Since my last letter was written the elections tive proportion of members to ministers to for the local Parliament of the Province of On- judge of the enormous burden they are so tario have taken place, and have resulted in a bravely bearing. State aid to religion having victory for the Liberal party. Whether the present coalition Government will be sustained in have had to frame sustentation funds (differing the present Parliament is doubtful; the verdict a little in the several colonies) to supplement of the country appears to be, whether right or our resources and extend our work. * * The wrong, in favour of a purely party administra- vexed question of Colonial and General Contion; and it is not improbable that when the ferences will probably come up at the next con-

quisition of real estate," that it really balks at distance, expense, loss of time, absence of lay cess of mental discipline which best pronothing that stands in the way of its attain- influence and representation involved in our motes general culture? of the West India Islands, which, by the way, has already been mooted. But even without these insular additions we have one of the most extensive domains which has yet fallen to the possession of any nation, and only want an hundred millions of inhabitants or so to take possession of it and develop its resources to give us one of the most magnificent countries upon which the sun has ever shone.

The construction of the Pacific Railway will contribute in various ways to the opening up have been sacrificed. The authorities have study of other subjects. Some subjects dollars worth of property was destroyed. and development of that vast region that it is intended to traverse. Not only will it make those localities which are most suitable for imthose localities which are most suitable for immediate settlement accessible, but it will make them known to large numbers of the class most them. Signor Sciarrelli and his little flock them known to large numbers of the class most should be remembered in the prayers of God's course of general study rightly designed to character, than those which have so lately tlement. Besides, it is proposed to convey people. -Watchman, 17th ult. large tracts of the territory through which the road will pass to the capitalists who will construct it, and whose interest, of course, it will be to promote its settlement as rapidly as posmen and great capitalists do not always move succeed Mr. Arthur in the Presidency of the sents the best combination of subjects hithexactly in the line of their own interests: if instead of adopting a liberal and progressive policy they should adopt a narrow, selfish, and stead of promoting the settlement of the great -Irish Evangelist. North-west. Let us hope for the best.

Will the Churches of the Dominion be prepared to follow up the vast tide of emigration as it flows westward, so that wherever the woodman's axe is heard the voice of the mis- received, and are now being prepared for pub- laws which relate to human obligations; the Asylum was commenced in London; then sionary may be heard also? It is clear that no other system but Methodism has the elasticity pose. The result of the investigation will, we other system but Methodism has the elasticity pose. The result of the investigation will, we nature organic and inorganic. Mastering our day what our fathers did in their day? for general purposes, classified according to stamp him as a man of literary culture. Our resources are vastly greater than theirs; religious denominations, etc.: in many respects our equipment is vastly superior to theirs; and if we have only the zeal Presbyterians, and self-denial that they had, the work will be Wesleyans, done. The growing spirit of liberality is certainly assuring. The large number of interesting young men coming forward from year to All others, year and offering themselves to the work of the ministry, is an encouraging sign of the times. But a copious effusion of the Holy Spirit alone Roman Catholics, will prepare us for meeting tremendous responsibilities which are coming upon us. Total increase in 10 years,

In this connection it is pleasing to know that the prospect of Methodist union brightens. The committee appointed by the several Methodist bodies met in the month of March. Their but enough has transpired to warrant the belief would be a sin; that division, except where denominations, 46.—Islander. absolutely unavoidable, is not only impolitic, but morally wrong; that in this respect we have not been entirely guiltless in the past, and that we are now called penitently to put tending the missionary field and following up lows:-

but we confidently believe that were you on the st1,100.46; for Presbyterian House, \$40,002. Units respect that we learned past one hundred years may be more than most Gracious Majesty's natal day, scenes of forms and prejudices, learn a lesson from that Methodism in the United States and know them, you would conclude that this great contributing, \$162,681.10; expenses of the equalled during the one hundred years to were exhibited in many parts of our land, continent is the sphere for his labours. Cer- Committee, \$11,175.63; total, \$7,607,499. Come. But be the sciences that are yet to that we consider to be simply disgraceful,—which laugh at difficulties, and gathering Templarism. tain it is, he is most efficiently serving both your interests and ours where he is—serving, which laugh at difficulties, and gathering be grouped within the domain of human scenes that might have been tolerated in the several links seek to make perfect the the dark ages, but, which ought never to Calvinistic chain. Would to God that the n fact, the interests of the common Methodism and the common Christianity of the world; and the more room they or and the more I have no doubt be will do so wherever Divine rovidence may appoint him to labour. At God from whom all blessings flow." One Curriculum; and the more room they occupy on that curriculum, the less space will ing scenes, but, instead of this, we find the resent I suppose he is in British Columbia, stanza was sung through, every commissioner remain there for the subjects of classical press in many instances encouraging them, where he intends to visit and inspect all the rising to his seat with suppressed emotion. study. missions, except the one at Carriboo, which is The Moderator, at the close of the singing, about five hundred miles from the coast, and asked the Rev. Dr. Hall to lead in prayer, which, of course, he could not reach without an which he did with impressive fervor. Choked of the classics must ever be a necessity. way companies are running special trains at reduced fares, for the accommodation of unwarrantable waste of time. He will also voices and powerfully excited feelings made He needs the mental discipline which that preside at the British Columbian District Meeting, and then hasten back to be present at the opening of our Conference in Belleville. Con- tual. It was moved and earried to adjourn at glish speech which no man can well possess part therein. ference over, his face will be tured toward En- once until evening. gland, and he will most probably remain in Europe until the middle of September, and we October. What then? That all-wise and gra- to attend the British Conference. There is cious Providence which has hitherto watched little doubt that the choice will fall upon the over him and directed his course must, I sup- President, the Rev. Wm. Morley Punshon, M. pose, determine.

Canada, April 19.

THE AUSTRALIAN WESLEYAN CON- proceed to the Continent, and to return to Ca-

ENCE. A correspondent of the London Methodist

New Zealand and Queensland engaged the earthe Conference at Belleville, but too late for desirable that he should be able to lay unwere the whole letters to be issued in a nest attention of the conference, and how gladpublication in this week's paper, it will appear der contribution the rich treasures amassed

small volume, they would comprise a valuly would we help if we could. The case of the in our next .- ED. P. W.

too, is opening briskly, and the indications of latter colony is one of most painful and press-commercial prosperity are everywhere visible. ing need. We have only to look at the rela-

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 14, 1871.

IT OUGHT TO BE.

NO. VI.

If it is in the highest degree desirable To the Editor of the Provincial Wesleyan. Legislature assembles a new order of things ference, which will be held in Melbourne, and that our future ministers should be in a gen-

entitled to, but also to construct a first-class cellent way." An incidental illustration of one be brought to bear regularly on no class of to be anything but pleasant. There has railway from the capital of the Dominion to the of the foregoing points was seen in the late confacts, on no set of principles without advan-however, been an occasional shower, ac-Pacific Ocean, a work the cost of which no liv- ference, when on the day when the Connection- tage. Even simple subjects studied in an companied by thunder and lightning. The Pacific Ocean, a work the cost of which no liverage. Even simple subjects studied in an crops are looking very well in many places, ing man can even guess, but which will be sufficed in dresses and contains an even guess, but which will be sufficed in dresses and contains and c ing man can even guess, but which will be sufficient, no doubt, to double the debt of the Docient, no doubt, to doubl minion, and to entail a considerable tax upon ministers. Thus we are seeking to perfect our class of facts has its philosophy. There is believe, that the coming harvest will be Rev. W. M. Punshon, mather of the bride, and be acquired—that necessity itself has imposed Ghost. Heaven's cry to our pulpits and ter that science is an educating process. wa region, has again been visited, but not to restrictions upon this disposition of the Gov- churches is, "Be filled with the Spirit!" Be it Hence it is that many men who cannot be such an alarming extent as last year. In ernment to speculate in wild lands. New- ours to utter back as our daily litany the prayer rightly called learned in the ordinary sense the western part of the Province, several foundland and Prince Edward Island only re- of the Church for ages past, "and by the com- of the term are vet in the best signification acres of valuable timber have been destroyed, be their lot. main to be bought up, except we turn our eyes far to the south, and "go in" for annexation ing of the Holy Ghost, good Lord, deliver us." of the term are yet in the best signification of the term are yet in the best significant of the term ar We understand that intelligence has been re- their minds a large amount of instructive by the raging element, which was occasionceived at the Mission-house of a diabolical at- and useful knowledge strengthened, and ed, it is said, by a defective flue, in the chimtempt to blow up the new preaching-house at rendered facile the exercise of their mental new of one of the bakeries of the town. Had Rome. On Sunday week, while a small company faculties—made them masters of their own do not see how many of the inabiants were quietly commemorating the Saviour's intellectual powers invigorated for use. death, a bomb which had been placed in the por-

tico exploded. Though the portico was shattered to fragments, we are thankful no one was is vastly better adapted to serve as the intered to fragments, we are thankful no one was seriously hurt. Had the explosion happened seriously had the following his happened seriously had the following his had the f five minutes later, many lives would inevitably conducting the educating process—than the from five hundred thousand to a million of promote the attainment of general culture disappeared before the destructive element. Belfast College.—During the past month jects in turn to stimulate to healthful activwe learn that the Managing Committee have ity every mental faculty. We believe that cordially invited the present Head Master of the curriculum of study pursued in the most sible. But, on the other hand, even wealthy the College, the Rev. Robert Crook, LL.D. to wisely conducted Colleges of the day pre- owned. Some munificent subscriptions have College, at the coming Conference; and it was erto devised for educational purposes. That arranged to advertise for a Head Master to suc- curriculum includes the study of the laws

P. E. ISLAND CENSUS.

1871.

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OVER SEVEN MILLIONS.

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Formerly without question Collegiate 25,852 proportionate attention was given to classi-turned members who supported the present their various Israels, and partake of the 3,450 College and in preparatory schools, classi-1 of his patronage. The Hon. gentleman is stir the blood of the pious public. 2,061 cal study was for the most part conducted 43,962 Latterly, however, mainly through the la- the people of Ontario would only support Missionary Society," with much to do and bours of the Germans, those patient pled- him and his friends, they should have pub- a will to do it, met in the Centenary Church. 79.814 ders in every department of scientific activ- lic institutions in every part of the country. The meeting was a grand success, for these containing 118 Lodges. The Grand Lodge He had only been a short time in business, and 13,086 ity, more philosophical methods have been adopted in the prosecution of this study. having public institutions in time real pairs valed brain to plan to Satisfactory results have been reached in in one locality, thereby building one partic-The population of Charlottetown (including less time and by more scientific processes. ular place at the expense of the whole na-Common and Royalty) is 8,808, classed as folcombined action has not yet been made public, lows: Roman Catholics, 3,328; Wesleyans, Yet though Greek and Latin do not occu- tion, still, we cannot but regret, that to car-1,791; Kirk of Scotland, 1,103; other Pres- py the pre-eminent position in the course of ry out this policy, the head of the Govern- Mrs. Willing. She is a woman of rare but enough has transpired to warrant the belief that no insuperable difficulty lies in the way of byterians, 499—total Presbyterians when unit—byterians when unit—byt a union. There is a growing teeling that to ed, 1,602; Episcopalians, 1,507; Bible Christhey are still highly valued, and doubtless he and his friends should secure. If this mal surroundings, were Drs. Butler and perpetuate the present divided state of things tians, 272; Unitarians, 5; Quaker, 1; other always will be greatly esteemed, not mere-course is not a system of bribery we fail to Waugh returned missionaries from India ly for the literary treasures embalmed in see by what other name it can be called. the latter returned home, but a few weeks their imperishable literatures, but also for the marked mind-developing results attain-There was quite a scene in the Presbyterian ed by their intelligent study. It is proba-opinion expressed in a speech recently deaway the evil of our doings. If the union General Assembly, Tuesday afternoon, May ble, however, that as years roll on less and livered by Dr. Daniel Wilson in Toronto, should be consummated it will set free a considerable number of more also assembly, Tuesday afternoon, May less time will be devoted to classical studies "that the politics of our country are steepsiderable number of more also assembly, Tuesday afternoon, May less time will be devoted to classical studies "that the politics of our country are steepshould be consummated it will set free a conzord. The Committee on the Five Binnon |
siderable number of men and a vast amount of Dollar Mememorial Fund, of which Rev. Dr. in the Higher Institutions of Learning. In the most strenuous efforts should be made money which may be usefully employed in ex- Ellinwood is Chairman, reported as fol- the future it will be, as it now is deemed to secure the return of men to office, who necessary that a general knowledge of phy- are beyond the power of a bribe. the march of emigration towards the setting For new church buildings, \$3,236,475.61; sical science should form part of the menwe fully agree with the Recorder in this country, that the Belfast College is scarcely the debts, \$1,405,548.66; for institutions of learnplace for our beloved, eloquent, and idefatigable President Mr. Punkers and idefatigable Preside ble President, Mr. Punshon; and we can fully in foreign lands, \$93,509.96; for special gifts cannot be lengthened, no limit can be asnderstand and appreciate the feeling that to Boards, \$60,340.40; for hospitals, \$148,- signed to the number of new sciences that tal sports, and pleasures that are of the most prompts the desire for his return to England; 665.35; for the relief fund and sustentation, may come into existence. The wonders in demoralizing description. Horse racing is separation, would make one wish that the demoralizing description. Horse racing is twain every where might be made one flesh. but we confidently believe that were you on the \$41,150.46; for Presbyterian House, \$46,882.

For the ministerial candidate the study way Companies are running special trains

It is of great importance also that the in the French and German languages. with deep interest in future years.

ONTARIO CORRESPONDENCE.

My DEAR SIR,-Your Ontario corres-Parliament no doubt British Columbia will be ed the Methodist Episcopal Church. My idea represented, as Manitoba has been in this. Our is that the northern and southern colonies will valone the monthly property and southern colonies will valone the monthly property and t

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could have escaped an untimely death, as it but, it is hoped, that the future buildings lightfully of the good results that have folpeople of Bradford, many of whom have lost heavily, and some even all that they

I told you in my last, of the result of our Provincial Elections. Some think that the ceed Dr. R. Crook. Irish Methodism will part of language as displayed in the elaborate Hon. J. S. Macdonald, will not be able to obstructive one, they may greatly retard, inwith Mr. Arthur amid deep and general regret. of language as displayed in the classic tongues; the command a working majority in the new structure of certain classic tongues; the laws of literary expression as exhibited in house of Legislature. Be this as it may, it the chief literatures of the ancient and modern world; the laws of being; the laws on to office as long as he can. He is try-The returns of the enumerators have all been which preside over mental operations; the ingly popular. Some time ago, a Lunatic other asylum for the blind, work; and the solemn question is, Will it practicable. In the meantime the following such a course of study as this, the student exbe able to accomplish it? Can we repeat in figures are submitted as sufficiently accurate periences that mental development which occasion of the cornerstone laying of this latter institution, that the Hon. Premier delivered one of those characteristic speeches education was greatly too one sided. Dis- hesitate to say, that those places which re- ed strangers to the annual gatherings of cal and mathematical study; and both at ministry, should always have the first share not afraid to speak out, hence he said, he in methods both tedious and empirical. | might just as well blue and furthermore, if ladies of "The Methodist Women's Foreign

When we hear such sentiments from the lips of those who ought to be patterns of ed in corruption." Such being the case,

There is no reason to doubt the fact of cessation from business, there should be such side rejoicing over their recently consumknowledge, many or few, they will have to the dark ages, but, which ought never to by having reporters present to publish full by having reporters present to publish full accounts of all that occurs, while our Railbegan their Annual National AnniversarJohn Campbell, R.W.G.T., Missouri.

ing, and then hasten back to be present at the was made to resume business, but was ineffect knowledge of his own highly composite En- avenging God, upon all those who take have not been left at home, and many not having at least a tolerably good acquain- Our honored President, Rev. W. Morley tance with Latin. He needs to be perfect. Punshon, M. A., returned from his tour to The Canadian Conference, it is expected, will by familiar with the language in which the the Pacific coast two weeks ago. He and hall look for him among us about the 1st of October. What then? That all-wise and grato attend the British Conference. There is He needs that acquaintance both with weeks, during which time they travelled Greek and Latin which will enable him at nearly 9,000 miles, without sustaining the "Rebel," who deprecated negro education. A. In this case Mr. Punshon may be expect- first hand to consult the literature of Chris- slightest accident. Fifteen letters have A. In this case Mr. Punshon may be expect-July. His stay in this country will be but cal acquirements are of great value to the detailing the movements of the Tourists, a Baltimore D. D., in a very eloquent short, as we believe that it is his intention to Christian minister both directly and indicreated by the imperial eloquence of our distinguished President. The letter describing the new acquisition to our Dominion am fast approximating infant baptism. ministerial candidate should become master British Columbia—is especially interest-The increase of 1,204 members is gratifying if not satisfying. The state of our work in New Zealand and Operation 2 of the language in which the Jewish scriptures were written. And it is extremely at form for extensive circulation; indeed, is their "Rible Union". It was a bitter pill and caused a slight sensation, but it was swallowed. Their "Big ceived from our attentive Ontario Correspondent at form for extensive circulation; indeed, is their "Rible Union". It compares the many the many than the property of the language in which the Jewish scriptures were written. And it is extremely at form for extensive circulation; indeed, is their "Rible Union". It compares the many than the property of the language in which the Jewish scriptures were written. And it is extremely at form for extensive circulation; indeed, is their "Rible Union". It compares the many than the property of the language in which the Jewish scriptures were written. And it is extremely at form for extensive circulation; indeed, is their "Rible Union". It compares the many than the property of the language in which the Jewish scriptures were written. And it is extremely at form for extensive circulation; indeed, is their "Rible Union". able record of travels, which would be read water to keep it affoat.

In a word the members of our coming ministry ought with rare exceptions to be days ago, in connection with the family of wide general culture, thoroughly trained intellectually according to the best educational methods of the day.

A very interesting event transpired a few days ago, in connection with the family of our beloved President, an event, especially, in which your lady readers will feel deep interest. It was the marriage of Mr. Punshon's only daughter, to the Rev. Professor Rainar, of Victoria College. For the gratification of your numerous readers the gratification of In a word the members of our coming A very interesting event transpired a few know how to take hold of it. May God!

"HYMENEAL.-Yesterday at noon the nuptials of Professor Rainer, of Victoria College, Cowill be introduced. The Govornment, however, whatever may be its composition, will necessarily be comparatively weak, owing to the

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| All Algebra, Rev. Dr. Green, Rev. Dr. and the venerable assembly, which is the largest the venerable assembly, which is that pro- collegiastical gathering held in Canada. The two weeks past have been unusually warm, frequently the thermometer has Mrs. Simpson, and Mrs. Cunningham Taylor. Among those present at the ceremony were Mr. and Mrs. Johnson, Dr. and Mrs. Aikens, ment. In order to secure the annexation of British Columbia it has not only agreed to give it larger representation than its population is leaning on the arm of Dr. Ryerson, by whom she was given away. Her dress was of white every dollar's worth of our property during the lifetime of the present generation. It is to be completed within ten years. It is a comfort to know that there is but little more territory to want," is the richer outpouring of the Holy

We wish the happy couple all the blessings of connubial bliss, and hope that a long life of uninterrupted happiness may

This letter has already become longer than I intended, but I must inform your readers that the Wesleyans in Toronto have purchased land for another Church, and which have rested on us as a church through REVELATIONS OF A ROBBER.-When Meintend to commence building immediately: and thus, there will be three Weslevan the fire broken out in the night season, we Churches in the course of erection at the midst of a dense population. The Toronto tionary quarter. Many of these are of never been brought to light, and that a considsame time, in the same city, and all in the Nevertheless the study of some subjects was, there were no lives lost, but several Nevertheless the study of some subjects was, there were no lives lost, but several Churches have lately been favored with a mature age. Some were wandering in Chapel and private residences was still conduring which meetings were held twice pardon. every day, all of which were, more or less. seasons of refreshing. All the ministers heartily co-operated, and they testify demust embrace a sufficient variety of sub- Wooden buildings should never be allowed Female College were made the happy partakers of a saving change. O for a mani-Great sympathy is felt, for the unfortunate festation of such saving power in all our

Adieu, until Conference. Ontario, June 3, 1871.

CHICAGO CORRESPONDENCE

Longfellow says "our national character wants the dignity of repose." You would think so, if you mingled among the hurrying thousands of this overgrown baby city, who hasten to be rich. The most of them gathered out of all lands, are youths, and feel the common throbbings of a quickened life. Even the Teutous seem to lose some of their natural drowsiness and rush with the excited crowd. Just now secular affairs seem less feverish-no elections convulse society and our over-crowded population makes matters are in no torpid state. With our for which he is so peculiar. He did not hot days have come crowds of travel-stainhospitalities of their city cousins, and to

On the 18th of May three influential be No doubt much may be said in favor of women have pious hearts: feel and culti-

> The names of these women are legion but their choice spirit is the pretty and discreet piety, and remarkable power as a speaker.

ago. On the same day (May 18th,) "The Presbyterian General Assembly" organized. It is a dignified body of 500 middleaged cultured men, representing 260 presbyteries. They have among them men of mark, but Dr. Hall, late of Dublin, now of New York, is their star. He impresses you deeply; and yet, notwithstanding the closdeeply; and yet, notwithstanding the closest deeply; and yet, notwithstanding the closest attention, you fail to discrete hidings. T. Bulmer, Nova Scotia; and Rev. William W. James Cochran in the place of the Hon. of his power. Probably the secret lies with "New" and "Old School" sitting side by separation, would make one wish that the

Might not our divided Methodism, with Calvinistic chain. Would to God that the our world wide Methodism, and melt them into a grand acuminical openess.

One day earlier (May 17th) the Baptists ies. They are not as decorous as our Presbyterian visitors, but what they lack second cousins have come to see the religious lions. In their discussions and speeches they ventilate their feelings and sentiments very freely. Often they differ very widely, and sometimes the extremes meet, as they did the other evening when the colored Dr. Grimer, of Boston, replied and threw his defiance into the teeth of hi hissing listeners. One afternoon our Pedobaptist ears were much tickled as we heard Sunday School address, when urging the ment. Church to care for the children, say, "I It was a bitter pill and caused a slight sen-

These Baptists mean work, and they tion in next week's Wesleyan.

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seem elated with its provisions. They all a high position. All his productions evine seem glad to get the Dominion Fisheries as a settlement for "Alabama" depreda- This unpretending little volume from the Rev. indignant protest. Things of interest to us, if not to you,

are daily occurring in this Prairie land; but of them we will not write. We lay down haps, at some future time. NORTH-WEST.

Chicago, Ill., May 30, 1871.

Circuit Intelliance. YARMOUTH NORTH.

The interest of a hallowed service in Wesley Church, on a recent Sabbath even- elegant, spirited and every way admirable. ing, was enhanced by the administration of They have been listened to with rapt attention baptism to seven persons, candidates for circle of readers will avail themselves of the membership in our church. Several others, privilege of enjoying them. We should like to who had not received the rite in infancy, see more of this kind of reading placed within are to be baptized next Sabbath.

I am enabled thankfully to report that St. John, and is for sale by all Bookselhe gracious influences of the Divine Spirit, lers .- Presbyteri in Witness. the year, have produced very delightful re- Carron, the sacrilegious robber and house sults. During the winter about forty per- breaker was recently sentenced in this city to sons were received on trial, most of whom what is virtually the term of his natural life, i have passed faithfully through the proba- was known that many of his depredations had speculative error. But the Divine Spirit cealed by the

The Divine blessing appears to rest on every department of our work. The attendance at the week night services is large. There has been a steady growth of numbers hill, a short distance to the right of the railway in our cougregations; until now, in one track. On the discharge of the sailor he came ilton, where much good was done, and new and large church, we are unable to be fredericton with his map, exhibited it to several of the young ladies attending the meet the applications for pews. And never Rev. M Devitt, and they together proceeded have I preached to a congregation in which to the locality indicated, and with very little difficulty found the identical spot, finding all the attention was more close and sustained than here. There is a growing enthusiasm tion of a silver service belonging to A. T. Coin the Sabbath School work, both on the burn, and various other bits fof plunder carepart of teachers and scholars. We have fully and securely hidden out of sight. A reintroduced Vincent's Bereau Lessons, and ward of twenty dollars sent the sailor on his we find them invaluable. By this and way rejoicing. It is rumored this is not the other important features, such as the use of a carefully prepared liturgical service for opening, the interest has been greatly in-Several of the scholars have ommenced meeting in class, and I have reason to hope that others will soon be among the avowed followers of Christ.

Yarmouth North, June 2, 1871.

(For the Provincial Wesleyan.) TEMPERANCE.

J. HART.

The annual meeting of the R. W. G. Lodge, Independent Order of Good Temmany cry "hard times." But religious plars, took place at Baltimore, Maryland, on the 23rd, 24th and 25th of May. Representatives were in attendance from forty Grand Lodges, including England, Scotland. Canada and Nova Scotia, and the Stockford as a furniture ware room, and spread meetings were characterized by the greatest with such rapidity that almost everthing in it enthusiasm. The most noticeable feature was destroyed. The engines prevented the in the officers' report, was the extraordinary might just as well bribe wholesale as have dies were in session. On that day, the elect spread of the Order in Europe during the but it is suspected that the boy in charge must past year. The Order though only introago, numbers 50,000, the city of Glasgow leading 118 Lodges. The County and the ladve madvertening dropped a match into the packing. Mr. Stockfords loss is heavy, as he had no insurance. He estimates it as over \$2,000 of England numbers 12,000. A Grand has lost everything she had. - Citizen. having public institutions in different parts vated brain to plan for their northern sis- Lodge has been organized in Ireland with a rapidly increasing membership, and Wales terian bodies of Ontario and Quebec meet in has ere this, more than the requisite num- the course of a few days. Of all the question to ber of subordinate Lodges, with which to come before those reverend bodies, says the organize a Grand Lodge. Deputies have peen commissioned to introduce the Order nto Russia, Germany and Holland.

> welcome meeting given by the Good Tem- one who gives the subject the slightest consider politeness and good feeling of the United superable.-Exchange. States towards England and the Dominion, the representatives from each State. Rev. pointments:—
> George Hinds, representing England; John
> To be a member of the Legislative Council— Scott, Canada. Congratulatory telegrams were exchanged with the Young Men's tutes of the Province- James W. Johnson, Jr., Christian Association-then in session at M. B. DesBrisay, Daniel Macdonald, and Alon-Washington. At the conclusion of the session, the representatives in a body visit- In the County of Halifax—to be a Commissession, the representatives in a body visited Washington, and were each presented to sioner for giving relief to Insolvent Debtors, the President, Attorney-General, and Secretary of Treasury. Over thirty of the delegates were Methodist preachers, and it was the Peace—Wm. Warner, Jr.

that Methodism in the United States and of the Peace—George M. Jean, Remi Benoit, Canada was completely identified with Good Felix Forest Charles Lenoir, Thomas Cutler The officers elect are :--Rev. John Russell, R.W.G.T., Michigan, John Hickman, R.W.G.C., Kentucky. Miss Anna Raymond, R. W. G. V., Ne

J. A. Spencer, R.W.G.S., Ohio. Rev. George Hinds, R.W.G.C., England. Next place of Meeting Madison, Wis-

CONFERENCE ARRANGEMENTS.

MY DEAR DR. PICKARD.-Would you please append the following notices to plan of Conference arrangements in "Wesleyan."

McDonald. Esq., (former Sheriff) Montague Bridge; Prince County, Thos. Kelly, Esq., 1. The list of Ministers includes only

Conference. 2. The Secretaries of the several Districts are requested to forward as early as possible the names of ministers whe are appointed to attend Conference. 3. Ministers' families are not provided

for in any case except by private arrange-

J. LATHERN. St. John, N. B., June 8th, 1871.

DISTRICT MEETINGS .- Several of the Disrict Committees of the Conference are meetof their time, and evidently requires much ing this week. It is hoped that some Brother in each of them will send a report for publication and them will send a report for publication and them will send a report for publication and the send a report for publication and the

Europe's best troops?" These Germans to Lucknow," 4th.—" English Reformers and are certainly a strong race, and the more the English Reformation." The first three They are very numerous here, and are fast the regular annual course of lectures arranged by the Mechanics' Institute in St. John, in the subject for editorials here. All, or almost all, the papers favoured its ratification and tor and popular lecturer Mr. Lathern occupies ly attainments, and of a mind richly endowed tions, but some of them question the just-ness of the thing, and anticipate Canada's ing sketches of the lives of three great actors the world's stage-two of whom have played their part in our own day-and each in pregnant with importance in the world's histo-These sketches are written in no critical or carping spirit, but with fairness and cando our pen for the present, to take it up, per- The portraits are painted by a master hand. All may be benefitted by a perusal of the le tures, but the contents are especially suited to point a moral to the rising generation, and incite them to noble actions. We heartily recommend the work to the public. It is for sale at the Wesleyan Book Store .- Colonist

Rev. J. Lathern has published a neat little volume containing four Lectures: 1. Crom-well and the Ironsides; 2. Cobden and the Cern Laws; 3. Havelock and the March to Lucknow; 4. The English Reformers and the English Reformation. These Lectures are the people's reach. The book is published in

To this sailor he acknowledged the robbery of the Chapel and with a slight show of penitence gave him a map of the ground where the articles were concealed at the foot of College the missing articles stolen from the chapel, poronly valuable secret/with which he has been entrusted by Mr. McCarron, and that he has similar revelations to make in different parts of the Province. - Fredericton Reporter.

THE "LOWA" EMIGRANTS .- Most of the migrants who came out by the Anchor Line ceamer Iowa to New York and thence to this city (St. John.) were Welsh. They have all obtained employment at their trades, either in St. John or the country, and appear pleased with their change of country.

On Sunday night, while the tug by Tiger" was lying at Indiantown, a deck hand named Samuel McConkey went ashore to cast off a line. It was an hour after this before the steamer left, yet she had reached before it was discovered that McConkey was missing. Fears were entertained that he was missing. Fears were entertained that he was drowned. Search was instituted, the river was nragged, and the unfortunate man's body was ound in the water.

On Thursday morning a fire broke out in the Store in Germain street, occupied by Mr. L. B. flames extending to the building connected but it is suspected that the boy in charge must have inadvertently dropped a match into the

The supreme courts of the two great Presby-Toronto Globe, that of the union of all the Presbyterians in Canada and the formation thereby of one Presbyterian Church for the whole Do minion, will be by far the most important. During the past year the Order has in- Why these bodies should continue to separate, reased its membership 50,000, total mem- it would be difficult to say; and the advantages pership over 400,000, with about \$7000 in arising from their union are so many and so funds to commence the year's work. The manifest that they will at once occur to every plars of Baltimore, was attended by near ation. We are quite aware that there are diffiplars of Baltimore, was attended by near culties in the way, but none of such a nature as three thousand persons, and the national to be regarded as very formidable, far less in-

PROVINCIAL SECRETARY'S OFFICE, Halifax, was evidenced by the loud and prolonged 6th June, 1871.—His Honor the Lieutenant applause which greeted any allusion to Governor, by the advice of the Executive Coun-Queen Victoria. Speeches were made by cil, has been pleased to make the following ap-

Wm. Stairs, resigned. To be Commissioners for revising the Sta

and for taking affidavits to hold bail in the Su In the County of Digby-To be a Justice of In the County of Richmond—to be Justices

and Angus McNell. To be Commissioners for giving relief to Insolvent Debtors, and for taking affidavits to hold to bail in the Supreme Court—Thomas Cutler and McNeil of Descouse.

In the County of Inverness-To be a Justice of the Peace-Thomas Evans of Chimney Corn In the County of Hants-to be Registrar of

Probate-Otto S. Weeks., in the place of Charles Payzant, Esquire. THE PRINCE EDWARD ISLAND RAILWAY .-The Charlottetown "Herald" says: "There

was a special meeting of the Executive Counil held on Monday and Tuesday last. The appointments in connection with the railway were, we understand, made, as follows: Commissioners-Queen's County, Hon. Dunean, Chairman: King's County, James Summerside. The Chairman of appraisers those who are already authorized to attend are-Hon. E. MacEachern, for King's County: Hon. S. F. Perry, for Prince County; and William Heard. Esq., for Queen's County. There are to be seven appraisers for each county. Messrs. McEachern and Perry will, as office holders, have to be re-elected, as we eel sure they will be.'

Y. M. C. A .- At an adjourned meeting of Y. M. C. Association last evening, the following gentlemen were elected delegates to the approaching convention in St. John, N. B., viz.: Dr. Slayter, James Forrest, Dr Delaney, S. G. Matheson, C. E. Puttner, John Grierson, Thomas Clarke, Dr. Trena man W. P. Archibald, Malcom Bethune, Edw. Jost, W. H. Swindom, G. E. Janieson, and the Secretary; as officers of the Convention -J. B. Morrow, Vice President, members McNutt, Secretary. The association at pres-