Jews, standing or seates near these stones, all of them bowing, and restlessly swinging to and fro, while they there, flashed an intolerable light over their some weening bitterly as they uttered their obscurity, and dragged them forth from their wail of distress. One man sobbed as if his entrenchments into public view. A great State heart was ready to break, while he stood rose behind their western border; the tide of reading and trembling with emotion in his emigration towards the Pacific began to sweep whole frame. Women with white scarfs through their secluded region, and now a corps of engineers from Washington are laying the along the wall; some kissed the stones with central route of the Pacific Railroad through their lips, others laid their hands on them their valley." Here is an element of change and then kissed their hands, whilst most which we shall see how they meet. They are sat in a squatted or Turk-like position ventured, with a courteous salutation, to system of polygamy to abandon it to please the look upon the page from which an aged About a year since, it became but too evident hat consumption had marked her for its victim.

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QUEEN ANNE TO THE GRAND DUKE OF While the Rev. Basil Kennet was chaplain to

the English factory at Leghorn, though they exercised their religion with the utmost caution and privacy, he met with great opposition from the Papists, and was in great danger of the Inquisition. They had given secret orders to apprepose of him in the severest manner. Upon novoy at Florence, interposed his offices at that religious matters, the Court of the Inquisition Queen Anne. In her Majesty's name imme

This is only one tithe of the labor endured by a successful practitioner. To many he is the man of pills and lotions, the bugbear of dyspeptic dreams—the man of all others to be avoided. To others what an easy life, seems his; driven about town—apparently " SIR.-I have laid the whole affair before